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限聚指數 Group Gathering Prohibition Index 15/2/2022

樣本資料 - 限聚指數基準調查

Contact Information - Group Gathering Prohibition Index Benchmark Survey

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	香港民研意見群組成員 HKPOP Panel		
調查日期 Survey date	17/1 15:00 – 24/1 15:00		
調查方法 Survey method	以電郵接觸群組成員,並於網上完成調查 Online survey		
訪問對象 Target population	十二歲或以上的香港市民 Hong Kong residents aged 12+		
總成功樣本 Total sample size	5,043		
回應比率 Response rate	5.7%		
抽樣誤差 Sampling error	95%置信水平,百分比誤差+/-1% Sampling error of percentages at +/-1% at 95% confidence level		
加權方法 Weighting method	按照1) 政府統計處提供的全港人口年齡及性別分佈、教育程度(最高就讀程度)及經濟活動身分統計數字;2) 常規調查中的政治狀況評價及政治取向分佈,以「反覆多重加權法」作出調整。 Rim-weighted according to 1) gender-age distribution, educational attainment (highest level attended) distribution and economic activity status distribution of Hong Kong population from Census and Statistics Department; 2) appraisal of political condition and political inclination distribution from regular tracking surveys.		

限聚指數

Group Gathering Prohibition Index

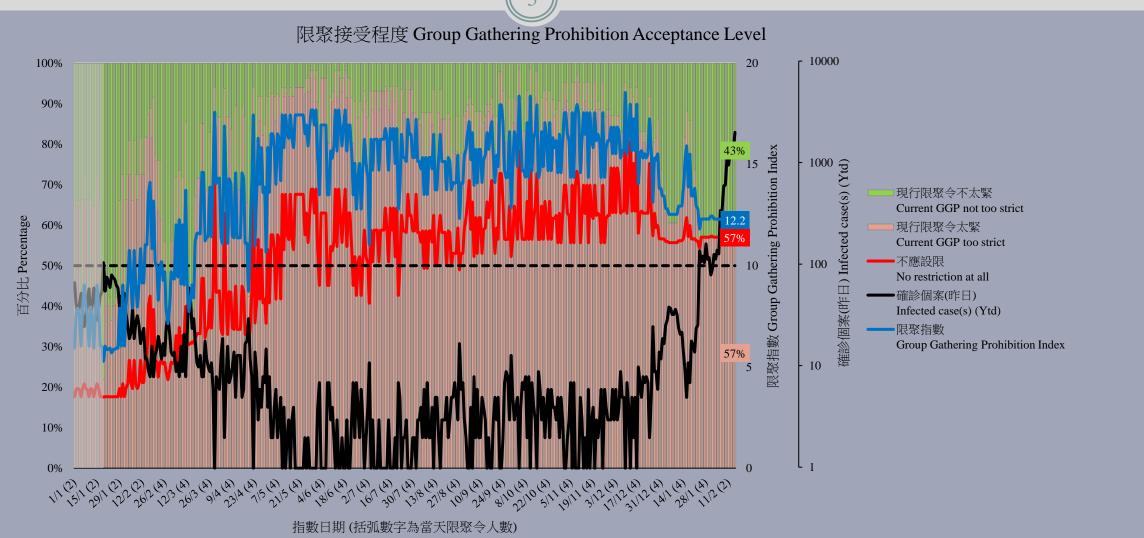
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- 最新調查日期 Latest survey date: 17-24/1/2022 (N=5,043)
- 上次調查日期 Last survey date: 17-27/12/2021 (N=5,063)
- 上上次調查日期 Second last survey date: 23-29/11/2021 (N=5,888)

