

Peanut Stocks and Processing



USDA
Washington, D.C.

Released October 29, 1996, by the National Agricultural Statistics Service (NASS), Agricultural Statistics Board, U.S. Department of Agriculture. For information on "Peanut Stocks and Processing" call Barbara Rater at (202) 720-7688, office hours 7:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. ET. For assistance with general agricultural statistics, information about NASS, its products or services, contact the Agricultural Statistics Hotline at 1-800-727-9540 or E-mail: NASS@NASS.USDA.GOV. The "Peanut Stocks and Processing" report is available on AutoFax, (202) 720-2000, report 1700. See back page.

Stocks estimates refer to September 30, 1996; all other data are for the month of September.

Peanut Stocks Down 48 Percent From Last Year

Peanut stocks in commercial storage totaled 871 million pounds of equivalent farmer stock, compared to 1.68 billion pounds last year. This total includes 532 million pounds of actual farmer stock.

Shelled peanuts on hand totaled 329 million pounds of equivalent farmer stock. Roasting stock totaled 9.58 million pounds. There were 15.2 million pounds of Commodity Credit Corporation uncommitted stocks on hand as of September 30, 1996.

Shelled peanut stocks totaled 247 million pounds of which 173 million pounds were edible grades and 74.7 million pounds were oil stocks. Edible grade stocks by type were: Virginias, 41.0 million pounds; Runners, 121 million pounds; and Spanish, 10.5 million pounds.

September **millings** totaled 129 million pounds. Millings by type were 12.9 million pounds of Virginias, 112 million pounds of Runners, and 3.77 million pounds of Spanish.

Commercial processors utilized 122 million pounds of **shelled edible grade** peanuts during September. Utilization for all peanut butter products was 58.9 million pounds, utilization for peanut candy was 29.8 million pounds, and utilization for snack peanuts was 30.4 million pounds. **Crushing** for oil, cake, and meal totaled 61.6 million pounds during the month.

Deliveries under the Government Domestic Feeding and Child Nutrition Programs amounted to 2,928,126 pounds of peanut butter, and 208,080 pounds of roasted peanuts during September. There were no deliveries of peanut granules during the month.

Stocks of treated seed on hand September 30 totaled 155,000 pounds, compared with 162,000 pounds on August 31, 1996. Of the September total, 65,000 pounds were Virginias and Valencias, 68,000 pounds were Runners, and 22,000 pounds were Spanish. August stocks of treated seed included 65,000 pounds of Virginias and Valencias, 75,000 pounds of Runners, and 22,000 pounds of Spanish.

Table 1. Stocks of Peanuts and Specified Products at Month's End,
Crop of 1996-97 1/

| Month Ending | Farmer Stock | Shelled Peanuts 2/ | Roasting Stock (In Shell) | Farmer Stock Equivalent | |
|-----------------|-----------------|--------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------|
| | | | | Shelled Peanuts | Total 3/ |
| 1,000 Pounds | | | | | |
| Aug 1996 | 44,358 | 332,301 | 17,538 | 441,960 | 503,856 |
| Sep | 532,084 | 247,475 | 9,575 | 329,142 | 870,801 |
| Oct | | | | | |
| Nov | | | | | |
| Dec | | | | | |
| Jan 1997 | | | | | |
| Feb | | | | | |
| Mar | | | | | |
| Apr | | | | | |
| May | | | | | |
| Jun | | | | | |
| Jul | | | | | |
| Same Month | | | | | |
| Last Seas | 933,403 | 537,061 | 35,063 | 714,291 | 1,682,757 |

See footnotes on page 8.

Table 2. Farmer Stock Peanuts, by Types, on Hand at Month's End,
Crop of 1996-97 1/

| Month Ending | Virginias | Runners | Spanish (by Areas) | | | | Total All Types |
|-----------------|-----------|---------|---------------------------------|---------------|---------------|-------|-----------------------|
| | | | Virginia: North Carolina: | South East | South West | Total | |
| 1,000 Pounds | | | | | | | |
| Aug 1996 | 0 | 44,358 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 44,358 |
| Sep | 33,614 | 493,940 | 0 | 0 | 4,530 | 4,530 | 532,084 |
| Oct | | | | | | | |
| Nov | | | | | | | |
| Dec | | | | | | | |
| Jan 1997 | | | | | | | |
| Feb | | | | | | | |
| Mar | | | | | | | |
| Apr | | | | | | | |
| May | | | | | | | |
| Jun | | | | | | | |
| Jul | | | | | | | |
| Same Month | | | | | | | |
| Last Seas | 37,544 | 888,947 | 0 | 1,887 | 5,025 | 6,912 | 933,403 |

See footnotes on page 8.

