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## Product Safety Database - Product Safety Report

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| Yunhetu YT-818 Blowtorch 'Flame Gun' |  |
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| Aspect | Details |
| Images |  |
| Alert Number | 2103-0002 |
| Product Type | Gas appliances and components - Blowtorch |
| Product Identifiers | Brand: Yunhetu <br> Model: YT-818 |
| Product Description | A blowtorch head assembly supplied in a single blister pack attached to a yellow and orange piece of card entitled 'flame gun - the electron strikes a light'. |
| Country of Origin | China |
| Counterfeit | No |
| Risk Level | Serious |
| Risk Types | Burns and Explosion |
| Risk Description | Multiple components of the product exceed the maximum temperatures specified in the standard when the product is in use, which presents a serious risk of burns to the user. The instructions are also unclear as to which type of gas canister is required to use the blowtorch head safely, presenting a serious risk of explosion, fire and injuries. The product does not meet the requirements of the Gas Appliances (Enforcement) and Miscellaneous Amendments Regulations 2018. |


| Corrective <br> Measures | The authority has required the recall of the product from end users. |
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| Online <br> Marketplace | Amazon - The listing has been removed by the online marketplace. |
| Notifier | Local Authority Trading Standards |

