



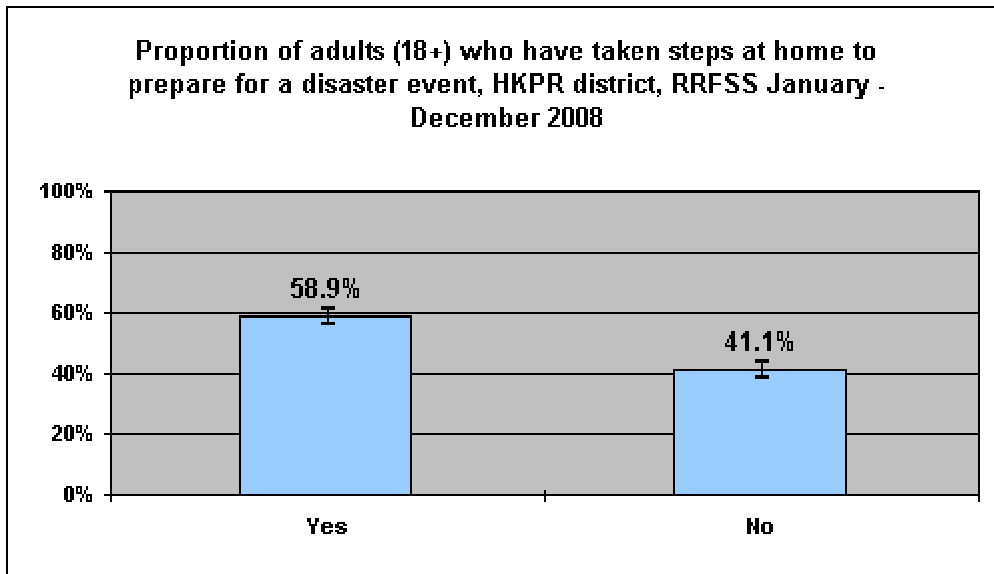
Proportion of adults (18+) who have taken steps at home to prepare for a disaster event, HKPR district, RRFSS January – December 2008

Table 1: Emergency Planning and Preparedness (overall)

Prepared at home for a disaster event	Proportion	95% upper confidence limit	95% lower confidence limit
Yes	58.9%	61.7%	56.1%
No	41.1%	43.9%	38.3%

sample size 1189

Figure 1: Emergency Planning and Preparedness (overall)



Interpretation:

58.9% (+/-3%) of adults (18+) reported they have taken steps at home to prepare for a disaster event.

41.1% (+/-3%) of adults (18+) reported they have not taken steps at home to prepare for a disaster event.

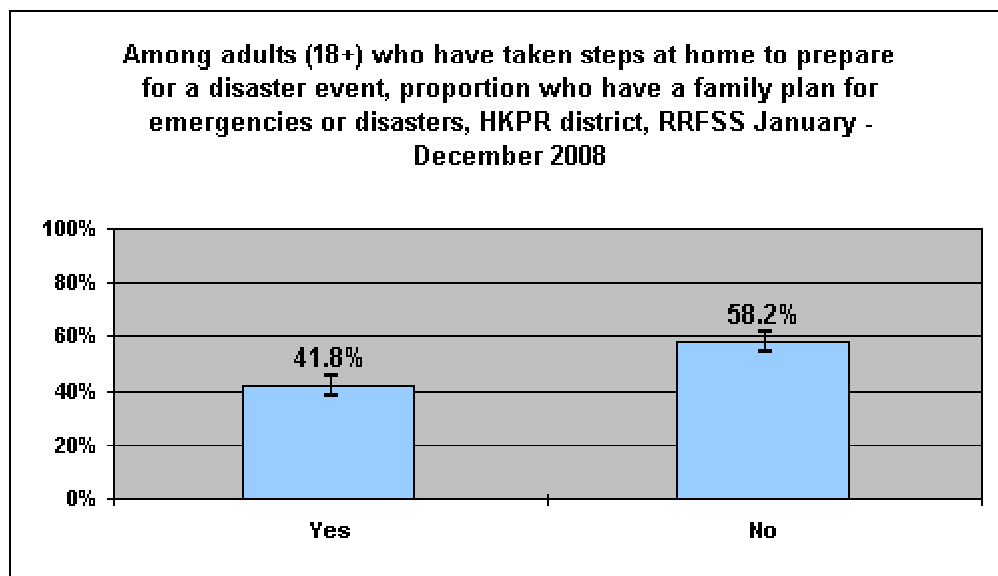
Among adults (18+) who have taken steps at home to prepare for a disaster event, proportion who have a family plan for emergencies or disasters, HKPR district, RRFSS January – December 2008