意見題目 **Opinion Questions** 你認為香港應否無條件全面撤銷「限聚令」? Do you think the regulation prohibiting gatherings of more than a specific number of people in public places should be completely lifted unconditionally in Hong Kong? 應該無條件撤銷「限聚令」 Yes, the ban should be lifted unconditionally 不應該,應視乎疫情而定 No, it should depend on the epidemic situation 不知道/很難說 Don't know / hard to say [追問沒有選擇應該"無條件撤銷「限聚令」"者] [For respondents NOT answering "Yes, the ban should be lifted unconditionally"] 你認為每天新增確診個案數應是多少,才適合將「限聚令」訂於2人? How many newly confirmed cases each day should there be before it would be appropriate 你認為每天新增確診個案數應是多少,才適合將「限聚令」訂於4人? to prohibit gatherings of more than 2 people? 你認為每天新增確診個案數應是多少,才適合將「限聚令」訂於8人? How many newly confirmed cases each day should there be before it would be appropriate 你認為每天新增確診個案數應是多少,才適合將「限聚令」訂於16人? to prohibit gatherings of more than 4 people? 你認為感染個案清零多少天後, 限聚令應該全面撤銷? How many newly confirmed cases each day should there be before it would be appropriate to prohibit gatherings of more than 8 people? How many newly confirmed cases each day should there be before it would be appropriate 請於以下欄位列舉你認為合適的[個案數及限聚人數]組合..... to prohibit gatherings of more than 16 people? After how many days of zero infection do you think the group gathering ban should be lifted altogether? Please list combinations of [number of cases & number of people allowed in gatherings] that you think is appropriate in the field below:

調查結果 - 限聚接受程度

Survey Result – Group Gathering Prohibition Acceptance Level



1日数 口舟 (1台加級ナー 向音 入門本マ 入数)
Date of PEGRI (figures in bracket = size of group gathering allowed that day)

限聚指數 - 分析評論 Group Gathering Prohibition Index - Commentary

民生大聯盟發言人章彤輝博士指出,「面對幾何式增長的確診數字,市民比之前更多認同需收緊限聚。現階段的各類場所限聚和將要採取更嚴厲的措施,業界也是無奈接受,其中涉及的損失已是毀滅性的。反觀我們一直引以為傲的醫療系統,就已經崩潰,政府對於公共醫療承受的超負荷完全沒有對策,以一個國際性的發達城市來講,顯然是不能達標。」

Dr Tung-fai Cheung, Spokesman of Alliance of Revitalizing Economy and Livelihood, observed, "Facing the geometric progression of daily confirmed case, the community accepted the even more strict group gathering ban (GGB) than before. The trades, with no other options, had to accept the GGB and bear the devastating loss. On the other hand, our superb public healthcare system has collapsed, showing that our government has very poor ability to manage the overloaded risk of public healthcare system. Considering Hong Kong as a developed international city, such situation is far below standard."

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- Date of survey: 7-10/2/2022
- Survey method: Random telephone survey conducted by real interviewers
- Target population: Cantonese-speaking Hong Kong residents aged 18 or above
- Sample size: 1,012 (including 507 landline and 505 mobile samples)
- Effective response rate: 58.1%
- Sampling error: Sampling error of percentages not more than +/-3%, that of net values not more than +/-5% and that of ratings not more than +/-2.6 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 2020", while the educational attainment (highest level attended) distribution and economic activity status distribution came from "Women and Men in Hong Kong Key Statistics (2020 Edition)".

