

## R-RDTA 9238: 2017 International Comparison Program for Asia and the Pacific Regional Results

#### **About the International Comparison Program**

The International Comparison Program (ICP) is the largest worldwide data collection initiative, implemented under the guidance of the United Nations Statistical Commission (UNSC) with the objective of producing comparable price and volume measures of national accounts aggregates across the economies of the world. Along with purchasing power parities (PPPs), the ICP produces price level indexes (PLIs) and other comparable aggregates of gross domestic product (GDP) expenditure and its components.

More specifically, the PPPs are used to compute real measures of GDP, its main aggregates, and selected expenditure aggregates at level below the main aggregates. The main aggregates include individual consumption expenditure by households (ICEH) and nonprofit institutions serving households (NPISH), individual consumption expenditure by government (ICEG), collective consumption expenditure by government (CCEG), government final consumption expenditure (GFCE), gross capital formation (GCF), gross fixed capital formation (GFCF), changes in inventories, acquisitions less disposals of valuables, and balance of exports and imports. These measures allow more meaningful inter-economy comparisons, as they correct for distortions due to differences in the price levels between economies.

#### The International Comparison Program in Asia and the Pacific

The Asian Development Bank (ADB), through its Economic Research and Regional Cooperation Department, has been the regional implementing agency (RIA) of the ICP for Asia and the Pacific since the 2005 ICP round. ADB in its capacity as the RIA was responsible for coordinating with the 22 economies that participated in the 2017 ICP. These 22 economies are: Bangladesh; Bhutan; Brunei Darussalam; Cambodia; Fiji; Hong Kong, China; India; Indonesia; the Lao People's Democratic Republic; Malaysia; Maldives; Mongolia; Myanmar; Nepal; Pakistan; the People's Republic of China; the Philippines; Singapore; Sri Lanka; Taipei, China; Thailand; and Viet Nam.

Concepts and Measures	
Purchasing Power Parity	The amount of currency units required to purchase a common basket of goods and services in an economy that can be purchased with one unit of the reference currency in the reference economy.
Price Level Index	The ratio of PPP to exchange rate with respect to a common reference currency. PLI expresses the general price level in an economy as percentage of reference economy's price level and shows how the price levels of economies compare with each other. The PLI of the reference economy is 100. A PLI greater than 100 means that when the national average prices are converted at exchange rates, the resulting prices tend to be higher on average than prices in the reference economy.
Real Expenditure	Expenditure in the currency units of an economy converted to a common currency by dividing the expenditure by its corresponding PPP, and hence, valued at a uniform price level across economies.
Nominal Expenditure	Expenditure in the currency units of an economy converted to a common currency using the exchange rate of a reference economy without adjusting for the differences in prices of goods and services across economies.
Per Capita Expenditure	Total expenditure divided by the total population of a given economy. Per capita expenditure measures the standard of living in an economy. This can be expressed either in real or nominal terms.
Per Capita Relative Expenditure	Per capita expenditure that has been converted to the relative units of the reference economy by (i) dividing the per capita expenditure of a given economy by the per capita expenditure of the reference economy and (ii) multiplying by 100.
Transitivity	An important property of PPP whereby the direct PPP between any two economies yields the same result as an indirect comparison via any other economy.
Base Economy Invariance	The property under which the relativities between the PPPs, PLIs, and volume indexes of economies are not affected by the choice of reference economy or currency.
Economy Share to Asia and the Pacific	An economy's real or nominal expenditures for an aggregate, expressed as a percentage of the total real or nominal expenditure of all participating economies in Asia and the Pacific.
Shares of Nominal Expenditure	An aggregate's nominal expenditure as a percentage of the total nominal expenditure within the economy.

