



# Peanut Stocks and Processing

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## Shelled Edible Grade Season to Date Utilization Up 5 Percent from Last Year Peanut Stocks in Commercial Storage Totaled 2.40 Billion Pounds

**Peanut stocks** reported in commercial storage on June 30, 2015 totaled 2.40 billion pounds of equivalent farmer stock, compared with 2.30 billion pounds a year ago. This total includes 1.70 billion pounds of actual farmer stock.

**Shelled peanuts** on hand totaled 660 million pounds of farmer stock equivalent. Roasting stock totaled 39.3 million pounds.

Shelled peanut stocks totaled 496 million pounds of which 468 million pounds were edible grades and 28.3 million pounds were oil stocks. Edible grade stocks by type included 69.1 million pounds of Virginias and Valencias, 375 million pounds of Runners, and 23.8 million pounds of Spanish.

**Millings** in June totaled 430 million pounds. Millings by type were 60.8 million pounds of Virginias and Valencias, 351 million pounds of Runners, and 18.2 million pounds of Spanish.

Commercial processors utilized 187 million pounds of **shelled edible** grade peanuts during June. Utilization by type was 106 million pounds for all peanut butter products, 36.5 million pounds for peanut candy, and 39.2 million pounds for peanut snacks. **Crushing** for oil and cake and meal totaled 46.5 million pounds during the month.

Deliveries under the Government Domestic Feeding and Child Nutrition Programs amounted to 1.28 million pounds of peanut butter during June.

**Stocks of treated seed** on hand June 30, 2015 totaled 2.52 million pounds, compared with 26.6 million pounds on May 31, 2015. Of the June total, 637,000 pounds were Virginias and Valencias, 1.82 million pounds were Runners, and 66,000 thousand pounds were Spanish. May stocks of treated seed included 3.88 million pounds of Virginias and Valencias, 22.5 million pounds of Runners, and 229,000 pounds of Spanish.

Stocks estimates refer to June 30, 2015. All other data are for the month of June.

## Peanut Stocks and Specified Products at Month's End – United States: June 2015 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 <sup>1</sup>	Roasting stock (in shell) <sup>2</sup>	Farmer stock equivalent	
				Shelled peanuts	Total <sup>3</sup>
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)
<b>2014</b>					
August .....	661,774	527,892	62,846	702,096	1,426,716
September .....	572,956	528,451	54,669	702,840	1,330,465
October .....	3,517,738	511,641	47,848	680,483	4,246,069
November .....	4,046,436	468,401	47,932	622,973	4,717,341
December .....	3,947,902	429,406	54,219	571,110	4,573,231
<b>2015</b>					
January .....	3,622,552	469,782	49,829	624,810	4,297,191
February .....	3,224,020	470,173	44,032	625,330	3,893,382
March .....	2,789,612	491,168	44,955	653,253	3,487,820
April .....	2,394,558	499,072	44,655	663,766	3,102,979
May .....	2,056,402	464,016	44,183	617,141	2,717,726
June .....	1,697,476	496,280	39,279	660,052	2,396,807
July .....					
<b>2014</b>					
June .....	1,423,266	611,407	67,927	813,171	2,304,364

<sup>1</sup> Includes shelled edible grades, shelled oil stock, and shelled seed (untreated).

<sup>2</sup> Cleaned and unshelled.

<sup>3</sup> Farmer stock + roasting stock + (actual shelled peanuts X 1.33).

## Farmer Stock Peanuts by Type at Month's End – United States: June 2015 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)
<b>2014</b>				
August .....	152,424	495,260	14,090	661,774
September .....	147,674	411,434	13,848	572,956
October .....	737,246	2,726,468	54,024	3,517,738
November .....	859,946	3,131,150	55,340	4,046,436
December .....	800,776	3,087,026	60,100	3,947,902
<b>2015</b>				
January .....	741,316	2,826,120	55,116	3,622,552
February .....	702,228	2,466,942	54,850	3,224,020
March .....	619,178	2,122,654	47,780	2,789,612
April .....	537,574	1,819,378	37,606	2,394,558
May .....	466,356	1,553,648	36,398	2,056,402
June .....	406,014	1,269,330	22,132	1,697,476
July .....				
<b>2014</b>				
June .....	284,066	1,120,630	18,570	1,423,266

