Local Daily Supply of Fresh Food in Current Month

Daily Supply of Fresh Food in February 2023

(A) General Fresh Food

Date	Mainland Imported Vegetables (tonne)	Vegetables from Government Wholesale Markets and Vegetable Marketing Organization (tonne)	Vegetable Wholesale Price from Vegetable Marketing Organization		Mainland Imported Live	_	Mainland Imported Chilled	Local Live Chicken	Eggs from Government
			Flowering Cabbage (\$/Catty)	White Cabbage (\$/Catty)	Pig (head)	Chilled Pork (tonne)	Poultry (head)	(head)	Wholesale Markets (number)
1/2/2023	Over 2,500	About 750	9.2	5.2	Over 2,600	Over 22	Over 140,000	Over 10,000	About 3,700,000
2/2/2023	Over 2,500	Over 750	8.7	6.0	Over 2,500	About 21	About 140,000	Over 11,000	Over 4,700,000
3/2/2023	About 2,500	About 750	8.5	5.9	Over 2,600	Over 22	Over 140,000	About 10,000	About 4,500,000
4/2/2023	Over 2,500	About 810	8.1	6.8	About 2,800	About 24	About 160,000	About 10,000	About 4,700,000
5/2/2023	Over 2,400	Over 760	8.3	7.0	Over 2,800	Over 20	Over 150,000	Over 10,000	About 3,200,000
6/2/2023	About 2,600	About 610	7.4	6.6	Over 2,700	About 22	Over 150,000	Over 9,000	About 200,000
7/2/2023	About 2,500	Over 770	7.2	7.5	About 2,800	About 25	Over 140,000	Over 12,000	About 4,000,000
8/2/2023	About 2,600	About 750	7.2	7.2	Over 2,700	About 23	Over 160,000	Over 12,000	About 4,700,000
9/2/2023	About 2,500	About 760	6.7	6.4	About 2,800	Over 23	About 150,000	About 11,000	About 3,800,000
10/2/2023	About 2,500	About 760	6.3	5.9	About 2,700	Over 24	About 140,000	Over 9,000	About 3,800,000
11/2/2023	Over 2,500	Over 810	5.9	6.3	About 3,000	Over 21	Over 150,000	About 11,000	About 5,700,000
12/2/2023	About 2,400	About 810	6.2	5.8	Over 2,600	About 21	About 160,000	Over 10,000	About 3,700,000
13/2/2023	Over 2,500	About 610	5.8	5.6	Over 2,600	About 24	About 140,000	About 10,000	About 160,000

(B) Rice Supply

- i) Stock of Rice (Sum of Closing Stock and Reserve Stock) (as of end of December, 2022: 26,100 (tonne) (Source: https://www.tid.gov.hk/english/import_export/nontextiles/nt_rice/monthly_rice.html)
- ii) In the past 3 years, the import and consumption of rice in Hong Kong has stood at a steady level of around 280 000 to 300 000 tonnes per year (daily about 800 tonnes). In compliance with the requirement by the Government, stockholders of rice have to maintain the reserve stock of rice at a level sufficient for consumption by the local population for 15 days. The trade generally stocks double the required amount, which is sufficient for one month's consumption by Hong Kong citizens.
- (C) Frozen Meat: The reserve stock is about 3 months generally.

Remark: Members of the public may visit the AFCD website for more fresh food information:

- 1. Fresh food supply & consumption: https://www.afcd.gov.hk/english/agriculture/agr_fresh/agr_fresh.html
- 2. Fresh food supply and wholesale price of previous months: https://www.afcd.gov.hk/english/agriculture/agr fresh/agr fresh monthly.html