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- [Tips voor het kopen bij een Chinese webwinkel](#) – May 2019
- [Reviews op websites: Waar moet je op letten?](#) – April 2019

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- [Produtos vendidos em marketplaces: 2 em cada 3 podem ser inseguros](#) – February 2020

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- [AliExpress, Wish et compagnie jouent avec votre sécurité](#) – February 2020
- [Chargeurs bon marché : danger !](#) – February 2018

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- [Black Friday L'UFC-Que Choisir appelle à stopper les pratiques commerciales trompeuses](#) – November 2020
- [Marketplaces: Trop de produits dangereux](#) – February 2020
- [Chargeurs de smartphones – Risque d'incendie et de choc électrique](#) – January 2020

VKI (AT)

- [Online marketplaces fail to remove banned products – even after consumers report them, Which? Finds](#) – December 2020
- [Black Friday: Schnäppchen um jeden Preis?](#) – November 2020
- [Wann kauf ich nur? Preisverlaufsbeobachtung auf Amazon](#) – November 2020
- [Viagogo: Irreführung bei Ticketangaben](#) – May 2020
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