

# Peanut Stocks and Processing

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## Shelled Edible Grade Season to Date Utilization Up Slightly from Last Year Peanut Stocks in Commercial Storage Totaled 3.98 Billion Pounds

**Peanut stocks** reported in commercial storage on January 31, 2009 totaled 3.98 billion pounds of equivalent farmer stock, compared with 2.90 billion pounds a year ago. This total includes 3.25 billion pounds of actual farmer stock.

**Shelled peanuts** on hand totaled 678 million pounds of farmer stock equivalent. Roasting stock totaled 51.2 million pounds.

Shelled peanut stocks totaled 510 million pounds of which 490 million pounds were edible grades and 20.1 million pounds were oil stocks. Edible grade stocks by type included 93.8 million pounds of Virginias and Valencias, 369 million pounds of Runners, and 27.2 million pounds of Spanish.

January **millings** totaled 364 million pounds. Millings by type were 62.2 million pounds of Virginias and Valencias, 295 million pounds of Runners, and 7.55 million pounds of Spanish.

Commercial processors utilized 138 million pounds of **shelled edible** grade peanuts during January. Utilization by type was 88.6 million pounds for all peanut butter products, 22.0 million pounds for peanut candy, and 26.2 million pounds for snack peanuts. **Crushing** for oil and cake and meal totaled 30.9 million pounds during the month.

Deliveries under the Government Domestic Feeding and Child Nutrition Programs amounted to 3.46 million pounds of peanut butter and 129,600 pounds of roasted peanuts during January.

**Stocks of treated seed** on hand January 31, 2009 totaled 404,000 pounds, compared with 338,000 pounds on December 31, 2008. Of the January total, 313,000 pounds were Virginias and Valencias, 72,000 pounds were Runners, and 19,000 pounds were Spanish. December stocks of treated seed included 238,000 pounds of Virginias and Valencias, 81,000 pounds of Runners, and 19,000 pounds of Spanish.

Stocks estimates refer to January 31, 2009. All other data are for the month of January.

**Table 1. Stocks of Peanuts and Specified Products at Month's End,  
Crop of 2008-2009 <sup>1</sup>**

Month Ending	Farmer Stock	Shelled Peanuts <sup>2</sup>	Roasting Stock (In Shell)	Farmer Stock Equivalent	
				Shelled Peanuts	Total <sup>3</sup>
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>
Aug 2008	123,790	410,473	48,944	545,929	718,663
Sep	606,434	304,279	31,662	404,691	1,042,787
Oct	2,632,482	360,968	38,395	480,087	3,150,964
Nov	3,562,308	420,440	49,318	559,185	4,170,811
Dec	3,575,702	461,950	54,122	614,394	4,244,218
Jan 2009	3,251,152	509,686	51,190	677,882	3,980,224
Feb					
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Jul					
Jan 2008	2,236,846	447,930	65,553	595,747	2,898,146

<sup>1</sup> Excludes stocks on farms. Includes stocks owned by or held for account of peanut producers and CCC in commercial storage facilities. Farmer stock on net weight basis.

<sup>2</sup> Includes shelled edible grades, shelled oil stock, and shelled seed (untreated).

<sup>3</sup> Actual farmer stock, plus roasting stock, plus shelled peanuts X 1.33.

**Table 2. Farmer Stock Peanuts, by Type, on Hand at Month's End,  
Crop of 2008-2009 <sup>1</sup>**

Month Ending	Virginias and Valencias	Runners	Spanish	Total All Types
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>
Aug 2008	25,376	98,414	0	123,790
Sep	49,064	557,370	0	606,434
Oct	473,290	2,134,858	24,334	2,632,482
Nov	592,200	2,922,930	47,178	3,562,308
Dec	552,130	2,971,856	51,716	3,575,702
Jan 2009	503,308	2,703,210	44,634	3,251,152
Feb				
Mar				
Apr				
May				
Jun				
Jul				
Jan 2008	413,216	1,754,536	69,094	2,236,846

<sup>1</sup> Excludes stocks on farms. Includes stocks owned by or held for account of peanut producers and CCC in commercial storage facilities. Farmer stock on net weight basis.

