



Peanut Stocks and Processing

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Shelled Edible Grade Season to Date Utilization Down Less Than 1 Percent from Last Year Peanut Stocks in Commercial Storage Totaled 4.62 Billion Pounds

Peanut stocks reported in commercial storage on October 31, 2022 totaled 4.62 billion pounds of equivalent farmer stock, compared with 4.49 billion pounds a year ago. This total includes 3.94 billion pounds of actual farmer stock.

Shelled peanuts on hand totaled 655 million pounds of farmer stock equivalent. Roasting stock totaled 27.2 million pounds.

Shelled peanut stocks totaled 492 million pounds of which 466 million pounds were edible grades and 25.7 million pounds were oil stocks. Edible grade stocks by type included 79.2 million pounds of Virginias and Valencias, 367 million pounds of Runners, and 20.0 million pounds of Spanish.

Millings in October totaled 388 million pounds. Millings by type were 69.6 million pounds of Virginias and Valencias, and 319 million pounds of Runners.

Commercial processors utilized 216 million pounds of **shelled edible** grade peanuts during October. Utilization by type was 132 million pounds for all peanut butter products, 38.3 million pounds for peanut candy, and 40.7 million pounds for peanut snacks. **Crushing** for oil and cake and meal totaled 50.8 million pounds during the month.

Deliveries under the Government Domestic Feeding and Child Nutrition Programs amounted to 548,610 pounds of peanut butter and 103,680 pounds of roasted peanuts during October.

Stocks of treated seed on hand October 31, 2022 totaled 375,000 pounds, compared with 375,000 pounds on September 30, 2022. Of the October total, 326,000 pounds were Runners. September stocks of treated seed included 326,000 pounds of Runners.

Stocks estimates refer to October 31, 2022. All other data are for the month of October.

Peanut Stocks and Specified Products at Month's End - United States: October 2022 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)
2022					
August	1,185,946	521,276	33,836	693,297	1,913,079
September	1,885,288	517,378	25,789	688,113	2,599,190
October	3,939,880	492,122	27,199	654,522	4,621,601
November					
December					
2023					
January					
February					
March					
April					
May					
June					
July					
2021					
October	3,842,230	468,526	27,743	623,140	4,493,113

¹ Included 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: October 2022 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)
2022				
August	108,126	1,068,578	9,242	1,185,946
September	186,728	1,696,516	2,044	1,885,288
October	315,826	3,583,504	40,550	3,939,880
November				
December				
2023				
January				
February				
March				
April				
May				
June				
July				
2021				
October	577,900	3,196,944	67,386	3,842,230

Shelled Peanuts and Roasting Stock (in Shell) at Month's End - United States: October 2022 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)
2022							
August	74,702	395,921	26,144	496,767	24,509	521,276	33,836
September	74,352	393,182	24,728	492,262	25,116	517,378	25,789
October	79,172	367,257	20,003	466,432	25,690	492,122	27,199
November							
December							
2023							
January							
February							
March							
April							
May							
June							
July							
2021							
October	64,641	361,195	16,361	442,197	26,329	468,526	27,743

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: October 2022 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)
2022				
August	30,854	370,378	2,038	403,270
September	30,412	325,368	7,342	363,122
October	69,572	318,754	-	388,326
November				
December				
2023				
January				
February				
March				
April				
May				
June				
July				
2021				
October	66,458	313,678	7,286	387,422
2022				
August-October	130,838	1,014,500	9,380	1,154,718
2021				
August-October	105,910	1,048,152	7,286	1,161,348

- Represents zero.

Production of Shelled and Roasting Stock (in Shell) Peanuts by Month - United States: October 2022 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)
2022							
August	12,103	259,358	1,024	272,485	29,723	302,208	11,710
September	17,186	223,825	3,817	244,828	30,308	275,136	9,926
October	25,806	219,724	-	245,530	31,147	276,677	27,674
November							
December							
2023							
January							
February							
March							
April							
May							
June							
July							
2021							
October	25,491	213,193	5,018	243,702	35,315	279,017	26,351
2022							
August-October	55,095	702,907	4,841	762,843	91,178	854,021	49,310
2021							
August-October	47,189	718,701	5,054	770,944	103,850	874,794	44,708

- 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: October 2022 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)
2022					
August	61,426	26,979	32,925	8,336	5,233
September	54,218	24,282	29,534	7,407	5,459
October	50,771	22,958	27,300	7,485	6,030
November					
December					
2023					
January					
February					
March					
April					
May					
June					
July					
2021					
October	60,611	27,652	32,144	10,689	6,460
2022					
August-October	166,415	74,219	89,759	(X)	(X)
2021					
August-October	173,690	78,482	91,713	(X)	(X)

(X) Not applicable.

