



Peanut Stocks and Processing

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Shelled Edible Grade Season to Date Utilization Up 3 Percent from Last Year Peanut Stocks in Commercial Storage Totaled 3.09 Billion Pounds

Peanut stocks reported in commercial storage on April 30, 2014 totaled 3.09 billion pounds of equivalent farmer stock, compared with 3.95 billion pounds a year ago. This total includes 2.20 billion pounds of actual farmer stock.

Shelled peanuts on hand totaled 835 million pounds of farmer stock equivalent. Roasting stock totaled 57.7 million pounds.

Shelled peanut stocks totaled 628 million pounds of which 597 million pounds were edible grades and 30.6 million pounds were oil stocks. Edible grade stocks by type included 63.4 million pounds of Virginias and Valencias, 505 million pounds of Runners, and 28.8 million pounds of Spanish.

Millings in April totaled 457 million pounds. Millings by type were 72.1 million pounds of Virginias and Valencias, 383 million pounds of Runners, and 2.27 million pounds of Spanish.

Commercial processors utilized 164 million pounds of **shelled edible** grade peanuts during April. Utilization by type was 93.9 million pounds for all peanut butter products and 32.3 million pounds for peanut snacks. **Crushing** for oil and cake and meal totaled 41.8 million pounds during the month.

Deliveries under the Government Domestic Feeding and Child Nutrition Programs amounted to 2.45 million pounds of peanut butter and 25,920 pounds of roasted peanuts during April.

Stocks of treated seed on hand April 30, 2014 totaled 43.0 million pounds, compared with 30.5 million pounds on March 31, 2014. Of the April total, 12.9 million pounds were Virginias and Valencias, 29.1 million pounds were Runners, and 951,000 pounds were Spanish. March stocks of treated seed included 11.3 million pounds of Virginias and Valencias, 18.5 million pounds of Runners, and 733,000 pounds of Spanish.

Stocks estimates refer to April 30, 2014. All other data are for the month of April.

Peanut Stocks and Specified Products at Month's End – United States: April 2014 with Comparisons

[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)
2013					
August	1,527,628	625,303	67,767	831,653	2,427,048
September	1,296,546	611,977	61,951	813,929	2,172,426
October	2,908,994	605,394	62,149	805,174	3,776,317
November	3,790,778	598,852	54,217	796,473	4,641,468
December	3,876,068	581,491	60,623	773,383	4,710,074
2014					
January	3,472,000	573,798	64,480	763,151	4,299,631
February	3,045,742	614,164	56,842	816,838	3,919,422
March	2,615,138	625,385	58,597	831,762	3,505,497
April	2,195,790	627,750	57,707	834,908	3,088,405
May					
June					
July					
2013					
April	3,073,436	619,965	54,987	824,553	3,952,976

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: April 2014 with Comparisons

[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)
2013				
August	117,372	1,408,666	1,590	1,527,628
September	109,430	1,186,462	654	1,296,546
October	448,412	2,424,898	35,684	2,908,994
November	692,968	3,042,138	55,672	3,790,778
December	657,368	3,162,436	56,264	3,876,068
2014				
January	592,690	2,826,234	53,076	3,472,000
February	525,080	2,471,850	48,812	3,045,742
March	478,086	2,100,900	36,152	2,615,138
April	414,968	1,746,510	34,312	2,195,790
May				
June				
July				
2013				
April	348,850	2,707,746	16,840	3,073,436

Shelled Peanuts and Roasting Stock (in Shell) at Month's End – United States: April 2014 with Comparisons

[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)
2013							
August	110,233	463,689	16,309	590,231	35,072	625,303	67,767
September	78,007	482,171	14,491	574,669	37,308	611,977	61,951
October	59,512	491,164	18,231	568,907	36,487	605,394	62,149
November	57,291	481,103	26,791	565,185	33,667	598,852	54,217
December	52,958	466,741	32,100	551,799	29,692	581,491	60,623
2014							
January	57,774	458,397	26,188	542,359	31,439	573,798	64,480
February	62,602	487,816	28,647	579,065	35,099	614,164	56,842
March	62,971	493,521	35,307	591,799	33,586	625,385	58,597
April	63,387	504,944	28,823	597,154	30,596	627,750	57,707
May							
June							
July							
2013							
April	120,395	452,966	15,844	589,205	30,760	619,965	54,987

