

peanut stocks and processing



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Peanut Stocks Up Slightly From a Year Ago

Peanuts held in commercial facilities on November 30, 1972 totaled 2,377 million pounds of equivalent farmers' stock, up slightly from a year earlier. Included in these stocks were 1,905 million pounds of actual farmers' stock, shelled edibles equivalent to 452 million pounds of farmers' stock, and 20 million pounds of roasting peanuts. Farmers' stock held by the Commodity Credit Corporation on November 30 totaled 638 million pounds, compared with 721 million pounds a year earlier.

On November 30, there were 340 million pounds of shelled peanut stocks consisting of 288 million pounds of edible grades and 52 million pounds of oil stocks. Shelled edibles included 66 million pounds of Virginias, 129 million pounds of Runners, and 93 million pounds of Spanish.

November Millings Up 22 Percent

Millings of Farmers' stock peanuts totaled 367 million pounds, up 22 percent from the 300 million pounds milled in November 1971. Millings by type amounted to over 90 million pounds of Spanish, more than 152 million pounds of Runners, and 124 million pounds of Virginias.

Edible Uses Up 2 Percent--Crushings Unchanged From A Year Ago

Production of specified edible products, excluding oil, used 95 million pounds of raw shelled peanuts in November, an increase of 2 percent from the 93 million pounds used a year ago. Peanuts crushed for oil and cake totaled 60 million pounds, the same as crushed in November last year. Total uses for the season are up 4 percent from the corresponding season a year ago.

In November, peanut butter delivery to needy families under the Government Food Distribution Program totaled 2,584,080 pounds.

VISIBLE SUPPLY OF PEANUTS AT MONTHS END 1/

CLASS	STOCKS AS REPORTED			FARMERS STOCK EQUIVALENT 2/		
	NOVEMBER 1971	OCTOBER 1972	NOVEMBER 1972 3/	NOVEMBER 1971	OCTOBER 1972	NOVEMBER 1972 3/
	1,000 POUNDS					
FARMERS STOCK	1,850,479	1,790,456	1,905,100	1,850,479	1,790,456	1,905,100
SHELLED PEANUTS 4/	372,847	251,560	340,384	495,887	334,575	452,312
ROASTING STOCK 10/	20,207	12,835	20,318	20,207	12,835	20,018
TOTAL				2,366,573	2,137,866	2,377,430

STOCKS OF PEANUTS AND SPECIFIED PRODUCTS AT MONTHS END 1/

PRODUCT AND TYPE	NOVEMBER 1971	OCTOBER 1972	NOVEMBER 1972 3/
	1,000 POUNDS		
FARMERS STOCK			
VIRGINIAS	390,511	251,550	417,818
RUNNERS	845,084	977,627	874,751
SPANISH VA-NC	0	1.0	0
SPANISH S. E.	259,827	222,061	195,011
SPANISH S. W.	355,057	339,218	417,520
SPANISH TOTAL	614,884	561,413	612,531
TOTAL FARMERS STOCK	1,850,479	1,790,456	1,905,100
CCC UNCOMMITTED 5/ 6/	721,208	758,730	637,948
COMMERCIAL STOCK 6/	1,129,271	1,031,726	1,111,912
RESTRICTED USE 6/ 7/	"	47,942	48,112
OTHER COMMERCIAL 6/	1,129,271	983,784	1,063,800
SHELLED EDIBLES			
VIRGINIAS	117,443	44,616	66,180
RUNNERS	99,654	90,689	129,017
SPANISH	107,783	80,092	92,834
TOTAL SHELLED EDIBLES	324,880	215,397	288,031
ROASTING STOCK 10/	20,207	12,835	20,018
SHELLED OIL STOCK 8/	47,967	35,163	52,053
CRUDE PEANUT OIL 9/	4,891	3,682	4,602
CAKE AND MEAL 9/	9,582	5,813	4,146

- 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.
- " NOT PUBLISHED SEPARATELY TO AVOID DISCLOSING INDIVIDUAL OPERATIONS--INCLUDED IN OTHER COMMERCIAL.

