

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
	Oct 05	Oct 06	Oct 07	Oct 08	Oct 09	Oct 10	Oct 11	2017	2016	Final 2016
Pecan-In-shell	133	0	0	0	188	0	275	1,582	1,389	59,457
Pecan-Shelled	174	211	24	0	253	268	213	11,429	10,398	88,074

^{*} 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)

The season is getting a slower start than earlier anticipated. Growers are still cleaning up the orchards and harvesting pecans as they can. Some are cleaning out as much as thirty percent waste and debris along with pecans hit with black rot and scab and are preparing them for sale later in the week or next week.

Prices remain very strong, about steady from previous reports and demand is very good. Contracts are now being signed and some export buyers are out in the fields contacting growers directly to secure top quality larger sized pecans for resale and the big Asian holiday (Chinese New Year) coming up later.

Weather this week has been mild to warm. The forecast until next Tuesday shows evening temps in the low to high 60s and daytime highs in the low 80s to high 80s throughout most of the state.

Prices paid to growers (late afternoon October 10, through late afternoon October 12, 2017) 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.

Caddo (deliveries very light) 55-56% meat yield 290-300 **Desirables** (deliveries very light) yard tree lots 150 occasional higher

Moneymakers (deliveries very light) 45% meat yield 230-235 yard tree lots 100-125 mostly 115

Pawnee (deliveries very light) 56-57% meat yield 335-340 **Seedlings** (deliveries very light) yard tree lots 100-105 **Stuarts** (deliveries very light) yard tree lots 125-150

Lots in excess of 20,000 pounds including trailer loads:

Caddo (deliveries very light) 55-56% meat yield (60-65 nut count) 290-320 mostly 295-315

Moneymakers (deliveries very light) 45-46% meat yield (65-70 nut count) 230-235

Oconee (deliveries very light) 55-56% meat yield (45-50 nut count) 315-325

Pawnee (deliveries very light) 56-58% meat yield (50-57 nut count) 335-350 mostly 335-345

THE NEXT GEORGIA REPORT IS SCHEDULED TO BE RELEASED ON TUESDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2017.