America's Worst Nukes: Poorly regulated nuclear power plants had 14 'near-misses' in 2010
Brunswick

Location: Southport, NC

Owner: Progress Energy

Near-miss: Inadvertent discharge of toxic halon gas, a fire suppression agent, prompted control room operators to declare an Alert, the third-most-serious of four emergency classifications. Response was delayed because workers didn't know how to operate the computer systems that told offsite workers to report to emergency-response facilities.

Source: Union of Concerned Scientists, *The NRC and Nuclear Power Plant Safety in 2010*
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