

Match Factory Closures

American Match Co.		Ohio	
-c. 1976	Zanesville, Oh, factory closed	1987	Wadsworth, OH, factory closed
-1976	Reno factory, NV, closed		
-1976	Denver, CO, factory closed		
Bryant & May		Superior	
-1971	Maguire & Patterson factory, N. Ireland closed	1990	Chicago factory closed
-1979	Bow factory in London closed		
-1980s	Gloucester and Glasgow factories closed		
-c.1985	Melbourne factory closed		
-1994	Liverpool factory closed		
Columbia Match Co.		Swedish Match	
-1985	Cleveland factory closed	c. 2004	Valencia, Spain, factory closed
		c. 2006	Turkish factory closed
D.D. Bean			
-1984	Oxnard, CA, factory closed		
-1986	St. Cesaire, CAN, factory closed		
-1997	Winston Salem, NC, factory closed		
Diamond Match Co.		Universal	
-1978	Chico, CA, factory closed	1975	Los Angeles factory closed
-1986	Springfield, MA, factory closed	1980	St Louis factory closed
		1988	Hudson, NY, factory closed
		1991	Kenner, LA, factory closed
India			
-c. 2004	Juddha factory closed		
Lion Match Co.			
-1993	Chicago factory closed		
Maryland Match Co.			
-1984	Maryland factory closed		

Boy, it happened fast! All within the span of 20 years, and even faster in the United States.