



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 2016 Crop						Crop Season ***		Crop Final 2015	
	Oct 11	Oct 12	Oct 13	Oct 14	Oct 15	Oct 16	Oct 17	2016		2015
Pecan-In-shell	127	43	128	86	0	0	349	1,195	1,462	51,330
Pecan-Shelled	439	137	411	217	70	0	280	11,513	14,097	77,773

* 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)

Weather conditions for the week call for mostly mild temps with evening lows in the 48-50s and evening highs in the low 60s. Daytime highs are expected to be in the low to high 80s throughout the week. Slight chance of rain at ten percent with possibly some by the end of next week.

The season is progressing slowly. Growers are checking the pecans to make sure they are ready for harvest. A few green nuts are showing up and shaking has been put off until this weekend for some. Stuarts, Elliott, Oconee, Creek and some Caddo are being harvested and sampled for sales later this week. Desirables are also ready to hit the market sometime late this week or early next week. Much of the larger sized pecans and lots are being prepared for the big exports heading for Asia and other markets for the Chinese New Year and need to be on their way by November 15 to arrive on time. Many were sold under private contract, while some growers have decided to take offers and see if prices may increase and gamble on that. Some of the larger nuts with nice appearance are being sold for domestic holiday sales and retail sales. Some small lots of Blends under 20,000 pounds should be hitting the market later this week.

Prices paid to growers (late afternoon October 11 through late afternoon October 18, 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.

Elliott (deliveries very light) yard tree lots 175-200 fair quality lower

Moneymaker (deliveries very light) 45 % or better meat yield (low 60s count) 232 yard tree lots 125-140 fair quality 100-120

Pawnee (deliveries very light) 55-58 % meat yield (62-64 count) 290-326

Seedlings (deliveries very light) yard tree lots 90-100 fair quality 80

Stuart (deliveries very light) yard tree lots 130-180 mostly 150 fair quality lower

THE NEXT REPORT IS SCHEDULED TO BE RELEASED ON TUESDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2016.