Month : July 2011


Note: Figures in brackets denote the number of units involved.

## Comparison of Monthly Statistics

| Item | $\begin{gathered} 2011 \\ \text { July } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 2011 \\ \text { June } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 2010 \\ \text { July } \end{gathered}$ | $\text { July } 2011$ <br> Increase (+) or Decrease (-) as compared with |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | June 2011 |  | July 2010 |  |
|  |  |  |  | No. or Consideration | Percentage | No. or Consideration | Percentage |
| 1. Agreements for Sale and Purchase of Building Units <br> (a) No. <br> (b) Consideration <br> 2. Agreements for Sale and Purchase of Land <br> (a) No. <br> (b) Consideration | $\begin{gathered} 7,291 \\ 42,354 \\ \\ 218 \\ 2,105 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 11,601 \\ 70,459 \\ \\ 318 \\ 4,267 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 14,885 \\ 60,424 \\ \\ 219 \\ 2,800 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{array}{cc} - & 4,310 \\ - & 28,105 \\ & \\ - & 100 \\ - & 2,162 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{ll} - & 37.2 \\ - & 39.9 \\ & \\ - & 31.4 \\ - & 50.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{cc}\text { - } & 7,594 \\ \text { - } & 18,070\end{array}$ <br> 1 <br> 695 | $\begin{array}{cc} - & 51.0 \\ - & 29.9 \\ - & 0.5 \\ - & 24.8 \end{array}$ |
| Sub-total of (1) + (2) <br> (a) No. <br> (b) Consideration | $\begin{gathered} 7,509 \\ 44,459 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11,919 \\ & 74,726 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15,104 \\ & 63,224 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{cc} - & 4,410 \\ - & 30,267 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{ll} - & 37.0 \\ -\quad 40.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{cc} \text { - } & 7,595 \\ - & 18,765 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & -\quad 50.3 \\ & -\quad 29.7 \end{aligned}$ |
| 3. Assignments of Building Units <br> (a) No. <br> (b) Consideration <br> 4. Assignments of Land <br> (a) No. <br> (b) Consideration | $\begin{gathered} 12,259 \\ 60,511 \\ \\ 726 \\ 3,939 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 14,347 \\ 74,934 \\ \\ 622 \\ 4,000 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 14,174 \\ 50,990 \\ \\ 680 \\ 4,539 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{array}{cc} - & 2,088 \\ - & 14,423 \\ & \\ + & 104 \\ - & 61 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{cc} - & 14.6 \\ - & 19.2 \\ & \\ + & 16.7 \\ - & 1.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{cc} - & 1,915 \\ + & 9,521 \\ & \\ + & 46 \\ - & 600 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{cc} - & 13.5 \\ + & 18.7 \\ & \\ + & 6.8 \\ - & 13.2 \end{array}$ |
| Sub-total of (3) + (4) <br> (a) No. <br> (b) Consideration | $\begin{aligned} & 12,985 \\ & 64,450 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14,969 \\ & 78,934 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14,854 \\ & 55,529 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{cc} - & 1,984 \\ - & 14,484 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{ll} - & 13.3 \\ - & 18.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{ll} 1,869 \\ - & 8,921 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} -\quad 12.6 \\ +\quad 16.1 \end{array}$ |
| 5. No. of Building Mortgages/Building Legal Charges <br> 6. No. of Other Mortgages/Legal Charges | $\begin{gathered} 11 \\ 11,011 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 8 \\ 12,961 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 13 \\ 14,953 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{array}{cc} + & 3 \\ - & 1,950 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & +\quad 37.5 \\ & +\quad 15.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{cc} - & 2 \\ - & 3,942 \end{array}$ |  |
| Sub-total of (5) + (6) | 11,022 | 12,969 | 14,966 | 1,947 | - 15.0 | 3,944 | - 26.4 |
| 7. No. of Receipts/Discharges/Releases | 12,679 | 14,496 | 16,539 | 1,817 | - 12.5 | 3,860 | - 23.3 |
| 8. No. of Public Search | 415,565 | 484,135 | 524,383 | - 68,570 | - 14.2 | - 108,818 | - 20.8 |

Note : Consideration rounded to the nearest million Hong Kong dollars.

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## Chart showing the number of Sale and Purchase Agreements of

Table 3
building units from July 2010 to July 2011


Number of Sale and Purchase Agreements of building units

| Year | 2010 |  |  |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Month | Jul | Aug | Sep | Oct | Nov | Dec | Jan | Feb | Mar | Apr | May | Jun | Jul |
| Number of ASP for all building units | 14,885 | 16,946 | 13,749 | 12,140 | 15,967 | 11,790 | 9,917 | 12,401 | 13,501 | 10,386 | 12,536 | 11,601 | 7,291 |
| Number of ASP for residential building units ${ }^{(1)}$ | 12,957 | 14,699 | 10,424 | 9,552 | 13,189 | 9,328 | 8,002 | 10,390 | 10,456 | 7,635 | 9,681 | 9,043 | 5,254 |
| 12-month moving average for all ASP ${ }^{(2)}$ | 12,770 | 13,079 | 13,021 | 13,107 | 13,505 | 13,562 | 13,356 | 13,271 | 13,337 | 13,011 | 12,946 | 12,985 | 12,352 |

Note : (1) Sales of residential units refer to sale and purchase agreements with payment of stamp duty. These statistics do not include sales of units under the Home Ownership Scheme, the Private Sector Participation Scheme and the Tenants Purchase Scheme except those after payment of premium.
(2) 12-month moving average is calculated by dividing the sum of the figures of the previous 12 months by 12 .

