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Nationwide Current and Forecasted Category and Supplier Disruptions - November 16, 2020

Amid COVID-19, we will continue to inform our customers of specific category disruptions for high-demand products. Below is a list of disruptions primarily caused by current or forecasted supplier shortages due to import challenges or an allocation process shift. We will continue to provide these updates.

Category	Supplier/ Products	No change from previous week	Status/Contingency Plan
Beef	TYSON / CARGILL / JBS / NTL BF	No Change	With the changing season ahead and COVID/FLU increases, the beef cattle industry is beginning to announce 'labor intensive' item shortages. Please lookout for substitutions starting to happen and understand that we are doing all that we can to find opportunities for the best substitutions.
Beverage	Pepsi Co	No Change	Pepsi Co is starting a short term allocation ordering process on Tropicana Ambient items until Dec 26. PepsiCo has decided to temporarily suspend production of their cranberry and grapefruit juices. They also are expecting challenges with their 10 oz PET Apple and Orange juice items (1605617 & 1606490). Please use Ruby Kist or Sahara Burst as substitutes. Pepsi Co continues to discontinue 2 10 oz Tropicana items SUPC 1605641 and 1605658 until further notice. Please use 5964040 and 6430690 for substitutes.
	Naked Juice	No Change	Naked Juice will continue to suspend the following items. SUPC 1175328 JUICE TROPICAL PROBIOTICS SUPC 7012195 JUICE DRINK BRIGHT BEETS SUPC 7096327 NJSMT 15.2oz 8CS LIVELY GREENS HALF SUPC 7096329 NJJCE 15.2oz 8CS WATERMELON PSN FRT Effective immediately the item below will be permanently discontinued: 7575717 JUICE DRINK POMEGRNT BLBRY
	Oceanspray	No Change	Increased demand and COVID challenges have caused a continued shortage for Oceanspray 4oz Hassia orange/apple/cranberry juices that will last through December. Please use 125 ml skus of like flavors or you can also use Sahara Burst items as a substitute. In addition, Campbells 46 oz Tomato juice SUPC 4081584 will see shortages for the next week or so. Please use Sahara Burst SUPC 4663407 as a substitute. The 32 oz and 60 oz juices are continuing to get back to normal inventory levels.
	Dole Pineapple Juice	Updated	Dole Pineapple juice is experiencing low availability of raw materials, resulting in shortages. Recovery is anticipated into January.
	Dr. Pepper Snapple	No Change	Crush and Stewarts products have improved in their inventory, IBC premium glass products remain a challenge. Below items still affected: 10087201 IBC Diet Root Beer 4X624Glass 990554210087191 IBC Cream Soda 4X624Glass 990569410087190 IBC Root Beer 4X624Glass 701409610087194 IBC Cherry Limeade 24Glass 4354548
	Hormel Solutions/ Nutritious Juice Drink	Updated	This item is now back in stock - 4095279
	Coca-Cola	No Change	Majority of the shortages driven by the global can shortage for the 12 oz core/traditional Coca Cola, Sprite, and Dasani Water is resulting in out of stock situations that will continue throughout 2020.
Canned / Dry	Smucker's Uncrustables	No Change	Smucker's Uncrustables continues to have high demand on Uncrustable items due to the impacts of COVID and the strong need for individually wrapped items for school and emergency feeding purposes. As a direct result there will continue to be product shortages causing Smuckers Uncrustables to extend product allocations through December.
	Bulk Sugar Various Suppliers	Updated	Various suppliers have put bulk sugar on allocation for the remainder of 2020. Sysco branded Domino products continues to have availability.
	Treehouse Casa Solana Mexican Sauces	No Change	Treehouse has announced that they are putting their Casa Colana Mexican Sauces on allocation until January due to COVID challenges and increased demand. We are working very closely with this supplier. Please use the below SUPCs as alternatives. 5115050; 5552161; 7560410; 4920203; 4274833; 6343123; 6343164
	Dried Lima Beans Fordhook/Seneca	Updated	Due to poor yields, Seneca has announced that the below SUPC will experience out of stock issues with a recovery of late November. SUPC 4068508, BEAN LIMA LARGE DRIED, SYS CLS, 1/20LB Please use 1440270, 3907201 and 3959129 as best substitutes available.
	Smuckers 18 oz Fruit Spread Jars	No Change	Smucker's will be experiencing shortages on their retail sized Fruit Spread through the end of the year due to raw material shortage.