¹ All crushings regardless of grade

Apparent Disappearance or Milled Peanut Products by Month - United States: October 2022 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)
2022						
August	296,849	31,057	327,906	21,520	28,719	32,769
September	249,333	29,701	279,034	17,973	25,211	29,308
October	271,360	30,573	301,933	26,264	22,880	26,729
November						
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2023						
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April						
May						
June						
July						
2021						
October	250,944	39,684	290,628	13,759	27,535	29,935
2022						
August-October	817,542	91,331	908,873	65,757	76,810	88,806
2021						
August-October	794,905	104,748	899,653	48,635	77,304	91,924

¹ Relates to oil mills only.

Shelled Peanuts (Raw Basis) Used in Primary Products and In Shell Peanuts by Month - United States: October 2022 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)
2022							
August	35,669	30,510	109,894	5,010	181,083	242,509	12,654
September	38,002	41,299	129,503	4,012	212,816	267,034	11,283
October	38,317	40,711	132,221	4,291	215,540	266,311	9,524
November							
December							
2023							
January							
February							
March							
April							
May							
June							
July							
2021							
October	38,378	40,864	123,874	6,037	209,153	269,764	12,256
2022							
August-October	111,988	112,520	371,618	13,313	609,439	775,854	33,461
2021							
August-October	112,578	119,909	361,677	18,171	612,335	786,025	34,017

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:
October 2022 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					
2022					
August	33,172	(D)	98,747	(D)	160,970
September	34,646	(D)	118,458	(D)	190,574
October	35,583	(D)	119,796	(D)	191,285
November					
December					
2023					
January					
February					
March					
April					
May					
June					
July					
2021					
October	36,211	(D)	112,704	(D)	188,741
2022					
August-October	103,401	(D)	337,001	(D)	542,829
2021					
August-October	105,953	(D)	323,403	(D)	545,836
Spanish					
2022					
August	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	3,450
September	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	3,455
October	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	3,460
November					
December					
2023					
January					
February					
March					
April					
May					
June					
July					
2021					
October	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	3,087
2022					
August-October	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	10,365
2021					
August-October	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	8,240

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:
October 2022 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					
2022					
August	(D)	4,960	(D)	(D)	16,663
September	(D)	6,592	(D)	(D)	18,787
October	(D)	6,771	(D)	(D)	20,795
November					
December					
2023					
January					
February					
March					
April					
May					
June					
July					
2021					
October	(D)	5,040	(D)	(D)	17,325
2022					
August-October	(D)	18,323	(D)	(D)	56,245
2021					
August-October	(D)	15,210	(D)	(D)	58,261

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

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Government Domestic Feeding and Child Nutrition Program Deliveries by Month - United States: October 2022 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)
2022			
August	1,739,140	77,760	1,816,900
September	1,211,140	51,840	1,262,980
October	548,610	103,680	652,290
November			
December			
2023			
January			
February			
March			
April			
May			
June			
July			
2021			
October	4,635,675	77,760	4,713,435
2022			
August-October	3,498,890	233,280	3,732,170
2021			
August-October	12,484,995	259,200	12,744,195

Stocks of Treated Seed at Month's End - United States: October 2022 with Comparisons

[Excludes stocks on farms. Blank data cells indicate estimation period has not yet begun.]

Month ending	Virginias and Valencias	Runner	Spanish	Total
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)
2022				
August	(D)	326	(D)	394
September	(D)	326	(D)	375
October	(D)	326	(D)	375
November				
December				
2023				
January				
February				
March				
April				
May				
June				
July				
2021				
October	(D)	106	(D)	858

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

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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