Table 2: Emergency Planning and Preparedness (family plan for emergencies or disasters)

Family plan for emergencies or disasters	Proportion	95% upper confidence limit	95% lower confidence limit
Yes	41.8%	45.5%	38.2%
No	58.2%	61.8%	54.5%

sample size 693

Figure 2: Emergency Planning and Preparedness (family plan for emergencies or disasters)



Interpretation:

41.8% (+/-4%) of adults (18+) reported having taken steps at home to prepare for a disaster event have a family plan for emergencies or disasters.

58.2% (+/-4%) of adults (18+) reported having taken steps at home to prepare for a disaster event do not have a family plan for emergencies or disasters.

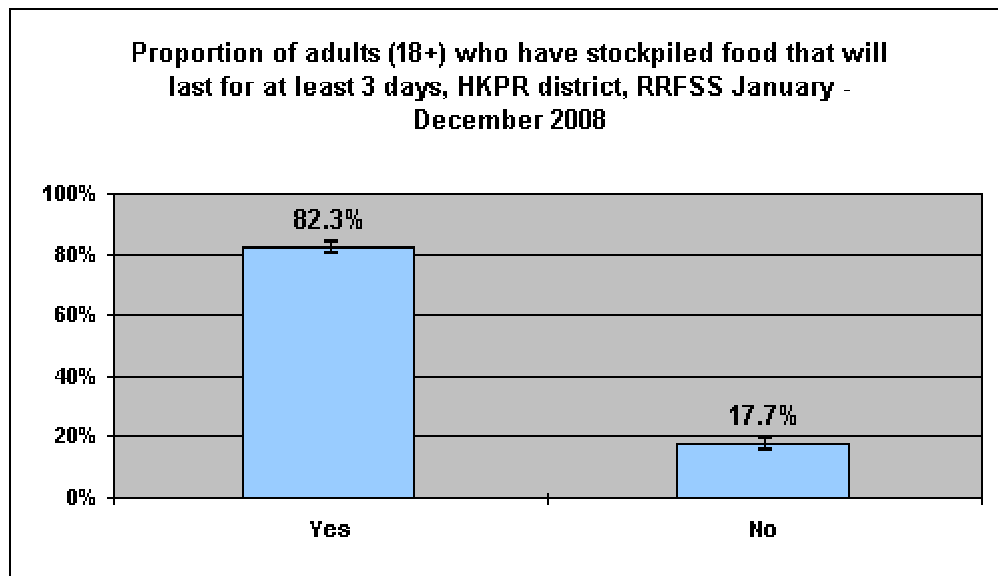
Proportion of adults (18+) who have stockpiled food that will last for at least 3 days, HKPR district, RRFSS January – December 2008

Table 3: Emergency Planning and Preparedness (food for at least 3 days)

Stockpiled food that will last for at least 3 days	Proportion	95% upper confidence limit	95% lower confidence limit
Yes	82.3%	84.4%	80.1%
No	17.7%	19.9%	15.6%

sample size 1199

Figure 3: Emergency Planning and Preparedness (food for at least 3 days)



Interpretation:

82.3% (+/-2%) of adults (18+) reported they have stockpiled food that will last for at least 3 days. 17.7% (+/-2%) of adults (18+) reported they have not stockpiled food that will last for at least 3 days.