#### **Data and Sources**

This file has two tables: one for the 2017 ICP results and second for 2011 ICP (revised) results. Each table contains indicators on PPPs, PLIs, and GDP and its components such as ICEH and NPISH, ICEG, CCEG, GFCE, GCF, GFCF, changes in inventories, acquisitions less disposals of valuables, balance of exports and imports, and lower levels of national accounts aggregates. In addition to these, actual individual consumption by households (AICH), which is the aggregate of ICEH, NPISH, and ICEG, is also presented. The five components of AICH are (i) housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels; (ii) health; (iii) recreation and culture; (iv) education; and (v) miscellaneous goods and services. In contrast, expenditures for the other AICH components of food and nonfood household consumption are incurred by households only. Results are also presented for another broad aggregate called "domestic absorption," which represents the domestic expenditures as aggregate of AICH, CCEG, GFCF, changes in inventories, and acquisitions less disposals of valuables.

The 2017 ICP results are compiled with Hong Kong, China as the reference economy and the Hong Kong dollar as the reference currency. The PPPs for the expenditures aggregates at all levels were derived using the Gini-Éltető-Köves-Szulc (GEKS) method. The real expenditure for each aggregate is derived by dividing the nominal expenditures estimated in local currency units by a PPP that is specific to that aggregate, so real expenditure for such an aggregate may not equal the total of its components' real expenditures within an economy. Some PPPs presented are reference PPPs. For the detailed list of reference PPPs, see Appendix 5 of the 2017 ICP Main Report for Asia and the Pacific. When an economy is not able to provide prices for any of the items for any category corresponding to the available GDP expenditures, the PPP for this category is estimated using gap-filling techniques based on country-product-dummy (CPD) by the RIA.

The 2011 revised results are based on revisions in the 2011 estimates of GDP, population, refinements in the methodology for estimating productivity adjustment factors, changes in some reference PPPs, and changes in ICP classification.

The results presented in these tables are produced by the ICP RIA for Asia and the Pacific, based on data supplied by all the participating economies, and in accordance with the methodology recommended by the ICP Technical Advisory Group and approved by the Asia and the Pacific Regional Advisory Board. As such, these results are not produced by participating economies as part of the economies' official statistics.

