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## Peanut Stocks Up 8 Percent From Last Year

**Peanut stocks** in commercial storage totaled 3.19 billion pounds of equivalent farmer stock, compared to 2.95 billion pounds last year. This total includes 2.28 billion pounds of actual farmer stock.

**Shelled peanuts** on hand totaled 851 million pounds of equivalent farmer stock. Roasting stock totaled 57.4 million pounds. There were 579 million pounds of Commodity Credit Corporation uncommitted stocks on hand as of December 31, 1994.

**Shelled peanut stocks** totaled 640 million pounds of which 621 million pounds were edible grades and 19.3 million pounds were oil stocks. Edible grade stocks by type were: Virginias, 146 million pounds; Runners, 440 million pounds; and Spanish, 34.8 million pounds.

December **millings** totaled 296 million pounds. Millings by type were 84.0 million pounds of Virginias, 196 million pounds of Runners, and 16.5 million pounds of Spanish.

Commercial processors utilized 125 million pounds of **shelled edible grade** peanuts during December. Utilization for all peanut butter products was 61.4 million pounds, utilization for peanut candy was 33.7 million pounds, and utilization for snack peanuts was 26.6 million pounds. **Crushing** for oil, cake, and meal totaled 55.4 million pounds during the month.

Deliveries under the Government Domestic Feeding and Child Nutrition Programs amounted to 2,962,656 pounds of peanut butter and 254,772 pounds of roasted peanuts during December. There were no deliveries of peanut granules during the month.

**Stocks of treated seed** on hand December 31 totaled 395,000 pounds, compared with 381,000 pounds on November 30, 1994. Of the December total, 330,000 pounds were Virginias and Valencias, 60,000 pounds were Runners, and 5,000 pounds were Spanish. November stocks of treated seed included 315,000 pounds of Virginias and Valencias, 61,000 pounds of Runners, and 5,000 pounds of Spanish.

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Table 1. Stocks of Peanuts and Specified Products at Month's End,  
Crop of 1994-95 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 1994	41,869	589,822	28,294	784,463	854,626
Sep	996,964	520,098	20,167	691,730	1,708,861
Oct	2,080,974	583,268	38,200	775,746	2,894,920
Nov	2,338,974	600,400	46,959	798,532	3,184,465
Dec	2,282,665	639,845	57,399	850,994	3,191,058
Jan 1995					
Feb					
Mar					
Apr					
May					
Jun					
Jul					
Same Month Last Seas	2,033,509	668,065	32,942	888,526	2,954,977

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Table 2. Farmer Stock Peanuts, by Types, on Hand at Month's End,  
Crop of 1994-95 1/

Month Ending	Virginias	Runners	Spanish (by Areas)				Total All Types
			Virginia: North Carolina	South East	South West	Total	
1,000 Pounds							
Aug 1994	2,882	38,285	0	0	702	702	41,869
Sep	66,873	912,026	0	999	17,066	18,065	996,964
Oct	470,558	1,498,835	0	3,954	107,627	111,581	2,080,974
Nov	498,489	1,687,437	0	4,034	149,014	153,048	2,338,974
Dec	458,573	1,666,395	0	4,034	153,663	157,697	2,282,665
Jan 1995							
Feb							
Mar							
Apr							
May							
Jun							
Jul							
Same Month Last Seas	259,319	1,664,916	0	1,191	108,083	109,274	2,033,509

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Table 3. Total Farmer Stock Peanuts on Hand at Month's End,  
Crop of 1994-95 1/

Month Ending	CCC		Commercial Stocks		Equivalent
	Uncommitted Stocks	Restricted Use <u>17/</u>	Other Commercial	Total	Total Farmer Stock
1,000 Pounds					
Aug 1994	565	<u>16/</u>	<u>16/</u>	41,304	41,869
Sep	151,546	<u>16/</u>	<u>16/</u>	845,418	996,964
Oct	372,111	<u>16/</u>	<u>16/</u>	1,708,863	2,080,974
Nov	556,554	<u>16/</u>	<u>16/</u>	1,782,420	2,338,974
Dec	579,194	<u>16/</u>	<u>16/</u>	1,703,471	2,282,665
Jan 1995					
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Jul					
Same Month Last Seas	139,927	<u>16/</u>	<u>16/</u>	1,893,582	2,033,509

