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## Peanut Stocks Up 33 Percent From Last Year

Peanut stocks in commercial storage totaled 3.97 billion pounds of equivalent farmer stock, compared to 2.98 billion pounds last year. This total includes 3.17 billion pounds of actual farmer stock.

During the 1990-91 crop year, 20,584,556 pounds of peanuts (shelled basis) were imported into the U.S. according to USDA's Foreign Agricultural Service.

Shelled peanuts on hand totaled 758 million pounds of equivalent farmer stock. Roasting stock totaled 42.2 million pounds. There were 874 million pounds of Commodity Credit Corporation uncommitted stocks on hand as of November 30, 1991.

Shelled peanut stocks totaled 570 million pounds of which 539 million pounds were edible grades and 30.9 million pounds were oil stocks. Edible grade stocks by type were: Virginias, 119 million pounds; Runners, 382 million pounds; and Spanish, 37.9 million pounds.

November millings totaled 455 million pounds. Millings by type were 123 million pounds of Virginias, 298 million pounds of Runners, and 34.0 million pounds of Spanish.

Commercial processors utilized 129 million pounds of shelled edible grade peanuts during November. Utilization for all peanut butter products was 65.9 million pounds, utilization for peanut candy was 25.0 million pounds, and utilization for snack peanuts was 35.0 million pounds. Crushing for oil, cake, and meal totaled 56.7 million pounds during the month.

Deliveries under the Government Domestic Feeding and Child Nutrition Programs amounted to 4,820,755 pounds of peanut butter, 726,660 pounds of roasted peanuts, and no peanut granules were delivered during November.

Stocks of treated seed on hand November 30 totaled 302,000 pounds, compared with 314,000 pounds on October 31, 1991. Of the November total, 2,000 pounds were Virginias and Valencias, 292,000 pounds were Runners, and 8,000 pounds were Spanish. October stocks of treated seed included 2,000 pounds of Virginias and Valencias, 304,000 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 2/	Roasting Stock (In Shell)	Farmer Stock Equivalent	
				Shelled Peanuts	Total 3/
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	3,580,711	483,811	32,542	643,469	4,256,722
Nov	3,165,546	569,554	42,185	757,507	3,965,238
Dec					
Jan 1992					
Feb					
Mar					
Apr					
May					
Jun					
Jul					
Same Month Last Seas	2,455,347	376,010	25,658	500,093	2,981,098

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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	526,162	2,896,012	0	11,425	147,112	158,537	3,580,711
Nov	509,438	2,513,542	0	8,922	133,644	142,566	3,165,546
Dec							
Jan 1992							
Feb							
Mar							
Apr							
May							
Jun							
Jul							
Same Month Last Seas	609,552	1,700,543	0	6,897	138,355	145,252	2,455,347

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

Month Ending	CCC		Commercial Stocks		Equivalent	
	Uncommitted Stocks	Restricted Use <u>17/</u>	Other Commercial	Total	Total Farmer 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>	2,931,914	3,580,711	
Nov	874,205	<u>16/</u>	<u>16/</u>	2,291,341	3,165,546	
Dec						
Jan 1992						
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Same Month Last Seas	380,589	<u>16/</u>	<u>16/</u>	2,074,758	2,455,347	

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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	Oil		Total	Roasting
	Virginias	Runners	Spanish	Total	Stocks <u>4/</u>	Shelled	Stocks <u>5/</u>		
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	307,440	24,067	436,067	47,744	483,811	32,542		
Nov	119,064	381,716	37,894	538,674	30,880	569,554	42,185		
Dec									
Jan 1992									
Feb									
Mar									
Apr									
May									
Jun									
Jul									
Same Month Last Seas	114,150	192,374	38,280	344,804	31,206	376,010	25,658		