Expenditure Categories	
Gross domestic product (GDP)	Actual individual consumption by households (AICH) at purchasers' prices plus collective consumption expenditure by government (CCEG) at purchasers' prices plus gross capital formation (GCF) at purchasers' prices plus the free on board (FOB) value of exports of goods and services less the FOB value of imports of goods and services.
Actual individual consumption by households (AICH)	The total value of the individual consumption expenditures by households (ICEH), nonprofit institutions serving households (NPISH), and individual consumption expenditure by government (ICEG) at purchasers' prices.
Food and non-alcoholic beverages	Household expenditure on food products and non-alcoholic beverages purchased for consumption at home. It excludes expenditures on food products and non-alcoholic beverages sold for immediate consumption away from home by hotels, restaurants, cafés, bars, kiosks, street vendors, automatic vending machines, and other vendors; cooked dishes prepared by restaurants for consumption off their premises; cooked dishes prepared by catering contractors, whether collected by the customer or delivered to the customer's home; and products sold specifically as pet foods.
Food	Household expenditure on food products purchased for consumption at home. It excludes food products sold for immediate consumption away from the home by hotels, restaurants, cafés, bars, kiosks, street vendors, automatic vending machines, etc.; cooked dishes prepared by restaurants for consumption off their premises; cooked dishes prepared by catering contractors, whether collected by the customer or delivered to the customer's home; and products sold specifically as pet food.
Bread and cereals	Household expenditure on rice; other cereals, flour, and other cereal products; bread; other bakery products; and pasta products and couscous, purchased for consumption at home.
Meat	Household expenditure on fresh, chilled, frozen, preserved or processed animals and poultry meat purchased for consumption as food at home. It also includes animals and poultry purchased live for consumption as food.
Fish and seafood	Household expenditure on fresh, chilled, frozen, preserved or processed fish and seafood purchased for consumption as food at home. It also includes fish and seafood (such as crustaceans, molluscs and other shellfish, sea snails, land crabs, land snails and frogs) purchased live for consumption as food.
Milk, cheese and eggs	$Household\ expenditure\ on\ fresh\ or\ preserved\ milk,\ other\ milk\ products\ such\ as\ soya\ milk,\ cheese\ and\ curd;\ and\ egg\ including\ egg-based\ products\ purchased\ for\ consumption\ as\ food\ at\ home.$
Oils and fats	Household expenditure on butter, margarine and other vegetable fats such as peanut butter; and other edible oils and fats purchased for consumption as food at home.
Fruit	Household expenditure on fresh, chilled, frozen, preserved or processed fruit and fruit-based products purchased for consumption as food at home.
Vegetables	$Household\ expenditure\ on\ fresh, chilled, frozen, preserved\ or\ processed\ vegetable\ and\ vegetable\ -based\ products\ purchased\ for\ consumption\ as\ food\ at\ home.$
Sugar, jam, honey, chocolate and confectionery	Household expenditure on sugar and artificial sugar substitutes; jams, marmalades and honey; and chocolate, confectionery and ice cream purchased for consumption at home.
Food products n.e.c.	Household expenditure on sauces and condiments; salt, spices and culinary herbs; baby food; ready-made meals when the price only covers the cost of the product; and other food products not elsewhere classified purchased for consumption at home.
Non-alcoholic beverages	Household expenditure on non-alcoholic beverages purchased for consumption at home. It excludes non-alcoholic beverages sold for immediate consumption away from home by hotels, restaurants, cafés, bars, kiosks, street vendors, automatic vending machines, and other vendors.
Alcoholic beverages, tobacco and narcotics	Household expenditure on alcoholic beverages purchased for consumption at home. It includes low or non-alcoholic beverages that are generally alcoholic such as non-alcoholic beer, and excludes alcoholic beverages sold for immediate consumption away from the home by hotels, restaurants, cafés, bars, kiosks, street vendors, automatic vending machines, and other vendors; and household expenditure on tobacco (which covers all purchases of tobacco, including purchases of tobacco in cafés, bars, restaurants, and service stations).
