

# Peanut Stocks and Processing



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## Peanut Stocks Up 6 Percent From Last Year

Peanut stocks in commercial storage totaled 1.90 billion pounds of equivalent farmer stock, compared to 1.80 billion pounds last year. This total includes 751 million pounds of actual farmer stock.

Shelled peanuts on hand totaled 1.05 billion pounds of equivalent farmer stock. Roasting stock totaled 97.6 million pounds. There were 36.4 million pounds of Commodity Credit Corporation uncommitted stocks on hand as of April 30, 1995.

Shelled peanut stocks totaled 792 million pounds of which 772 million pounds were edible grades and 20.2 million pounds were oil stocks. Edible grade stocks by type were: Virginias, 199 million pounds; Runners, 528 million pounds; and Spanish, 44.4 million pounds.

April millings totaled 308 million pounds. Millings by type were 81.8 million pounds of Virginias, 219 million pounds of Runners, and 6.91 million pounds of Spanish.

Commercial processors utilized 102 million pounds of shelled edible grade peanuts during April. Utilization for all peanut butter products was 53.9 million pounds, utilization for peanut candy was 25.4 million pounds, and utilization for snack peanuts was 20.1 million pounds. Crushing for oil, cake, and meal totaled 84.6 million pounds during the month.

Deliveries under the Government Domestic Feeding and Child Nutrition Programs amounted to 2,094,911 pounds of peanut butter and 90,720 pounds of roasted peanuts during April. There were no deliveries of peanut granules during the month.

Stocks of treated seed on hand April 30 totaled 24.5 million pounds, compared with 18.4 million pounds on March 31, 1995. Of the April total, 7.42 million pounds were Virginias and Valencias, 16.2 million pounds were Runners, and 890,000 pounds were Spanish. March stocks of treated seed included 6.35 million pounds of Virginias and Valencias, 11.9 million pounds of Runners, and 223,000 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 2/	Roasting Stock (In Shell)	Farmer Stock Equivalent	
				Shelled Peanuts	Total 3/
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	640,044	57,385	851,259	3,191,309
Jan 1995	1,924,144	652,794	63,380	868,216	2,855,740
Feb	1,535,028	713,950	84,536	949,554	2,569,118
Mar	1,056,034	783,247	87,722	1,041,719	2,185,475
Apr	751,298	791,755	97,590	1,053,034	1,901,922
May					
Jun					
Jul					
Same Month Last Seas	624,774	843,323	51,693	1,121,620	1,798,087

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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	381,793	1,407,552	0	2,594	132,205	134,799	1,924,144
Feb	280,759	1,164,186	0	2,594	87,489	90,083	1,535,028
Mar	192,942	797,389	0	0	65,703	65,703	1,056,034
Apr	125,270	571,818	0	0	54,210	54,210	751,298
May							
Jun							
Jul							
Same Month Last Seas	62,330	529,090	0	152	33,202	33,354	624,774

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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 17/	Other Commercial	Total	Total Farmer Stock	
1,000 Pounds						
Aug 1994	565	16/	16/	41,304	41,869	
Sep	151,546	16/	16/	845,418	996,964	
Oct	372,111	16/	16/	1,708,863	2,080,974	
Nov	556,554	16/	16/	1,782,420	2,338,974	
Dec	579,194	16/	16/	1,703,471	2,282,665	
Jan 1995	419,437	16/	16/	1,504,707	1,924,144	
Feb	298,022	16/	16/	1,237,006	1,535,028	
Mar	123,208	16/	16/	932,826	1,056,034	
Apr	36,400	16/	16/	714,898	751,298	
May						
Jun						
Jul						
Same Month Last Seas	8,039	16/	16/	616,735	624,774	

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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 19/				Shelled Oil Stocks 4/	Total Shelled	Roasting Stocks 5
	Virginias	Runners	Spanish	Total			
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	146,223	439,745	34,826	620,794	19,250	640,044	57,385
Jan 1995	156,332	438,061	38,446	632,839	19,955	652,794	63,380
Feb	176,843	475,426	45,222	697,491	16,459	713,950	84,536
Mar	190,800	524,349	45,200	760,349	22,898	783,247	87,722
Apr	198,806	528,357	44,440	771,603	20,152	791,755	97,590
May							
Jun							
Jul							
Same Month Last Seas	120,750	635,548	46,277	802,575	40,748	843,323	51,693

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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	108,578	223,430	0	0	20,256	20,256	352,264
Feb	87,704	241,972	0	0	22,718	22,718	352,394
Mar	94,710	305,992	0	0	6,014	6,014	406,716
Apr	81,806	218,860	0	0	6,908	6,908	307,574
May							
Jun							
Jul							
Same Month Last Seas	63,118	258,458	0	0	22,146	22,146	343,722
Seas Total	742,980	1,704,548	0	0	129,702	129,702	2,577,230
93 To Date	600,916	1,862,396	0	1,044	116,996	118,040	2,581,352

