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## Peanut Stocks Up 49 Percent From Last Year

Peanut stocks in commercial storage totaled 4.21 billion pounds of equivalent farmer stock, compared to 2.82 billion pounds last year. This total includes 3.53 billion pounds of actual farmer stock.

Shelled peanuts on hand totaled 645 million pounds of equivalent farmer stock. Roasting stock totaled 32.6 million pounds. There were 649 million pounds of Commodity Credit Corporation uncommitted stocks on hand as of October 31, 1991.

Shelled peanut stocks totaled 485 million pounds of which 437 million pounds were edible grades and 47.9 million pounds were oil stocks. Edible grade stocks by type were: Virginias, 105 million pounds; Runners, 308 million pounds; and Spanish, 24.2 million pounds.

October millings totaled 615 million pounds. Millings by type were 165 million pounds of Virginias, 405 million pounds of Runners, and 44.7 million pounds of Spanish.

Commercial processors utilized 149 million pounds of shelled edible grade peanuts during October. Utilization for all peanut butter products was 79.5 million pounds, utilization for peanut candy was 22.2 million pounds, and utilization for snack peanuts was 43.1 million pounds. Crushing for oil, cake, and meal totaled 45.3 million pounds during the month.

*Deliveries under the Government Domestic Feeding and Child Nutrition Programs* amounted to 4,962,487 pounds of peanut butter, 1,501,200 pounds of roasted peanuts, and 323,400 pounds of peanut granules during the month of October.

Stocks of treated seed on hand October 31 totaled 314,000 pounds, compared with 319,000 pounds on September 30, 1991. Of the October total, 2,000 pounds were Virginias and Valencias, 304,000 pounds were Runners, and 8,000 pounds were Spanish. September stocks of treated seed included 2,000 pounds of Virginias and Valencias, 309,000 pounds of Runners, and 8,000 pounds of Spanish.

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Table 1. Stocks of Peanuts and Specified Products at Month's End,  
Crop of 1991-92 1/

Month Ending	Farmer Stock	Shelled Peanuts <u>2/</u>	Roasting Stock (In Shell)	Farmer Stock Equivalent	
				Shelled Peanuts	Total <u>3/</u>
1,000 Pounds					
Aug 1991	85,295	342,810	25,772	455,937	567,004
Sep	1,715,648	348,473	16,398	463,469	2,195,515
Oct	3,531,611	485,131	32,590	645,224	4,209,425
Nov					
Dec					
Jan 1992					
Feb					
Mar					
Apr					
May					
Jun					
Jul					
Same Month Last Seas	2,380,871	313,456	23,233	416,896	2,821,000

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Table 2. Farmer Stock Peanuts, by Types, on Hand at Month's End,  
Crop of 1991-92 1/

Month Ending	Virginias	Runners	Spanish (by Areas)				Total All Types
			Virginia: North Carolina	South East	South West	Total	
1,000 Pounds							
Aug 1991	11,315	72,866	0	146	968	1,114	85,295
Sep	121,083	1,582,375	0	3,122	9,068	12,190	1,715,648
Oct	525,086	2,847,988	0	11,425	147,112	158,537	3,531,611
Nov							
Dec							
Jan 1992							
Feb							
Mar							
Apr							
May							
Jun							
Jul							
Same Month Last Seas	625,012	1,633,285	0	6,842	115,732	122,574	2,380,871

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Table 3. Total Farmer Stock Peanuts on Hand at Month's End,  
Crop of 1991-92 1/

Month Ending	CCC Uncommitted Stocks	Commercial Stocks			Equivalent	
		Restricted Use <u>17/</u>	Other Commercial	Total	Total Farmer Stock	Stock
1,000 Pounds						
Aug 1991	5,032	<u>16/</u>	<u>16/</u>	80,263		85,295
Sep	190,169	<u>16/</u>	<u>16/</u>	1,525,479		1,715,648
Oct	648,797	<u>16/</u>	<u>16/</u>	2,882,814		3,531,611
Nov						
Dec						
Jan 1992						
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Same Month						
Last Seas	342,436	<u>16/</u>	<u>16/</u>	2,038,435		2,380,871

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Table 4. Shelled Peanuts and Roasting Stock (In Shell) on Hand at Month's  
End, Crop of 1991-92 1/

