

Peanut Stocks and Processing



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Stocks estimates refer to July 31, 1996; all other data are for the month of July.

Peanut Stocks Down 37 Percent From Last Year

Peanut stocks in commercial storage totaled 758 million pounds of equivalent farmer stock, compared to 1.20 billion pounds last year. This total includes 66.6 million pounds of actual farmer stock.

Shelled peanuts on hand totaled 660 million pounds of equivalent farmer stock. Roasting stock totaled 31.0 million pounds. There were no Commodity Credit Corporation uncommitted stocks on hand as of July 31, 1996.

Shelled peanut stocks totaled 496 million pounds of which 370 million pounds were edible grades and 126 million pounds were oil stocks. Edible grade stocks by type were: Virginias, 84.3 million pounds; Runners, 259 million pounds; and Spanish, 26.2 million pounds.

July **millings** totaled 66.6 million pounds. Millings by type were 2.71 million pounds of Virginias and 63.9 million pounds of Runners. There were no Spanish peanuts milled.

Commercial processors utilized 113 million pounds of **shelled edible** grade peanuts during July. Utilization for all peanut butter products was 61.0 million pounds, utilization for peanut candy was 27.0 million pounds, and utilization for snack peanuts was 24.2 million pounds. **Crushing** for oil, cake, and meal totaled 71.5 million pounds during the month.

Deliveries under the Government Domestic Feeding and Child Nutrition Programs amounted to 2,494,911 pounds of peanut butter, and 127,188 pounds of roasted peanuts during July. There were no deliveries of peanut granules during the month.

Stocks of treated seed on hand July 31 totaled 357,000 pounds, compared with 1.72 million pounds on June 30, 1996. Of the July total, 22,000 pounds were Virginias and Valencias, 272,000 pounds were Runners, and 63,000 pounds were Spanish. June stocks of treated seed included 105,000 pounds of Virginias and Valencias, 803,000 pounds of Runners, and 811,000 pounds of Spanish.

Table 1. Stocks of Peanuts and Specified Products at Month's End,
Crop of 1995-96 1/

Month Ending	Farmer Stock	Shelled Peanuts 2/	Roasting Stock (In Shell)	Farmer Stock Equivalent	
				Shelled Peanuts	Total 3/
1,000 Pounds					
Aug 1995	17,850	667,132	53,871	887,286	959,007
Sep	933,403	537,061	35,063	714,291	1,682,757
Oct	2,119,319	483,274	34,772	642,754	2,796,845
Nov	2,322,192	448,703	37,797	596,775	2,956,764
Dec	2,100,073	469,748	40,230	624,765	2,765,068
Jan 1996	1,787,981	497,002	39,732	661,013	2,488,726
Feb	1,444,801	512,360	49,910	681,439	2,176,150
Mar	1,039,916	564,796	63,972	751,179	1,855,067
Apr	676,826	588,904	64,102	783,242	1,524,170
May	388,852	610,219	53,874	811,591	1,254,317
Jun	129,658	593,955	42,624	789,960	962,242
Jul	66,628	496,190	30,981	659,933	757,542
Same Month Last Seas	48,574	811,002	70,620	1,078,633	1,197,827

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Table 2. Farmer Stock Peanuts, by Types, on Hand at Month's End,
Crop of 1995-96 1/

Month Ending	Spanish (by Areas)						Total All Types
	Virginias	Runners	Virginia: North Carolina	South East	South West	Total	
1,000 Pounds							
Aug 1995	5,272	12,578	0	0	0	0	17,850
Sep	37,544	888,947	0	1,887	5,025	6,912	933,403
Oct	402,006	1,621,401	0	4,061	91,851	95,912	2,119,319
Nov	457,679	1,717,939	0	4,164	142,410	146,574	2,322,192
Dec	385,593	1,567,862	0	4,164	142,454	146,618	2,100,073
Jan 1996	332,666	1,301,837	0	3,799	149,679	153,478	1,787,981
Feb	246,908	1,067,217	0	2,784	127,892	130,676	1,444,801
Mar	161,552	782,192	0	1,404	94,768	96,172	1,039,916
Apr	85,192	540,925	0	0	50,709	50,709	676,826
May	56,834	308,434	0	0	23,584	23,584	388,852
Jun	8,646	121,012	0	0	0	0	129,658
Jul	514	66,114	0	0	0	0	66,628
Same Month Last Seas	13,410	35,164	0	0	0	0	48,574

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Table 3. Total Farmer Stock Peanuts on Hand at Month's End,
Crop of 1995-96 1/

