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# Peanut Stocks and Processing



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## PEANUT STOCKS AND PROCESSING December 31, 1987

These Statistics are collected and presented according to the Peanut Statistics Act which requires shellers, crushers and processors of raw peanuts to submit periodic reports for their operations. These reports are based on a complete enumeration of all shellers and crushers and all of the larger processors of raw peanuts. However, because of the number of processors of raw peanuts, reports are occasionally received too late to be included in the first tabulation. Allowances are made for these missing reports and revised totals are published in the next report.

### PEANUT STOCKS

Peanut stocks in commercial storage on December 31, 1987, totaled 3.04 billion pounds of equivalent farmer stock. This total includes 2.29 billion pounds of actual farmer stock.

Shelled peanuts on hand totaled 714 million pounds of equivalent farmer stock. Roasting stock totaled 30.4 million pounds. There were 385 million pounds of Commodity Credit Corporation uncommitted stock on hand as of December 31, 1987.

Shelled peanut stocks on December 31, 1987, totaled 537 million pounds of which 517 million pounds were edible grades and 19.9 million pounds were oil stocks. Edible grade stocks by type were: Virginias, 92.4 million pounds; Runners, 351 million pounds; and Spanish, 73.3 million pounds.

### MILLINGS

December millings totaled 356 million pounds. Millings by type were: 100 million pounds of Virginias, 226 million pounds of Runners, and 29.3 million pounds of Spanish.

### EDIBLE USE AND CRUSHINGS

Commercial processors utilized 107 million pounds of shelled edible grade peanuts during December. Utilization for peanut butter was 52.6 million pounds, utilization for peanut candy was 17.0 million pounds, and utilization for salted peanuts was 30.8 million pounds.

Crushings for oil, cake, and meal totaled 31.0 million pounds during the month.

Deliveries under the Government Domestic Feeding and Child Nutrition Programs amounted to 1,784,709 pounds of peanut butter, 864,000 pounds of roasted peanuts, and 69,300 pounds of peanut granules during the month of December.

TABLE 1. STOCKS OF PEANUTS AND SPECIFIED PRODUCTS AT MONTH'S END,  
CROP OF 1987-88 1/

MONTH ENDING	FARMER STOCK	SHELLED PEANUTS 2/	ROASTING STOCK (IN SHELL)	FARMER STOCK EQUIVALENT	
				SHELLED PEANUTS	TOTAL 3/
1,000 POUNDS					
AUG 1987	2,275	515,673	25,854	685,845	713,974
SEP	832,645	450,260	12,647	598,846	1,444,138
OCT	2,181,639	438,711	19,093	583,486	2,784,218
NOV	2,349,588	464,114	23,954	617,272	2,990,814
DEC	2,291,881	537,105	30,434	714,350	3,036,665
JAN 1988					
FEB					
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MAY					
JUN					
JUL					
SAME MONTH LAST SEAS	2,103,317	568,968	39,052	756,727	2,899,096

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TABLE 2. FARMER STOCK PEANUTS, BY TYPES, ON HAND AT MONTH'S END,  
CROP OF 1987-88 1/

MONTH ENDING	VIRGINIAS	RUNNERS	SPANISH (BY AREAS)				TOTAL ALL TYPES
			VIRGINIA: NORTH CAROLINA	SOUTH EAST	SOUTH WEST	TOTAL	
1,000 POUNDS							
AUG 1987	42	1,526	0	0	707	707	2,275
SEP	24,444	793,875	0	5,472	8,854	14,326	832,645
OCT	309,694	1,767,590	0	8,871	95,484	104,355	2,181,639
NOV	343,397	1,829,813	0	2,925	173,453	176,378	2,349,588
DEC	319,518	1,710,403	0	561	261,399	261,960	2,291,881
JAN 1988							
FEB							
MAR							
APR							
MAY							
JUN							
JUL							
SAME MONTH LAST SEAS	359,904	1,594,613	22	789	147,989	148,800	2,103,317

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TABLE 3. TOTAL FARMER STOCK PEANUTS ON HAND AT MONTH'S END,  
CROP OF 1987-88 1/

