



## Stranding Cases in September 2015

<b>Date (D/M)</b>	September 19
<b>Species</b>	Chinese white dolphin
<b>Sex</b>	Female
<b>Length (cm)</b>	167
<b>Estimated Age</b>	Juvenile
<b>Location</b>	Coastal water of South Ninepin Island, Sai Kung
<b>Stranding/Carcass Status</b>	Code 4- severely decomposed
<b>Initial Findings</b>	Fishing nettings found in fore stomach Sharp caudal wound, with marine debris attached to wound Fluke missing
<b>Cause of Death</b>	Undetermined
<b>Photo</b>	

<b>Date (D/M)</b>	September 25
<b>Species</b>	Chinese white dolphin
<b>Sex</b>	Female
<b>Length (cm)</b>	109
<b>Estimated Age</b>	Calf
<b>Location</b>	Beach near Tai O Heritage Hotel
<b>Stranding/Carcass Status</b>	Code 4- severely decomposed
<b>Initial Findings</b>	No evidence of external cut or entanglement Empty stomach (no solids) Dislocated shoulder joints on both flippers shown on CT image
<b>Cause of Death</b>	Undetermined
<b>Photo</b>	 A photograph showing a severely decomposed Chinese white dolphin carcass lying on a metal surface. The animal's body is pale and discolored, with visible signs of decay. The head is on the left, and the tail is on the right. The background is a plain, light-colored wall.