

Political Highlights

Government type:	Semi-presidential republic
Head of state:	President Abd Rabbuh Mansour Hadi
Prime Minister:	Prime Minister Maeen Abd al-Malik Saeed
Elections/appointments:	The president is directly elected by absolute majority
	Last legislative and presidential elections were held in April 2003 and February 2012 respectively (next elections have been postponed indefinitely)
Legal system:	Common law, Islamic law, customary law
Legislative branch:	Bicameral parliament (111-seat Shura Council and 301-seat House of Representatives)
Major political parties:	General People's Congress, Islah, Yemeni Socialist Party

Economic Trend

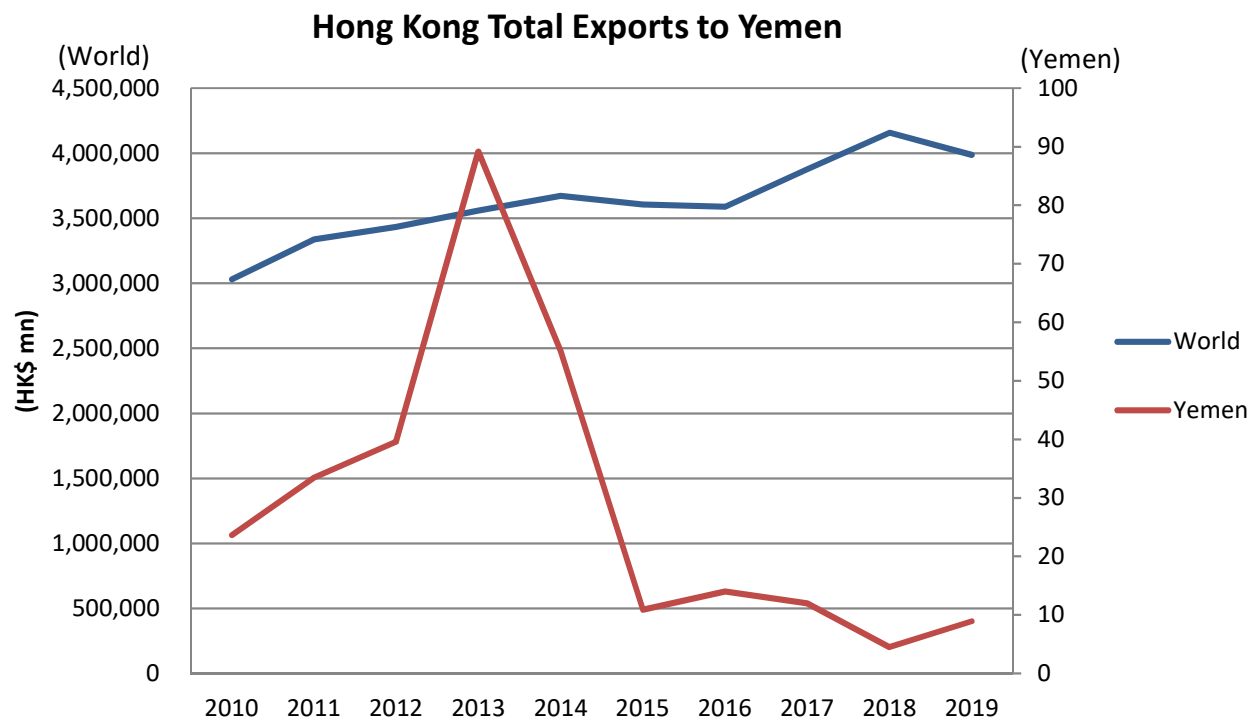
Economic Indicators	2017	2018	2019*	2020^	2021^
Nominal GDP (USD bn)	26.7	23.5	22.6	20.9	19.1
Real GDP growth (%)	-5.1	0.8	2.1	-5	0.5
GDP per capita (USD)	892	762	713	645	573
Inflation (%)	30.4	27.6	10	26.4	31
Current account balance (% of GDP)	-0.2	-2	-3.9	-6.5	-8.3
General government debt (% of GDP)	77.4	74.5	76.5	81.7	79.3

*Estimate ^Forecast

Hong Kong Total Exports to Yemen

(HK\$ mn)

Year	Yemen	World
2010	24	3,031,019
2011	33	3,337,253
2012	40	3,434,346
2013	89	3,559,686
2014	55	3,672,751
2015	11	3,605,279
2016	14	3,588,247
2017	12	3,875,898
2018	5	4,158,106
2019	9	3,988,685



Hong Kong Exports to Yemen by Product

Product	(% share) 2019
Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances and electrical parts thereof	37.9
Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment	31.1
Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus	11.0
Office machines and automatic processing machines	8.2
Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind	2.6
Others	9.2
Total	100.0

Hong Kong Exports to Yemen by Product (2019)

