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PEANUT STOCKS AND PROCESSING April 27, 1989

Peanut stocks in commercial storage on March 31, 1989, totaled 2.24 billion pounds of equivalent farmer stock. This total includes 1.25 billion pounds of actual farmer stock.

Shelled peanuts on hand totaled 933 million pounds of equivalent farmer stock. Roasting stock totaled 57.3 million pounds. There were 149 million pounds of Commodity Credit Corporation uncommitted stock on hand as of March 31, 1989.

Shelled peanut stocks on March 31, 1989, totaled 702 million pounds of which 656 million pounds were edible grades and 45.6 million pounds were oil stocks. Edible grade stocks by type were Virginia's, 124 million pounds; Runners, 474 million pounds; and Spanish, 57.8 million pounds.

MILLINGS

March millings totaled 405 million pounds. Millings by type were 63.6 million pounds of Virginias, 308 million pounds of Runners, and 33.1 million pounds of Spanish.

EDIBLE USE AND CRUSHINGS

Commercial processors utilized 130 million pounds of shelled edible grade peanuts during March. Utilization for peanut butter was 72.8 million pounds, utilization for peanut candy was 25.0 million pounds, and utilization for salted peanuts was 26.4 million pounds.

Crushings for oil, cake, and meal totaled 62.1 million pounds during the month.

Deliveries under the Government Domestic Feeding and Child Nutrition Programs amounted to 5,449,102 pounds of peanut butter, 478,800 pounds of roasted peanuts, and 138,600 pounds of peanut granules during the month of March.

STOCKS OF TREATED SEED

Stocks of treated seed on hand as of March 31, 1989, totaled 30.4 million pounds, compared with 8.67 million pounds on February 28, 1989. Of the March total, 8.38 million pounds were Virginias and Valencias, 21.9 million pounds were Runners, and 114 thousand pounds were Spanish. February stocks of seed included 4.25 million pounds of Virginias and Valencias, 4.35 million pounds of Runners, and 73.2 thousand pounds of Spanish.

TABLE 1. STOCKS OF PEANUTS AND SPECIFIED PRODUCTS AT MONTH'S END,
CROP OF 1988-89 1/

MONTH ENDING	FARMER STOCK	SHELLED PEANUTS 2/	ROASTING STOCK (IN SHELL)	FARMER STOCK EQUIVALENT	
				SHELLED PEANUTS	TOTAL 3/
1,000 POUNDS					
AUG 1988	1,382	426,188	33,147	566,830	601,359
SEP	592,859	351,792	20,219	467,883	1,080,961
OCT	2,532,509	407,485	29,785	541,955	3,104,249
NOV	2,693,398	461,966	33,747	614,415	3,341,560
DEC	2,562,630	518,271	40,447	689,300	3,292,377
JAN 1989	2,226,881	565,136	50,175	751,631	3,028,687
FEB	1,733,943	660,160	51,479	878,013	2,663,435
MAR	1,249,612	701,818	57,291	933,418	2,240,321
APR					
MAY					
JUN					
JUL					
SAME MONTH LAST SEAS	985,345	720,986	62,249	958,911	2,006,505

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TABLE 2. FARMER STOCK PEANUTS, BY TYPES, ON HAND AT MONTH'S END,
CROP OF 1988-89 1/

MONTH ENDING	VIRGINIAS	RUNNERS	SPANISH (BY AREAS)				TOTAL ALL TYPES
			VIRGINIA: NORTH CAROLINA:	SOUTH EAST	SOUTH WEST	TOTAL	
1,000 POUNDS							
AUG 1988	186	1,178	0	0	18	18	1,382
SEP	31,436	544,116	0	4,240	13,067	17,307	592,859
OCT	352,197	2,070,681	0	7,942	101,689	109,631	2,532,509
NOV	408,915	2,126,814	0	3,925	153,744	157,669	2,693,398
DEC	354,315	2,058,422	0	1,401	148,492	149,893	2,562,630
JAN 1989	316,984	1,768,913	0	1,401	139,583	140,984	2,226,881
FEB	229,235	1,399,391	0	0	105,317	105,317	1,733,943
MAR	178,895	1,005,757	0	0	64,960	64,960	1,249,612
APR							
MAY							
JUN							
JUL							
SAME MONTH LAST SEAS	93,292	754,407	0	404	137,242	137,646	985,345

