

Peanut Stocks and Processing



October 25, 1967

Stocks Up 18 Percent

Commercial peanut stocks on September 30 totaled 1,305 million pounds (net weight) of equivalent farmers' stock--18 percent above a year earlier. End of month stocks consisted of 1,062 million pounds of actual farmers' stock, 7 million of roasting stock, and shelled peanuts equal to 236 million pounds of farmers' stock.

Stocks of shelled peanuts on September 30 totaled 177 million pounds (actual weight basis)--160 million pounds of shelled edibles and 17 million pounds of shelled oil stock. Shelled edibles consisted of 60 million pounds of Virginias, 40 million pounds of Runners, and 60 million pounds of Spanish. Holdings by CCC included in the stocks of shelled edibles totaled 4.0 million pounds of medium Virginias compared with 23.2 million pounds of similar type a year earlier.

September Millings Unchanged from Last Year

Millings of farmers' stock peanuts during September totaled 174 million pounds (net weight), compared with 174 million pounds during September 1966. September millings consisted of about 21 million pounds of Virginias, 61 million pounds of Runners, and 92 million pounds of Spanish.

Edible Uses Nearly 5 Percent Below August

Raw shelled peanuts used in the production of specified edible products, excluding oil, totaled 92 million pounds during September, compared with 97 million pounds during August. Crushing operations used a total of 21 million pounds during September, compared with 31 million during August.

Deliveries of peanut butter during September for needy families, under the Government Food Distribution Program, amounted to 1.1 million pounds.

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Visible supply of peanuts

Class	Stocks as reported 1/			Farmers' stock equivalent 2/		
	Sept. 30, 1966	Aug. 31, 1967	Sept. 30, 1967 3/	Sept. 30, 1966	Aug. 31, 1967	Sept. 30, 1967 3/
	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds
Farmers' stock 4/	851,935	334,385	1,062,142	851,935	334,385	1,062,142
Shelled peanuts 5/	186,588	186,728	177,348	248,162	248,348	235,873
Cleaned (in shell)	3,834	10,562	7,325	3,834	10,562	7,325
Total	XXXX	XXXX	XXXX	1,103,931	593,295	1,305,340

Stocks on hand end of month

Product and type	September 1966	August 1967	September 1967 3/
	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds
<u>Farmers' stock 4/</u>			
Virginias	57,596	6,081	94,774
Runners	460,040	79,462	559,817
Spanish, V.-C.	0	0	0
" , S. E.	319,498	228,736	393,788
" , S. W.	14,801	20,106	13,763
Total	334,299	248,842	407,551
<u>Total Farmers' Stock</u>	<u>851,935</u>	<u>334,385</u>	<u>1,062,142</u>
CCC uncommitted stock 6/7/	271,066	110,623	335,087
Commercial stock 7/	580,869	223,762	727,055
Restricted use 8/	0	0	0
Other commercial	580,869	223,762	727,055
<u>Shelled Edibles</u>			
Virginias	66,983	86,430	59,988
Runners	44,173	33,477	39,933
Spanish	59,728	54,232	59,832
<u>Total shelled edibles</u>	<u>170,884</u>	<u>174,139</u>	<u>159,753</u>
Cleaned (in shell)	3,834	10,562	7,325
Shelled oil stock 9/	15,704	12,589	17,595
Crude peanut oil 10/	3,961	10,247	4,944
Peanut cake and meal 10/	2,291	12,301	7,781

1/ Excludes stocks on farms. 2/ Farmers' stock x 1.00, shelled peanuts x 1.33, cleaned (in shell) x 1.00. 3/ Preliminary. 4/ Net weight basis, excludes stocks on farms, but includes stocks owned by CCC and stocks held by cooperative associations on which CCC has advanced loans. 5/ Includes shelled edibles and shelled oil stock. 6/ From CCC operating records. 7/ Included in Farmers' stock totals above. 8/ Purchased from CCC for crushing or export. 9/ Includes ungraded and straight run oil stock peanuts, and peanuts purchased from CCC for crushing. 10/ Relates to mills only.