	Apple Sauce Knouse Foods	Updated	Due to COVID and extremely high demand nationally for Applesauce, Knouse Foods is experiencing issues keeping orders filled on portion pack Applesauce cups. Knouse Foods has elected to temporarily curtail production on their flavored cups in an effort to maximize production efficiencies and focus their production only on items of the highest demand. Please reach out to your sales representative for a full list of replacement sub items.
	Oil Industry	No Change	The USDA has decreased the amount of crush for soybeans two months in a row. Poor crop conditions in South America are leading to increased exports of US soybeans, which decreases the available crush for beans to make oil as well. Canola seed is still being exported to China and we are still looking at very tight Canola oil availability. As we move toward winter we will be monitoring Canada's historical data. The biggest challenges are always logistical, when heavy snow hits. We are working closely with all of our suppliers as our tight situation gets tighter.

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Canned / Dry	Cooking Spray ConAgra	No Change	Conagra is having difficulty producing PAM cooking spray items through the end of the year. We are working very closely with this supplier and others to provide other alternatives and solutions. Please use Bunge and JM Smucker as suitable subs. Below additional SUPC information for these items. Bunge - SUPC: 6813606 E-Z Coat All Purpose, 793798 E-Z Coat High Heat, 0043226 E-Z Coat Butter Flavor Canola JM Smucker - SUPC: 0208991 Crisco Professional, All Purpose, 4809489 Crisco Butter Spray
	Vanilla Wafer 12 Pack	No Change	SUPC 3267655 Sysco Classic Vanilla Wafers 6/13.3oz is out of stock until the end of the year. SUPC 4008314 Sysco Classic Vanilla Wafer's 6/13oz is available as a substitute in the interim.
	Mitsui - Arrezio Roasted Peppers	Updated	Arrezio Imperial roasted red peppers SUPC 7950041 and 6042113 are currently out of stock with recovery expected later this week.
	Dole Pineapple Slices & Tidbits	Updated	Extreme drought in Thailand and a 4 week late winter crop start due to various industry challenges, has impacted supply resulting in the production of only half the typical volume Thailand produces. This is affecting #10 cans and cups/bowls. Sysco is currently out of stock on the #10 Sysco sliced pineapple. Recovery is expected in December. Any fruit cup/bowl with pineapple will be tight. Additionally, Dole is experiencing shortages on various Pineapple 20z cans with recovery estimated for December 2020
	Del Monte Diced Pears	Updated	Del Monte Foodservice is experiencing intermittent out of stock conditions on the following item: 7038397 PEAR DICED IN JUICE Available substitutes include: 7038394 PEAR DICED IN SYRUP ELS 7038398 PEAR SLICED IN JUICE
	ConAgra Peanut Butter	No Change	ConAgra is placing Peter Pan Peanut Butter items will be continue to be on allocation until January 24th. The affected SUPC's are: 2718719 PETER PAN CREAMY 12/16.3Z; substitute 3318498 HSRCLLS Peanut Butter Creamy 6454912 PETER PAN CREAMY 6/96Z; substitute 9732967 SYS CLS Peanut Butter Creamy PET 2426488 PETER PAN CRUNCHY 12/16.3Z; no like item available for substitution 2455042 PETER PAN NATURAL CREAMY 12/16.3Z; substitute 3318498 HSRCLLS Peanut Butter Creamy 7032379 PETER PAN CREAMY WHIPPED 12/13Z; no like item available for substitution 0410551 JHS PEANUT BUTTER TOPPING 3CT CANISTER; no like item available for substitution
	Portion Control Items	No Change	There are challenges with many portion control (PC) items due to increased demand. Shortages are occurring with PCs due to an increase in to-go orders and a reluctance to place condiment bottles on tables. Sysco is working very closely with suppliers to increase fill rates.
	Heinz / Cups/ Coffee / Dressings & Other Sauces	No Change	Due to COVID impacts, Heinz will be focusing on only certain products and have made the decision to discontinue various products among cups, coffee, dressings & other sauces. Please reach out to your sales representative for a full list of replacement sub items.
	Mondelez International Crackers & Cookies	No Change	We have been informed that various crackers and cookies such as American classic, Oreos, nilla wafers and nutter butters will experience temporary shortages throughout the end of the year.
	McCall Farms Mashed Yams	Updated	Due to availability of raw materials, McCall Farms is discontinuing the #10 Mashed Yam SUPC: 4109062. SUPC 4656789 can be used as a replacement.
