Hong Kong Market Summary & Category Data for Fish & Seafood - Prawns

Seafood Industry Australia
The Voice of Australian Seafood

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About Seafood Industry Australia

Seafood Industry Australia (SIA) is the national peak-body representing the Australian seafood industry as a whole. With members from the wildcatch, aquaculture and post-harvest sectors of the Australian seafood industry, we are the voice of Australian seafood.

SIA provides consumers, Government and other stakeholders with confident and united representation. Our unity indicates that we love what we do, we stand by our products and that those products are the best in the world.

SIA provides services identified through a process involving member input to fill a critical gap that currently exists, to have more influence on Government decisions, to act as a national industry voice, to be a marketing and communications hub, and to remove obstacles to growth standing in the way of the Australian seafood industry.

Our vision is for the Australian seafood industry to be United, Effective and Respected.

Our mission is to Promote, Protect and Develop the Australian seafood industry on the national and international level.

Agricultural Trade and Market Access Cooperation (ATMAC) Program

The ATMAC program is an Australian Government initiative, expanding trade in Australian agricultural, forestry and fisheries sectors into emerging export markets and/or export markets with high-growth potential. This will be achieved through support for diversification efforts that align with industry priorities.

Seafood Industry Australia's 'marketing, market access and export development for the Australian seafood industry' was funded under the ATMAC Program.

Economic Indicators

- GDP (USD Billion): **365**
- GDP per capita (USD): **48,713.5**
- Currency: **HKD** (Hong Kong Dollar)
- Exchange Rate: **1 HKD = 0.18 AUD** (19/01/2022)
- Mercer's 2020 Quality of Living Ranking (2020 report not released due to COVID-19): **71st**
- Human Development Index: **0.94** and ranked **4th**
- Logistics Performance Index: **3.92** and ranked **12th**
- Ease of Doing Business Rankings: **3rd**

Source: Trading Economics, World Bank, Mercer

- **Trade Agreements:**
    - Hong Kong maintains 19 Bilateral Investment Treaties with partner countries.
    - Hong Kong is currently a part of the Free Trade Agreement between EFTA and Hong Kong, and the Australia - Hong Kong Investment Agreement.

Source: https://investmentpolicy.unctad.org/country-navigator

Demographic Indicators

- Total Population (million): **7.53**
- Expatriate Population (million): **0.7**
- Population Growth: **0.8%**
- Median Age: **46.5**
- Urban Population: **100%**

- **Population Ethnicity:**
  - 93.6% Chinese
  - 2.5% Filipino
  - 2.1% Indonesian
  - 1.8% Other

- **Dominant Religious Groups:**
  - 54.3% Other or None
  - 27.9% Buddhism or Taoism
  - 6.7% Protestant
  - 11.1% Minorities (Catholicism, Islam, Hinduism, Sikhism)

Source: Trading Economics, World Bank, Statistics Body for individual countries

Consumer Behaviour & Societal Trends

Key Trends:

- Most consumers in Hong Kong prefer to buy international brands. Only 7% of surveyed consumers said they would opt for domestic or local brands. This is reflected in the growing number of international e-commerce sites and supermarket chains in Hong Kong.

- Hong Kong consumers are primarily concerned with product quality and the value for money the product offers. During the peak of the pandemic, only 56% of consumers bought products based on their quality. However, with the easing of restrictions, this number has increased to 67%. 60% of consumers say that value for money remains one of their top priorities while choosing a product.

- Most consumers gravitate towards luxury goods. However, with the onset of the pandemic in 2020 and through 2021, non-essential product sales declined considerably. According to a study by KPMG, 41% of respondents admitted to being more careful about what they purchased, with most products bought being strictly essential goods.

- Much like other countries, consumers in Hong Kong are becoming increasingly environmentally conscious, with 90% of consumers disliking excess use of plastic packaging, according to a 2019 study by Hong Kong Shue Yan University. The same study also found that 70% of consumers would rather shop at supermarkets that did without extra packaging.

- Consumers are also gravitating towards healthier Food & Beverage options, such as organic products, sugar-free juices, and nutritional supplements. 80% of consumers aged 50-64 said that health and fitness were their most important priorities.

- Due to the implications of the pandemic, consumers are more likely to shop at retailers and brands that they can trust. Brands that focused on a strict hygiene and sanitation regimen were chosen more frequently than others.

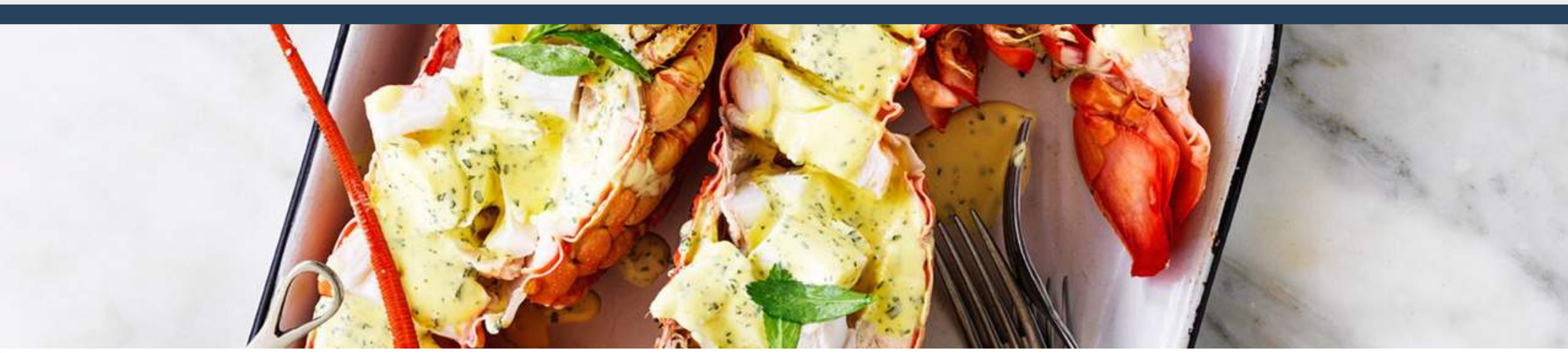
- Consumers in Hong Kong, especially elderly consumers, prefer to shop in specialty retail outlets for diverse product categories. For example, consumers shop for seafood at wet markets, while meat is bought from local butchers.

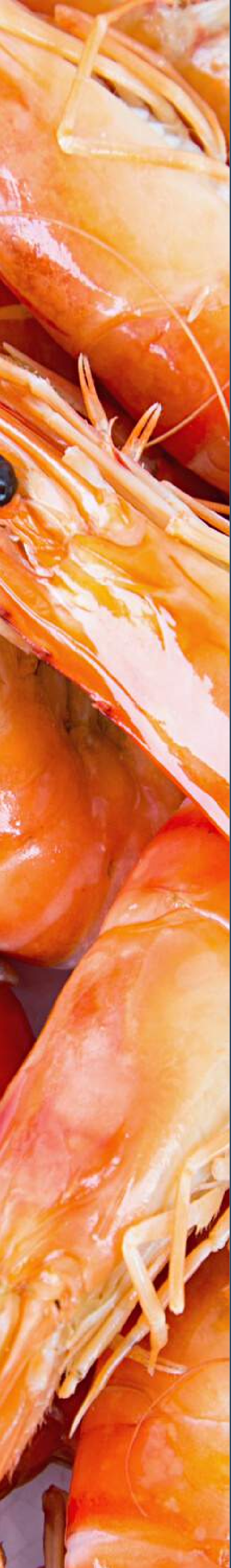
Source: Nielsen, Mintel, McKinsey, USDA

Digital Adoption:

- On average, a person in Hong Kong spends 6 hours 16 minutes online, with 2 hours on social media apps and websites.
- There are currently 6.79 internet users in Hong Kong across devices, with a 91% penetration rate.
- As per the 'Digital 2021' report, there are currently 5.8 million active social media users with a 78% penetration rate. This indicated a growth of 4% in social media users over the previous year.
- Facebook remains the most popular social media site at 82%. YouTube follows closely at 81%, with Whatsapp and Instagram at 79% and 60% respectively.

