

CONTROLLING OFFICER'S REPLY**FHB(FE)184****(Question Serial No. 3107)**Head: (49) Food and Environmental Hygiene DepartmentSubhead (No. & title): (-) Not specifiedProgramme: (3) Market Management and Hawker ControlControlling Officer: Director of Food and Environmental Hygiene (Miss Diane WONG)Director of Bureau: Secretary for Food and HealthQuestion:

Regarding the work of “providing new public market facilities at suitable locations”,

- please set out in the table below the population, as well as the number of markets (with a breakdown by operator), supermarkets and fresh provision shops, in Tin Shui Wai, Tung Chung, Ma On Shan and Tseung Kwan O.

District	Population	Number of markets				Number of supermarkets	Number of fresh provision shops
		Food and Environmental Hygiene Department	Link REIT	Housing Authority	Private developer		
Tin Shui Wai							
Tung Chung							
Ma On Shan							
Tseung Kwan O							

- please set out in the table below the population, as well as the number of markets (with a breakdown by operator), supermarkets and fresh provision shops, in each of the districts.

District	Population	Number of markets				Number of supermarkets	Number of fresh provision shops
		Food and Environmental Hygiene Department	Link REIT	Housing Authority	Private developer		
Central and Western							
Eastern							
Southern							

Wan Chai							
Kowloon City							
Kwun Tong							
Wong Tai Sin							
Sham Shui Po							
Mong Kok							
Yau Tsim							
Sha Tin							
Tai Po							
North							
Kwai Tsing							
Tsuen Wan							
Tuen Mun							
Yuen Long							
Sai Kung							
Islands							
Total							

Asked by: Hon WONG Kwok-kin (LegCo internal reference no.: 65)

Reply:

The information sought (as at December 2020) is provided at **Annexes I** and **II**.

District	Population ¹	Number of markets				Number of supermarkets	Number of licensed fresh provision shops ⁴
		Food and Environmental Hygiene Department (FEHD)	Link REIT ²	Housing Authority (HA) ³	Private developer		
Tin Shui Wai	286 232	1	4	2	-	18	103
Tung Chung ⁵	86 392	-	2	2	-	9	43
Ma On Shan	209 714	-	2	-	5	16	88
Tseung Kwan O	398 479	-	4	-	7	25	170

¹ Based on the 2016 Population By-Census data provided by the Census and Statistics Department (C&SD).

² According to the information on the website of the Link REIT.

³ According to the information on the website of HA.

⁴ Selling fresh, chilled or frozen beef, mutton, pork, reptiles, fish or poultry.

⁵ There is no official geographical demarcation for Tung Chung in population censuses/by-censuses conducted by C&SD. The figure refers to the population in the new town of North Lantau.

District	Population ¹	Number of markets				Number of supermarkets	Number of licensed fresh provision shops ⁵
		FEHD ²	Link REIT ³	HA ⁴	Private developer		
Central and Western	243 266	5	-	-	-	59	126
Eastern	555 034	8	2	-	2	74	201
Southern	274 994	5	-	2	4	39	100
Wan Chai	180 123	6	-	-	-	33	93
Kowloon City	418 732	4	2	1	-	55	168
Kwun Tong	648 541	4	8	1	4	64	267
Wong Tai Sin	425 235	4	6	2	-	41	169
Sham Shui Po	405 869	4	1	3	1	57	182
Mong Kok	342 970	2	-	-	1	35	151
Yau Tsim		3	-	-	-	37	88
Sha Tin	659 794	2	10	4	9	69	294
Tai Po	303 926	2	5	-	-	32	110
North	315 270	4	1	-	4	35	74
Kwai Tsing	520 572	3	1	5	9	60	169
Tsuen Wan	318 916	4	-	2	2	47	109
Tuen Mun	489 299	3	6	2	5	48	171
Yuen Long	614 178	6	5	3	1	58	241
Sai Kung	461 864	1	4	-	7	37	199
Islands	156 801	4	2	2	-	19	65
Total	7 335 384	74	53	27	49	899	2 977

¹ Based on the 2016 Population By-Census data provided by C&SD.

² The figures only include markets under FEHD with wet goods for sale. Standalone cooked food markets are excluded.

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