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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	392,250	0	0	44,720	44,720	602,128	
Nov	122,510	298,334	0	0	34,010	34,010	454,854	
Dec								
Jan 1992								
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Same Month:								
Last Seas	150,606	251,686	0	0	38,896	38,896	441,188	
Seas Total:	329,608	993,664	0	6,296	84,882	91,178	1,414,450	
90 To Date:	364,410	611,576	38	0	95,710	95,748	1,071,734	

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 Oil Stocks <u>4/</u>	Total Shelled	Roasting Stocks <u>5/</u>
	Virginias	Runners	Spanish	Total			
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	267,962	25,602	363,516	49,518	413,034	55,036
Nov	54,241	204,060	22,276	280,577	32,178	312,755	40,040
Dec							
Jan 1992							
Feb							
Mar							
Apr							
May							
Jun							
Jul							
Same Month:							
Last Seas	72,368	168,876	25,369	266,613	31,536	298,149	31,586
Seas Total:	143,274	666,439	55,242	864,955	120,370	985,325	106,929
90 To Date:	172,537	409,647	58,853	641,037	85,678	726,715	81,725

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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	56,739	23,072	32,715	20,137	12,501
Dec					
Jan 1992					
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May					
Jun					
Jul					
Same Month Last Seas	29,729	12,096	16,821	6,728	7,787
Seas Total	190,877	77,373	104,450	--	--
90 To Date	90,171	37,118	51,727	--	--

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

Month Ending	Shelled Peanuts			Roasting	Crude	Cake &
	Edible Grades	Oil Stocks	Total	Stock	Peanut Oil <u>7/</u>	Meal <u>7/</u>
	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	234,082	43,614	277,696	38,892	14,965	25,000
Nov	177,970	49,042	227,012	30,397	20,430	27,441
Dec						
Jan 1992						
Feb						
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May						
Jun						
Jul						
Same Month Last Seas	206,756	28,839	235,595	29,161	11,181	14,553
Seas Total	712,436	155,440	867,876	105,345	78,434	100,805
90 To Date	751,819	69,666	821,485	100,891	41,360	58,642

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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 19/					Total All Grades 13/	In Shell Peanuts 14/
	Peanut Candy 11/	Snack Peanuts 10/	Peanut Butter 12/	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	22,348	43,257	79,535	3,808	148,948	194,297	15,081
Nov	25,005	35,025	65,924	3,388	129,342	186,081	13,071
Dec							
Jan 1992							
Feb							
Mar							
Apr							
May							
Jun							
Jul							
Same Month Last Seas	25,572	36,630	68,048	3,058	133,308	163,037	14,378
Seas Total	94,090	144,333	295,366	14,730	548,519	739,396	47,548
90 To Date	116,524	158,556	286,746	13,427	575,253	665,424	50,526

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

Month Ending	Edible Grades Used In 19/				Total
	Peanut Candy 11/	Snack Peanuts 10/	Peanut Butter 12/	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	1,871	16,456	6,761	1,856	26,944
Dec					
Jan 1992					
Feb					
Mar					
Apr					
May					
Jun					
Jul					
Same Month Last Seas	2,526	12,214	9,858	1,236	25,834
Seas Total	12,638	62,816	34,942	6,711	117,107
90 To Date	9,254	59,205	33,741	4,679	106,879

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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	17,897	23,674	67,147	1,816	110,534
Nov	21,869	15,819	57,067	1,420	96,175
Dec					
Jan 1992					
Feb					
Mar					
Apr					
May					
Jun					
Jul					
Same Month Last Seas	21,840	21,837	53,845	1,683	99,205
Seas Total	75,273	72,376	241,744	7,423	396,816
90 To Date	100,452	88,297	237,623	7,845	434,217

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	1,453	2,931	5,603	173	10,160
Nov	1,265	2,750	2,096	112	6,223
Dec					
Jan 1992					
Feb					
Mar					
Apr					
May					
Jun					
Jul					
Same Month Last Seas	1,206	2,579	4,345	139	8,269
Seas Total	6,179	9,141	18,680	596	34,596
90 To Date	6,818	11,054	15,382	903	34,157

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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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