



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) 336-7567 *** recorder not available at this time ***

(Corrected Copy: Weekly Total 2013 Crop Heading)

PECAN IMPORTS FROM MEXICO THROUGH ARIZONA-NEW MEXICO-TEXAS CROSSING POINTS** Shown in 1,000 lb units

	Weekly Total 2013 Crop						Crop Season ***		Crop Final 2012	
	Sept 1-14	Sept 15-30	Oct 1-12	Oct 13-19	Oct 20-21	Oct 22	Oct 23	Total To Date 2013		2012
Pecan-In-shell	288	41	870	388	208	128	85	2,008	1,971	45,876
Pecan-Shelled	1838	1521	1678	1188	80	261	296	11,293	8,062	53,282

* 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, Georgia) Atlanta

Notice: (office relocation and new phone numbers)

Most of the southern regions of the state had mild and sunny weather with temperatures in the low 50s and highs of mid to low 70s. Very light deliveries have been reported over the last two days with a light increase in activity at the door. Yard tree lots have a wide variety of condition and quality being reported and is affecting prices offered. Larger lots of pecans from well maintained, managed orchards had varying degrees of quality as well. High quality pecans of export and gift pack quality commanded the best prices and fair to poor quality pecans brought much lower offerings, creating the wide disparity in prices paid to growers.

The harvest and sales of Pawnee are about finished and the rest of the Improved varieties offered included a few Creek, Desirables, Elliot, Moneymakers, Stuarts, and a very few offerings of other varieties. Buying interest and trading by end users is fairly good for export and gift pack usage, and moderate to light from accumulators and other business.

Prices paid to growers (late afternoon Tuesday, October 22 thru late afternoon Thursday, October 24, 2013) 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.

Desirable (deliveries light) 56-57% meat yield 180 yard tree lots deliveries insufficient to establish market

Elliott (deliveries light) yard tree lots 115-150 mostly 125

Seedlings (deliveries light) yard tree lots 50-70 mostly 60

Moneymaker (deliveries light) 43-46% meat yield 150-160 40-45% meat yield 80-104 yard tree lots 75-80 fair to poor quality as low as 15-25

Stuart (deliveries light) 47% (high nut count per unit) 170 no sales for yard tree lots reported yet

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

Desirable (deliveries light) 50-54% meat yield 260-293 mostly 260-280

Moneymaker (deliveries light) gift pack quality (high nut count per unit) 52-53% meat yield 214-220

Stuart (deliveries light) 47-50% meat yield 240

THE NEXT GEORGIA REPORT IS SCHEDULED TO BE RELEASED ON TUESDAY, OCTOBER 29, 2013.

Terminal Nut Market Prices as of October 24, 2013
ATLANTA

---ALMONDS: 50 lb sacks CA 128.00 cartons 32 1-lb packages CA 87.00
 ---BRAZIL NUTS: 50 lb sacks BR 165.00 cartons 32 1-lb packages BR 115.50
 ---FILBERTS: 50 lb sacks OR 163.00 cartons 32 1-lb packages OR 109.50
 ---PECANS: 50 lb sacks GA Improved Pawnee 195.00
 ---WALNUTS: 50 lb sacks CA 149.50-150.00 cartons 24 1-lb packages CA 77.50

Baltimore

---WALNUTS: MARKET STEADY.50 lb sacks CA English jbo 160.00

BOSTON

---ALMONDS: OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 50 lb sacks CA U.S. One Peerless lge 110.00 cartons 32 1-lb packages CA U.S. One Peerless lge 73.00
 ---BRAZIL NUTS: OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 50 lb sacks BR Polished lge 155.00
 ---CASHEWS: OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 50 lb sacks Repacked Enroute 330.00
 ---CHESTNUTS: OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 25 lb sacks IT 48-50s 105.00
 ---FILBERTS: OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 50 lb sacks OR U.S. One jbo 150.00 cartons 32 1-lb packages OR U.S. One jbo 100.00
 ---PECANS: OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 50 lb sacks GA Natural Polished lge 190.00 TX Natural Polished lge 190.00
 ---PISTACHIOS: OFFERINGS LIGHT. 25 lb cartons CA White 165.00 cartons 24 12-oz packages CA White 114.00 5 lb jars CA White 35.00
 ---WALNUTS: OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 50 lb sacks CA English Hartley jbo 145.00 cartons 24 1-lb packages CA English Hartley jbo 72.00