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Table 4. Shelled Peanuts and Roasting Stock (In Shell) on Hand at Month's End, Crop of 1994-95 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>
1,000 Pounds							
Aug 1994	66,371	467,425	24,771	558,567	31,255	589,822	28,294
Sep	67,431	412,266	20,949	500,646	19,452	520,098	20,167
Oct	106,758	414,811	32,555	554,124	29,144	583,268	38,200
Nov	126,141	419,441	32,594	578,176	22,224	600,400	46,959
Dec	146,019	439,745	34,831	620,595	19,250	639,845	57,399
Jan 1995							
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Apr							
May							
Jun							
Jul							
Same Month Last Seas	99,512	499,349	40,079	638,940	29,125	668,065	32,942

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Table 5. Farmer Stock Peanuts Milled (Net Weight), by Months, Crop of 1994-95 18/

Month Ending	Virginias	Runners	Spanish (by Areas)				Total All Types
			Virginia: North: Carolina:	South: East:	South: West:	Total	
1,000 Pounds							
Aug 1994	5,280	36,278	0	0	798	798	42,356
Sep	22,500	114,558	0	0	4,998	4,998	142,056
Oct	136,494	176,494	0	0	34,800	34,800	347,788
Nov	121,868	191,030	0	0	16,700	16,700	329,598
Dec	84,040	195,934	0	0	16,510	16,510	296,484
Jan 1995							
Feb							
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May							
Jun							
Jul							
Same Month Last Seas	79,394	227,194	0	0	21,400	21,400	327,988
Seas Total	370,182	714,294	0	0	73,806	73,806	1,158,282
93 To Date	323,550	738,090	0	0	60,690	60,690	1,122,330

Table 6. Production of Shelled and Roasting Stock (In Shell) Peanuts, by Months, Crop of 1994-95

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 1994	1,032	14,456	500	15,988	14,387	30,375	2,166
Sep	7,048	70,097	3,644	80,789	19,690	100,479	8,444
Oct	48,017	128,116	19,891	196,024	22,127	218,151	59,617
Nov	49,352	130,590	10,692	190,634	22,766	213,400	43,883
Dec	35,040	128,169	9,695	172,904	31,807	204,711	28,952
Jan 1995							
Feb							
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Apr							
May							
Jun							
Jul							
Same Month Last Seas	28,447	149,612	12,873	190,932	35,571	226,503	19,963
Seas Total	140,489	471,428	44,422	656,339	110,777	767,116	143,062
93 To Date	122,711	470,802	39,284	632,797	121,469	754,266	87,902

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Table 7. Shelled Peanuts Crushed, Production and Stocks of Peanut Oil and Cake and Meal, by Months, Crop of 1994-95 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 1994	36,553	15,850	20,602	5,186	14,457
Sep	40,882	16,543	23,419	5,013	11,194
Oct	28,464	11,403	16,675	3,222	9,470
Nov	43,547	18,019	25,101	1,846	12,975
Dec	55,449	23,619	31,323	3,125	19,000
Jan 1995					
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May					
Jun					
Jul					
Same Month Last Seas	35,840	14,629	20,230	4,187	3,252
Seas Total	204,895	85,434	117,120	--	--
93 To Date	152,175	65,767	89,897	--	--

