

# DOMESTIC FISH MARKET SURVEY REPORT

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## 1. Introduction

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This report is the first of its kind to report on the performance of the domestic fish market such as quantity, value and unit prices. This report is aimed at improving the information on the domestic fish market that is shared. Information gathered and presented in this report will be made available all relevant Government ministries and the public.

This is the domestic fish market report for the second quarter of 2014 which incorporated data collected from the main fish market of Fuaa Market and the roadside stalls. The data collection was conducted by the Fisheries Division staff through a survey that was carried out every Saturday morning. All fisheries products displayed at the Fuaa market and roadside stalls were sampled, weighted and recorded.

The information presented in this report includes:

- The monthly total of all quantities and value of fisheries products sold for this quarter
- The monthly average prices for the major fisheries products sold.

## 2. Summary of Fisheries Production, 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter, 2014

### 2.1: Summary of the total quantities of fisheries products sold at domestic markets (kg)

Product	Faua Market	Roadside Stalls	Total
Fin Fish	6,197	5,423	<b>11,620</b>
Anadara	1,910	1,287	<b>3,197</b>
Giant clam	355	8	<b>363</b>
Octopus	828	29	<b>857</b>
Other mollusc	163	65	<b>228</b>
Crustaceans	424	92	<b>516</b>
Deep water	622	8	<b>630</b>
Tuna	1,322	0	<b>1,322</b>
Mix holothuria	100	242	<b>342</b>
Other pleagic fish	1,093	0	<b>1,093</b>
Others <sup>1</sup>	845	466	<b>1,311</b>
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>13,859</b>	<b>7,620</b>	<b>21,752</b>

### 2.2 Summary of total values from fisheries products sold at domestic market (T\$)

Product	Faua Market	Roadside Stalls	Total
Fin Fish	50,477	37,124	<b>87,601</b>
Anadara	6,325	3,590	<b>9,915</b>
Giant clam	5,620	40	<b>5,660</b>
Octopus	10,240	360	<b>10,600</b>
Other mollusc	945	365	<b>1,310</b>
Crustaceans	6,425	1,030	<b>7,455</b>
Deep water	5,645	40	<b>5,685</b>
Tuna	12,065	0	<b>12,065</b>
Mix holothuria	1,990	1,585	<b>3,575</b>
Other pleagic fish	9,777	0	<b>9,777</b>
Others	9,363	3,060	<b>12,423</b>
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>\$ 118,872</b>	<b>\$ 47,054</b>	<b>\$ 166,066</b>

<sup>1</sup> Others = other bivalve, urchin, seaweed, turtle, dried fish, seahare, sea anemone, dried fish, porcupine, swordfish, jellyfish

### 2.3 Summary of the quarterly average prices for fisheries products (T\$/kg), April-June, 2014

<b>Product</b>	<b>Faua Market</b>	<b>Roadside Stalls</b>
Fin Fish	8.29	6.98
Anadara	3.31	2.79
Giant clam	15.68	14.29
Octopus	12.71	10.40
Other mollusc	5.78	5.64
Crustaceans	15.17	11.53
Deep water	9.08	5.00
Tuna	9.12	0
Mix holothuria	19.98	6.55
Other pleagic fish	9.01	5.85
Others	11.23	6.16

### 3. Fisheries Production at Faua Market

#### 3.1 Monthly total of quantities of seafood sold at Faua Market (kg), 2nd quarter, 2014

Products	Apr	May	Jun	Total
Anadara	507	1,164	239	1,910
Crustaceans	78	204	142	424
Deep water	62	458	102	622
Dried fish		61	9	70
Dried octopus			15	15
Fin Fish	819	2,448	2,930	6,197
Giant clam	114	130	111	355
Mix holothuria	21	56	22	100
Octopus	80	287	462	828
Other bivalve	20	73	55	148
Other mollusc	78	67	18	163
Other pelagic fish			1,093	1,093
Porcupine			17	17
Sea anemone		35	20	55
Sea weed	12	40	33	85
Swordfish			50	50
Tuna	30	987	306	1,322
Turtle	4		35	39
Urchin	13	142	213	368
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>1,837</b>	<b>6,152</b>	<b>5,870</b>	<b>13,859</b>

#### 3.2 Monthly total values of fisheries products sold at Faua market (T\$)

Products	Apr	May	Jun	Total
Anadara	1,460	3,395	1,470	6,325
Crustaceans	920	3,025	2,480	6,425
Deep water	755	4,210	680	5,645
Dried fish		380	185	565
Dried octopus			275	275
Fin Fish	5,956	21,575	22,946	50,477
Giant clam	900	3,020	1,700	5,620
Mix holothuria	310	1,210	470	1,990
Octopus	845	4,295	5,100	10,240
Other bivalve	170	385	325	880
Other mollusc	340	540	65	945
Other pelagic fish			9,777	9,777

