



Peanut Stocks and Processing

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Peanut Stocks Down 10 Percent From Last Year

Peanut stocks in commercial storage totaled 1.85 billion pounds of equivalent farmer stock, compared to 2.05 billion pounds last year. This total includes 725 million pounds of actual farmer stock.

Shelled peanuts on hand totaled 1.06 billion pounds of farmer stock equivalent. Roasting stock totaled 71.7 million pounds. There were no Commodity Credit Corporation uncommitted stocks on hand as of May 31, 2000.

Shelled peanut stocks totaled 793 million pounds of which 747 million pounds were edible grades and 46.6 million pounds were oil stocks. Edible grade stocks by type were 134 million pounds of Virginias, 582 million pounds of Runners, and 30.6 million pounds of Spanish.

May **millings** totaled 391 million pounds. Millings by type were 91.2 million pounds of Virginias, 299 million pounds of Runners, and 618,000 pounds of Spanish.

Commercial processors utilized 186 million pounds of **shelled edible** grade peanuts during May. Utilization by type were 65.5 million pounds for all peanut butter products, 35.0 million pounds for peanut candy, and 32.1 million pounds for snack peanuts. **Crushing** for oil and cake and meal totaled 51.4 million pounds during the month.

Deliveries under the Government Domestic Feeding and Child Nutrition Programs amounted to 1.48 million pounds of peanut butter and 76,488 pounds of roasted peanuts during April. There were no deliveries of peanut granules during the month.

Stocks of treated seed on hand May 31, totaled 18.7 million pounds, compared with 37.7 million pounds on April 30, 2000. Of the May total, 3.18 million pounds were Virginias and Valencias, 14.3 million pounds were Runners, and 1.20 million pounds were Spanish. April stocks of treated seed included 6.53 million pounds of Virginias and Valencias, 29.8 million pounds were Runners, and 1.39 million pounds were Spanish.

This report contains revisions for August 1999 through March 2000.

Table 1. Stocks of Peanuts and Specified Products at Month's End,
Crop of 1999-2000 1/

Month Ending	Farmer Stock	Shelled Peanuts	Roasting Stock	Farmer Stock Equivalent	
		2/	(In Shell)	Shelled Peanuts	Total
					3/
1,000 Pounds					
Aug 1999	53,176	715,422	62,289	951,511	1,066,976
Sep	1,022,860	573,153	43,481	762,293	1,828,634
Oct	2,403,626	596,731	46,641	793,652	3,243,919
Nov	3,036,558	592,003	50,697	787,364	3,874,619
Dec	2,752,206	637,820	50,979	848,301	3,651,486
Jan 2000	2,347,288	691,649	48,559	919,893	3,315,740
Feb	1,996,856	772,207	64,280	1,027,035	3,088,171
Mar	1,568,134	812,171	65,655	1,080,187	2,713,976
Apr	1,095,363	787,158	68,065	1,046,920	2,210,348
May	724,780	793,475	71,692	1,055,322	1,851,794
Jun					
Jul					
Same Month					
Last Seas	790,390	886,905	79,525	1,179,584	2,049,499

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Table 2. Farmer Stock Peanuts, by Types, on Hand at Month's End,
Crop of 1999-2000 1/

Month Ending	Spanish (by Areas)						Total All Types
	Virginias	Runners	Virginia: North Carolina	South East	South West	Total	
1,000 Pounds							
Aug 1999	11,110	41,244	0	252	570	822	53,176
Sep	14,837	1,004,103	0	0	3,920	3,920	1,022,860
Oct	283,090	2,090,742	0	0	29,794	29,794	2,403,626
Nov	434,479	2,561,827	0	1,308	38,944	40,252	3,036,558
Dec	393,376	2,328,195	0	1,308	29,327	30,635	2,752,206
Jan 2000	347,862	1,983,556	0	1,308	14,562	15,870	2,347,288
Feb	287,098	1,701,278	0	0	8,480	8,480	1,996,856
Mar	199,096	1,367,340	0	0	1,698	1,698	1,568,134
Apr	118,108	976,117	0	0	1,138	1,138	1,095,363
May	56,620	667,640	0	0	520	520	724,780
Jun							
Jul							
Same Month							
Last Seas	137,940	652,005	0	12	433	445	790,390

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Table 3. Total Farmer Stock Peanuts on Hand at Month's End,
Crop of 1999-2000 1/