**Table 3. Shelled Peanuts and Roasting Stock (In Shell) on Hand at Month's End, Crop of 2008-2009<sup>1</sup>**

Month Ending	Shelled Edibles <sup>2</sup>				Shelled Oil Stocks <sup>3</sup>	Total Shelled	Roasting Stock <sup>4</sup>
	Virginias and Valencias	Runners	Spanish	Total			
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>
Aug 2008	70,803	270,306	32,034	373,143	37,330	410,473	48,944
Sep	58,003	187,681	28,753	274,437	29,842	304,279	31,662
Oct	69,497	240,499	25,965	335,961	25,007	360,968	38,395
Nov	73,555	295,202	28,854	397,611	22,829	420,440	49,318
Dec	86,154	323,011	29,032	438,197	23,753	461,950	54,122
Jan 2009	93,808	368,604	27,200	489,612	20,074	509,686	51,190
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Jul							
Jan 2008	90,542	296,545	25,562	412,649	35,281	447,930	65,553

<sup>1</sup> Excludes stocks on farms. Includes stocks owned by or held for account of peanut producers and CCC in commercial storage facilities. Farmer stock on net weight basis.

<sup>2</sup> Shelled edible grades include blanched and shelled roasted peanuts converted to a raw basis using conversion factors of 1.08 and 1.12, respectively.

<sup>3</sup> Includes straight run oil stock peanuts.

<sup>4</sup> Cleaned and unshelled.

**Table 4. Farmer Stock Peanuts Milled (Net Weight), by Month, Crop of 2008-2009<sup>1</sup>**

Month Ending	Virginias and Valencias	Runners	Spanish	Total All Types
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>
Aug 2008	49,720	177,670	4,350	231,740
Sep	17,742	142,828	0	160,570
Oct	72,190	336,594	3,994	412,778
Nov	67,830	285,692	14,978	368,500
Dec	77,752	257,450	10,160	345,362
Jan 2009	62,240	294,516	7,550	364,306
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Jan 2008	94,470	304,418	8,086	406,974
Aug 2008- Jan 2009	347,474	1,494,750	41,032	1,883,256
Aug 2007- Jan 2008	324,352	1,423,748	30,824	1,778,924

<sup>1</sup> Includes peanuts milled for seed.

**Table 5. Production of Shelled and Roasting Stock (In Shell) Peanuts,  
by Month, Crop of 2008-2009**

Month Ending	Shelled Edibles <sup>1</sup>				Shelled Oil Stocks <sup>2</sup>	Total Shelled	Roasting Stock <sup>3</sup>
	Virginias and Valencias	Runners	Spanish	Total			
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>
Aug 2008	18,872	112,357	3,607	134,836	20,500	155,336	17,443
Sep	6,633	91,490	0	98,123	15,181	113,304	6,177
Oct	25,677	225,914	2,691	254,282	28,865	283,147	32,365
Nov	23,339	198,047	9,202	230,588	23,406	253,994	31,152
Dec	31,353	178,468	6,585	216,406	22,928	239,334	28,240
Jan 2009	26,130	198,707	3,988	228,825	23,502	252,327	21,211
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Jan 2008	34,298	199,090	4,533	237,921	32,151	270,072	37,576
Aug 2008- Jan 2009	132,004	1,004,983	26,073	1,163,060	134,382	1,297,442	136,588
Aug 2007- Jan 2008	123,131	904,223	18,368	1,045,722	184,058	1,229,780	133,757

<sup>1</sup> Includes peanuts milled for seed.

<sup>2</sup> Includes straight run oil stock peanuts.

<sup>3</sup> Cleaned and unshelled.

**Table 6. Shelled Peanuts Crushed, Production and Stocks of Peanut Oil  
and Cake and Meal, by Month, Crop of 2008-2009 <sup>1</sup>**

Month Ending	Shelled Peanuts Crushed <sup>2</sup>	Production		Stocks (End of Period)	
		Crude Oil	Cake & Meal	Crude Oil <sup>1</sup>	Cake & Meal <sup>1</sup>
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>
Aug 2008	26,340	11,284	14,776	3,653	5,025
Sep	31,410	13,600	18,026	6,552	4,476
Oct	39,025	16,812	21,960	7,588	8,355
Nov	27,493	11,923	15,801	3,146	6,740
Dec	31,170	13,347	17,855	4,823	4,414
Jan 2009	30,903	13,141	17,361	5,713	5,012
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Jan 2008	36,363	14,407	19,169	8,917	6,052
Aug 2008- Jan 2009	186,341	80,107	105,779		
Aug 2007- Jan 2008	210,056	90,612	119,020		

<sup>1</sup> Relates to oil mills only.

