

CONTROLLING OFFICER'S REPLY**FHB(FE)085****(Question Serial No. 1657)**Head: (49) Food and Environmental Hygiene DepartmentSubhead (No. & title): (-) Not SpecifiedProgramme: (2) Environmental Hygiene and Related ServicesControlling Officer: Director of Food and Environmental Hygiene (Miss Vivian LAU)Director of Bureau: Secretary for Food and HealthQuestion:

Please advise on the total number and sources of animal carcasses collected from the refuse collection points of the Department over the past five years with a breakdown by type of animals.

Asked by: Hon CHAN Hak-kan (Member Question No. 6)Reply:

The total number of animal carcasses collected from the refuse collection points of the Department over the past five years, as deposited by members of the public, is 43 707. The breakdown by year and type of animals is as follows –

Year	Dogs	Cats	Others ^[Note]	Total
2010	6 412	2 996	148	9 556
2011	6 236	2 494	156	8 886
2012	7 273	3 470	159	10 902
2013	5 132	2 434	70	7 636
2014	4 385	2 292	50	6 727
Total	29 438	13 686	583	43 707

Note : "Others" include snakes, monkeys, rabbits, civets, porcupines, hamsters, wild pigs and pigs.