



## Product Recall

### 3M™ Versaflo™ A2B2E2K1HgP Filter, TR-6580E - suitable for storage up to 50 degrees C and manufactured prior to November 2022

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Alert Number	2212-0126
Product Type	PPE – Respirator Filter
Product Identifiers	A2B2E2K1HgP Filter TR-6580E
Product Description	TR-6580E filters are used with the 3M™ Versaflo™ TR-600 and TR-800 Powered Air Purifying Respirators. Storage conditions for the filter are stated as -30°C /+50°C. Compliance claimed to EN12941:1998+A2:2008 and EN 12942:1998+A2:2008 Respiratory Protective Devices.
Country of Origin	Canada
Counterfeit	No
Risk Level	Medium
Risk Type	Health Risk
Risk Description	<p>Internal quality testing of TR-6580E filters, labelled as suitable for storage between -30°C /+50°C, demonstrated that this product does not meet the performance requirements of the relevant standard, when subject to the temperature range described in the storage instructions (intended conditions of use):</p> <p>Therefore, it cannot be assured that these products meet the stated performance standards, and may have reduced breakthrough times for the gases and vapors that the filter is certified to protect against. This is particularly significant when the product is being used to protect against mercury vapour (Hg), as mercury vapour does not have clear warning properties should breakthrough occur.</p>
Corrective measures	<p>This product is subject to a product recall by the manufacturer.</p> <p>The product has been withdrawn from the market.</p> <p>This recall does not affect products manufactured after November 2022, which state suitable storage conditions to be between -30 and +40 degrees.</p> <p>Distribution and user advisory notifications have been issued through the manufacturer's authorized distribution network.</p>



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**End Users should contact 3M Sales Representatives if they have any queries.**

Supply of TR-6580E filters has now resumed as of December 2022

The TR-6580E has updated storage conditions, between -30°C and +40°C (originally -30°C to +50°C). These new storage conditions will be marked on the product packaging and the User Instructions.

An example of a new packaging label is shown below with the new recommended storage conditions circled in red.



Other 3M™ Versaflo filters in the range (e.g., TR-6130E and TR-6310E) will continue to have the original storage conditions of -30°C to +50°C.

Online Marketplace	N/A
Notifier	Health and Safety Executive