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Another US Food Processing Plant Erupts In Flames



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Another food processing plant went up in flames. According to local news <u>Stevens Point Journal</u>, a fire ripped through a pizza-making plant in Wisconsin on Monday.

More than 70 firefighters from multiple fire departments battled a massive fire at Festive Foods in eastern Portage County that began around 0900 local time. The American Red Cross arrived on the scene shortly after to provide food and water to firefighters. They snapped two pictures of the blaze, showing flames erupting from the facility's roof and a column of thick dark smoke pouring into the air.

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Waupaca manufacturing fire: Red Cross disaster volunteers are canteening for more than 70 firefighters & first responders on the scene of a large manufacturer fire on County Highway D. Additional details here as they're available.

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Firefighters were able to get the blaze under control in the early evening, and damage to the food processing plant has yet to be fully assessed. However, Festive Foods' Facebook page indicates the plant is "temporarily closed."

"Today festive foods experienced a heartbreaking event. As many of you have seen in the news we have had a terrible fire run through our plant," a post on Festive Foods' Facebook <u>read</u>.

Festive Foods manufactures frozen pizzas for supermarkets in a 120,000 sq. feet facility and considers itself a "leading co-packer of USDA-certified frozen-topped pizza, sandwiches, dough products, and stuffed appetizers." The company sells its products to supermarkets nationwide.



Walmart is a seller of at least one of the company's brands.

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While the fire seems insignificant, it's part of a much larger issue of a spate of "<u>accidental fires</u>," one by one, taking out America's food supply chain over the past year (source of the list via <u>The Gateway</u> <u>Pundit</u>):

- 1. 1/11/21 A fire that destroyed 75,000-square-foot processing plant in Fayetteville
- 2. 4/30/21 A fire ignited inside the Smithfield Foods pork processing plant in Monmouth, IL
- 3. 7/25/21 Three-alarm fire at <u>Kellogg plant in Memphis</u>, 170 emergency personnel responded to the call
- 7/30/21 Firefighters on Friday battled a large fire at <u>Tyson's River Valley Ingredients plant</u> in Hanceville, Alabama
- 5. 8/23/21 Fire crews were called to the Patak Meat Production company on Ewing Road in Austell
- 6. 9/13/21 A fire at the <u>JBS beef plant</u> in Grand Island, Neb., on Sunday night forced a halt to slaughter and fabrication lines
- 7. 10/13/21 A five-alarm fire ripped through the Darigold butter production plant in Caldwell, ID
- 8. 11/15/21 A woman is in custody following a fire at the Garrard County Food Pantry
- 9. 11/29/21 A fire broke out around 5:30 p.m. at the Maid-Rite Steak Company meat processing plant
- 10. 12/13/21 West Side food processing plant in San Antonio left with smoke damage after a fire
- 11. 1/7/22 Damage to a poultry processing plant on Hamilton's Mountain following an overnight fire