	Campbells	Updated	Campbells continues to receive unprecedented demand for its single-serve 7.25oz. canned soups, notably from healthcare-oriented operators. As the supplier expects shorts and out-of-stocks to continue for these products, they recommend their Pacific Foods division as suitable substitutes. The Pacific Foods products are shelf-stable, aseptic-packed format. Campbells has announced various out of stock items on retail-size soup cans and microwavable bowls. They plan to also temporarily and permanently discontinue various items as well. Please work with your sales representative for a full list of affected items along with their sub. The below items are expected to see periodic shortages throughout November: SUPCs: 1348236 SYS IMPERIAL Loaded Baked Potato - SUB 4897318 1348186 SYS IMPERIAL, GLDN BROCC, CHS 4LB 4CA 1348244 SYS IMPERIAL, CRAB & CRN, CHWD 4LB 4CA 1348212, SYS IMPERIAL CKN & DUMPLING 4LB 4CA
	McCormick	No Change	McCormick is experiencing a production issue with their Frank's RedHot portion control packet SUPC 1171012 and it will likely be unavailable until January or February 2021. Please use 4884995 or 4335024 as substitutes. McCormick is also experiencing inventory issues on the additional items with recovery dates included. Old Bay Seasoning is still not fully recovered and expected to still experience shorts. French's classic yellow mustard packets are now available in the 500 ct case pack but the 200 count will not be produced until further notice, Frank's red hot sauce 5 oz bottle is still not recovered (Please use 12 oz bottle as sub). Lawry's seasoned salt is recovering and expected to show availability this week.
	Mizkan Vinegars	Updated	Mizkan is facing difficulties in keeping up with the demand on vinegars. Currently, fill rates are being met, but production is at capacity. Sysco is working with Mizkan to get an additional plant approved which will help with capacity.
	Mondelēz Int'l Cookies and Crackers	No Change	Mondelēz Int'l Inc. will be experiencing temporary shortages on a variety of cookie and cracker items for a period of time. Below is the list of SUPCs that are experiencing supply constraints and product substitutions. Expected full recovery by the new year. 3624673, 4008215, 3656998, 0654592, 0654592, 4341986, 5082789, 5087994, 3624673
	Chef Boyardee Allocations	No Change	To provide a more consistent flow of product, the allocation on Chef Boyardee will be extended through December 28th. The impacted skus are all single-serve Chef Boyardee cans and microwavable bowls.
Clown Gysin Marshmallows	No Change	Clown Gysin is having delays in production for 2 marshmallow items. They have increased their production schedule but due to delays in receiving raw materials, we may see shortages for 1-2 weeks. ITEM: 4080966 1/2 1 LB SYS CLS MARSHMALLOW MINI WHITE ITEM: 4101481 12/ 1 LB SYS CLS S MARSHMALLOW LARGE WHITE	
Fruit Cups	No Change	Industry wide shortages on portion size cut fruit and sauce cups are driven by increased demand. All suppliers are currently increasing production and recovery time will depend on raw material. There is limited availability on some items while others are in stock. 4oz and 4.5oz items have seen a greater impact.	

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Chemical	Ecolab Spray bottle	No Change	Ecolab FSS has recently experienced supply constraints on the following empty spray bottles 32 oz SUPC: 3438292. An alternative can be SUPC: 8427023 or 6572689
Dairy	Darigold	No Change	To improve levels on all other items, Darigold is continuing to pause production on lower volume items. This will enable dedication of line time to top items and ensure a more rapid return. Production on the below items will be suspended: SUPC 8722712 - SUB SUPC 6557682 Cream heavy whip 40% SUPC 7995020 - SUB SUPC 7347729 .5 gal choc milk SUPC 1411929 - SUB SUPC 7098292 14 oz choc milk
	Nestle - Non-Dairy Creamer	No Change	Nestle continues to experience shortages on the Coffee Mate powder packets due to demand on capacity. The impacted items are: SUPC 5365259 COFATE 20/50CT CREAMER COFFEE NONDAIRY PWD PKT LT; Substitute SUPC 3677374 COFMATE 12/11oz CREAMER COFFEE CANSTR LITE SUPC 4053468 COFMATE 20/50CT CREAMER COFFEE NONDAIRY PWD PKT; Substitute SUPC 3676160 COF MAE 12/11oz CREAMER COFFEE CANSTR
	Ice Cream Dryers (Nestle & Hagndaz) / Unilever	No Change	Shortages continue on select novelty items, most recently with Unilever, but overall shortages are beginning to improve. Dreyer's ice cream is anticipating inventory issues on select Nestle and Hagndaz items until mid-December. Best subs for these items are: 3742368, 3548017, 0266991
	Processed Eggs	No Change	Temporary product suspensions are occurring among this category to drive further efficiency.
