

TELECOMMUNICATIONS (thousands)	Dec 00	Dec 01
Telephone, facsimile & datel lines	3 946	3 926
Public mobile radio-telephone subscriber units ^r	5 234	5 702
Public radio paging receivers	328	253
Internet customer accounts with dial-up access ^{s,t}	2 283	2 018
Broadband internet access ^t customer accounts	392	623

(Traffic Volume in thousand minutes)	2000	2001
Outward external telephone traffic volume	3 074 885	3 487 291
Customer access via public switched telephone networks ^u	14 988 592	11 055 810
Customer access via broadband networks ^{tv}	2 909	73 607

TOURISM	2000	2001
Total visitor arrivals from China (thousands) ^w	3 786	4 449
Total visitor arrivals from overseas excluding China (thousands) ^w	9 274	9 277
Total tourism receipts (HK\$ million)	59,283	62,210

Hong Kong residents travelling to China & Macao (thousands)	54 290	56 297
Hong Kong residents travelling overseas excluding China & Macao (thousands)	4 611	4 799

Number of hotels ^x	92	90
Number of hotel rooms ^x	36 438	35 999
Hotel room occupancy rate ^y (%)	83%	79%

Notes

- GDP at current prices
- Figures have been revised as a result of the major revision to GDP introduced in August 2002. For details, please refer to the "Special Report on Gross Domestic Product"
- Figures for 2001 were slightly revised to take into account the revision made to the population and population related figures upon availability of the final end 2001 population estimates in August 2002
- Total public expenditure on fiscal year basis; total expenditure on GDP on calendar year basis
- Figures are subject to revision later on as more data become available
- Including agriculture and fishing, mining and quarrying
- Figures based on a set of composite employment estimates derived from data collected in the General Household Survey and the Quarterly Survey of Employment and Vacancies. The yearly figures refer to the averages of the four quarterly estimates of the year
- The Composite CPI covers about 90% of households in Hong Kong with a monthly household expenditure of HK\$4,500-65,999 per month in the base period (1999/2000), and its year-on-year rate of change is often taken as a measure of general inflation
- Estimates based on WTO's incomplete data
- Including adjustment for financial intermediation services indirectly measured
- Including electricity, gas and water
- Including wholesale, retail and import/export trades
- Including restaurants and hotels
- Figures on the number of persons engaged exclude individual operators such as taxi, public light buses and goods vehicles for land transport services; barges/lighter and stevedoring services providers for maritime transport services; retail pitches and hawkers for wholesale and retail services
- Figures on number of establishments and persons engaged refer to information technology related services companies only
- Figure refers to the last trading day closing indices as at end of December
- Excluding Growth Enterprise Market
- Including pre-paid SIM cards
- Figures excludes pre-paid call cards and lease line access. Registered customer accounts refer to the customer accounts of ISPs (including those free-of-charge customer accounts). For a registered customer account which has more than one user login ID, it is counted as one registered customer account only. Figures do not include customer accounts which are provided with e-mail addresses only
- Broadband Internet access refers to services with downloading speed of 1 Mbps or above using cable modem, ATM (asynchronous transfer mode), ADSL (asymmetric digital subscriber line), DSL (digital subscriber line) or other technologies
- Figures do not include customer access via leased circuits
- Figure was first available in November 2000
- Figures include arrivals of non-Macao residents via Macao, transients and seamen
- Figures refer to member hotels and member hostels/guest houses of the previous Hong Kong Tourist Association (HKTA). In particular, the figures do not include those guest houses, which are not members of the previous HKTA, located in general purpose high-rise buildings with major clientele being budget tourists or local people
- Individual figures may not add up exactly to the total owing to rounding



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Services Sector in Hong Kong



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General Economic Data

GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT ^{a,b}	1999	2000 ^e	2001 ^e
Expenditure-based GDP (HK\$ billion)	1,246.1	1,288.3	1,279.0
Per capita GDP ^c (HK\$ thousand)	188.6	193.3	190.2

