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Latest Tracking Poll Results
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#### **Contact Information**

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- Date of survey: 1-4/6/2020
- Survey method: Random telephone survey conducted by real interviewers
- Target population: Cantonese-speaking Hong Kong residents aged 18+
- Sample size: 1,002 (including 503 landline and 499 mobile samples)
- Effective response: 64.3%
- Sampling error: Sampling error of percentages not more than +/-4%, that of net values not more than +/-7% and that of ratings not more than +/-2.5 at 95% conf. level
- Weighting method: Rim-weighted according to figures provided by the Census and Statistics Department. The gender-age distribution of the Hong Kong population came from "Mid-year population for 2019", while the educational attainment (highest level attended) distribution and economic activity status distribution came from "Women and Men in Hong Kong Key Statistics (2019 Edition)".

## **Survey Topic**

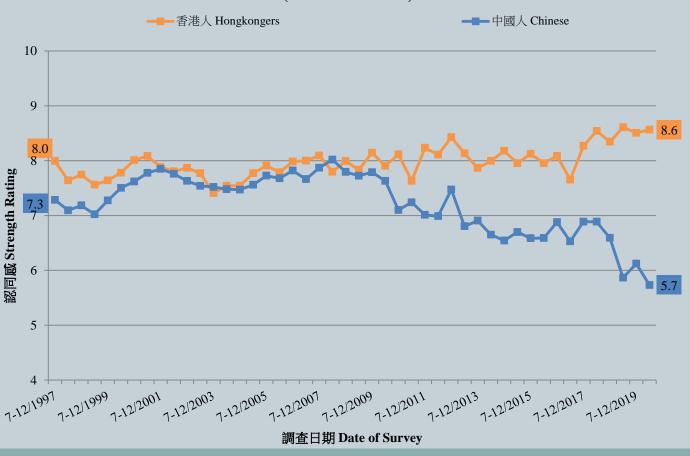
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## Independent ratings - Strength rating

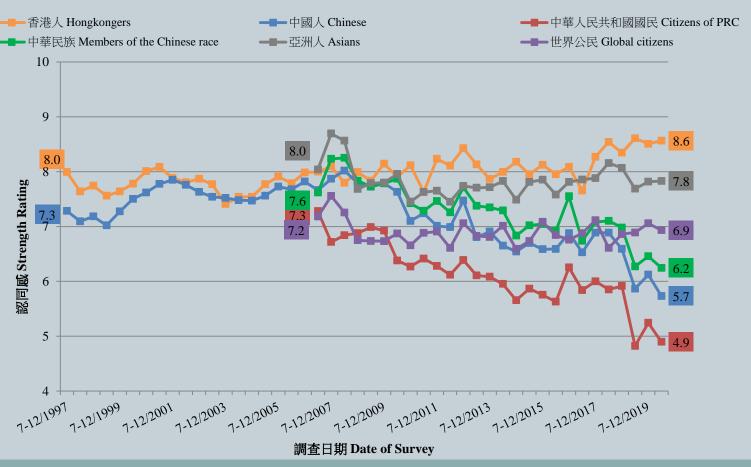
	4-10/12/2019	1-4/6/2020	Change	Record
Hongkongers	8.5	8.6	▲0.1	Record high since Jun. 2019
Asians	7.8	7.8	<b>▲</b> <0.1	Record high since Dec. 2018
Global citizens	7.1	6.9	▼0.2	Record low since Jun. 2019
Members of Chinese race	6.5	6.2	▼0.3	All-time record low since Jun. 2007
Chinese	6.1	5.7	▼0.4	All-time record low since Aug. 1997
Citizens of the PRC	5.2	4.9	▼0.3	Record low since Jun. 2019

• The strength ratings of "members of the Chinese race" and "Chinese" have registered historical lows since 2007 and 1997 respectively.

「香港人」、「中國人」身分認同程度評分(半年結) Strength of "Hongkongers" & "Chinese" identity (Half-yearly average) (8/1997 - 6/2020)







## Independent ratings – Importance rating

	4-10/12/2019	1-4/6/2020	Change	Record						
Hongkongers	8.4	8.3	▼0.1	Record low since Dec. 2018						
Asians	6.8	6.9	<b>▲</b> 0.1	Record high since Dec. 2018						
Global citizens	6.6	6.6	<b>▲</b> <0.1	Record high since Dec. 2015						
Members of Chinese race	6.0	5.9	▼0.1	All-time record low since Dec. 2008						
Chinese	5.6	5.5	▼0.1	All-time record low since Dec. 2008						
Citizens of the PRC	5.0	4.8	▼0.2	All-time record low since Dec. 2008						

