

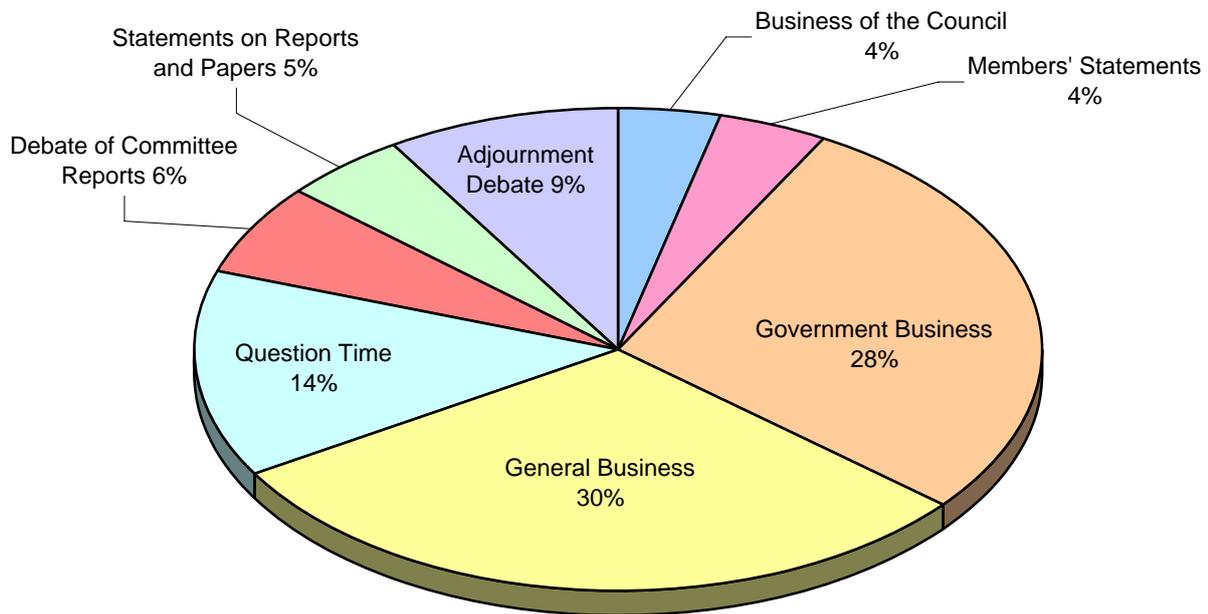


Legislative Council Statistics

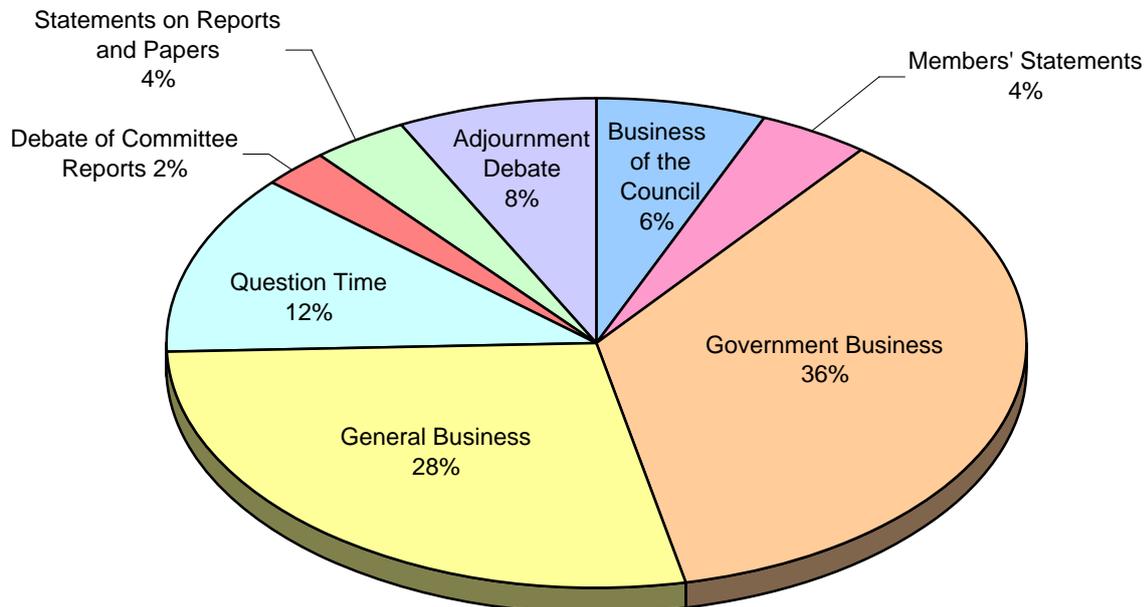
	28 – 30 July 2009	2009 to date	56 th Parliament to date
Sitting days and hours			
Sitting days	3	26	129
Hours	25 hrs 13 mins	247 hrs 54 mins	1206 hrs 12 mins
Average hours per day	8 hrs 24 mins	9 hrs 32 mins	9 hrs 21 mins
Longest sitting day	9 hrs 29 mins	13 hrs 23 mins	17 hrs 46 mins
Bills			
Bills introduced			
— Total	4	45	229
— Initiated in Council	0	2	12
— Received from Assembly	4	43	217
— Government Bills	4	43	218
— Private Members' Bills	0	2	11
Bills dealt with			
— Passed	5	45	210
— Defeated	0	1	7
— Withdrawn	0	0	2
— Considered in Committee	3	20	77
Amendments			
— Sets of amendments circulated	2	29	113
— Bills Passed without amendment	4	38	184
— Bills Passed with amendment/s	1	7	26
Questions			
Questions without notice	30	230	1,260
Questions on notice	47	738	9,448
Answers to Questions on notice	211	3,653	8,337
Petitions			
Petitions presented	13	67	241
Signatures on petitions	9,235	46,850	158,043
General Business Motions			
Notices given	6	82	370
Agreed to	3	23	79
Defeated	1	4	20
Divisions			
In the House	4	37	162
In Committee	5	28	145

Breakdown of Business in the Legislative Council

28 to 30 July 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.