Month Ending	CCC Uncommitted Stocks	Commercial Stocks			Equivalent Total Farmer Stock
		Restricted Use 17/	Other Commercial	Total	
1,000 Pounds					
Aug 1995	0	16/	16/	17,850	17,850
Sep	114,129	16/	16/	819,274	933,403
Oct	444,218	16/	16/	1,675,101	2,119,319
Nov	652,876	16/	16/	1,669,316	2,322,192
Dec	612,803	16/	16/	1,487,270	2,100,073
Jan 1996	524,632	16/	16/	1,263,349	1,787,981
Feb	369,642	16/	16/	1,075,159	1,444,801
Mar	215,593	16/	16/	824,323	1,039,916
Apr	44,697	16/	16/	632,129	676,826
May	0	16/	16/	388,852	388,852
Jun	0	16/	16/	129,658	129,658
Jul	0	16/	16/	66,628	66,628
Same Month Last Seas	0	16/	16/	48,574	48,574

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Table 4. Shelled Peanuts and Roasting Stock (In Shell) on Hand at Month's
End, Crop of 1995-96 1/

Month Ending	Shelled Edibles 19/				Shelled Oil Stocks 4/	Total Shelled Stocks 5/	Roasting Stocks 5/
	Virginias	Runners	Spanish	Total			
1,000 Pounds							
Aug 1995	153,869	398,019	32,654	584,542	82,590	667,132	53,871
Sep	135,963	318,190	27,095	481,248	55,813	537,061	35,063
Oct	128,606	270,982	26,353	425,941	57,333	483,274	34,772
Nov	128,402	250,521	25,340	404,263	44,440	448,703	37,797
Dec	134,765	281,007	28,485	444,257	25,491	469,748	40,230
Jan 1996	136,214	310,252	27,519	473,985	23,017	497,002	39,732
Feb	143,421	325,475	24,734	493,630	18,730	512,360	49,910
Mar	137,047	347,107	29,192	513,346	51,450	564,796	63,972
Apr	125,072	368,751	33,300	527,123	61,781	588,904	64,102
May	116,102	378,249	33,199	527,550	82,669	610,219	53,874
Jun	105,568	348,544	35,036	489,148	104,807	593,955	42,624
Jul	84,314	259,382	26,176	369,872	126,318	496,190	30,981
Same Month Last Seas	178,911	532,848	41,055	752,814	58,188	811,002	70,620

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Table 5. Farmer Stock Peanuts Milled (Net Weight), by Months, Crop of 1995-96 18/

Month Ending	Spanish (by Areas)						Total All Types
	Virginias	Runners	Virginia: Carolina:	South: East	South: West	Total	
1,000 Pounds							
Aug 1995	4,212	33,202	0	0	326	326	37,740
Sep	11,862	37,536	0	0	180	180	49,578
Oct	82,870	125,994	0	0	17,488	17,488	226,352
Nov	76,930	157,188	0	0	17,926	17,926	252,044
Dec	70,480	178,082	0	0	11,552	11,552	260,114
Jan 1996	68,466	238,606	0	0	14,088	14,088	321,160
Feb	60,246	197,770	0	0	4,212	4,212	262,228
Mar	62,908	237,990	0	0	15,350	15,350	316,248
Apr	49,756	236,774	0	0	18,608	18,608	305,138
May	24,844	207,174	0	0	11,198	11,198	243,216
Jun	33,872	161,456	0	0	22,924	22,924	218,252
Jul	2,706	63,942	0	0	0	0	66,648
Same Month:							
Last Seas	2,262	87,200	0	0	5,858	5,858	95,320
Seas Total:	549,152	1,875,714	0	0	133,852	133,852	2,558,718
94 To Date:	846,986	2,201,724	0	0	173,488	173,488	3,222,198

Table 6. Production of Shelled and Roasting Stock (In Shell) Peanuts, by Months, Crop of 1995-96