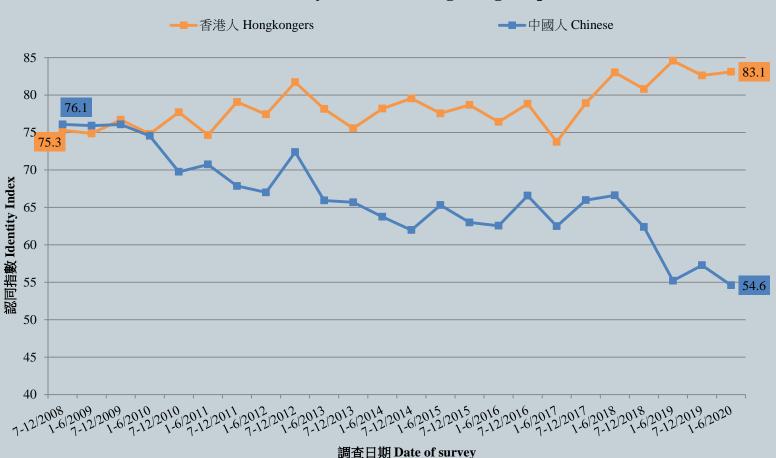
• The importance ratings of "members of the Chinese race", "Chinese" and "citizens of the PRC" have registered historical lows since 2008.

## Independent ratings – Identity Index

	4-10/12/2019	1-4/6/2020	Change	Record
Hongkongers	82.6	83.1	▲0.5	Record high since Jun. 2019
Asians	70.9	72.3	<b>▲1.4</b>	Record high since Dec. 2018
Global citizens	66.7	66.6	▼0.1	Record low since Jun. 2019
Members of Chinese race	60.7	59.2	<b>▼</b> 1.5	All-time record low since Dec. 2008
Chinese	57.3	54.6	▼2.7	All-time record low since Dec. 2008
Citizens of the PRC	49.6	46.8	<b>V</b> 2.8	Record low since Jun. 2019

• The identity indexes of "members of the Chinese race" and "Chinese" have registered historical lows since 2008.





# Independent ratings

• Results of independent rating questions that do not involve choosing one among identities show that whether in terms of strength rating, importance rating or identity index, the identity of "Hongkongers" continues to rank first.

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The dichotomy of "Hongkonger" versus "Chinese" identity

	4-10/12/2019	1-4/6/2020	Change	Record
Identified as "Hongkongers"	55%	50%	▼5%	Record low since Dec. 2018
Identified as "Chinese"	11%	13%	<b>▲2%</b>	Record high since Dec. 2018
Identified as "Chinese Hongkonger"	22%	25%	▲3%	Record high since Jun. 2019
Identified as "Hong Kong Chinese"	10%	11%	▲1%	Record high since Jun. 2018
Identified as "Hongkongers" in broad sense#	78%	75%	<b>V</b> 2%	Record low since Dec. 2018
Identified as "Chinese" in broad sense#	21%	24%	▲3%	Record high since Dec. 2018
Identified with a mixed identity of "Hongkongers" and "Chinese"	32%	36%	<b>▲</b> 4%	Record high since Dec. 2018

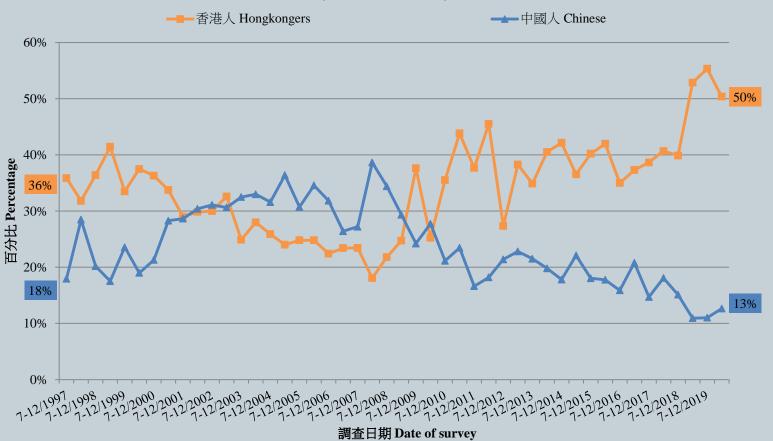
• Whether in their narrow and broad senses, the proportions of people identifying themselves as "Hongkongers" outnumber those of "Chinese". The figures mentioned above also have not registered significant change compared to half a year ago.

<sup># &</sup>quot;Hongkongers" in broad sense, namely answer "Hongkongers" or "Chinese Hongkongers"; "Chinese" in broad sense, namely answer "Chinese" or "Hong Kong Chinese" or "Chinese Hongkongers" and "Chinese ", namely answer "Hong Kong Chinese" or "Chinese Hongkongers".