Source: Digital in 2021 Report





Grocery Retail Channel Developments

Key Trends:

- While Hong Kong has a relatively unstable political and economic environment, this has not considerably affected the food retail industry. In the first 7 months of 2020, supermarkets were able to report a 14% year-on-year growth. This increase in sales is anticipated to remain steady.

- In 2020-21, supermarkets maintaining a strict social distancing routine with an increased sanitation regimen seemed to attract consumers, with 59% of stores implementing strict hygiene standards. About half of the existing supermarkets tried implementing discount programs as a strategy to attract consumers, while 48% began offering free delivery and collection as a means to retain customers.

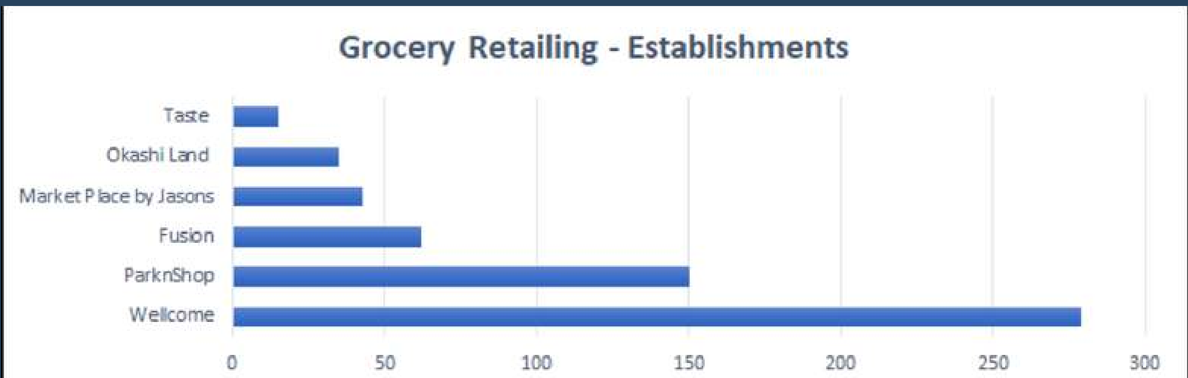
- Restrictions on movement and travel have resulted in a hike in the popularity of international products. Japanese and Korean supermarkets have especially benefited from this trend. With YATA, SOGO and AEON already offering a range of lifestyle products, there is a race to expand their individual presence. For example, YATA is soon launching “Konbin by YATA”, a new convenience store format, following its 16% year-on-year growth in grocery sales in 2020.

- Consumers are increasingly focusing on the availability of food products during Hong Kong’s political unrest. Due to this, convenience stores have witnessed positive growth rates. Circle K’s parent company, Convenience Retail Asia was able to report a 5.9% increase in sales in 2019.

- Supermarkets that focus exclusively on premium and high-end brand products, such as gourmet food or Western imported products, are increasing in popularity. The two chains that dominate the supermarket category - AS Watson Group and Dairy Farm Intl. Holdings Ltd. is reportedly launching new formats to attract wealthy consumers. AS Watson, in particular, has opened Food Le Parc, Gourmet Food Hall, and Great Food Hall to target consumers with high disposable incomes.

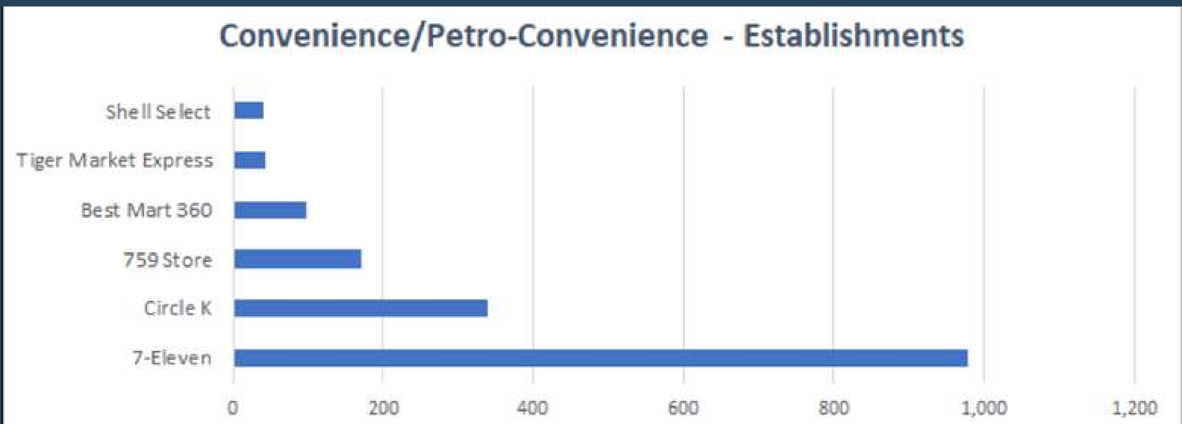
- In response to the pandemic, more grocery retailers are teaming up with on-demand delivery services to offer increased convenience to consumers. For example, both 7-Eleven and Marks & Spencer have begun a collaboration with Deliveroo.

Grocery Retailing Brand Outlets:



	Wellcome	ParknShop	Fusion	Market Place by Jasons	Okashi Land	Taste
Outlets	279	150	62	43	35	15

Convenience/Petro-Convenience Brand Outlets:



	7-Eleven	Circle K	759 Store	Best Mart 360	Tiger Market Express	Shell Select
Outlets	978	340	171	98	43	42

Source: Euromonitor

Foodservice Channel Developments

Key Trends:

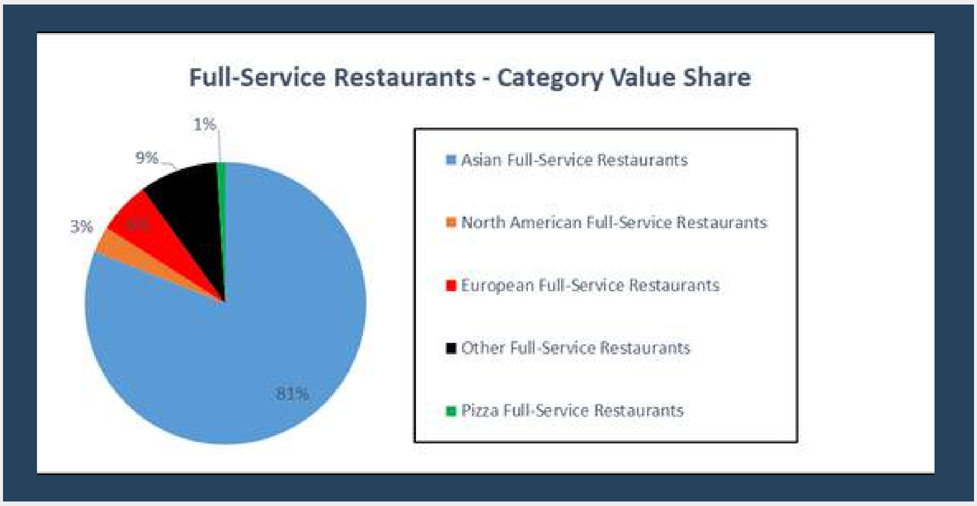
- 2020 was a tough year for the Hong Kong foodservice industry, especially with multiple waves of restrictions on dine-in services. With many businesses shutting down, other outlets have tried to adapt by offering food delivery services. These outlets either operate from a cloud kitchen to decrease overheads or are collaborating with third-party delivery platforms, such as Foodpanda and Deliveroo. Many restaurants have also launched their own delivery services. However, the industry is expected to recover, as dining out is a major part of a citizens' social life.
- The limited-service sector is dominated by burger chains, with McDonald's and KFC being the most popular. Both brands are upping their focus on innovative products and marketing to increase their individual shares of the market. KFC has recently launched a concept store where it trials distinctive products like a Chizza (pizza with chicken as the base) and a spicy chicken-and-nuts mooncake before officially launching them.
- Adapting to the increase in demand for environmentally friendly, ethical, and sustainable practices, both limited-service and full-service restaurants are focusing on embracing more eco-friendly operations. For example, restaurants such as Amber only use sustainable ingredients, while reducing their plastic waste. Fairwood has launched its "Care for Seniors" program where senior customers are eligible for discounts.
- More restaurants are making vegan, vegetarian, gluten-free, and dairy-free menu options available to consumers, especially targeting the more health-conscious consumer. Many traditional outlets are adopting the fake meat trend, with both Happy Paradise and Little Bao launching "Impossible burgers".
- When dining out, most consumers still prefer full-service restaurants that offer Asian cuisine. Interest in Japanese food seems to be on the rise again, and multiple new restaurants have opened to benefit from this trend. Such outlets include Sushiro, the popular sushi chain, and Sukiya, a 24-hour outlet that serves beef bowl rice.

