—The Analysis of Reasons Behind

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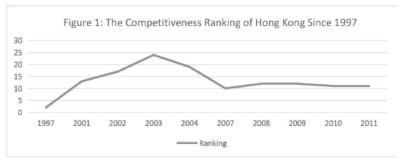
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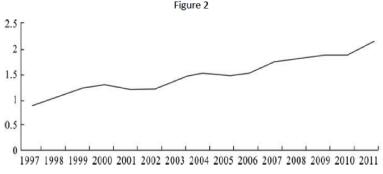
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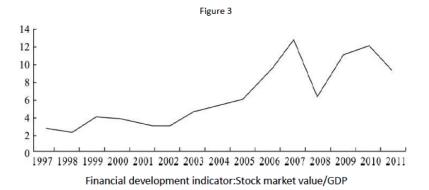


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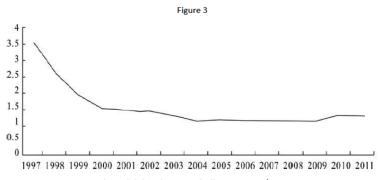


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#### Trade and logistics of Hong Kong

Table 2: Trade and Logistics of Hong Kong since 1997

Year		Logistics			Foreign Trad	e	
	Man-time	Air Cargo(t)	TEU throughput	Import	transit	export	
1997	-	200	14,567	1,615,090	1,244,539	1,455,949	
1998	27,208,792	1,628,742	14,580	1,429,092	1,159,195	1,347,649	
1999	29,062,570	1,974,291	16,211	1,392,718	1,178,400	1,349,000	
2000	32,130,712	2,240,586	18,098	1,657,962	1,391,722	1,572,689	
2001	32,026,944	2,074,333	17,830	1,568,194	1,327,467	1,480,987	
2002	33,451,572	2,478,818	19,140	1,619,419	1,429,590	1,560,517	
2003	26,752,294	2,642,103	20,450	1,805,770	1,620,749	1,742,436	
2004	36,286,642	3,089,911	21,984	2,111,123	1,893,132	2,019,114	
2005	39,799,595	3,402,250	22,602	2,329,469	2,114,143	2,250,174	

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2006	43,273,670	3,580,348	23,540	2,599,804	2,326,500	2,461,027	
2007	46,296,563	3,742,037	24,000	2,868,011	2,578,392	2,687,513	
2008	47,138,492	3,627,249	24,494	3,025,288	2,733,394	2,824,151	
2009	44,995,787	3,347,083	21,040	2,692,356	2,411,347	2,469,089	
2010	49,774,874	4,128,037	23,699	3,364,840	2,961,507	3,031,019	
2011	52,752,718	3,938,025	-	3,764,596	3,271,592	3,337,253	

(Hong Kong Marine Department, Hong Kong Civil Aviation Department)



Conclusion

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Brain Drain and Capital Flight

#### Definition

Brain drain: a mass emigration of technically skilled people from a country or a region to another country.

Capital flight: assets or money rapidly flow out of a country or a region, due to an event of economic consequence.

年份	劳动人口数(万)	劳动人口增长率(%)	人口(万)	人口增长率
1990	2 748.1	-0.2	5 752.0	NA
1991	2 804. 1	2.0	5 815.3	1. 10%
1992	2 792.3	-0.4	5 887.6	1. 24%
1993	2 856. 4	2.3	5 998.0	1.88%
1994	2 929.0	2.5	6 119.3	2. 02%
1995	3 000.7	2.4	6 270.0	2. 46%
1996	3 160.8	3. 1	6 466.6	3. 14%
1997	3 234.8	2.3	6 516.7	0. 77%
1998	3 276. 1	1.3	6 583.4	1. 02%
1999	3 319.6	1.3	6 637.6	0. 82%
2000	3 374. 2	1.6	6 711.5	1. 11%
2001	3 427.3	1.6	6 730.3	0. 28%
2002	3 472.6	1.3	6 725.8	-0.07%
2003	3 465.8	-0.2	6 764.2	0. 57%
2004	3 512.8	1.4	6 797.7	0. 50%
2005	3 534. 2	0.6	6 837.8	0. 59%
2006	3 571.8	1.1	6 904.3	0. 97%
2007	3 622.3	1.4	6 938.4	0. 49%
2008	3 637.2	0.4	6 963.9	0. 37%
2009	3 660.3	0.6	6 996.4	0. 47%
2010	3 631.3	-0.8	7 052.1	0.80%
2011	3 703.1	2.0	7 112.4	0. 86%
2012	3 785. 2	2. 2	7 177.9	0. 92%
2013	3 858.8	1.9	7 221.8	0. 61%
2014	3 876.4	0.5	7 266.5	0. 62%
2015	3 909.8	0.9	7 324.3	0.80%

External causes

#### Why?

- Uncertainty.
- Better life in other countries.