CHICAGO

---BRAZIL NUTS: OFFERINGS LIGHT. 50 lb sacks BR polished lge 175.00
 ---CHESTNUTS: OFFERINGS LIGHT. 25 lb sacks IT 48-50s 115.00 60-65s 110.00
 ---FILBERTS: OFFERINGS LIGHT. 50 lb sacks OR lge 125.00
 ---WALNUTS: OFFERINGS LIGHT. 50 lb sacks CA English Hartley jbo 145.00

COLUMBIA

---WALNUTS: OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. MARKET STEADY. 50 lb sacks CA English Hartley jbo 140.00 cartons 24 1-lb packages CA English Hartley jbo 72.00

DETROIT

---ALMONDS: OFFERINGS LIGHT. 50 lb sacks CA Peerless 110.00-115.00 mostly 110.00-113.00 few 138.00-140.00
 ---BRAZIL NUTS: OFFERINGS LIGHT. 50 lb sacks BR lge 170.00-178.00 mostly 170.00-175.00

---CHESTNUTS: OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 25 lb sacks IT 38-40s no offerings 48-50s 100.00-102.50 mostly 100.00-102.00 60-65s 83.00-85.00 mostly 83.00-84.50
 ---FILBERTS: OFFERINGS LIGHT. 50 lb sacks OR jbo 140.00-165.00 mostly 140.00-160.00
 ---PECANS: OFFERINGS LIGHT. 50 lb sacks GA Natural exlge 200.00-225.00 mostly 200.00-220.00
 ---WALNUTS: OFFERINGS LIGHT. 50 lb sacks CA English Hartley jbo 145.00-160.00 mostly 145.00-155.00

NEW YORK

---ALMONDS: OFFERINGS LIGHT. MARKET STEADY. 50 lb sacks per lb CA Peerless 1.90 cartons 32 1-lb packages CA Peerless 75.00-80.00
 ---BRAZIL NUTS: OFFERINGS LIGHT. MARKET STEADY. 50 lb sacks per lb BR BOAT lge 2.60-2.70 cartons 32 1-lb packages BR BOAT lge 90.00-92.00
 ---CHESTNUTS: OFFERINGS LIGHT. MARKET CA LOWER. 55 lb sacks per lb IT AIR 38-40s 4.11 48-50s 4.00 60-65s 3.80 25 lb sacks per lb CA AIR exlge 3.00 IT AIR 38-40s 4.40 48-50s 4.20 60-65s 4.00
 ---FILBERTS: OFFERINGS LIGHT. MARKET STEADY. 50 lb sacks per lb OR jbo 2.60 cartons 32 1-lb packages OR lge 85.00-86.00
 ---PECANS: OFFERINGS LIGHT. MARKET STEADY. 50 lb sacks per lb GA Natural exlge 2.90-3.00 cartons 32 1-lb packages GA Natural exlge 125.00-130.00
 ---WALNUTS: MARKET STEADY. 50 lb sacks per lb CA English Hartley jbo 2.80 cartons 24 1-lb packages CA English Hartley jbo 70.00

PHILADELPHIA

---CHESTNUTS: OFFERINGS LIGHT. 25 lb sacks IT 38-40s 112.50 48-50s 106.00
 ---PISTACHIOS: OFFERINGS LIGHT. Cartons 24 12-oz packages CA White 90.00 (few sales)

SAN FRANCISCO

---ALMONDS: OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 50 lb sacks CA Peerless 110.00
 ---BRAZIL NUTS: OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 50 lb sacks BR Polished lge 165.00
 ---CHESTNUTS: OFFERINGS LIGHT. 55 lb containers CQ 105.00 25 lb sacks CA jbo 75.00-80.00 exlge 75.00-80.00 IT 48-50s 145.00
 ---FILBERTS: OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 50 lb sacks OR U.S. One lge 125.00
 ---PISTACHIOS: OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT.
 ---WALNUTS: OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 50 lb sacks CA English Hartley jbo 155.00

ORGANIC

---PISTACHIOS: 25 lb sacks CA 156.50