



Peanut Stocks and Processing

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Shelled Edible Grade Season to Date Utilization Up 9 Percent from Last Year Peanut Stocks in Commercial Storage Totaled 2.45 Billion Pounds

Peanut stocks reported in commercial storage on April 30, 2011 totaled 2.45 billion pounds of equivalent farmer stock, compared with 2.79 billion pounds a year ago. This total includes 1.66 billion pounds of actual farmer stock.

Shelled peanuts on hand totaled 732 million pounds of farmer stock equivalent. Roasting stock totaled 55.7 million pounds.

Shelled peanut stocks totaled 551 million pounds of which 500 million pounds were edible grades and 50.5 million pounds were oil stocks. Edible grade stocks by type included 90.7 million pounds of Virginias and Valencias, 387 million pounds of Runners, and 22.9 million pounds of Spanish.

Millings in April totaled 368 million pounds. Millings by type were 51.3 million pounds of Virginias and Valencias, 301 million pounds of Runners, and 15.7 million pounds of Spanish.

Commercial processors utilized 166 million pounds of **shelled edible** grade peanuts during April. Utilization by type was 101 million pounds for all peanut butter products, 32.6 million pounds for peanut candy, and 30.3 million pounds for peanut snacks. **Crushing** for oil and cake and meal totaled 38.3 million pounds during the month.

Deliveries under the Government Domestic Feeding and Child Nutrition Programs amounted to 2.31 million pounds of peanut butter and 51,840 pounds of roasted peanuts during April.

Stocks of treated seed on hand April 30, 2011 totaled 35.9 million pounds, compared with 20.1 million pounds on March 31, 2011. Of the April total, 10.6 million pounds were Virginias and Valencias, 24.6 million pounds were Runners, and 637,000 pounds were Spanish. March stocks of treated seed included 7.81 million pounds of Virginias and Valencias, 12.0 million pounds of Runners, and 246,000 pounds of Spanish.

Stocks estimates refer to April 30, 2011. All other data are for the month of April.

Peanut Stocks and Specified Products at Month's End – United States: 2010 and 2011

[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. Blank data cells indicate estimation period has not yet begun]

Month ending	Farmer stock	Shelled peanuts ¹	Roasting stock (in shell) ²	Farmer stock equivalent	
				Shelled peanuts	Total ³
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)
2010					
August	711,414	556,061	51,378	739,561	1,502,353
September	1,064,878	504,054	43,589	670,392	1,778,859
October	2,900,280	532,888	42,665	708,741	3,651,686
November	3,394,162	531,316	50,103	706,650	4,150,915
December	3,178,274	497,440	47,452	661,595	3,887,321
2011					
January	2,852,936	504,681	41,288	671,226	3,565,450
February	2,501,386	537,177	42,507	714,445	3,258,338
March	2,066,062	561,500	54,007	746,795	2,866,864
April	1,657,108	550,597	55,711	732,294	2,445,113
May					
June					
July					
2010					
April	1,903,852	620,902	56,260	825,800	2,785,912

¹ Includes shelled edible grades, shelled oil stock, and shelled seed (untreated).

² Cleaned and unshelled.

³ Farmer stock + roasting stock + (actual shelled peanuts X 1.33).

Farmer Stock Peanuts by Type at Month's End – United States: 2010 and 2011

[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. Blank data cells indicate estimation period has not yet begun]

Month ending	Virginias and Valencias	Runners	Spanish	Total
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)
2010				
August	66,928	636,878	7,608	711,414
September	64,012	996,020	4,846	1,064,878
October	399,152	2,457,336	43,792	2,900,280
November	457,580	2,880,240	56,342	3,394,162
December	409,664	2,716,576	52,034	3,178,274
2011				
January	367,662	2,437,312	47,962	2,852,936
February	331,984	2,128,284	41,118	2,501,386
March	260,000	1,773,156	32,906	2,066,062
April	203,236	1,429,112	24,760	1,657,108
May				
June				
July				
2010				
April	279,000	1,600,736	24,116	1,903,852

Shelled Peanuts and Roasting Stock (in Shell) at Month's End – United States: 2010 and 2011

[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. Blank data cells indicate estimation period has not yet begun]