Month Ending	Shelled Edibles 18/				Shelled Oil Stocks 4/:	Total Shelled	Roasting Stocks 5/
	Virginias	Runners	Spanish:	Total			
1,000 Pounds							
Aug 1995	679	4,469	170	5,318	24,249	29,567	3,109
Sep	3,168	23,213	98	26,479	10,833	37,312	5,197
Oct	35,462	83,610	12,369	131,441	17,638	149,079	33,065
Nov	31,824	102,118	10,503	144,445	23,944	168,389	33,137
Dec	27,954	107,018	8,048	143,020	35,781	178,801	19,824
Jan 1996	28,424	142,113	6,432	176,969	53,822	230,791	17,964
Feb	23,060	121,024	1,410	145,494	46,609	192,103	21,586
Mar	19,489	113,752	11,119	144,360	70,678	215,038	24,737
Apr	15,100	97,689	8,985	121,774	60,354	182,128	15,323
May	6,233	96,510	6,049	108,792	56,855	165,647	8,290
Jun	10,867	68,274	8,200	87,341	54,934	142,275	4,782
Jul	382	17,304	0	17,686	36,015	53,701	1,940
Same Month:							
Last Seas	2,492	37,045	271	39,808	42,136	81,944	2,183
Seas Total:	202,642	977,094	73,383	1,253,119	491,712	1,744,831	188,954
94 To Date:	344,296	1,298,571	98,957	1,741,824	511,635	2,253,459	296,057

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Table 7. Shelled Peanuts Crushed, Production and Stocks of Peanut Oil and Cake and Meal, by Months, Crop of 1995-96 7/

Month Ending	Production			Stocks (End of Period)	
	Shelled Peanuts Crushed 8/	Crude Oil	Cake & Meal	Crude Oil 7/	Cake & Meal 7/
	1,000 Pounds				
Aug 1995	56,705	25,473	31,056	19,569	13,218
Sep	39,283	16,743	21,439	19,934	10,448
Oct	32,414	13,156	18,216	14,195	6,321
Nov	45,126	19,053	22,273	12,720	3,711
Dec	56,140	23,954	32,109	14,189	6,051
Jan 1996	67,391	28,521	38,660	20,772	6,490
Feb	66,538	27,853	37,986	19,861	7,868
Mar	73,157	30,547	42,510	18,433	7,943
Apr	86,063	36,301	47,930	18,843	7,740
May	83,858	36,205	47,609	21,918	7,366
Jun	73,140	32,475	40,633	22,624	7,713
Jul	71,466	30,628	40,498	26,992	7,212
Same Month Last Seas	62,605	26,871	34,944	19,763	14,910
Seas Total	751,281	320,909	420,919	--	--
94 To Date	738,221	314,189	415,394	--	--

Table 8. Apparent Disappearance of Milled Peanut Products, by Months, Crop of 1995-96 9/

Month Ending	Shelled Peanuts			Roasting	Crude	Cake &
	Edible Grades	Oil Stocks	Total	Stock	Peanut Oil 7/	Meal 7/
	1,000 Pounds					
Aug 1995	173,590	(153)	173,437	19,858	25,667	32,748
Sep	129,773	37,610	167,383	24,005	16,378	24,209
Oct	186,748	16,118	202,866	33,356	18,895	22,343
Nov	166,123	36,837	202,960	30,112	20,528	24,883
Dec	103,026	54,730	157,756	17,391	22,485	29,769
Jan 1996	147,241	56,296	203,537	18,462	21,938	38,221
Feb	125,849	50,896	176,745	11,408	28,764	36,608
Mar	124,644	37,958	162,602	10,675	31,975	42,435
Apr	107,997	50,023	158,020	15,193	35,891	48,133
May	108,365	35,967	144,332	18,518	33,130	47,983
Jun	125,743	32,796	158,539	16,032	31,769	40,286
Jul	136,962	14,504	151,466	13,583	26,260	40,999
Same Month Last Seas	101,350	26,806	128,156	16,172	25,937	35,743
Seas Total	1,636,061	423,582	2,059,643	228,593	313,680	428,617
94 To Date	1,668,649	495,501	2,164,150	259,122	298,698	413,889

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Table 9. Shelled Peanuts (Raw Basis) Used in Primary Products, And In Shell Peanuts, by Months, Crop of 1995-96 6/

Month Ending	Edible Grades Used In 19/					Total	In Shell	
	Peanut	Snack	Peanut	Other	Total			All
	Candy	Peanuts	Butter	Products	Grades			Peanuts
	11/	10/	12/			13/	14/	
1,000 Pounds								
Aug 1995	35,685	21,422	78,291	2,949	138,347	195,052	10,849	
Sep	34,503	26,161	61,321	2,648	124,633	163,916	12,783	
Oct	25,884	30,189	61,478	3,505	121,056	153,470	14,370	
Nov	39,310	26,633	61,350	2,185	129,478	174,604	11,693	
Dec	24,684	24,668	53,824	2,415	105,591	161,731	10,840	
Jan 1996	25,010	21,462	60,276	3,287	110,035	177,426	11,621	
Feb	26,682	16,180	60,196	3,751	106,809	173,347	6,212	
Mar	24,472	17,269	59,132	3,629	104,502	177,659	7,433	
Apr	26,828	18,488	57,960	2,511	105,787	191,850	9,344	
May	31,891	22,195	58,744	2,405	115,235	199,093	10,047	
Jun	28,737	28,004	54,454	1,559	112,754	185,894	10,049	
Jul	26,980	24,191	60,954	1,176	113,301	184,767	8,997	
Same Month Last Seas	26,599	16,676	45,075	3,293	91,643	154,248	9,390	
Seas Total	350,666	276,862	727,980	32,020	1,387,528	2,138,809	124,238	
94 To Date	349,630	301,548	709,823	36,854	1,397,855	2,136,076	127,177	