Total public expenditure (HK\$ billion)	269.5	267.5	273.2
as % of GDP ^d	21.6%	20.8%	21.4%

PERCENTAGE CONTRIBUTION TO GDP ^{a,b}	1980	1990	2000 ^e
Primary industries ^f	1.0	0.3	0.1
Manufacturing	23.6	17.5	5.8
Utilities & construction	8.2	7.9	8.4
Service industries ^g	67.3	74.4	85.7

Total	100.0 [*]	100.0 [*]	100.0
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POPULATION AND EMPLOYMENT	1981	1991	2001
Population at end of year (thousands) ^c	5 239	5 815	6 759
Total labour force (thousands) ^c	2 489	2 804	3 427

Sectoral Employment (%) ^g			
Primary industries & manufacturing		25.5%	6.9%
Utilities & construction		8.3%	9.6%
Service industries		66.2%	83.5%

PRICES AND INFLATION	2000	2001	2002
Year-on-year rate of change:	Average	Average	June
Composite Consumer Price Index ^h	-3.8%	-1.6%	-3.3%

World Trade in Commercial Services 2001 ⁱ Leading World and Asian Countries

Rank	Exporters	% Share	Rank	Importers	% Share
1	United States	18.27	1	United States	13.11
2	United Kingdom	7.53	2	Germany	8.98
3	Germany	5.54	3	Japan	7.45
4	France	5.49	4	United Kingdom	6.18
5	Japan	4.40	5	France	4.19
6	Italy	4.13	6	Italy	4.09
9	Hong Kong, China	2.99	10	China	2.55
12	China	2.15	12	Korea, Rep. of	2.28
14	Korea, Rep. of	1.97	15	India	1.66
15	Singapore	1.83	16	Taiwan	1.65
19	Taiwan	1.45	17	Hong Kong, China	1.60
20	India	1.39	20	Singapore	1.40
26	Malaysia	0.95	24	Malaysia	1.14
27	Thailand	0.89	25	Thailand	1.11

Contribution to GDP at Factor Cost ^j and Gross Output and Percentage of Value Added ^k

	Contribution to GDP (%)		Gross Output (HK\$ million)		Value Added (% Gross Output)	
	1990	2000 ^e	1990	2000 ^e	1990	2000 ^e
1. Primary industries ^l	0.3	0.1	4,274	3,502	38.4	33.2
2. Manufacturing	17.5	5.8	342,064	230,262	28.8	31.1
3. Utilities ^k	2.5	3.2	19,489	47,193	72.4	82.3
4. Construction	5.4	5.2	61,285	124,208	49.3	51.5
5. Distributive trades ^l	20.5	23.3	251,683	495,969	46.0	57.7
6. Catering trades ^m	4.5	3.1	40,303	66,460	63.3	58.1
7. Transport & related services	7.2	7.9	85,556	196,747	47.5	49.3
8. Storage & communications	2.2	2.3	20,964	67,011	60.0	43.0
9. Financing	6.4	11.5	57,010	202,353	62.9	70.0
10. Insurance services	0.8	1.2	6,981	21,581	66.6	67.7
11. Real estate	9.6	6.3	64,556	106,384	83.8	73.0
12. Business services	3.6	4.7	32,679	92,849	61.5	61.6
13. Government services	5.5	7.8	45,274	129,025	69.0	74.6
14. Services provided by private non-profit institution	3.1	4.1	29,777	74,366	63.1	68.0
15. Personal services provided by commercial establishments	5.8	8.6	62,178	201,968	52.2	52.3
16. Ownership of premises	10.5	12.6	62,375	163,477	95.0	95.0
17. Adjustment for financial intermediation services indirectly measured	-5.5	-7.8	-	-	-	-
All economic activities	100.0 [*]	100.0 [*]	1,184,650 [*]	2,223,353 [*]	47.6	55.3

