

# PEANUT STOCKS AND PROCESSING



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## NOVEMBER PEANUT STOCKS DOWN 4 PERCENT

Peanut stocks in commercial storage totaled 2.81 billion pounds of equivalent farmers' stock on November 30, 1978, down 4 percent from a year earlier. Included in the total were 2.28 billion pounds of actual farmers' stock, 3 percent below the 2.36 billion pounds a year ago.

Shelled peanuts on hand at month's end totaled 489 million pounds of equivalent farmers' stock, 12 percent less than a year ago. Roasting stock totaled 36.8 million pounds, up sharply from the 23.4 million pounds on hand a year ago. There were 149 million pounds of Commodity Credit Corporation uncommitted stock on hand as of November 30, 1978.

Shelled peanut stocks on November 30 totaled approximately 368 million pounds of which about 336 million were edible grades and 31.3 million pounds were oil stocks. Edible grade stocks by type were Virginias, 76.3 million pounds; Runners, 212 million pounds; and Spanish, 48.0 million pounds.

## MILLINGS UP

November millings totaled 425 million pounds, up 1 percent from November a year ago. Millings by type were 116 million pounds of Virginias, 247 million pounds of Runners, and 63.1 million pounds of Spanish.

## EDIBLE USES AND CRUSHINGS

Commercial processors utilized 100 million pounds of shelled edible grade peanuts during November in manufacturing primary products, 7 percent more than during November 1977. Utilization for peanut butter was down 5 percent; utilization for salted peanuts was up 24 percent, and utilization for peanut candy was up 27 percent from last year.

Crushings for oil, cake, and meal totaled 15.3 million pounds during November 1978, down 44 percent from the 27.2 million pounds crushed a year ago.

November deliveries under the Government's Domestic Feeding and Child Nutrition Programs totaled 2,704,000 pounds of peanut butter, 509,544 pounds of peanut granules and 1,255,680 pounds of roasted peanuts. There were no deliveries of other peanut products during November.

VISIBLE SUPPLY OF PEANUTS AT MONTHS END 1/

CLASS	STOCKS AS REPORTED			FARMERS STOCK EQUIVALENT 2/		
	NOVEMBER 1977	OCTOBER 1978	NOVEMBER 1978 3/	NOVEMBER 1977	OCTOBER 1978	NOVEMBER 1978 3/
	1,000 POUNDS					
FARMERS STOCK	2,361,922	2,422,783	2,284,807	2,361,922	2,422,783	2,284,807
SHELLED PEANUTS 4/	410,540	280,579	307,519	556,666	381,150	488,800
ROASTING STOCK 5/	23,368	25,085	36,780	23,368	25,085	36,780
TOTAL				2,941,956	2,829,018	2,810,387

STOCKS OF PEANUTS AND SPECIFIED PRODUCTS AT MONTHS END 1/

PRODUCT AND TYPE	NOVEMBER 1977	OCTOBER 1978	NOVEMBER 1978 3/
	1,000 POUNDS		
FARMERS STOCK			
VIRGINIAS	427,944	431,697	402,301
RUNNERS	1,720,113	1,849,265	1,890,250
SPANISH VA-NC	0	0	0
SPANISH S. L.	12,285	5,384	8,025
SPANISH S. W.	201,582	130,437	180,233
SPANISH TOTAL	213,867	141,821	188,258
TOTAL FARMERS STOCK	2,361,922	2,422,783	2,284,807
CCC UNCOMMITTED	510,177	129,819	140,529
COMMERCIAL STOCK	1,851,745	2,292,904	2,150,278
RESTRICTED USE 6/	0	2,700	24,434
OTHER COMMERCIAL	1,851,745	2,290,190	2,111,844
SHELLED EDIBLES			
VIRGINIAS	58,403	59,200	70,333
RUNNERS	247,207	184,020	211,911
SPANISH	48,056	27,270	48,015
TOTAL SHELLED EDIBLES	354,666	271,090	330,259
ROASTING STOCK 5/	23,368	25,085	36,780
SHELLED OIL STOCK 7/	24,020	15,481	31,200
CRUDE PEANUT OIL 8/	11,119	8,403	3,028
CAKE AND MEAL 8/	3,743	3,627	2,710

1/ EXCLUDES STOCKS ON FARMS. INCLUDES STOCKS OWNED BY OR HELD FOR ACCOUNT OF CCC IN COMMERCIAL STORAGES. 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/ CLEANED AND UNSHELLED.