Table 3. Total Farmer Stock Peanuts on Hand at Month's End,
Crop of 1996-97 1/

| Month Ending | CCC Uncommitted Stocks | Commercial Stocks | | | Equivalent Total Farmer Stock |
|-------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|---------|-------------------------------------|
| | | Restricted Use 17/ | Other Commercial | Total | |
| 1,000 Pounds | | | | | |
| Aug 1996 | 0 | 16/ | 16/ | 44,358 | 44,358 |
| Sep | 15,212 | 16/ | 16/ | 516,872 | 532,084 |
| Oct | | | | | |
| Nov | | | | | |
| Dec | | | | | |
| Jan 1997 | | | | | |
| Feb | | | | | |
| Mar | | | | | |
| Apr | | | | | |
| May | | | | | |
| Jun | | | | | |
| Jul | | | | | |
| Same Month Last Seas | 114,129 | 16/ | 16/ | 819,274 | 933,403 |

See footnotes on page 8.

Table 4. Shelled Peanuts and Roasting Stock (In Shell) on Hand at Month's
End, Crop of 1996-97 1/

| Month Ending | Shelled Edibles 19/ | | | | Shelled Oil 4/ | | Roasting Stocks 5/ |
|-------------------------|---------------------|---------|---------|---------|----------------|---------------|-----------------------|
| | Virginias | Runners | Spanish | Total | Stocks | Total Shelled | |
| 1,000 Pounds | | | | | | | |
| Aug 1996 | 60,976 | 146,653 | 25,353 | 232,982 | 99,319 | 332,301 | 17,538 |
| Sep | 40,961 | 121,310 | 10,521 | 172,792 | 74,683 | 247,475 | 9,575 |
| Oct | | | | | | | |
| Nov | | | | | | | |
| Dec | | | | | | | |
| Jan 1997 | | | | | | | |
| Feb | | | | | | | |
| Mar | | | | | | | |
| Apr | | | | | | | |
| May | | | | | | | |
| Jun | | | | | | | |
| Jul | | | | | | | |
| Same Month Last Seas | 135,963 | 318,190 | 27,095 | 481,248 | 55,813 | 537,061 | 35,063 |

See footnotes on page 8.

Table 5. Farmer Stock Peanuts Milled (Net Weight), by Months, Crop of 1996-97 18/

| Month Ending | Virginias | Runners | Spanish (by Areas) | | | | Total |
|--------------|-----------|---------|--------------------------|------------|------------|-------|---------|
| | | | Virginia: North Carolina | South East | South West | Total | |
| 1,000 Pounds | | | | | | | |
| Aug 1996 | 480 | 31,294 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 31,774 |
| Sep | 12,944 | 111,822 | 0 | 0 | 3,766 | 3,766 | 128,532 |
| Oct | | | | | | | |
| Nov | | | | | | | |
| Dec | | | | | | | |
| Jan 1997 | | | | | | | |
| Feb | | | | | | | |
| Mar | | | | | | | |
| Apr | | | | | | | |
| May | | | | | | | |
| Jun | | | | | | | |
| Jul | | | | | | | |
| Same Month: | | | | | | | |
| Last Seas | 11,862 | 37,536 | 0 | 0 | 180 | 180 | 49,578 |
| Seas Total: | 13,424 | 143,116 | 0 | 0 | 3,766 | 3,766 | 160,306 |
| 95 To Date: | 16,074 | 70,738 | 0 | 0 | 506 | 506 | 87,318 |

Table 6. Production of Shelled and Roasting Stock (In Shell) Peanuts, by Months, Crop of 1996-97

| Month Ending | Shelled Edibles 18/ | | | | Shelled Oil Stocks 4/ | Total Shelled | Roasting Stocks 5/ |
|--------------|---------------------|---------|---------|--------|-----------------------|---------------|--------------------|
| | Virginias | Runners | Spanish | Total | | | |
| 1,000 Pounds | | | | | | | |
| Aug 1996 | 48 | 500 | 0 | 548 | 23,614 | 24,162 | 711 |
| Sep | 3,923 | 53,181 | 1,917 | 59,021 | 31,870 | 90,891 | 6,754 |
| Oct | | | | | | | |
| Nov | | | | | | | |
| Dec | | | | | | | |
| Jan 1997 | | | | | | | |
| Feb | | | | | | | |
| Mar | | | | | | | |
| Apr | | | | | | | |
| May | | | | | | | |
| Jun | | | | | | | |
| Jul | | | | | | | |
| Same Month: | | | | | | | |
| Last Seas | 3,168 | 23,213 | 98 | 26,479 | 10,833 | 37,312 | 5,197 |
| Seas Total: | 3,971 | 53,681 | 1,917 | 59,569 | 55,484 | 115,053 | 7,465 |
| 95 To Date: | 3,847 | 27,682 | 268 | 31,797 | 35,082 | 66,879 | 8,306 |

See footnotes on page 8.

