

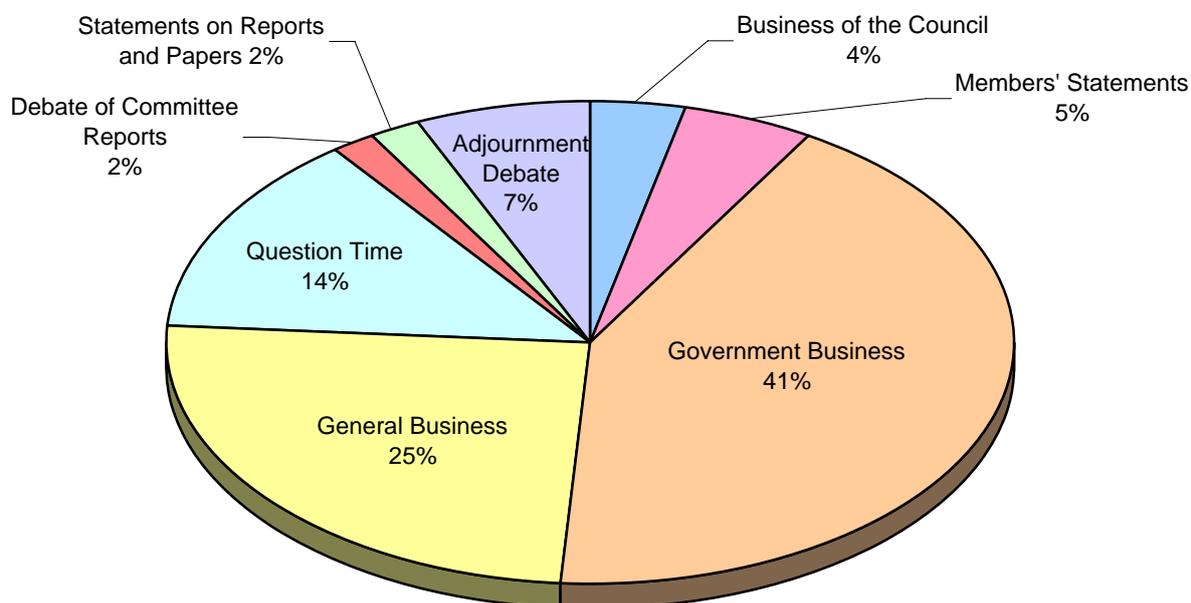


Legislative Council Statistics

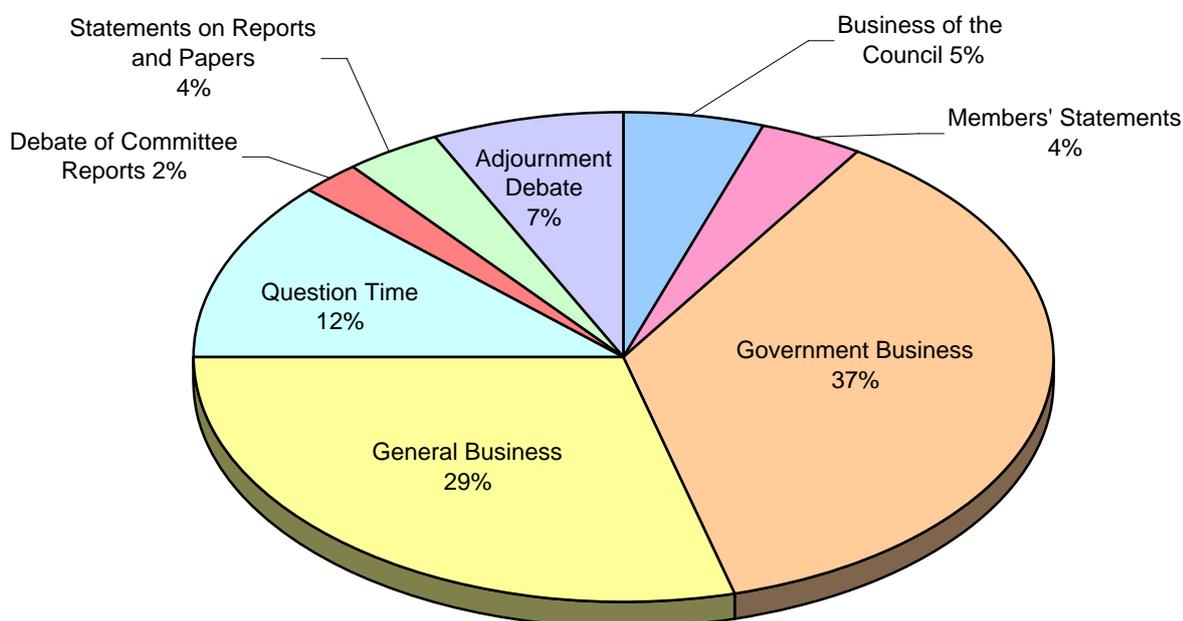
	13 – 15 October 2009	2009 to date	56 th Parliament to date
Sitting days and hours			
Sitting days	3	38	141
Hours	30 hrs 58 mins	370 hrs 1 min	1328 hrs 19 mins
Average hours per day	10 hrs 19 mins	9 hrs 44 mins	9 hrs 25 mins
Longest sitting day	13 hrs 1 min	13 hrs 23 mins	17 hrs 46 mins
Bills			
Bills introduced			
— Total	10	73	257
— Initiated in Council	1	3	13
— Received from Assembly	9	70	244
— Government Bills	10	71	246
— Private Members' Bills	0	2	11
Bills dealt with			
— Passed	5	62	227
— Defeated	1	2	8
— Withdrawn	0	0	2
— Considered in Committee	3	30	87
Amendments			
— Sets of amendments circulated	1	38	122
— Bills Passed without amendment	5	53	199
— Bills Passed with amendment/s	0	9	28
Questions			
Questions without notice	30	350	1,380
Questions on notice	485	1,434	10,144
Answers to Questions on notice	105	4,038	8,721
Petitions			
Petitions presented	12	103	277
Signatures on petitions	6,078	61,583	172,776
General Business Motions			
Notices given	6	118	406
Agreed to	8	39	95
Defeated	1	7	23
Divisions			
In the House	9	57	182
In Committee	3	39	156

Breakdown of Business in the Legislative Council

13 to 15 October 2009



2009 to date



- **Government business** includes Government sponsored legislation and motions and ministerial statements.
- **General business** includes legislation and motions initiated by Members of the non-Government parties.
- **Business of the Council** includes time spent on presentation of petitions, giving notices, presentation of papers (excluding motions to take note of Committee Reports), privilege matters, personal explanations and condolence motions.