6/ PURCHASED FROM CCC FOR CRUSHING OR EXPORT.

7/ INCLUDES UNGRADED AND STRAIGHT RUN OIL STOCK PEANUTS.

8/ RELATES TO PEANUT OIL MILLS ONLY.

FARMERS STOCK PEANUTS MILLED (NET WEIGHT) 1/

TYPE	MONTH			CROP YEAR BEGINNING AUGUST 1		
	NOVEMBER 1977	OCTOBER 1976	NOVEMBER 1976 2/	TOTAL 1977-78	THROUGH NOVEMBER	
					1977	1976 2/
	1,000 POUNDS					
VIRGINIAS	110,561	130,101	115,805	754,026	277,964	263,749
RUNNERS	252,573	263,060	240,544	2,246,023	693,751	745,034
SPANISH VA-NC	0	0	0	0	0	0
SPANISH S. C.	5,808	7,738	0	21,968	9,064	7,738
SPANISH S. W.	44,033	49,895	63,059	340,715	125,016	129,063
SPANISH TOTAL	50,441	57,633	63,059	368,683	134,100	136,801
<b>TOTAL MILLED</b>	<b>419,595</b>	<b>458,794</b>	<b>425,408</b>	<b>3,348,732</b>	<b>1,105,815</b>	<b>1,145,584</b>

PRODUCTION OF MILLED PEANUT PRODUCTS

PRODUCT AND TYPE	MONTH			CROP YEAR BEGINNING AUGUST 1		
	NOVEMBER 1977	OCTOBER 1976	NOVEMBER 1976 2/	TOTAL 1977-78	THROUGH NOVEMBER	
					1977	1976 2/
	1,000 POUNDS					
SHELLED EDIBLES						
VIRGINIAS	50,566	58,812	46,918	284,249	116,776	107,321
RUNNERS	166,113	179,245	164,780	1,382,587	446,548	491,066
SPANISH	32,902	36,596	41,109	214,797	84,821	87,785
<b>TOTAL SHELLED EDIBLES</b>	<b>251,581</b>	<b>274,753</b>	<b>252,807</b>	<b>1,881,633</b>	<b>648,145</b>	<b>686,170</b>
ROASTING STOCK 3/	25,981	41,913	37,033	198,076	69,466	83,166
SHELLED OIL STOCK 4/	37,262	33,604	40,133	468,753	126,464	109,434
CRUDE PEANUT OIL	10,500	10,342	6,313	150,971	45,556	40,975
CAKE AND MEAL	16,191	13,483	8,495	266,144	64,506	52,736

APPARENT DISAPPEARANCE OF MILLED PEANUT PRODUCTS 5/ 6/

TYPE	MONTH			CROP YEAR BEGINNING AUGUST 1		
	NOVEMBER 1977	OCTOBER 1976	NOVEMBER 1976 2/	TOTAL 1977-78	THROUGH NOVEMBER	
					1977	1976 2/
	1,000 POUNDS					
SHELLED PEANUTS						
EDIBLE GRADES	150,008	188,306	187,647	1,895,167	626,138	707,698
OIL STOCK 7/	37,034	33,033	24,354	461,191	132,247	119,562
<b>TOTAL ALL GRADES</b>	<b>193,042</b>	<b>223,541</b>	<b>212,001</b>	<b>2,356,358</b>	<b>758,385</b>	<b>827,260</b>
ROASTING STOCK 3/	17,352	24,823	23,339	190,593	64,245	71,677
CRUDE PEANUT OIL 8/	4,725	11,623	11,687	179,120	77,516	52,441
CAKE AND MEAL 8/	15,966	11,998	11,412	208,930	72,461	60,959