FARMERS STOCK PEANUTS MILLED (NET WEIGHT) 1/

TYPE	MONTH			CROP YEAR BEGINNING AUGUST 1		
	NOVEMBER 1971	OCTOBER 1972	NOVEMBER 1972 3/	TOTAL 1971-72	THROUGH NOVEMBER	
					1971	1972 3/
	1,000 POUNDS					
VIRGINIAS	106,789	103,555	124,230	675,080	262,675	238,729
RUNNERS	106,955	141,890	152,405	1,065,730	299,235	415,113
SPANISH VA-NC	0	0	0	0	0	0
SPANISH S. E.	25,092	26,922	28,658	360,671	125,465	115,874
SPANISH S. W.	60,854	71,632	61,751	548,815	199,729	227,921
SPANISH TOTAL	85,946	98,554	90,409	909,486	325,194	343,795
TOTAL MILLED	299,690	343,999	367,344	2,650,296	887,104	998,637

PRODUCTION OF MILLED PEANUT PRODUCTS

PRODUCT AND TYPE	MONTH			CROP YEAR BEGINNING AUGUST 1		
	NOVEMBER 1971	OCTOBER 1972	NOVEMBER 1972 3/	TOTAL 1971-72	THROUGH NOVEMBER	
					1971	1972 3/
	1,000 POUNDS					
SHELLED EDIBLES						
VIRGINIAS	50,383	46,545	55,177	302,980	124,455	105,899
RUNNERS	62,284	79,550	84,929	565,326	182,279	235,851
SPANISH	51,963	60,391	52,892	517,279	199,082	212,476
TOTAL SHELLED EDIBLES	164,630	186,486	192,998	1,385,585	505,816	554,226
ROASTING STOCK 7/	17,786	20,228	20,543	121,009	47,392	42,485
SHELLED OIL STOCK 2/	46,398	51,858	65,073	518,747	124,056	159,892
CRUDE PEANUT OIL	25,423	17,407	24,643	259,994	70,942	71,347
CAKE AND MEAL	32,840	22,473	33,567	334,428	90,903	97,469

APPARENT DISAPPEARANCE OF MILLED PEANUT PRODUCTS 4/ 8/

TYPE	MONTH			CROP YEAR BEGINNING AUGUST 1		
	NOVEMBER 1971	OCTOBER 1972	NOVEMBER 1972 3/	TOTAL 1971-72	THROUGH NOVEMBER	
					1971	1972 3/
	1,000 POUNDS					
SHELLED PEANUTS						
EDIBLE GRADES	127,341	141,677	120,364	1,452,018	471,901	499,724
OIL STOCK 5/	33,403	37,111	49,183	512,046	103,170	140,622
TOTAL ALL GRADES	160,744	178,788	169,547	1,964,064	575,071	631,346
ROASTING STOCK 7/	11,742	14,016	13,363	116,089	43,149	43,352
CRUDE PEANUT OIL 6/	25,471	17,663	23,722	263,333	77,844	75,198
CAKE AND MEAL 6/	33,338	21,548	35,335	353,036	102,907	95,303

- 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.
FOR TOTAL PEANUTS CRUSHED, SEE TABLE ON PAGE 4.
- 6/ RELATES TO PEANUT OIL MILLS ONLY.
- 7/ CLEANED AND UNSHELLED.
- 8/ DERIVED DISAPPEARANCE MAY DIFFER SLIGHTLY DUE TO ROUNDING.

SHELLED PEANUTS (RAW BASIS) USED IN PRIMARY PRODUCTS

REPORTED USE	MONTH			CROP YEAR BEGINNING AUGUST 1		
	NOVEMBER 1971	OCTOBER 1972	NOVEMBER 1972 3/	TOTAL 1971-72	THROUGH NOVEMBER 1971	1972 3/
	1,000 POUNDS					
EDIBLE GRADES USED IN:						
PEANUT CANDY 1/	19,110	25,523	21,459	246,046	89,377	98,742
SALTED PEANUTS	24,577	26,112	27,227	241,651	90,047	97,632
PEANUT BUTTER SAND. 5/	2,054	2,251	2,308	25,594	8,760	8,977
PEANUT BUTTER 2/	45,498	49,745	42,642	556,847	188,565	191,396
OTHER PRODUCTS	1,737	1,500	1,176	16,968	6,532	6,017
TOTAL EDIBLE USES	92,976	105,131	94,812	1,087,106	383,281	402,814
CRUSHED FOR OIL 4/ CAKE AND MEAL	59,672	40,952	59,625	612,322	166,249	170,235
TOTAL USES	152,648	146,083	154,437	1,699,428	549,530	573,049

- 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.
 5/ INCLUDES PEANUT BUTTER COOKIES.