Year-on-year Rate of Change in the Number of Sale and Purchase Agreements


Number of Sale and Purchase Agreements of residential and non-residential building units

| Year/Month | Jan | Feb | Mar | Apr | May | Jun | Jul | Aug | Sep | Oct | Nov | Dec |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2009 | 5,759 | 5,043 | 8,062 | 11,148 | 13,067 | 15,747 | 14,039 | 13,245 | 14,437 | 11,112 | 11,191 | 11,112 |
| 2010 | 12,380 | 13,423 | 12,706 | 14,300 | 13,325 | 11,128 | 14,885 | 16,946 | 13,749 | 12,140 | 15,967 | 11,790 |
| 2011 | 9,917 | 12,401 | 13,501 | 10,386 | 12,536 | 11,601 | 7,291 |  |  |  |  |  |

## Number of Sale and Purchase Agreements of residential building units and total consideration

from July 2010 to July 2011

| Year / Month |  | Range of Consideration ( \$ million ) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Total |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Less than 1 |  | 1 to less than 2 |  | 2 to less than 3 |  | 3 to less than 5 |  | 5 to less than 10 |  | 10 or over |  |  |  |
|  |  | No. | \% | No. | \% | No. | \% | No. | \% | No. | \% | No. | \% | No. | Consideration (\$ million) |
| 2010 | 7 | 412 | 3 | 4,291 | 33 | 3,031 | 23 | 2,793 | 22 | 1,532 | 12 | 898 | 7 | 12,957 | 52,181 |
|  | 8 | 389 | 3 | 4,731 | 32 | 3,444 | 23 | 3,190 | 22 | 1,608 | 11 | 1,337 | 9 | 14,699 | 69,224 |
|  | 9 | 415 | 4 | 3,524 | 34 | 2,584 | 25 | 2,158 | 21 | 1,101 | 11 | 642 | 6 | 10,424 | 41,184 |
|  | 10 | 290 | 3 | 2,709 | 28 | 2,090 | 22 | 1,904 | 20 | 1,905 | 20 | 654 | 7 | 9,552 | 44,947 |
|  | 11 | 343 | 3 | 4,252 | 32 | 3,206 | 24 | 2,748 | 21 | 1,689 | 13 | 951 | 7 | 13,189 | 58,831 |
|  | 12 | 257 | 3 | 2,813 | 30 | 2,444 | 26 | 2,044 | 22 | 1,229 | 13 | 541 | 6 | 9,328 | 39,902 |
| 2011 | 1 | 206 | 3 | 2,054 | 26 | 2,222 | 28 | 2,028 | 25 | 1,068 | 13 | 424 | 5 | 8,002 | 33,333 |
|  | 2 | 200 | 2 | 2,387 | 23 | 2,664 | 26 | 2,872 | 28 | 1,653 | 16 | 614 | 6 | 10,390 | 45,608 |
|  | 3 | 219 | 2 | 2,173 | 21 | 2,668 | 26 | 2,499 | 24 | 2,081 | 20 | 816 | 8 | 10,456 | 51,866 |
|  | 4 | 165 | 2 | 1,613 | 21 | 2,020 | 26 | 1,810 | 24 | 1,394 | 18 | 633 | 8 | 7,635 | 38,996 |
|  | 5 | 185 | 2 | 1,741 | 18 | 2,290 | 24 | 2,733 | 28 | 1,909 | 20 | 823 | 9 | 9,681 | 49,449 |
|  | 6 | 193 | 2 | 1,626 | 18 | 2,299 | 25 | 2,250 | 25 | 1,762 | 19 | 913 | 10 | 9,043 | 52,856 |
|  | 7 | 137 | 3 | 1,011 | 19 | 1,369 | 26 | 1,289 | 25 | 870 | 17 | 578 | 11 | 5,254 | 31,772 |

Note : Figures in percentage for individual items may not add up to $100 \%$ due to rounding.

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Monthly Statistics in respect of Sale \& Purchase Agreements of building units received for registration on regional basis

Month: July 2011

| Item | District | Sale and Purchase Agreements of Building Units |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | No. of Transactions | (nearest \$million) |
| 1. | Hong Kong | 1,316 | 11,739 |
| 2. | Kowloon | 2,182 | 17,160 |
| 3. | Islands | 166 | 579 |
| 4. | North | 237 | 735 |
| 5. | Sai Kung | 382 | 1,540 |
| 6. | Shatin | 620 | 3,320 |
| 7. | Tai Po | 278 | 1,449 |
| 8. | Tsuen Wan | 991 | 2,657 |
| 9. | Tuen Mun | 477 | 1,037 |
| 10. | Yuen Long | 642 | 2,138 |
|  | Total | 7,291 | 42,354 |