身分類別認同(半年結) Ethnic Identity (Half-yearly average) (8/1997 - 6/2020)



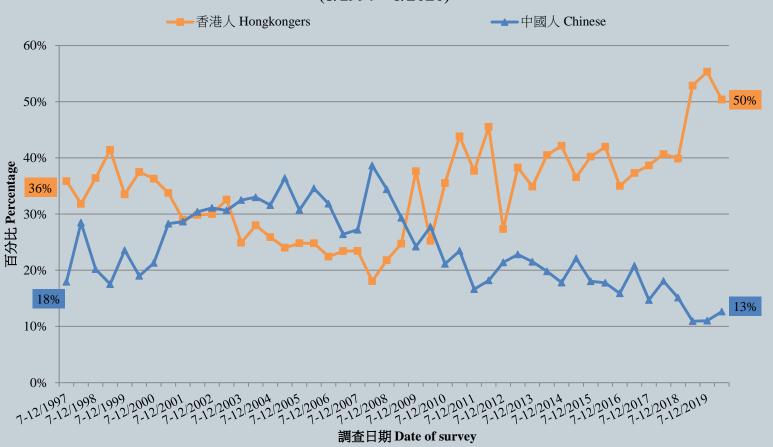




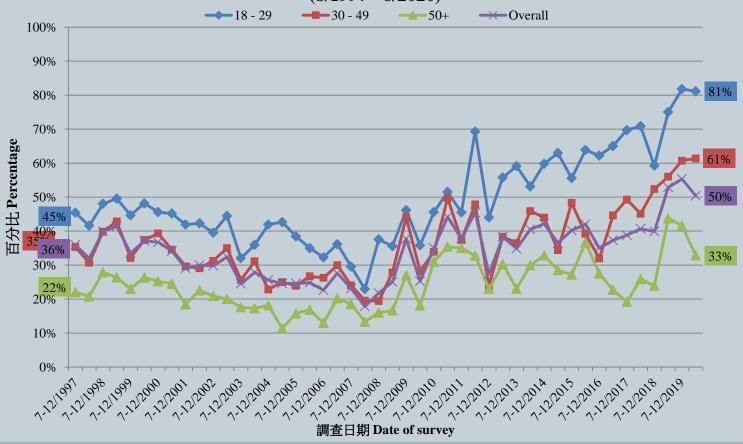
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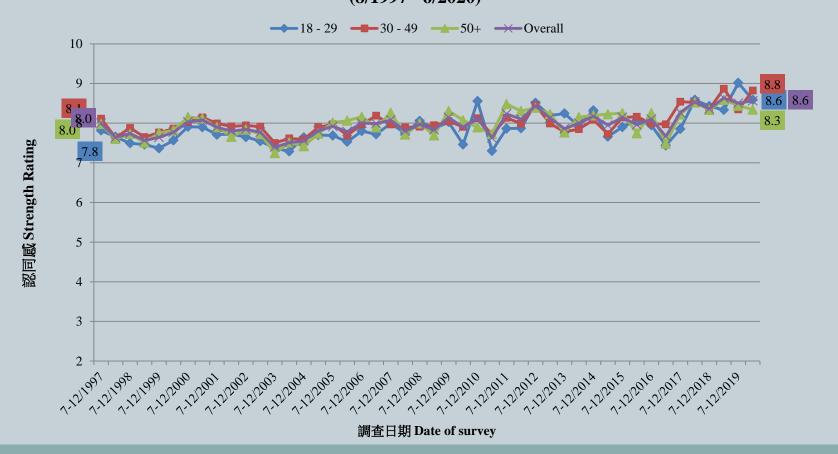
身分類別認同 –自稱為「香港人」(半年結及按年齡組別) Ethnic Identity – Identified as "HongKongers" (Half-yearly average, by age group) (8/1997 - 6/2020)



身分類別認同 -自稱為「中國人」(半年結及按年齡組別) Ethnic Identity – Identified as "Chinese" (Half-yearly average, by age group) (8/1997 - 6/2020)



□香港人」身分認同程度評分(半年結及按年齡組別)
Strength of "Hong Kong citizen" identity (Half-yearly average, by age group)
(8/1997 - 6/2020)



口中國人」身分認同程度評分(半年結及按年齡組別)

Strength of "Chinese" identity (Half-yearly average, by age group) (8/1997 - 6/2020)



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### **Survey Result - Epidemic Normality Resumption Index**

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Date of Publishing	31/5	1/6	2/6	3/6	4/6	5/6	6/6	7/6	8/6	9/6	10/6	11/6	12/6	13/6	14/6	15/6	16/6
Imported cases(Ytd)	3	0	0	2	0	5	3	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Local infected case(Ytd)	0	2	3	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0
Post-Epidemic Gathering Resumption Index (PEGRI)	64.7	27.3	27.0	27.2	56.7	27.2	50.2	50.1	50.0	49.5	55.7	56.4	56.8	27.4	27.6	56.5	50.8

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