Month ending	Shelled edibles ¹				Shelled oil stocks ²	Total shelled	Roasting stock ³
	Virginias and Valencias	Runners	Spanish	Total			
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)
2010							
August	126,323	380,442	14,073	520,838	35,223	556,061	51,378
September	119,562	337,634	9,301	466,497	37,557	504,054	43,589
October	116,872	351,750	24,071	492,693	40,195	532,888	42,665
November	121,746	342,400	20,459	484,605	46,711	531,316	50,103
December	116,232	317,077	22,678	455,987	41,453	497,440	47,452
2011							
January	105,463	331,093	21,383	457,939	46,742	504,681	41,288
February	98,406	368,570	24,769	491,745	45,432	537,177	42,507
March	100,722	389,085	22,465	512,272	49,228	561,500	54,007
April	90,748	386,509	22,878	500,135	50,462	550,597	55,711
May							
June							
July							
2010							
April	132,825	432,431	24,444	589,700	31,202	620,902	56,260

¹ Shelled edible grades include blanched and shelled roasted peanuts converted to a raw basis using conversion factors of 1.08 and 1.12, respectively.

² Includes straight run oil stock peanuts.

³ Cleaned and unshelled.

Farmer Stock Peanuts Milled (Net Weight) by Month – United States: 2010 and 2011

[Includes peanuts milled for seed. Blank data cells indicate estimation period has not yet begun]

Month ending	Virginias and Valencias	Runners	Spanish	Total
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)
2010				
August	55,788	237,332	-	293,120
September	38,664	203,126	768	242,558
October	58,832	282,286	25,452	366,570
November	75,710	241,400	6,404	323,514
December	52,884	209,252	8,072	270,208
2011				
January	47,530	285,408	5,414	338,352
February	47,876	291,018	12,582	351,476
March	84,226	347,324	7,926	439,476
April	51,332	300,656	15,742	367,730
May				
June				
July				
2010				
April	58,002	314,748	4,488	377,238
2010-2011				
August-April	512,842	2,397,802	82,360	2,993,004
2009-2010				
August-April	540,852	2,409,942	61,172	3,011,966

- Represents zero.

Production of Shelled and Roasting Stock (in Shell) Peanuts by Month – United States: 2010 and 2011

[Blank data cells indicate estimation period has not yet begun]

Month ending	Shelled edibles ¹				Shelled oil stocks ²	Total shelled	Roasting stock ³
	Virginias and Valencias	Runners	Spanish	Total			
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)
2010							
August	23,288	171,214	-	194,502	23,307	217,809	18,944
September	16,887	134,068	565	151,520	27,712	179,232	13,454
October	19,710	192,984	19,181	231,875	28,395	260,270	27,827
November	27,535	160,469	2,713	190,717	32,920	223,637	31,818
December	20,944	132,739	5,609	159,292	26,919	186,211	19,783
2011							
January	17,648	182,188	4,706	204,542	34,657	239,199	19,474
February	18,698	195,130	8,261	222,089	26,406	248,495	17,711
March	31,221	224,349	4,376	259,946	36,659	296,605	34,256
April	19,964	202,600	7,993	230,557	32,389	262,946	21,638
May							
June							
July							
2010							
April	20,147	204,798	3,083	228,028	23,155	251,183	24,667
2010-2011							
August-April	195,895	1,595,741	53,404	1,845,040	269,364	2,114,404	204,905
2009-2010							
August-April	216,414	1,617,045	38,241	1,871,700	223,740	2,095,440	194,597

- Represents zero.

¹ Includes peanuts milled for seed.

² Includes straight run oil stock peanuts.

³ Cleaned and unshelled.

Shelled Peanuts Crushed, Production, and Stocks of Peanut Oil and Cake and Meal by Month – United States: 2010 and 2011

[Relates to oil mills only. Blank data cells indicate estimation period has not yet begun]

Month ending	Shelled peanuts crushed ¹	Production		Stocks (end of month)	
		Crude oil	Cake and Meal	Crude oil	Cake and Meal
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)
2010					
August	27,453	11,704	16,064	4,348	7,706
September	29,711	13,347	16,660	3,351	7,654
October	33,904	14,489	19,257	3,159	9,254
November	34,950	15,188	19,992	1,422	8,793
December	36,196	15,391	20,206	3,102	6,743
2011					
January	37,115	16,272	21,102	3,027	9,579
February	34,697	15,139	18,052	4,664	8,134
March	45,766	19,963	26,657	3,322	9,129
April	38,341	17,778	21,837	7,362	7,210
May					
June					
July					
2010					
April	22,487	9,524	12,951	3,103	4,353
2010-2011					
August-April	318,133	139,271	179,827	(X)	(X)
2009-2010					
August-April	252,945	108,229	142,694	(X)	(X)

(X) Not applicable.

