



PECAN REPORT

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INSTANT MARKET NEWS -- Prices paid to growers and other applicable pecan information is available by calling the following recorder in Forest Park, GA (404) 366-0360

PECAN IMPORTS FROM MEXICO THROUGH ARIZONA-NEW MEXICO-TEXAS CROSSING POINTS**

Shown in 1,000 lb units

	Weekly Total 2016 Crop							Crop Season ***		Crop Final 2015
	Nov 24	Nov 25	Nov 26	Nov 27	Nov 28	Nov 29	Nov 30	2016	2015	
Pecan-In-shell	511	1367	429	0	1475	1077	1182	31,259	20,093	51,330
Pecan-Shelled	288	477	79	0	1067	295	295	30,370	27,063	77,773

* Revised ** Country of Origin not specified. *** Crop season as defined by USDA runs from August 1 to July 31

Source Department of Homeland Security Customs Border Protection

PRICES PAID TO GROWERS

GEORGIA (via: Forest Park-Atlanta GA)

Weather conditions for the next few days throughout Georgia call for evening lows in the high 30s to low 40s and daytime highs in the low 60s to low 70s with rain expected in most areas on Sunday and Monday, December 4-5.

Demand is good for both the export and domestic retail gift-pack business, while domestic Shellers are increasing their purchases. Prices are higher. Offerings were light to moderate at the delivery buying points. Most of the lots were comprised of Blends with a few Cape Fear, Desirables, Schley and Stuarts.

Small lots of Blends (including export quality) with 42-54% meat yield (nut count 59-79) sold in a range of about \$4.60-5.48 mostly \$4.80-5.00 per point. Large lots of Stuart and Schley Blends with 49-56% meat yield (nut count 53-70) sold in a range of about \$4.80-5.12 mostly \$4.90-5.00 per point. Small lots of Stuart Blends with 45-55% meat yield (nut count 65-80) sold in a range of about \$4.60-4.90 mostly \$4.70-4.80 per point. Very few lots of export quality Desirable blends sold as high as \$6.17 per point but were too few to establish a market.

Prices paid to growers (late afternoon Tuesday, November 29, through late afternoon Thursday, December 1, 2016) at buyers delivery point or F.O.B. the orchard including direct sales to end users, cents per pound in-shell of generally good quality in lots of 20,000 pounds or less unless otherwise stated.

Cape Fear (deliveries very light) 52-54% meat yield (nut count 45-52) 280-290, yard tree lots 200-225

Desirables (deliveries very light) export quality 50-52% meat yield (nut count under 50) 295-300, yard tree lots 200-225

Elliott (deliveries very light) yard tree lots 175 occasional 200

Schley (deliveries very light) yard tree lots 175

Seedlings yard tree lots 100-130 mostly 110-120 fair quality lower

Stuart (deliveries very light) 45-50% meat yield 230-245, yard tree lots 130-160 mostly 150

Sumner (deliveries light) 52% or better meat yield 280-290

Lots in excess of 20,000 pounds including trailer loads:

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THE NEXT GEORGIA REPORT IS SCHEDULED TO BE RELEASED ON TUESDAY, DECEMBER 6, 2016.

OKLAHOMA (via: Oklahoma Department of Agriculture Market News Service)

Deliveries by growers to buying points light to moderate with most activity noted in northern counties this week. Movement of small lots of hand-picked pecans very light but movement of machine harvested natives increased in some areas. Buyers cautious toward quality and condition as there is a good deal of variation across the state. Harvest activity is progressing smoothly for most growers and this year's crop may be in storage earlier than usual.

The weather forecast this week calling for highs in the high 50s to mid-50s, lows in low 20s to mid-30s.

Prices are higher for all offerings with the bulk of sales noted on Natives with just a few sales of Improved Varieties confirmed. Demand was good for the limited offerings. Retail and gift box demand is good. Stuart Blends with 47% or better meat yield sold in a wide range of about \$5.32-6.38 per point mostly \$5.40-5.70 per point.

Prices paid to growers (as of noon Tuesday, November 17, 2016 to noon Thursday, December 1, 2016) at buyers delivery points or F.O.B. the orchard including direct sales to end users, cents per pound, in-shell of generally good quality in lots of 20,000 pounds or less unless otherwise stated.

Natives/Seedlings (deliveries very light to moderate) few sales machine harvested lots 170-195, yard tree lots 35-42% meat yield 75-100.

THE NEXT OKLAHOMA REPORT IS SCHEDULED TO BE RELEASED ON THURSDAY, DECEMBER 8, 2016.

Record Highs and Lows of Nuts in Cold Storage - United States: October 2016

Commodity	Record high	Year	Record low	Year	Date records begin
	1,000 pounds		1,000 pounds		
Nuts					
Shelled					
Pecans	47,638	2008	4,352	1971	January 1970
In-Shell					
Pecans	105,915	2000	2,173	1971	January 1970

Statistics provided by NASS, USDA

Nuts in Cold Storage - United States: October 31, 2016 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses		October 31, 2016 as a percent of		Public warehouse stocks	
	October 31, 2015	September 30, 2016	October 31, 2016	October 31, 2015	September 30, 2016	October 31, 2016
	1,000 pounds			percent		1,000 pounds
Nuts						
Shelled						
Pecans	36,107	39,126	37,541	104	96	
In-Shell						
Pecans	20,016	40,164	25,276	126	63	

Nuts in Cold Storage - Regions: October 31, 2016 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			October 31, 2016 as a percent of	
	October 31, 2015	September 30, 2016	October 31, 2016	October 31, 2015	September 30, 2016
	1,000 pounds			percent	
Nuts					
Shelled					
Pecans					
South Atlantic	6,671	8,979	7,828	117	87
East South Central	420	324	272	65	84
West South Central	29,016	29,823	29,441	101	99
In-shell					
Pecans					
South Atlantic	4,283	20,183	11,676	273	58
East South Central	538	9	377	70	4,189
West South Central	15,195	19,972	13,223	87	66

Statistics provided by NASS, USDA