## Shelled Peanuts and Roasting Stock (in Shell) at Month's End – United States: June 2015 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 <sup>1</sup>				Shelled oil stocks <sup>2</sup>	Total shelled	Roasting stock <sup>3</sup>
	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)
<b>2014</b>							
August .....	61,776	422,979	23,993	508,748	19,144	527,892	62,846
September .....	72,946	417,574	20,910	511,430	17,021	528,451	54,669
October .....	86,132	382,035	23,183	491,350	20,291	511,641	47,848
November .....	72,085	358,397	25,458	455,940	12,461	468,401	47,932
December .....	70,297	318,843	21,071	410,211	19,195	429,406	54,219
<b>2015</b>							
January .....	69,232	357,972	22,301	449,505	20,277	469,782	49,829
February .....	61,057	365,227	23,234	449,518	20,655	470,173	44,032
March .....	68,041	375,906	21,962	465,909	25,259	491,168	44,955
April .....	68,407	379,916	26,366	474,689	24,383	499,072	44,655
May .....	72,251	350,475	22,281	445,007	19,009	464,016	44,183
June .....	69,114	375,112	23,787	468,013	28,267	496,280	39,279
July .....							
<b>2014</b>							
June .....	59,671	495,318	31,888	586,877	24,530	611,407	67,927

<sup>1</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>2</sup> Includes straight run oil stock peanuts.

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

## Farmer Stock Peanuts Milled (Net Weight) by Month – United States: June 2015 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)
<b>2014</b>				
August .....	60,906	344,798	1,440	407,144
September .....	67,294	337,174	1,794	406,262
October .....	67,186	262,966	9,880	340,032
November .....	44,866	267,210	8,856	320,932
December .....	74,732	291,878	2,428	369,038
<b>2015</b>				
January .....	59,970	330,046	6,598	396,614
February .....	31,476	399,028	6,160	436,664
March .....	78,962	396,106	7,370	482,438
April .....	80,918	361,738	10,474	453,130
May .....	69,728	312,552	2,836	385,116
June .....	60,820	351,048	18,174	430,042
July .....				
<b>2014</b>				
June .....	70,714	329,052	9,620	409,386
<b>2014-2015</b>				
August-June .....	696,858	3,654,544	76,010	4,427,412
<b>2013-2014</b>				
August-June .....	681,742	3,812,446	66,832	4,561,020

## Production of Shelled and Roasting Stock (in Shell) Peanuts by Month – United States: June 2015 with Comparisons

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

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			
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)
<b>2014</b>							
August .....	(D)	227,194	(D)	253,562	29,714	283,276	14,695
September .....	33,554	228,834	2,599	264,987	34,258	299,245	12,232
October .....	24,856	173,054	8,273	206,183	29,231	235,414	25,845
November .....	17,244	174,746	5,370	197,360	27,275	224,635	17,031
December .....	27,895	205,711	1,021	234,627	32,023	266,650	26,274
<b>2015</b>							
January .....	23,975	225,627	3,926	253,528	31,324	284,852	22,217
February .....	14,966	261,955	1,614	278,535	30,742	309,277	10,076
March .....	35,565	266,365	4,077	306,007	34,242	340,249	23,911
April .....	34,969	238,890	6,083	279,942	37,218	317,160	27,467
May .....	(D)	203,358	(D)	233,957	31,096	265,053	24,485
June .....	28,636	240,992	3,228	272,856	41,575	314,431	22,350
July .....							
<b>2014</b>							
June .....	(D)	227,716	(D)	258,934	28,006	286,940	29,550
<b>2014-2015</b>							
August-June .....	297,391	2,446,726	37,427	2,781,544	358,698	3,140,242	226,583
<b>2013-2014</b>							
August-June .....	239,505	2,555,300	60,295	2,855,100	348,763	3,203,863	292,758

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

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

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

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

## Shelled Peanuts Crushed, Production, and Stocks of Peanut Oil and Cake and Meal by Month – United States: June 2015 with Comparisons

