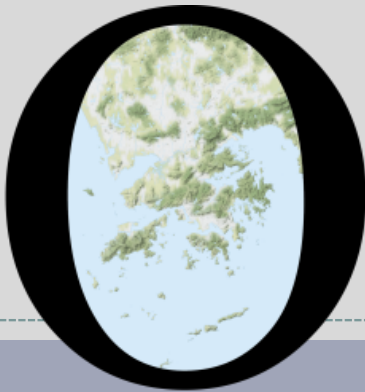


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**限聚指數**

**Group Gathering Prohibition Index**

**31/8/2021**

# 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	16/8 15:00 – 23/8 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	7,456
回應比率 Response rate	8.1%
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統計數字、各區議會人口數字； 2) 選舉事務處提供的區議會選舉結果；3) 常規調查中的特首評分分佈數字，以 「反覆多重加權法」作出調整。 The figures are rim-weighted according to 1) gender-age distribution of Hong Kong population and by District Councils population figures from Census and Statistics Department; 2) Voting results of District Councils Election from Registration and Electoral Office; 3) rating distribution of Chief Executive 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: 16-23/8/2021 (N=7,456)**
- **上次調查日期 Last survey date: 16-21/7/2021 (N=5,636)**
- **上上次調查日期 Second last survey date: 18-23/6/2021 (N=6,158)**

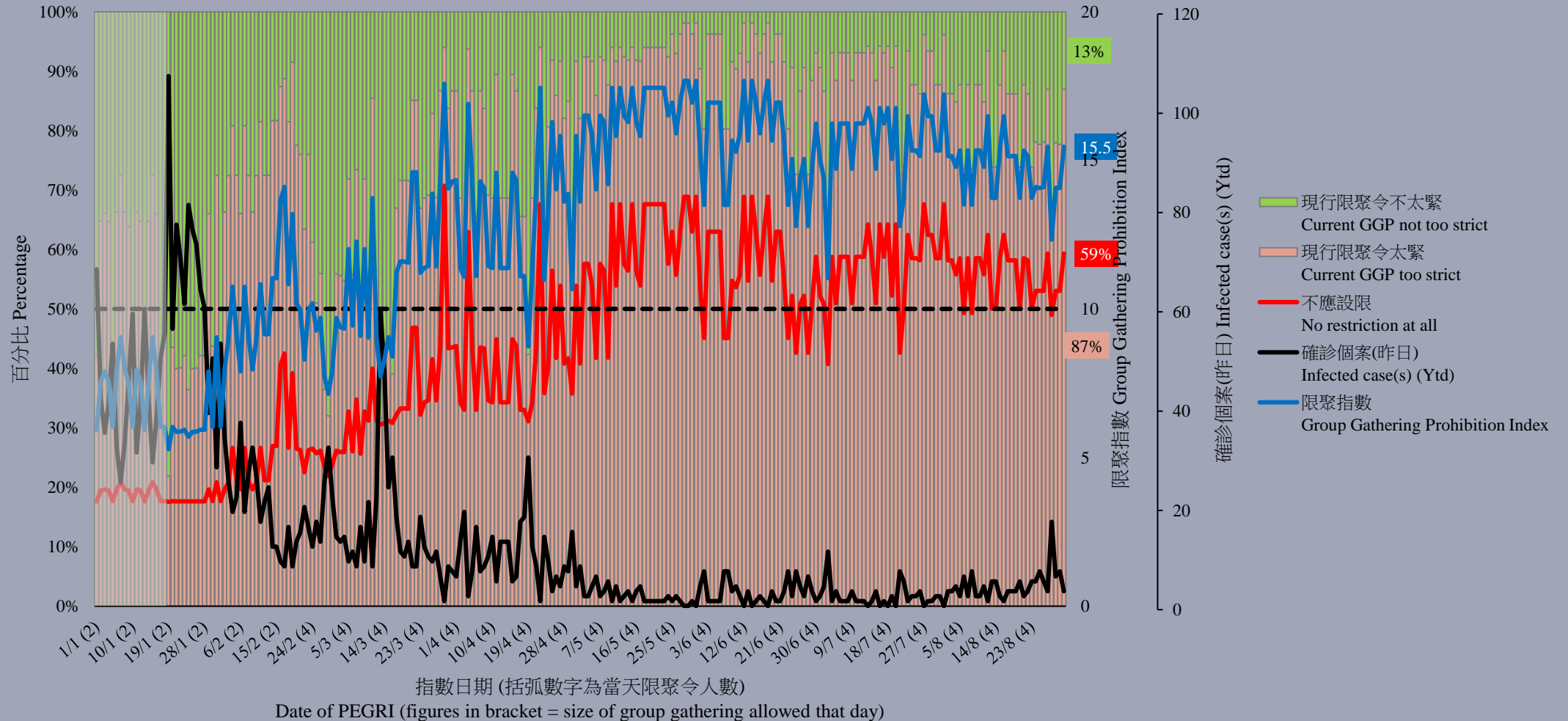
意見題目	Opinion Questions
<p>你認為香港應否無條件全面撤銷「限聚令」？</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ 應該無條件撤銷「限聚令」</li><li>▪ 不應該，應視乎疫情而定</li><li>▪ 不知道／很難說</li></ul> <p>[追問沒有選擇應該“無條件撤銷「限聚令」”者] 你認為每天新增確診個案數應是多少，才適合將「限聚令」訂於2人？ 你認為每天新增確診個案數應是多少，才適合將「限聚令」訂於4人？ 你認為每天新增確診個案數應是多少，才適合將「限聚令」訂於8人？ 你認為每天新增確診個案數應是多少，才適合將「限聚令」訂於16人？ 你認為感染個案清零多少天後，限聚令應該全面撤銷？</p> <p>請於以下欄位列舉你認為合適的 [個案數 及 限聚人數] 組合.....</p>	<p>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?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Yes, the ban should be lifted unconditionally</li><li>▪ No, it should depend on the epidemic situation</li><li>▪ Don't know / hard to say</li></ul> <p>[For respondents NOT answering “Yes, the ban should be lifted unconditionally”] How many newly confirmed cases each day should there be before it would be appropriate to prohibit gatherings of more than 2 people? How many newly confirmed cases each day should there be before it would be appropriate to prohibit gatherings of more than 4 people? 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 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?</p> <p>Please list combinations of [number of cases &amp; number of people allowed in gatherings] that you think is appropriate in the field below:</p>

