

### 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 2015 Crop							Crop Season ***		Crop
	Jan 05	Jan 06	Jan 07	Jan 08	Jan 09	Jan 10	Jan 11	2015		Final
								2015	2014	2014
Pecan-In-shell	347	301	745	179	0	0	1,017	39,371	42,649	50,347
Pecan-Shelled	454	245	207	472	0	0	429	38,957	39,209	74,809

<sup>\*</sup> 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: Phoenix, Arizona)

The weather forecast for the next week in South Georgia calls for low temperatures in the low 30s to low 50s, and highs in the low 50s to upper 60s. There is as high as a 100% chance of precipitation on Friday, January 15, and a 10-20% chance of precipitation is projected for Saturday, January 16 and Sunday, January 17.

The weather forecast for the next week in Central and North Georgia calls for low temperatures in the upper 20s to upper 40s, and highs in the upper 40s to mid-60s. There is a 90-100% chance of precipitation on Friday, January 15, and a 10-20% chance of precipitation is projected for Saturday, January 16 and Sunday, January 17.

Deliveries were light and most growers are finishing for the season.

Buying interest is moderate for export quality pecans and for good quality pecans. For the wholesale and gift pack trade demand is fairly light. There is a wide range in quality of pecans.

Blends in both small and large lots of generally good quality with meat yields of 40-44% sold for about 4.20-4.50 per point. Lots of Blends with meat yields of 35-39% sold for about

3.00-3.70 per point. (To get price per pound use this formula: dollars per point times meat yield = cents per pound; to get per point figure: dollars per pound divided by meat yield = dollars per point).

Prices paid to growers (Thursday, January 7 through Tuesday, January 12, 2016) at buyers delivery point or F.O.B. the orchard including direct sales to end users, cents per pound inshell of generally good quality pecans in lots of 20,000 pounds or less unless otherwise stated.

**Desirables** (deliveries insufficient to establish market)

**Seedlings** (deliveries very light) yard tree lots 80-120 mostly 100

**Stuart** (deliveries insufficient to establish market)

Sumner (deliveries insufficient to establish market)

Lots in excess of 20,000 pounds including trailer load lots:

**Stuart** (deliveries insufficient to establish market)

THE NEXT GEORGIA REPORT IS SCHEDULED TO BE RELEASED ON THURSDAY, JANUARY 14, 2016.

#### **LOUISIANA** (via: Phoenix, Arizona)

#### LOUISIANA PECAN REPORT – (Via: Phoenix, Arizona)

The weather forecast for the next week calls for low temperatures ranging from the low 30s to mid-50s, and high temperatures ranging from the mid-40s to low 70s. There is a 20-80% chance of precipitation on Thursday, January 14, and a 50-60% chance of precipitation on Saturday, January 16.

Most of the harvest and sales are finished with only a few left to be sold, mostly Natives. Deliveries for Improved varieties have been very light.

Prices paid to growers (Tuesday, January 5 through Tuesday, January 12, 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.

**Native/Seedlings** (deliveries very light) machine harvested 100-120 mostly 110-120 occasional higher and lower, yard tree lots 80 occasional higher and lower

**Stuart** (deliveries insufficient to establish market)

THIS IS THE LAST REPORT OF THE SEASON FOR LOUISIANA PECANS. THE NEXT LOUISIANA PECAN REPORT IS SCHEDULED TO BE RELEASED IN MID-OCTOBER, 2016.

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

THE NEXT OKLAHOMA REPORT IS SCHEDULED TO BE RELEASED ON THURSDAY, JANUARY 14, 2016.

#### **TEXAS** (via Phoenix, Arizona)

Deliveries by growers to delivery points of Improved varieties were very light. Demand was good for good quality pecans.

The weather forecast for the next week calls for low temperatures ranging from the upper-20s to mid-50s, and highs from the mid-40s to low 70s. There is a chance of precipitation every day from Thursday, January 14 through Tuesday, January 19. The greatest chance of precipitation in the coming week is on Saturday, January 16, where some areas have an 80% chance of precipitation.

Buying interest displayed by end users was moderate for in-shell, gift pack use, and for commercial sheller use as shellers 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. The pecan season in Texas is rapidly winding down, as most growers are finished for the season.

Prices paid to growers from Tuesday, January 5 through Tuesday, January 12, 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.

**Desirable** (deliveries insufficient to establish market)

Natives (deliveries light) machine picked 120-150 occasional higher and lower

## THE NEXT TEXAS REPORT IS SCHEDULED TO BE RELEASED ON TUESDAY, JANUARY 19, 2016.

# **WESTERN REGION -** ARIZONA, NEW MEXICO AND WEST TEXAS (via: Phoenix, Arizona)

Deliveries by growers to delivery points of Improved varieties were moderate. Demand was fairly good for good quality pecans. Harvested quality has been generally good. The season is starting to wind down, and harvesting is expected to continue for the next two to three weeks.

The weather forecast for the next week calls for low temperatures in the low 20s to upper 30s, with highs in the upper 40s to mid-60s. There is no precipitation projected during the next week.

Buying interest displayed by end users was fairly good for inshell, gift pack use, and fairly good 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 fairly good for in-shell and gift pack uses. Deliveries and purchases of Improved varieties mostly Western Schley were moderate.

Prices paid to growers (noon Tuesday, January 5 through noon Tuesday, January 12, 2016) at buyers delivery point or f.o.b. the orchard including direct sales to end users, cents per pound inshell of generally good quality pecans in lots of 20,000 pounds or less unless otherwise stated.

**Western Schley** 55-58% meat yield 258-290 mostly 264-284 occasional higher and lower

THE NEXT WESTERN REGION REPORT IS SCHEDULED TO BE RELEASED ON TUESDAY, JANUARY 19, 2016.

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