

# Massive fireworks market blast kills at least 29 in Mexico

TULTEPEC, Mexico (AP) — A powerful chain-reaction explosion ripped through Mexico's best-known fireworks market on the northern outskirts of the capital Tuesday, killing at least 29 people, injuring scores more and sending a huge plume of charcoal-gray smoke billowing into the sky.

The blast leveled the open-air San Pablo Market in Tultepec in the middle of the afternoon as it bustled with shoppers stocking up on fireworks to celebrate Christmas and New Year's, reducing vendors' stands to piles of rubble, ash, and charred metal. It was the third devastating explosion and fire to ravage the market since 2005.

Crescencia Francisco Garcia said she was in the middle of the grid of stalls along with a few hundred others when the thunderous explosions began. She froze, reflexively looked up at the sky and then took off running through the smoke once she realized everyone was doing so. As she ran she saw people with burns and cuts, and lots of blood.



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**Local residents comb through ashes and rubble at the scorched ground of Mexico's best-known fireworks market after an explosion ripped through it, in Tultepec, Mexico, Tuesday.**

"Everything was catching fire. Everything was exploding," Francisco said. "The stones were flying, pieces of brick, everything was flying."

In comments broadcast on

local TV news, Mexico State Gov. Eruviel Avila reported Tuesday night that in addition to the 26 people who perished at the market, three more victims died after being taken to hospitals. State Health

Secretary Cesar Nomar Gomez Monge said 72 people were being treated for injuries including severe burns, in some cases over 90 percent of their bodies. Those hospitalized included 10 children.

Authorities have not yet said what may have caused the explosion but announced that an investigation had been opened.

"We are going to identify who is responsible," Avila said.

Sirens wailed and a heavy scent of gunpowder lingered in the air well after the explosion at the market, where most of the stalls were destroyed. The smoking, burned out shells of vehicles ringed the perimeter, and first responders and local residents wearing blue masks over their mouths combed through the ash and debris. Firefighters hosed down still-smoldering hotspots.

Tultepec Mayor Armando Portu-guez Fuentes said the market was especially well stocked because demand for noisy firecrackers and rockets soars this time of year.

"We are obviously in the high

season," Portu-guez said. "There was more product than usual because we are a few days away from Christmas, a few days away from New Year's, and those are the days when the products made here are consumed the most."

Cesar Ornelas of Atizapan de Zaragoza was only 10 minutes into shopping with his son and his father when he heard the first explosions. He tried to run, but something knocked him to the ground from behind. He tried several times to get up, unsuccessfully, and ultimately his 15-year-old son Francisco had to drag him out.

"We didn't look back," said Ornelas, who suffered light burns and a large bruise over his left kidney. His white tank top had a fist-size burn on the chest. "We heard how the explosion was kind of going off bit by bit."

"My condolences to the families of those who lost their lives in this accident and my wishes for a quick recovery for the injured," President Enrique Pena Nieto said via Twitter.

## BRIEFLY

### Islamic State claims Christmas market attack

BERLIN (AP) — The Islamic State group claimed responsibility Tuesday for a truck attack on a crowded Berlin Christmas market that German authorities said came right out of the extremist group's playbook, inflicting mass casualties on a soft target fraught with symbolic meaning.

The Monday night attack on the popular market by the Kaiser Wilhelm Memorial Church in the heart of former West Berlin left 12 dead and 48 injured — the first mass casualty attack by Islamic extremists carried out on German soil. German security forces were still hunting for the perpetrator after releasing a man from custody for lack of evidence.

The claim of responsibility carried on the Islamic State group's Amaq news agency described the man seen fleeing from the truck as "a soldier of the Islamic State" who "carried out the attack in response to calls for targeting citizens of the Crusader coalition."

Germany is not involved in anti-IS combat operations, but has Tornado jets and a refueling plane stationed in Turkey in support of the coalition fighting militants in Syria.

The claim of responsibility came not long after German prosecutors said they had released a man picked up near the scene of the attack, initially suspected of driving the truck.

### Turkey and Russia probe slaying of envoy in gallery

ANKARA, Turkey (AP) — Investigators from Turkey and Russia hunted for clues Tuesday in the assassination of Russia's ambassador to Turkey in front of stunned onlookers at a photo exhibition in Ankara.

