



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 2019 Crop						Crop Season ***		Crop Final	
	Oct 17	Oct 18	Oct 19	Oct 20	Oct 21	Oct 22	Oct 23	2019		2018
Pecan-In-shell	0	0	0	0	0	50	98	148	2,235	78,048
Pecan-Shelled	469	376	112	0	609	568	711	25,767	21,618	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

PRICES PAID TO GROWERS

GEORGIA (via: Forest Park-Atlanta GA)

The weather throughout the state for today through next Tuesday shows rather mild temperatures with evening lows in the mid-60s and daytime highs in the high 70s to low 80s with the Northern areas of the state cooler by about ten degrees. Rain can be expected almost every day.

Deliveries tapered off this week and growers are picking up their pecans and preparing them for market while watching the prices stabilize. Prices are about steady or slightly lower and remain rather strong this week. Some growers anticipate a short crop and are waiting for the cooler temps to drop the leaves and then will go in and shake one time instead of doing two or three passes in the orchards. This will save time and money. Desirables have hit the markets and Schley and Stuarts are ready to show up soon. Export business is in the mix now while some domestic buyers are taking a slow approach for purchases waiting for prices to drop. The retail and holiday gift candy buyers are active.

Prices paid to growers (late afternoon October 22, 2019 through late afternoon October 24, 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.

Desirables (deliveries very light) (mid to low 40s nut count) 49-50% meat yield 250-255

Elliott (deliveries very light) yard tree lots 150

Natives/Seedlings (deliveries light) yard tree lots 75-80 larger pecans high as 90

Moneymakers (deliveries light) 43-46% meat yield 135, yard tree lots 100-125

Stuart (deliveries very light) yard tree lots 100-115

Lots over 20,000 pounds including truckloads

Caddo (deliveries very light) 52-53% meat yield 230-235

Desirables (deliveries very light) (40-45 nut count) 49-52% meat yield 250-255

Elliott (deliveries very light) (65-73 nut count) 51-53% meat yield 220-239 mostly 230

Excel (deliveries very light) (43-48 nut count) 46-50% meat yield 230-250 mostly 240, (50 nut count or smaller) 46-49% meat yield 210-220

Moneymakers (deliveries light) (60-70 nut count) 43-46% meat yield 108-125, (80-90 nut count) 43-46% meat yield 100-120

Oconee (deliveries very light) (43-45 nut count) 53-55% meat yield 255-260

Pawnee (deliveries light) (48-53 nut count) 55-58% meat yield 220-250 mostly 230-240

THE NEXT GEORGIA PECAN REPORT IS SCHEDULED TO BE RELEASED ON TUESDAY, OCTOBER 29, 2019.

Nuts in Cold Storage - Regions: September 30, 2019 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses		September 30, 2019 as a percent of		
	September 30, 2018	August 31, 2019	September 30, 2019	September 30, 2018	August 31, 2019
	1,000 pounds			percent	
Nuts					
Shelled					
Pecans					
South Atlantic	15,112	16,538	16,620	110	100
East South Central	886	875	806	91	92
West South Central	48,495	52,478	52,276	108	100
In-shell					
Pecans					
South Atlantic	10,720	22,544	15,045	140	67
East South Central	30	1,390	1,376	4,587	99
West South Central	22,917	44,929	26,256	115	58

Nuts in Cold Storage - United States: September 30, 2019 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses		September 30, 2019 as a percent of		Public warehouse stocks
	September 30, 2018	August 31, 2019	September 30, 2019	September 30, 2018	August 31, 2019
	1,000 pounds			percent	
				1,000 pounds	
Nuts					
Shelled					
Pecans	64,493	69,891	69,702	108	100
In-Shell					
Pecans	33,667	68,863	42,677	127	62

Record Highs and Lows of Nuts in Cold Storage - United States: September 2019

Commodity	Record high	Year	Record low	Year	Date records begin
	1,000 pounds		1,000 pounds		
Nuts					
Shelled					
Pecans	69,702	2019	5,587	1971	January 1970
In-Shell					
Pecans	111,202	2000	1,221	1977	January 1970

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