Table 7. Shelled Peanuts Crushed, Production and Stocks of Peanut Oil and Cake and Meal, by Months, Crop of 1996-97 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 1996 | 61,896 | 26,423 | 33,873 | 25,823 | 6,289 | |
| Sep | 61,591 | 26,601 | 34,165 | 29,719 | 8,619 | |
| Oct | | | | | | |
| Nov | | | | | | |
| Dec | | | | | | |
| Jan 1997 | | | | | | |
| Feb | | | | | | |
| Mar | | | | | | |
| Apr | | | | | | |
| May | | | | | | |
| Jun | | | | | | |
| Jul | | | | | | |
| Same Month Last Seas | 39,283 | 16,743 | 21,439 | 19,934 | 10,448 | |
| Seas Total | 123,487 | 53,024 | 68,038 | -- | -- | |
| 95 To Date | 95,988 | 42,216 | 52,495 | -- | -- | |

Table 8. Apparent Disappearance of Milled Peanut Products, by Months, Crop of 1996-97 9/

| Month Ending | Shelled Peanuts | | | Roasting Stock | Crude Peanut Oil 7/ | Cake & Meal 7/ |
|----------------------|-----------------|------------|---------|----------------|---------------------|----------------|
| | Edible Grades | Oil Stocks | Total | | | |
| | 1,000 Pounds | | | | | |
| Aug 1996 | 137,997 | 50,613 | 188,610 | 14,154 | 27,592 | 34,796 |
| Sep | 119,211 | 56,506 | 175,717 | 14,717 | 22,705 | 31,835 |
| Oct | | | | | | |
| Nov | | | | | | |
| Dec | | | | | | |
| Jan 1997 | | | | | | |
| Feb | | | | | | |
| Mar | | | | | | |
| Apr | | | | | | |
| May | | | | | | |
| Jun | | | | | | |
| Jul | | | | | | |
| Same Month Last Seas | 129,773 | 37,610 | 167,383 | 24,005 | 16,378 | 24,209 |
| Seas Total | 257,208 | 107,119 | 364,327 | 28,871 | 50,297 | 66,631 |
| 95 To Date | 303,363 | 37,457 | 340,820 | 43,863 | 42,045 | 56,957 |

See footnotes on page 8.

Table 9. Shelled Peanuts (Raw Basis) Used in Primary Products, And In Shell Peanuts, by Months, Crop of 1996-97 6/

| Month Ending | Edible Grades Used In 19/ | | | | | Total | In Shell | | |
|----------------------|---------------------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|---------|---------|----------|------------|---------|
| | Peanut Candy | Snack Peanuts | Peanut Butter | Other Products | Total | | | All Grades | Peanuts |
| | 11/ | 10/ | 12/ | | | | | 13/ | 14/ |
| | 1,000 Pounds | | | | | | | | |
| Aug 1996 | 34,248 | 24,935 | 67,040 | 1,844 | 128,067 | 189,963 | 9,785 | | |
| Sep | 29,759 | 30,436 | 58,917 | 2,964 | 122,076 | 183,667 | 10,744 | | |
| Oct | | | | | | | | | |
| Nov | | | | | | | | | |
| Dec | | | | | | | | | |
| Jan 1997 | | | | | | | | | |
| Feb | | | | | | | | | |
| Mar | | | | | | | | | |
| Apr | | | | | | | | | |
| May | | | | | | | | | |
| Jun | | | | | | | | | |
| Jul | | | | | | | | | |
| Same Month Last Seas | 34,503 | 26,161 | 61,321 | 2,648 | 124,633 | 163,916 | 12,783 | | |
| Seas Total | 64,007 | 55,371 | 125,957 | 4,808 | 250,143 | 373,630 | 20,529 | | |
| 95 To Date | 70,188 | 47,583 | 139,612 | 5,597 | 262,980 | 358,968 | 23,632 | | |

Table 10. Virginias Shelled Peanuts (Raw Basis) Used in Primary Products, by Months, Crop of 1996-97 15/

| Month Ending | Edible Grades Used In 19/ | | | | | Total |
|----------------------|---------------------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|--------|-------|
| | Peanut Candy | Snack Peanuts | Peanut Butter | Other Products | | |
| | 11/ | 10/ | 12/ | | | |
| | 1,000 Pounds | | | | | |
| Aug 1996 | 2,990 | 7,985 | 6,413 | 534 | 17,922 | |
| Sep | 2,912 | 10,301 | 6,200 | 1,413 | 20,826 | |
| Oct | | | | | | |
| Nov | | | | | | |
| Dec | | | | | | |
| Jan 1997 | | | | | | |
| Feb | | | | | | |
| Mar | | | | | | |
| Apr | | | | | | |
| May | | | | | | |
| Jun | | | | | | |
| Jul | | | | | | |
| Same Month Last Seas | 2,955 | 9,534 | 7,106 | 896 | 20,491 | |
| Seas Total | 5,902 | 18,286 | 12,613 | 1,947 | 38,748 | |
| 95 To Date | 7,098 | 15,902 | 13,832 | 2,573 | 39,405 | |

See footnotes on page 8.