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

Month Ending	Shelled Edibles 18/				Shelled Oil Stocks 4/	Total Shelled	Roasting Stocks 5
	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	35,220	128,169	9,695	173,084	31,807	204,891	29,119
Jan 1995	50,614	135,753	12,056	198,423	42,153	240,576	33,041
Feb	36,500	152,838	14,605	203,943	50,949	254,892	30,184
Mar	35,930	169,004	4,679	209,613	75,190	284,803	31,546
Apr	32,248	99,226	3,469	134,943	63,613	198,556	27,904
May							
Jun							
Jul							
Same Month Last Seas	25,286	146,233	9,606	181,125	51,710	232,835	17,815
Seas Total	295,961	1,028,249	79,231	1,403,441	342,682	1,746,123	265,904
93 To Date	235,204	1,155,052	70,018	1,460,274	302,190	1,762,464	165,129

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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 8/	Crude Oil	Cake & Meal	Crude Oil 7/	Cake & Meal 7/
	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	64,018	27,130	35,632	3,012	23,367
Feb	67,580	29,354	37,551	5,961	21,350
Mar	96,280	41,713	54,326	9,952	23,060
Apr	84,550	36,272	45,436	14,697	23,716
May					
Jun					
Jul					
Same Month Last Seas	53,883	23,084	30,471	6,953	9,092
Seas Total	517,323	219,903	290,065	--	--
93 To Date	342,990	145,537	199,815	--	--

Table 8. Apparent Disappearance of Milled Peanut Products, by Months, Crop of 1994-95 9/

Month Ending	Shelled Peanuts			Roasting Stock	Crude Peanut Oil 7/	Cake & Meal 7/
	Edible Grades	Oil Stocks	Total			
	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	130,466	34,781	165,247	18,693	22,340	25,298
Jan 1995	186,378	41,448	227,826	27,046	27,243	31,265
Feb	139,291	54,445	193,736	9,028	26,405	39,568
Mar	146,755	68,751	215,506	28,360	37,722	52,616
Apr	123,689	66,359	190,048	18,036	31,527	44,780
May						
Jun						
Jul						
Same Month Last Seas	166,134	49,037	215,171	16,690	22,405	29,929
Seas Total	1,311,477	364,584	1,676,061	201,999	209,478	279,754
93 To Date	1,528,906	305,202	1,834,108	185,374	158,363	202,118

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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 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 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	33,724	26,615	61,388	2,824	124,551	180,000	11,621
Jan 1995	25,803	20,176	59,855	2,875	108,709	172,727	12,300
Feb	27,964	14,246	54,788	2,166	99,164	166,744	7,203
Mar	29,065	20,636	60,305	2,810	112,816	209,096	9,501
Apr	25,448	20,057	53,876	2,521	101,902	186,452	10,881
May							
Jun							
Jul							
Same Month Last Seas	30,389	23,677	57,685	3,127	114,878	168,761	8,474
Seas Total	264,938	235,789	546,443	27,923	1,075,093	1,592,416	95,987
93 To Date	271,901	272,409	553,334	28,257	1,125,901	1,468,891	94,677

Table 10. Virginias Shelled Peanuts (Raw Basis) Used in Primary Products, by Months, Crop of 1994-95 15/

Month Ending	Edible Grades Used In 19/				
	Peanut Candy 11/	Snack Peanuts 10/	Peanut Butter 12/	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	10,460	3,960	748	16,278
Jan 1995	1,199	7,114	3,909	1,439	13,661
Feb	1,197	4,354	5,086	1,484	12,121
Mar	2,406	5,937	3,680	876	12,899
Apr	2,719	7,526	4,802	770	15,817
May					
Jun					
Jul					
Same Month Last Seas	3,866	5,139	3,537	2,402	14,944
Seas Total	19,740	77,400	37,958	10,439	145,537
93 To Date	32,419	83,958	52,400	11,692	180,469

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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 19/				
	Peanut Candy 11/	Snack Peanuts 10/	Peanut Butter 12/	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	23,988	11,559	54,925	1,419	91,891
Feb	24,966	8,878	49,240	409	83,493
Mar	24,889	13,240	55,888	1,828	95,845
Apr	20,460	11,708	48,215	1,564	81,947
May					
Jun					
Jul					
Same Month Last Seas	24,996	16,651	50,969	708	93,324
Seas Total	231,370	142,661	497,988	16,428	888,447
93 To Date	225,476	171,269	478,527	14,514	889,786

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

Month Ending	Edible Grades Used In 19/				
	Peanut Candy 11/	Snack Peanuts 10/	Peanut Butter 12/	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	1,465	1,508	1,632	28	4,633
Jan 1995	616	1,503	1,021	17	3,157
Feb	1,801	1,014	462	273	3,550
Mar	1,770	1,459	737	106	4,072
Apr	2,269	823	859	187	4,138
May					
Jun					
Jul					
Same Month Last Seas	1,527	1,887	3,179	17	6,610
Seas Total	13,828	15,728	10,497	1,056	41,109
93 To Date	14,006	17,182	22,407	2,051	55,646

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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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