

## **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 2017 Crop							Crop Season ***		Crop
	Nov Nov	Nov	Nov	Nov	Nov	Nov			Final	
	08	09	10	11	12	13	14	2018	2017	2017
Pecan-In-shell	496	957	222	0	1280	532	754	11,236	9,582	52,349
Pecan-Shelled	440	555	156	0	535	667	457	29,908	19,629	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

GEORGIA (via: Forest Park-Atlanta GA)

Temperatures through next week show cold or freezing temps in the mid-30s to mid-40s for evening or early morning lows and daytime highs in the mid-50s to mid-60s. It is expected to be mostly clear for this weekend.

The excess moisture from rain is showing up on the market along with black and embryo rot, causing percentages to drop along with prices being offered. Deliveries are light as growers are busy harvesting the remaining pecans on the trees and orchard floors while taking extra time to clean them up before offering them for sale. Deliveries at the door for yard tree lots is slow and prices are lower this week. Growers with access to cold storage facilities are withholding some lots until a price agreement can be reached for large lots of Improved varieties and Blends of premium quality pecans.

Offerings of lots mostly Stuart Blends (premium/gift pack quality) \$3.80-3.90 per point. Stuart Blends with (50-60 nut count) 46-48% meat yield sold for about \$3.70-3.80 per point (55-60 nut count) 43-45% meat yield sold for about \$3.20-3.30 per point and 40-41% meat yield sold for about \$2.90-3.05 per point. Other lots of Blends with (65-75 nut count) 46-52% meat yield sold in a range of about \$3.56-3.70 per point.

The retail gift pack business and the domestic trade is fairly active, as they are busy purchasing from other areas to fill orders. The export trade is still slow to materialize at this time. Prices paid to growers (late afternoon November 13, 2018 thru late afternoon November 15, 2018) 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.

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Lots over 20,000 pounds: (including trailer loads)

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## THE NEXT PECAN REPORT IS SCHEDULED TO BE RELEASED ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 2018.

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