

Peanut Stocks and Processing



DECEMBER 1970

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Stocks 17 Percent Above Year Ago

Commercial storage facilities held over 2,101 million pounds of equivalent farmers' stock peanuts on December 31 -- 17 percent above a year ago. Included were 1,456 million pounds of actual farmers' stock, shelled edibles equivalent to 615 million pounds of farmers' stock and nearly 31 million pounds of roasting peanuts. The farmers' stock included approximately 559 million pounds held by CCC, more than double the 200 million pounds held at the same time last year. The CCC stocks included 31 million pounds of all types (segregation 2 and 3) which were designated as crushing stock.

On December 31, there were 462 million pounds of shelled peanut stocks consisting of 424 million pounds of edible grade peanuts and the remaining 38 million pounds were oil stocks. Shelled edibles included 168 million pounds of Virginias, over 112 million pounds of runners, and 143 million pounds of Spanish.

December Millings Down 7 Percent

December millings of farmers' stock peanuts totaled 269 million pounds -- down 7 percent from the 289 million pounds in 1969. Millings by type amounted to 98 million pounds of Virginias, 86 million pounds of runners, and 85 million pounds of Spanish.

Edible Uses Down 3 Percent--Crushings Up 44 Percent

Production of specified edible products excluding oil, used 78 million pounds of raw shelled peanuts in December compared with 81 million pounds used a year ago, a 3 percent decline.

Peanut crushings in December were 56 million pounds, an increase of 44 percent from the 39 million pounds crushed in December 1969.

Under Government Food Distribution Program for needy families, 2,514,245 pounds of peanut butter were distributed in December.

VISIBLE SUPPLY OF PEANUTS AT MONTHS END 1/

CLASS	STOCKS AS REPORTED			FARMERS STOCK EQUIVALENT 2/		
	DECEMBER 1969	NOVEMBER 1970	DECEMBER 1970 3/1	DECEMBER 1969	NOVEMBER 1970	DECEMBER 1970 3/
	1,000 POUNDS					
FARMERS STOCK	1,173,897	1,926,912	1,456,172	1,173,897	1,926,912	1,456,172
SHELLED PEANUTS 4/	441,853	405,893	462,162	587,664	539,838	614,675
ROASTING STOCK 10/	27,523	27,610	30,614	27,523	27,610	30,614
TOTAL				1,789,084	2,494,360	2,101,461

STOCKS OF PEANUTS AND SPECIFIED PRODUCTS AT MONTHS END 1/

PRODUCT AND TYPE	DECEMBER 1969	NOVEMBER 1970	DECEMBER 1970 3/
	1,000 POUNDS		
FARMERS STOCK			
VIRGINIAS	341,633	760,013	540,456
RUNNERS	313,390	523,349	399,004
SPANISH VA-NC	0	0	0
SPANISH S. E.	218,130	370,216	251,134
SPANISH S. W.	300,744	273,332	265,578
SPANISH TOTAL	518,874	643,550	516,712
TOTAL FARMERS STOCK	1,173,897	1,926,912	1,456,172
CCC UNCOMMITTED 5/ 6/	200,290	627,896	559,409
COMMERCIAL STOCK 6/	973,607	1,299,016	896,763
RESTRICTED USE 6/ 7/	17,168	15,048	31,202
OTHER COMMERCIAL 6/	956,439	1,283,968	865,561
SHELLED EDIBLES			
VIRGINIAS	171,479	149,878	168,051
RUNNERS	91,262	99,357	112,495
SPANISH	136,077	127,749	143,219
TOTAL SHELLED EDIBLES	398,818	376,984	423,765
ROASTING STOCK 10/	27,523	27,610	30,614
SHELLED OIL STOCK 8/	43,035	28,909	38,397
CRUDE PEANUT OIL 9/	4,577	5,890	4,129
CAKE AND MEAL 9/	5,751	8,175	7,596

- 1/ EXCLUDES STOCKS ON FARMS BUT INCLUDES STOCKS OWNED BY OR HELD FOR ACCOUNT OF CCC.
 FARMERS STOCK ON NET WEIGHT BASIS.
 2/ ACTUAL FARMERS STOCK, PLUS ROASTING STOCK, PLUS SHELLED PEANUTS X 1.33.
 3/ PRELIMINARY.
 4/ INCLUDES SHELLED EDIBLE AND SHELL OIL STOCK.
 5/ FROM CCC OPERATING RECORDS.
 6/ INCLUDED IN TOTAL FARMERS STOCK ABOVE.
 7/ PURCHASED FROM CCC FOR CRUSHING OR EXPORT.
 8/ INCLUDES UNGRADED AND STRAIGHT RUN OIL STOCK PEANUTS.
 9/ RELATES TO PEANUT OIL MILLS ONLY.
 10/ CLEANED AND UNSHELLED.