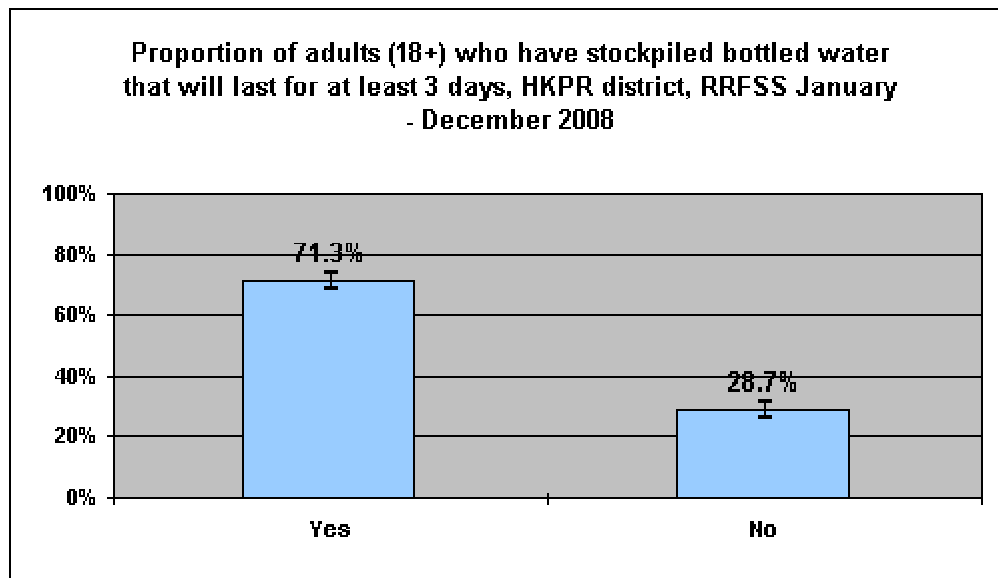
Proportion of adults (18+) who have stockpiled bottled water that will last for at least 3 days, HKPR district, RRFSS January – December 2008

Table 4: Emergency Planning and Preparedness (bottled water for at least 3 days)

Stockpiled bottled water that will last for at least 3 days	Proportion	95% upper confidence limit	95% lower confidence limit
Yes	71.3%	73.9%	68.8%
No	28.7%	31.2%	26.1%

sample size 1200

Figure 4: Emergency Planning and Preparedness (bottled water for at least 3 days)



Interpretation:

71.3% (+/-3%) of adults (18+) reported they have stockpiled bottled water that will last for at least 3 days.

28.7% (+/-3%) of adults (18+) reported they have not stockpiled bottled water that will last for at least 3 days.

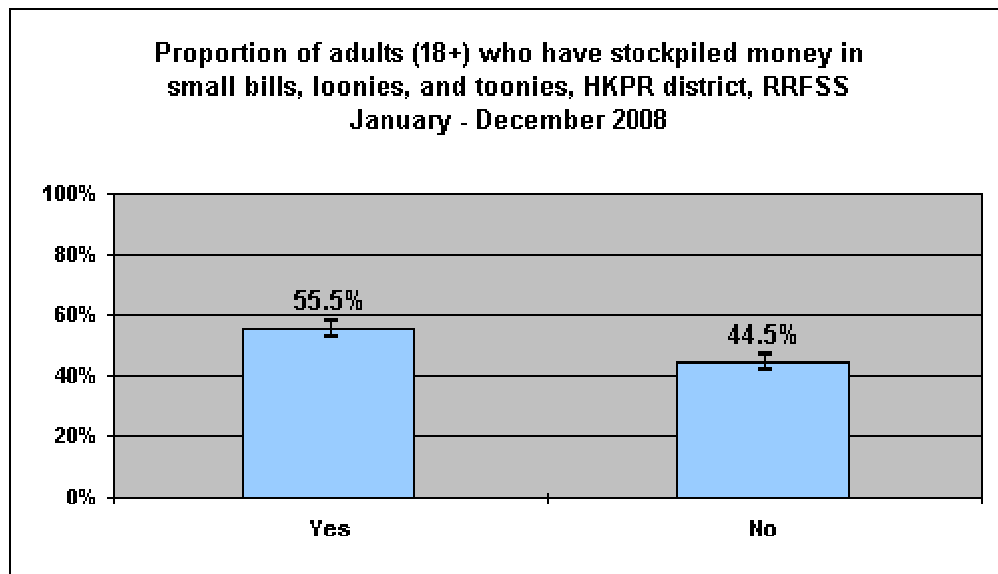
Proportion of adults (18+) who have stockpiled money in small bills, loonies and toonies, HKPR district, RRFSS January – December 2008