MONTH ENDING	CCC UNCOMMITTED STOCKS	COMMERCIAL STOCKS			EQUIVALENT TOTAL FARMER STOCK
		RESTRICTED USE 17/	OTHER COMMERCIAL	TOTAL	
1,000 POUNDS					
AUG 1987	0	16/	16/	2,275	2,275
SEP	14,460	16/	16/	818,185	832,645
OCT	110,513	16/	16/	2,071,126	2,181,639
NOV	262,192	16/	16/	2,087,396	2,349,588
DEC	385,216	16/	16/	1,906,665	2,291,881
JAN 1988					
FEB					
MAR					
APR					
MAY					
JUN					
JUL					
SAME MONTH LAST SEAS	99,020	16/	16/	2,004,297	2,103,317

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TABLE 4. SHELLED PEANUTS AND ROASTING STOCK (IN SHELL) ON HAND AT MONTH'S  
END, CROP OF 1987-88 1/

MONTH ENDING	SHELLED EDIBLES				SHELLED STOCKS 4/	TOTAL SHELLED	ROASTING STOCKS 5/
	VIRGINIAS	RUNNERS	SPANISH	TOTAL			
1,000 POUNDS							
AUG 1987	80,604	375,261	52,365	508,230	7,443	515,673	25,854
SEP	52,116	344,222	42,490	438,828	11,432	450,260	12,647
OCT	64,802	298,481	51,739	415,022	23,689	438,711	19,093
NOV	75,362	304,198	64,769	444,329	19,785	464,114	23,954
DEC	92,444	351,411	73,311	517,166	19,939	537,105	30,434
JAN 1988							
FEB							
MAR							
APR							
MAY							
JUN							
JUL							
SAME MONTH LAST SEAS	142,705	351,303	54,582	548,590	20,378	568,968	39,052

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TABLE 5. FARMER STOCK PEANUTS MILLED (NET WEIGHT), BY MONTHS,  
CROP OF 1987-88 18/

MONTH ENDING	VIRGINIAS	RUNNERS	SPANISH (BY AREAS)				TOTAL	TOTAL ALL TYPES
			VIRGINIA: NORTH CAROLINA	SOUTH EAST	SOUTH WEST	TOTAL		
1,000 POUNDS								
AUG 1987	134	24,318	0	0	1,090	1,090	25,542	
SEP	2,396	199,864	0	0	7,920	7,920	210,180	
OCT	125,430	237,312	0	1,326	27,508	28,834	391,576	
NOV	109,690	212,646	0	6,116	34,472	40,588	362,924	
DEC	100,366	226,010	0	2,298	26,954	29,252	355,628	
JAN 1988								
FEB								
MAR								
APR								
MAY								
JUN								
JUL								
SAME MONTH:								
LAST SEAS	80,054	267,534	0	0	28,056	28,056	375,644	
SEAS TO								
DATE	338,016	900,150	0	9,740	97,944	107,684	1,345,850	

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TABLE 6. PRODUCTION OF SHELLED AND ROASTING STOCK (IN SHELL) PEANUTS,  
BY MONTHS, CROP OF 1987-88 6/

MONTH ENDING	SHELLED EDIBLES				SHELLED OIL STOCKS 4/	TOTAL SHELLED	ROASTING STOCKS 5/
	VIRGINIAS	RUNNERS	SPANISH	TOTAL			
1,000 POUNDS							
AUG 1987	11	15,324	756	16,091	3,174	19,265	113
SEP	838	143,425	5,079	149,342	11,186	160,528	1,120
OCT	47,561	165,309	19,226	232,096	23,727	255,823	40,216
NOV	43,351	145,934	27,065	216,350	24,886	241,236	29,528
DEC	38,241	154,504	19,331	212,076	23,839	235,915	25,992
JAN 1988							
FEB							
MAR							
APR							
MAY							
JUN							
JUL							
SAME MONTH:							
LAST SEAS	33,357	188,292	18,179	239,828	23,668	263,496	16,980
SEAS TO							
DATE	130,002	624,496	71,457	825,955	86,812	912,767	96,969

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TABLE 7. SHELLED PEANUTS CRUSHED, PRODUCTION AND STOCKS OF PEANUT OIL AND CAKE AND MEAL, BY MONTHS, CROP OF 1987-88 7/

