

Figure 2.1

Road traffic accidents by region and severity (2002 - 2012)

Region / Severity	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011 <sup>#</sup>	2012 <sup>#</sup>
<b>Hong Kong Island</b>											
Fatal	23	16	25	35	23	18	19	30	19	23	21
Serious	635	542	544	480	483	462	436	378	433	393	402
Slight	2 384	2 367	2 473	2 525	2 559	2 743	2 700	2 469	2 544	2 615	2 551
<i>Sub-total</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>	<i>3 031</i>	<i>2 974</i>
<b>Kowloon</b>											
Fatal	46	73	61	45	45	52	56	38	40	48	46
Serious	932	890	726	754	672	715	584	520	538	613	600
Slight	4 729	4 206	4 531	4 777	4 605	4 655	4 288	4 246	4 462	4 520	4 471
<i>Sub-total</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>	<i>5 181</i>	<i>5 117</i>
<b>New Territories</b>											
Fatal	93	84	74	59	67	83	68	58	55	57	49
Serious	1 551	1 242	1 249	1 270	1 160	1 199	1 076	1 045	1 081	1 184	1 383
Slight	5 183	5 016	5 343	5 117	5 235	5 388	5 349	5 532	5 771	6 088	6 371
<i>Sub-total</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>	<i>7 329</i>	<i>7 803</i>
<b>All regions</b>											
Fatal	162	173	160	139	135	153	143	126	114	128	116
Serious	3 118	2 674	2 519	2 504	2 315	2 376	2 096	1 943	2 052	2 190	2 385
Slight	12 296	11 589	12 347	12 419	12 399	12 786	12 337	12 247	12 777	13 223	13 393
<b>Total</b>	<b>15 576</b>	<b>14 436</b>	<b>15 026</b>	<b>15 062</b>	<b>14 849</b>	<b>15 315</b>	<b>14 576</b>	<b>14 316</b>	<b>14 943</b>	<b>15 541</b>	<b>15 894</b>

Notes : 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.

# Revised figures.