# 調查結果 - 限聚接受程度

## Survey Result – Group Gathering Prohibition Acceptance Level

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限聚接受程度 Group Gathering Prohibition Acceptance Level



## 限聚指數 - 分析評論

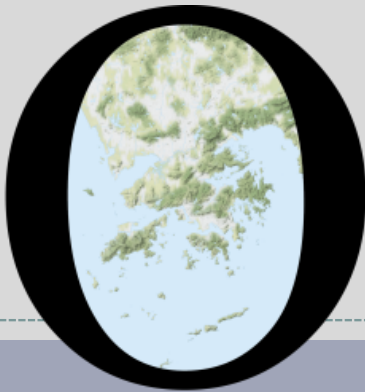
### Group Gathering Prohibition Index – Commentary

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獨立評論人潘麒智指出：「變種病毒肆虐，專家認為達致群體免疫根本難以實行，但港府卻繼續盲目盲針，以全民接種為目標，並有意推行『健康通行證』，只准完成接種疫苗的市民進入部分處所。根據現行防疫限制，大部分食肆、戲院及美容院等尚未設疫苗要求的行業，很可能淪為盲針的目標。過去一年飽受疫情及防疫措施打擊的處所將雪上加霜，此舉完全是與民為敵，將百業趕上絕路，本人認為港府應三思。」

**Independent commentator KC Poon observed, “Experts believe that herd immunity is impracticable due to virus mutation. However, the Hong Kong government is blindly insisting for universal vaccination, and intends to introduce the ‘Health Pass’ which only allows vaccinated people to enter certain premises. Most businesses like restaurants, cinemas and beauty salons, which do not have vaccination requirement yet are likely to be the target. These businesses have been hard hit by the epidemic, they are set to suffer more. This move is totally against people’s will and would drive all businesses to the brink of extinction. I think the government should think again and again.”**