MONTH ENDING	PRODUCTION			STOCKS (END OF PERIOD)	
	SHELLED PEANUTS CRUSHED 8/	CRUDE OIL	CAKE & MEAL	CRUDE OIL 7/	CAKE & MEAL 7/
1,000 POUNDS					
AUG 1987	22,013	8,541	11,965	18,319	3,176
SEP	10,028	4,080	5,605	7,253	1,965
OCT	17,674	7,143	10,073	5,591	3,604
NOV	34,389	13,297	21,295	8,287	10,357
DEC	31,023	12,101	19,494	7,127	6,212
JAN 1988					
FEB					
MAR					
APR					
MAY					
JUN					
JUL					
SAME MONTH LAST SEAS	33,447	13,253	19,405	19,844	8,562
SEAS TO DATE	115,127	45,162	68,432	--	--

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TABLE 8. APPARENT DISAPPEARANCE OF MILLED PEANUT PRODUCTS, BY MONTHS, CROP OF 1987-88 9/

MONTH ENDING	SHELLED PEANUTS			ROASTING STOCK	CRUDE PEANUT OIL 7/	CAKE & MEAL 7/
	EDIBLE GRADES	OIL STOCKS 10/	TOTAL			
1,000 POUNDS						
AUG 1987	191,483	17,031	208,514	14,161	13,495	13,234
SEP	218,744	7,197	225,941	14,327	15,146	6,816
OCT	255,902	11,470	267,372	33,770	8,805	8,434
NOV	187,043	28,790	215,833	24,667	10,601	14,542
DEC	139,239	23,685	162,924	19,512	13,261	23,639
JAN 1988						
FEB						
MAR						
APR						
MAY						
JUN						
JUL						
SAME MONTH LAST SEAS	120,432	24,707	145,139	17,251	12,833	19,559
SEAS TO DATE	992,411	88,173	1,080,584	106,437	61,308	66,665

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TABLE 9. ALL TYPES SHELLED PEANUTS (RAW BASIS) USED IN PRIMARY PRODUCTS, BY MONTHS, CROP OF 1987-88 6/

MONTH ENDING	EDIBLE GRADES USED IN						TOTAL ALL GRADES
	PEANUT CANDY 11/	SALTED PEANUTS	PEANUT BUTTER SANDWICHES 12/	PEANUT BUTTER 14/	OTHER PRODUCTS	TOTAL	
1,000 POUNDS							
AUG 1987	27,993	32,311	4,214	56,711	4,171	125,400	147,413
SEP	29,473	43,688	5,769	65,752	3,739	148,421	158,449
OCT	37,335	43,653	5,920	61,288	3,386	151,582	169,256
NOV	20,802	38,955	3,360	49,873	3,083	116,073	150,462
DEC	16,959	30,789	4,207	52,561	2,342	106,858	137,881
JAN 1988							
FEB							
MAR							
APR							
MAY							
JUN							
JUL							
SAME MONTH LAST SEAS	20,848	35,528	2,065	55,707	2,248	116,396	149,843
SEAS TO DATE	132,562	189,396	23,470	286,185	16,721	648,334	763,461

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TABLE 10. VIRGINIAS SHELLED PEANUTS (RAW BASIS) USED IN PRIMARY PRODUCTS, BY MONTHS, CROP OF 1987-88 15/

MONTH ENDING	EDIBLE GRADES USED IN					TOTAL
	PEANUT CANDY 11/	SALTED PEANUTS	PEANUT BUTTER SANDWICHES 12/	PEANUT BUTTER 14/	OTHER PRODUCTS	
1,000 POUNDS						
AUG 1987	2,903	12,658	1,120	3,531	1,455	21,667
SEP	2,812	17,878	1,207	4,004	1,369	27,270
OCT	2,782	15,719	1,359	4,135	1,690	25,685
NOV	2,250	15,781	644	3,336	1,183	23,194
DEC	1,111	10,368	714	3,048	1,031	16,272
JAN 1988						
FEB						
MAR						
APR						
MAY						
JUN						
JUL						
SAME MONTH LAST SEAS	2,488	15,738	168	5,417	1,265	25,076
SEAS TO DATE	11,858	72,404	5,044	18,054	6,728	114,088