Month Ending	Shelled Edibles <u>19/</u>				Shelled	Total		Roasting
	Virginias	Runners	Spanish	Total	Oil Stocks <u>4/</u>	Shelled	Stocks <u>5/</u>	Stocks
1,000 Pounds								
Aug 1991	119,124	155,491	21,783	296,398	46,412	342,810		25,772
Sep	90,872	199,029	16,732	306,633	41,840	348,473		16,398
Oct	104,560	308,495	24,211	437,266	47,865	485,131		32,590
Nov								
Dec								
Jan 1992								
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Same Month								
Last Seas	85,286	173,746	25,915	284,947	28,509	313,456		23,233

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Table 5. Farmer Stock Peanuts Milled (Net Weight), by Months, Crop of 1991-92 18/

Month Ending	Virginias	Runners	Spanish (by Areas)				Total All Types
			Virginia: North: Carolina:	South: East	South: West	Total	
1,000 Pounds							
Aug 1991	4,948	51,254	0	0	1,126	1,126	57,328
Sep	36,992	251,826	0	6,296	5,026	11,322	300,140
Oct	165,158	405,216	0	0	44,720	44,720	615,094
Nov							
Dec							
Jan 1992							
Feb							
Mar							
Apr							
May							
Jun							
Jul							
Same Month:							
Last Seas	168,214	248,352	38	0	44,698	44,736	461,302
Seas Total:	207,098	708,296	0	6,296	50,872	57,168	972,562
90 To Date:	213,804	359,890	38	0	56,814	56,852	630,546

Table 6. Production of Shelled and Roasting Stock (In Shell) Peanuts, by Months, Crop of 1991-92

Month Ending	Shelled Edibles <u>18/</u>				Shelled	Total Shelled	Roasting Stocks <u>5/</u>
	Virginias	Runners	Spanish	Total	Oil Stocks <u>4/</u>		
1,000 Pounds							
Aug 1991	3,487	27,888	1,061	32,436	12,354	44,790	505
Sep	15,594	166,529	6,303	188,426	26,320	214,746	11,348
Oct	69,952	275,303	25,602	370,857	51,415	422,272	55,036
Nov							
Dec							
Jan 1992							
Feb							
Mar							
Apr							
May							
Jun							
Jul							
Same Month:							
Last Seas	74,809	168,012	30,014	272,835	31,238	304,073	45,650
Seas Total:	89,033	469,720	32,966	591,719	90,089	681,808	66,889
90 To Date:	100,169	240,771	33,484	374,424	54,142	428,566	50,139

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Table 7. Shelled Peanuts Crushed, Production and Stocks of Peanut Oil and Cake and Meal, by Months, Crop of 1991-92 7/

Month Ending	Shelled Peanuts	Production		Stocks (End of Period)	
	Crushed <u>8/</u>	Crude Oil	Cake & Meal	Crude Oil <u>7/</u>	Cake & Meal <u>7/</u>
	1,000 Pounds				
Aug 1991	51,210	21,140	26,777	16,509	7,217
Sep	37,579	14,719	19,044	14,018	6,313
Oct	45,349	18,442	25,914	17,495	7,227
Nov					
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Jul					
Same Month Last Seas	32,125	13,194	18,687	5,813	5,519
Seas Total	134,138	54,301	71,735	--	--
90 To Date	60,442	25,022	34,906	--	--

Table 8. Apparent Disappearance of Milled Peanut Products, by Months, Crop of 1991-92 9/

Month Ending	Shelled Peanuts			Roasting Stock	Crude Peanut Oil <u>7/</u>	Cake & Meal <u>7/</u>
	Edible Grades	Oil Stocks	Total			
	1,000 Pounds					
Aug 1991	122,193	31,892	154,085	15,334	25,829	28,416
Sep	178,191	30,892	209,083	20,722	17,210	19,948
Oct	240,224	45,390	285,614	38,844	14,965	25,000
Nov						
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Same Month Last Seas	203,082	20,498	223,580	32,261	11,561	19,045
Seas Total	540,608	108,174	648,782	74,900	58,004	73,364
90 To Date	545,063	40,827	585,890	71,730	30,179	44,089

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Table 9. Shelled Peanuts (Raw Basis) Used in Primary Products,  
And in Shell Peanuts, by Months, Crop of 1991-92 6/