A team of 18 Russian investigators and foreign ministry officials arrived in Turkey and began inspecting the art gallery where the shooting of Andrei Karlov took place.

Central to the joint Turkish-Russian investigation is whether Mevlut Mert Altintas, a member of Ankara's riot police squad, planned the attack alone.

One senior Turkish government official, who spoke on condition of anonymity because he was not authorized to release details to the press, said it was unlikely Altintas acted alone.

The official said the killing had all the marks of being "fully professional, not a one-man action."

### Obama bans future oil leases in much of Arctic, Atlantic

HONOLULU (AP) — President Barack Obama on Tuesday designated the bulk of U.S.-owned waters in the Arctic Ocean and certain areas in the Atlantic Ocean as indefinitely off limits to

future oil and gas leasing.

The move helps put some finishing touches on Obama's environmental legacy while also testing President-elect Donald Trump's promise to unleash the nation's untapped energy reserves.

The White House announced the actions in conjunction with the government of Canadian Prime Minister Justin Trudeau, which also placed a moratorium on new oil and gas leasing in its Arctic waters, subject to periodic review.

Obama is making use of an arcane provision in a 1953 law to ban offshore leases in the waters permanently. The statute says that "the president of the United States may, from time to time, withdraw from disposition any of the unleased lands of the outer Continental Shelf."

The White House said it's confident the president's order will withstand legal challenge and said the language of the statute provides no authority for subsequent presidents to undo permanent withdrawals.

### FBI sought evidence of intrusions in Clinton emails

NEW YORK (AP) — The FBI said it needed a search warrant for thousands of Hillary Clinton's emails discovered on a computer belonging to former U.S. Rep. Anthony Weiner in part because agents wanted to look for evidence of "intrusions" by people trying to steal classified information, according to court documents made public Tuesday.

The search warrant application, written by an agent whose name was blacked out, was filed Oct. 30, two days after FBI Director James Comey informed Congress that investigators had discovered a new trove of email correspondence that could be pertinent to an investigation he had closed over the summer into Clinton's use of a private server to handle emails she sent and received as secretary of state.

In it, agents laid out their rationale for reopening the probe. They wrote that thousands of emails between Clinton and one of her top aides, Huma Abedin, had been discovered on a Dell laptop used by Weiner, Abedin's estranged husband.

And, based on their previous work in the case, the agents said they had reason to suspect that those emails might contain classified material, possibly including top secret information that could cause "grave damage to national security" if disclosed.

"A complete forensic analysis and review," the agent wrote, "will also allow the FBI to determine if there is any evidence of computer intrusions into the subject laptop, and to determine if classified information was accessed by unauthorized users or transferred to any other unauthorized systems."

## Wednesday Morning

STATION	6 AM	6:30	7 AM	7:30	8 AM	8:30	9 AM	9:30	10 AM	10:30	11 AM	11:30	
FOX	11 KFFX	11 AgDay	Hot/ Cleve.	Good Day Spokane			Paid	Brain	Steve Harvey		Crime Watch Daily		
FOX	KPTV	3 Good Day Oregon at 6	Good Day Oregon				Good Day		The 700 Club		Rachael Ray (N)		
CBS	19 KEPR	2 News	News	CBS This Morning (N)			Harry		The Price Is Right		Young & Restless		
CBS	KOIN	19 KOIN 6 News at 6 a.m.	CBS This Morning (N)				Let's Make a Deal		The Price Is Right		Young & Restless		
NBC	25 KNDU	6 Wake Up Northwest	Today Show Viola Davis, Hillary Scott (N)				Today Show II (N)		Today Show III (N)		Million? Million?		
NBC	KGW	8 KGW News at Sunrise	Today Show Viola Davis, Hillary Scott (N)				Today Show II (N)		Today Show III (N)		Portland Today		
ABC	42 KVEW	4 Northwest	Northwest	Good Morning America (N)			Live! With Kelly (N)		The View		Paid	Middle	
ABC	KATU	5 KATU News Morning	Good Morning America (N)				AM Northwest		The View		Live! With Kelly (N)		
PBS	31 KTNW	Stretch	W.L.Yoga	SplashB.	Jet Gol	Nature Cat	Peg + Cat	D.Tiger	Thomas	Sesame St.	DinoTrain	SplashB.	
PBS	59 OPB	13 Power	Jet Gol	Nature Cat	C.George	D.Tiger	D.Tiger	SplashB.	Sesame St.	DinoTrain	Peg + Cat	SuperWI	Thomas

