

The labour force participation rate (LFPR) figures of new arrivals, persons from places other than the Mainland and having resided in Hong Kong for less than seven years (hereafter referred to as “non-Mainland new arrivals”) and the Hong Kong whole population as collected in the 2006 Population By-Census and 2011 Population Census:

Year	LFPR of new arrivals <sup>(Note 1)</sup> (Percentage)			LFPR of non-Mainland new arrivals <sup>(Note 1)</sup> (Percentage)			LFPR of Hong Kong whole Population <sup>(Note 1)</sup> (Percentage)		
	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes
2006	60.2	41.5	45.7	69.3	49.7	59.4 (Note 2)	69.2	49.4	59.0 (Note 2)
2011	60.3	43.4	47.8	67.1	49.8	58.2 (Note 3)	67.0	49.6	57.9 (Note 3)

Note 1: LFPR refers to the proportion of economically active persons (i.e. the labour force) in the total population aged 15 and over for the respective group.

Note 2: Foreign domestic helpers are excluded in the calculation. Based on the 2006 Population By-census, the LFPRs of non-Mainland new arrivals and the whole population (including foreign domestic helpers) were 60.7% and 60.3% respectively.

Note 3: Foreign domestic helpers are excluded in the calculation. Based on the 2011 Population Census, the LFPRs of non-Mainland new arrivals and the whole population (including foreign domestic helpers) were 59.9% and 59.7% respectively.