

Summary of Key Statistics

	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Basic Road Traffic Statistics											
Total number of motor vehicles licensed (mid-year)	575 686	594 723	618 774	639 705	665 643	690 052	714 927	737 312	757 705	776 729	790 336
Number of private car licensed (mid-year)	385 675	402 490	424 758	443 442	464 595	486 168	509 207	528 849	545 753	560 158	570 239
Road length-carriageways (km)	2 050	2 076	2 086	2 090	2 093	2 099	2 101	2 107	2 112	2 123	2 127
Annual vehicle-kilometres (millions)	11 785	12 014	12 344	12 460	12 836	12 844	13 288	13 692	13 665	13 962	14 029
Estimated population (mid-year in thousands)	6 972.8	7 024.2	7 071.6	7 150.1	7 178.9	7 229.5	7 291.3	7 336.6	7 391.7	7 451.0	7 507.4
Licensed motor vehicle per 1 000 persons	82.6	84.7	87.5	89.5	92.7	95.4	98.1	100.5	102.5	104.2	105.3
Licensed private car per 1 000 persons	55.3	57.3	60.1	62.0	64.7	67.2	69.8	72.1	73.8	75.2	76.0
Number of motor vehicles per km of road	281	286	297	306	318	329	340	350	359	366	372
Road Traffic Casualty and Accident Statistics											
<i>Number of casualties</i>											
Killed	139	117	130	120	130	100	122	132	108	135	113
Seriously injured	2 096	2 160	2 326	2 521	2 630	2 615	2 703	2 492	2 214	1 840	1 996
Slightly injured	15 903	16 847	17 347	17 569	17 836	17 139	17 556	17 508	17 566	17 662	18 109
Total	18 138	19 124	19 803	20 210	20 596	19 854	20 381	20 132	19 888	19 637	20 218
<i>Number of accidents</i>											
Fatal	126	114	128	116	128	99	117	129	104	107	107
Serious	1 943	2 052	2 190	2 385	2 476	2 508	2 510	2 379	2 070	1 682	1 831
Slight	12 247	12 777	13 223	13 393	13 485	13 183	13 543	13 591	13 551	14 146	14 164
Total	14 316	14 943	15 541	15 894	16 089	15 790	16 170	16 099	15 725	15 935	16 102
<i>Casualty rate</i>											
per accident	1.27	1.28	1.27	1.27	1.28	1.26	1.26	1.25	1.26	1.23	1.26
per 1 000 population	2.60	2.72	2.80	2.83	2.87	2.75	2.80	2.74	2.69	2.64	2.69
per 1 000 licensed vehicles	31.5	32.2	32.0	31.6	30.9	28.8	28.5	27.3	26.2	25.3	25.6
<i>Fatality rate</i>											
per 1 000 casualties	7.66	6.12	6.56	5.94	6.31	5.04	5.99	6.56	5.43	6.87	5.59
per 1 000 accidents	9.71	7.83	8.36	7.55	8.08	6.33	7.54	8.20	6.87	8.47	7.02
per 1 000 000 population	19.9	16.7	18.4	16.8	18.1	13.8	16.7	18.0	14.6	18.1	15.1
per 1 000 total registered deaths in HK	3.39	2.74	3.08	2.75	3.00	2.19	2.61	2.83	2.35	2.84	2.32
<i>Accident rate</i>											
per 1 000 population	2.05	2.13	2.20	2.22	2.24	2.18	2.22	2.19	2.13	2.14	2.14
per 1 000 licensed vehicles	24.9	25.1	25.1	24.8	24.2	22.9	22.6	21.8	20.8	20.5	20.4
per kilometre of road	6.98	7.20	7.45	7.60	7.69	7.52	7.70	7.64	7.45	7.51	7.57
per million vehicle-kilometres	1.21	1.24	1.26	1.28	1.25	1.23	1.22	1.18	1.15	1.14	1.15
Vehicle Involvements Statistics											
<i>Number of vehicle involvements</i>											
motor vehicle	19 608	20 407	21 078	21 175	21 833	21 729	22 361	23 291	23 212	23 661	24 822
non-motor vehicle *	2 073	2 195	2 655	2 949	2 840	2 703	2 824	2 367	2 160	2 065	1 867
Total	21 681	22 602	23 733	24 124	24 673	24 432	25 185	25 658	25 372	25 726	26 689
<i>Motor vehicle involvement rate</i>											
per 1 000 licensed vehicles	34.1	34.3	34.1	33.1	32.8	31.5	31.3	31.6	30.6	30.5	31.4
per million vehicle-kilometres	1.66	1.70	1.71	1.70	1.70	1.69	1.68	1.70	1.70	1.69	1.77

Notes: * Including also vehicles of unknown class.