

Comparison of drinking water charges in Hong Kong, China with other major cities in 2023

For a consumption of 100 cubic metres of drinking water

City	Total Drinking Water Charges HK\$
London, United Kingdom	1,683 ^(Note 2)
Paris, France	1,370
Tokyo, Japan	907
Macao, China	654
Beijing, China	447 ^(Note 2)
Taipei, Taiwan, China	351
Shenzhen, China	320 ^(Note 2)
Seoul, Rep. of Korea	316
Shanghai, China	279 ^(Note 2)
Hong Kong, China	262

Note:

1. The above information is generally compiled based on the statistics for 2023 published by the International Water Association (IWA).
2. The information for these cities are compiled based on the statistics for 2017 or 2021 published by IWA as the statistics for 2023 have not covered these cities.
3. Quoted in Hong Kong dollars at HK\$7.80=US\$1.
4. Total drinking water charges in the IWA report include fixed, variable, other relevant charges and value-added tax.