Brain Drain ⇒ Capital Flight

#### **Process**

Many capitalists transferred their capital to other countries to avoid the uncertain of Hong Kong and people who emigrated brought their fortune abroad.

#### **Effect**

$$Y = A \cdot K^a \cdot (EL)^{1-a}$$



Economic Downturn

Conflict between Hong Kong and Mainland

Institutional difference.

Different economic circumstance

External causes

- Back ground
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#### Background

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From August 2007, Subprime mortgage crisis spreaded to the whole world which resulted from lending too much to those who are poor in credit.

Do they have influence on Hong Kong? Of course yes.

Data comes from Hong Kong SAR Government Census and Statistics Department.

Series	Unit	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
name GDP (% real	%	2.37	4.26	5.10	-5.88	2.51	7.66	0.56	1.66	3.06	8.70	7.39	7.03	6.47	2.13	-2.46	6.77	4.82
change pa) Real GDP	bil	129.70	135.20	142.10	133.80	137.10	147.60	148.50	150.90	155.50	169.10	181.60	194.30	206.90	211.30	206.10	220.00	230.60

Figure: Data

The real GDP from 1995 to 2011.

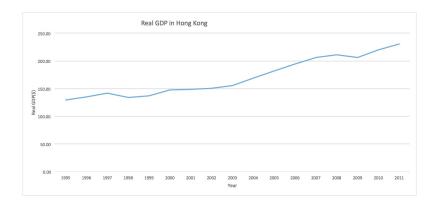
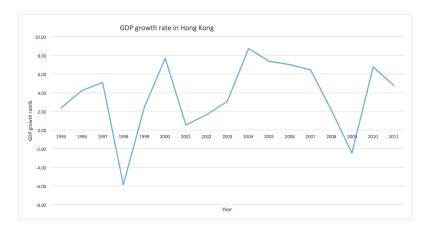


Figure: The real GDP



GDP growth rate from 1995 to 2011 in Hong Kong.



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The Impact of The Rise of China's Economy on Hong Kong's Economic Status

External causes

#### The rise of China's Economy

#### Structure

- Hong Kong's special economic status for China
- The Rise of China's economy
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### The rise of China's Economy

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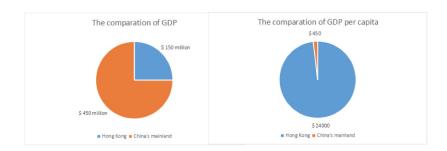
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The Reasons of the Special Status

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- B The close economic relationship.
- C The multiple advantages of Hong Kong's economy.
- D The political reason.

### The High Economic Density

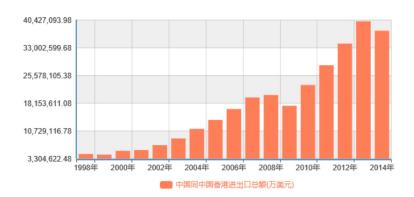


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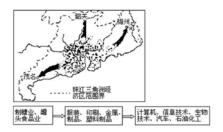
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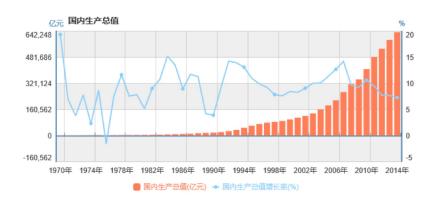
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### Advantages of Hong Kong's Economic System

- The complete economic policy system.
- 2 The high economic freedom.
- The prosperity of finance, information, transportation, international trade.

The rise of China's Economy An economic miracle.



The rise of economic zones like Beijing, Shanghai and Shenzhen.

Hong Kong				
Hana Vana			100 millions of RMB	
mong kong	Shanghai	Shenzhen	Beijing	Guangzhou
11074. 44	2699.47	1130. 01	1288. 84	1161, 61
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13605. 59	13560.44	7806. 54	10325. 15	7560. 67
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The impact on Hong Kong's economic status

From the perspective of the background of Hong Kong's rise

Shanghai financial center went to the weak  $\Longrightarrow$  the rise of Shanghai, Beijing and Shenzhen

The economic autarky situation, the planned economy  $\Longrightarrow$  The more open economy, the maket economy.

The lack of bridge between China and foreign countries  $\Longrightarrow$  The second largest international trade country.



The impact on Hong Kong's economic status

From the perspective of the institutinal reasons

- Government's policy change.
- Political institutional contradiction.
- Different economy system on tax, trade, accounting policy.

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From the perspective of the cultural reasons.

- The Hong Kongs native consciousness.
- The missing of British.

## Conclusion

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