

Schedule for issuing press releases on statistical data

Following is a reminder of the press releases on statistical data to be issued between June and September 2020. The schedule for issuing press releases on statistical data in 2020 was provided to the media in September 2019. No change has been made to the original schedule.

June 2020

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Date	Press Release
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1	Retail sales statistics for April 2020
4	Statistics on vessels, port cargo and containers for first quarter 2020
9	Quarterly business receipts indices for service industries for first quarter 2020
11	Construction output statistics for first quarter 2020
11	Statistics on trade involving outward processing in the mainland of China for first quarter 2020
12	Index of industrial production and producer price index for industrial sector for first quarter 2020
15	Gross National Income and external primary income flows for first quarter 2020
16	Unemployment and underemployment statistics for March – May 2020
18	Volume and price statistics of external merchandise trade for April 2020
18	Chain volume measures of Gross Domestic Product by economic activity for first quarter 2020
22	Employment and vacancies statistics for March 2020
22	Balance of Payments and International Investment Position statistics for first quarter 2020

22	Consumer Price Index for May 2020
29	External merchandise trade statistics for May 2020
29	Wage and payroll statistics for March 2020
30	Retail sales statistics for May 2020

July 2020

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Date	Press Release
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16	Volume and price statistics of external merchandise trade for May 2020
17	Business expectations for third quarter 2020
20	Unemployment and underemployment statistics for April – June 2020
21	Consumer Price Index for June 2020
27	External merchandise trade statistics for June 2020
29	Advance estimates on Gross Domestic Product for second quarter 2020 (Note)
30	Retail sales statistics for June 2020

August 2020

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Date	Press Release
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3	Restaurant receipts and purchases statistics for second quarter 2020
13	Volume and price statistics of external merchandise trade for June 2020
13	Mid-year population for 2020
14	Revised figures on Gross Domestic Product for second quarter 2020 (Note)

19 Unemployment and underemployment statistics for May – July 2020

20 Consumer Price Index for July 2020

26 External merchandise trade statistics for July 2020

September 2020

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Date	Press Release
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1	Retail sales statistics for July 2020
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3	Statistics on vessels, port cargo and containers for second quarter 2020
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10	Quarterly business receipts indices for service industries for second quarter 2020
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10	Statistics on trade involving outward processing in the mainland of China for second quarter 2020
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11	Construction output statistics for second quarter 2020
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14	Index of industrial production and producer price index for industrial sector for second quarter 2020
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15	Gross National Income and external primary income flows for second quarter 2020
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17	Volume and price statistics of external merchandise trade for July 2020
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17	Unemployment and underemployment statistics for June – August 2020
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21	Employment and vacancies statistics for June 2020
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21	Chain volume measures of Gross Domestic Product by economic activity for second quarter 2020
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21	Consumer Price Index for August 2020
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22	Balance of Payments and International Investment Position statistics for second quarter 2020
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- 24 External merchandise trade statistics for August 2020
- 25 Wage and payroll statistics for June 2020
- 30 Retail sales statistics for August 2020

Note: The Census and Statistics Department (C&SD) will issue press releases on quarterly advance estimates on Gross Domestic Product (GDP). The C&SD will compile and release revised figures on GDP in the "Gross Domestic Product (Quarterly) Report" when more data become available. The revised GDP figures for the second quarter of 2020 will be included in the press release and the "Half-yearly Economic Report 2020" to be issued by the Office of the Government Economist under the Financial Secretary's Office on the economic situation in the second quarter of 2020 and second update of GDP and prices forecasts for 2020. No separate press release will be issued by the C&SD in respect of the revised GDP figures.

The schedule for regular press releases in the other months of 2020 can be downloaded from the website of the Census and Statistics Department (www.censtatd.gov.hk/press_release/index.jsp).