Table 11. Runners Shelled Peanuts (Raw Basis) Used in Primary Products, by Months, Crop of 1996-97 15/

| Month Ending | Edible Grades Used In 19/ | | | | | Total |
|----------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|----------------|---------|-------|
| | Peanut Candy 11/ | Snack Peanuts 10/ | Peanut Butter 12/ | Other Products | | |
| | 1,000 Pounds | | | | | |
| Aug 1996 | 29,946 | 14,969 | 57,156 | 1,186 | 103,257 | |
| Sep | 26,436 | 18,081 | 48,472 | 1,414 | 94,403 | |
| Oct | | | | | | |
| Nov | | | | | | |
| Dec | | | | | | |
| Jan 1997 | | | | | | |
| Feb | | | | | | |
| Mar | | | | | | |
| Apr | | | | | | |
| May | | | | | | |
| Jun | | | | | | |
| Jul | | | | | | |
| Same Month Last Seas | 29,460 | 15,490 | 53,308 | 1,327 | 99,585 | |
| Seas Total | 56,382 | 33,050 | 105,628 | 2,600 | 197,660 | |
| 95 To Date | 58,467 | 29,060 | 123,619 | 2,151 | 213,297 | |

Table 12. Spanish Shelled Peanuts (Raw Basis) Used in Primary Products, by Months, Crop of 1996-97 15/

| Month Ending | Edible Grades Used In 19/ | | | | | Total |
|----------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|----------------|--------|-------|
| | Peanut Candy 11/ | Snack Peanuts 10/ | Peanut Butter 12/ | Other Products | | |
| | 1,000 Pounds | | | | | |
| Aug 1996 | 1,312 | 1,981 | 3,471 | 124 | 6,888 | |
| Sep | 411 | 2,054 | 4,245 | 137 | 6,847 | |
| Oct | | | | | | |
| Nov | | | | | | |
| Dec | | | | | | |
| Jan 1997 | | | | | | |
| Feb | | | | | | |
| Mar | | | | | | |
| Apr | | | | | | |
| May | | | | | | |
| Jun | | | | | | |
| Jul | | | | | | |
| Same Month Last Seas | 2,088 | 1,137 | 907 | 425 | 4,557 | |
| Seas Total | 1,723 | 4,035 | 7,716 | 261 | 13,735 | |
| 95 To Date | 4,623 | 2,621 | 2,161 | 873 | 10,278 | |

See footnotes on page 8.

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.

The next "Peanut Stocks and Processing" report will be released at 3:00 p.m. ET on November 27, 1996.

The United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) prohibits discrimination in its programs on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, religion, age, disability, political beliefs, and marital or familial status. Persons with disabilities who require alternative means for communication of program information (braille, large print, audiotape, etc.) should contact the USDA Office of Communications at (202) 720-5881 (voice) or (202) 720-7808 (TDD).

To file a complaint, write the Secretary of Agriculture, USDA, Washington, D.C., 20250, or call (202) 720-7327 (voice) or (202) 720-1127 (TDD). USDA is an equal employment opportunity employer.

SUBSCRIBE TODAY!!

For your convenience, there are several ways to obtain NASS reports, data products, and services:

INTERNET ACCESS

All NASS reports are now available free of charge on the worldwide Internet. For access, connect to the Internet and select:

1. Worldwide Web: <http://www.usda.gov/nass/> **OR**
2. For Gopher/Telenet/FTP access:
HOST=usda.mannlib.cornell.edu **OR**
3. For a subscription direct to your e-mail address,
send an e-mail message to: usda-reports@usda.mannlib.cornell.edu
and in the body of the message type the word: list

AUTOFAX ACCESS

NASSFax service is available for some reports from your fax machine. Please call 202-720-2000, using the handset attached to your fax. Respond to the voice prompts.

PRINTED REPORTS OR DATA PRODUCTS

CALL OUR TOLL-FREE ORDER DESK: 1-800-999-6779 (U.S. and Canada)
Other areas, please call 1-703-834-0125 FAX: 1-703-834-0110
(Visa, MasterCard, check, or money order acceptable for payment.)

ASSISTANCE

For **assistance** with general agricultural statistics or further information about NASS or its products or services, contact the **Agricultural Statistics HOTLINE** at 1-800-727-9540, 7:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. ET, or e-mail: NASS@NASS.USDA.GOV.

