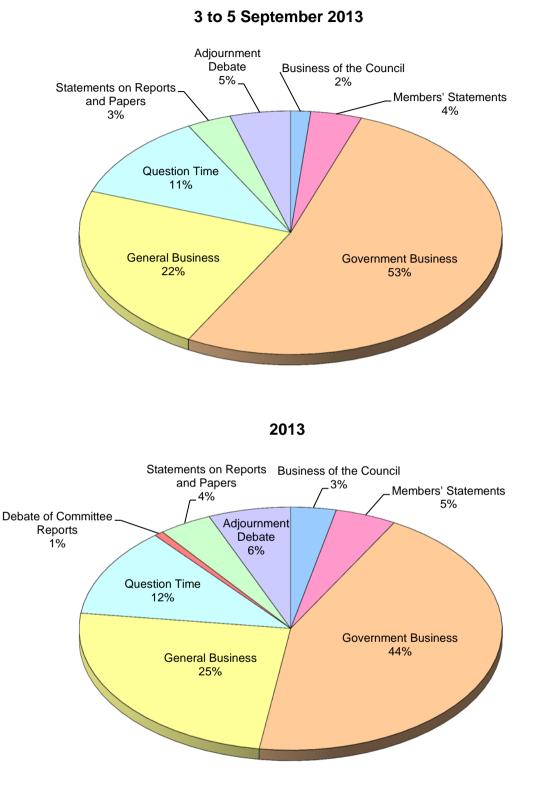


Legislative Council Statistics

	3 to 5	2013 to date	57 th Parliament
Sitting days and hours	September 2013		to date
Sitting days	3	33	137
Hours	29hrs 11mins	273hrs 50mins	1,218hrs 4mins
Average hours per day	9hrs 44mins	8hrs 18mins	8hrs 53mins
Longest sitting day	12hrs 17mins	12hrs 17mins	16hrs 35mins
Bills	121115 171111115	121115 171111115	Torns Sommis
Bills introduced			
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— Total	5	55	236
— Initiated in Council	0	4	20
- Received from Assembly	5	51	216
— Government Bills	5	53	226
— Private Members' Bills	0	2	10
Bills dealt with	1		1
— Passed	4	50	220
— Defeated	0	2	4
— Withdrawn	0	1	1
— Considered in Committee	3	31	132
Amendments			
 — Sets of amendments circulated 	1	17	78
- Bills Passed without amendment	4	48	212
— Bills Passed with amendment/s	0	2	8
Questions			
Questions without notice	30	320	1,357
Questions on notice	5	595	9,769 ¹
Answers to Questions on notice	5	795	9,282
Petitions			
Petitions presented	4	51	194
Signatures on petitions	333	19,683	75,249
General Business Motions			
Notices given	7	103	498
Agreed to	0	8	54
Defeated	1	12	57
Divisions			
In the House	7	45	218
In Committee	2	31	138

¹ Please note that due to the resignation of a Member 69 questions on notice have been withdrawn.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.