

Figure 2.1

Road traffic accidents by region and severity (2000 - 2010)

Region / Severity	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Hong Kong Island											
Fatal	32	23	23	16	25	35	23	18	19	30	19
Serious	628	684	635	542	544	480	483	462	436	378	433
Slight	2 386	2 456	2 384	2 367	2 473	2 525	2 559	2 743	2 700	2 469	2 544
<i>Sub-total</i>	<i>3 046</i>	<i>3 163</i>	<i>3 042</i>	<i>2 925</i>	<i>3 042</i>	<i>3 040</i>	<i>3 065</i>	<i>3 223</i>	<i>3 155</i>	<i>2 877</i>	<i>2 996</i>
Kowloon											
Fatal	61	62	46	73	61	45	45	52	56	38	40
Serious	889	1 017	932	890	726	754	672	715	584	520	538
Slight	4 608	4 763	4 729	4 206	4 531	4 777	4 605	4 655	4 288	4 246	4 462
<i>Sub-total</i>	<i>5 558</i>	<i>5 842</i>	<i>5 707</i>	<i>5 169</i>	<i>5 318</i>	<i>5 576</i>	<i>5 322</i>	<i>5 422</i>	<i>4 928</i>	<i>4 804</i>	<i>5 040</i>
New Territories											
Fatal	69	82	93	84	74	59	67	83	68	58	55
Serious	1 321	1 464	1 551	1 242	1 249	1 270	1 160	1 199	1 076	1 045	1 081
Slight	4 955	5 080	5 183	5 016	5 343	5 117	5 235	5 388	5 349	5 532	5 771
<i>Sub-total</i>	<i>6 345</i>	<i>6 626</i>	<i>6 827</i>	<i>6 342</i>	<i>6 666</i>	<i>6 446</i>	<i>6 462</i>	<i>6 670</i>	<i>6 493</i>	<i>6 635</i>	<i>6 907</i>
All regions											
Fatal	162	167	162	173	160	139	135	153	143	126	114
Serious	2 838	3 165	3 118	2 674	2 519	2 504	2 315	2 376	2 096	1 943	2 052
Slight	11 949	12 299	12 296	11 589	12 347	12 419	12 399	12 786	12 337	12 247	12 777
Total	14 949	15 631	15 576	14 436	15 026	15 062	14 849	15 315	14 576	14 316	14 943

Note : Before 2006, road traffic accident figures by region were compiled with reference to Police districts which are not commonly used in statistical compilation. Hence, all figures are recompiled with reference to District Council districts and the figures presented in the table are slightly different from those published in editions earlier than 2006.