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

SHELLED PEANUTS (RAW BASIS) USED IN PRIMARY PRODUCTS

REPORTED USE	MONTH			CROP YEAR BEGINNING AUGUST 1		
	NOVEMBER 1977	OCTOBER 1978	NOVEMBER 1978 1/	TOTAL 1977-78	THROUGH NOVEMBER	
					1977	1978 1/
	1,000 POUNDS					
EDIBLE GRADES USED IN:						
PEANUT CANDY 2/	16,062	23,554	20,389	235,219	80,650	85,950
SALTED PEANUTS	21,551	31,565	20,033	274,219	97,335	110,650
PEANUT BUTTER SAND. 3/	2,505	2,158	2,233	28,156	5,360	9,078
PEANUT BUTTER 4/	51,700	57,496	48,938	623,826	214,266	215,834
OTHER PRODUCTS	1,434	1,723	1,872	18,662	6,802	7,204
TOTAL EDIBLE USES	93,252	116,496	100,065	1,160,142	408,413	430,762
CRUSHED FOR OIL 5/ CAKE AND MEAL	27,205	24,756	15,340	366,227	110,677	98,190
TOTAL USES	120,457	141,252	115,405	1,546,369	519,090	528,952
USES BY TYPES						
VIRGINIAS						
EDIBLE GRADES USED IN:						
PEANUT CANDY 2/	3,623	4,377	3,543	44,200	16,692	15,206
SALTED PEANUTS	0,021	11,803	7,794	60,773	31,555	30,057
PEANUT BUTTER SAND. 3/	437	317	448	3,994	1,344	1,354
PEANUT BUTTER 4/	2,005	3,449	2,076	43,517	10,591	12,359
OTHER PRODUCTS	170	130	132	2,164	784	634
TOTAL VIRGINIA USES	12,266	20,180	13,993	160,708	67,216	68,276
RUNNERS						
EDIBLE GRADES USED IN:						
PEANUT CANDY 2/	0,001	13,300	12,322	126,101	40,309	32,455
SALTED PEANUTS	11,532	15,408	14,902	144,309	43,078	37,558
PEANUT BUTTER SAND. 3/	1,023	1,744	1,014	23,020	7,414	7,413
PEANUT BUTTER 4/	44,053	47,931	41,030	432,439	108,960	116,733
OTHER PRODUCTS	1,049	1,411	1,024	13,735	4,513	5,760
TOTAL RUNNER USES	67,668	79,822	71,393	799,604	210,282	299,969
SPANISH						
EDIBLE GRADES USED IN:						
PEANUT CANDY 2/	4,370	3,809	4,522	64,850	23,649	22,285
SALTED PEANUTS	3,990	4,274	3,057	41,137	10,050	14,441
PEANUT BUTTER SAND. 3/	123	95	171	1,162	002	311
PEANUT BUTTER 4/	4,922	6,096	3,824	61,370	20,709	24,740
OTHER PRODUCTS	207	134	116	2,703	1,303	750
TOTAL SPANISH USES	13,622	16,468	14,490	191,630	70,921	62,527

1/ PRELIMINARY.

2/ INCLUDES PEANUT BUTTER MADE BY MANUFACTURERS FOR OWN USE IN CANDY.

3/ INCLUDES PEANUT BUTTER COOKIES.

4/ EXCLUDES PEANUT BUTTER MADE BY MANUFACTURERS FOR OWN USE IN CANDY OR SANDWICHES.

5/ INCLUDES ALL SHELLED PEANUTS CRUSHED REGARDLESS OF GRADE.