

# PEANUT STOCKS AND PROCESSING

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## OCTOBER PEANUT STOCKS 13 PERCENT BELOW 1978

Peanut stocks in commercial storage totaled 2.49 billion pounds of equivalent farmers' stock on October 31, 1979, down 13 percent from the year earlier level. This total includes 2.12 billion pounds of actual farmers' stock, 13 percent less than the 2.44 billion pounds on hand a year ago.

Shelled peanuts on hand at month's end totaled 347 million pounds of equivalent farmers' stock, down 9 percent from a year ago. Roasting stock totaled 23.3 million pounds, 7 percent less than the 25.1 million pounds on hand a year ago. There were 364 million pounds of Commodity Credit Corporation uncommitted stock on hand as of October 31, 1979.

Shelled peanut stocks on October 31 totaled 261 million pounds of which 232 million were edible grades and 28.7 million were oil stocks. Edible grade stocks by type were Virginias, 42.6 million pounds; Runners, 157 million pounds; and Spanish, 32.5 million pounds.

## MILLINGS DOWN

October millings totaled 432 million pounds, down 6 percent from October a year ago. Millings by type were 76.7 million pounds of Virginias, 317 million pounds of Runners, and 38.4 million pounds of Spanish.

## EDIBLE USES AND CRUSHINGS

Commercial processors utilized 119 million pounds of shelled edible grade peanuts during October in manufacturing primary products, 4 percent more than during October 1978. Utilization for peanut butter was up 4 percent, utilization for peanut candy was up 9 percent, and utilization for salted peanuts was up 3 percent from a year ago.

Crushings for oil, cake, and meal totaled 11.1 million pounds during October 1979, down 55 percent from the 24.8 million pounds crushed a year ago.

October deliveries under the Government's Domestic Feeding and Child Nutrition Programs totaled 3,054,055 pounds of peanut butter, 1,174,800 pounds of roasted peanuts, and 539,175 pounds of peanut granules. There were no deliveries of other peanut products during October.

VISIBLE SUPPLY OF PEANUTS AT MONTHS END 1/

CLASS	STOCKS AS REPORTED			FARMERS STOCK EQUIVALENT 2/		
	OCTOBER 1978	SEPTEMBER 1979	OCTOBER 1979 3/	OCTOBER 1978	SEPTEMBER 1979	OCTOBER 1979 3/
	1,000 POUNDS					
FARMERS STOCK	2,437,200	798,624	2,117,154	2,437,200	798,624	2,117,154
SHELLED PEANUTS 4/	286,511	217,570	260,827	381,060	289,368	346,900
ROASTING STOCK 5/	25,099	22,502	23,328	25,099	22,502	23,328
TOTAL				2,843,359	1,110,494	2,487,382

STOCKS OF PEANUTS AND SPECIFIED PRODUCTS AT MONTHS END 1/

PRODUCT AND TYPE	OCTOBER 1978	SEPTEMBER 1979	OCTOBER 1979 3/
	1,000 POUNDS		
FARMERS STOCK			
VIRGINIAS	431,697	8,613	292,894
RUNNERS	1,863,682	760,055	1,617,330
SPANISH VA-NC	0	15	15
SPANISH S. E.	5,384	739	7,980
SPANISH S. W.	136,437	29,202	198,935
SPANISH TOTAL	141,821	29,956	206,930
TOTAL FARMERS STOCK	2,437,200	798,624	2,117,154
CCC UNCOMMITTED	129,819	141,180	363,522
COMMERCIAL STOCK	2,307,381	657,444	1,753,632
RESTRICTED USE 6/	2,768	0	0
OTHER COMMERCIAL	2,304,613	657,444	1,753,632
SHELLED EDIBLES			
VIRGINIAS	59,162	36,503	42,605
RUNNERS	184,575	128,805	157,042
SPANISH	27,293	23,563	32,515
TOTAL SHELLED EDIBLES	271,030	188,871	232,162
ROASTING STOCK 5/	25,099	22,502	23,328
SHELLED OIL STOCK 7/	15,481	28,699	28,665
CRUDE PEANUT OIL 8/	8,403	15,061	13,383
CAKE AND MEAL 8/	5,627	1,852	1,809

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		
	OCTOBER 1978	SEPTEMBER 1979	OCTOBER 1979 2/	TOTAL 1978-79	THROUGH OCTOBER	
					1978	1979 2/
	1,000 POUNDS					
VIRGINIAS	138,101	3,786	76,722	805,481	147,944	86,610
RUNNERS	263,060	246,775	316,744	2,272,128	498,490	582,093
SPANISH VA-NC	0	0	0	0	0	0
SPANISH S. E.	7,738	0	1,798	13,122	7,738	1,798
SPANISH S. W.	49,895	15,352	36,592	333,234	66,004	54,904
SPANISH TOTAL	57,633	15,352	38,390	346,356	73,742	56,702
TOTAL MILLED	458,794	265,913	431,856	3,423,965	720,176	725,405