- 12. 1/13/22 Firefighters worked for 12 hours to put a fire out at the Cargill-Nutrena plant in Lecompte, LA
- 13. 1/31/22 a fertilizer plant with 600 tons of ammonium nitrate inside caught on fire on <u>Cherry Street</u> in <u>Winston-Salem</u>
- 14. 2/3/22 A massive fire swept through Wisconsin River Meats in Mauston
- 15. 2/3/22 At least 130 cows were killed in a fire at Percy Farm in Stowe
- 16. 2/15/22 Bonanza Meat Company goes up in flames in El Paso, Texas
- 17. 2/15/22 Nearly a week after the fire destroyed most of the Shearer's Foods plant in Hermiston
- 18. 2/16/22 A fire had broken at US largest <u>soybean processing and biodiesel plant</u> in Claypool, Indiana
- 19. 2/18/22 An early morning fire tore through the milk parlor at Bess View Farm
- 20. 2/19/22 Three people were injured, and one was hospitalized, after an ammonia leak at Lincoln Premium Poultry in Fremont
- 21. 2/22/22 The Shearer's Foods plant in Hermiston caught fire after a propane boiler exploded
- 22. 2/28/22 A smoldering pile of sulfur quickly became a raging chemical fire at Nutrien Ag Solutions
- 23. 2/28/22 A man was hurt after a fire broke out at the <u>Shadow Brook Farm and Dutch Girl</u> <u>Creamery</u>
- 24. 3/4/22 294,800 chickens destroyed at farm in Stoddard, Missouri
- 25. 3/4/22 644,000 chickens destroyed at egg farm in Cecil, Maryland
- 26. 3/8/22 243,900 chickens destroyed at egg farm in New Castle, Delaware
- 27. 3/10/22 663,400 chickens destroyed at egg farm in Cecil, MD
- 28. 3/10/22 915,900 chickens destroyed at egg farm in Taylor, IA
- 29. 3/14/22 The blaze at 244 Meadow Drive was discovered shortly after 5 p.m. by <u>farm owner</u> <u>Wayne Hoover</u>
- 30. 3/14/22 2,750,700 chickens destroyed at egg farm in Jefferson, Wisconsin
- 31. 3/16/22 A fire at a <u>Walmart warehouse distribution center</u> has cast a large plume of smoke visible throughout Indianapolis.
- 32. 3/16/22 <u>Nestle Food Plant</u> extensively damaged in fire and new production destroyed Jonesboro, Arkansas
- 33. 3/17/22 5,347,500 chickens destroyed at egg farm in Buena Vista, Iowa
- 34. 3/17/22 147,600 chickens destroyed at farm in Kent, Delaware
- 35. 3/18/22 315,400 chickens destroyed at egg farm in Cecil, Maryland
- 36. 3/22/22 172,000 Turkeys destroyed on farms in South Dakota
- 37. 3/22/22 570,000 chickens destroyed at farm in Butler, Nebraska
- 38. 3/24/22 Fire fighters from numerous towns are battling a major fire at the <u>McCrum potato</u> <u>processing facility</u> in Belfast.
- 39. 3/24/22 418,500 chickens destroyed at farm in Butler, Nebraska
- 40. 3/25/22 250,300 chickens destroyed at egg farm in Franklin, Iowa
- 41. 3/26/22 311,000 Turkeys destroyed in Minnesota
- 42. 3/27/22 126,300 Turkeys destroyed in South Dakota
- 43. 3/28/22 1,460,000 chickens destroyed at egg farm in Guthrie, Iowa
- 44. 3/29/22 A massive fire burned 40,000 pounds of food meant to feed people in a <u>food desert near</u> <u>Maricopa</u>
- 45. 3/31/22 A structure fire caused significant damage to a large portion of key <u>fresh onion packing</u> <u>facilities</u> in south Texas
- 46. 3/31/22 76,400 Turkeys destroyed in Osceola, Iowa
- 47. 3/31/22 5,011,700 chickens destroyed at egg farm in Osceola, Iowa
- 48. 4/6/22 281,600 chickens destroyed at farm in Wayne, North Carolina
- 49. 4/9/22 76,400 Turkeys destroyed in Minnesota
- 50. 4/9/22 208,900 Turkeys destroyed in Minnesota
- 51. 4/12/22 89,700 chickens destroyed at farm in Wayne, North Carolina
- 52. 4/12/22 1,746,900 chickens destroyed at egg farm in Dixon, Nebraska
- 53. 4/12/22 259,000 chickens destroyed at farm in Minnesota
- 54. 4/13/22 fire destroys East Conway Beef & Pork Meat Market in Conway, New Hampshire
- 55. 4/13/22 Plane crashes into Gem State Processing, Idaho potato and food processing plant
- 56. 4/13/22 77,000 Turkeys destroyed in Minnesota
- 57. 4/14/22 Taylor Farms Food Processing plant burns down Salinas, California.
- 58. 4/14/22 99,600 Turkeys destroyed in Minnesota
- 59. 4/15/22 1,380,500 chickens destroyed at egg farm in Lancaster, Minnesota
- 60. 4/19/22 Azure Standard nation's premier independent <u>distributor of organic and healthy food</u>, was destroyed by fire in Dufur, Oregon