	Saputo Cheese	No Change	Saputo is still currently experiencing production challenges that may interrupt various products. We are monitoring this situation closely.
	Land O' Lakes Melting loaf products	No Change	Land O' Lakes is currently experiencing production challenges that is impacting their melting loaf products. We are working closely with this supplier.
	Margarine	No Change	Shortages are occurring with Margarine Personal Cups due to an increase in to-go orders and a reluctance to place condiment bottles on tables. Sysco is working very closely with suppliers to increase fill rates. In the interim, item 4560559 Margarine Whip Tub ZTF is a potential substitution. However, this item would require additional labor to portion out the tub. Due to these COVID-related production issues SUPC 4560569 House Recipe Classic Margarine Spread ZTF and 4557767 House Recipe Classic Margarine BTR EURO STY Cup will temporarily be suspended. Production will be focused on the highest volume Sysco Brand portion control cup SUPC 4546949 House Recipe Classic Margarine Spread ZTF 900/5GM. Ventura Foods is having multiple issues with inbound freight and production due to labor issues. This is impacting their ability to produce margarine from Birmingham, AL. Many items are being shorted, largely going into the NE and SE RDCs.
Disposables	Cascades - Dinner Napkins	No Change	Sysco Classic 15X17 dinner napkin SUPC 4466682 is now discontinued. Sysco brand equivalent alternatives are SUPC 4458513 by Georgia Pacific and SUPC 5917770 by Essity. Sysco Classic tall fold napkin SUPC4467674 and low fold SUPC4467682 is discontinued. Please use SUPC 1582400 as a substitute for southeast and Midwest markets.
	Pactiv	No Change	Shortages on takeout items such as cutlery kits, foam containers and school lunch trays. We are currently working with this supplier to bring forward future contingency plans for all of these items. See previous communications for details.
	DART Container	Updated	Dart Container is experiencing sporadic supply interruptions on Cutlery Kit SUPC 6290676 we are working closely with this supplier to provide a future estimated recovery date.
	Pactiv	No Change	Pactiv will no longer support the following Pactiv branded foam takeout containers to Sysco effective immediately in order to dedicate more production to Sysco brand core assortment alternatives. Please reference suggested alternative. 7548922 150 8X8X3 PACTIV CONTAINER FOAM HNG 3C DBLTAB - Discontinued 7548932 150 9X9X3 PACTIV CONTAINER FOAM HNG 3C DBL TAB - Discontinued 7548946 150 8X8X3 SYS CLS CONTAINER FOAM HNG 3C DBL TAB - Replacement 7551324 150 9X9X3 SYS CLS CONTAINER FOAM HNG 3C DBL TAB - Replacement
	Georgia Pacific / Inno-Pak Sanitizing Bucket	No Change	Due to inventory challenges on the Complete 360 sanitizing bucket SUPC 5073157 and wiper refills SUPC5073182, a suggested option is another sanitizing bucket by InnoPak SUPC7138849 and a Chicopee wiper refill SUPC 7143153 that will fit in the InnoPak bucket.
	DuroBag Paper Shopper Bags	No Change	Demand continues to be extremely high for paper shopping bags. InnoPak & Gallimore Paper Shopper Bags remains a good substitute. Please check with your sales representative for a full list of substitute SUPCs.
	IFC Disposables - Trenz Lemon Scent Towelette	No Change	Sysco Trenz lemon scented towelette SUPC 2239107 is now out of stock again, effective immediately, with a recovery of mid December. Please use items Trenz 0834697 and Sysco Reliance 0834663 as suggested alternatives.
