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Islands



1 Chronicles 29:11-12 (ESV)

Yours, O Lord, is the greatness and the power and the glory and the victory and the majesty, for all that is in the heavens and in the earth is yours. Yours is the kingdom, O Lord, and you are exalted as head above all. Both riches and honour come from you, and you rule over all. In your hand are power and might, and in your hand it is to make great and to give strength to all.

Population: 157,000
Ethnic Minority: 22.1%
(Indonesian, Filipino, White)
Tertiary Institutions:
N/A

Highlights:

- Big Buddha in Tung Chung and Cheung Chau island are popular tourist spots.
- Suicide is prominent, especially in Cheung Chau.
- One of the largest percentage of ethnic minorities (22.1% of population).

Kwai Tsing



1 Timothy 2:1-2 (ESV)

I urge, then, first of all, that petitions, prayers, intercession and thanksgiving be made for all people- for kings and all those in authority, that we may live peaceful and quiet lives in all godliness and holiness.

Population: 500,900
Ethnic Minority: 4.4%
(Indonesia, Filipino)
Tertiary institution:
Hong Kong Institute of
Vocational Education

Highlights:

- Poor households comprise relatively more working with children (26.8%) and single-parent (6.2%) households.
- There are 2 hospitals under the Hospital Authority (Princess Margaret Hospital and the Kwai Chung Hospital).

North



Psalm 82:3-4 (ESV)

Defend the weak and the fatherless; uphold the cause of the poor and the oppressed. Rescue the weak and the needy; deliver them from the hand of the wicked.

Population: 500,900
Ethnic Minorities: 3.8%
(Indonesia, Thailand)

Highlights:

- Consists of 117 villages and 4 rural committees
- Directly borders mainland China
- Home to many well preserved traditional Chinese buildings and architecture

Tai Po



Psalm 27:12-14 (ESV)

For he will deliver the needy who cry out, the afflicted who have no one to help. He will take pity on the weak and the needy and save the needy from death. He will rescue them from oppression and violence, for precious is their blood in his sight.

Population: 303,926

Ethnic Minority: 6.7%
(Mixed, Indonesia)

Highlights:

- Big Buddha (twice as large as the one in Lan Tau Island) located near Tai Mei Tuk
- Tai Po Kau Nature Reserve is Hong Kong's most extensive woodland area (460 hectares)
- One of the lowest populations of ethnic minorities

Sai Kung



James 1:19-20 (ESV)

My dear brothers and sisters, take note of this: Everyone should be quick to listen, slow to speak and slow to become angry, because human anger does not produce the righteousness that God desires.

Population: 461,864
Ethnic Minorities: 8.6%
(White, Filipino)
Campus: Hong Kong
University of Science and
Technology

Highlights:

- Home to many popular islands for sightseeing (Kau Sai Chau, Sharp Island, High Island, etc.)
- Most popular local tourist destination
- Low population of ethnic minorities despite some stereotypes

Wan Chai



Isaiah 51:4-5 (ESV)

Give attention to me, my people, and give ear to me, my nation;
for a law will go out from me, and I will set my justice for a
light to the peoples. My righteousness draws near, my salvation
has gone out, and my arms will judge the peoples; the coastlands
hope for me, and for my arm they wait.

Population: 275,000
Ethnic Minority: 22.1%
(Indonesian, Filipino,
White)

Highlights:

- Human trafficking and prostitution in red light districts and 'one-room brothels'.
- Substance abuse associated with red-light districts.
- One of the highest populations of ethnic minorities in Hong Kong.

Southern



Jeremiah 29:11 (ESV)

For I know the plans I have for you, declares the LORD, plans for welfare and not for evil, to give you a future and a hope.

Population: 275,000

Ethnic Minority: 11.1%
(Filipino, White,
Indonesian)

Highlights:

- Prominence of temples in Aberdeen area.
- Elderly Poverty - while the poverty rate is amongst the lowest of the districts (11.8%; ranking 17/18), 41.4% comprises of the above 65 elderly population).