Survey Topic

Popularity of Chief Executive

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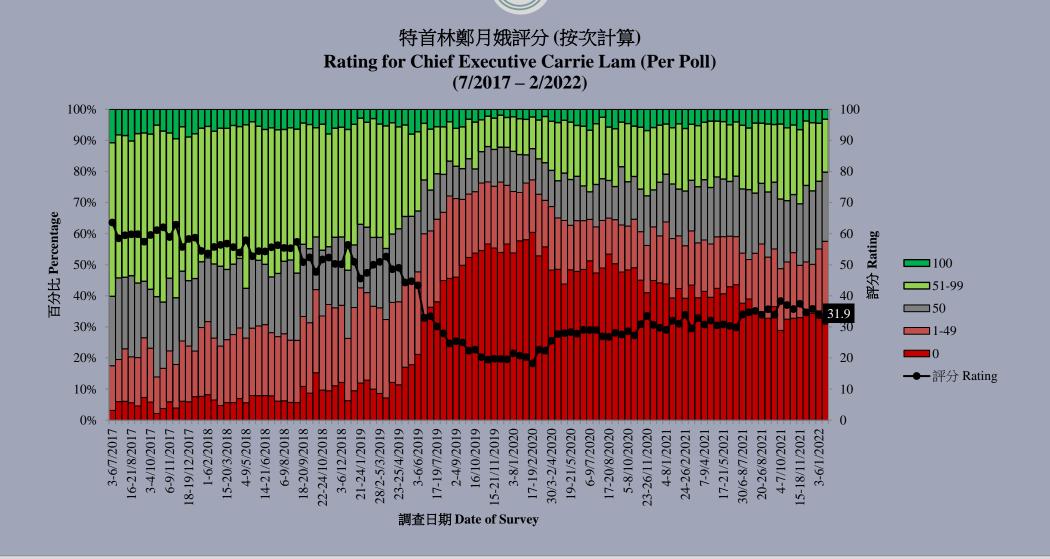
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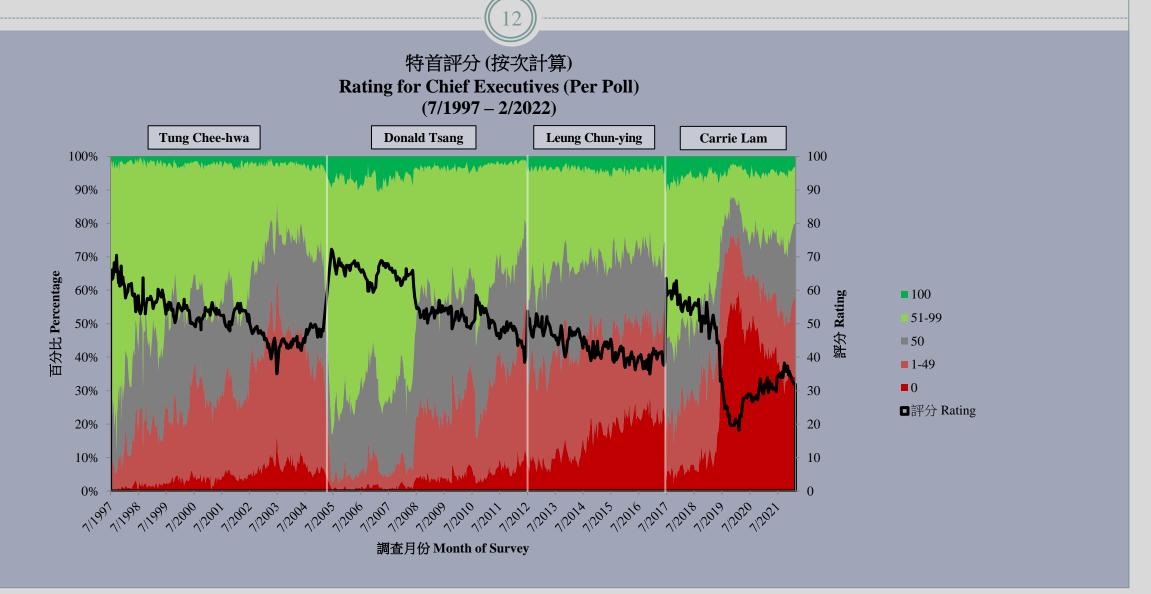
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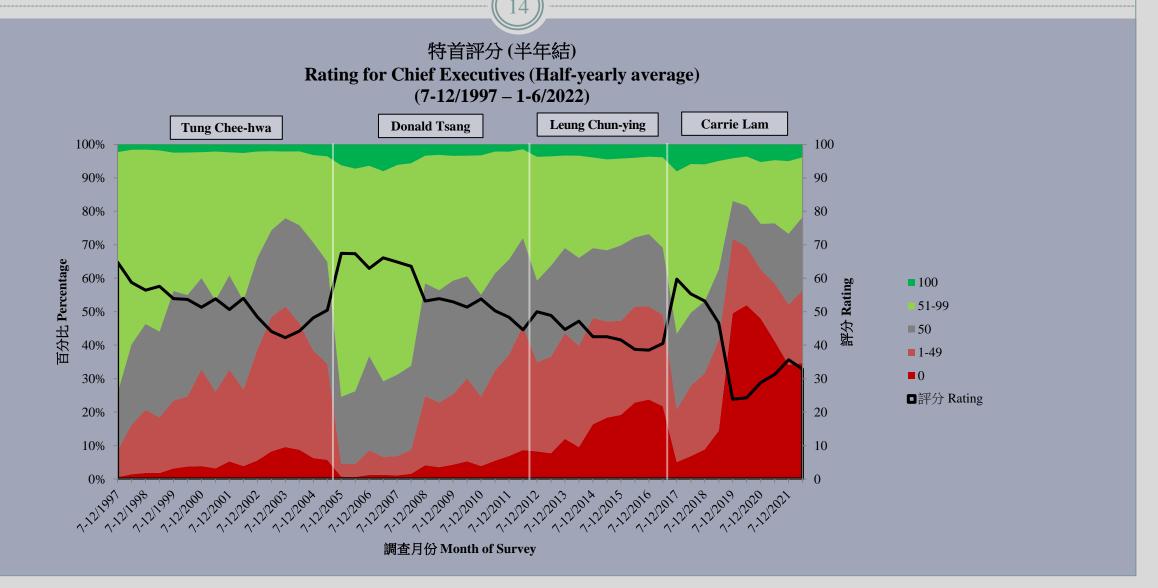
		3-6/1/2022	7-10/2/2022	Change	Record
	Rating	33.8	31.9	V 1.9	Record low since Jun. 2021
CE	Vote of confidence	19%	18%	V 1%	Record low since Jun. 2021
Carrie Lam	Vote of no confidence	67%	70%	\$\Delta 3\%	Record high since May. 2021
	Net approval rate	-48%	-53%	V 4%	Record low since Jun. 2021