- Restaurants are constantly trying to innovate to retain customers and distinguish themselves from other competitors. As such, there has been an increase in digital loyalty programs. For example, Burger Circus offers customers a free burger after 6 orders, while customers of Le Petit Saigon get a free Banh Mi after 10 orders.

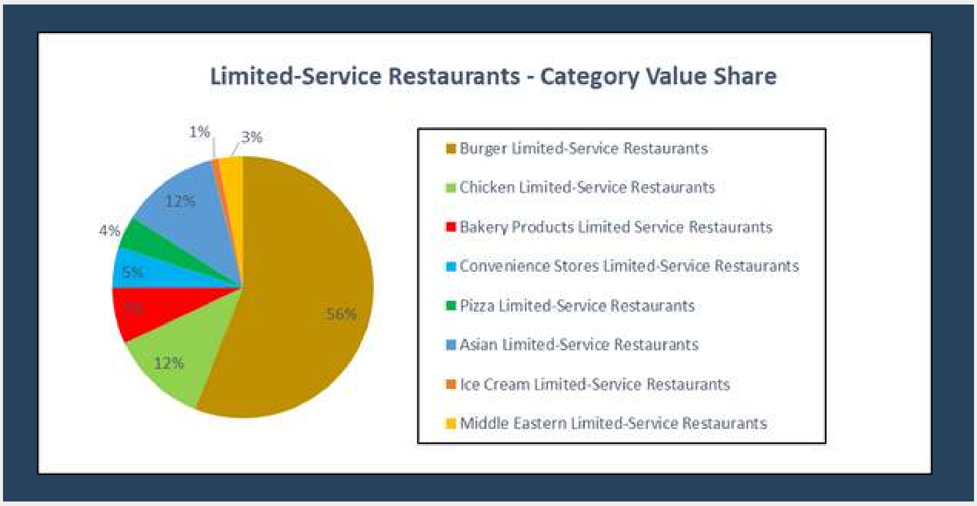
- Another trend that is increasingly seen in limited-service restaurants is the "tap and eat" technology, where customers can opt to order via self-service kiosks or on their phones. This saves them the hassle of waiting in long queues. This technology has been dominated by Aigens Technology, a top Hong Kong firm that aspires to bring this tech to 5000 outlets by 2022.

- The use of social media and digital platforms to influence the choice of dining locations has been increasingly prominent. This is especially true in the case of younger consumers who often prioritise the restaurant's food or decor aesthetic over the quality or the location of the outlet. Consumers are using such digital channels to give immediate feedback and to even choose restaurants based on their political views.

Full-Service Restaurants - Category Value Share:



Limited-Service Restaurants - Category Value Share:



Source: Euromonitor

Food & Drink e-Commerce Channel Developments

Key Trends:

- Hong Kong consumers have always been partial to shopping online for Food & Beverage products. 73% of consumers shop on online grocery retailers. Hong Kong is one of the top 4 international markets with the highest net consumer increases in the use of online grocery services.

- During the pandemic, e-commerce marketplaces such as HKTVMall have seen unprecedented rises in growth, with HKTVMall reporting a 20,300 increase in the number of its sales.

- Traditional brick-and-mortar stores have begun focusing on enhancing their online grocery services as consumer preferences for online shopping rose during 2020. Established brands like Wellcome, ParknShop, and AEON now offer click and collect facilities and home delivery services.

- Many physical stores have now collaborated with on-demand delivery services like Foodpanda to offer more convenience. Foodpanda witnessed high week-on-week growth during 2020.

- Retailers that focus on selling alcohol have also switched to online stores, with many bars such as Caprice Bar and Club Rangoon launching their cocktail range through online stores or on-demand delivery.

- Many consumers prefer click and collect services as this option offers increased time flexibility that isn't available with home deliveries.

- While most consumers usually use credit cards to pay online, it is anticipated that alternative newer forms of payments such as bank transfers and digital wallets will be introduced and will become popular forms of paying online.

Key E-tailers:

- Wellcome and ParknShop, the largest supermarket chains in Hong Kong, both provide delivery services through their online grocery retailing platforms.
- However, the top online retailers remain HKTVMall and Taobao, with both brands offering a wide range of both local and global foods. HKTVMall is home to products from over 500 vendors, making it a one-stop shop for many consumers.
- There has been a gradual increase in local e-commerce platforms too. Two prominent brands are Jou Sun, which offers fresh seasonal produce direct from farms, and Local Fresh, which offers fresh seafood.

Source: Euromonitor

Seafood Consumption in Hong Kong

- Fish and seafood supply per person in Hong Kong is valued at 170.75 kg as of 2017 according to the United Nations Food and Agricultural Organization (FAO).
  - *Food supply is defined as food available for human consumption. At country level, it is calculated as the food remaining for human use after deduction of all non-food utilizations*

Source: FAO, 2021

Market Access Requirements

Key Regulators:

- Center for Food Safety (CFS) and Food and Environmental Hygiene Department (FEHD).
- Agriculture, Fisheries and Conservation Department.

Product Registration/Import Procedure:

- Plant imports must include a Phytosanitary Certificate from the country of origin.
- The export of live animals, meat, and dairy products must be accompanied by a health certificate that the exporter can obtain from the Australian Department of Agriculture or from the relevant authority in their country of origin.

Documentation Required:

- Manifests from shippers
- Import licenses/ removal permits
- Bill of Lading/Airway bill
- Invoices: Two copies are required and must include details like description of goods, country of origin, quantities, insurance details, and pricing.
- Packing list
- Official health certificate (only applicable for meat, milk, and egg products as well as frozen confectionery)

General Labelling Requirements:

- Labels on prepackaged food must contain:
    - Name of the food: Must be legibly marked and should not be false, misleading or deceptive.
    - Ingredient list: Listed in descending order of weight or volume, specify substances that are allergens, list any additives, and identify sulphites if over 10 parts per million in concentration.
    - Best before or use by date: Must be in Chinese characters as well.
    - Instructions for use or storage
    - Name and address of manufacturer or packer
    - Numerical count, weight or volume
    - Nutritional panel: The panel (relabelled for the HK market) should contain information on protein, carbohydrate, fat, saturated fat, trans fat, sodium and sugars.
- Exemptions to labelling regulations include individually wrapped confectioneries, preserved fruit, immediate consumption products, and drinks with an alcohol strength of 10% or more.

Packaging Requirements:

- While there are no mandated packaging rules, it is strongly recommended that goods are packaged in strong, waterproof materials.