## AFTERNOON

STATION	12 PM	12:30	1 PM	1:30	2 PM	2:30	3 PM	3:30	4 PM	4:30	5 PM	5:30	
FOX	11 KFFX	11 Paid	Pat. Court	Divorce	Divorce	Judge Mathis	The People's Court		2½Men	Mike&M.	Last Man	Last Man	
FOX	KPTV	3 12 O'Clock News	Wendy Williams			The Dr. Oz Show	TMZ Live!		Judge Judy	Judge Judy	5 O'Clock News		
CBS	19 KEPR	2 NameG.	Bold & B.	The Talk (N)		Let's Make a Deal	Dr. Phil		Judge Judy	Judge Judy	News	News	
CBS	KOIN	19 News	Bold & B.	The Talk (N)		The Doctors	Dr. Phil		KOIN 6 News at 4 p.m.		News	News	
NBC	25 KNDU	6 Wilderness	Voyager	Days of Our Lives		Hot Bench	Hot Bench		Wendy Williams		News	NBC News	
NBC	KGW	8 KGW New	Paid	Days of Our Lives		T.D. Jakes			Ellen DeGeneres		KGW News	KGW News	
NBC	42 KVEW	4 The Chew		General Hospital		The Doctors			Rachael Ray (N)		Minute	Minute	
NBC	KATU	5 The Chew		General Hospital		Harry			Afternoon Live		KATU News @ 4	News	
PBS	31 KTNW	Charlie Rose		Mexican	F&Porter	Stretch	C.George	Speaks	WordGirl	Arthur	Odd Squad	Wild K. 2/2	
PBS	59 OPB	13 Paint	Cooking	Charlie Rose (N)		Nature Cat	Bob Build	Cat/ Hat	Jet Gol	Speaks	WordGirl	Odd Squad	Wild Kratts

## EVENING

STATION	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30
FOX	11 KFFX	11 Modern Family "The Wedding"	Modern "The Long Honey-moon"	2 Broke Girls "And the Piece of Sheet"	2 Broke Girls	Lethal Weapon "Fashion Police"		Star "Pilot"		FOX News First at Ten	:35 Law & Order: Criminal Intent "Purgatory"	:35 Anger Management
FOX	KPTV	3 6 O'Clock News	Family Feud	Family Feud		Lethal Weapon "Fashion Police"		Star "Pilot"		10 O'Clock News	11 O'Clock News	2 Broke Girls
CBS	19 KEPR	2 Action News at 6 p.m.	Inside Edition	The Big Bang "The Copiece Topology"	The Simpsons "Diggs"	Undercover Boss "Build-a-Bear Workshop" (SP) (N)		Undercover Boss "New York & Company" (N)		Code Black "Exodus" (N)	Action News at 11:00 p.m.	:35 Stephen Colbert
CBS	KOIN	19 KOIN Local 6 at 6	Evening News	Extra	Ent. Tonight	Boss "Build-a-Bear Workshop" (SP) (N)		Undercover Boss "New York & Company" (N)		Code Black "Exodus" (N)	KOIN 6 News/ 11	:35 S. Colbert
NBC	25 KNDU	6 Local News	Family Feud	Wheel of Fortune	Jeopardy!	Elf: Buddy's Musical Christmas		Law & Order: Special Victims Unit "Broken Rhymes"		Chicago P.D. "Big Friends, Big Enemies"	Local News	:35 The Tonight Show
NBC	KGW	8 KGW News at 6:00 p.m.		Live at 7	NBC News	Elf: Buddy's Musical Christmas		Law & Order: S.V.U. "Broken Rhymes"		Chicago P.D. "Big Friends, Big Enemies"	KGW News	:35 Tonight at 11
ABC	42 KVEW	4 Extra	Local News at 6:30	Entertainment Tonight	The Insider	The Goldbergs "Breakfast Club"	American Housewife "The Nap"	Modern Family "A Stereotypical Day"	The Real "The Real Move"	Game Changers With Robin Roberts (N)	Local News at 11 :05 Jimmy Kimmel Live	
ABC	KATU	5 KATU News at 6		Jeopardy!	Wheel of Fortune	The Goldbergs	Am.Wife "The Nap"	Modern Family	The Real "O'Neals"	Game Changers With Robin Roberts (N)	KATU News	:35 Jimmy Kimmel
PBS	31 KTNW		PBS NewsHour	BBC World News	WealthT-rack	Nature "Snow Chick"		Nova "Secrets of Noah's Ark"		Secret Dead "The Lost Gardens of Babylon"	Charlie Rose (N)	
PBS	59 OPB	13 Journeys in Japan	Business (N)	PBS NewsHour		Nature "Snow Chick"		Nova "Secrets of Noah's Ark"		Secret Dead "The Lost Gardens of Babylon"	Cyber-Seniors	