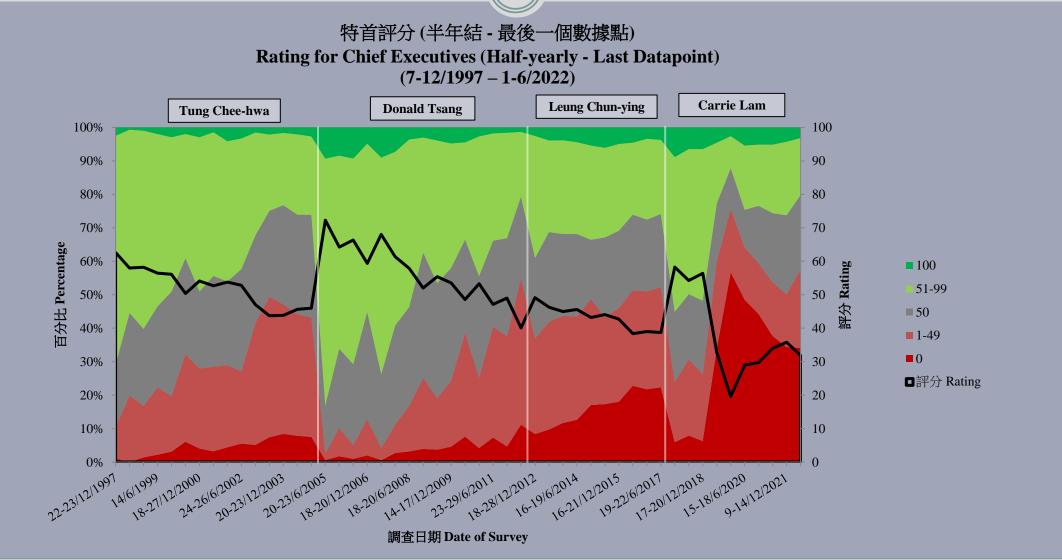
Our latest survey shows that the popularity rating of CE Carrie Lam is 31.9 marks, with 34% of respondents giving her 0 mark. Her approval rate is 18%, disapproval rate 70%, giving a net popularity of negative 53 percentage points. The rating and net popularity have not changed much from a month ago.