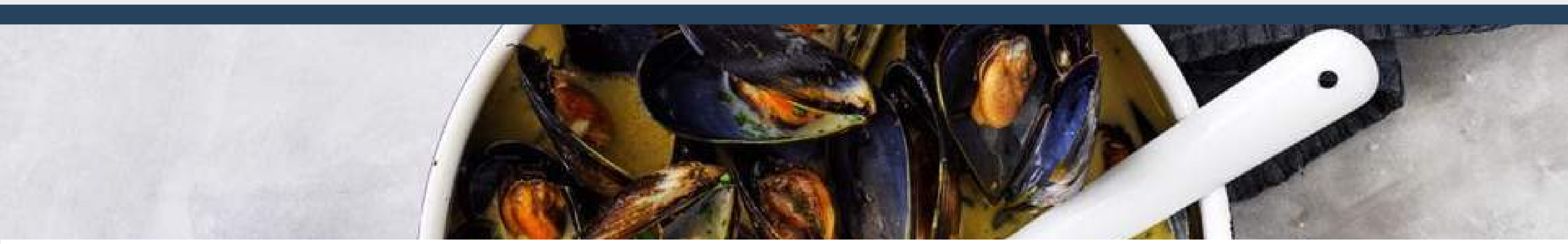
Non-Tariff Barriers:

- No specific non-tariff barriers exist. However, licenses are required for all imported goods, category notwithstanding. Products may also be randomly checked or sampled upon arrival at the port.

Tariffs Levied:

- Hong Kong, being a free port, does not apply tariffs for the import of goods. Excise duties are charged for alcohol, tobacco, hydrocarbon oil, and methyl alcohol products.

Source: USDA Food and Agricultural Import Regulations and Standards Country Reports [FAIRS], Austrade, DFAT, Export.gov



Category Data

Fish and Seafood in Hong Kong

Key Trends:

- Consumers in Hong Kong are often eager and open to new and diverse seafood products. Preferences usually include dried, fresh and live fish and seafood products- these include products that many international consumers may not be keen to try. Hong Kong's seafood market is considered to be one of the world's most competitive. This is primarily due to the country's culture, where seafood has always been traditionally consumed in high quantities. There are also several seafood importers and traders who are known to be able to source a wide range of premium quality seafood products.

- Traditionally, seafood has always been consumed in Hong Kong on a consistent weekly basis. The primary drivers of this trend include the following:
  - Seafood product sales are highly affected by food safety standards, freshness, and the price point of the product.
  - It has been observed that older consumers as well as those with higher incomes traditionally consume more seafood, as compared to younger consumers or those with lower incomes.
  - Shellfish and live fish are amongst the top categories in terms of consumer preferences, These include shrimp, prawns, and scallops.
  - Compared to premium seafood products such as lobster and crab that are usually consumed in restaurants, cheaper products like squid are consumed more frequently at home.
  - Of the consumers who buy seafood to cook and consume at home, 47% of the surveyed consumers said that they buy their seafood from wet markets, while 30% buy these products from fish shops. Only 23% said they would make seafood purchases at supermarkets.
  - Consumers are usually attracted to new seafood products due to the prices, promotions and deals, and product recommendations.

- Buyers are now more likely to purchase seafood products from regulated suppliers who are more trustworthy. This is especially due to the numerous food safety-related incidents in China, Hong Kong, and Macao.

- Consumers are increasingly paying attention to factors like the traceability of seafood production, handling of the products, and whether the product has been sourced from sustainably managed fisheries. Paying heed to such factors will increase customer confidence in the product.

- Food safety remains a crucial factor that influences seafood consumption. According to data released by FAS/Hong Kong, consumers are more likely to trust US food products, when it comes to food safety issues. Consumers in Hong Kong are frequently looking for industry-recognised and certified markers of sustainability and safety while purchasing seafood. This has led to more opportunities for sustainably sourced seafood, where standards have been independently verified by a third party and are labelled accordingly.

- It has been noted that, within the HRI sector, the highest demand is for seafood such as lobster, crab, clams, conch (whelk), scallops, and sea urchins. Reliable suppliers, especially for raw seafood (such as chilled oysters) are increasingly being preferred by caterers. This is especially important since a single food contamination incident could potentially ruin a premium establishment's reputation.

- Chefs in Hong Kong are becoming more creative in their usage of fish and seafood, including using wastes, byproducts, and species that are not traditionally consumed as food in other countries globally. For example, products such as fish heads, gas bladders, roe, and internal organs, that are of zero commercial value in the United States of America, will fetch good prices in Hong Kong, if properly processed. US companies may take good advantage of such opportunities in the Hong Kong market by simply adapting to consumer preferences.

- Supermarkets have noted strong sales of finfish. Common fish sold in supermarkets include mackerel, halibut, salmon, and black cod. These are usually sold in the form of fish steaks and fillets and are popular products in the frozen food section in supermarkets and retail outlets. However, consumers still prefer to buy fresh or live fish from wet markets. The competition levels between wet markets and supermarkets have steadily increased over the last few years. To tip the scales in their favour, some wet markets have begun to offer air-conditioned venues, as well as provide complimentary shuttles from the market to nearby residential areas.

Sector	Category	Country	Year	Value M USD	5yr CAGR M USD (%)
Fish & Seafood	Ambient Fish & Seafood	Hong Kong	2020	168.64	2.23
			2025	193.65	2.80
	Chilled Raw Packaged Fish & Seafood - Processed	Hong Kong	2020	683.85	3.51
			2025	799.64	3.18
	Chilled Raw Packaged Fish & Seafood - Whole Cuts	Hong Kong	2020	195.59	2.85
			2025	222.61	2.62
	Dried Fish & Seafood	Hong Kong	2020	211.35	4.39
			2025	249.89	3.41
	Fresh Fish & Seafood (Counter)	Hong Kong	2020	731.83	3.40
			2025	885.96	3.90
	Frozen Fish & Seafood	Hong Kong	2020	94.33	3.89
			2025	111.31	3.37

Source: GlobalData, 2021

ITC - Trade Data

Frozen Cold-water Shrimps and Prawns in Hong Kong

Hong Kong - Trade Data - HS Code 030616 Frozen Cold-water Shrimps and Prawns... (Import):

Rank	Country	Imported Value (USD Thousand)	Quantity Imported (Tons)	Annual Growth Imported Value % (Short Term '19 - '20)	Annual Growth Imported Value % (Long Term '16 - '20)	Annual Growth Imported Quantity % (Long Term '16 - '20)
-	World	6,528	802	124	-8	-8
1	Australia	4,096	515	162	15	23
2	China	1,982	267	383	-28	-32
3	Japan	142	7	196	-35	-39
4	Italy	138	3	-54	-20	-23
5	Viet Nam	95	7	-77	-21	-18
6	Taipei, Chinese	49	2	96	-	-
7	United Kingdom	17	1	-6	58	0
8	Sweden	8	0	33	-	-
9	Macao, China	-	-	-	-	-
10	Greenland	-	-	-	-	-

AUS - Trade Data - HS Code 030616 Frozen Cold-water Shrimps and Prawns... (Export):

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-	World	1,459	98	-31	-12	-11
1	Japan	927	55	185	-13	-11
2	Netherlands	226	6	-	-	-
3	China	158	21	-87	-	-
4	New Zealand	118	14	-55	20	25
5	Papua New Guinea	20	1	24	1	0
6	Hong Kong, China	10	1	-82	-38	-49
7	Taipei, Chinese	-	-	-	-	-
8	Thailand	-	-	-	-	-
9	Korea, Republic of	-	-	-	-	-
10	Denmark	-	-	-	-	-

Source: ITC Trade Map, 2021

ITC - Trade Data

Frozen shrimps and prawns, even smoked, whether in shell or not in Hong Kong

Hong Kong - Trade Data - HS Code 030617 Frozen shrimps and prawns, even smoked, whether in shell or not (Import):

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-	World	242,688	26,502	-22	-3	-8
1	China	115,118	10,701	-24	-1	-15
2	Viet Nam	60,130	8,815	-27	-6	1
3	Australia	13,051	1,008	92	4	8
4	India	9,799	1,250	-21	-2	7
5	Myanmar	7,732	762	-48	-8	-12
6	Thailand	7,462	816	-12	-2	-1
7	Indonesia	7442	732	-13	-1	-7
8	Japan	6406	472	10	-9	-11
9	Malaysia	3410	398	-60	-29	-24
10	Argentina	3046	485	12	8	15

AUS - Trade Data - HS Code 030617 Frozen shrimps and prawns, even smoked, whether in shell or not (Export):