Table 5: Emergency Planning and Preparedness (money in small bills, loonies and toonies)

Stockpiled money in small bills, loonies, and toonies	Proportion	95% upper confidence limit	95% lower confidence limit
Yes	55.5%	58.4%	52.7%
No	44.5%	47.3%	41.6%

sample size 1192

Figure 5: Emergency Planning and Preparedness (money in small bills, loonies and toonies)



Interpretation:

55.5% (+/-2%) of adults (18+) reported they have stockpiled money in small bills, loonies and toonies.

44.5% (+/-2%) of adults (18+) reported they have not stockpiled money in small bills, loonies and toonies.

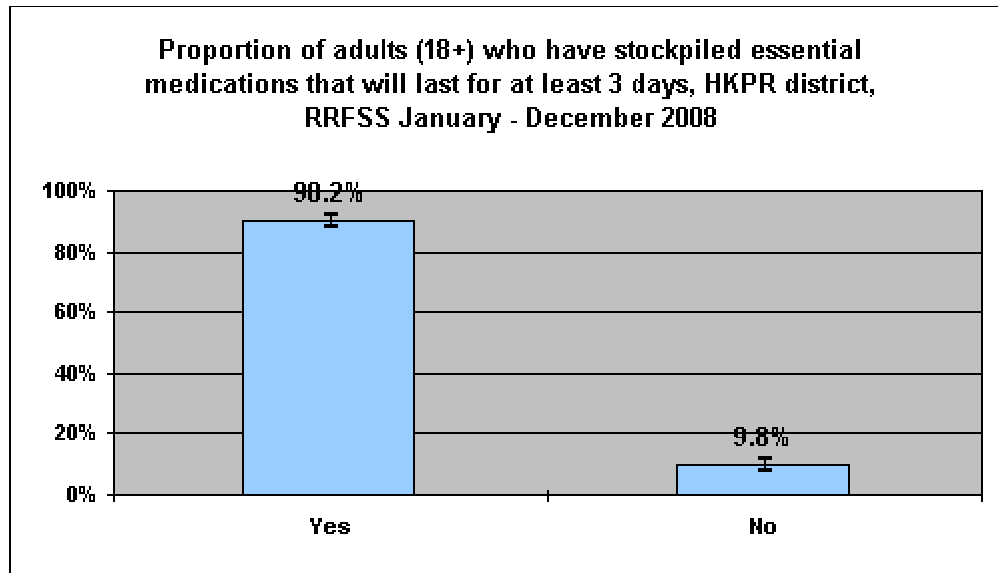
Proportion of adults (18+) who have stockpiled essential medications that will last for at least 3 days, HKPR district, RRFSS January – December 2008

Table 6: Emergency Planning and Preparedness (medications for at least 3 days)

Stockpiled essential medications that will last for at least 3 days	Proportion	95% upper confidence limit	95% lower confidence limit
Yes	90.2%	92.0%	88.4%
No	9.8%	11.6%	8.0%

sample size 1004

Figure 6: Emergency Planning and Preparedness (medications for at least 3 days)



Interpretation:

90.2% (+/-2%) of adults (18+) reported they have stockpiled essential medications that will last for at least 3 days.

9.8% (+/-2%) of adults (18+) reported they have not stockpiled essential medications that will last for at least 3 days.

Limitations:

1. Questions are only asked of adult residents aged 18+.
2. Telephone survey only conducted in English.
3. Results are based on self-reported behaviours.
4. (*) indicates that results are based on small sample size, thus estimates have high variability.

Notes:

- 1) The numbers in the tables and graphs are weighted.
 - 2) Missing responses are not included in the analysis.
 - 3) 'Don't Know' and 'Refused' responses are analyzed according to RRFSS Analysis Guidelines.
 - 4) Release criteria of the data are according to RRFSS Analysis Guidelines.
- * Interpret with caution, high variability.
** Data not released.
- 5) Table 6, Figure 6: Respondents who report they do not take medications are excluded from the analysis.