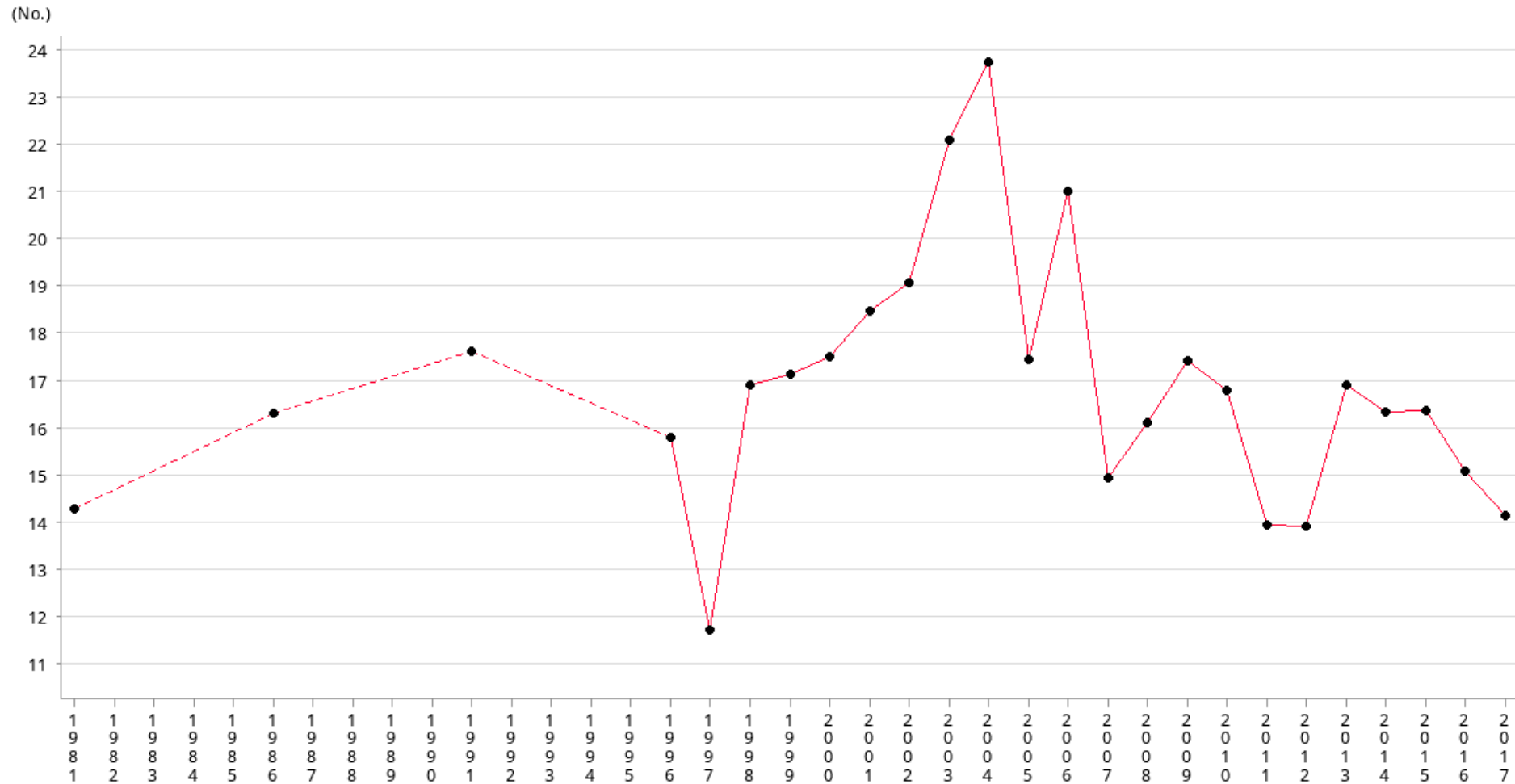


Social Indicators of Hong Kong
 Adult suicides per 100,000 persons (aged 20+)



Year	1981	1986	1991	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
No.	14.28	16.31	17.63	15.80	11.72	16.91	17.16	17.51	18.47	19.07	22.13	23.77	17.47	21.02
Year	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017			
No.	14.94	16.10	17.44	16.81	13.94	13.92	16.92	16.33	16.37	15.08	14.14			

Operational Definitions

The number of suicides committed by persons aged 20 and over per 100,000 population, based on mid-year estimate of population. Figures exclude injury undetermined whether accidentally or purposely inflicted.

Footnote

All figures are collected from Judiciary since 1991.

Figures for 1981 and 1986 are obtained from Prof. Daniel Shek who got data from the Census and Statistics Department on suicide death. figures for 2003 onwards were from Judiciary Coroner's Reports.