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	Mainland Imported	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)
1/4/2023	About 2,500	About 760	8.6	4.7	Over 2,800	Over 22	Over 170,000	About 12,000	Over 5,800,000
2/4/2023	Over 2,100	Over 720	9.7	4.1	Over 2,600	Over 22	About 150,000	Over 12,000	About 3,800,000
3/4/2023	About 2,300	About 610	8.4	7.0	About 2,800	About 20	About 150,000	Over 9,000	0 (Rest Day)
4/4/2023	About 2,200	About 760	8.7	3.7	About 2,700	Over 21	About 160,000	About 10,000	Over 4,500,000

(B) Rice Supply

- i) Stock of Rice (Sum of Closing Stock and Reserve Stock) (as of end of February, 2023: 24,900 (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