Tuen Mun



2 Thessalonians 3:3 (ESV)

But the Lord is faithful, and he will strengthen you and protect you from the evil one.

Population: 489,299
Ethnic Minority: 4.2%
(Thai, Indonesian)
Tertiary Institution:
Lingnan University

Highlights:

- One of the earliest settlements of Hong Kong (Neolithic period)
- On the bottom five of the housing median income in Hong Kong (2019)
- Issues between local and Mainland settlers

Tsuen Wan



Proverbs 9:10 (ESV)

The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom, and the knowledge of the Holy One is insight.

Population: 318,916
Ethnic Minority: 6.6%,
(Pakistani, Indonesian)

Highlights:

- Former industrial area known for its textile production
- Seawater pollution problems that require government intervention in 2020
- Traffic and industrial noise problems remain prevalent and require intervention

Yuen Long



Amos 5:24 (ESV)

But let justice roll down like waters, and righteousness like an ever-flowing stream.

Population: 614,178
Ethnic Minority: 6.4%
(Nepalese, Pakistani)

Highlights:

- Known for its natural wetlands and country parks (e.g. Tai Lam Country Park, Hong Kong Wetland Park)
- The Yuen Long Town is built on granite
- Various social unrest has happened within Yuen Long Town (e.g. 21 July)

Sha Tin



Psalm 33:11 (ESV)

But the plans of the LORD stand firm forever, the purposes of his heart through all generations.

Population: 684,800
Ethnic Minority: 5.7%
(White, Non-Chinese Asian)
Tertiary Institutions:
Chinese University of Hong Kong (CUHK), the Hong Kong Institute of Vocational Education (HKIVE), Hang Seng Management College (HSMC)

Highlights:

- Che Kung Temple, known for ancestral worship
- Most populous administrative district
- HK Jockey Club Shatin Racecourse is a popular destination

Eastern



Jeremiah 29:7 (ESV)

But seek the welfare of the city where I have sent you into exile, and pray to the Lord on its behalf, for in its welfare you will find your welfare.

Population: 537,900
Ethnic Minority: 9.1%
(Japanese, Mixed)
Tertiary Institution: HK
THEi, Shue Yan University

Highlights:

- 18.7% of it's population over 65 (highest age group population)
- Consist of many government housing estates but also wealthy estates like Taikoo Shing
- The median household income is around \$30K

Kwun Tong



Colossians 3:13 (ESV)

Bear with each other and forgive one another if any of you has a grievance against someone. Forgive as the Lord forgave you.

Population: 686,700
Ethnic Minority: 3.9%
(Thai, Indonesia)
Tertiary Institution: HKU
SPACE - CITA Learning
Centre

Highlights:

- 7,910 single parents, 232 cases of spouse battering cases, 104 cases of child abuse
- Highest poverty rate in Hong Kong (19%) in 2019
- Relocation issues for illegal street vendors for urban planning project

Central & Western



Romans 13:1 (ESV)