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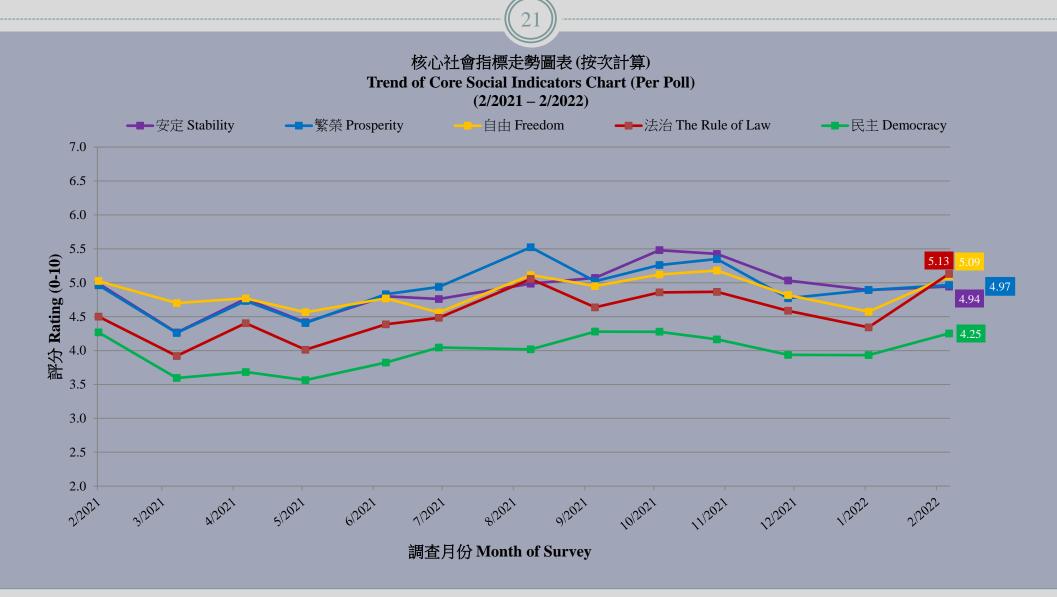
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Five Core Social Indicators

	3-6/1/2022	7-10/2/2022	Change	Record
Rule of law	4.34	5.13	▲ 0.79 *	Record high since May 2019
Freedom	4.57	5.09	▲0.52 *	Record high since Nov. 2021
Prosperity	4.89	4.97	▲0.07	Record high since Nov. 2021
Stability	4.89	4.94	▲0.05	Record high since Dec. 2021
Democracy	3.93	4.25	▲0.32	Record high since Oct. 2021

On a scale of 0 to 10, people's ratings on the five core social indicators ranked from the highest to the lowest are "rule of law", "freedom", "prosperity", "stability" and "democracy". Their scores are 5.13, 5.09, 4.97, 4.94 and 4.25 respectively. The ratings of "rule of law" and "freedom" have registered significant increases compared with a month ago, while the rating of "rule of law" has registered a record high since May 2019.



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Seven Non-Core Social Indicators

	9-12/8/2021	7-10/2/2022	Change	Record
Public Order	5.99	6.10	▲0.11	Record high since May 2019
Social Welfare Sufficiency	5.54	5.36	V 0.18	All-time record low since Jun 1997
Civilization	5.57	5.32	▼0.25	All-time record low since Jun 1997
Corruption-Free Practices	5.04	5.25	▲0.21	Record high since May 2019
Efficiency	5.14	4.56	▼ 0.58 *	All-time record low since Jun 1997
Equality	4.39	4.31	▼0.08	All-time record low since Jun 1997
Fairness	4.32	4.31	▼0.01	Record low since Feb 2021

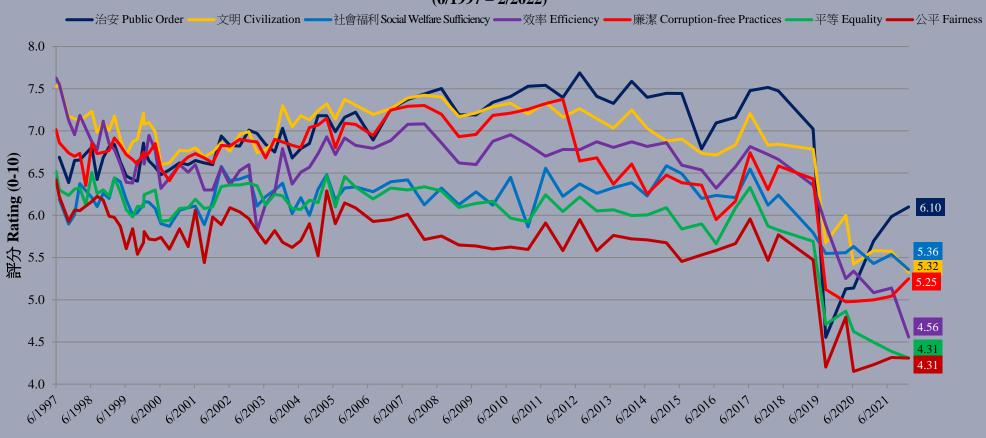
The rating of "efficiency" dropped significantly compared with half a year ago, while the ratings of "social welfare sufficiency", "civilization", "efficiency" and "equality" have all registered all-time lows since records began in 1997, while those of "public order" and "corruption-free practice" have registered record highs since May 2019.

