



Stranding Cases in August

Date (D/M)	August 4
Species	Finless porpoise
Sex	To be confirmed
Length (cm)	180
Estimated Age	Adult
Location	Lo Tik Wan, Lamma Island
Stranding/Carcass Status	Code 4- severely decomposed
Initial Findings	Emptied stomach No entanglement seen
Cause of Death	Undetermined
Photo	 A photograph showing a severely decomposed finless porpoise carcass lying on a rocky shore. The animal's body is dark and mottled, with some lighter, possibly decomposed areas. It is positioned among large, grey rocks. The background shows more rocks and some greenery, suggesting a natural, outdoor setting.

Date (D/M)	August 5
Species	Finless porpoise
Sex	To be confirmed
Length (cm)	125
Estimated Age	Juvenile
Location	Ham Tin Wan, Sai Kung
Stranding/Carcass Status	Code 4- severely decomposed
Initial Findings	Emptied stomach Relatively thick stomach wall
Cause of Death	Undetermined
Photo	 A photograph showing a severely decomposed finless porpoise carcass lying on a stainless steel surface. The carcass is elongated and appears to be in an advanced stage of decomposition, with a yellowish-brown color and some dark, possibly necrotic areas. The background shows a white wall with some pipes.

Date (D/M)	August 17
Species	Chinese white dolphin
Sex	To be confirmed
Length (cm)	230
Estimated Age	Adult
Location	Soko Islands, Lantau
Stranding/Carcass Status	Code 4- severely decomposed
Initial Findings	Suspected swollen wound found near fluke. Large amount of bloody fluid found in thoracic cavity. Almost emptied stomach, with very few digested fish bones in fore stomach.
Cause of Death	Undetermined
Photo	