



PECAN REPORT

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

Shown in 1,000 lb units

	Weekly Total 2014						Crop Season ***		Crop	
	Jan 20	Jan 21	Jan 22	Jan 23	Jan 24	Jan 25	Jan 26	Total to Date 2014	2013	Final 2013
Pecan-In-shell	266	480	310	220	0	0	225	45,345	36,578	43,323
Pecan-Shelled	896	225	246	417	0	0	279	43,602	29,350	63,333

PRICES PAID TO GROWERS

The next GEORGIA Pecan Report is scheduled to be released in late September or early October, 2015. The next OKLAHOMA Pecan Report is scheduled to be released in late October or early November, 2015. The next LOUISIANA Pecan Report is scheduled to be released in October, 2015.

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

Deliveries by growers to delivery points of Improved varieties were light. Demand was moderate. Harvesting continues to conclude in most areas, and overall is approximately 95 percent complete. Deliveries of nuts are expected to continue throughout the month of February.

The weather forecast for the balance of the week calls for low temperatures in the low 20s to low 40s, with highs in the upper 30s to low 70s. No precipitation is projected for Tuesday, January 27 or Wednesday, January 28. A 10-30 percent chance of precipitation is projected for Thursday, January 29, a 90-100 percent chance of precipitation on Friday, January 30, and a 20-80 percent chance of precipitation for Saturday, January 31 through Sunday, February 1.

Buying interest displayed by end users was fairly light 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. Some growers are delaying making marketing decisions, opting to concentrate on harvesting and accumulating supplies for sale at a later date. Trading was slow for in-shell and gift pack uses. Deliveries and purchases of Improved varieties mostly Western Schley were light.

Prices paid to growers (from noon Tuesday, January 20, 2015 to noon Tuesday, January 27, 2015) 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 deliveries insufficient to establish market.

THIS IS THE LAST WESTERN REGION PECAN REPORT FOR THE SEASON. THE NEXT REPORT IS SCHEDULED TO BE RELEASED IN LATE NOVEMBER, 2015.

Deliveries by growers to delivery points were light. Demand was moderate for good quality pecans. Pecan quality has been variable. Harvesting has been light, and is expected to continue to slow down, as many growers across the state are completing their harvest for the season.

The weather forecast for the balance of the week calls for low temperatures in the upper 20s to mid-50s, with highs in the mid-40s to low 80s. A 0-20 percent chance of precipitation is projected for Thursday, January 28 through Friday, January 29, a 80-100 percent chance of precipitation for Saturday, January 31, and a 10-80 percent chance of precipitation for Sunday, February 1. No precipitation is projected for the other days this week.

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Natives yard tree lots too few to establish a market

Improved varieties (mostly Blends) too few to establish a market

THIS IS THE LAST TEXAS PECAN REPORT FOR THE SEASON. THE NEXT REPORT IS SCHEDULED TO BE RELEASED IN LATE OCTOBER OR EARLY NOVEMBER, 2015.

The formula to figure out dollars per point and cents per pound: Cents per pound divided by meat yield = dollars per point. Dollars per point (X) times meat yield = Cents per pound.

1/ In-shell basis

Pecan Production, Price, and Value by Variety - States and United States: 2012-2014

