Local Daily Supply of Fresh Food in Current Month

(A) General Fresh Food

Daily Supply of Fresh Food in April 2024

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 Wheleada Marketa
			Flowering Cabbage (\$/Catty)	White Cabbage (\$/Catty)	Pig (head)	Pork (tonne)	Poultry (head)	(head)	Wholesale Markets (number)
1/4/2024	About 2,300	About 530	5.1	4.5	Over 2,300	About 17	Over 120,000	Over 9,000	0 (Rest Day)
2/4/2024	Over 2,200	Over 720	6.3	3.9	About 3,000	About 17	About 120,000	Over 10,000	About 1,600,000
3/4/2024	About 2,400	About 730	7.5	4.3	About 2,500	About 16	About 120,000	Over 9,000	Over 2,700,000
4/4/2024	Over 2,300	Over 700	6.9	4.4	Over 2,200	About 22	About 140,000	About 11,000	About 4,700,000
5/4/2024	About 2,300	About 710	6.0	4.5	Over 2,500	About 19	About 120,000	Over 10,000	About 200,000
6/4/2024	Over 2,300	Over 700	6.3	5.5	About 2,500	About 19	About 130,000	About 12,000	About 5,600,000
7/4/2024	About 2,200	About 750	5.8	4.9	About 2,700	Over 17	Over 120,000	Over 12,000	Over 2,500,000
8/4/2024	About 2,400	Over 560	7.2	5.7	About 3,200	About 22	Over 130,000	About 10,000	30,000

(B) Rice Supply

i) Stock of Rice (Sum of Closing Stock and Reserve Stock) (as of end of Feb, 2024 : 22,900 (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 :

 $https://www.afcd.gov.hk/english/agriculture/agr_fresh/agr_fresh_monthly.html$