PRODUCTION OF MILLED PEANUT PRODUCTS

PRODUCT AND TYPE	MONTH			CROP YEAR BEGINNING AUGUST 1		
	OCTOBER 1978	SEPTEMBER 1979	OCTOBER 1979 2/	TOTAL 1978-79	THROUGH OCTOBER	
					1978	1979 2/
	1,000 POUNDS					
SHELLED EDIBLES						
VIRGINIAS	58,812	41	32,125	320,411	60,403	33,617
RUNNERS	179,245	175,125	215,941	1,412,764	326,286	401,157
SPANISH	36,696	10,613	25,167	210,453	46,674	37,597
TOTAL SHELLED EDIBLES	274,753	185,779	273,233	1,943,628	433,363	472,371
ROASTING STOCK 3/	41,913	2,276	22,608	233,497	46,127	24,889
SHELLED OIL STOCK 4/	33,664	17,129	35,018	435,972	69,321	59,528
CRUDE PEANUT OIL	10,342	4,516	4,530	164,284	34,660	19,858
CAKE AND MEAL	13,483	5,931	6,270	217,988	44,241	27,676

APPARENT DISAPPEARANCE OF MILLED PEANUT PRODUCTS 5/ 6/

TYPE	MONTH			CROP YEAR BEGINNING AUGUST 1		
	OCTOBER 1978	SEPTEMBER 1979	OCTOBER 1979 2/	TOTAL 1978-79	THROUGH OCTOBER	
					1978	1979 2/
	1,000 POUNDS					
SHELLED PEANUTS						
EDIBLE GRADES	188,297	203,213	229,943	1,954,609	521,317	588,210
OIL STOCK 7/	35,034	18,418	35,051	426,904	91,207	77,297
TOTAL ALL GRADES	223,331	221,631	264,994	2,381,513	612,524	665,507
ROASTING STOCK 3/	24,737	13,452	21,782	210,935	46,666	49,760
CRUDE PEANUT OIL 8/	11,623	6,600	6,208	161,562	40,754	23,693
CAKE AND MEAL 8/	11,997	6,154	6,312	227,902	49,546	26,886

- 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		
	OCTOBER 1978	SEPTEMBER 1979	OCTOBER 1979 1/	TOTAL 1978-79	THROUGH OCTOBER 1978	THROUGH OCTOBER 1979 1/
	1,000 POUNDS					
EDIBLE GRADES USED IN:						
PEANUT CANDY 2/	22,911	26,641	24,927	268,435	69,016	79,152
SALTED PEANUTS	28,886	32,721	29,874	291,614	82,167	87,474
PEANUT BUTTER SAND. 3/	2,897	2,950	2,574	28,067	7,584	7,850
PEANUT BUTTER 4/	57,483	56,385	59,737	664,937	165,029	178,333
OTHER PRODUCTS	1,715	1,664	1,520	19,105	5,263	5,097
<b>TOTAL EDIBLE USES</b>	<b>113,892</b>	<b>120,361</b>	<b>118,632</b>	<b>1,272,158</b>	<b>329,059</b>	<b>357,906</b>
CRUSHED FOR OIL 5/ CAKE AND MEAL	24,756	10,748	11,138	395,951	82,842	49,019
<b>TOTAL USES</b>	<b>138,648</b>	<b>131,109</b>	<b>129,770</b>	<b>1,668,109</b>	<b>411,901</b>	<b>406,925</b>
<b>USES BY TYPES</b>						
<b>VIRGINIAS</b>						
EDIBLE GRADES USED IN:						
PEANUT CANDY 2/	3,603	5,433	4,507	48,424	9,920	15,867
SALTED PEANUTS	8,413	12,484	10,846	91,426	28,455	33,552
PEANUT BUTTER SAND. 3/	991	900	486	4,655	1,578	1,937
PEANUT BUTTER 4/	3,503	3,666	2,963	48,824	10,348	11,745
OTHER PRODUCTS	158	225	144	2,531	562	632
<b>TOTAL VIRGINIA USES</b>	<b>16,668</b>	<b>22,708</b>	<b>18,946</b>	<b>195,860</b>	<b>50,863</b>	<b>63,733</b>
<b>RUNNERS</b>						
EDIBLE GRADES USED IN:						
PEANUT CANDY 2/	13,324	17,261	16,563	158,258	41,003	50,861
SALTED PEANUTS	16,442	14,544	15,032	158,262	43,449	40,756
PEANUT BUTTER SAND. 3/	1,811	2,014	1,997	22,528	5,866	5,724
PEANUT BUTTER 4/	47,884	49,277	53,203	546,001	135,765	155,258
OTHER PRODUCTS	1,398	1,186	1,175	13,949	4,071	3,690
<b>TOTAL RUNNER USES</b>	<b>80,859</b>	<b>84,282</b>	<b>87,970</b>	<b>898,998</b>	<b>230,154</b>	<b>256,289</b>
<b>SPANISH</b>						
EDIBLE GRADES USED IN:						
PEANUT CANDY 2/	5,984	3,947	3,857	61,753	18,093	12,424
SALTED PEANUTS	4,031	5,693	3,996	41,926	10,263	13,166
PEANUT BUTTER SAND. 3/	95	36	91	884	140	189
PEANUT BUTTER 4/	6,096	3,442	3,571	70,112	18,916	11,330
OTHER PRODUCTS	159	253	201	2,625	630	775
<b>TOTAL SPANISH USES</b>	<b>16,365</b>	<b>13,371</b>	<b>11,716</b>	<b>177,300</b>	<b>48,042</b>	<b>37,884</b>

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.