

Statistics of Payment Cards Issued in Hong Kong for Second Quarter 2024⁽¹⁾

	Q2 23	Q1 24	Q2 24	Quarterly Change	Yearly Change
Total number of credit cards in circulation ('000)	19,708	19,984	19,894	-0.5%	+0.9%
Total number of credit card transactions ('000)	254,119	302,343	322,059	+6.5%	+26.7%
<i>of which</i> Retail sales	252,185	300,385	320,061	+6.6%	+26.9%
of which Hong Kong spending	200,395	240,013	247,654	+3.2%	+23.6%
Overseas spending	51,790	60,372	72,407	+19.9%	+39.8%
Cash advances	1,934	1,958	1,999	+2.1%	+3.4%
Total value of credit card transactions (\$HK Mn)	217,474	252,792	239,201	-5.4%	+10.0%
<i>of which</i> Retail sales	208,632	243,511	230,172	-5.5%	+10.3%
of which Hong Kong spending	158,004	185,189	165,554	-10.6%	+4.8%
Overseas spending	50,629	58,322	64,617	+10.8%	+27.6%
Cash advances	8,842	9,280	9,030	-2.7%	+2.1%
Total number of debit card transactions for retail sales/bill payments ('000)	44,434	48,299	51,776	+7.2%	+16.5%
Total value of debit card transactions for retail sales/bill payments (\$HK Mn)	68,106	75,278	66,780	-11.3%	-1.9%

Notes:

1. Please refer to Notes to Press Release for explanations of the statistics. The figures may not add up due to rounding.