

● PAS 7050:2022

Bringing safe products to the market – Code of practice



Why is this standard needed?

Product safety is a priority for businesses and their customers. [PAS 7050:2022](#) **Bringing safe products to the market - Code of practice**, sponsored by the Office for Product Safety and Standards (OPSS), enables you to build plans and processes to bring safe products to market. This can help you protect your customers and brand, as well as addressing the requirements of product safety regulations.

This new standard complements PAS 7100 which organizations are already using to create product safety incident plans for product recalls and other corrective actions.

What is included?

Part I of the standard – the main part for businesses to use - covers the development of a Product Safety Management Plan (PSMP), which includes:

- **Managing internal systems** with appropriate focus on product safety
- **Building product safety principles** into design, formulation, fabrication and production processes
- **Addressing product safety** when working with other businesses in the supply chain

The PAS provides a set of recommendations, guidelines and examples of good practice. It includes a helpful set of appendices with checklists for organizations that are applying the standard.

What are the potential benefits?

- Reduce product safety related reputational, commercial and compliance risks
- Protect your customers against unsafe products
- Give supply chain partners and the market more confidence in the safety and value of your products, making it easier to trade
- Learn good practice for building a product safety management plan (PSMP)
- Take practical steps in line with consumer safety product regulations

“As product supply chains become more complex, businesses need to develop their systems to ensure they only bring safe products to market. This Code, sponsored by OPSS, helps protect consumers by supporting businesses to get it right first time. The PAS has been developed by BSI, who have brought experts together from consumer organisations, manufacturers, retailers and regulators.”

Graham Russell, Chief Executive of the Office for Product Safety and Standards

Who should use this code of practice?

- Manufacturers and distributors of electrical appliances
- Manufacturers and distributors of toys
- Manufacturers and distributors of other consumer products
- Repairers, refurbishers, designers, importers and operators of online marketplaces for consumer products

It also provides essential guidance for regulators that support businesses on delivering safe products to consumers and the implementation of a PSMP.

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