Month Ending	CCC		Commercial Stocks			Equivalent
	Uncommitted Stocks	Restricted Use 17/	Other Commercial	Total	Total Farmer Stock	
1,000 Pounds						
Aug 1999	0	16/	16/	53,176	53,176	
Sep	100,687	16/	16/	922,173	1,022,860	
Oct	284,273	16/	16/	2,119,353	2,403,626	
Nov	380,129	16/	16/	2,656,429	3,036,558	
Dec	379,152	16/	16/	2,373,054	2,752,206	
Jan 2000	312,000	16/	16/	2,035,288	2,347,288	
Feb	244,323	16/	16/	1,752,533	1,996,856	
Mar	118,530	16/	16/	1,449,604	1,568,134	
Apr	58,449	16/	16/	1,036,914	1,095,363	
May	0	16/	16/	724,780	724,780	
Jun						
Jul						
Same Month Last Seas	36,442	16/	16/	753,948	790,390	

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Table 4. Shelled Peanuts and Roasting Stock (In Shell) on Hand at Month's
End, Crop of 1999-2000 1/

Month Ending	Shelled Edibles 19/				Shelled	Total		Roasting
	Virginias	Runners	Spanish	Total	Oil Stocks 4/	Shelled	Stocks 5/	
1,000 Pounds								
Aug 1999	113,137	575,870	13,939	702,946	12,476	715,422	62,289	
Sep	99,013	453,961	12,315	565,289	7,864	573,153	43,481	
Oct	81,293	486,447	17,305	585,045	11,686	596,731	46,641	
Nov	83,925	470,833	22,861	577,619	14,384	592,003	50,697	
Dec	93,065	505,952	23,954	622,971	14,849	637,820	50,979	
Jan 2000	110,734	532,509	28,721	671,964	19,685	691,649	48,559	
Feb	129,978	574,728	37,471	742,177	30,030	772,207	64,280	
Mar	135,948	614,688	34,792	785,428	26,743	812,171	65,655	
Apr	133,238	597,097	32,794	763,129	24,029	787,158	68,065	
May	134,349	581,958	30,597	746,904	46,571	793,475	71,692	
Jun								
Jul								
Same Month Last Seas	166,341	662,441	31,164	859,946	26,959	886,905	79,525	

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Table 5. Farmer Stock Peanuts Milled (Net Weight), by Months,
Crop of 1999-2000 18/

Month Ending	Spanish (by Areas)						Total All Types
	Virginias	Runners	Virginia: North Carolina	South East	South West	Total	
1,000 Pounds							
Aug 1999	11,168	99,174	0	5,180	5,438	10,618	120,960
Sep	15,010	82,958	0	2,862	1,544	4,406	102,374
Oct	72,070	247,408	0	0	24,490	24,490	343,968
Nov	84,604	252,146	0	0	18,118	18,118	354,868
Dec	78,700	239,048	0	0	11,016	11,016	328,764
Jan 2000	81,960	294,662	0	0	15,014	15,014	391,636
Feb	88,896	286,076	0	0	7,802	7,802	382,774
Mar	85,416	320,188	0	0	7,134	7,134	412,738
Apr	68,432	280,990	0	0	560	560	349,982
May	91,184	299,094	0	0	618	618	390,896
Jun							
Jul							
Same Month: Last Seas	69,378	267,330	0	0	870	870	337,578
Seas Total:	677,440	2,401,744	0	8,042	91,734	99,776	3,178,960
Aug 98- May 99	778,494	2,348,174	0	0	70,562	70,562	3,197,230

Table 6. Production of Shelled and Roasting Stock (In Shell) Peanuts,
by Months, Crop of 1999-2000

Month Ending	Shelled Edibles 18/				Shelled Oil Stocks 4/	Total Shelled	Roasting Stocks 5/
	Virginias	Runners	Spanish	Total			
1,000 Pounds							
Aug 1999	4,591	50,633	5,944	61,168	29,873	91,041	3,894
Sep	7,118	42,066	3,218	52,402	28,056	80,458	4,280
Oct	25,511	175,779	15,358	216,648	24,502	241,150	32,541
Nov	31,592	184,383	11,926	227,901	26,869	254,770	30,063
Dec	32,281	156,450	6,312	195,043	34,728	229,771	25,340
Jan 2000	37,388	173,649	9,011	220,048	48,328	268,376	21,541
Feb	40,037	183,839	4,773	228,649	43,211	271,860	22,934
Mar	34,894	201,574	4,601	241,069	48,278	289,347	25,821
Apr	29,693	165,281	416	195,390	41,383	236,773	20,682
May	41,688	175,128	463	217,279	42,335	259,614	27,492
Jun							
Jul							
Same Month: Last Seas	27,032	155,310	0	182,342	36,103	218,445	19,218
Seas Total:	284,793	1,508,782	62,022	1,855,597	367,563	2,223,160	214,588
Aug 98- May 99	327,192	1,588,620	45,496	1,961,308	257,115	2,218,423	244,926