	Plastic T-shirt bags	No Change	The below plastic t-shirt bag items are experiencing shortages at certain markets only until mid-late November. Please reference suggested subs. 7065842 BAG PLAS TSHRT 11.5X6.5X20 TKU SYS REL 1/750 CT 7065853 BAG PLAS TSHRT SQR BOTTOM TTO SYS CLS 1/250 CT 7065868 BAG PLAS WAVE TOP 20X18X10 TTO SYS CLS 1/250 CT 7110319 BAG PLAS TSHRT 13X8X23 TTO SYS CLS 1/500 CT Suggested SUBS: 7065852 BAG PLAS TSHRT 11.5X6.5X21 TKU SYS CLS 7065863 BAG PLAS DIECUT SQU BOTOM TTO SYS CLS 7065866 BAG PLAS DIECUT HNDL 12.5X8X23 SYSTRNZ

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Disposables - Healthcare	Handguards - Gloves	No Change	Current demand is at an all-time high and supply continues to be limited, particularly for Nitrile and Vinyl Gloves. There will be shortages and allocations as the category and supply chain teams are working with suppliers to ensure a balanced approach is being taken regarding the order fill process. Additionally, Sysco has already taken several large increases and has been notified of more increases over the next few months which will be reflected in increased pricing to customers. Industry analysts project demand for disposable gloves to be 3 to 4 times global capacity with full supply chain recovery taking up to a year or longer. Contributors to the imbalance between demand and supply tied to COVID-19 include: the prior Extended Chinese New Year (factory shutdowns), simultaneous increase in demand globally due to COVID, factories running at capacity, raw material shortages, government labor restrictions, logistical interruptions, export restrictions, packaging shortages, and citizen movement control orders.
	Aryzta/Otis Spunkmeyer - Muffins	No Change	Various Spunkmeyer muffins have announced a temporary production pauses. Please use Sysco Brand and Chef Pierre as substitutes for now.
Frozen	CN & Imperial Frozen Foods: Frozen Vegetables	No Change	Frozen vegetable product shortages are still occurring particularly with vegetable blends and broccoli florets from CN and Imperial Frozen Foods.
	Dole Frozen Fruit	No Change	Dole has announced that they will experience on going shortages on various frozen fruit items such as strawberries, pineapple, sliced bananas, mango chunks and cranberries. We will continue to work closely with this supplier as they have various contingency plans to mitigate the lack of product availability.
	Muffins & Croissants All Suppliers	No Change	We continue to see industry wide constraint on these items. Sysco branded inventory is a good alternative.
	Gold Standard Baking Croissants	Updated	Gold Standard Baking has provided an update regarding ongoing shortages and challenges with meeting demand. Although Sysco has observed a marked improvement in weekly production reports, this supplier continues to struggle with various shortages among croissant items. We will continue to work very closely with this supplier and provide continued updates.
	Sara Lee	Updated	Sara Lee is continuing to ramp up production for the increased demand. However, there are still shortages on a number of frozen bakery items. The expected recovery dates are from late November to early December. Please reach out to your sales representative for a full list of replacement sub items.
	Tyson Jimmy Dean Breakfast Frozen Sandwiches	No Change	Tyson has announced they have put various frozen Jimmy Dean breakfast sandwiches on an increased allocation process. Specific supcs are included below: 8341623, 0933218, 0933267, 0933382, 3091917,8421786, 3673609, 8341184, 8341618, 138786, 281465, 3689510
	Schwan's	Updated	The Eggroll supply outlook degraded due to actual demand exceeding forecasts and the operating challenges COVID continues to present. In early 2021, Schwan's has a capital project that will incrementally add to existing capacity, while they continue to manage and mitigate impacts to supply due to the current challenges. Schwan's has announced they will be discontinuing various Sheeted Dough products. Balancing of inventory across warehouses is in progress and will alleviate a significant amount of these shortages. Substituting inventory will also alleviate shortages as inventory is combined and sales of equivalent items are concentration into a single item. Please use Arrezzio or Rich's as substitutes. Additionally, K-12 4x6 Pizza supply degraded as sales exceeded forecast on several items. Schwan's has prioritized items for production in order to recover sooner. Schwan's is prioritizing their largest volume products nationally in order to facilitate recovery. In some situations, this may result in a reduction of the SKU selection for a period of time.
	ConAgra Pizza	No Change	ConAgra is experiencing stronger than expected demand for the Maz 5" Pepperoni bulk pizza item. There will be spot shortages for the next 3-4 weeks. Additional production is planned and expect to have product fully available on November 20th. SUPC: 4544201. Please substitute with item 4414454 during the time being.
	J & J Snack Food Pretzels	No Change	J&J Snack Food has announced that due to various COVID challenges, the below pretzel items will experience impacts on availability until mid-late November. 7475858 Gourmet Pretzel roll 4 oz 4675584 Authentic Bavarian Soft Pretzel 10 oz
	Ajinomto Foods	Updated	Ajinomoto Foods announced a number of items will be impacted by a prolonged shortage due to production suspension. Currently, the expected recovery date is sometime in 2021. Please reach out to your sales representative for a full list of replacement sub items.
