

Table 1 : Total value of restaurant purchases and value index and value of restaurant receipts by type of restaurant for 4th quarter 2008 and 1st quarter 2009

| | Q4 2008 (Revised figure) | Q1 2009 (Provisional figure) |
|---|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Total purchases by restaurants (HK\$ million) | 7,219 | 6,949 |

| Type of restaurant | Value index of restaurant receipts (Points) (Average of quarterly indices of Oct. 2004 - Sep. 2005 = 100) | | Value of restaurant receipts (HK\$ million) | | Percentage change (%) | |
|----------------------------------|--|--------------|---|---------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| | Q4 2008 | Q1 2009* | Q4 2008 | Q1 2009* | Q4 2008 over Q4 2007 | Q1 2009* over Q1 2008 |
| (A) <u>All restaurants</u> | 147.1 | 143.2 | 20,427 | 19,880 | +8.2 | +1.5 |
| (B) <u>By type of restaurant</u> | | | | | | |
| Chinese restaurants | 154.9 | 143.1 | 10,202 | 9,425 | +10.1 | +2.0 |
| Non-Chinese restaurants | 148.8 | 153.3 | 5,563 | 5,733 | +6.2 | +0.5 |
| Fast food shops | 131.8 | 133.4 | 3,284 | 3,324 | +9.3 | +2.4 |
| Bars | 132.6 | 124.7 | 340 | 320 | +4.1 | +0.6 |
| Other eating and drinking places | 128.2 | 133.2 | 1,038 | 1,079 | -0.4 | -0.7 |

Notes : * Provisional figures.

- (1) The sum of individual items and the total shown might not exactly tally because of rounding.
- (2) All the restaurant receipts and purchases statistics, unless otherwise specified, are compiled based on the HSIC Version 2.0.

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**Table 2 : Volume index of restaurant receipts by type of restaurant
for 4th quarter 2008 and 1st quarter 2009**

| Type of restaurant | Volume index of restaurant receipts (Points) (Average of quarterly indices of Oct. 2004 - Sep. 2005 = 100) | | Percentage change (%) | |
|----------------------------------|--|--------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| | Q4 2008 | Q1 2009* | Q4 2008 over Q4 2007 | Q1 2009* over Q1 2008 |
| (A) <u>All restaurants</u> | 131.7 | 127.9 | +2.4 | -1.8 |
| (B) <u>By type of restaurant</u> | | | | |
| Chinese restaurants | 137.7 | 126.6 | +4.1 | -1.3 |
| Non-Chinese restaurants | 135.0 | 139.4 | +1.0 | -2.2 |
| Fast food shops | 117.6 | 118.7 | +3.3 | -1.5 |
| Bars | 117.4 | 110.2 | -0.4 | -2.6 |
| Other eating and drinking places | 116.0 | 119.7 | -6.3 | -4.1 |

Notes : * Provisional figures.

- (1) All the restaurant receipts statistics, unless otherwise specified, are compiled based on the HSIC Version 2.0.

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**Table 3 : Movement of the volume of total restaurant receipts,
2nd quarter 2007 to 1st quarter 2009**

| Year / Quarter | | Original Series : year-on-year rate of change ⁽¹⁾ (%) | Seasonally Adjusted Series ⁽³⁾ : quarter-to-quarter rate of change ⁽²⁾ (%) |
|----------------|-----|--|--|
| 2007 | Q2 | +9.4 | +2.3 |
| | Q3 | +12.4 | +2.3 |
| | Q4 | +10.7 | +3.3 |
| 2008 | Q1 | +10.0 | +1.7 |
| | Q2 | +8.8 | +1.2 |
| | Q3 | +6.4 | +0.2 |
| | Q4 | +2.4 | -0.5 |
| 2009 | Q1* | -1.8 | -2.6 |

Notes : * Provisional figures.

- (1) Figures refer to percentage changes over the same quarter in the preceding year.
- (2) Figures refer to percentage changes over the preceding quarter.
- (3) Seasonal adjustment of the volume index of total restaurant receipts is performed using the X-12 ARIMA method, which has now been a standard method used by statistical offices for performing seasonal adjustment of statistical series in many countries/territories.

Seasonally adjusted series may be revised as more data become available. For the volume index of total restaurant receipts, its seasonally adjusted series for the preceding three years is revised each year when the figures for the first quarter become available.
- (4) All the restaurant receipts statistics, unless otherwise specified, are compiled based on the HSIC Version 2.0.

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