Variety and State	Utilized production (In-shell basis)			Price per pound			Value of utilized production		
	2012 1,000 pounds	2013 1,000 pounds	2014	2012 dollars	2013 dollars	2014	2012 1,000 dollars	2013 1,000 dollars	2014
Improved varieties 1/									
Alabama	3,400	2,500	1,600	1.400	1.940	2.190	4,760	4,850	3,504
Arizona	20,000	22,500	21,000	1.600	1.900	2.100	32,000	42,750	44,100
Arkansas	1,600	2,000	2,200	1.540	1.600	1.600	2,464	3,200	3,520
California	4,300	5,000	5,000	1.580	2.060	2.300	6,794	10,300	11,500
Florida	1,100	700	150	1.100	1.720	1.740	1,210	1,204	261
Georgia	96,000	83,000	71,000	1.940	1.960	2.300	186,240	162,680	163,300
Louisiana	5,000	1,500	2,500	1.300	1.400	1.620	6,500	2,100	4,050
Mississippi	2,000	3,800	700	1.250	1.230	1.640	2,500	4,674	1,148
Missouri	200	500	170	1.450	1.340	1.850	290	670	315
New Mexico	65,000	72,000	65,000	1.700	1.900	2.000	110,500	136,800	130,000
Oklahoma	5,000	3,000	4,000	1.550	2.050	1.800	7,750	6,150	7,200
South Carolina	1,500	1,500	200	1.750	2.000	2.360	2,625	3,000	472
Texas	42,000	22,000	48,000	1.520	1.790	2.080	63,840	39,380	99,840
United States	247,100	220,000	221,520	1.730	1.900	2.120	427,473	417,758	469,210
Native and seedling									
Alabama	600	770	300	0.830	1.020	1.100	498	785	330
Arkansas	600	700	1,300	0.850	0.830	0.840	510	581	1,092
Florida	900	(D)	50	0.750	(D)	1.160	675	(D)	58
Georgia	4,000	6,000	2,000	1.220	1.240	1.430	4,880	7,440	2,860
Kansas	3,000	(D)	880	1.350	(D)	1.300	4,050	(D)	1,144
Louisiana	10,000	9,500	11,500	0.700	0.860	0.760	7,000	8,170	8,740
Mississippi	500	1,700	300	0.850	0.950	0.910	425	1,615	273
Missouri	2,300	2,240	470	0.950	1.010	1.080	2,185	2,262	508
Oklahoma	20,000	17,000	15,000	0.850	0.801	0.900	17,000	13,617	13,500
South Carolina	300	60	50	1.250	1.500	1.500	375	90	75
Texas	13,000	6,000	12,000	0.840	0.900	0.850	10,920	5,400	10,200
Other States	-	2,360	-	-	1.130	-	-	2,672	-
United States	55,200	46,330	43,850	0.879	0.920	0.884	48,518	42,632	38,780
All pecans									
Alabama	4,000	3,270	1,900	1.310	1.720	2.020	5,258	5,635	3,834
Arizona	20,000	22,500	21,000	1.600	1.900	2.100	32,000	42,750	44,100
Arkansas	2,200	2,700	3,500	1.350	1.400	1.320	2,974	3,781	4,612
California	4,300	5,000	5,000	1.580	2.060	2.300	6,794	10,300	11,500
Florida	2,000	(D)	200	0.943	(D)	1.600	1,885	(D)	319
Georgia	100,000	89,000	73,000	1.910	1.910	2.280	191,120	170,120	166,160
Kansas	3,000	(D)	880	1.350	(D)	1.300	4,050	(D)	1,144
Louisiana	15,000	11,000	14,000	0.900	0.934	0.914	13,500	10,270	12,790
Mississippi	2,500	5,500	1,000	1.170	1.140	1.420	2,925	6,289	1,421
Missouri	2,500	2,740	640	0.990	1.070	1.290	2,475	2,932	823
New Mexico	65,000	72,000	65,000	1.700	1.900	2.000	110,500	136,800	130,000
Oklahoma	25,000	20,000	19,000	0.990	0.988	1.090	24,750	19,767	20,700
South Carolina	1,800	1,560	250	1.670	1.980	2.190	3,000	3,090	547
Texas	55,000	28,000	60,000	1.600	1.830	2.080	88,000	44,780	125,600
Other States	-	3,060	-	-	1.270	-	-	3,876	-
United States	302,300	266,330	265,370	1.570	1.730	1.910	475,991	460,390	507,990

- Represents zero.

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

1/ Budded, grafted, or topworked varieties.

Pecans in Cold Storage - United States: November 30, 2014 with Comparisons

	December 31, 2014		Public	
	as a percent of		warehouse	
	stocks			
	December 31, 2013	November 30, 2014	December 31, 2014	December 31, 2014
	1,000 pounds		percent	1,000 pounds
Shelled	36,672	40,344	45,186	123 112
In-Shell	93,565	33,063	85,202	91 258

Pecans in Cold Storage - Regions: December 31, 2014 with Comparisons

	December 31, 2014		as a percent of	
	stocks in all warehouses			
	December 31, 2013	November 30, 2014	December 31, 2014	December 31, 2014
	1,000 pounds		percent	
Shelled				
Nuts (1)				
South Atlantic	14,509	11,316	12,299	85 109
East South Central	816	662	666	82 101
West South Central	21,347	28,366	32,221	151 114
In-shell				
South Atlantic	26,427	8,527	20,510	78 241
East South Central	2,358	1,134	2,526	107 223
West South Central	64,780	23,402	62,166	96 266

USDA, National Agricultural Statistics Service

Nuts (1) New England and Middle Atlantic combined with South Atlantic. East North Central combined with East South Central. Pacific, Mountain, and West North Central combined with West South Central.