Porcupine			40	<b>40</b>
Sea anemone		360	140	<b>500</b>
Sea weed	105	635	250	<b>990</b>
Swordfish			569	<b>569</b>
Tuna	300	9,254	2,511	<b>12,065</b>
Turtle	20		600	<b>620</b>
Urchin	315	1,565	3,044	<b>4,924</b>
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>12,396</b>	<b>53,849</b>	<b>52,627</b>	<b>118,872</b>

### 3.3 Monthly average prices for Faua market

<b>Products</b>	<b>Apr</b>	<b>May</b>	<b>Jun</b>	<b>Quarterly Average</b>
Anadara	2.88	2.92	6.16	<b>3.98</b>
Crustaceans	11.78	14.86	17.45	<b>14.70</b>
Deep water	12.26	9.19	6.67	<b>9.37</b>
Dried fish		6.23	20.56	<b>13.39</b>
Dried octopus			18.97	<b>18.97</b>
Fin Fish	7.27	8.81	7.83	<b>7.97</b>
Giant clam	7.87	23.21	15.38	<b>15.49</b>
Mix holothuria	14.83	21.45	21.08	<b>19.12</b>
Octopus	10.63	14.99	11.04	<b>12.22</b>
Other bivalve	8.63	5.27	5.90	<b>6.60</b>
Other mollusc	4.34	8.10	3.53	<b>5.32</b>
Other pelagic fish			8.95	<b>8.95</b>
Porcupine			2.42	<b>2.42</b>
Sea anemone		10.29	6.90	<b>8.59</b>
Sea weed	9.05	15.72	7.67	<b>10.81</b>
Swordfish			11.38	<b>11.38</b>
Tuna	10.00	9.38	8.21	<b>9.20</b>
Turtle	5.00		17.14	<b>11.07</b>
Urchin	23.86	11.05	14.30	<b>16.40</b>

## 4. Fisheries production at Roadside stalls

### 4.1 Monthly total of quantities of seafood sold at roadside stalls (kg), 2nd quarter, 2014

Products	Apr	May	Jun	Total
Anadara	593	535	158.9	<b>1,287</b>
Crustaceans	42	50		<b>92</b>
Deep water		8		<b>8</b>
Dried fish	3			<b>3</b>
Fin Fish	3,009	1,982	431.4	<b>5,423</b>
Jellyfish			4.8	<b>5</b>
Giant clam		8		<b>8</b>
Mix holothuria	202	16	24	<b>242</b>
Octopus	18	8	2.8	<b>29</b>
Other bivalve	11		21	<b>32</b>
Other mollusc	60		5.2	<b>65</b>
Sea hare	1			<b>1</b>
Sea weed	2	23	33	<b>57</b>
Urchin	127	135	107.6	<b>369</b>
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>4,067</b>	<b>2,765</b>	<b>789</b>	<b>7,620</b>

### 4.2 Monthly total value of fisheries products sold at roadside stall

Products	Apr	May	Jun	Total
Anadara	1,480	1,525	585	<b>3,590</b>
Crustaceans	530	500		<b>1,030</b>
Deep water		40		<b>40</b>
Dried fish	20			<b>20</b>
Fin Fish	21,012	13,252	2860	<b>37,124</b>
Jellyfish			40	<b>40</b>
Giant clam		40		<b>40</b>
Mix holothuria	1,020	225	340	<b>1,585</b>
Octopus	280	50	30	<b>360</b>
Other bivalve	50		60	<b>110</b>
Other mollusc	220		145	<b>365</b>
Sea hare	10			<b>10</b>
Sea weed	45	175	190	<b>410</b>
Urchin	655	780	895	<b>2,330</b>
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>25,322</b>	<b>16,587</b>	<b>5,145</b>	<b>47,054</b>



**4.3 Monthly average price for fisheries products at roadside stalls (T\$/kg)**

<b>Products</b>	<b>Apr</b>	<b>May</b>	<b>Jun</b>	<b>Quarterly average</b>
Anadara	2.49	2.85	3.68	<b>3.01</b>
Crustaceans	12.71	10.00		<b>11.35</b>
Deep water		5.00		<b>5.00</b>
Dried fish	6.67			<b>6.67</b>
Fin Fish	6.98	6.69	6.63	<b>6.77</b>
Jellyfish			8.33	<b>8.33</b>
Giant clam		5.00		<b>5.00</b>
Mix holothuria	5.06	13.72	14.17	<b>10.98</b>
Octopus	15.56	6.25	10.71	<b>10.84</b>
Other bivalve	4.55		2.86	<b>3.70</b>
Other mollusc	3.70		27.88	<b>15.79</b>
Sea hare	10.00			<b>10.00</b>
Sea weed	25.00	7.78	5.76	<b>12.85</b>
Urchin	5.16	5.79	8.32	<b>6.42</b>