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Tobacco and narcotics	$Household\ expenditure\ on\ to bacco, including\ purchases\ of\ to bacco\ in\ cafés,\ bars,\ restaurants,\ service\ stations;\ and\ narcotics.$
Clothing and footwear	Household expenditure on clothing materials; other articles of clothing and clothing accessories; garments for men, women, children, and infants; cleaning, repair, and hire of clothing; all footwear for men, women, children, and infants; and repair and hire of footwear.
Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels	Household expenditure on actual and imputed rentals for housing; maintenance and repair of the dwelling; water supply and miscellaneous services related to the dwelling; and electricity, gas, and other fuels <i>plus</i> expenditure by NPISH on housing <i>plus</i> ICEG on housing services provided to individuals.
Furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance	Household expenditure on furniture and furnishings; carpets and other floor coverings; repair of furniture, furnishings and floor coverings; household textiles; household appliances; glassware, tableware, and household utensils; tools and equipment for house and garden; and goods and services for routine household maintenance.
Health	Household expenditure on pharmaceuticals; medical products, appliances, and equipment; outpatient services; and hospital services <i>plus</i> expenditure of NPISH on health <i>plus</i> ICEG on health benefits and reimbursements, and the production of health services.
Transportation	Household expenditure on purchase of vehicles, operation of personal transport equipment, and transport services.

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production for more than one year; plantation, orchard, and vineyard development; change in stocks including breeding stock, draught animals, dairy cattle, and animals raised for wool clippings; land improvement, including dams and dikes that are part of flood control and irrigation projection; acquisition of entertainment, literary, or artistic originals; and other intangible fixed assets such as research and development, weapons and ammunition; and ownership transfer costs on nonproduced assets, including ownership transfer costs relating to land.  Changes in inventories  The value of physical change in inventories of raw materials, supplies and finished goods held by producers; inventories of goods acquired for resale by wholesalers and retailers; inventories of all goods stored by government; work-in-progress in manufacturing, construction and service industries; work-in-progress on cultivated assets (e.g., the natural growth prior to harvest of agricultural crops, vineyards, orchards, plantations and timber tracts and the natural growth in livestock raised for slaughter).  Acquisitions less disposals of valuables  Acquisitions of valuables (produced assets, such as nonmonetary gold, precious stones, antiques, paintings, sculptures and other art objects, that are not used primarily for production or consumption but purchased and held as stores of value) less disposals of valuables.  Balance of exports and imports  The FOB value of exports of goods and services less the FOB value of imports of goods and services.  Individual consumption expenditure by households (ICEH)  The total value of actual and imputed final consumption expenditures incurred by households and NPISH for goods and services consumed by the households on housing, health, recreation and culture, education, and social protection and other services. It also includes expenditures on individual goods and services sold at prices that are not economically significant.  Individual consumption expenditure by households (ICEH)  Without housing  Gover	Construction	Capital expenditure on the construction of new structures and renovation of existing structures. Structures include residential buildings, nonresidential buildings, and civil engineering works.
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	Government final consumption expenditure (GFCE)	The total value of actual and imputed final consumption expenditures incurred by government on individual goods and services and final consumption expenditure of government on collective services.
	Domestic absorption	AICH at purchasers' prices plus CCEG at purchasers' prices plus GFCF at purchasers' prices plus changes in inventories, and acquisitions less disposals of valuables.