<sup>2</sup> All crushings regardless of grade.

**Table 7. Apparent Disappearance of Milled Peanut Products, by Month,  
Crop of 2008-2009 <sup>1</sup>**

Month Ending	Shelled Peanuts			Roasting Stock	Crude Peanut Oil <sup>2</sup>	Cake & Meal <sup>2</sup>
	Edible Grades	Oil Stocks	Total			
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>
Aug 2008	193,286	22,678	215,964	26,294	13,655	14,700
Sep	196,829	22,669	219,498	23,459	10,701	18,575
Oct	192,758	33,700	226,458	25,632	15,776	18,081
Nov	168,938	25,584	194,522	20,229	16,365	17,416
Dec	175,820	22,004	197,824	23,436	11,670	20,181
Jan 2009	177,410	27,181	204,591	24,143	12,251	16,763
Feb						
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May						
Jun						
Jul						
Jan 2008	197,534	27,867	225,401	20,796	12,939	16,215
Aug 2008- Jan 2009	1,105,041	153,816	1,258,857	143,193	80,418	105,716
Aug 2007- Jan 2008	1,161,991	182,178	1,344,169	110,307	101,519	118,619

<sup>1</sup> Includes in transit, exports, and domestic use.

<sup>2</sup> Relates to oil mills only.

**Table 8. Shelled Peanuts (Raw Basis) Used in Primary Products,  
and in Shell Peanuts, by Month, Crop of 2008-2009 <sup>1</sup>**

Month Ending	Edible Grades Used In <sup>2</sup>					Total All Grades <sup>6</sup>	In Shell Peanuts <sup>7</sup>
	Peanut Candy <sup>3</sup>	Snack Peanuts <sup>4</sup>	Peanut Butter <sup>5</sup>	Other Products	Total		
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>
Aug 2008	30,204	33,530	100,939	1,593	166,266	192,606	11,496
Sep	31,175	35,834	80,551	1,155	148,715	180,125	13,257
Oct	27,049	33,511	90,476	397	151,433	190,458	15,043
Nov	23,573	35,217	87,779	445	147,014	174,507	11,636
Dec	19,803	27,809	86,477	232	134,321	165,491	11,962
Jan 2009	22,019	26,199	88,580	801	137,599	168,502	13,710
Feb							
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Jul							
Jan 2008	24,351	32,818	96,520	610	154,299	190,662	14,743
Aug 2008- Jan 2009	153,823	192,100	534,802	4,623	885,348	1,071,689	77,104
Aug 2007- Jan 2008	156,559	228,790	494,810	2,891	883,050	1,093,106	75,691

<sup>1</sup> Excludes peanuts milled for seed. <sup>2</sup> Shelled edible grades include blanched and shelled roasted peanuts converted to a raw basis using conversion factors of 1.08 and 1.12, respectively. <sup>3</sup> Includes peanut butter made by manufacturers for own use in candy. <sup>4</sup> Includes salted, unsalted, dry and honey roasted, salted and unsalted roasted. <sup>5</sup> Includes peanut butter made by manufacturers for own use in cookies and sandwiches, but excludes peanut butter used in candy. <sup>6</sup> Includes all shelled peanuts crushed regardless of grade. <sup>7</sup> Includes peanuts re-packaged, roasted in shell, salted in shell, and raw in shell.

**Table 9. Virginias and Valencias Shelled Peanuts (Raw Basis) Used in Primary Products, by Month, Crop of 2008-2009<sup>1</sup>**

Month Ending	Edible Grades Used In <sup>2</sup>				
	Peanut Candy <sup>3</sup>	Snack Peanuts <sup>4</sup>	Peanut Butter <sup>5</sup>	Other Products	Total
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>
Aug 2008	2,720	5,253	4,365	174	12,512
Sep	2,889	4,246	5,757	62	12,954
Oct	2,758	4,321	9,010	79	16,168
Nov	2,598	4,504	9,505	114	16,722
Dec	2,382	3,761	9,196	40	15,379
Jan 2009	2,092	5,198	11,168	379	18,837
Feb					
Mar					
Apr					
May					
Jun					
Jul					
Jan 2008	2,392	5,960	15,807	60	24,219
Aug 2008- Jan 2009	15,439	27,283	49,001	848	92,572
Aug 2007- Jan 2008	14,910	39,087	62,744	501	117,242

<sup>1</sup> Crushings by type not available. <sup>2</sup> Shelled edible grades include blanched and shelled roasted peanuts converted to a raw basis using conversion factors of 1.08 and 1.12, respectively. <sup>3</sup> Includes peanut butter made by manufacturers for own use in candy. <sup>4</sup> Includes salted, unsalted, dry and honey roasted, salted and unsalted roasted. <sup>5</sup> Includes peanut butter made by manufacturers for own use in cookies and sandwiches, but excludes peanut butter used in candy.