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Table 7. Shelled Peanuts Crushed, Production and Stocks of Peanut Oil and Cake and Meal, by Months, Crop of 1999-2000 7/

Month Ending	Shelled Peanuts		Production		Stocks (End of Period)	
	Crushed 8/	8/	Crude Oil	Cake & Meal	Crude Oil 7/	Cake & Meal 7/
1,000 Pounds						
Aug 1999	37,740		15,857	19,703	6,802	3,766
Sep	37,553		16,475	19,640	5,533	1,196
Oct	24,165		9,983	13,813	4,087	5,031
Nov	32,178		13,228	18,950	3,132	2,584
Dec	43,928		17,853	25,878	1,249	3,959
Jan 2000	53,981		22,900	30,603	3,752	8,649
Feb	51,522		21,881	29,450	4,143	8,231
Mar	52,915		22,313	29,823	6,860	12,589
Apr	53,377		23,167	25,394	8,870	7,842
May	51,418		22,191	29,227	8,628	9,728
Jun						
Jul						
Same Month Last Seas	34,879		14,763	18,461	8,877	4,528
Seas Total	438,777		185,848	242,481	--	--
Aug 98- May 99	270,082		113,535	150,769	--	--

Table 8. Apparent Disappearance of Milled Peanut Products, by Months, Crop of 1999-2000 9/

Month Ending	Shelled Peanuts			Roasting Stock	Crude Peanut Oil 7/	Cake & Meal 7/
	Edible Grades	Oil Stocks	Total			
1,000 Pounds						
Aug 1999	213,794	33,984	247,778	14,713	15,825	18,784
Sep	190,059	32,668	222,727	23,088	17,744	22,210
Oct	196,892	20,680	217,572	29,381	11,429	9,978
Nov	235,327	24,171	259,498	26,007	14,183	21,397
Dec	149,691	34,263	183,954	25,058	19,736	24,503
Jan 2000	299,731	74,401	374,132	44,674	26,827	29,122
Feb	158,436	32,866	191,302	7,213	21,490	29,868
Mar	197,818	51,565	249,383	24,446	19,596	25,465
Apr	217,689	44,097	261,786	18,272	21,157	30,141
May	233,504	19,793	253,297	23,865	22,433	27,341
Jun						
Jul						
Same Month Last Seas	155,908	27,270	183,178	15,429	15,387	18,856
Seas Total	2,092,941	368,488	2,461,429	236,717	190,420	238,809
Aug 98- May 99	1,681,732	244,247	2,203,677	195,969	133,955	170,245

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Table 9. Shelled Peanuts (Raw Basis) Used in Primary Products, And in Shell Peanuts, by Months, Crop of 1999-2000 6/

Month Ending	Edible Grades By Product 19/						Total All Grades	In Shell Peanuts
	Peanut Candy 11/	Snack Peanuts 10/	Peanut Butter 12/	Other Products	Total			
	1,000 Pounds							
Aug 1999	31,176	34,850	67,246	1,319	134,591	172,331	10,798	
Sep	29,427	40,061	69,166	1,537	140,191	177,744	11,165	
Oct	32,929	34,846	71,478	1,477	140,730	164,895	14,510	
Nov	35,042	39,686	71,859	1,861	148,448	180,626	12,201	
Dec	25,016	34,357	65,045	1,358	125,776	169,704	12,363	
Jan 2000	24,516	26,345	67,054	1,335	119,250	173,231	13,156	
Feb	23,521	24,987	62,307	1,210	112,025	163,547	8,590	
Mar	30,405	31,283	61,845	1,685	125,218	178,133	12,656	
Apr	27,389	27,895	56,803	2,152	114,239	167,616	10,978	
May	32,117	35,045	65,468	2,164	134,794	186,212	13,251	
Jun								
Jul								
Same Month Last Seas	29,452	28,795	64,769	1,439	124,455	159,334	10,801	
Seas Total	291,538	329,355	658,271	16,098	1,295,262	1,734,039	119,668	
Aug 98-May 99	316,449	286,134	629,103	18,840	1,250,526	1,520,608	123,986	

Table 10. Virginias Shelled Peanuts (Raw Basis) Used in Primary Products, by Months, Crop of 1999-2000 15/