Composition of Imports and Exports of Goods and Services ^b (at current market prices)

OVERALL TRADE (HK\$ million)	1999	2000 ^e	2001 ^e
Goods			
Exports of goods (f.o.b.)	1,349,000	1,572,689	1,480,987
Domestic exports	170,600	180,967	153,520
Re-exports	1,178,400	1,391,722	1,327,467
Imports of goods (f.o.b.)	1,373,500	1,636,711	1,549,222
Services			
Exports of services (as % of total exports)	279,167 (17.15%)	317,580 (16.80%)	323,087 (17.91%)
Imports of services (as % of total imports)	184,052 (11.82%)	191,543 (10.48%)	189,619 (10.90%)
Trade Balance (exports less imports)			
Goods	-24,500	-64,022	-68,235
Services	95,115	126,037	133,468
Total trade	70,615	62,015	65,233
TRADE IN SERVICES (HK\$ million)	Exports of Services	Imports of Services	
	2000 ^e	2001 ^e	2000 ^e
1 Transportation	99,513	101,815	48,628
2 Travel	61,786	64,594	97,402
3 Insurance services	3,452	3,942	4,111
4 Financial services	20,859	19,739	5,536
5 Trade-related services	97,616	99,323	11,170
6 Other services	34,355	33,674	24,695

Percentage Employment ^g by Industry

INDUSTRY SECTOR	1991	2001
Primary & manufacturing	25.5	6.9
Utilities & construction	8.3	9.6
Wholesale, retail & I & E trades, restaurants & hotels	30.5	32.2
Transport, storage & communication	9.4	11.1
Financial, insurance, real estate & business services	7.9	15.0
Community, social & personal services	18.4	25.1
All industry sectors	100.0	100.0 [*]

Leading Service Industries

SERVICE INDUSTRIES	Number of establishments		Number of persons engaged		Business receipts index (1996=100)	
	Dec 00	Dec 01	Dec 00	Dec 01	2000	2001
Air transport services	834	823	32 919	34 044	153.6	136.0
Banking services	1 837	1 798	77 000	76 335	104.8	107.6
Films entertainment services	1 112	1 130	5 535	6 101	106.1	122.3
Financial markets & fund management services	2 464	2 523	30 156	30 201	132.9	106.4
Import & export trade services	104 455	100 438	523 639	506 383	87.3	75.0
Insurance services	6 934	7 174	24 871	26 644	136.3	155.7
Land transport services ⁿ	415	497	38 120	39 120	103.5	106.0
Maritime transport services ⁿ	5 304	5 386	44 134	46 166	111.1	122.7
Professional services	9 893	10 350	77 811	80 312	91.9	90.8
Real estate services	11 185	10 015	82 996	80 522	74.1	61.6
Telecommunications services	1 219	1 217	38 164	39 150	104.6	89.4
Wholesale & retail services ⁿ	73 029	74 480	288 444	290 506	80.4	77.3
SERVICE DOMAINS						
Computer & related services ^o	3 304	3 756	21 933	27 116	141.8	125.3
Tourism, convention & exhibition services					72.5	71.4

Selected Services Statistics

BANKING & FINANCE	Dec 00	Dec 01
No. of licensed banks	154	147
No. of restricted licence banks	48	49
No. of deposit-taking companies	61	54
Hong Kong dollar savings deposits rate (% per annum)	4.75	0.20
Hong Kong dollar best lending rate (% per annum)	9.50	5.17
Amount of foreign currency reserves (US\$ million)	107,583	111,174
Hang Seng Index (31.7.1964=100) ^p	15 095.53	11 397.21
Total no. of listed companies ^q (of which Chinese state-owned co.)	736 (47)	756 (50)
Total market capitalisation ^q (of which Chinese state-owned co.) in HK\$ billion	4,795.2 (85.1)	3,885.3 (99.8)
Ranking in the world in terms of market capitalisation ^q	11	10