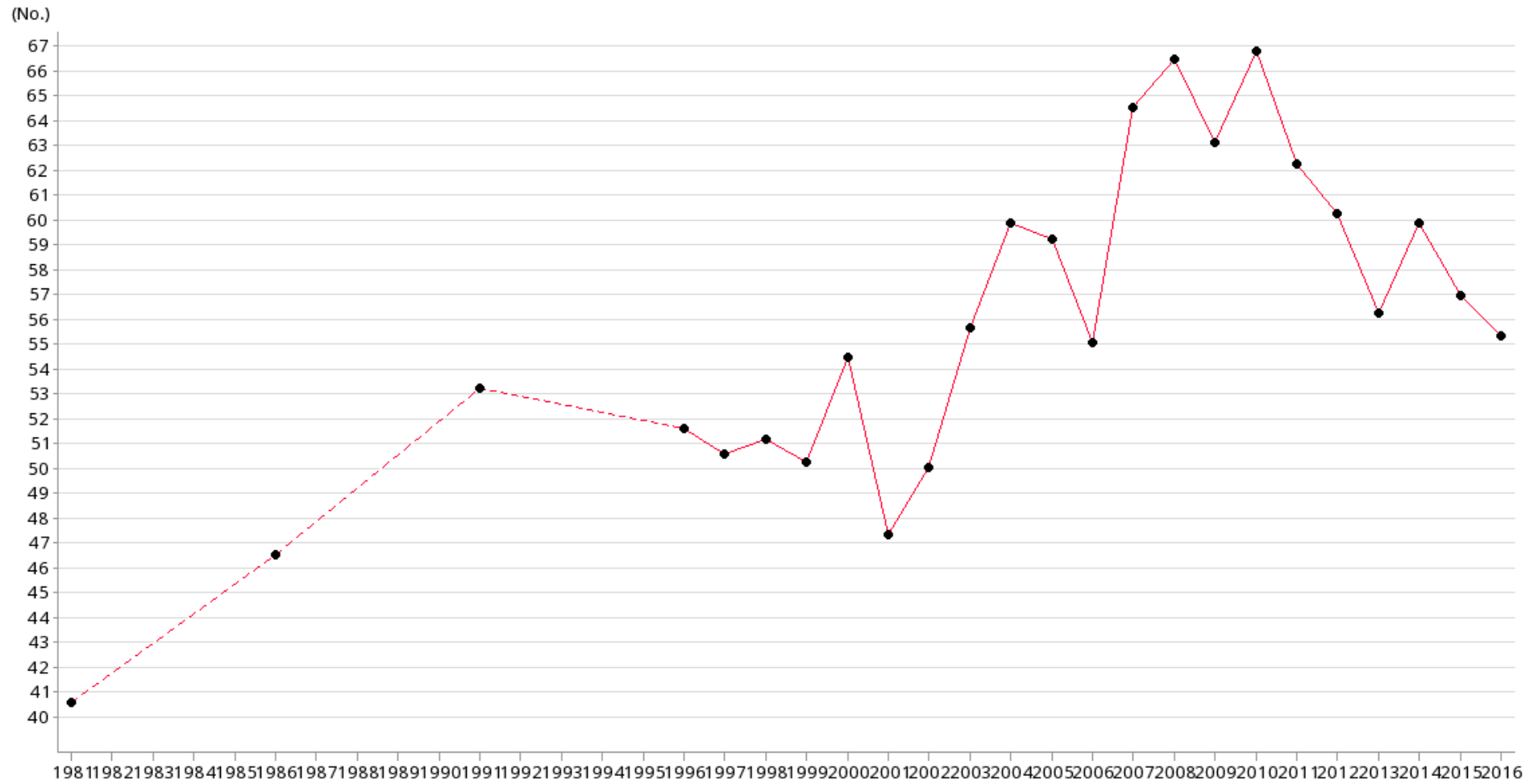


Social Indicators of Hong Kong  
Death rate from coronary heart disease per 100,000 population



Year	1981	1986	1991	1996	1997
No.	40.57	46.39	52.89	51.3	50.31
Year	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
No.	50.92	50.01	54.09	47.17	49.78
Year	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
No.	55.28	59.38	58.75	54.67	63.92
Year	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
No.	65.78	62.53	66.099999999999994	61.67	59.75
Year	2013	2014	2015	2016	
No.	55.82	59.38	56.55	54.96	

### Operational Definitions

Classification of diseases and causes of death is based on the International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems (ICD) 10th Revision from 2001 onwards. Figures from 2001 onwards may not be comparable with figures for previous years which were compiled based on the ICD 9th Revision.

### Footnote

All figures are collected from Department of Health since 1999.

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years which were compiled based on the ICD 9th Revision.

2. (DH, 27Feb 2008) The population-related figures are compiled based on the population estimates under the "resident population" approach.

Also, the Population By-census conducted in July to August 2006 provides a benchmark for revising the population estimates compiled since the 2001 Population Census. Data Source: Department of Health, January 31, 2000 (Fax).

DH (3Nov2009) suggested refining operationa definition as "The number of registered deaths from coronary heart disease which are classified as ICD9: 410-414 and ICD10: I20-I25 per 100,000 population."