¹ All crushings regardless of grade.

Apparent Disappearance of Milled Peanut Products by Month – United States: 2010 and 2011

[Includes in transit, exports, and domestic use. Blank data cells indicate estimation period has not yet begun]

Month ending	Shelled peanuts			Roasting stock	Crude peanut oil ¹	Cake and meal ¹
	Edible grades	Oil stocks	Total			
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)
2010						
August	227,959	23,582	251,541	20,495	14,244	15,403
September	205,861	25,378	231,239	21,243	14,344	16,712
October	205,679	25,757	231,436	28,751	14,681	17,657
November	198,805	26,404	225,209	24,380	16,925	20,453
December	187,910	32,177	220,087	22,434	13,711	22,256
2011						
January	202,590	29,368	231,958	25,638	16,347	18,266
February	188,283	27,716	215,999	16,492	13,502	19,497
March	239,419	32,863	272,282	22,756	21,305	25,662
April	242,694	31,155	273,849	19,934	13,738	23,756
May						
June						
July						
2010						
April	243,577	17,824	261,401	23,538	11,217	12,030
2010-2011						
August-April	1,899,200	254,400	2,153,600	202,123	138,797	179,662
2009-2010						
August-April	1,793,261	214,858	2,008,119	198,824	109,617	142,133

¹ Relates to oil mills only.

Shelled Peanuts (Raw Basis) Used in Primary Products and in Shell Peanuts by Month – United States: 2010 and 2011

[Excludes peanuts milled for seed. Blank data cells indicate estimation period has not yet begun]

Month ending	Edible grades used in products ¹					Total all grades ⁵	In shell peanuts ⁶
	Peanut candy ²	Peanut snacks ³	Peanut butter ⁴	Other products	Total		
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)
2010							
August	35,314	33,130	116,405	1,940	186,789	214,242	10,250
September	35,465	35,805	97,727	1,375	170,372	200,083	11,357
October	31,448	36,126	93,880	1,717	163,171	197,075	12,468
November	28,646	31,516	102,056	1,200	163,418	198,368	11,701
December	24,715	31,774	92,154	1,099	149,742	185,938	11,248
2011							
January	34,666	29,477	89,845	1,576	155,564	192,679	12,945
February	29,676	33,658	102,791	1,351	167,476	202,173	10,579
March	35,177	40,218	104,267	1,178	180,840	226,606	12,980
April	32,599	30,252	101,124	1,692	165,667	204,008	12,265
May							
June							
July							
2010							
April	23,386	27,346	100,899	1,517	153,148	175,635	12,572
2010-2011							
August-April	287,706	301,956	900,249	13,128	1,503,039	1,821,172	105,793
2009-2010							
August-April	230,746	251,182	884,648	10,595	1,377,171	1,630,116	107,170

¹ Shelled edible grades include blanched and shelled roasted peanuts converted to a raw basis using conversion factors of 1.08 and 1.12, respectively.

² Includes peanut butter made by manufacturers for own use in candy.

³ Includes salted, unsalted, dry and honey roasted, salted and unsalted roasted, snack bars, and trail mixes.

⁴ Includes peanut butter made by manufacturers for own use in cookies and sandwiches, but excludes peanut butter used in candy.

⁵ Includes all shelled peanuts crushed regardless of grade.

⁶ Includes peanuts re-packaged, roasted in shell, salted in shell, and raw in shell.

Shelled Peanuts (Raw Basis) Used in Primary Products by Month and Type – United States: 2010 and 2011

[Excludes peanuts milled for seed. Crushings by type not available. Blank data cells indicate estimation period has not yet begun]