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-	World	51,422	4,510	-28	-9	-7
1	Hong Kong, China	17,263	1,415	63	-3	1
2	Japan	10,340	648	-32	-17	-14
3	Viet Nam	10,234	1174	71	-16	-14
4	China	3,109	242	-88	4	3
5	USA	2,627	135	89	24	33
6	Thailand	2,415	506	-17	-11	-2
7	Taipei, Chinese	1616	98	-43	-13	-11
8	Singapore	1004	69	43	2	3
9	New Zealand	917	72	-42	-31	-31
10	Korea, Republic of	742	51	196	-	-

Source: ITC Trade Map, 2021

ITC - Trade Data

Cold-water shrimps and prawns "Pandalus spp., Crangon crangon", even smoked, whether in shell or not...in Hong Kong

Hong Kong - Trade Data - HS Code 030626 Cold-water shrimps and prawns "Pandalus spp., Crangon crangon", even smoked... (Import):

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-	World	4	0	-50	-72	-
1	Netherlands	4	0	-33	-	-
2	USA	-	-	-	-	-
3	Thailand	-	-	-	-	-
4	Denmark	-	-	-	-	-
5	Germany	-	-	-	-	-
6	China	-	-	-	-	-
7	Indonesia	-	-	-	-	-
8	Taipei, Chinese	-	-	-	-	-
9	United Kingdom	-	-	-	-	-
10	Malaysia	-	-	-	-	-

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-	World	15	1	-92	226	-40
1	USA	15	1	286	-	-
2	United Kingdom	-	-	-	-	-
3	Myanmar	-	-	-	-	-
4	Hong Kong, China	-	-	-	-	-
5	Sri Lanka	-	-	-	-	-
6	Viet Nam	-	-	-	-	-
7	Malaysia	-	-	-	-	-
8	China	-	-	-	-	-
9	Thailand	-	-	-	-	-
10	Netherlands	-	-	-	-	-

Source: ITC Trade Map, 2021

ITC - Trade Data

Shrimps and prawns, even smoked, whether in shell or not, live, fresh, chilled, dried, salted or in brine in Hong Kong

Hong Kong - Trade Data - HS Code 030627 Shrimps and prawns, even smoked, whether in shell or not, live, fresh, chilled, dried, salted or... (Import):

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-	World	102,730	13,142	35	11	8
1	China	78,228	10,452	109	27	25
2	Thailand	16,271	2,092	-47	-2	-14
3	USA	4,905	179	9	-13	-12
4	Viet Nam	1,813	327	194	-32	-14
5	Japan	764	28	-18	19	8
6	Malaysia	406	45	-62	-15	-13
7	Taipei, Chinese	120	2	-40	-26	-47
8	Korea, Republic of	98	7	-	14	24
9	Myanmar	47	4	-	-	-
10	Singapore	28	2	-13	-68	-64

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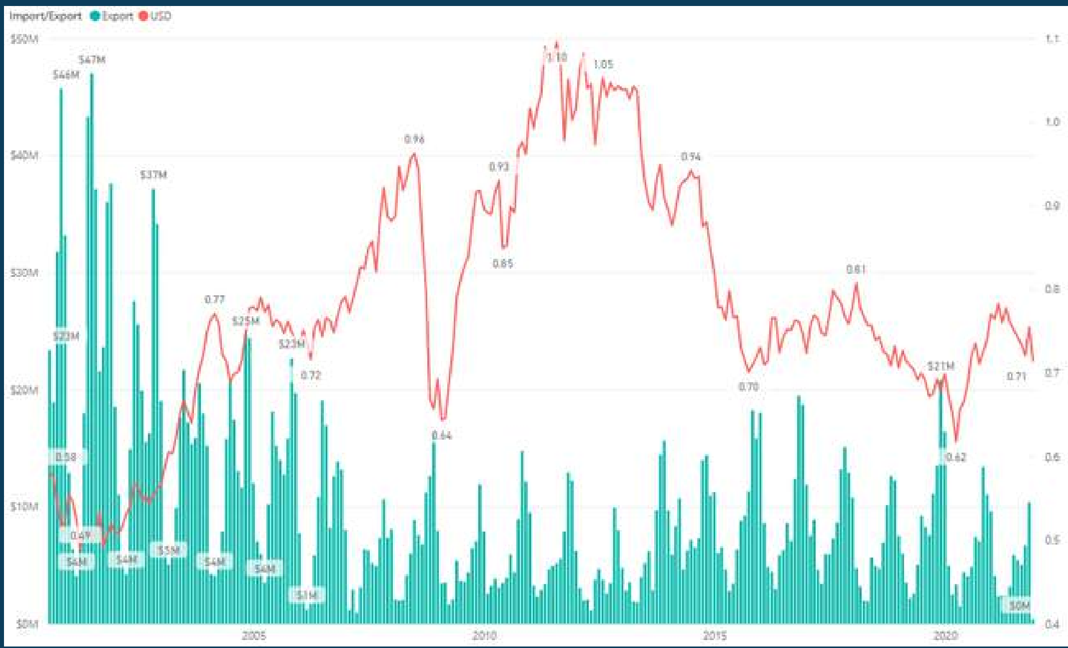
-	World	29	1	-92	69	-53
1	USA	29	1	290	-	-
2	United Kingdom	-	-	-	-	-
3	Taipei, Chinese	-	-	-	-	-
4	India	-	-	-	-	-
5	Myanmar	-	-	-	-	-
6	Hong Kong, China	-	-	-	-	-
7	Sri Lanka	-	-	-	-	-
8	Viet Nam	-	-	-	-	-
9	Malaysia	-	-	-	-	-
10	China	-	-	-	-	-

Source: ITC Trade Map, 2021

FRDC - Trade Data

Prawn Exports - Value

AUS - Trade Data - Species: Prawn (Export):



Value of Exports - Prawn

Commodity Description	Value
Frozen whole shrimps and prawns, whether in shell or not, raw, dried, salted or in brine, or cooked in shell by steaming or boiling in water	$1,464,242,964
Frozen shrimps and prawns (excl. cold-water shrimps and prawns), whether in shell or not, raw, dried, salted, in brine or smoked, or cooked in shell by steaming or boiling in water	$807,328,912
Frozen headless shrimps and prawns, whether in shell or not, raw, dried, salted or in brine, or cooked in shell by steaming or boiling in water	$95,301,254
Frozen shrimps and prawns (incl. prawn cutlets (fantails), prawn meat, etc), whether in shell or not, raw, dried, salted or in brine, or cooked in shell by steaming or boiling in water (excl. headless and whole shrimps and prawns)	$43,323,254
Frozen cold-water shrimps and prawns (Pandalus spp., Crangon crangon), whether in shell or not, raw, dried, salted, in brine or smoked, or cooked in shell by steaming or boiling in water	$40,739,525
Unfrozen whole shrimps and prawns, live, fresh, chilled, dried, salted or in brine, whether in shell or not, or in the shell and cooked by steaming or by boiling in water	$38,350,301
Prepared or preserved shrimps and prawns, in airtight containers (excl. shrimps and prawns of Chapter 03)	$9,532,398
Prepared or preserved shrimps and prawns (excl. shrimps and prawns of Chapter 03)	$6,342,098
Prepared or preserved shrimps and prawns, not in airtight containers (excl. shrimps and prawns of Chapter 03)	$6,262,196
Unfrozen shrimps and prawns (incl. prawn cutlets (fantails), prawn meat, etc), fresh, chilled, dried, salted or in brine, whether in shell or not, or in the shell and cooked by steaming or by boiling in water (excl. headless and whole)	$4,197,996
Dried, salted, in brine, or smoked shrimps and prawns (excl. frozen, live, fresh or chilled), whether in shell or not	$1,203,044
Unfrozen headless shrimps and prawns, fresh, chilled, dried, salted or in brine, whether in shell or not, or in the shell and cooked by steaming or by boiling in water	$876,981
Unfrozen shrimps and prawns (excl. cold-water shrimps and prawns), whether in shell or not, live, fresh, chilled, dried, salted, in brine or smoked, or cooked in shell by steaming or by boiling in water	$617,157
Live, fresh or chilled shrimps and prawns (excl. cold-water shrimps and prawns), whether in shell or not	$43,997
Unfrozen cold-water shrimps and prawns (Pandalus spp., Crangon crangon), whether in shell or not, live, fresh, chilled, dried, salted, in brine or smoked, or cooked in shell by steaming or by boiling in water	$2,196
Live, fresh or chilled cold-water shrimps and prawns (Pandalus spp., Crangon crangon), whether in shell or not	$1,584

