## **Local Daily Supply of Fresh Food in Current Month**

Daily Supply of Fresh Food in May 2024

(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	Mainland Imported	Mainland Imported	Local Live	Eggs from Government
			Flowering Cabbage (\$/Catty)	White Cabbage (\$/Catty)	Live Pig (head)	Chilled Pork (tonne)	Chilled Poultry (head)	Chicken (head)	Wholesale Markets (number)
1/5/2024	Over 2,400	About 720	7.9	6.0	About 3,100	Over 20	Over 130,000	About 12,000	About 4,000,000
2/5/2024	Over 2,400	Over 720	7.3	5.6	Over 3,000	About 22	Over 140,000	Over 10,000	Over 1,100,000
3/5/2024	Over 2,400	Over 730	6.7	6.0	About 2,900	Over 21	Over 130,000	About 11,000	About 3,500,000
4/5/2024	Over 2,500	About 710	7.3	5.1	About 2,900	Over 19	Over 140,000	Over 14,000	4,100,000
5/5/2024	Over 2,300	About 760	7.0	5.0	Over 2,700	About 20	Over 130,000	About 12,000	Over 3,800,000
6/5/2024	About 2,600	Over 520	6.6	5.1	About 3,200	Over 23	About 150,000	Over 9,000	O (Rest Day)
7/5/2024	About 2,600	About 780	6.6	5.1	Over 3,100	About 20	About 130,000	Over 11,000	3,900,000
8/5/2024	About 2,600	Over 800	6.4	5.4	Over 3,000	Over 21	Over 140,000	About 11,000	Over 2,400,000

## (B) Rice Supply

- i) Stock of Rice (Sum of Closing Stock and Reserve Stock) (as of end of Mar, 2024: 23,900 (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