FARMERS STOCK PEANUTS MILLED (NET WEIGHT) 1/

TYPE	MONTH			CROP YEAR BEGINNING AUGUST 1		
	DECEMBER 1969	NOVEMBER 1970	DECEMBER 1970 3/	TOTAL 1969-70	THROUGH DECEMBER 1969	THROUGH DECEMBER 1970 3/
	1,000 POUNDS					
VIRGINIAS	116,816	101,279	97,795	768,016	433,895	448,763
RUNNERS	73,739	63,146	86,217	498,395	251,768	287,590
SPANISH VA-NC	0	0	0	0	0	0
SPANISH S. E.	39,698	43,369	40,388	479,742	253,556	243,202
SPANISH S. W.	58,897	45,571	44,736	523,573	258,734	205,716
SPANISH TOTAL	98,595	88,940	85,124	1,003,315	512,290	448,918
TOTAL MILLED	289,150	253,365	269,136	2,267,926	1,197,953	1,185,271

PRODUCTION OF MILLED PEANUT PRODUCTS

PRODUCT AND TYPE	MONTH			CROP YEAR BEGINNING AUGUST 1		
	DECEMBER 1969	NOVEMBER 1970	DECEMBER 1970 3/	TOTAL 1969-70	THROUGH DECEMBER 1969	THROUGH DECEMBER 1970 3/
	1,000 POUNDS					
SHELLED EDIBLES						
VIRGINIAS	62,231	54,422	52,539	393,786	234,506	235,006
RUNNERS	45,960	39,658	43,341	307,200	152,845	175,452
SPANISH	60,952	54,601	40,710	533,852	324,391	281,365
TOTAL SHELLED EDIBLES	170,143	148,681	141,590	1,284,838	721,742	691,823
ROASTING STOCK 7/	15,701	16,192	14,556	107,026	63,566	67,580
SHELLED OIL STOCK 2/	32,398	26,022	50,271	315,672	117,393	133,145
CRUDE PEANUT OIL	16,136	19,685	23,553	181,961	55,910	70,275
CAKE AND MEAL	22,035	26,939	33,558	243,848	76,564	100,476

APPARENT DISAPPEARANCE OF MILLED PEANUT PRODUCTS 4/

TYPE	MONTH			CROP YEAR BEGINNING AUGUST 1		
	DECEMBER 1969	NOVEMBER 1970	DECEMBER 1970 3/	TOTAL 1969-70	THROUGH DECEMBER 1969	THROUGH DECEMBER 1970 3/
	1,000 POUNDS					
SHELLED PEANUTS EDIBLE GRADES	88,975	89,168	94,809	1,273,270	549,684	506,383
OIL STOCK 5/	23,622	27,596	40,783	326,428	97,792	107,425
TOTAL ALL GRADES	112,597	116,764	135,592	1,599,698	647,476	613,808
ROASTING STOCK 7/	9,425	12,138	11,552	105,831	50,907	53,025
CRUDE PEANUT OIL 6/	15,162	18,365	25,314	182,733	60,875	74,919
CAKE AND MEAL 6/	22,503	24,438	34,137	244,987	79,690	100,618

- 1/ EXCLUDES PEANUTS MILLED FOR SEED.
- 2/ INCLUDES UNGRADED AND STRAIGHT RUN OIL STOCK PEANUTS.
- 3/ PRELIMINARY.
- 4/ INCLUDES IN TRANSIT, EXPORTS AND DOMESTIC USE.
- 5/ DISAPPEARANCE OF BOTH GRADED AND UNGRADED OIL STOCK.
- 6/ RELATES TO PEANUT OIL MILLS ONLY.
- FOR TOTAL PEANUTS CRUSHED, SEE TABLE ON PAGE 4.
- 7/ CLEANED AND UNSHELLED.

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SHELLED PEANUTS (RAW BASIS) USED IN PRIMARY PRODUCTS

REPORTED USE	MONTH		CROP YEAR BEGINNING AUGUST 1			
	DECEMBER 1969	NOVEMBER 1970	DECEMBER 1970 3/	TOTAL 1969-70	THROUGH 1969	DECEMBER 1970 3/
	1,000 POUNDS					
EDIBLE GRADES USED IN:						
PEANUT CANDY 1/	17,411	16,918	16,859	236,375	102,472	102,458
SALTED PEANUTS	21,410	22,889	20,401	240,911	117,505	107,419
PEANUT BUTTER SAND.	1,493	2,167	1,674	21,055	8,982	11,375
PEANUT BUTTER 2/	39,209	39,598	37,772	540,514	228,546	225,998
OTHER PRODUCTS	1,398	1,565	1,187	21,148	7,573	8,318
TOTAL EDIBLE USES	80,921	83,077	78,093	1,060,603	465,078	455,568
CRUSHED FOR OIL 4/ CAKE AND MEAL	38,013	47,191	55,642	437,127	134,867	168,481
TOTAL EDIBLE USES	119,534	130,268	133,735	1,497,730	599,945	624,049

- 1/ INCLUDES PEANUT BUTTER MADE BY MANUFACTURERS FOR OWN USE IN CANDY.
 2/ EXCLUDES PEANUT BUTTER MADE BY MANUFACTURERS FOR OWN USE IN CANDY OR SANDWICHES.
 3/ PRELIMINARY.
 4/ INCLUDES ALL SHELLED PEANUTS CRUSHED REGARDLESS OF GRADE.