



# 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 Final
	Oct	Oct	Oct	Nov	Nov	Nov	Nov	2015		
	29	30	31	01	02	03	04	2015	2014	
Pecan-In-shell	135	1,212	0	0	900	526	516	5,863	5,981	50,347
Pecan-Shelled	412	601	167	0	251	669	241	19,326	18,736	74,809

\* 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 upcoming week in South Georgia projects low temperatures in the upper 50s to upper 60s, highs in the upper 60s to upper 80s, and a chance of precipitation every day, with Sunday, November 8, having the greatest chance at 50 percent.

The weather forecast this week in Central and North Georgia projects low temperatures in the mid-40s to mid-60s, highs in the low 50s to low 80s, and a chance of precipitation every day, with Saturday, November 7, having the greatest chance at 80-90 percent.

Buying interest is active for export quality pecans and for good quality pecans. For the wholesale and gift pack trade demand is stronger as the holiday season approaches. Very light sales were reported this week.

Blends in both small and large lots sold for about \$4.50-4.60 per point for generally good quality pecans with meat yields of 50% or better. Blends with meat yields of 45% sold for about \$4.00-4.10 per point and lots with 40-43% meat yields sold for about \$3.72-4.05 per point. Schley Blends sold for about \$4.50-4.60 per point with 56% meat yield and about \$3.90-4.10 per point with meat yields of 43-47%. Stuart Blends sold for about \$3.98-4.00 per point for meat yields of 43-45%. (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 (Tuesday, November 3 through Thursday, November 5, 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.

**Cape Fear** (deliveries very light) 49-50% meat yield (nut count 75-80) 205-210

**Desirables** (deliveries light) export quality 50-52% meat yield 260-275; 47-49% meat yield (nut count 55-72) 200-230 mostly 200-210

**Elliott** (deliveries very light) 48% meat yield (nut count average 74) 200-205

**Moneymakers** (deliveries light) 40-43% meat yield (nut count 60-70) 130-146

GEORGIA (CONTINUED)

**Schley** (deliveries very light) 51% meat yield (nut count 60-65) 210-212

**Seedlings** (deliveries light) yard tree lots 75-90

**Stuart** (deliveries light) 41-42% meat yield (nut count 56-60) 160-162, yard tree lots 75-125 mostly 100-125 occasional lower

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

**Desirables** (deliveries very light) export quality 50-54% meat yield 275-300, mostly 275-285 occasional lower

**THE NEXT GEORGIA REPORT IS SCHEDULED TO BE RELEASED ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 2015**

LOUISIANA PECAN REPORT – (Via: Phoenix, Arizona)

(LA report will be issued once weekly-usually on Thursdays)

Temperatures in Louisiana this past week saw low temperatures ranging from the low 50s to upper 60s, and high temperatures from the upper 60s to low 80s. Most of the state received precipitation from Friday, October 30 through Sunday, November 1.

The weather forecast for the next week calls for temperatures ranging from the low 60s to low 80s on Thursday, November 5 and Friday, November 6. A drop in temperatures on Saturday, November 7, will bring temperatures from the low 40s to low 70s the rest of the week. There is a chance of precipitation in most parts of the state every day this upcoming week, with the greatest chance being on Sunday, November 8, at 80-90% percent.

Deliveries for Improved varieties were very light. Most growers that are harvesting are waiting to get enough poundage together to get the best market price. Most of the movement is from retail sales, until more harvest comes along in the next three weeks.

Prices paid to growers (Thursday, October 29, 2015 thru Thursday, November 5, 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 in lots of mostly 5,000 or less unless otherwise stated.

**Desirable** (deliveries very light) yard tree lots 140-160

**Native/Seedlings** (deliveries very light) machine harvested 40% meat yield or better 80-100 mostly 80-90 occasional higher and lower, yard tree lots 65-85 mostly 70-80 occasional higher and lower

**Stuart** (deliveries very light) yard tree lots 130-150

**THE NEXT LOUISIANA REPORT IS SCHEDULED TO BE RELEASED ON THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 2015.**

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