Month ending and type	Edible grades used in products ¹				
	Peanut candy ²	Peanut snacks ³	Peanut butter ⁴	Other products	Total
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)
Runner					
2010					
August	32,625	27,856	104,039	1,630	166,150
September	32,485	28,050	87,925	1,123	149,583
October	28,859	29,686	82,910	1,410	142,865
November	26,352	25,200	90,380	915	142,847
December	22,968	25,145	80,044	922	129,079
2011					
January	32,021	23,472	76,582	1,098	133,173
February	27,097	26,825	92,417	952	147,291
March	32,696	32,261	93,218	991	159,166
April	30,561	25,594	89,194	1,434	146,783
May					
June					
July					
2010					
April	21,250	23,236	86,317	1,287	132,090
2010-2011					
August-April	265,664	244,089	796,709	10,475	1,316,937
2009-2010					
August-April	209,405	203,453	785,861	8,676	1,207,395
Spanish					
2010					
August	1,116	943	(D)	(D)	3,158
September	1,675	1,456	(D)	(D)	3,404
October	893	1,397	(D)	(D)	3,083
November	840	1,322	(D)	(D)	2,747
December	762	1,073	(D)	(D)	2,656
2011					
January	1,498	1,296	(D)	(D)	3,687
February	1,548	932	(D)	(D)	3,163
March	1,473	976	(D)	(D)	3,429
April	746	1,016	(D)	(D)	2,589
May					
June					
July					
2010					
April	1,036	638	(D)	(D)	2,431
2010-2011					
August-April	10,551	10,411	(D)	(D)	27,916
2009-2010					
August-April	8,609	8,774	(D)	(D)	23,382

See footnote(s) at end of table.

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Shelled Peanuts (Raw Basis) Used in Primary Products by Month and Type – United States: 2010 and 2011 (continued)

[Excludes peanuts milled for seed. Crushings by type not available. Blank data cells indicate estimation period has not yet begun]

Month ending and type	Edible grades used in products ¹				
	Peanut candy ²	Peanut snacks ³	Peanut butter ⁴	Other products	Total
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)
Virginia and Valencia					
2010					
August	1,573	4,331	(D)	(D)	17,481
September	1,305	6,299	(D)	(D)	17,385
October	1,696	5,043	(D)	(D)	17,223
November	1,454	4,994	(D)	(D)	17,825
December	985	5,556	(D)	(D)	18,006
2011					
January	1,147	4,709	(D)	(D)	18,703
February	1,031	5,901	(D)	(D)	17,021
March	1,008	6,981	(D)	(D)	18,246
April	1,292	3,642	(D)	(D)	16,295
May					
June					
July					
2010					
April	1,100	3,472	(D)	(D)	18,627
2010-2011					
August-April	11,491	47,456	(D)	(D)	158,185
2009-2010					
August-April	12,732	38,955	(D)	(D)	146,394

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

¹ Shelled edible grades include blanched and shelled roasted peanuts converted to a raw basis using conversion factors of 1.08 and 1.12, respectively.

² Includes peanut butter made by manufacturers for own use in candy.

³ Includes salted, unsalted, dry and honey roasted, salted and unsalted roasted, snack bars, and trail mixes.

⁴ Includes peanut butter made by manufacturers for own use in cookies and sandwiches, but excludes peanut butter used in candy.

Government Domestic Feeding and Child Nutrition Program Deliveries by Month – United States: 2010 and 2011

[Source: Food and Nutrition Service. Blank data cells indicate estimation period has not yet begun]

Month ending	Deliveries by product		
	Peanut butter	Roasted peanuts	Total
	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)
2010			
August	4,050,729	25,920	4,076,649
September	3,961,604	60,480	4,022,084
October	3,970,723	172,800	4,143,523
November	3,136,806	77,760	3,214,566
December	3,205,603	25,920	3,231,523
2011			
January	3,133,765	-	3,133,765
February	2,643,045	51,840	2,694,885
March	2,107,202	77,760	2,184,962
April	2,307,365	51,840	2,359,205
May			
June			
July			
2010			
April	2,972,644	77,760	3,050,404
2010-2011			
August-April	28,516,842	544,320	29,061,162
2009-2010			
August-April	33,102,266	1,745,280	34,847,546

- Represents zero.

Statistical Methodology

Survey Procedures: The peanut stocks and processing estimates in this report are based on a survey conducted during the first three weeks of the month. The survey is required by law under Title 7 of the United States Code (7 U.S.C. 951, 2010). Peanut stocks are a census of all known cleaners, shellers, crushers, warehouses, cold storage plants, and processors of peanuts who handle more than 30,000 pounds annually. Every effort is made to obtain a report from all facilities.

Estimating Procedures: Since a complete report is not always received from all facilities, estimates are made for missing facilities to assure complete coverage. Peanut stocks survey data are reviewed at the national level for reasonableness and consistency with historical estimates.

Revision Policy: Peanut stocks are subject to revision at any time during the marketing year. Revisions can be made when late reports are received and errors are detected in reporting and calculating. Once the marketing year ends, no revisions can be made to the previous marketing year.

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