

Local Daily Supply of Fresh Food in Current Month

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(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 Pig (head)	Mainland Imported Chilled Pork (tonne)	Mainland Imported Chilled Poultry (head)	Local Live Chicken (head)	Eggs from Government Wholesale Markets (number)
			Flowering Cabbage (\$/Catty)	White Cabbage (\$/Catty)					
1/2/2024	Over 2,600	Over 730	9.8	4.8	About 3,100	Over 24	About 160,000	Over 10,000	About 4,900,000
2/2/2024	Over 2,600	About 730	9.5	4.6	Over 3,100	Over 21	Over 250,000	Over 11,000	About 3,300,000
3/2/2024	About 2,600	About 720	8.9	4.5	About 3,400	About 22	Over 180,000	Over 11,000	About 2,100,000
4/2/2024	About 2,700	Over 760	8.4	2.8	Over 3,300	Over 21	Over 210,000	About 15,000	4,000,000
5/2/2024	About 2,900	Over 610	8.1	3.7	About 3,200	Over 24	About 130,000	Over 15,000	Over 600,000
6/2/2024	About 2,900	Over 810	7.9	4.0	Over 3,600	Over 27	Over 230,000	About 17,000	About 5,600,000
7/2/2024	Over 3,300	About 800	8.1	4.6	About 4,100	About 32	About 280,000	Over 23,000	About 4,500,000
8/2/2024	Over 3,500	About 830	8.8	3.3	Over 4,500	About 38	Over 300,000	Over 36,000	About 5,300,000

(B) Rice Supply

i) Stock of Rice (Sum of Closing Stock and Reserve Stock) (as of end of Dec, 2023 : 25,900 (tonnes)

(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