

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 2017 Crop							Crop Season ***		Crop
	Jan	Jan	Jan	Jan	Jan	Jan	Jan			Final
	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	2018	2017	2017
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Pecan-In-shell	1209	700	130	0	1381	390	658	54,551	37,867	52,349
Pecan-Shelled	151	273	84	0	454	311	473	48,329	34,823	90,462

^{*} 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 WESTERN REGION

ARIZONA, NEW MEXICO AND WEST TEXAS (via: Phoenix, Arizona)

Deliveries by growers to delivery points of Improved varieties were fairly light. Demand was fairly good for good quality pecans. The season is finishing up, and overall harvesting is approximately 90% complete. Harvested quality has been variable. Prices on pecans were slightly higher. The weather forecast for the next week calls for low temperatures in the upper 20s to mid-40s with highs in the mid-40s to low 60s. On Thursday, January 10, there is a 60-90 percent chance of precipitation.

Buying interest displayed by end users was moderate for in-shell, gift pack use, and moderate for commercial sheller use as shellers continue to utilize inventories on hand or make purchases from other production areas or wait for additional availability of nuts. Trading was moderate for in-shell and gift pack uses. Deliveries and purchases of Improved varieties mostly Western Schley were fairly light. Most growers are deferring making marketing decisions, opting instead to concentrate on harvesting and storing nuts for later sale.

Prices paid to growers (from noon Thursday, January 3, 2019 through noon Thursday, January 10, 2019) 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 pecans in lots of 20,000 pounds or less unless otherwise stated.

Western Schley 54-58% meat yield 170-200 mostly 180-195 occasional higher and lower

THE NEXT WESTERN REGION REPORT IS SCHEDULED TO BE RELEASED ON THURSDAY, JANUARY 17, 2019.

TEXAS Central, South, Eastern Areas, (via: Phoenix, Arizona)

Deliveries by growers to delivery points were very light. Demand was fairly good for good quality pecans. Harvesting is expected to decline as most harvesting has been completed for the season. Harvested quality has been variable.

Demand was moderate for the retail and gift pack trade. Many growers are putting pecans in cold storage for later sale. Buyers are continuing to make purchases from other production areas or are waiting for additional availability of pecans. The weather forecast for the coming week calls for low temperatures from the low 30s to low 50s, with high temperatures in the upper 40s to mid-60s. There is a chance of precipitation every day this week. On Friday, January 11, there is a 60-100 percent chance of precipitation.

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Natives/Seedlings (deliveries very light) yard tree lots 60-80 mostly 60-70 occasional higher and lower

THIS IS THE LAST TEXAS PECAN REPORT FOR THE SEASON.

AMERICAN PECAN COUNCIL Shipments and Inventory on Hand

For the One Month Ended November 30, 2018

Shipments	Total
Shelled Meats	10,617,559
Inshell	13,693,127
Total Shipments (Inshell Basis)	34,928,245
Total Pecans in Inventory	
Shelled Meats	36,317,441
Inshell	29,887,477
Total (Inshell Basis)	102,522,359
Commitments to Ship	
Meats	
Domestic-Shelled Meats	29,872,404
Export-Shelled Meats	10,357,294
Total Meats	40,229,698
Inshell	
Domestic-Inshell	1,407,319
Export-Inshell	797,250
Total Inshell	2,204,569
Less: Contracts to Purchase	
Shelled Meats	84,600
Inshell	1,349,035
Total commitments (Inshell Basis)	81,145,730

Mexico Exports and Foreign Purchases

For the One Month Ended November 30, 2018

INSHELL PECANS EXPORTED TO MEXICO FOR SHELLING AND RETURNED TO U.S. AS SHELLED MEATS

Inshell Exported for Shelling
Mexico
Total Inshell Exported for Shelling
Shelled Meats-Produced in U.S. Inshell Returned to U.S
Mexico

105,924

Total Shelled Meats-Produced in U.S. Inshell Returned to U.S. 105,924

PECANS PURCHASED OUTSIDE THE U.S. BY U.S. HANDLERS

She	lled	Me	ats	
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Country of Origin

 Mexico
 943,080

 Total Shelled Meats
 943,080

Inshell

Country of Origin

 Argentina
 48,501

 Mexico
 6,984,972

 Total Inshell
 7,033,473

Total (Inshell Basis)