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TABLE 3. TOTAL FARMER STOCK PEANUTS ON HAND AT MONTH'S END,
CROP OF 1988-89 1/

MONTH ENDING	CCC UNCOMMITTED STOCKS	COMMERCIAL STOCKS			EQUIVALENT TOTAL FARMER STOCK
		RESTRICTED USE 17/	OTHER COMMERCIAL	TOTAL	
1,000 POUNDS					
AUG 1988	0	16/	16/	1,382	1,382
SEP	8,300	16/	16/	584,559	592,859
OCT	174,771	16/	16/	2,357,738	2,532,509
NOV	226,074	16/	16/	2,467,324	2,693,398
DEC	468,699	16/	16/	2,093,931	2,562,630
JAN 1989	448,405	16/	16/	1,778,476	2,226,881
FEB	327,572	16/	16/	1,406,371	1,733,943
MAR	149,150	16/	16/	1,100,462	1,249,612
APR					
MAY					
JUN					
JUL					
SAME MONTH LAST SEAS	94,385	16/	16/	890,960	985,345

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TABLE 4. SHELLED PEANUTS AND ROASTING STOCK (IN SHELL) ON HAND AT MONTH'S
END, CROP OF 1988-89 1/

MONTH ENDING	SHELLED EDIBLES 19/				SHELLED OIL STOCKS 4/	TOTAL SHELLED STOCKS	ROASTING STOCKS 5/
	VIRGINIAS	RUNNERS	SPANISH	TOTAL			
1,000 POUNDS							
AUG 1988	59,974	313,976	45,321	419,271	6,917	426,188	33,147
SEP	48,567	258,149	33,075	339,791	12,001	351,792	20,219
OCT	68,766	274,520	42,875	386,161	21,324	407,485	29,785
NOV	93,033	294,415	48,870	436,318	25,648	461,966	33,747
DEC	107,195	340,704	47,331	495,230	23,041	518,271	40,447
JAN 1989	118,170	376,566	46,113	540,849	24,287	565,136	50,175
FEB	136,163	439,100	49,779	625,042	35,118	660,160	51,479
MAR	124,073	474,313	57,845	656,231	45,587	701,818	57,291
APR							
MAY							
JUN							
JUL							
SAME MONTH LAST SEAS	118,826	502,071	71,129	692,026	28,960	720,986	62,249

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TABLE 5. FARMER STOCK PEANUTS MILLED (NET WEIGHT), BY MONTHS, CROP OF 1988-89 18/

MONTH ENDING	VIRGINIAS	RUNNERS	SPANISH (BY AREAS)				TOTAL ALL TYPES
			VIRGINIA: NORTH : CAROLINA:	SOUTH : EAST	SOUTH : WEST	TOTAL	
1,000 POUNDS							
AUG 1988	2,548	3,790	0	0	0	0	6,338
SEP	15,966	103,752	0	0	3,564	3,564	123,282
OCT	135,970	253,342	0	1,896	25,540	27,436	416,748
NOV	131,130	261,320	0	5,158	26,774	31,932	424,382
DEC	98,792	242,626	0	2,558	17,550	20,108	361,526
JAN 1989	95,496	287,600	0	0	13,246	13,246	396,342
FEB	78,800	310,562	0	0	16,856	16,856	406,218
MAR	63,578	308,136	0	0	33,068	33,068	404,782
APR							
MAY							
JUN							
JUL							
SAME MONTH: LAST SEAS	82,266	321,772	0	0	18,746	18,746	422,784
SEAS TO DATE	622,280	1,771,128	0	9,612	136,598	146,210	2,539,618

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TABLE 6. PRODUCTION OF SHELLED AND ROASTING STOCK (IN SHELL) PEANUTS, BY MONTHS, CROP OF 1988-89

MONTH ENDING	SHELLED EDIBLES 18/				SHELLED : OIL STOCKS 4/	TOTAL : SHELLED	ROASTING STOCKS 5/
	VIRGINIAS	RUNNERS	SPANISH:	TOTAL			
1,000 POUNDS							
AUG 1988	821	421	0	1,242	3,180	4,422	0
SEP	9,362	71,358	2,370	83,090	9,978	93,068	2,222
OCT	50,249	173,115	19,768	243,132	35,761	278,893	46,485
NOV	54,868	175,323	20,434	250,625	31,321	281,946	36,400
DEC	35,575	162,555	12,457	210,587	29,438	240,025	27,750
JAN 1989	40,128	196,504	7,832	244,464	43,997	288,461	26,308
FEB	33,830	199,999	10,521	244,350	36,112	280,462	19,917
MAR	23,046	192,687	20,562	236,295	39,986	276,281	17,555
APR							
MAY							
JUN							
JUL							
SAME MONTH: LAST SEAS	27,400	210,506	12,593	250,499	33,590	284,089	25,150
SEAS TO DATE	247,879	1,171,962	93,944	1,513,785	229,773	1,743,558	176,637

