

Table 1 : Summary Statistics

	2018 Q4*	2019 Q3	2019 Q4
The labour force			
Labour force ('000)	3 973.4 [3 647.9]	3 975.7 [3 637.9]	3 941.8 [3 604.5]
Male	1 997.9 [1 995.7]	1 976.6 [1 973.3]	1 967.3 [1 964.5]
Female	1 975.5 [1 652.2]	1 999.2 [1 664.6]	1 974.5 [1 640.0]
Labour force participation rate (%)	60.8 [58.7]	60.5 [58.4]	60.1 [57.9]
Male	68.0 [68.0]	67.1 [67.1]	67.0 [67.0]
Female	54.9 [50.4]	55.1 [50.6]	54.5 [49.9]
Unemployment			
Unemployed persons ('000)	105.7	120.3	124.0
Male	62.5	69.7	75.0
Female	43.2	50.6	49.0
Unemployment rate (%)			
- Seasonally adjusted	2.8	2.9	3.3
- Not seasonally adjusted	2.7	3.0	3.1
Male	3.1	3.5	3.8
Female	2.2	2.5	2.5
Employment			
Employed persons ('000)	3 867.7 [3 542.2]	3 855.4 [3 517.6]	3 817.8 [3 480.5]
Male	1 935.5 [1 933.2]	1 906.8 [1 903.6]	1 892.3 [1 889.5]
Female	1 932.2 [1 609.0]	1 948.6 [1 614.0]	1 925.5 [1 591.0]
Median hours of work during the 7 days before enumeration	45 [44]	45 [44]	45 [44]
Male	45 [45]	45 [45]	45 [45]
Female	44 [40]	44 [40]	44 [40]
Median monthly employment earnings (HK\$)	17,000 [18,000]	17,300 [18,900]	17,500 [19,000]
Male	20,000 [20,000]	20,000 [20,000]	20,000 [20,000]
Female	13,800 [15,700]	14,300 [16,200]	14,500 [16,400]

Table 1 : Summary Statistics (Cont'd)

	2018 Q4*	2019 Q3	2019 Q4
Underemployment			
Underemployed persons ('000)	44.5	41.5	47.4
Male	32.8	31.4	33.4
Female	11.7	10.0	13.9
Underemployment rate (%)	1.1	1.0	1.2
Male	1.6	1.6	1.7
Female	0.6	0.5	0.7
Domestic households			
Number of domestic households ('000)	2 576.3	2 644.6	2 648.2
Average household size	2.8 [2.7]	2.8 [2.6]	2.8 [2.6]
Median monthly household income (HK\$)	28,200 [28,000] (35,000)	28,500 [28,200] (35,500)	27,500 [27,100] (35,000)

Notes : * Revised figures.

Figures in square brackets are the corresponding figures with foreign domestic helpers excluded.

Figures in round brackets are the corresponding figures of economically active households.