Table 10. Virginias Shelled Peanuts (Raw Basis) Used in Primary Products, by Months, Crop of 1995-96 15/

Month Ending	Edible Grades Used In 19/					Total
	Peanut	Snack	Peanut	Other	Total	
	Candy	Peanuts	Butter	Products	Grades	
	11/	10/	12/			
1,000 Pounds						
Aug 1995	4,143	6,368	6,726	1,677	18,914	
Sep	2,955	9,534	7,106	896	20,491	
Oct	1,958	10,306	7,347	1,852	21,463	
Nov	2,226	10,136	6,663	1,168	20,193	
Dec	1,234	8,748	4,963	1,474	16,419	
Jan 1996	1,448	8,464	5,748	778	16,438	
Feb	1,400	5,323	7,214	2,247	16,184	
Mar	1,712	5,834	5,546	1,227	14,319	
Apr	2,672	6,096	4,886	945	14,599	
May	2,375	5,668	4,227	700	12,970	
Jun	1,436	8,730	4,401	516	15,083	
Jul	1,617	7,766	6,483	176	16,042	
Same Month Last Seas	2,176	5,081	5,170	1,598	14,025	
Seas Total	25,176	92,973	71,310	13,656	203,115	
94 To Date	26,857	97,389	51,354	15,316	190,916	

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Table 11. Runners Shelled Peanuts (Raw Basis) Used in Primary Products, by Months, Crop of 1995-96 15/

Month Ending	Edible Grades Used In 19/					Total
	Peanut Candy 11/	Snack Peanuts 10/	Peanut Butter 12/	Other Products		
	1,000 Pounds					
Aug 1995	29,007	13,570	70,311	824	113,712	
Sep	29,460	15,490	53,308	1,327	99,585	
Oct	21,876	17,969	52,342	1,511	93,698	
Nov	35,382	15,035	52,054	1,006	103,477	
Dec	21,984	14,601	46,510	619	83,714	
Jan 1996	22,376	11,560	52,853	2,463	89,252	
Feb	23,749	9,960	51,263	1,168	86,140	
Mar	20,885	10,552	51,815	2,039	85,291	
Apr	22,129	11,459	51,333	1,456	86,377	
May	27,447	15,406	52,864	1,596	97,313	
Jun	26,164	18,076	48,683	945	93,868	
Jul	23,826	15,334	52,268	993	92,421	
Same Month Last Seas	22,543	10,492	38,090	1,248	72,373	
Seas Total	304,285	169,012	635,604	15,947	1,124,848	
94 To Date	302,697	185,377	644,711	19,325	1,152,110	

Table 12. Spanish Shelled Peanuts (Raw Basis) Used in Primary Products, by Months, Crop of 1995-96 15/

Month Ending	Edible Grades Used In 19/					Total
	Peanut Candy 11/	Snack Peanuts 10/	Peanut Butter 12/	Other Products		
	1,000 Pounds					
Aug 1995	2,535	1,484	1,254	448	5,721	
Sep	2,088	1,137	907	425	4,557	
Oct	2,050	1,914	1,789	142	5,895	
Nov	1,702	1,462	2,633	11	5,808	
Dec	1,466	1,319	2,351	322	5,458	
Jan 1996	1,186	1,438	1,675	46	4,345	
Feb	1,533	897	1,719	336	4,485	
Mar	1,875	883	1,771	363	4,892	
Apr	2,027	933	1,741	110	4,811	
May	2,069	1,121	1,653	109	4,952	
Jun	1,137	1,198	1,370	98	3,803	
Jul	1,537	1,091	2,203	7	4,838	
Same Month Last Seas	1,880	1,103	1,815	447	5,245	
Seas Total	21,205	14,877	21,066	2,417	59,565	
94 To Date	20,076	18,782	13,758	2,213	54,829	

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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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