



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
	Oct 24	Oct 25	Oct 26	Oct 27	Oct 28	Oct 29	Oct 30	Total To Date 2013 2012	
Pecan-In-shell	47	385	177	0	212	174	316	3,320 3,094	45,876
Pecan-Shelled	223	271	36	0	112	181	322	12,437 8,576	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

Temperatures throughout the state ranged in the low 50s to mid 60s with highs into the mid 70s to low 80s. Deliveries have to this date still been fairly light. Lots with low nut counts and larger pecans of export and gift pack quality command the highest prices. Lots of Blends were too few to establish market price.

Buying interest and trading by end users is strong for export and gift pack retail business, while moderate from shellers and accumulators. Deliveries of Improved varieties offered included a few Desirables, Moneymakers, Schley and Stuart.

Prices paid to growers (late afternoon Tuesday, October 29 thru late afternoon Thursday, October 31, 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 (export quality) 50-52% meat yield 285-300 generally good quality 51-54% meat yield 250-280
Elliott (deliveries light) yard tree lots 115-150 mostly 125
Seedlings (deliveries light) yard tree lots 50-70 mostly 50-60 few higher
Moneymaker (deliveries light) 48% meat yield or better 160 43-47% meat yield 120-150 yard tree lots 75-80
Schley 56% meat yield or better 230-250

Stuart 46-50% meat yield 220-240 yard tree lots 70-80

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

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Schley (deliveries light) 56-60% meat yield 230-250
Stuart 46-50% meat yield 220-240

THE NEXT GEORGIA REPORT IS SCHEDULED TO BE RELEASED ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2013.

LOUISIANA Via: Forest Park, Georgia (Atlanta)
Reporting once weekly. (Report based on October 29, 2013)

Deliveries are too few to establish market prices for large lots, while yard tree lots are very light. Estimates for the volume of crop for this season is expected to be very low.

Prices paid to growers at buyers delivery point or F.O.B. the orchard including direct sales to end users, cents per pound in-shell for yard tree lots less than 20,000 pounds mostly 5,000 or less unless otherwise stated.

Natives/Seedlings (deliveries very light) yard tree lots 50-55

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PECAN - Stocks in all warehouses – 2012

Commodity	January 31, 2012	February 29, 2012	March 31, 2012	April 30, 2012	May 31, 2012	June 30, 2012
	1,000 pounds					
Shelled Pecans	33,209	36,060	42,576	43,856	48,167	49,365
In-shell Pecans	122,294	144,994	143,624	127,544	106,560	86,006
	July 31, 2012	August 31, 2012	Sept 30, 2012	Oct 31, 2012	Nov 30, 2012	Dec 31, 2012
Shelled Pecans	50,243	47,036	41,575	35,328	35,213	37,310
In-shell Pecans	65,242	44,538	26,725	31,213	63,434	109,220

Nuts in Cold Storage Regions 2012

Commodity and region	January 31, 2012	February 29, 2012	March 31, 2012	April 30, 2012	May 31, 2012	June 30, 2012
	1,000 pounds					
Shelled						
South Atlantic	7,927	9,550	10,930	11,702	12,690	13,437
East South Central	775	1,085	1,479	1,551	1,676	1,600
West South Central	24,507	25,425	30,167	30,603	33,801	34,328
In-shell						
South Atlantic	52,392	49,449	45,137	36,502	28,350	21,772
East South Central	2,504	1,513	585	91	88	87
West South Central	67,398	94,032	97,902	90,951	78,122	64,147
	July 31, 2012	August 31, 2012	Sept 30, 2012	Oct 31, 2012	Nov 30, 2012	Dec 31, 2012
Shelled						
South Atlantic	13,462	11,691	10,182	8,233	8,684	9,184
East South Central	1,470	1,191	864	730	665	672
West South Central	35,311	34,154	30,529	26,365	25,864	27,454
In-shell						
South Atlantic	16,881	9,361	2,910	11,205	30,958	46,238
East South Central	85	47	92	1,580	2,106	2,870
West South Central	48,276	35,130	23,723	18,428	30,370	60,112

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