Table 8. Apparent Disappearance of Milled Peanut Products, by Months, Crop of 1994-95 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 1994	137,060	25,186	162,246	7,557	14,936	19,550
Sep	138,710	31,493	170,203	16,571	16,716	26,682
Oct	142,546	12,435	154,981	41,584	13,194	18,399
Nov	166,582	29,686	196,268	35,124	19,395	21,596
Dec	130,485	34,781	165,266	18,512	22,340	25,298
Jan 1995						
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May						
Jun						
Jul						
Same Month Last Seas	151,868	34,385	186,253	21,042	17,958	22,006
Seas Total	715,383	133,581	848,964	119,348	86,581	111,525
93 To Date	865,064	136,104	1,001,168	126,898	81,359	98,040

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Table 9. Shelled Peanuts (Raw Basis) Used in Primary Products, And In Shell Peanuts, by Months, Crop of 1994-95 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 1994	34,336	26,829	73,248	3,320	137,733	174,286	8,158
Sep	33,961	36,241	64,569	3,020	137,791	178,673	11,002
Oct	29,793	35,129	61,756	3,573	130,251	158,715	14,148
Nov	24,844	35,860	56,658	4,814	122,176	165,723	11,173
Dec	33,740	26,618	61,388	2,824	124,570	180,019	11,621
Jan 1995							
Feb							
Mar							
Apr							
May							
Jun							
Jul							
Same Month Last Seas	28,524	25,627	58,521	2,264	114,936	150,776	10,205
Seas Total	156,674	160,677	317,619	17,551	652,521	857,416	56,102
93 To Date	160,040	173,791	322,157	16,600	672,588	824,763	59,971

Table 10. Virginias Shelled Peanuts (Raw Basis) Used in Primary Products, by Months, Crop of 1994-95 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	Total	
1,000 Pounds						
Aug 1994	4,857	7,266	4,518	1,131	17,772	
Sep	2,794	10,113	4,465	1,138	18,510	
Oct	2,089	11,648	3,396	1,438	18,571	
Nov	1,369	12,982	4,142	1,415	19,908	
Dec	1,110	10,485	3,960	748	16,303	
Jan 1995						
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May						
Jun						
Jul						
Same Month Last Seas	2,497	6,728	5,798	1,121	16,144	
Seas Total	12,219	52,494	20,481	5,870	91,064	
93 To Date	19,595	56,796	35,737	5,074	117,202	

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Table 11. Runners Shelled Peanuts (Raw Basis) Used in Primary Products, by Months, Crop of 1994-95 15/

Month Ending	Edible Grades Used In <u>19/</u>				
	Peanut Candy <u>11/</u>	Snack Peanuts <u>10/</u>	Peanut Butter <u>12/</u>	Other Products	Total
	1,000 Pounds				
Aug 1994	27,525	17,449	67,058	2,161	114,193
Sep	29,753	23,788	58,555	1,814	113,910
Oct	26,548	20,920	57,135	1,863	106,466
Nov	22,092	20,472	51,176	3,322	97,062
Dec	31,149	14,647	55,796	2,048	103,640
Jan 1995					
Feb					
Mar					
Apr					
May					
Jun					
Jul					
Same Month Last Seas	24,169	16,829	49,968	1,091	92,057
Seas Total	137,067	97,276	289,720	11,208	535,271
93 To Date	131,671	105,801	272,345	9,550	519,367

Table 12. Spanish Shelled Peanuts (Raw Basis) Used in Primary Products, by Months, Crop of 1994-95 15/

Month Ending	Edible Grades Used In <u>19/</u>				
	Peanut Candy <u>11/</u>	Snack Peanuts <u>10/</u>	Peanut Butter <u>12/</u>	Other Products	Total
	1,000 Pounds				
Aug 1994	1,954	2,114	1,672	28	5,768
Sep	1,414	2,340	1,549	68	5,371
Oct	1,156	2,561	1,225	272	5,214
Nov	1,383	2,406	1,340	77	5,206
Dec	1,481	1,486	1,632	28	4,627
Jan 1995					
Feb					
Mar					
Apr					
May					
Jun					
Jul					
Same Month Last Seas	1,858	2,070	2,755	52	6,735
Seas Total	7,388	10,907	7,418	473	26,186
93 To Date	8,774	11,194	14,075	1,976	36,019

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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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