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- Date of survey: 20-26/8/2021
- Survey method: Random telephone survey conducted by real interviewers
- Target population: Cantonese-speaking Hong Kong residents aged 18 or above
- Sample size: 1,003 (including 505 landline and 498 mobile samples)
- Effective response rate: 52.9%
- 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 +/-2.1 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

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- Popularity of Chief Executive
- Popularity of HKSAR Government
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  - People's appraisals of society's conditions
- Public Sentiment Index

# Survey Result - Popularity of Chief Executive

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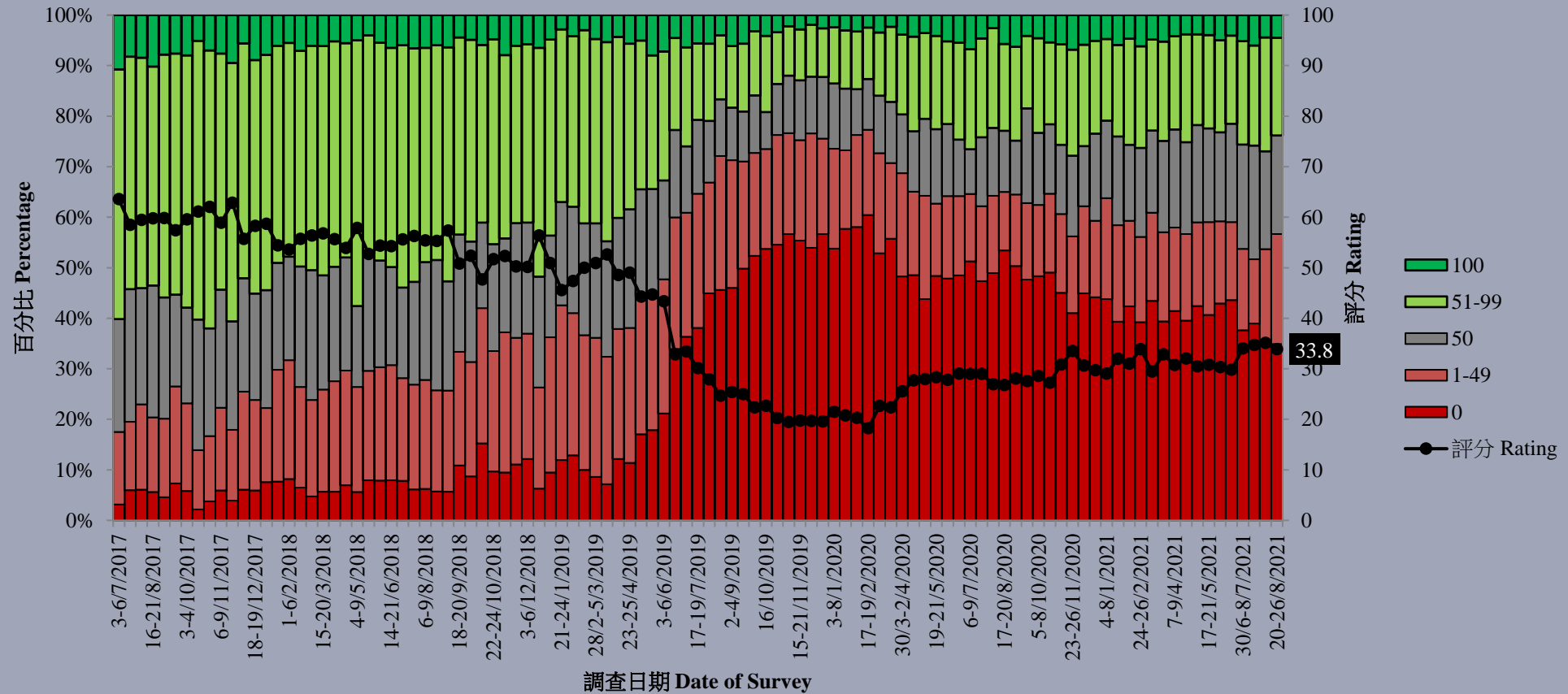
## ● Popularity of Chief Executive