* Significant change



非核心社會指標走勢圖表(按次計算)

Trend of Non-Core Social Indicators Chart (Per Poll) (6/1997 – 2/2022)



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Survey Result - Freedom Indicators

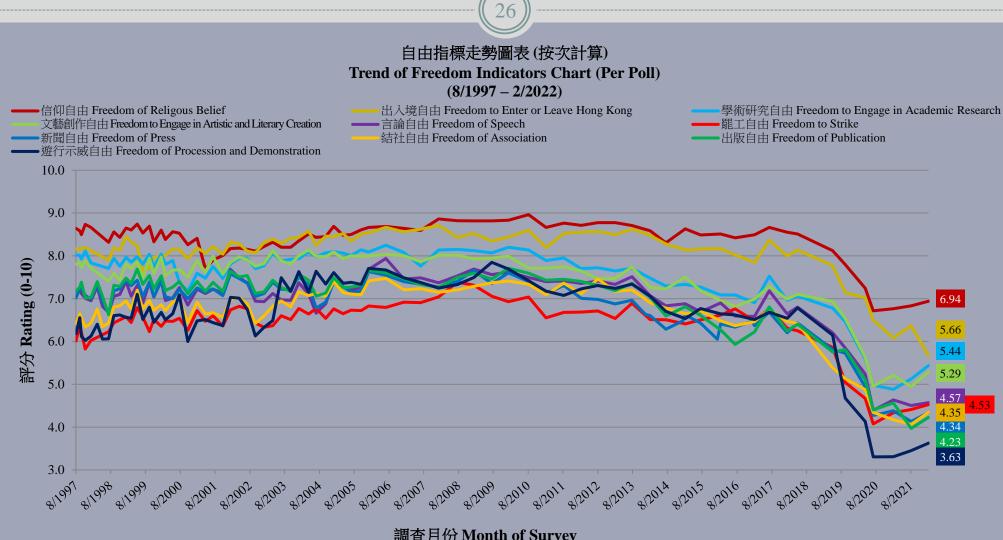
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Ten Freedom Sub-Indicators

	9-12/8/2021	7-10/2/2022	Change	Record
Degree of freedom (repeated listing)	5.11	5.09	▲0.02	Record high since Nov. 2021
Freedom of religious belief	6.83	6.94	▲ 0.11	Record high since Apr. 2020
Freedom to enter or leave Hong Kong	6.37	5.66	▼ 0.71 *	All-time record low since Aug. 1997
Freedom to engage in academic research	5.12	5.44	▲ 0.32	Record high since Apr. 2020
Freedom to engage in artistic and literary creation	4.95	5.29	▲0.34	Record high since Apr. 2020
Freedom of speech	4.51	4.57	▲ 0.07	Record high since Feb. 2020
Freedom to strike	4.41	4.53	▲0.11	Record high since Apr. 2020
Freedom of association	4.07	4.35	▲ 0.28	Record high since Apr. 2020
Freedom of press	4.13	4.34	▲0.21	Record high since Feb. 2020
Freedom of publication	3.97	4.23	▲ 0.26	Record high since Feb. 2020
Freedom of procession and demonstration	3.45	3.63	▲0.17	Record high since Apr. 2020

• Compared with the previous survey, freedom of "entering or leaving Hong Kong" has dropped significantly and registered a historical low since records began in 1997.

Survey Result - Freedom Indicators



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Survey Result - Rule of Law Indicators

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Two Rule of law Sub-indicators and the Rating of the Chief Justice

	9-12/8/2021	7-10/2/2022	Change	Record
Compliance with the rule of law (repeated listing)	5.06	5.13	▲0.07	Record high since May 2019
Impartiality of the courts	4.98	5.03	▲0.05	Record high since Sept. 2019
Fairness of the judicial system	4.40	4.67	▲0.28	Record high since May 2019
Support rating of Chief Justice of the CFA	46.1	46.5	▲0.4	Record high since Jul. 2020

• As for the two rule of law sub-indicators, "impartiality of the courts" got 5.03 marks, while "fairness of the judicial system" got 4.67 marks which has registered a record high since May 2019. As for Chief Justice Andrew Cheung, his support rating is 46.5 on a scale of 0 to 100.

Survey Result - Rule of Law Indicators