	Lamb Weston - Hash Browns	No Change	The following shortages are still occurring for Lamb Weston SUPC 2176188 6 3LB P POTATO H/BRN IQF PRIV RESV SUPC 1257734 12 20CT P POTATO H/BRN SIDE O BRWN 2.25Z SUPC 4050365 6 3.5 P POTATO H/BRN FAST BRN 2.5OZ. SUPC 7029016 2.5 LB LAMB P POTATO DICED RSMARY GRCL RDSKN These items are stressed due to increased demand of breakfast items. These products can only be produced on certain production lines which are currently running at capacity. Both of Sysco's frozen potato supplier partners, McCain and Simplot, have capacity to absorb these shortages. Because sub items may be different based on locale, and item availability may vary, please work with your Sysco representative for suitable substitutions.
Pork	Sugardale Bacon	No Change	Effective immediately, production on SYS CLS SUPC 5855438 will be temporarily suspended until January 1. The recommended replacement is SYS CLS SUPC 2536555
	Hatfield/Clemens Bacon	No Change	Clemens will be allocating various bacon items until further notice. Suggested Sysco brand SUPC replacements are listed below. 5757184 1073402 5886579 5886393 5886579 3134838 5757162
	Tenderloins All Suppliers	No Change	We will be watching this category closely as suppliers have reached their capacity in producing this item.

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Pork	Backribs & Spareribs Smithfield, Tyson, Hormel, Clemens	No Change	Spareribs, Backribs and St. Louis ribs suppliers are low due to continued labor constraints. Clemens has suspended production of backribs for weekly orders for the remainder of the year. St. Louis ribs from Clemens will be on allocation through the end of the year. Please use Butcher's Block or Farmington Foods as additional alternatives.
	Bone-out Ham	No Change	We may see shortages occur among bone-out ham as labor continues to be a struggle. Smithfield/Farmland has discontinued various items, please work with your sales representative for subs.
	Hormel Canadian Bacon	No Change	Due to COVID challenges, effective immediately production on Hormel Canadian Bacon SUPC 3892445 will be temporarily suspended until further notice. The recommended replacements are listed below. SUPC 7217409 Rose 2 LB Canadian Bacon SUPC1604099 SYS IMP 3.5 LB Canadian Bacon
	Hormel / Smithfield Pepperoni	No Change	Various pepperoni slices are currently being shorted, please use Arrezzio subs as substitutes (2368769, 2544831, 5218278)
	Tyson - Arrezzio Pizza Topping	No Change	Production has been suspended until further notice on Arrezzio Classic pizza topping SUPC: 2368918
	Tyson - Sausage (Includes Jimmy Dean)	No Change	Due to continued labor constraints caused by COVID-19, Tyson announced they will be allocating a number of Sausage items (includes Jimmy Dean). While this situation is fluid, Tyson will continue to monitor inventory and communicate any change to this plan.
Conagra - Select Tennessee Pride	No Change	Effective immediately, Conagra is unable to produce the below items until January 3 due to labor constraints caused by COVID-19: SUPC 1294008 TN PRIDE SAUSAGE & ROLL PRCK 10OZ SUPC 1618388 TN PRIDE SAUSAGE CRUMBLE PORK PRECOOK ED; Substitute with 2368777 AREZCLS TOPPING PIZZA SSG CRML 54OZ SUPC 1836097 TN PRIDE GRAVY SAUSAGE PREM CONC PCH; Substitute with 0682542 GRAVY SAUSAGE CNTRY RTU	

Poultry	Processed Chicken	No Change	The processed chicken industry is improving but still experiencing labor challenges and high demand of products throughout the industry.
	Tyson Foods Nuggets, Tenders, Patties & Wing	Updated	Tyson Foods is temporarily ceasing production on 5 Chicken items. Reason for the disruption is due to a facility structural problem that would have caused an unsafe environment for employees to work in. Estimated down time currently is 8 weeks (end of the year) but could change depending on construction crew repair time. Please reference the below impacted items and their suggested alternative: 8412882 CHICKEN BRST NUG FRT CRSPY NAE; SUB 8412780 CHICKEN BRST BTRD NUG 8416915 CHICKEN TNDR BRD GLDN NAE; SUB 8415362 CHICKEN TNDR FRTR GLDN RTC SEL 8416905 CHICKEN TNDR BRD HMST SEL NAE; SUB 8415354 CHICKEN TNDR FRTR HMST SEL NAE 8600003 CHICKEN BRST PTY RTC HOT&SPI; SUB 8378121 CHICKEN BRST BRD SPCY SEL NAE 8438107 CHICKEN BRD PTY RAW 3.2OZ; SUB 8415172 CHICKEN BRST FL BD/GLD RTC SEL The following item will also be unavailable until mid-end November due to breeding challenges: 9613233 Spicy Breaded Wing
	La Nova Bone-In Wings	Updated	La Nova continues to struggle filling orders on their precooked wings. They have temporarily suspended production on their Italian (6801021) and BBQ (4671174) bone-in wings. Boneless wings are business as usual.
