## Local Daily Supply of Fresh Food in Current Month Daily Supply of Fresh Food in October 2023

(A) General Fresh Food

| Date      | Mainland<br>Imported<br>Vegetables<br>(tonne) | Vegetables from<br>Government<br>Wholesale<br>Markets and<br>Vegetable<br>Marketing<br>Organization<br>(tonne) | Vegetable<br>Price from<br>Marketing C<br>Flowering<br>Cabbage<br>(\$/Catty) | Vegetable | Mainland<br>Imported Live<br>Pig<br>(head) | Mainland<br>Imported<br>Chilled Pork<br>(tonne) | Mainland<br>Imported Chilled<br>Poultry<br>(head) | Local Live<br>Chicken<br>(head) | Eggs from<br>Government<br>Wholesale Markets<br>(number) |
|-----------|---|--|--|-----------|--|---|---|---------------------------------|--|
| 1/10/2023 | Over 2,100                                    | About 680  | 7.7  | 4.9       | Over 1,900                                 | Over 19   | About 140,000                                     | Over 10,000                     | About 560,000  |
| 2/10/2023 | About 2,400                                   | About 580  | 7.4  | 5.1       | Over 2,100                                 | Over 22   | Over 120.000                                      | About 10,000                    | 0 (Rest Day)   |
| 3/10/2023 | Over 2,400                                    | About 740  | 7.2  | 5.2       | About 2,800                                | About 23  | Over 120,000                                      | Over 10,000                     | Over 2,100,000   |
| 4/10/2023 | About 2,500                                   | About 800  | 7.2  | 5.4       | About 3,000                                | About 22  | Over 120,000                                      | Over 10,000                     | About 2,600,00   |
| 5/10/2023 | Over 2,500                                    | Over 790   | 7.2  | 5.4       | Over 2,900                                 | Over 23   | About 140,000                                     | About 9,000                     | Over 4,700,000   |
| 6/10/2023 | Over 2,600                                    | About 800  | 7.9  | 5.5       | About 2,700                                | About 25  | Over 130,000                                      | Over 8,000                      | Over 3,300,000   |
| 7/10/2023 | About 2,600                                   | About 800  | 7.9  | 5.0       | Over 2,700                                 | About 24  | About 150,000                                     | About 10,000                    | Over 3,900,000   |
| 8/10/2023 | Over 2,300                                    | Over 780   | 8.0  | 5.8       | Over 2,800                                 | About 25  | About 140,000                                     | Over 10,000                     | Over 2,700,000   |
| 9/10/2023 | About 2,300                                   | Over 570   | 8.3  | 6.7       | Over 2,800                                 | Over 27   | About 140,000                                     | About 700                       | 0  |
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(B) Rice Supply

i) Stock of Rice (Sum of Closing Stock and Reserve Stock) (as of end of Aug, 2023 : 23,400 (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