STATION	PEN	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30
A&E	52	The First 48 "Fast Friends/The Thin Line"		Duck Dynasty	Duck Dynasty	Duck Dynasty	Duck Dynasty	Duck Dyn.	Going Si-ral (N)	Wahlburgers (N)	Remini: Scientology "A Leader Emerges"		:35 Duck Dynasty
AMC	60	Four Christmas Wishes	Four Christmas Wishes	Comedy Reese Witherspoon, Robert Duvall, Vince Vaughn.		A Christmas Carol	An old man who hates Christmas is taught its true meaning and spirit by three ghosts.		Santa Claus: The Movie '85, Fam) Burgess Meredith.				
ANPL	24	Rocky Mountain Vet	Dr. Dee: Alaska Vet			Dr. Dee: Alaska Vet	Dr. Dee: Alaska Vet (N)	Dr. Dee: Alaska Vet (N)	Dr. Dee: Alaska Vet (N)	Dr. Dee: "Batting FIV"		:05 The Vet Life	
CMT	43	Lip Sync	A Christmas Story '83, Fam)	Peter Billingsley.		A Christmas Story '83, Fam)	Peter Billingsley.					K. Pickler	
CNBC	72	Shark Tank	Shark Tank		Jay Leno "Space Age"		Jay Leno's Garage		The Profit		Paid	Paid	
CNN	68	CNN Special Report	CNN Tonight		CNN Tonight		CNN Special Report		Anderson Cooper 360		CNN Tonight		
DISC	51	Bushcraft "Power"	Bushcraft "Protection"		Alaskan Bush People		Bush "Medicine" (N)		Legend Croc Gold (N)		Alaskan Bush People		
DISN	26	Hannah M.	Hannah M.	Underc.	Underc.	Home Alone 3	Alex D. Linz. :45 Lights		:15 Walk	:40 Bizaard.	:05 Underc.	Friends	
ESPN	33	NCAA Football Poinsettia Bowl	BYU vs. Wyoming Site: Qualcomm Stadium -- San Diego, Calif. (L)				SportsCenter		SportsCenter		SportsCenter		
ESPN2	34	NCAA Basketball (L)	NCAA Basketball Virginia vs. California (L)				SportsC.	Fantasy FB	J & J (N)	Fantasy FB	NFL Live		
FX	66	The Kelly File	Hannity		The O'Reilly Factor		The Kelly File		Hannity		On the Record		
FOOD	61	Chopped	Chopped		Cooks vs. Cons		Cooks vs. Cons (N)		Cooks vs. Cons		Holiday Baking		
FREE	32	ToyStory	:50 Elf *** The Santa Clause '94, Com) Tim Allen.		:55 Elf *** Elf '03, Com) Will Ferrell.						The 700 Club		
FX	65	Riddick '13, Sci-Fi) Vin Diesel.		Transformers: Age of Extinction '14, Act) Nicola Peltz, Mark Wahlberg.							Movie		
GOLF	88	Fan Favorites "Deutsche Bank Championship: Final Round" (N)		Fan Favorites "Deutsche Bank Championship: Final Round"									
GSN	76	Fam. Feud	Fam. Feud	Fam. Feud	Fam. Feud	Fam. Feud	Fam. Feud	Fam. Feud	Fam. Feud	Fam. Feud	Fam. Feud	Baggage	Baggage
HALL	87	Love You Like Christmas			A Heavenly Christmas	Kristin Davis.			Sleigh Bells Ring '16, Rom) Erin Cahill.				
HGTV	62	Buying and Selling	Buying and Selling		Property Brothers		Property Brothers (N)		Property Brothers		Property Brothers		
HIST	50	American Pickers "The Pickin' or the Egg"	American Pickers "Concrete Jungle"		Vikings "Two Journeys"		Vikings (N)		Real Vikings "Ragnar and His Sons" (N)		:05 Vikings		
