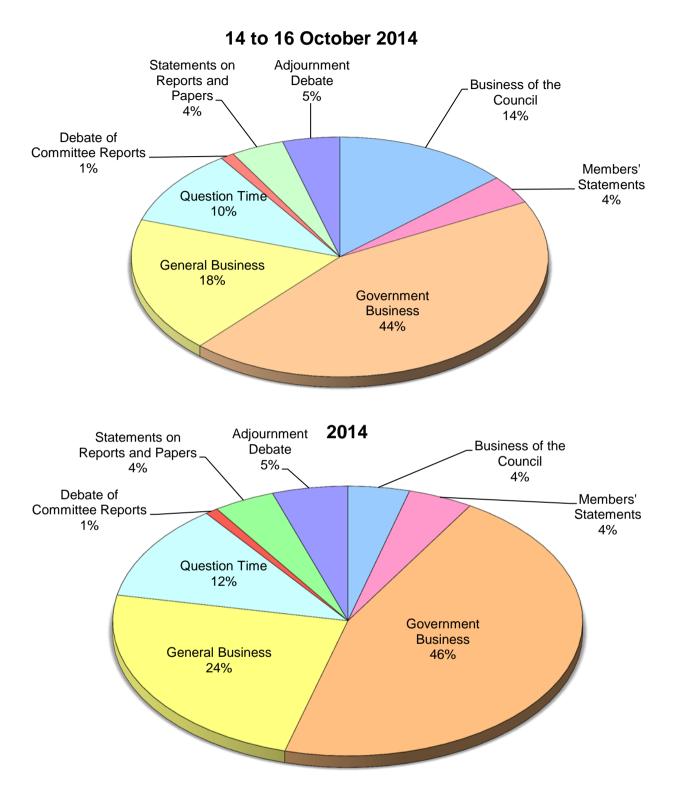


Legislative Council Statistics

	14 to 16 October 2014	2014 to date	57 th Parliament to date
Sitting days and hours			
Sitting days	3	42	197
Hours	32hrs 00mins	364hrs 7mins	1,729hrs 21mins
Average hours per day	10hrs 40mins	8hrs 40mins	8hrs 47mins
Longest sitting day	12hrs 2mins	12hrs 38mins	16hrs 35mins
Bills			
Bills introduced			
— Total	3	90	367
- Initiated in Council	2	31	57
— Received from Assembly	1	59	310
- Government Bills	2	86	350
— Private Members' Bills	1	4	17
Bills dealt with			
— Passed	8	88	339
— Defeated	0	3	9
— Withdrawn	0	3	7
- Considered in Committee	4	39	185
Amendments			
- Sets of amendments circulated	2	27	117
- Bills Passed without amendment	8	86	330
- Bills Passed with amendment/s	0	3	11
Questions			
Questions without notice	30	420	1,957
Questions on notice	0	718	10,696 ¹
Answers to Questions on notice	525	892	10,511
Petitions			
Petitions presented	7	35	236
Signatures on petitions	15,712	44,350	120,710
General Business Motions			
Notices given	4	84	641
Agreed to	0	7	66
Defeated	0	20	83
Divisions			
In the House	6	72	323
In Committee	2	56	219

¹ Please note that due to the resignation of two Members 70 questions on notice have been withdrawn.



Breakdown of Business in the Legislative Council

• 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, special business, personal explanations and condolence motions.