**Table 10. Runners Shelled Peanuts (Raw Basis) Used in Primary Products, by Month, Crop of 2008-2009<sup>1</sup>**

Month Ending	Edible Grades Used In <sup>2</sup>				
	Peanut Candy <sup>3</sup>	Snack Peanuts <sup>4</sup>	Peanut Butter <sup>5</sup>	Other Products	Total
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>
Aug 2008	25,968	27,192	95,686	1,417	150,263
Sep	26,426	30,698	73,545	1,090	131,759
Oct	23,394	27,979	80,949	315	132,637
Nov	19,955	29,772	76,897	327	126,951
Dec	16,610	22,981	76,125	188	115,904
Jan 2009	18,705	20,221	76,538	418	115,882
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Apr					
May					
Jun					
Jul					
Jan 2008	20,987	25,978	80,099	548	127,612
Aug 2008- Jan 2009	131,058	158,843	479,740	3,755	773,396
Aug 2007- Jan 2008	135,342	184,510	427,927	2,373	750,152

<sup>1</sup> Crushings by type not available. <sup>2</sup> Shelled edible grades include blanched and shelled roasted peanuts converted to a raw basis using conversion factors of 1.08 and 1.12, respectively. <sup>3</sup> Includes peanut butter made by manufacturers for own use in candy. <sup>4</sup> Includes salted, unsalted, dry and honey roasted, salted and unsalted roasted. <sup>5</sup> Includes peanut butter made by manufacturers for own use in cookies and sandwiches, but excludes peanut butter used in candy.

**Table 11. Spanish Shelled Peanuts (Raw Basis) Used in Primary Products, by Month, Crop of 2008-2009<sup>1</sup>**

Month Ending	Edible Grades Used In <sup>2</sup>				
	Peanut Candy <sup>3</sup>	Snack Peanuts <sup>4</sup>	Peanut Butter <sup>5</sup>	Other Products	Total
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>
Aug 2008	1,516	1,085	*	*	3,491
Sep	1,860	890	*	*	4,002
Oct	897	1,211	*	*	2,628
Nov	1,020	941	*	*	3,342
Dec	811	1,067	*	*	3,038
Jan 2009	1,222	780	*	*	2,880
Feb					
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Apr					
May					
Jun					
Jul					
Jan 2008	972	880	*	*	2,468
Aug 2008- Jan 2009	7,326	5,974	*	*	19,381
Aug 2007- Jan 2008	6,307	5,193	*	*	15,656

\* Not published to avoid disclosing individual operations. <sup>1</sup> Crushings by type not available. <sup>2</sup> Shelled edible grades include blanched and shelled roasted peanuts converted to a raw basis using conversion factors of 1.08 and 1.12, respectively. <sup>3</sup> Includes peanut butter made by manufacturers for own use in candy. <sup>4</sup> Includes salted, unsalted, dry and honey roasted, salted and unsalted roasted. <sup>5</sup> Includes peanut butter made by manufacturers for own use in cookies and sandwiches, but excludes peanut butter used in candy.

**Table 12. Government Domestic Feeding and Child Nutrition Program, by Month, Crop of 2008-2009**

Month Ending	Deliveries by Product			
	Peanut Butter	Roasted Peanuts	Granules	Total
	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>
Aug 2008	3,193,125	51,840	0	3,244,965
Sep	2,569,447	0	0	2,569,447
Oct	3,435,524	155,520	0	3,591,044
Nov	4,904,005	25,920	0	4,929,925
Dec	4,316,005	77,760	0	4,393,765
Jan 2009	3,455,369	129,600	0	3,584,969
Feb				
Mar				
Apr				
May				
Jun				
Jul				
Jan 2008	3,596,648	0	0	3,596,648
Aug 2008- Jan 2009	21,873,475	440,640	0	22,314,115
Aug 2007- Jan 2008	19,750,828	272,592	0	20,023,420

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