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: April 2014 with Comparisons

[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)
2013				
August	53,960	359,838	738	414,536
September	54,232	381,494	2,206	437,932
October	37,932	383,132	9,984	431,048
November	53,904	265,320	14,464	333,688
December	64,418	288,102	8,320	360,840
2014				
January	71,996	338,728	2,512	413,236
February	59,004	372,290	778	432,072
March	75,422	362,818	13,020	451,260
April	72,108	382,556	2,270	456,934
May				
June				
July				
2013				
April	86,116	434,502	8,790	529,408
2013-2014				
August-April	542,976	3,134,278	54,292	3,731,546
2012-2013				
August-April	632,742	3,005,056	62,492	3,700,290

Production of Shelled and Roasting Stock (in Shell) Peanuts by Month - United States: April 2014 with Comparisons

[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)
2013							
August	(D)	250,931	(D)	272,645	29,198	301,843	21,908
September	(D)	256,857	(D)	274,804	36,181	310,985	27,424
October	17,303	259,714	7,926	284,943	36,540	321,483	30,204
November	15,742	172,526	10,381	198,649	30,985	229,634	24,413
December	(D)	201,187	(D)	228,291	32,572	260,863	24,743
2014							
January	(D)	202,300	(D)	228,320	29,748	258,068	29,703
February	25,052	237,337	3,750	266,139	32,208	298,347	15,757
March	(D)	235,399	(D)	273,644	30,781	304,425	28,807
April	(D)	253,117	(D)	280,423	32,094	312,517	29,609
May							
June							
July							
2013							
April	(D)	300,747	(D)	341,311	31,303	372,614	30,860
2013-2014							
August-April	189,958	2,069,368	48,532	2,307,858	290,307	2,598,165	232,568
2012-2013							
August-April	252,835	2,037,397	33,543	2,323,775	262,883	2,586,658	229,861

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

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: April 2014 with Comparisons

[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)
2013					
August	47,049	20,203	25,738	(D)	(D)
September	47,209	19,974	26,172	(D)	(D)
October	47,153	19,146	26,149	(D)	(D)
November	39,457	16,429	22,067	(D)	(D)
December	40,226	16,870	21,506	(D)	(D)
2014					
January	36,284	15,537	19,254	(D)	(D)
February	39,028	14,446	21,331	(D)	(D)
March	42,615	18,734	21,762	(D)	(D)
April	41,843	18,310	22,787	(D)	(D)
May					
June					
July					
2013					
April	47,270	20,384	25,872	(D)	(D)
2013-2014					
August-April	380,864	159,649	206,766	(X)	(X)
2012-2013					
August-April	381,903	162,577	209,626	(X)	(X)

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

(X) Not applicable.

¹ All crushings regardless of grade.

Apparent Disappearance of Milled Peanut Products by Month – United States: April 2014 with Comparisons

[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)
2013						
August	230,379	28,009	258,388	26,036	20,445	26,295
September	290,366	33,945	324,311	33,240	20,128	22,319
October	290,705	37,361	328,066	30,006	18,879	31,167
November	202,371	33,805	236,176	32,345	15,905	21,352
December	241,677	36,547	278,224	18,337	15,870	22,000
2014						
January	237,760	28,001	265,761	25,846	14,229	20,497
February	229,433	28,548	257,981	23,395	16,088	21,145
March	260,910	32,294	293,204	27,052	17,350	21,007
April	275,068	35,084	310,152	30,499	17,316	22,921
May						
June						
July						
2013						
April	307,396	33,584	340,980	27,939	(D)	25,048
2013-2014						
August-April	2,258,669	293,594	2,552,263	246,756	156,210	208,703
2012-2013						
August-April	2,203,512	285,006	2,488,518	214,836	(D)	212,666

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¹ Relates to oil mills only.