## 2017 International Comparison Program for Asia and the Pacific

# Hong Kong, China; 2017

Expenditure Category	Purchasing Power Parities	·		Per Capita Real Expenditure		Nominal Expenditure		Per Capita Nominal Expenditure		Nominal Expenditure	PLIs		Expenditure
Expenditure Category	(HK\$ = 1.00)	(HK\$ billion)	Economy Shares to AP, (%)	нк\$	Index (AP = 100)	(HK\$ billion)	Economy Shares to AP, (%)	НК\$	Index (AP = 100)	Shares, (%)	(HKG = 100)	(AP = 100)	(billion LCU)
Gross Domestic Product	1.00	2,662.8	1.15	360,247	587	2,662.8	1.79	360,247	916	100.00	100	156	2,662.84
Actual Individual Consumption by Households <sup>a</sup>	1.00	1,887.2	1.41	255,310	720	1,887.2	2.39	255,310	1,225	70.87	100	170	1,887.18
Food and non-alcoholic beverages	1.00	191.9	0.70	25,959	358	191.9	1.22	25,959	625	7.21	100	175	191.88
Food	1.00	180.0	0.68	24,354	346	180.0	1.20	24,354	612	6.76	100	177	180.01
Bread and cereals	1.00	18.7	0.34	2,525	172	18.7	0.54	2,525	279	0.70	100	162	18.67
Meat	1.00	58.8	1.38	7,956	707	58.8	2.12	7,956	1,087	2.21	100	154	58.80
Fish and seafood	1.00	32.8	1.18	4,437	604	32.8	2.36	4,437	1,211	1.23	100	200	32.80
Milk, cheese and eggs	1.00	6.9	0.19	938	99	6.9	0.38	938	197	0.26	100	199	6.93
Oils and fats	1.00	2.2	0.23	298	117	2.2	0.34	298	172	0.08	100	148	2.20
Fruit	1.00	14.9	0.51	2,020	261	14.9	0.95	2,020	484	0.56	100	185	14.93
Vegetables	1.00	11.4	0.26	1,537	134	11.4	0.58	1,537	295	0.43	100	221	11.36
Sugar, jam, honey, chocolate and confectionery	1.00	5.4	0.72	735	371	5.4	1.41	735	722	0.20	100	195	5.43
Food products n.e.c.	1.00	28.9	1.61	3,909	822	28.9	2.67	3,909	1,367	1.09	100	166	28.89
Non-alcoholic beverages	1.00	11.9	1.24	1,605	636	11.9	1.83	1,605	937	0.45	100	147	11.87
Alcoholic beverages, tobacco and narcotics	1.00	15.2	0.60	2,063	310	15.2	0.83	2,063	428	0.57	100	138	15.25
Alcoholic beverages	1.00	9.3	1.80	1,263	924	9.3	1.73	1,263	888	0.35	100	96	9.33
Tobacco and narcotics	1.00	5.9	0.20	800	102	5.9	0.46	800	235	0.22	100	230	5.91
Clothing and footwear	1.00	90.4	1.81	12,229	927	90.4	2.43	12,229	1,245	3.39	100	134	90.40
Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels <sup>a</sup>	1.00	294.7	1.30	39,868	665	294.7	2.74	39,868	1,406	11.07	100	211	294.69
Furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance	1.00	94.1	2.29	12,730	1,174	94.1	3.00	12,730	1,538	3.53	100	131	94.10
Healtha	1.00	157.4	0.65	21,294	335	157.4	1.75	21,294	895	5.91	100	267	157.40
Transportation	1.00	125.4	0.91	16,963	466	125.4	1.62	16,963	830	4.71	100	178	125.39
Purchase of vehicles	1.00	17.9	0.63	2,425	323	17.9	0.73	2,425	372	0.67	100	115	17.93
Transport services	1.00	79.3	1.76	10,735	899	79.3	3.57	10,735	1,831	2.98	100	204	79.35
Communication	1.00	44.6	1.29	6,028	661	44.6	1.94	6,028	992	1.67	100	150	44.55
Recreation and culture <sup>a</sup>	1.00	194.1	4.94	26,263	2,528	194.1	5.63	26,263	2,882	7.29	100	114	194.13
Educationa	1.00	120.9	0.66	16,354	336	120.9	1.51	16,354	775	4.54	100	230	120.89
Restaurants and hotels	1.00	166.7	3.09	22,555	1,581	166.7	4.78	22,555	2,446	6.26	100	155	166.72
Miscellaneous goods and servicesa	1.00	391.8	2.92	53,003	1,493	391.8	3.90	53,003	2,000	14.71	100	134	391.78
Net purchases abroad	1.00	-	_	_	_	-	-	-		-	100	100	_
Individual Consumption Expenditure by Government	1.00	101.7	0.53	13,756	273	101.7	0.90	13,756	460	3.82	100	168	101.68
Collective Consumption Expenditure by Government	1.00	159.8	1.05	21,618	540	159.8	1.64	21,618	837	6.00	100	155	159.80
Gross Capital Formation	1.00	587.0	0.74	79,409	379	587.0	1.01	79,409	519	22.04	100	137	586.96
Gross fixed capital formation	1.00	576.0	0.77	77,924	394	576.0	1.05	77,924	537	21.63	100	136	575.99
Machinery and equipment	1.00	161.4	1.43	21,838	735	161.4	1.36	21,838	698	6.06	100	95	161.42
Construction	1.00	360.4	0.54	48,761	276	360.4	1.00	48,761	510	13.54	100	185	360.42
Other products	1.00	54.1	0.82	7,326	418	54.1	0.78	7,326	401	2.03	100	96	54.15
Changes in inventories	1.00	11.0	0.28	1,485	141	11.0	0.41	1,485	210	0.41	100	148	10.97
Acquisitions less disposals of valuables	1.00	-	-	-	-	-	-		-	-	100	100	-
Balance of Exports and Imports	1.00	28.9	1.23	3,910	632	28.9	1.23	3,910	632	1.09	100	100	28.90
Individual Consumption Expenditure by Households <sup>b</sup>	1.00	1,785.5	1.52	241,555	781	1,785.5	2.64	241,555	1,354	67.05	100	173	1,785.50
Individual Consumption Expenditure by Households without Housing	1.00	1,538.1	1.53	208,079	782	1,538.1	2.55	208,079	1,305	57.76	100	167	1,538.06
Government Final Consumption Expenditure	1.00	261.5	0.78	35,374	397	261.5	1.24	35,374	635	9.82	100	160	261.47
Domestic Absorption	1.00	2,633.9	1.14	356,337	586	2,633.9	1.80	356,337	921	98.91	100	157	2,633.94

Reference Data	
Exchange rate (LCU/HK\$)	1.00
Total Population (in million)	7.39
Population Share to AP (%)	0.20

<sup>- =</sup> magnitude equals zero; AP = Asia and the Pacific; HK\$ = Hong Kong dollar; HKG = Hong Kong, China; LCU = local currency units; n.e.c. = not elsewhere classified; PLI = price level index.

Sources: Asian Development Bank estimates. Data for expenditure at local currency units and mid-year population estimates were supplied by the participating economies for the International Comparison Program. For exchange rates: International Monetary Fund. International Financial Statistics. http://data.imf.org/ (accessed 17 September 2019).

