

LEGCO QUESTION NO. 9

Table 1

The annual volume of fresh water used for toilet flushing in Hong Kong in 2008, 2009 and 2010:

Year	Annual volume of fresh water used for toilet flushing (million cubic metres)
2008	81
2009	80
2010	80

Table 2

The estimated volume of fresh water loss due to water main bursts in 2008, 2009 and 2010:

Year	Volume of fresh water loss due to water main bursts* (cubic metres)
2008	191,000
2009	94,000
2010	96,000

* The volume of fresh water loss due to water main bursts is affected by different factors, including the supply pressure, location, site conditions and extent of damage of the burst water main, etc.