	Renaissance Man Foods Grilled Chicken Breast	Updated	Production issues caused by a shortage of ingredients used to produce this item has caused a temporary shortage until week of 11/16. 7034384 40/ 4 OZ SYS CLS CHICKEN BRST GRILL PCK MBE 1647353 Fajita Strip Suggested substitute items: 8666214 40/ 4 OZ SYS CLS CHICKEN BRST GRL MRK PCK 9555772 40/ 4 OZ TYSON CHICKEN BRST FIL GRL FLVR
	Butterball Turkey Breast	Updated	Butterball is expecting shortages to be possible through the rest of the year but issue will be week to week. 6642718 Butterball Turkey BRST Roast and Serve 2378313 Butterball Turkey BRST Smoked SKON 0160271 Butterball Turkey BRST Log SMKD RED SOD 6907018
	Hormel Sliced Turkey Deli	No Change	Heavy demand on sliced turkey breast items along with labor challenges are causing production issues until mid-December on the items below. 2477081, 5026085, 5034212, 8351106
	Whole Bird Turkey	No Change	Hens are seeing shortage challenges as the turkey whole bird season is now in full swing.
	Foster Farms Turkey and All Meat Corn Dogs	Updated	Foster Farms is suspending production on various turkey and all meat corn dog products. Subs will be chicken corn dog products as this should help Foster Farms focus on running more efficiently and filling more higher demand products. For a full list of suspended products and their suggested sub, please reach out to your local sales representative.
Koch	Updated	Below shortages occurring among Koch chicken. We will continue to work closely with this supplier. 0593606 Homestyle tender	

Produce	Carrots & Baby Snack Pack	Updated	With the crop in transition, bulk sizes remain difficult to source. Processors are watching for discoloration and woody cores. Snack pack carrots remain in demand exceeding supply.
	Herbs - Parsley	Updated	The markets on parsley remain challenged due to quality issues caused by the heat. Conditions on cilantro and Italian parsley continue to improve.
	Lettuce - Iceberg, Leaf & Romaine	Updated	Supplies on all romaine, green leaf and iceberg are limited due to ongoing quality issues coupled with strong demand. Supplies will be affected through the remainder of November.
	Green Beans	Updated	Supplies are light in the East. Cooler weather in the West will slow production and affect supplies out of Coachella and Nogales.
	Limes	Updated	Rain has affected the harvest resulting in lighter crossings. Supplies are limited.
Strawberries	Updated	There is crop damage on fruit in California due to rain followed by freezing temperatures. Salinas and Watsonville are waning and should finish within the week. Product quality is fair at best. Mexico is off to a slow start. November is expected to be challenging overall. Florida is expected to start in early December.	

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Produce	Peppers - Red & Yellow	Updated	Red and yellow bell pepper supplies are short. Mini hot house peppers are in a demand exceeds supply situation, but is expected to improve over the next week.
	Mushrooms	No Change	Expect to see limited supplies until the end of the year on all varieties due to strong demand coupled with several crop failures.
	Tomatoes	Updated	Due to tropical storms, availability will be significantly reduced. Demand is exceeding supply for Heirloom Tomatoes.
	Broccoli & Cauliflower	Updated	Supplies are lighter and there is strong demand as the transition begins. Broccoli quality is poor with decay, discoloration, mechanical damage, and hollow core. Cauliflower quality is fair to good as cooler weather slows the harvest.