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TABLE 11. RUNNERS SHELLED PEANUTS (RAW BASIS) USED IN PRIMARY PRODUCTS,  
BY MONTHS, CROP OF 1987-88 15/

MONTH ENDING	EDIBLE GRADES USED IN						TOTAL
	PEANUT CANDY 11/	SALTED PEANUTS	PEANUT BUTTER SANDWICHES 12/	PEANUT BUTTER 14/	OTHER PRODUCTS		
	1,000 POUNDS						
AUG 1987	23,054	16,506	3,067	49,658	2,597	94,882	
SEP	24,477	20,703	4,562	57,422	2,191	109,355	
OCT	31,879	23,836	4,546	52,487	1,569	114,317	
NOV	16,664	18,367	2,655	43,951	1,695	83,332	
DEC	14,172	16,484	3,395	45,962	1,226	81,239	
JAN 1988							
FEB							
MAR							
APR							
MAY							
JUN							
JUL							
SAME MONTH LAST SEAS	15,317	16,103	1,863	47,296	771	81,350	
SEAS TO DATE	110,246	95,896	18,225	249,480	9,278	483,125	

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TABLE 12. SPANISH SHELLED PEANUTS (RAW BASIS) USED IN PRIMARY PRODUCTS,  
BY MONTHS, CROP OF 1987-88 15/

MONTH ENDING	EDIBLE GRADES USED IN						TOTAL
	PEANUT CANDY 11/	SALTED PEANUTS	PEANUT BUTTER SANDWICHES 12/	PEANUT BUTTER 14/	OTHER PRODUCTS		
	1,000 POUNDS						
AUG 1987	2,036	3,147	27	3,522	119	8,851	
SEP	2,184	5,107	0	4,326	179	11,796	
OCT	2,674	4,098	15	4,666	127	11,580	
NOV	1,888	4,807	61	2,586	205	9,547	
DEC	1,676	3,937	98	3,551	85	9,347	
JAN 1988							
FEB							
MAR							
APR							
MAY							
JUN							
JUL							
SAME MONTH LAST SEAS	3,043	3,687	34	2,994	212	9,970	
SEAS TO DATE	10,458	21,096	201	18,651	715	51,121	

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- 1/ EXCLUDES STOCKS ON FARMS. INCLUDES STOCKS OWNED BY OR HELD FOR ACCOUNT OF CCC IN COMMERCIAL STORAGES. FARMER STOCK ON NET WEIGHT BASIS.
- 2/ INCLUDES SHELLED EDIBLE AND SHELLED OIL STOCK.
- 3/ ACTUAL FARMER STOCK, PLUS ROASTING STOCK, PLUS SHELLED PEANUTS X 1.33.
- 4/ INCLUDES UNGRADED AND STRAIGHT RUN OIL STOCK PEANUTS.
- 5/ CLEANED AND UNSHELLED.
- 6/ EXCLUDES PEANUTS MILLED FOR SEED.
- 7/ RELATES TO OIL MILLS ONLY.
- 8/ ALL CRUSHINGS REGARDLESS OF GRADE.
- 9/ INCLUDES IN TRANSIT, EXPORTS AND DOMESTIC USE.
- 10/ DISAPPEARANCE OF BOTH GRADED AND UNGRADED OIL STOCK.
- 11/ INCLUDES PEANUT BUTTER MADE BY MANUFACTURERS FOR OWN USE IN CANDY.
- 12/ INCLUDES PEANUT BUTTER COOKIES.
- 13/ INCLUDES ALL SHELLED PEANUTS CRUSHED REGARDLESS OF GRADE.
- 14/ EXCLUDES PEANUT BUTTER MADE BY MANUFACTURERS FOR OWN USE IN CANDY OR SANDWICHES.
- 15/ CRUSHINGS BY TYPE NOT AVAILABLE.
- 16/ NOT PUBLISHED TO AVOID DISCLOSING INDIVIDUAL OPERATIONS.
- 17/ PURCHASED FROM CCC FOR CRUSHING OR EXPORT.
- 18/ INCLUDES PEANUTS MILLED FOR SEED.

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