Value of Exports - Commodity Breakdown

Country	Value
Japan	$1,045,776,337
Hong Kong	$351,819,984
China	$242,911,488
Vietnam	$231,213,079
Spain	$160,002,966
Thailand	$91,469,635
Malaysia	$66,380,528
New Zealand	$62,192,196
Taiwan	$59,468,280
Greece	$57,728,095
United States of America	$25,715,766
Indonesia	$20,999,195

Leading Export Destinations - Value

State	Value
QLD	$1,525,879,265
WA	$428,462,261
Foreign (re-export)	$259,961,911
SA	$184,415,587
NSW	$97,549,784
TAS	$9,137,250
NT	$7,849,993
VIC	$5,109,806

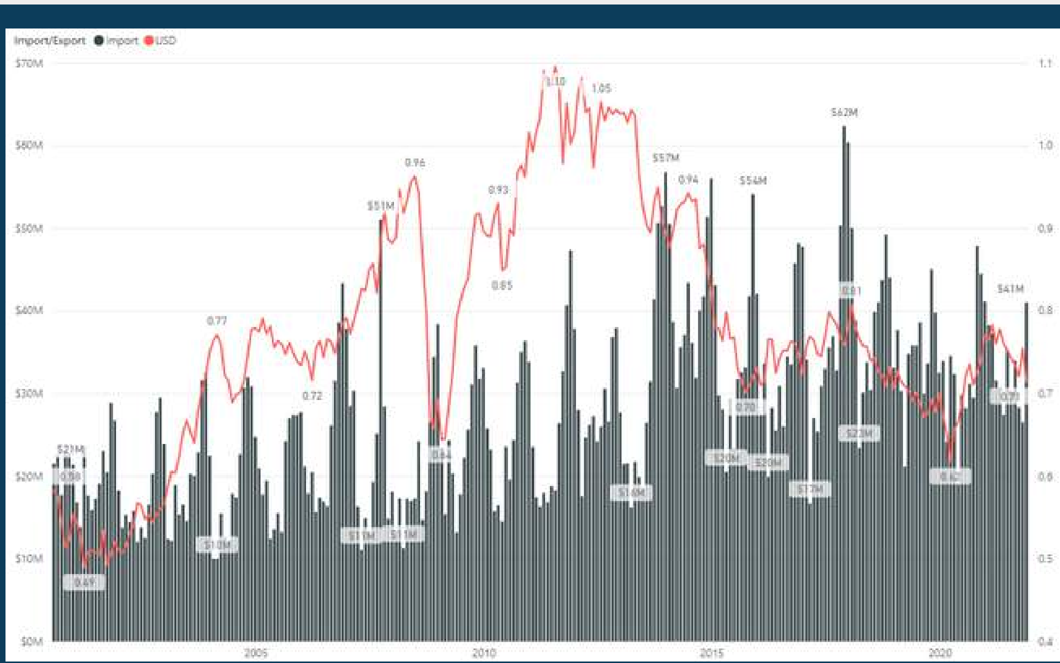
Export Value by State

Source: FRDC, 2021

FRDC - Trade Data

Prawn Imports - Value

AUS - Trade Data - Species: Prawn (Imports):



Value of Imports - Prawn

Commodity Description	Value
Frozen, farmed shrimps and prawns (excl. cold-water shrimps and prawns), uncooked, whether in shell or not	$1,233,470,981
Prepared or preserved shrimps and prawns, not in airtight containers (excl. shrimps and prawns of Chapter 03)	$969,778,414
Prepared or preserved shrimps and prawns (excl. shrimps and prawns packed in air-tight cans, bottles, jars or similar containers and shrimps and prawns of Chapter 03)	$925,602,958
Frozen, farmed shrimps and prawns, uncooked, whether in shell or not	$872,364,896
Frozen shrimps and prawns (excl. cold-water shrimps and prawns), in shell, cooked by steaming or by boiling in water	$834,180,459
Frozen shrimps and prawns, uncooked, whether in shell or not (excl. farmed shrimps and prawns)	$634,398,941
Prepared or preserved shrimps and prawns, in airtight containers (excl. shrimps and prawns of Chapter 03)	$622,306,836
Frozen shrimps and prawns, in shell, with head and tail on, cooked by steaming or by boiling in water (excl. those of HS 16052000)	$452,061,228
Frozen shrimps and prawns (excl. cold-water shrimps and prawns and farmed shrimps and prawns), uncooked, whether in shell or not	$351,356,655
Frozen shrimps and prawns (uncooked), whether in shell or not; Frozen shrimps and prawns, in shell, cooked by steaming or by boiling in water	$98,121,650
Frozen cold-water shrimps and prawns (Pandalus spp., Crangon crangon), whether in shell or not, raw, dried, salted, in brine or smoked, or cooked in shell by steaming or boiling in water	$61,740,086
Prepared or preserved shrimps and prawns, packed in air-tight cans, bottles, jars or similar containers (excl. shrimps and prawns of Chapter 03)	$31,979,974
Unfrozen, uncooked shrimps and prawns, live, fresh, chilled, dried, salted or in brine, whether in shell or not (excl. farmed shrimps and prawns)	$17,712,323
Dried, salted, in brine, or smoked shrimps and prawns (excluding frozen, live, f	$7,897,572
Unfrozen shrimps and prawns (excl. cold-water shrimps and prawns), whether in shell or not, live, fresh, chilled, dried, salted, in brine or smoked, or cooked in shell by steaming or by boiling in water	$6,815,586
Unfrozen shrimps and prawns, in shell, with head and tail on, cooked by steaming or by boiling in water (excl. those of HS 16052000)	$4,341,867
Live, fresh or chilled shrimps and prawns (excluding cold-water shrimps and praw	$1,123,110
Unfrozen, uncooked, farmed shrimps and prawns, live, fresh, chilled, dried, salted or in brine, whether in shell or not	$1,088,667
Shrimps and prawns, whether in shell or not, live, dried, salted or in bri ne; shrimps and prawns in shell, cooked by steaming or boiling in water, dried, salted or in brine	$1,013,908
Unfrozen cold-water shrimps and prawns (Pandalus spp., Crangon crangon), whether in shell or not, live, fresh, chilled, dried, salted, in brine or smoked, or cooked in shell by steaming or by boiling in water	$40,988
Shrimps and prawns, fresh or chilled, whether in shell or not	$1,249

Value of Imports - Commodity Breakdown

Country	Value
Vietnam	$2,287,378,105
Thailand	$1,907,685,434
China	$1,599,787,470
Malaysia	$554,587,231
India	$274,802,507
Indonesia	$238,243,856
Myanmar	$74,494,311
Australia (Re-Imports)	$33,786,667
New Caledonia	$21,806,543
Singapore	$16,942,844
Taiwan	$14,837,398
Brunei Darussalam	$12,981,205

Leading Import Sources - Value

State	Value
NSW	$2,926,327,217
VIC	$2,353,747,827
QLD	$931,559,374
WA	$600,775,906
SA	$301,072,724
NT	$11,823,749
TAS	$2,091,551