		9-12/8/2021	20-26/8/2021	Change	Record
CE Carrie Lam	Rating	35.1	33.8	▼1.3	Record <b>low</b> since Jun. 2021
	Vote of confidence	20%	20%	▼1%	Record <b>low</b> since Jun. 2021
	Vote of no confidence	66%	68%	▲2%	Record <b>high</b> since Jun. 2021
	Net approval rate	-46%	-48%	▼3%	Record <b>low</b> since Jun. 2021

- Our latest survey shows that the popularity rating of CE Carrie Lam is 33.8 marks, with 34% of respondents giving her 0 mark. Her approval rate is 20%, disapproval rate 68%, giving a net popularity of negative 48 percentage points. All these figures have not changed much from half a month ago.

# Survey Result - Popularity of Chief Executive

特首林鄭月娥評分 (按次計算)  
Rating for Chief Executive Carrie Lam (Per Poll)  
(7/2017 – 8/2021)



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# Survey Result - Popularity of HKSAR Government

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## ● People's satisfaction with the HKSAR Government

	19-22/7/2021	20-26/8/2021	Change	Record
Satisfaction rate	24%	21%	▼3%	Record low since May 2021
Dissatisfaction rate	58%	59%	▲1%	Record high since Jun. 2021
Net satisfaction rate	-34%	-38%	▼4%	Record low since May 2021
Mean value	2.3	2.3	--	--

- Regarding the HKSAR Government, the latest satisfaction rate is 21%, whereas dissatisfaction rate stands at 59%, thus the net satisfaction is negative 38 percentage points. The mean score is 2.3, meaning between “quite dissatisfied” and “half-half” in general. Figures have not changed much from a month ago.

# Survey Result - Popularity of HKSAR Government

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## ● People's trust in the HKSAR Government

	19-22/7/2021	20-26/8/2021	Change	Record
Trust	38%	34%	▼4%	Record low since Jun. 2021
Distrust	50%	50%	▼1%	Record low since Nov. 2020
Net trust	-12%	-16%	▼4%	Record low since Jun. 2021
Mean value	2.7	2.6	▼0.1	Record low since May 2021

- Regarding people's trust in the HKSAR Government, 34% of the respondents expressed trust, 50% expressed distrust, thus the net trust value is negative 16 percentage points. The mean score is 2.6, meaning between “quite distrust” and “half-half” in general. All these figures have not changed much from a month ago.

