

DOMESTIC FISH MARKET SURVEY REPORT

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1. Introduction

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 to all relevant Government ministries and the public.

This is the domestic fish market report for the third 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, 3rd Quarter, 2014

2.1: Summary of the total quantities of fisheries products sold at domestic markets (kg), July-Sept. 2014

Product	Faua	Roadside stalls	Total
Anadara	1,300	304	1,605
Crustaceans	344	28	372
Dried fish	68		68
Dried octopus	70		70
Fin Fish	9,028	282	9,310
Giant clam	370	64	434
Jellyfish		24	24
Mix holothuria	115	104	219
Octopus	815	9	824
Offcut	4		4
Other bivalve	242	42	284
Other mollusc	302	27	329
Other pelagic fish	1,739		1,739
Sea hare	1	3	4
Sea weed	190	93	283
Swordfish	171		171
Tuna	517		517
Turtle	40		40
Urchin	271	34	304
Grand Total	15,585	1,015	16,599

2.2 Summary of total values from fisheries products sold at domestic market (T\$), July-Sept. 2014

Products	Faua Market	Roadside stall	Total
Anadara	7,785	1,695	9,480
Crustaceans	5,255	370	5,625
Dried fish	639		639
Dried octopus	3,138		3,138
Fin Fish	72,975	2,540	75,515
Giant clam	5,135	1,000	6,135

Jellyfish		120	120
Mix holothuria	2,315	1,120	3,435
Octopus	8,850	150	9,000
Offcut	10		10
Other bivalve	1,710	220	1,930
Other mollusc	1,560	185	1,745
Other pelagic fish	16,467		16,467
Sea hare	5	40	45
Sea weed	1,670	700	2,370
Swordfish	1,851		1,851
Tuna	4,968		4,968
Turtle	400		400
Urchin	4,370	910	5,280
Grand Total	139,103	9,050	148,153

2.3 Summary of the quarterly average prices for fisheries products (T\$/kg), July-Sept. 2014

Product	Faua Market	Roadside stalls
Anadara	5.99	5.57
Crustaceans	15.29	13.21
Dried fish	9.38	
Dried octopus	44.89	
Fin Fish	8.08	9.01
Giant clam	13.88	15.63
Jellyfish		5.00
Mix holothuria	20.22	10.73
Octopus	10.86	16.48
Offcut	2.50	
Other bivalve	7.08	5.23
Other mollusc	5.17	6.78
Other pelagic fish	9.47	
Sea hare	6.25	13.33
Sea weed	8.81	7.53
Swordfish	10.80	
Tuna	9.61	
Turtle	10.00	
Urchin	16.15	27.00

3. Fisheries Production at Faua Market

3.1 Monthly total of quantities of seafood sold at Faua Market (kg), 3rd quarter, 2014

Products	Jul	Aug	Sept	Total
Anadara	470	270	561	1,300
Crustaceans	214	8	122	344
Dried fish		14	54	68
Dried octopus	18		52	70
Fin Fish	2,499	1,601	4,928	9,028
Giant clam	187	76	108	370
Mix holothuria	52	32	30	115
Octopus	306	202	307	815
Offcut	2		2	4
Other bivalve	122	36	84	242
Other mollusc	5	141	156	302
Other pelagic fish	977	334	429	1,739
Sea hare		0.8		1
Sea weed	69	47	74	190
Swordfish	146		25	171
Tuna	161	130	226	517
Turtle	40			40
Urchin	77	59	135	271
Grand Total	5,343	2,949	7,293	15,585

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

Products	Jul	Aug	Sept	Total
Anadara	3,020	1,670	3,095	7,785
Crustaceans	3,100	180	1,975	5,255
Dried fish		70	569	639
Dried octopus	830		2,308	3,138
Fin Fish	19,750	13,315	39,910	72,975
Giant clam	1,840	1,360	1,935	5,135
Mix holothuria	840	670	805	2,315
Octopus	3,160	2,330	3,360	8,850
Offcut	10		10	20
Other bivalve	755	310	645	1,710
Other mollusc	170	670	720	1,560
Other pelagic fish	9,240	3,383	3,844	16,467

Sea hare		5		5
Sea weed	665	440	565	1,670
Swordfish	1,451		400	1,851
Tuna	1,704	1,385	1,879	4,968
Turtle	400			400
Urchin	1,395	1,045	1,930	4,370
Grand Total	48,330	26,833	63,940	139,103

3.3 Monthly average prices for Faua market

Products	Jul	Aug	Sept	Quarterly Average
Anadara	6.43	6.19	5.52	6.05
Crustaceans	14.49	22.50	16.23	17.74
Dried fish		5.00	10.52	7.76
Dried octopus	46.89		44.21	45.55
Fin Fish	7.90	8.31	8.10	8.11
Giant clam	9.86	18.01	17.95	15.27
Mix holothuria	16.06	20.81	26.83	21.23
Octopus	10.32	11.56	10.94	10.94
Offcut	5.00		5.00	5.00
Other bivalve	6.19	8.66	7.70	7.51
Other mollusc	35.42	4.77	4.60	14.93
Other pelagic fish	9.46	10.14	8.96	9.52
Sea hare		6.25		6.25
Sea weed	9.64	9.46	7.62	8.91
Swordfish	9.91		16.00	12.96
Tuna	10.60	10.65	8.31	9.86
Turtle	10.00			10.00
Urchin	18.24	17.68	14.30	16.74

4. Fisheries production at Roadside stalls

4.1 Monthly total of quantities of seafood sold at roadside stalls (kg), 3rd quarter, 2014

Products	July	Aug	Sept	Total
Anadara	145	71	89	304
Crustaceans	28			28
Fin Fish	26		256	282
Giant clam			64	64
Jellyfish			24	24
Mix holothuria	55	9	41	104
Octopus	9			9
Other bivalve	3	32	7	42
Other mollusc	26	1		27
Sea hare	1	2		3
Sea weed	36	14	43	93
Urchin	19	7	7	34
Grand Total	347	136	532	1,015

4.2 Monthly total value of fisheries products sold at roadside stall (T\$)

Products	Jul	Aug	Sept	Total
Anadara	695	400	600	1,695
Crustaceans	370			370
Fin Fish	90		2,450	2,540
Giant clam			1,000	1,000
Jellyfish			120	120
Mix holothuria	490	110	520	1,120
Octopus	150			150
Other bivalve	10	140	70	220
Other mollusc	160	25		185
Sea hare	10	30		40
Sea weed	240	105	355	700
Urchin	450	300	160	910
Grand Total	2,665	1,110	5,275	9,050

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

Products	Jul	Aug	Sept	Quarterly average
Anadara	4.81	5.67	6.73	5.74

Crustaceans	13.21			13.21
Fin Fish	3.46		9.57	6.52
Giant clam			15.63	15.63
Jellyfish			5.00	5.00
Mix holothuria	8.99	12.94	12.56	11.50
Octopus	16.48			16.48
Other bivalve	3.33	4.36	10.00	5.90
Other mollusc	6.15	19.23		12.69
Sea hare	10.00	15.00		12.50
Sea weed	6.70	7.45	8.26	7.47
Urchin	23.68	40.54	21.92	28.71