Import Value by State

Source: FRDC, 2021

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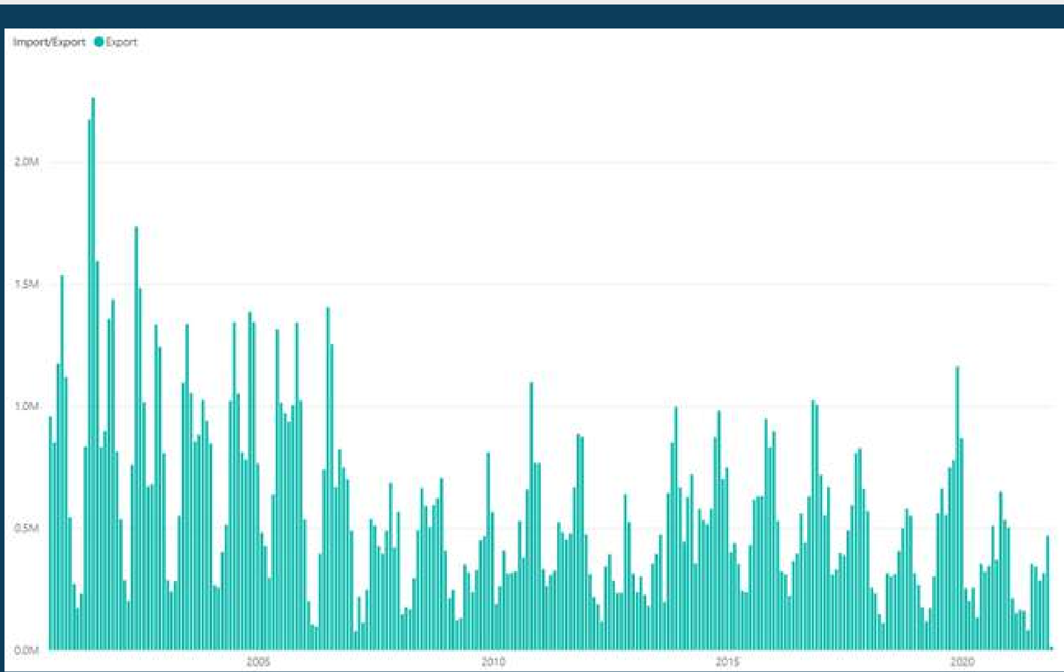
Prawn Exports - Volume

AUS - Trade Data - Species: Prawn (Exports):



Volume of Exports - Prawn

Commodity Description	Quantity
Frozen whole shrimps and prawns, whether in shell or not, raw, dried, salted or in brine, or cooked in shell by steaming or boiling in water	81,957,270
Frozen shrimps and prawns (excl. cold-water shrimps and prawns), whether in shell or not, raw, dried, salted, in brine or smoked, or cooked in shell by steaming or boiling in water	49,986,041
Frozen headless shrimps and prawns, whether in shell or not, raw, dried, salted or in brine, or cooked in shell by steaming or boiling in water	5,315,128
Frozen shrimps and prawns (incl. prawn cutlets (fantails), prawn meat, etc), whether in shell or not, raw, dried, salted or in brine, or cooked in shell by steaming or boiling in water (excl. headless and whole shrimps and prawns)	3,721,106
Frozen cold-water shrimps and prawns (Pandalus spp., Crangon crangon), whether in shell or not, raw, dried, salted, in brine or smoked, or cooked in shell by steaming or boiling in water	2,729,981
Unfrozen whole shrimps and prawns, live, fresh, chilled, dried, salted or in brine, whether in shell or not, or in the shell and cooked by steaming or by boiling in water	1,138,878
Prepared or preserved shrimps and prawns, in airtight containers (excl. shrimps and prawns of Chapter 03)	743,826
Prepared or preserved shrimps and prawns (excl. shrimps and prawns of Chapter 03)	719,083
Prepared or preserved shrimps and prawns, not in airtight containers (excl. shrimps and prawns of Chapter 03)	453,498
Unfrozen shrimps and prawns (incl. prawn cutlets (fantails), prawn meat, etc), fresh, chilled, dried, salted or in brine, whether in shell or not, or in the shell and cooked by steaming or by boiling in water (excl. headless and whole)	121,560
Dried, salted, in brine, or smoked shrimps and prawns (excl. frozen, live, fresh or chilled), whether in shell or not	73,387
Unfrozen shrimps and prawns (excl. cold-water shrimps and prawns), whether in shell or not, live, fresh, chilled, dried, salted, in brine or smoked, or cooked in shell by steaming or by boiling in water	52,679
Unfrozen headless shrimps and prawns, fresh, chilled, dried, salted or in brine, whether in shell or not, or in the shell and cooked by steaming or by boiling in water	44,018
Live, fresh or chilled shrimps and prawns (excl. cold-water shrimps and prawns), whether in shell or not	2,083
Unfrozen cold-water shrimps and prawns (Pandalus spp., Crangon crangon), whether in shell or not, live, fresh, chilled, dried, salted, in brine or smoked, or cooked in shell by steaming or by boiling in water	308
Live, fresh or chilled cold-water shrimps and prawns (Pandalus spp., Crangon crangon), whether in shell or not	35

Volume of Exports - Commodity Breakdown

Country	Quantity
Japan	45,050,021
Hong Kong	20,518,282
China	18,369,661
Vietnam	17,999,935
Spain	11,321,578
Thailand	8,157,429
Malaysia	5,730,297
New Zealand	4,475,096
Greece	3,331,432
Taiwan	2,532,449
Indonesia	2,306,509
Singapore	1,143,273

Leading Export Destinations - Volume

State	Quantity
QLD	82,651,397
WA	26,016,360
Foreign (re-export)	20,510,043
SA	9,126,404
NSW	7,301,913
NT	533,212
VIC	491,417
TAS	428,135

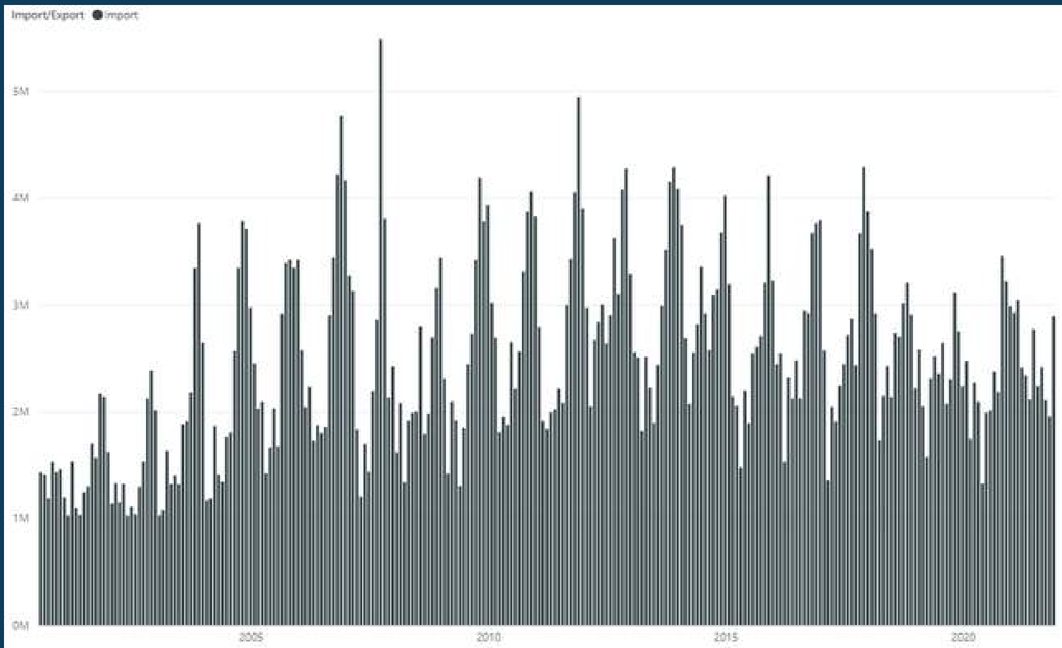
Export Volume by State

Source: FRDC, 2021

FRDC - Trade Data

Prawn Imports - Volume

AUS - Trade Data - Species: Prawn (Imports):



