

Annex 2

Usage rates/attendance of major sports facilities³ in 2021 and 2022

Year	Sports Centre (Arena) ¹	Sports Ground	Turf Pitch ²	Tennis Court	Squash Court	Table-tennis Table	Swimming Pool (Attendance)
2021	94%	99%	74%	82%	79%	81%	9 178 655
2022	94%	99%	72% ⁴	79% ⁴	79%	81%	8 328 763

Notes:

- 1 The arenas of sports centres are mainly used for badminton, basketball and volleyball.
- 2 As both natural and artificial turf pitches can be used to support the same types of sports and activities, their average usage rates are combined and presented as one item for easier interpretation.
- 3 Since no prior booking is required for using the 5-a-side and 7-a-side hard-surface soccer pitches, the LCSD does not have any usage statistics on these facilities.
- 4 There was an increased demand for outdoor sports facilities during the COVID-19 pandemic, resulting in higher usage rates for tennis courts and turf pitches in 2021 than before. With the reopening of indoor sports venues by the LCSD in early 2022 in response to the Government's announcement, usage rates for tennis courts and turf pitches slightly declined in 2022.