Notes: Each real aggregate value is derived by using a purchasing power parity that is specific to that aggregates may not sum up to the total of their real components for an economy. Nominal expenditure aggregates are the best possible estimates provided by the participating economies, using most recent available data sources, and some of these aggregates may be different from the published expenditure estimates by the economies.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> Includes individual consumption expenditure by households, nonprofit institutions serving households, and government.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>b</sup> Includes expenditure by nonprofit institutions serving households.

## 2017 International Comparison Program for Asia and the Pacific

# Hong Kong, China; 2011 (Revised)

Expenditure Category	Purchasing Real Expenditure Power Parities		Per Capita Real Expenditure		Nominal Expenditure		Per Capita Nominal Expenditure		Nominal Expenditure	PLIs		Expenditure	
Expenditure Category	(HK\$ = 1.00)	(HK\$ billion)	Economy Shares to AP, (%)	НК\$	Index (AP = 100)	(HK\$ billion)	Economy Shares to AP, (%)	НК\$	Index (AP = 100)	Shares, (%)	(HKG = 100)	(AP = 100)	(billion LCU)
Gross Domestic Product	1.00	1,934.4	1.34	273,549	675	1,934.4	1.92	273,549	969	100.00	100	144	1,934.43
Actual Individual Consumption by Households <sup>a</sup>	1.00	1,289.5	1.62	182,347	817	1,289.5	2.55	182,347	1,283	66.66	100	157	1,289.48
Food and non-alcoholic beverages	1.00	137.5	0.77	19,439	387	137.5	1.17	19,439	588	7.11	100	152	137.46
Food	1.00	131.9	0.76	18,647	382	131.9	1.16	18,647	587	6.82	100	154	131.86
Bread and cereals	1.00	12.1	0.31	1,711	155	12.1	0.43	1,711	216	0.63	100	139	12.10
Meat	1.00	44.9	1.91	6,350	961	44.9	2.62	6,350	1,320	2.32	100	137	44.90
Fish and seafood	1.00	29.2	1.61	4,134	810	29.2	2.52	4,134	1,273	1.51	100	157	29.24
Milk, cheese and eggs	1.00	5.8	0.24	819	123	5.8	0.41	819	206	0.30	100	168	5.79
Oils and fats	1.00	1.9	0.26	271	131	1.9	0.32	271	163	0.10	100	125	1.92
Fruit	1.00	8.4	0.53	1,191	265	8.4	0.77	1,191	388	0.44	100	147	8.42
Vegetables	1.00	8.1	0.26	1,140	130	8.1	0.54	1,140	272	0.42	100	209	8.06
Sugar, jam, honey, chocolate and confectionery	1.00	3.1	0.48	438	240	3.1	0.81	438	406	0.16	100	169	3.10
Food products n.e.c.	1.00	18.3	1.98	2,593	997	18.3	2.82	2,593	1,419	0.95	100	142	18.34
Non-alcoholic beverages	1.00	5.6	0.96	792	485	5.6	1.25	792	628	0.29	100	130	5.60
Alcoholic beverages, tobacco and narcotics	1.00	12.6	0.73	1,787	367	12.6	1.02	1,787	512	0.65	100	140	12.63
Alcoholic beverages	1.00	6.5	2.27	916	1,143	6.5	1.66	916	838	0.33	100	73	6.48
Tobacco and narcotics	1.00	6.2	0.27	871	134	6.2	0.72	871	363	0.32	100	271	6.16
Clothing and footwear	1.00	59.9	1.83	8,474	922	59.9	2.08	8,474	1,050	3.10	100	114	59.93
Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels <sup>a</sup>	1.00	210.2	1.39	29,727	703	210.2	2.96	29,727	1,494	10.87	100	212	210.22
Furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance	1.00	71.1	2.63	10,053	1,326	71.1	3.24	10,053	1,632	3.67	100	123	71.09
Healtha	1.00	98.1	0.80	13,867	405	98.1	1.87	13,867	942	5.07	100	233	98.06
Transportation	1.00	90.3	1.32	12,769	665	90.3	2.01	12,769	1,012	4.67	100	152	90.30
Purchase of vehicles	1.00	18.7	1.33	2,645	673	18.7	1.38	2,645	697	0.97	100	104	18.70
Transport services	1.00	53.0	1.91	7,497	962	53.0	3.37	7,497	1,701	2.74	100	177	53.02