Shelled Peanuts (Raw Basis) Used in Primary Products and In Shell Peanuts by Month – United States: April 2014 with Comparisons

[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)
2013							
August	35,212	37,245	101,208	2,779	176,444	223,493	12,166
September	38,017	41,743	87,259	2,119	169,138	216,347	10,431
October	33,035	33,195	114,521	3,143	183,894	231,047	(D)
November	(D)	35,287	107,049	(D)	173,125	212,582	(D)
December	24,235	31,491	94,411	1,800	151,937	192,163	(D)
2014							
January	(D)	34,713	92,762	(D)	161,783	198,067	(D)
February	32,989	35,087	92,787	1,746	162,609	201,637	(D)
March	31,511	38,270	115,464	3,003	188,248	230,863	14,243
April	(D)	32,253	93,942	(D)	164,388	206,231	14,357
May							
June							
July							
2013							
April	33,702	32,877	103,770	1,995	172,344	219,614	14,064
2013-2014							
August-April	291,833	319,284	899,403	21,046	1,531,566	1,912,430	114,831
2012-2013							
August-April	276,230	291,457	905,945	13,895	1,487,527	1,869,430	113,483

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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: April 2014 with Comparisons

[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					
2013					
August	29,838	(D)	93,848	(D)	154,153
September	34,485	(D)	79,841	(D)	146,844
October	30,248	(D)	105,179	(D)	162,520
November	(D)	27,569	100,464	(D)	156,163
December	22,626	23,344	87,788	730	134,488
2014					
January	29,690	(D)	85,922	(D)	145,396
February	30,771	28,547	86,843	937	147,098
March	29,376	30,724	108,669	1,730	170,499
April	32,553	26,509	86,760	1,843	147,665
May					
June					
July					
2013					
April	31,410	24,789	95,606	984	152,789
2013-2014					
August-April	(D)	251,613	835,314	(D)	1,364,826
2012-2013					
August-April	251,258	223,796	843,116	8,513	1,326,683
Spanish					
2013					
August	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	2,246
September	(D)	587	-	-	(D)
October	(D)	587	(D)	-	2,047
November	(D)	(D)	-	-	1,696
December	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	1,528
2014					
January	(D)	338	(D)	-	(D)
February	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	2,083
March	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	1,850
April	(D)	540	(D)	-	2,861
May					
June					
July					
2013					
April	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	2,434
2013-2014					
August-April	11,285	5,130	1,668	-	18,083
2012-2013					
August-April	12,059	5,150	1,022	17	18,248

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: April 2014 with Comparisons (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					
2013					
August	(D)	7,660	7,184	(D)	20,045
September	(D)	9,620	7,418	(D)	20,277
October	1,501	6,868	9,168	1,790	19,327
November	(D)	6,953	6,585	(D)	15,267
December	(D)	7,705	6,319	(D)	15,921
2014					
January	(D)	5,662	6,796	(D)	14,632
February	(D)	5,953	5,551	(D)	13,427
March	(D)	6,916	6,705	(D)	15,898
April	(D)	5,204	6,695	(D)	13,862
May					
June					
July					
2013					
April	(D)	7,464	7,504	(D)	17,122
2013-2014					
August-April	13,705	62,541	62,421	9,990	148,656
2012-2013					
August-April	(D)	62,511	61,807	(D)	142,598

- Represents zero.

(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:
April 2014 with Comparisons**

[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)
2013			
August	2,347,520	-	2,347,520
September	1,749,440	25,920	1,775,360
October	3,906,560	51,840	3,958,400
November	3,786,560	25,920	3,812,480
December	3,640,800	-	3,640,800
2014			
January	3,610,240	25,920	3,636,160
February	1,934,880	25,920	1,960,800
March	1,515,520	-	1,515,520
April	2,452,800	25,920	2,478,720
May			
June			
July			
2013			
April	1,983,200	-	1,983,200
2013-2014			
August-April	24,944,320	181,440	25,125,760
2012-2013			
August-April	20,083,200	380,160	20,463,360

- 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.

Reliability: The peanut stocks and processing survey is subject to non-sampling errors such as omission, duplication, imputation for missing data, and mistakes in reporting, recording, and processing the data. These errors cannot be measured directly, but are minimized through rigid quality controls in the data collection process and a careful review of all reported data for consistency and reasonableness.

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