Month Ending	Edible Grades Used In <u>19/</u>					Total All Grades <u>13/</u>	In Shell Peanuts <u>14/</u>
	Peanut Candy <u>11/</u>	Snack Peanuts <u>10/</u>	Peanut Butter <u>12/</u>	Other Products	Total		
1,000 Pounds							
Aug 1991	21,194	27,048	80,936	3,539	132,717	183,927	8,576
Sep	25,543	39,003	68,971	3,995	137,512	175,091	10,820
Oct	22,215	43,113	79,535	3,808	148,671	194,020	15,081
Nov							
Dec							
Jan 1992							
Feb							
Mar							
Apr							
May							
Jun							
Jul							
Same Month Last Seas	29,409	40,767	73,357	2,757	146,290	178,415	14,532
Seas Total	68,952	109,164	229,442	11,342	418,900	553,038	34,477
90 To Date	90,952	121,926	218,698	10,369	441,945	502,387	36,148

Table 10. Virginias Shelled Peanuts (Raw Basis) Used in Primary Products,  
by Months, Crop of 1991-92 15/

Month Ending	Edible Grades Used In <u>19/</u>				Total
	Peanut Candy <u>11/</u>	Snack Peanuts <u>10/</u>	Peanut Butter <u>12/</u>	Other Products	
1,000 Pounds					
Aug 1991	5,212	11,892	10,226	1,408	28,738
Sep	2,557	17,816	11,170	1,628	33,171
Oct	2,998	16,652	6,785	1,819	28,254
Nov					
Dec					
Jan 1992					
Feb					
Mar					
Apr					
May					
Jun					
Jul					
Same Month Last Seas	1,874	14,211	9,086	804	25,975
Seas Total	10,767	46,360	28,181	4,855	90,163
90 To Date	6,728	46,991	23,883	3,443	81,045

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Table 11. Runners Shelled Peanuts (Raw Basis) Used in Primary Products, by Months, Crop of 1991-92 15/

Month Ending	Edible Grades Used In <u>19/</u>				Total
	Peanut Candy <u>11/</u>	Snack Peanuts <u>10/</u>	Peanut Butter <u>12/</u>	Other Products	
	1,000 Pounds				
Aug 1991	14,093	13,441	65,652	2,057	95,243
Sep	21,414	19,442	51,878	2,130	94,864
Oct	17,702	23,674	67,147	1,816	110,339
Nov					
Dec					
Jan 1992					
Feb					
Mar					
Apr					
May					
Jun					
Jul					
Same Month Last Seas	25,738	23,390	59,701	1,769	110,598
Seas Total	53,209	56,557	184,677	6,003	300,446
90 To Date	78,612	66,460	183,778	6,162	335,012

Table 12. Spanish Shelled Peanuts (Raw Basis) Used in Primary Products, by Months, Crop of 1991-92 15/

Month Ending	Edible Grades Used In <u>19/</u>				Total
	Peanut Candy <u>11/</u>	Snack Peanuts <u>10/</u>	Peanut Butter <u>12/</u>	Other Products	
	1,000 Pounds				
Aug 1991	1,889	1,715	5,058	74	8,736
Sep	1,572	1,745	5,923	237	9,477
Oct	1,515	2,787	5,603	173	10,078
Nov					
Dec					
Jan 1992					
Feb					
Mar					
Apr					
May					
Jun					
Jul					
Same Month Last Seas	1,797	3,166	4,570	184	9,717
Seas Total	4,976	6,247	16,584	484	28,291
90 To Date	5,612	8,475	11,037	764	25,888

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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 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/ Formerly titled 'Salted Peanuts'. Includes salted, unsalted, dry and honey roasted, salted and unsalted roasted.
- 11/ Includes peanut butter made by manufacturers for own use in candy.
- 12/ Includes peanut butter made by manufacturers for own use in cookies and sandwiches, but excludes peanut butter used in candy.
- 13/ Includes all shelled peanuts crushed regardless of grade.
- 14/ Includes peanuts re-packaged, roasted in shell, salted in shell, and raw in shell.
- 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/ Beginning in February 1988, shelled edible grades include blanched and shelled roasted peanuts converted to a raw basis using conversion factors of 1.08 and 1.12, respectively. This should be considered when comparing with previous years.

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