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TABLE 7. SHELLED PEANUTS CRUSHED, PRODUCTION AND STOCKS OF PEANUT OIL AND CAKE AND MEAL, BY MONTHS, CROP OF 1988-89 7/

MONTH ENDING	SHELLED PEANUTS		PRODUCTION		STOCKS (END OF PERIOD)	
	CRUSHED 8/	PEANUTS	CRUDE OIL	CAKE & MEAL	CRUDE OIL 7/	CAKE & MEAL 7/
1,000 POUNDS						
AUG 1988	23,782	10,027	13,493	15,887	10,074	
SEP	6,672	2,712	3,808	5,863	4,036	
OCT	25,184	9,835	14,831	3,909	7,262	
NOV	38,865	15,562	22,132	2,936	7,950	
DEC	44,229	17,924	25,005	3,474	8,930	
JAN 1989	48,768	19,907	27,985	5,871	13,225	
FEB	50,183	21,408	28,744	8,314	10,698	
MAR	62,066	26,255	34,807	11,187	11,295	
APR						
MAY						
JUN						
JUL						
SAME MONTH LAST SEAS	39,860	16,271	22,337	10,978	11,079	
SEAS TO DATE	299,749	123,630	170,805	--	--	

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TABLE 8. APPARENT DISAPPEARANCE OF MILLED PEANUT PRODUCTS, BY MONTHS, CROP OF 1988-89 9/

MONTH ENDING	SHELLED PEANUTS			ROASTING STOCK	CRUDE PEANUT OIL 7/	CAKE & MEAL 7/
	EDIBLE GRADES	OIL STOCKS 10/	TOTAL			
1,000 POUNDS						
AUG 1988	147,750	18,910	166,660	12,882	15,492	15,514
SEP	162,570	4,894	167,464	15,150	12,736	9,846
OCT	196,762	26,438	223,200	36,919	11,789	11,605
NOV	200,468	26,997	227,465	32,438	16,535	21,444
DEC	151,675	32,045	183,720	21,050	17,386	24,025
JAN 1989	198,845	42,751	241,596	16,580	17,510	23,690
FEB	160,157	25,281	185,438	18,613	18,965	31,271
MAR	205,106	29,517	234,623	11,743	23,382	34,210
APR						
MAY						
JUN						
JUL						
SAME MONTH LAST SEAS	182,355	30,685	213,040	16,365	12,327	19,472
SEAS TO DATE	1,423,333	206,833	1,630,166	165,375	133,795	171,605

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TABLE 9. ALL TYPES SHELLED PEANUTS (RAW BASIS) USED IN PRIMARY PRODUCTS, BY MONTHS, CROP OF 1988-89 6/

MONTH ENDING	EDIBLE GRADES USED IN 19/					TOTAL	TOTAL ALL GRADES
	PEANUT CANDY 11/	SALTED PEANUTS	PEANUT BUTTER SANDWICHES 12/	PEANUT BUTTER 14/	OTHER PRODUCTS		
1,000 POUNDS							
AUG 1988	30,591	39,268	3,089	63,738	2,717	139,403	163,185
SEP	31,402	44,884	3,404	67,359	2,856	149,905	156,577
OCT	30,363	42,448	2,681	71,721	3,457	150,670	175,854
NOV	25,613	35,399	2,669	64,561	2,744	130,986	169,851
DEC	27,088	28,215	1,996	65,701	2,274	125,274	169,503
JAN 1989	26,647	26,040	1,900	75,412	2,771	132,770	181,538
FEB	26,510	20,632	2,229	73,791	2,089	125,251	175,434
MAR	24,972	26,366	1,989	72,750	3,537	129,614	191,680
APR							
MAY							
JUN							
JUL							
SAME MONTH LAST SEAS	26,064	23,951	4,026	63,535	3,228	120,804	160,664
SEAS TO DATE	223,186	263,252	19,957	555,033	22,445	1,083,873	1,383,622