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

Month ending	Shelled peanuts crushed <sup>1</sup>	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)
<b>2014</b>					
August .....	46,338	20,143	24,940	9,036	5,414
September .....	45,138	16,909	25,533	9,793	5,047
October .....	41,714	17,664	22,880	7,200	3,577
November .....	41,750	18,068	22,099	6,601	5,702
December .....	35,849	15,505	19,490	2,956	6,331
<b>2015</b>					
January .....	40,221	17,181	22,202	4,789	4,260
February .....	41,297	17,618	22,802	7,165	4,376
March .....	44,773	18,901	24,974	9,467	5,526
April .....	44,921	19,037	24,793	6,007	3,970
May .....	42,657	18,110	23,575	6,037	4,976
June .....	46,503	19,686	25,786	6,230	6,885
July .....					
<b>2014</b>					
June .....	41,597	17,784	21,860	(D)	(D)
<b>2014-2015</b>					
August-June .....	471,161	198,822	259,074	(X)	(X)
<b>2013-2014</b>					
August-June .....	463,884	195,393	250,704	(X)	(X)

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

(X) Not applicable.

<sup>1</sup> All crushings regardless of grade.

## Apparent Disappearance of Milled Peanut Products by Month – United States: June 2015 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 <sup>1</sup>	Cake and meal <sup>1</sup>
	Edible grades	Oil stocks	Total			
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)
<b>2014</b>						
August .....	264,638	35,934	300,572	25,002	17,596	22,494
September .....	262,305	36,381	298,686	20,409	16,152	25,900
October .....	226,263	25,961	252,224	32,666	20,257	24,350
November .....	232,770	35,105	267,875	16,947	18,667	19,974
December .....	280,356	25,289	305,645	19,987	19,150	18,861
<b>2015</b>						
January .....	214,234	30,242	244,476	26,607	15,348	24,273
February .....	278,522	30,364	308,886	15,873	15,242	22,686
March .....	289,616	29,638	319,254	22,988	16,599	23,824
April .....	271,162	38,094	309,256	27,767	22,497	26,349
May .....	263,639	36,470	300,109	24,957	18,080	22,569
June .....	249,850	32,317	282,167	27,254	19,493	23,877
July .....						
<b>2014</b>						
June .....	287,659	32,196	319,855	26,796	19,437	22,767
<b>2014-2015</b>						
August-June .....	2,833,355	355,795	3,189,150	260,457	199,081	255,157
<b>2013-2014</b>						
August-June .....	2,815,524	358,116	3,173,640	296,726	194,379	253,886

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

## Shelled Peanuts (Raw Basis) Used in Primary Products and In Shell Peanuts by Month – United States: June 2015 with Comparisons

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

Month ending	Edible grades used in products <sup>1</sup>					Total all grades <sup>5</sup>	In shell peanuts <sup>6</sup>
	Peanut candy <sup>2</sup>	Peanut snacks <sup>3</sup>	Peanut butter <sup>4</sup>	Other products	Total		
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)
<b>2014</b>							
August .....	32,783	35,756	109,532	2,797	180,868	227,206	10,712
September .....	34,560	35,957	114,156	3,241	187,914	233,052	11,717
October .....	31,060	38,026	124,294	3,651	197,031	238,745	13,466
November .....	33,366	34,006	101,233	2,904	171,509	213,259	10,809
December .....	21,590	34,008	107,618	4,496	167,712	203,561	12,571
<b>2015</b>							
January .....	31,537	33,365	116,264	4,845	186,011	226,232	13,571
February .....	27,694	35,005	103,818	4,198	170,715	212,012	10,426
March .....	34,440	34,506	108,732	5,363	183,041	227,814	11,470
April .....	31,645	36,083	98,131	5,391	171,250	216,171	11,470
May .....	29,116	39,147	105,868	4,901	179,032	221,689	11,141
June .....	36,499	39,160	105,781	5,636	187,076	233,579	12,710
July .....							
<b>2014</b>							
June .....	40,038	38,760	105,709	2,693	187,200	228,797	12,406
<b>2014-2015</b>							
August-June .....	344,290	395,019	1,195,427	47,423	1,982,159	2,453,320	130,063
<b>2013-2014</b>							
August-June .....	364,806	391,384	1,105,872	26,790	1,888,852	2,352,736	140,191

<sup>1</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>2</sup> Includes peanut butter made by manufacturers for own use in candy.

<sup>3</sup> Includes salted, unsalted, dry and honey roasted, salted and unsalted roasted, snack bars, and trail mixes.

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

<sup>5</sup> Includes all shelled peanuts crushed regardless of grade.

