



# PECAN REPORT

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## PECAN IMPORTS FROM MEXICO THROUGH ARIZONA-NEW MEXICO-TEXAS CROSSING POINTS\*\*

Shown in 1,000 lb. units

	Weekly Total 2019 Crop						Crop Season ***		Crop	
	Dec 10	Dec 11	Dec 12	Dec 13	Dec 14	Dec 15	Dec 16	2019	2018	Final 2018
Pecan-In-shell	856	707	1095	1781	884	0	1815	22,932	35,986	78,048
Pecan-Shelled	601	697	596	593	82	0	568	49,723	42,491	107,513

\* 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

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	Weekly Total 2019 Crop						Crop Season ***		Crop	
	Dec 17	Dec 18	Dec 19	Dec 20	Dec 21	Dec 22	Dec 23	2019	2018	Final 2018
Pecan-In-shell	1400	1013	966	1137	1011	0	N/A	28,459	44,206	78,048
Pecan-Shelled	687	489	526	530	145	0	N/A	52,100	45,363	107,513

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**\*No report will be issued on Tuesday, December 24, 2019 in observance of the Christmas Day holiday. Prices on page 2 are from December 10 through December 17, 2019. The next pecan report is scheduled to be released on Tuesday, January 7, 2020\***

**PRICES PAID TO GROWERS \*Please note dates\*  
(prices reflect dates of December 10-17, 2019)**

**OKLAHOMA** (via: Phoenix, Arizona)

Pecan harvest has been fairly active, and is expected to remain so during the upcoming week. Deliveries by growers to buying points are fairly light, as shellers have not been aggressive about buying pecans so far this season. Demand was good for good quality pecans. Gift box and retail trade continue to look out of state for supplies. Prices remain generally unchanged.

The weather forecast this week calls for high temperatures from the mid-40s to the low 60s and low temperatures from the low 20s to the mid-40s. There is a 0-40 percent chance of precipitation on Friday, December 20, and a 10-20 percent chance of precipitation on Saturday, December 21 and Sunday, December 22.

Prices paid to growers (**from noon Tuesday, December 10, 2019 through noon Tuesday, December 17, 2019**) 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.

**Natives/Seedlings** (deliveries moderate) yard tree lots 75-105 mostly 90-105 occasional higher and lower

**THE NEXT OKLAHOMA REPORT IS SCHEDULED TO BE RELEASED ON TUESDAY, JANUARY 7, 2020.**

**TEXAS** (via: Phoenix, Arizona) (Central, South, Eastern Areas)

Deliveries by growers to delivery points of Improved varieties were light. Demand was good for good quality pecans. Cheyenne, Choctaw, Desirables and Wichita are currently being harvested, as well as Natives. Harvesting is expected to increase during the upcoming week.

The weather forecast for the coming week calls for low temperatures from the mid-20s to low 50s, with high temperatures in the low 50s to the low 70s. There is a 20-50 percent chance of precipitation on Friday, December 20 and Saturday, December 21.

The retail gift pack market is fairly active. Due to light volumes, some buyers are making purchases from other production areas or are waiting for additional availability of pecans.

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**Cheyenne** (deliveries very light) 50-54% meat yield 175-235 mostly 175-225

**Choctaw** (deliveries very light) 50-54% meat yield 175-235 mostly 175-225

**Desirables** (deliveries very light) 50-54% meat yield 175-235 mostly 175-200

**Pawnee** (deliveries insufficient to establish market)

**Wichita** (deliveries very light) 50-54% meat yield 175-235 mostly 175-225

**Natives/Seedlings** (deliveries fairly light) yard tree lots 70-95 mostly 75-85

**THE NEXT TEXAS PECAN REPORT IS SCHEDULED TO BE RELEASED ON TUESDAY, JANUARY 7, 2020.**

**WESTERN REGION: ARIZONA, NEW MEXICO AND WEST TEXAS** (via: Phoenix, Arizona)

Deliveries by growers to delivery points of Improved varieties were very light. Demand was fairly good for good quality pecans. Harvesting is in its early stages, but is expected to increase by the end of this week. Some areas in the region only have 5 percent of their harvest done, and the overall figure for the region is roughly 20 percent harvested. Harvested quality has been variable.

The weather forecast for the next week calls for low temperatures in the low 20s to low 40s with highs in the mid-40s to low 60s. There is a 0-40 percent chance of precipitation on Tuesday, December 24, with no precipitation projected before that date.

Buying interest displayed by end users was moderate for in-shell, gift pack use, and moderate for commercial sheller use as shellers continue to utilize inventories on hand or make purchases from other production areas or wait for additional availability of nuts. Trading was moderate for in-shell and gift pack uses. Deliveries and purchases of Improved varieties mostly Western Schley were very light. Some growers are deferring making marketing decisions, opting instead to concentrate on harvesting and storing nuts for later sale.

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**Western Schley** 53-58% meat yield 170-200 mostly 180-190 occasional higher and lower

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