Seafood	Domestic & Imported Shrimp: All Sizes	Updated	Boats in Texas are still harvesting Brown shrimp but the catches have slowed down considerably. Larger sizes of brown headless shrimp (especially U-12 and 10-15) are very limited. Products will be on allocation subject to availability. Whites are viable substitutes if possible. There are no changes in the white shrimp markets as the catches are still looking healthy and robust. While the boats in Louisiana are busy harvesting shrimp from the inshore fishery to make peeled shrimp, a majority of the landings are still concentrated between 31-35s to 71-90s count. The shortages of small PUDs sizes 90-110s and smaller are expected to persist until Spring 2021. Internationally, COVID-19 is impacting the imported shrimp industry in Asia. Factories are not running at full capacity due to lack of workers. Additionally, containers have been late to ship due to vessel shortages. Supply interruptions will still continue be intermittent until the end of the year. Please reach out to your local sales representative for a full list of affected Portico items and their suggested subs. Headless shrimp have remained relatively stable on the whites headless. Tropical Storm Zeta did not impact the shrimping activities in the Gulf of Mexico that much as it was a fast moving storm. All shrimping activities have resumed since then.
	Tampa Maid/Portico Classic Breaded Shrimp	No Change	Due to an unexpected logistical hurdle, SUPC 4745338 4/3 LB PORTCLS SHRIMP BRD BFLY CLTL 12/15 will be shorted for the next 6-10 weeks. Please use the below as substitutes. Substitute: 4745321 4/3 LB PORTCLS SHRIMP BRD BFLY CLTL 10/12 Alternative: 3847951 4/3 LB ADVANG SHRIMP BFLY BRD U15
	Catfish	No Change	Domestic production continues to suffer from reduced labor. There is limited number of people to process the fish causing the smaller sizes (3-5oz and 5-7oz) to be most affected along with splits and specialty cuts. Most of the catfish plants are still operating at 45-60% capacity. Please use 2-3 oz and 7-9 oz portions as substitutes or imported catfish from Beaver Street and Great American Seafood SUPCS: 2549723, 3383009, 3383092, 3363775, 3363781, 7046330
	Calamari	No Change	Supplies are tight due to a poor harvest and COVID challenges among other countries, product shortages are occurring. Please use Portico imported calamari as substitutes.
	Mahi Mahi Portico Classic 8 oz portions	Updated	The new mahi-mahi season began in Ecuador and Peru with more than 50% of the fish landed being 1-4lb, which is ideal for 3-4oz portions. There are limited supply available for the 7-9oz Portico Classic mahi portions due to inventory from the 2020 season being depleted, along with the replacement from 2021 season has yet to be harvested and processed. The ETA for the product to be available in Portico brand is end of December 2020. In the mean time, please substitute Alfa Packer Brand: SKU / 3448307 MAHI MAHI PRTN BLSL 8OZ
	North Atlantic Lobster / Lobster Tails	No Change	With less labor due to COVID-19, the production capacity has been greatly reduced. There is not any 2-3 oz tails due to the increase in the minimum size of the lobster. Whole cooked and whole raw are being exported to China and Europe. The most difficult item to pack is lobster meat because it is all done by hand. Lobster meat items may be placed on allocation in the coming weeks. All of the 6-7oz and bigger lobster tails were sold off live - they were not packed due to the questions surrounding foodservice. Big tails will not be packed until December during the Nova Scotia season.
	Wild Salmon	No Change	Keta salmon supplies this year will be short. Production is down 60% and is well below the 5 year seasonal average. Shortages are expected for product in all sizes. Sysco is working to acquire additional product outside of Alaska, but product production has been tight. Farmed salmon (fresh & frozen) inventories are normal.
	Tilapia	Updated	There have been supply constraints over the past couple of weeks. However, supply is improving and is expected to recover over the next several weeks.
	Great American - Tilapia	No Change	SUPC 8024758 and 0496651 will be out of stock at all Great-American aligned opcos and the ETA is not determined. Please use Fishin' Co as substitute or item 3363631 from Great American.
	Canned Clam Juice	No Change	Clam juice production continues to struggle as demand for canned clams remains low. However, production has recently increased as the winter months approach which could generate a better supply of the juice. Use Sea Watch SUPC 7115053 as an alternative in the event of a shortage.
	Scallops	No Change	Landings from the 2020 harvest are much lower than previous years. The bulk of 2020 has concluded and scallop meat is trending smaller this year. Approximately 40% of the landed meats are 10/20 count and smaller. Demand is continuing to increase as more restaurants open up. Peruvian scallops are available and are a viable alternative for the domestic product.
	Canadian Snow Crab	No Change	The fishing season is over and there is very little inventory available. The Alaskan season will start soon and could offer some relief in early 2021.

There may be shortages of specific products in certain markets depending on a local situation related to supply or inventory management in these turbulent times.