Table 1 : Summary Statistics

	2023 Q1	2023 Q4	**2024** **Q1**
Labour force			
Labour force ('000)	3 769.2	3 812.5	**3 800.1**
	[3 448.8]	[3 481.4]	**[3 465.5]**
Male	1 870.1	1 885.6	**1 871.6**
	[1 866.8]	[1 882.7]	**[1 867.4]**
Female	1 899.1	1 926.9	**1 928.4**
	[1 582.0]	[1 598.6]	**[1 598.1]**
Labour force participation rate (%)	57.9	57.3	**57.0**
	[55.7]	[55.1]	**[54.8]**
Male	64.0	63.3	**62.8**
	[64.0]	[63.2]	**[62.7]**
Female	52.9	52.5	**52.4**
	[48.3]	[47.8]	**[47.7]**
Unemployment			
Unemployed persons ('000)	115.1	105.7	**111.7**
Male	69.4	62.7	**67.4**
Female	45.7	43.0	**44.3**
Unemployment rate (%)			
- Seasonally adjusted	3.1	2.9	**3.0**
- Not seasonally adjusted	3.1	2.8	**2.9**
Male	3.7	3.3	**3.6**
Female	2.4	2.2	**2.3**
Employment			
Employed persons ('000)	3 654.1	3 706.8	**3 688.4**
	[3 333.7]	[3 375.6]	**[3 353.8]**
Male	1 800.7	1 822.9	**1 804.3**
	[1 797.4]	[1 820.0]	**[1 800.0]**
Female	1 853.4	1 883.9	**1 884.1**
	[1 536.3]	[1 555.7]	**[1 553.8]**
Median hours of work during the 7 days before enumeration	42	44	**42**
	[40]	[40]	**[40]**
Male	43	44	**43**
	[42]	[44]	**[42]**
Female	42	44	**42**
	[40]	[40]	**[40]**
Median monthly employment earnings (HK$)	20,000[1]	20,000	**20,000[1]**
	19,800[2]		**20,000[2]**
	[20,300][1]	[20,800]	**[21,400][1]**
Male	22,800[1]	23,000	**24,000[1]**
	22,000[2]		**23,200[2]**
	[22,900][1]	[23,000]	**[24,000][1]**
Female	16,000[1]	16,700	**17,000[1]**
	16,000[2]		**16,700[2]**
	[19,000][1]	[19,800]	**[20,000][1]**

Table 1 : Summary Statistics (Cont'd)

	2023 Q1	2023 Q4	2024 Q1
Underemployment			
Underemployed persons ('000)	46.7	37.0	**40.0**
Male	34.2	24.8	**27.4**
Female	12.5	12.2	**12.6**
Underemployment rate (%)	1.2	1.0	**1.1**
Male	1.8	1.3	**1.5**
Female	0.7	0.6	**0.7**
Domestic households			
Number of domestic households ('000)	2 688.4	2 714.7	**2 734.6**
Average household size	2.7 [2.5]	2.7 [2.5]	**2.6** **[2.5]**
Median monthly household income (HK$)	29,800[1] 29,000[2] [29,500][1] (38,500)[1]	30,000 [30,000] (39,000)	**30,000[1]** **29,800[2]** **[30,000][1]** **(39,700)[1]**

Notes : (1) Include Chinese New Year bonus/double pay.

(2) Exclude Chinese New Year bonus/double pay.

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.