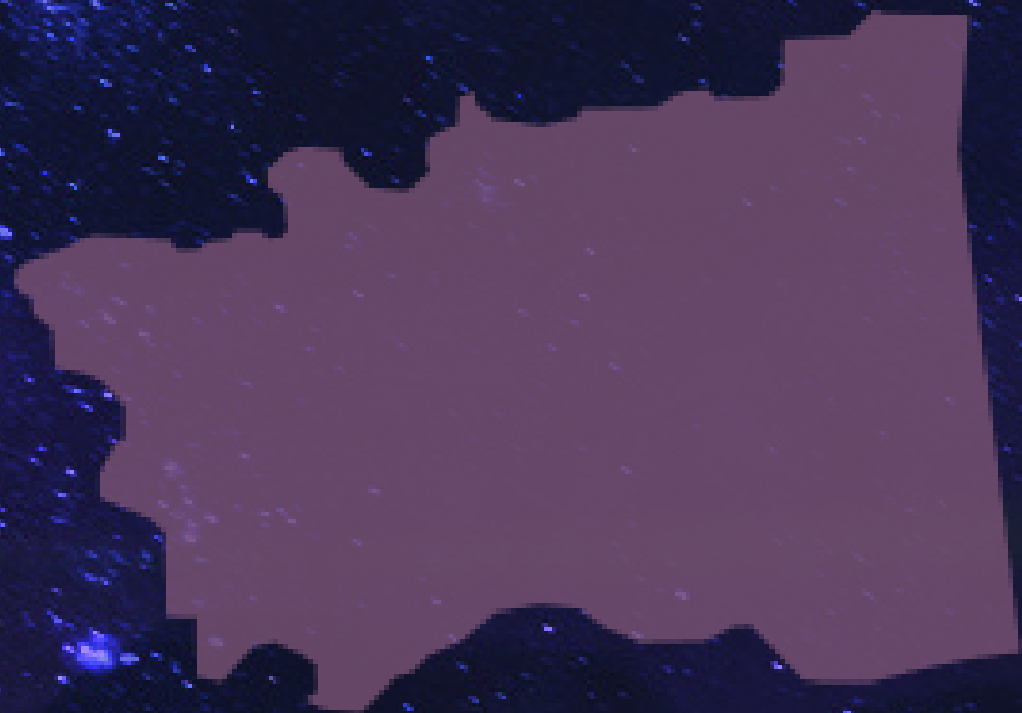
Let every person be subject to the governing authorities. For there is no authority except from God, and those that exist have been instituted by God.

Population: 236,000
Ethnic Minority: 20.3%,
(White, Filipino)
Tertiary Institution: HKU,
HKUST Business School
Central, Caritas Institute
of Higher Education

Highlights:

- Major business and administrative district (HSBC building, Government Hill)
- Major political movements (e.g. Occupy Central)
- Second highest median income in Hong Kong (2019)

Wong Tai Sin



Hebrews 11:6 (ESV)

But as it is, they desire a better country, that is, a heavenly one. Therefore God is not ashamed to be called their God, for he has prepared for them a city.

Population: 414,200
Ethnic Minority: 3.4%
(Mixed, Thai)

HighLights:

- 65 years old is the largest population in the district(19.5%)
- The district takes its name from the famous Wong Tai Sin Temple, a landmark of the District
- Characterized by extensive public housing, where 85% of its population live in public rental housing

Kowloon City



Psalm 33:20-22 (ESV)

We wait in hope for the Lord; he is our help and our shield. In him our hearts rejoice, for we trust in his holy name. May your unfailing love be with us, Lord, even as we put our hope in you.

Population: 419,900
Ethnic Minority: 10.1%
(Filipino, Indonesian)
Tertiary Institutions: Hong Kong Baptist University (HKBU), Open University of Hong Kong (OUHK)

Highlights:

- Known as "Little Thailand." Large Thai and Chiu Chow population
- Highest concentration of schools in HK, 200+ kindergartens, primary and secondary schools
- Major relocation plans for housing and business threaten the livelihood of residents, especially the elderly

Yau Tsim Mong



Psalm 9:9 (ESV)

The Lord is a refuge for the oppressed, a stronghold in times of trouble.

Population: 323,000

Ethnic Minority: 15.6%
(Nepalese, Japanese)

Tertiary Institutions: Hong Kong Polytechnic University

Highlights:

- The second densest district in Hong Kong with many transient residents
- 2.3% of the city's sexual violence cases occur here
- District with the highest number of confirmed COVID-19 cases (1159)

Sham Shui Po



Psalm 72:12-14 (ESV)

For he delivers the needy when they call, the poor and those who have no helper. He has pity on the weak and the needy and saves the lives of the needy. From oppression and violence, he redeems their life; precious is their blood in his sight.

Population: 405,869

Ethnic Minority: 5.9%
(Pakistani, Nepalese,
Indian)

Campus: City University of
Hong Kong

Highlights:

- Second lowest median income (2019)
- Among the poor households, proportions of single-parent (8.7%) and new-arrival (7.1%) households were the highest
- High proportion of asylum seekers and immigrants from South Asia

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