- 61. 4/19/22 339,000 Turkeys destroyed in Minnesota
- 62. 4/19/22 58,000 chickens destroyed at farm in Montrose, Color
- 63. 4/20/22 2,000,000 chickens destroyed at egg farm in Minnesota
- 64. 4/21/22 A small plane crashed in the lot of a General Mills plant in Georgia
- 65. 4/22/22 197,000 Turkeys destroyed in Minnesota
- 66. 4/23/22 200,000 Turkeys destroyed in Minnesota
- 67. 4/25/22 1,501,200 chickens destroyed at egg farm Cache, Utah
- 68. 4/26/22 307,400 chickens destroyed at farm Lancaster Pennsylvania
- 69. 4/27/22 2,118,000 chickens destroyed at farm Knox, Nebraska
- 70. 4/28/22 Egg-laying facility in Iowa kills 5.3 million chickens, fires 200-plus workers
- 71, 4/28/22 Allen Harim Foods processing plant killed nearly 2M chickens in Delaware
- 72. 4/2822 110,700 Turkeys destroyed Barron Wisconsin
- 73. 4/29/22 1,366,200 chickens destroyed at farm Weld Colorado
- 74. 4/30/22 13,800 chickens destroyed at farm Sequoia Oklahoma
- 75. 5/3/22 58,000 Turkeys destroyed Barron Wisconsin
- 76. 5/3/22 118,900 Turkeys destroyed Beadle S Dakota
- 77. 5/3/22 114,000 ducks destroyed at Duck farm Berks Pennsylvania
- 78. 5/3/22 118,900 Turkeys destroyed Lyon Minnesota
- 79. 5/7/22 20,100 Turkeys destroyed Barron Wisconsin
- 80, 5/10/22 72,300 chickens destroyed at farm Lancaster Pennsylvania
- 81, 5/10/22 61,000 ducks destroyed at Duck farm Berks Pennsylvania
- 82. 5/10/22 35,100 Turkeys destroyed Muskegon, Michigan
- 83. 5/13/22 10,500 Turkeys destroyed Barron Wisconsin
- 84. 5/14/22 83,400 ducks destroyed at Duck farm Berks Pennsylvania
- 85. 5/17/22 79,00 chickens destroyed at Duck farm Berks Pennsylvania
- 86. 5/18/22 7,200 ducks destroyed at Duck farm Berks Pennsylvania
- 87. 5/19/22 Train carrying limestone derailed Jensen Beach FL
- 88. 5/21/22 57,000 Turkeys destroyed on farm in Dakota Minnesota
- 89. 5/23/22 4,000 ducks destroyed at Duck farm Berks Pennsylvania
- 90. 5/29/22 A Saturday night fire destroyed a poultry building at Forsman Farms
- 91. 5/31/22 3,000,000 chickens destroyed by fire at Forsman facility in Stockholm Township, Minnesota
- 92. 6/2/22 30,000 ducks destroyed at Duck farm Berks Pennsylvania
- 93. 6/7/22 A fire occurred Tuesday evening at the JBS meat packing plant in Green Bay.
- 94. 6/8/22 Firefighters from Tangipahoa Fire District 1 respond to a fire at the Purina Feed Mill in Arcola
- 95. 6/9/22 Irrigation water was canceled in California (the #1 producer of food in the US) and storage water flushed directly out to the delta.
- 96. 6/12/22 Largest Pork Company in the US Shuts Down California Plant Due to High Costs
- 97. 6/13/22 Fire Breaks Out at a Food Processing Plant West of Waupaca County in Wisconsin



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