LIFE	29	Little Women: Dallas	Little Women: Dallas		Little Women: Dallas		Women "Man Up"		Little W. Dallas (N)		Little Women: Dallas		
NICK	27	H.Danger	H.Danger	Thunder	Thunder	GShakers	Sponge	Full House	Full House	Full House	Full House	Friends	Friends
ROOT	37	NCAA Basketball South Dakota at Gonzaga Site: McCarthey Athletic Center -- Spokane, Wash. (L)		Seahawk Press (N)	In Depth (N)	Halls of Fame	The Game 365	Seahawks Press Pass	Seahawks Access (N)	NCAA Basketball St. John's at Syracuse			
SPIKE	42	The Hangover (2009, Comedy) Bradley Cooper, Zach Galifianakis, Ed Helms.		Lip Sync Battle "Holiday Special"		Lip Sync Battle (N)	Awkward (N)		The Hangover (2009, Comedy) Bradley Cooper, Zach Galifianakis, Ed Helms.				
SYFY	67	Lake Placid Bill Pullman.		G.I. Joe: Retaliation '13, Act) Channing Tatum.			Incorporated (N)		Galaxy Quest				
TBS	59	Seinf. "The Kiss Hello"	Seinf. "The Beard"	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Surprise! Instant Christmas Carol! (N)		Conan (N)	
TCM	56	Perri '57, Adv)	Old Yeller '57, Dra) Fess Parker, Dorothy McQuire.		:15 The Littlest Cowboy (1955, Family)		:45 To Be Ann...		:15 The Ugly Dachshund (1966, Comedy) Suzanne Pleshette, Charlie Ruggles, Dean Jones.				
TLC	49	Long Lost Family	My 600-lb Life		600-lb "Ashley's Story"		My 600-lb Life: Transformed "Joe" (N)		My 600-lb Life "Joe"				
TNT	57	Bones	Bones		The Help '11, Dra) Viola Davis, Octavia Spencer, Emma Stone.						Bones		
UNI	21	Includo	Noticiero	La rosa de Guadalupe	Despertar contigo	Vino el amor		El color de la pasion		Impacto	Noticie.		
USA	58	Bridesmaids	A Madae Christmas		Chad Michael Murray.		Little Fockers '10, Com) Ben Stiller.		Modern		Modern		
WE	118	CSI "Power Trip"	CSI: Miami		CSI "Raging Cannibal"		CSI "Bombshell"		CSI "Wrecking Crew"		CSI "Cheating Death"		
WGN		Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops		Miami Vice (2006, Action) Jamie Foxx, Li Gong, Colin Farrell.		Rules		Rules		
STZ ENC	644	:20 Still Alice	Julianne Moore.		:05 The Thomas Crown Affair		Texas		:45 Untraceable				
HBO	518	The Aviator		Ice News		Any Given Sunday '99, Spt) Jamie Foxx, Al Pacino.		:45 Fight		:15 Self/ Less			
HBO2	520	The 33	:45 Maze Runner: The Scorch Trials	Dylan O'Brien.		The Intern '15, Com) Robert De Niro.				:05 Batman v Sup...			
HBO3	521	All the Way '16, Bio) Bryan Cranston.		Vice (N)		:15 Keanu '16, Com) Keanu-Michael Key.				Cop Car			
MAX	549	:15 Focus '15, Com/Dra) Will Smith.		The Birdcage '96, Com) Robin Williams.					Entourage	Adrian Grenier.		Movie	
SHOW	578	Movie	The Ladies Man		What Women Want	Mel Gibson.		:10 Erin Brockovich	Julia Roberts.				
STARZ	621	Ever After: A Cind...	:10 Ever After: A Cind...		Julie Andrews.								