Mexico 8,919,633 **Total (Inshell Basis)** 8,919,633

AMERICAN PECAN COUNCIL Pecans Received from Own Account For the One Month Ended November 30, 2018

Variety Name	Total Pounds
Inshell	
Blends/Mixed Budded	4,544,517
Bradley	-0-
Caddo	284,805
Cape Fear	925,245
Cheyenne	131,029
Creek	51,240
Desirable	6,116,876
Desirable Type	635,619
Eastern Schley	803,000
Elliott	663,975
Excel	295,990
Moneymaker	211,343
Pawnee	1,447,695
Stuart	6,264,520
Sumner	965,389
Western Schley	1,051,717
Wichita	415,392
Other	3,918,477
Native/Seedling	3,138,344
Substandard	2,054,251
Total Varieties	33,919,424

Data may be revised or updated as more information is provided. Inventory totals do not include pecans warehoused by growers.

Shelled Meats are converted to inshell using a yield of 50% (multiplying the shelled meats by "2") The form automatically makes this calculation

Information provided by the American Pecan Council

AMERICAN PECAN COUNCIL

Destination Report - For the One Month Ended November 30, 2018

2018 - 2019 - Current One Month Ended **World Region** November 30, 2018 Destination Shelled Inshell Sub-Standard Total (Inshell Basis) Africa Algeria 0 0 0 0 0 0 Egypt 0 0 **Total Africa** 0 0 0 0 Asia China 0 0 0 0 Hong Kong 2,930,181 2,930,181 0 0 India 0 0 0 Japan 84,420 0 0 168,840 Kuwait 0 0 0 0 0 Malaysia 0 0 0 **Philippines** 0 0 0 0 Qatar 0 0 0 0 Singapore 0 0 0 0 South Korea 48,000 0 0 96,000 **Thailand** 18,000 0 0 36,000 Taiwan 0 0 0 0

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2,930,181

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3,231,021

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0

150,420

Vietnam

Total Asia

American Pecan Council

Destination Report - continued

2018 -	2019 -	Current
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		2016 - 2019 - Current		
World Region		One Month Ended	30-Nov-18	}
Destination				
	Shelled	Inshell	Sub-Standard	Total (Inshell Basis)
Australia/Oceania				
Australia	0	0	0	0
Total Australia	0	0	0	0
Europe				
Austria	0	0	0	0
Belgium	18,960	0	0	37,920
Czech Republic	22,140	0	0	44,280
Denmark	96,060	0	0	192,120
France	234,900	0	0	469,800
Germany	83,970	0	0	167,940
Greece	0	0	0	0
Italy	0	0	0	0
Lithuania	42,000	0	0	84,000
Netherlands	292,020	0	0	584,040
Norway	0	0	0	0
Poland	0	0	0	0
Portugal	0	0	0	0
Russia	0	0	0	0
Slovenia	1,800	0	0	3,600
Spain	22,800	0	0	45,600
Sweden	5,400	0	0	10,800
Switzerland	40,500	0	0	81,000
United Kingdom	263,250	0	0	526,500
Total Europe	1,123,800	0	0	2,247,600

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		2018 – 2019 Current		
World Region		One Month Ended	November 30, 20	18
Destination				
	Shelled	Inshell	Sub-Standard	Total (Inshell Basis)
Middle East				
Israel	111,600	0	0	223,200
Jordan	0	0	0	0
Lebanon	15,000	0	0	30,000
Saudi Arabia	0	0	0	0
Turkey	0	0	0	0
United Arab Emirates	1,500	0	0	3,000
Total Middle East	128,100	0	0	256,200
North America				
Canada	644,610	29,896	0	1,319,116
Mexico	81,000	0	0	162,000
Total North America	725,610	29,896	0	1,481,116
South America				
Columbia	0	0	0	0
Peru	24,000	0	0	48,000
Trinidad	13,500	0	0	27,000
Total South America	37,500	0	0	75,000
Total Exports	2,165,430	2,960,077	0	7,290,937
Total Domestic				0
Grand Total Shipments	2,165,430	2,960,077	0	7,290,937

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4:00 pm

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