# Survey Result - Popularity of HKSAR Government

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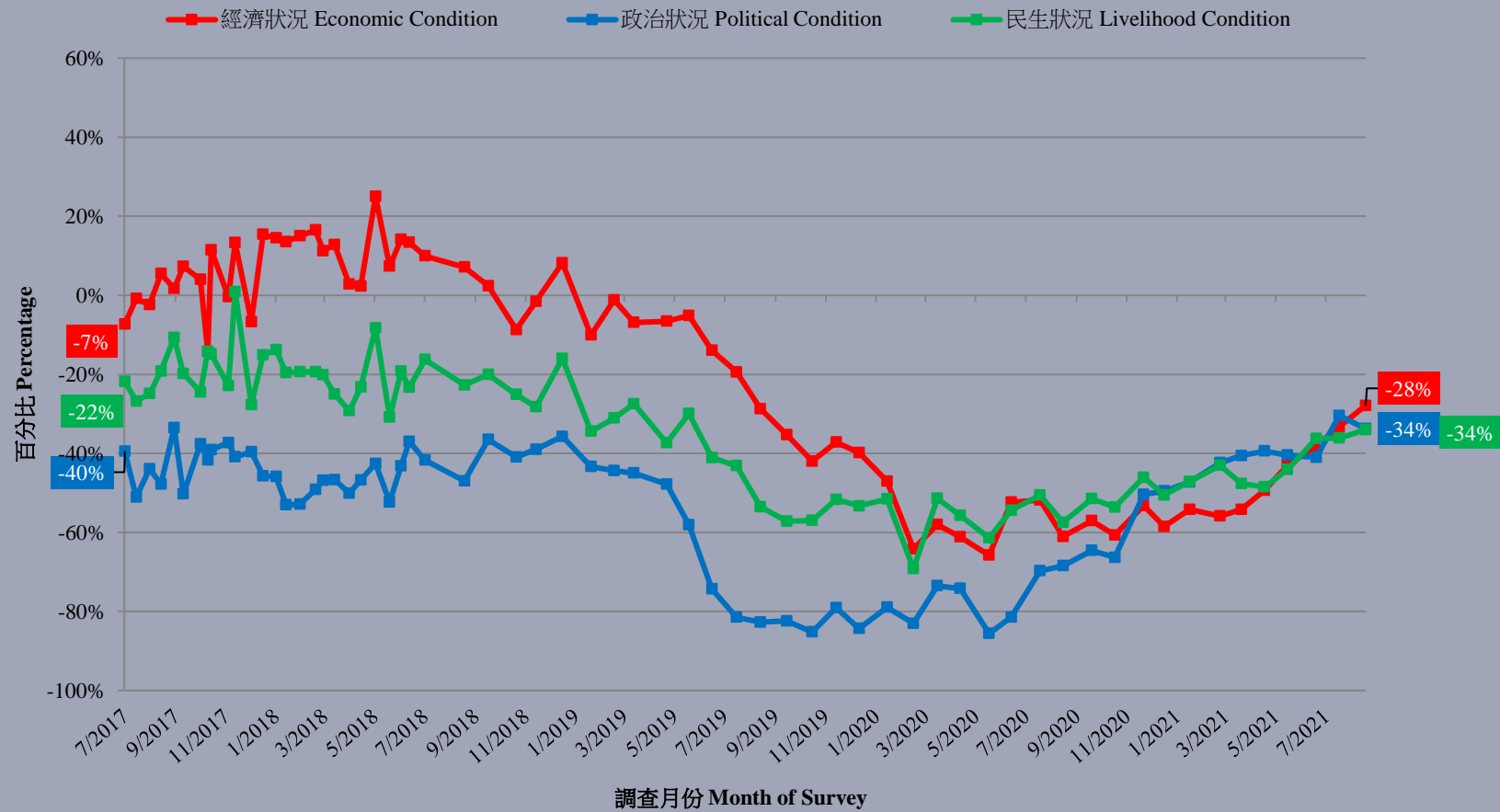
## ● People's appraisals of society's conditions

	19-22/7/2021	20-26/8/2021	Change	Record
Economic condition	-33%	-28%	▲5%	Record <b>high</b> since Jul. 2019
Political condition	-30%	-34%	▼3%	Record <b>low</b> since Jun. 2021
Livelihood condition	-36%	-34%	▲2%	Record <b>high</b> since May 2019

- As for people's satisfaction with the current economic, political and livelihood conditions, the latest net satisfaction rates are negative 28, negative 34 and negative 34 percentage points respectively. All these figures have not changed much from a month ago, but the net satisfaction rate for livelihood condition has registered a record **high** since May 2019.

# Survey Result - Popularity of HKSAR Government

市民對社會狀況的評價滿意率淨值 (按次計算)  
Net satisfaction rates of people's appraisals of society's conditions (Per Poll)  
(7/2017 – 8/2021)





# Survey Topic

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# Survey Result - Public Sentiment Index

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## ● Public Sentiment Index (PSI)

	12/8/2021	26/8/2021	Change	Record
Public Sentiment Index (PSI)	81.3	80.7	▼0.6	Record <b>low</b> since Jul. 2021
Government Appraisal (GA)	76.1	73.7	▼2.4	Record <b>low</b> since Jul. 2021
Society Appraisal (SA)	83.3	84.5	▲1.3	Record <b>high</b> since Jun. 2019

- All PSI, GA and SA scores range between 0 to 200, with 100 meaning normal.
- The latest PSI stands at 80.7, down by 0.6 point from early August. It can be considered as among the worst 10% across the past 20 years or so. Two component scores of PSI also can be considered as among the worst 4% and 15% across the past 20 years or so respectively. Meanwhile, SA has registered a record **high** again since early June 2019.

# Survey Result - Public Sentiment Index

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民情指數 (按月計算)  
Public Sentiment Index (monthly average)  
(7/1992 - 8/2021)