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TABLE 10. VIRGINIAS SHELLED PEANUTS (RAW BASIS) USED IN PRIMARY PRODUCTS, BY MONTHS, CROP OF 1988-89 15/

MONTH ENDING	EDIBLE GRADES USED IN 19/					TOTAL
	PEANUT CANDY 11/	SALTED PEANUTS	PEANUT BUTTER SANDWICHES 12/	PEANUT BUTTER 14/	OTHER PRODUCTS	
1,000 POUNDS						
AUG 1988	3,997	7,097	467	3,329	1,553	16,443
SEP	3,666	9,819	281	4,233	1,252	19,251
OCT	3,339	11,120	521	2,997	1,129	19,106
NOV	2,828	10,506	915	4,987	1,011	20,247
DEC	2,937	8,115	673	4,288	966	16,979
JAN 1989	3,036	8,681	518	6,424	1,111	19,770
FEB	2,800	6,759	710	8,135	854	19,258
MAR	2,868	10,097	702	6,917	1,913	22,497
APR						
MAY						
JUN						
JUL						
SAME MONTH LAST SEAS	4,419	6,816	171	2,442	724	14,572
SEAS TO DATE	25,471	72,194	4,787	41,310	9,789	153,551

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TABLE 11. RUNNERS SHELLED PEANUTS (RAW BASIS) USED IN PRIMARY PRODUCTS,
BY MONTHS, CROP OF 1988-89 15/

MONTH ENDING	EDIBLE GRADES USED IN 19/					TOTAL
	PEANUT CANDY 11/	SALTED PEANUTS	PEANUT BUTTER SANDWICHES 12/	PEANUT BUTTER 14/	OTHER PRODUCTS	
1,000 POUNDS						
AUG 1988	23,385	28,980	2,609	55,991	1,132	112,097
SEP	25,133	30,845	3,111	57,838	1,536	118,463
OCT	24,415	27,455	2,142	61,345	2,036	117,393
NOV	20,520	21,537	1,728	56,737	1,621	102,143
DEC	22,329	16,666	1,311	57,650	1,260	99,216
JAN 1989	21,401	15,001	1,300	65,632	1,604	104,938
FEB	21,511	12,060	1,405	62,164	1,151	98,291
MAR	19,690	13,863	1,219	63,048	1,499	99,319
APR						
MAY						
JUN						
JUL						
SAME MONTH LAST SEAS	19,141	15,471	3,730	58,020	2,392	98,754
SEAS TO DATE	178,384	166,407	14,825	480,405	11,839	851,860

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TABLE 12. SPANISH SHELLED PEANUTS (RAW BASIS) USED IN PRIMARY PRODUCTS,
BY MONTHS, CROP OF 1988-89 15/

MONTH ENDING	EDIBLE GRADES USED IN 19/					TOTAL
	PEANUT CANDY 11/	SALTED PEANUTS	PEANUT BUTTER SANDWICHES 12/	PEANUT BUTTER 14/	OTHER PRODUCTS	
1,000 POUNDS						
AUG 1988	3,209	3,191	13	4,418	32	10,863
SEP	2,603	4,220	12	5,288	68	12,191
OCT	2,609	3,873	18	7,379	292	14,171
NOV	2,265	3,356	26	2,837	112	8,596
DEC	1,822	3,434	12	3,763	48	9,079
JAN 1989	2,210	2,358	82	3,356	56	8,062
FEB	2,199	1,813	114	3,492	84	7,702
MAR	2,414	2,406	68	2,785	125	7,798
APR						
MAY						
JUN						
JUL						
SAME MONTH LAST SEAS	2,504	1,664	125	3,073	112	7,478
SEAS TO DATE	19,331	24,651	345	33,318	817	78,462

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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 usually based on a complete enumeration of all shellers and crushers and all of the larger processors of raw peanuts. However, 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.

- 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 GRADES, SHELLED OIL STOCK, AND SHELLED SEED (UNTREATED).
- 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.
- 19/ SHELLED EDIBLE GRADES INCLUDE BLANCHED AND SHELLED ROASTED PEANUTS CONVERTED TO A RAW BASIS USING CONVERSION FACTORS OF 1.08 AND 1.12, RESPECTIVELY.

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