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Some Ritz Crackers Recalled For Possible Salmonella Threat

The East Hanover-based company issued a recall of 16 different types of Ritz crackers over possible contamination.

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EAST HANOVER, NJ — If you have a box of Ritz crackers in your pantry, you might want to check the UPC number: Mondelez Global LLC has issued a recall of 16 different types of crackers over the possibility they are contaminated with salmonella.

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The East Hanover-based company says the whey power used to make the crackers could be contaminated with salmonella. No one has gotten sick so far, the company says, and the recall is based on information provided by the whey manufacture. **(See a full list of recalled products below).**

Anyone who has any of the affected products should not eat them, and should throw them away. For more information, you can call the company at 1-844-366-1171. Salmonella can cause fever, vomiting, diarrhea, and, in more serious cases, arterial infections, arthritis, and death.

Here is a full list of the recalled products:

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Mondelēz Global LLC Conducts Voluntary Recall of Certain Ritz Cracker Sandwiches and Ritz Bits Product in the U.S., including Puerto Rico & U.S. Virgin Islands Due to Possible Health Risk

EAST HANOVER, NJ – July 21, 2018 – Mondelēz Global LLC announced today a voluntary recall in the United States, including Puerto Rico & the U.S. Virgin Islands, of certain Ritz Cracker Sandwiches and Ritz Bits product. These products contain whey powder as an ingredient, which the whey powder supplier has recalled due to the potential presence of Salmonella.

Salmonella is a microorganism that can cause serious and sometimes fatal infections in young children, frail or elderly people, and others with weakened immune systems. Healthy persons infected with Salmonella often experience fever, diarrhea (which may be bloody), nausea, vomiting and abdominal pain. In rare circumstances, infection with Salmonella can result in the organism getting into the bloodstream and producing more severe illnesses such as arterial infections (i.e., infected aneurysms), endocarditis and arthritis.

This recall is limited exclusively to the products listed in the grid below, available at retail stores nationwide. No other Mondelēz Global LLC product is included in this recall.

Description	Retail UPC	Best When Used By Dates	Package Image
RITZ BITS CHEESE BIG BAG 3 OZ	0 44000 00677 8	07 MAR 19 thru 13 APR 19	
RITZ BITS CHEESE 1 OZ	0 44000 02025 5	07 MAR 19 thru 13 APR 19	

MIAMI - JULY 1: Ritz crackers are displayed on a store shelf July 1, 2003 in Miami, Florida. Kraft Foods Inc., the nations largest food manufacturer and the maker of Nabisco cookies and crackers, plans to examine the nutrition of its products and take steps to fight obesity and promote health. (Photo by Joe Raedle/Getty Images)

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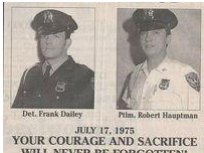
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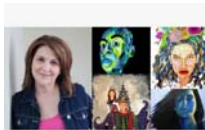
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