Farmers' stock peanuts milled 1/2/

Type	Month		Year beginning August 1		
	Aug. 1967	Sept. 1967 3/	Total 1966-67	Through 1966	September 1967 3/
	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds
Virginias	1,352	20,572	698,414	17,246	21,924
Runners	8,320	61,406	551,370	77,332	69,726
Spanish, V.-C.	0	0	0	0	0
" , S.-E.	32,206	51,168	355,930	62,848	83,374
" , S. W.	38,020	41,284	541,096	78,216	79,304
" , Total	70,226	92,452	897,026	141,064	162,678
Total milled, all types	79,898	174,430	2,146,810	235,642	254,328

Production of milled peanut products

Product and Type	Month		Year beginning August 1		
	Aug. 1967	Sept. 1967 3/	Total 1966-67	Through 1966	September 1967 3/
	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds
<u>Shelled edibles</u>					
Virginias	791	10,072	363,767	6,148	10,863
Runners	5,474	43,547	323,369	48,999	49,021
Spanish	47,149	61,703	489,693	96,552	108,852
Total shelled edibles	53,414	115,322	1,176,829	151,702	168,736
Cleaned (in shell) 4/	177	4,142	92,173	6,216	4,319
Shelled oil stock 5/	5,683	14,232	353,106	19,846	19,915
Crude peanut oil	13,175	8,599	169,404	19,835	21,774
Peanut cake and meal	17,161	11,706	227,517	25,990	28,867

Apparent disappearance of milled peanut products 6/

Product	Month		Year beginning August 1		
	Aug. 1967	Sept. 1967 3/	Total 1966-67	Through 1966	September 1967 3/
	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds
<u>Shelled peanuts</u>					
Edible grades	124,558	129,708	1,180,467	230,134	254,266
Shelled oil stock 7/	12,190	9,226	342,970	13,102	21,416
Total all grades	136,748	138,934	1,523,437	243,236	275,682
Cleaned (in shell) 4/	3,168	7,379	82,302	16,089	10,547
Crude peanut oil 8/	15,384	13,902	170,162	29,088	29,286
Peanut cake and meal 8/	22,706	16,226	216,031	30,059	38,932

1/ Total quantity of farmers' stock peanuts milled for producing edible grades, oil stock, and ungraded crushing stock; and cleaned in the shell.

2/ Net weight basis.

3/ Preliminary.

4/ Roasting stock.

5/ Includes ungraded and straight run oil stock peanuts.

6/ Includes in transit, exports and domestic use.

7/ Disappearance of graded and ungraded oil stock only. For total peanuts crushed, see table on page 4.

8/ Relates to mills only.

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Shelled peanuts (raw basis) reported used in primary products

Reported Use	Month		Year beginning August 1, 1966-67	Year beginning August 1, 1967	
	August 1967	September 1967 1/		Through 1966	September 1967 1/
	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds
<u>Edible grades used in:</u>					
Peanut candy 2/	20,238	20,538	198,427	37,897	40,776
Salted peanuts	20,293	20,360	228,721	40,616	40,653
Peanut butter sandwiches:	2,452	1,625	22,616	3,751	4,077
Peanut butter 3/	52,778	47,987	480,387	94,673	100,765
Other products	1,476	1,570	17,399	3,498	3,046
Total edible uses	97,237	92,080	947,550	180,435	189,317
Crushed for oil, cake and meal 4/	31,233	21,326	410,372	46,575	52,559
Total all grades	128,470	113,406	1,357,922	227,010	241,876

1/ Preliminary.

2/ Includes peanut butter made by manufacturers for own use in candy.

3/ Excludes peanut butter made by manufacturers for own use in candy or sandwiches.

4/ Includes all shelled peanuts used for crushing regardless of grade.