Month Ending	Edible Grades By Product 19/					Total
	Peanut Candy 11/	Snack Peanuts 10/	Peanut Butter 12/	Other Products		
	1,000 Pounds					
Aug 1999	3,245	9,945	5,050	212	18,452	
Sep	2,432	13,343	5,603	203	21,581	
Oct	1,881	8,078	8,081	275	18,315	
Nov	1,417	10,240	8,301	246	20,204	
Dec	1,398	8,498	5,310	226	15,432	
Jan 2000	1,627	4,910	5,752	154	12,443	
Feb	1,179	5,689	6,151	191	13,210	
Mar	2,649	8,290	5,992	382	17,313	
Apr	2,534	6,329	5,478	408	14,749	
May	1,721	10,096	6,733	363	18,913	
Jun						
Jul						
Same Month Last Seas	2,258	8,344	3,924	187	14,713	
Seas Total	20,083	85,418	62,451	2,660	170,612	
Aug 98-May 99	30,365	78,043	49,737	3,070	161,215	

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Table 11. Runners Shelled Peanuts (Raw Basis) Used in Primary Products, by Months, Crop of 1999-2000 15/

Month Ending	Edible Grades By Product 19/					Total
	Peanut Candy 11/	Snack Peanuts 10/	Peanut Butter 12/	Other Products		
	1,000 Pounds					
Aug 1999	25,593	23,552	61,160	1,035		111,340
Sep	23,993	25,719	63,161	1,263		114,136
Oct	28,305	25,038	62,832	1,140		117,315
Nov	32,043	27,106	63,038	1,339		123,526
Dec	22,075	24,215	59,189	1,060		106,539
Jan 2000	20,661	20,787	60,606	1,159		103,213
Feb	20,616	18,222	55,126	940		94,904
Mar	27,250	21,729	55,284	1,220		105,483
Apr	24,701	20,661	50,665	1,679		97,706
May	30,224	23,183	58,315	1,740		113,462
Jun						
Jul						
Same Month Last Seas	25,863	19,613	60,441	1,191		107,108
Seas Total	255,461	230,212	589,376	12,575		1,087,624
Aug 98- May 99	267,983	194,541	564,483	15,019		1,042,026

Table 12. Spanish Shelled Peanuts (Raw Basis) Used in Primary Products, by Months, Crop of 1999-2000 15/

Month Ending	Edible Grades By Product 19/					Total
	Peanut Candy 11/	Snack Peanuts 10/	Peanut Butter 12/	Other Products		
	1,000 Pounds					
Aug 1999	2,338	1,353	1,036	72		4,799
Sep	3,002	999	402	71		4,474
Oct	2,743	1,730	565	62		5,100
Nov	1,582	2,340	520	276		4,718
Dec	1,543	1,644	546	72		3,805
Jan 2000	2,228	648	696	22		3,594
Feb	1,726	1,076	1,030	79		3,911
Mar	506	1,264	569	83		2,422
Apr	154	905	660	65		1,784
May	172	1,766	420	61		2,419
Jun						
Jul						
Same Month Last Seas	1,331	838	404	61		2,634
Seas Total	15,994	13,725	6,444	863		37,026
Aug 98- May 99	18,101	13,550	14,883	751		47,285

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Table 13. Government Domestic Feeding and Child Nutrition Program,
by Months, Crop of 1999-2000

		Deliveries by Product			
Month	:	:	:	:	:
Ending	:	Peanut	Roasted	Granules	Total
:	:	Butter	Peanuts	:	:
:	:	:	:	:	:
Aug 1999	:	3,013,882	115,958	0	3,129,840
Sep	:	2,646,249	73,242	0	2,719,491
Oct	:	1,942,825	13,986	0	1,956,811
Nov	:	4,239,318	214,182	0	4,453,500
Dec	:	4,128,438	214,182	0	4,342,620
Jan 2000	:	2,381,459	45,720	0	2,427,179
Feb	:	1,909,253	81,324	0	1,990,577
Mar	:	1,073,928	124,524	0	1,198,452
Apr	:	1,697,214	88,866	0	1,786,080
May	:	1,480,918	76,488	0	1,557,406
Jun	:				
Jul	:				
Same Month	:	988,063	75,078	0	1,063,141
Last Seas	:				
Seas Total	:	24,513,484	1,048,472	0	25,561,956
Aug 98-	:				
May 99	:	23,629,768	1,027,656	0	24,657,424

Source: Food and Nutrition Service, USDA.

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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