Communication	1.00	26.5	1.70	3,748	859	26.5	1.67	3,748	842	1.37	100	98	26.51
Recreation and culture <sup>a</sup>	1.00	145.4	5.32	20,567	2,682	145.4	6.07	20,567	3,060	7.52	100	114	145.44
Educationa	1.00	85.3	0.88	12,057	442	85.3	1.93	12,057	971	4.41	100	220	85.26
Restaurants and hotels	1.00	125.2	3.30	17,703	1,663	125.2	4.85	17,703	2,445	6.47	100	147	125.19
Miscellaneous goods and services <sup>a</sup>	1.00	227.4	3.39	32,155	1,711	227.4	4.64	32,155	2,340	11.75	100	137	227.39
Net purchases abroad	1.00	-	-	-	_	-	-	-	_	-	100	100	_
Individual Consumption Expenditure by Government	1.00	65.1	0.54	9,203	271	65.1	0.96	9,203	483	3.36	100	178	65.08
Collective Consumption Expenditure by Government	1.00	103.4	1.02	14,627	514	103.4	1.57	14,627	793	5.35	100	154	103.44
Gross Capital Formation	1.00	467.0	0.87	66,043	440	467.0	1.13	66,043	570	24.14	100	130	467.03
Gross fixed capital formation	1.00	455.3	0.91	64,383	459	455.3	1.18	64,383	595	23.54	100	130	455.29
Machinery and equipment	1.00	199.5	1.78	28,218	896	199.5	1.78	28,218	896	10.32	100	100	199.55
Construction	1.00	214.2	0.53	30,292	265	214.2	0.91	30,292	459	11.07	100	173	214.22
Other products	1.00	41.5	1.08	5,873	544	41.5	1.09	5,873	548	2.15	100	101	41.53
Changes in inventories	1.00	11.7	0.37	1,660	188	11.7	0.49	1,660	246	0.61	100	131	11.74
Acquisitions less disposals of valuables	1.00	-	-	_	-	-	-	-	-	-	100	100	-
Balance of Exports and Imports	1.00	74.5	3.68	10,532	1,853	74.5	3.68	10,532	1,853	3.85	100	100	74.48
Individual Consumption Expenditure by Households <sup>b</sup>	1.00	1,224.4	1.78	173,144	897	1,224.4	2.79	173,144	1,406	63.30	100	157	1,224.40
Individual Consumption Expenditure by Households without Housing	1.00	1,051.6	1.78	148,713	899	1,051.6	2.66	148,713	1,342	54.36	100	149	1,051.64
Government Final Consumption Expenditure	1.00	168.5	0.78	23,830	391	168.5	1.26	23,830	636	8.71	100	163	168.52
Domestic Absorption	1.00	1,860.0	1.29	263,017	649	1,860.0	1.89	263,017	951	96.15	100	147	1,859.95
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Reference Data	
Exchange rate (LCU/HK\$)	1.00
Total Population (in million)	7.07
Population Share to AP (%)	0.20

<sup>- =</sup> magnitude equals zero; AP = Asia and the Pacific; HK\$ = Hong Kong dollar; HKG = Hong Kong, China; LCU = local currency units; n.e.c. = not elsewhere classified; PLI = price level index.

Sources: Asian Development Bank estimates. Data for expenditure at local currency units and mid-year population estimates were supplied by the participating economies for the International Comparison Program. For exchange rates: International Monetary Fund. International Financial Statistics. http://data.imf.org/ (accessed 17 September 2019).

Notes: Each real aggregate value is derived by using a purchasing power parity that is specific to that aggregates may not sum up to the total of their real components for an economy. Nominal expenditure aggregates are the best possible estimates provided by the participating economies, using most recent available data sources, and some of these aggregates may be different from the published expenditure estimates by the economies.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> Includes individual consumption expenditure by households, nonprofit institutions serving households, and government.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm b}$  Includes expenditure by nonprofit institutions serving households.