Volume of Imports - Prawn

Commodity Description	Quantity
Prepared or preserved shrimps and prawns (excl. shrimps and prawns packed in air-tight cans, bottles, jars or similar containers and shrimps and prawns of Chapter 03)	105,358,067
Frozen, farmed shrimps and prawns (excl. cold-water shrimps and prawns), uncooked, whether in shell or not	90,650,343
Frozen, farmed shrimps and prawns, uncooked, whether in shell or not	80,166,882
Prepared or preserved shrimps and prawns, not in airtight containers (excl. shrimps and prawns of Chapter 03)	80,115,144
Frozen shrimps and prawns (excl. cold-water shrimps and prawns), in shell, cooked by steaming or by boiling in water	64,841,233
Frozen shrimps and prawns, uncooked, whether in shell or not (excl. farmed shrimps and prawns)	59,252,161
Frozen shrimps and prawns, in shell, with head and tail on, cooked by steaming or by boiling in water (excl. those of HS 16052000)	57,492,933
Prepared or preserved shrimps and prawns, in airtight containers (excl. shrimps and prawns of Chapter 03)	56,115,879
Frozen shrimps and prawns (excl. cold-water shrimps and prawns and farmed shrimps and prawns), uncooked, whether in shell or not	24,002,773
Frozen shrimps and prawns (uncooked), whether in shell or not; Frozen shrimps and prawns, in shell, cooked by steaming or by boiling in water	5,711,730
Prepared or preserved shrimps and prawns, packed in air-tight cans, bottles, jars or similar containers (excl. shrimps and prawns of Chapter 03)	5,064,753
Frozen cold-water shrimps and prawns (Pandalus spp., Crangon crangon), whether in shell or not, raw, dried, salted, in brine or smoked, or cooked in shell by steaming or boiling in water	4,297,748
Unfrozen, uncooked shrimps and prawns, live, fresh, chilled, dried, salted or in brine, whether in shell or not (excl. farmed shrimps and prawns)	1,309,707
Dried, salted, in brine, or smoked shrimps and prawns (excluding frozen, live, f	469,056
Unfrozen shrimps and prawns, in shell, with head and tail on, cooked by steaming or by boiling in water (excl. those of HS 16052000)	382,397
Unfrozen shrimps and prawns (excl. cold-water shrimps and prawns), whether in shell or not, live, fresh, chilled, dried, salted, in brine or smoked, or cooked in shell by steaming or by boiling in water	333,565
Unfrozen, uncooked, farmed shrimps and prawns, live, fresh, chilled, dried, salted or in brine, whether in shell or not	93,483
Live, fresh or chilled shrimps and prawns (excluding cold-water shrimps and praw	68,290
Shrimps and prawns, whether in shell or not, live, dried, salted or in bri ne; shrimps and prawns in shell, cooked by steaming or boiling in water, dried, salted or in brine	65,458
Unfrozen cold-water shrimps and prawns (Pandalus spp., Crangon crangon), whether in shell or not, live, fresh, chilled, dried, salted, in brine or smoked, or cooked in shell by steaming or by boiling in water	2,445
Shrimps and prawns, fresh or chilled, whether in shell or not	198

Volume of Imports - Commodity Breakdown

Country	Quantity
Vietnam	183,395,346
Thailand	179,039,954
China	155,807,251
Malaysia	50,720,412
Indonesia	22,017,905
India	21,199,669
Myanmar	7,431,431
Australia (Re-Imports)	2,236,092
Singapore	1,585,738
New Caledonia	1,542,713
Saudi Arabia	1,533,016
Taiwan	1,362,531

Leading Import Sources - Volume

State	Quantity
NSW	257,920,771
VIC	207,984,731
QLD	88,052,730
WA	55,014,330
SA	25,545,828
NT	1,075,625
TAS	200,230

Import Volume by State

Source: FRDC, 2021

FRDC - Trade Data Sourced from FAO

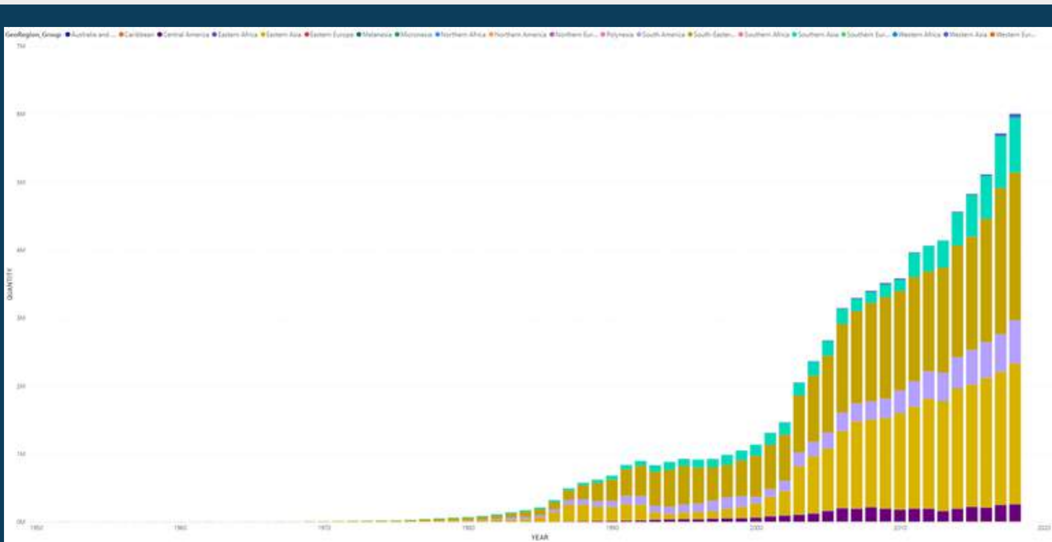
Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) Capture Production Quantity - Shrimps, Prawns

ISSCAAP Group: Shrimps, Prawns

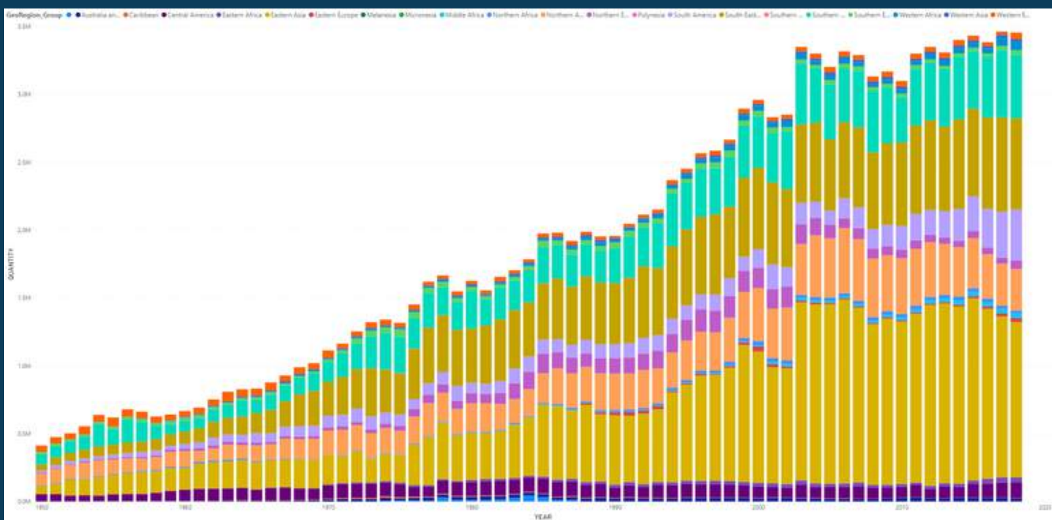
Production

Country Name En	Unit Name	2019
Australia	Tonnes - live weight	19 489
China, Hong Kong SAR	Tonnes - live weight	3 625 E

Production Volume by ISSCAAP (International Standard Statistical Classification of Aquatic Animals and Plants) Group - FAO



Production Volume by GeoRegion - Aquaculture Production - FRDC



Production Volume by GeoRegion - Wild Catch Production - FRDC

Source: FAO, FRDC, 2021

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