<sup>6</sup> 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: June 2015 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 <sup>1</sup>				
	Peanut candy <sup>2</sup>	Peanut snacks <sup>3</sup>	Peanut butter <sup>4</sup>	Other products	Total
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)
<b>Runner</b>					
2014					
August .....	30,541	(D)	99,728	(D)	159,826
September .....	32,346	(D)	105,620	(D)	168,433
October .....	28,278	(D)	114,401	(D)	173,431
November .....	31,301	(D)	92,151	(D)	150,789
December .....	19,816	(D)	99,005	(D)	146,177
2015					
January .....	29,450	(D)	107,938	(D)	164,934
February .....	25,756	(D)	95,348	(D)	150,543
March .....	31,070	(D)	100,423	(D)	161,332
April .....	29,979	(D)	89,309	(D)	149,541
May .....	27,062	(D)	98,541	(D)	158,816
June .....	33,856	(D)	95,987	(D)	163,553
July .....					
2014					
June .....	36,770	30,264	97,191	1,690	165,915
2014-2015					
August-June .....	319,455	305,674	1,098,451	23,795	1,747,375
2013-2014					
August-June .....	(D)	308,637	1,023,906	(D)	1,680,958
<b>Spanish</b>					
2014					
August .....	(D)	(D)	739	-	2,873
September .....	(D)	(D)	827	-	2,507
October .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	2,712
November .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	1,954
December .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	1,828
2015					
January .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	1,632
February .....	(D)	(D)	440	-	2,024
March .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	3,132
April .....	(D)	(D)	484	-	1,745
May .....	(D)	(D)	-	(D)	1,950
June .....	(D)	(D)	572	-	2,721
July .....					
2014					
June .....	(D)	480	(D)	(D)	2,861
2014-2015					
August-June .....	14,004	6,375	(D)	(D)	25,078
2013-2014					
August-June .....	14,619	5,917	(D)	(D)	23,257

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: June 2015 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 <sup>1</sup>				
	Peanut candy <sup>2</sup>	Peanut snacks <sup>3</sup>	Peanut butter <sup>4</sup>	Other products	Total
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)
<b>Virginia and Valencia</b>					
2014					
August .....	(D)	7,258	9,065	(D)	18,169
September .....	(D)	6,941	7,709	(D)	16,974
October .....	(D)	8,880	9,540	(D)	20,887
November .....	(D)	8,056	8,858	(D)	18,767
December .....	(D)	8,157	8,172	(D)	19,707
2015					
January .....	(D)	7,887	8,325	(D)	19,445
February .....	(D)	6,746	8,030	(D)	18,148
March .....	(D)	6,427	7,693	(D)	18,577
April .....	(D)	7,584	8,338	(D)	19,965
May .....	(D)	7,656	7,327	(D)	18,266
June .....	(D)	7,378	9,222	(D)	20,802
July .....					
2014					
June .....	(D)	8,016	7,992	(D)	18,423
2014-2015					
August-June .....	10,831	82,970	92,279	23,626	209,707
2013-2014					
August-June .....	15,974	76,830	79,246	12,587	184,634

- Represents zero.

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

<sup>1</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>2</sup> Includes peanut butter made by manufacturers for own use in candy.

<sup>3</sup> Includes salted, unsalted, dry and honey roasted, salted and unsalted roasted, snack bars, and trail mixes.

<sup>4</sup> 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: June 2015 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)
<b>2014</b>			
August .....	2,610,400	-	2,610,400
September .....	2,496,640	34,560	2,531,200
October .....	1,332,320	25,920	1,358,240
November .....	1,642,560	-	1,642,560
December .....	2,004,000	25,920	2,029,920
<b>2015</b>			
January .....	4,145,600	51,840	4,197,440
February .....	2,353,760	-	2,353,760
March .....	2,327,680	25,920	2,353,600
April .....	1,755,200	25,920	1,781,120
May .....	1,749,600	51,840	1,801,440
June .....	1,283,040	-	1,283,040
July .....			
<b>2014</b>			
June .....	1,321,920	-	1,321,920
<b>2014-2015</b>			
August-June .....	23,700,800	241,920	23,942,720
<b>2013-2014</b>			
August-June .....	28,211,360	207,360	28,418,720

- 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.

## Information Contacts

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