Broadcasting Services Survey 2002

- **Key Findings** - (Sound Broadcasting)

Broadcasting Authority

SURVEY OBJECTIVES

- To collect public opinions on domestic free television programme services and sound broadcasting services
- To assess whether the current licence conditions and codes of practice are in line with the aspirations and values of local viewers and listeners
- To assess the quality of services and to identify areas for improvement
- To assess the perceptions of the viewers and listeners on the level of acceptability of materials broadcast

METHODOLOGY

Interview period : 5 February - 24 March 2002

Interviewees : Persons aged 12 or above watching TV or listening to radio in

past seven days

Sampling method : Random sampling

Sample size : 3,014 respondents interviewed

1,553 were also interviewed for sound broadcasting services

Response rate of 76%

Reliability: 95%

sampling error : TV programme services - ± 1.79%

Sound broadcasting services - ± 2.49%

Listening Habits

Reasons for listening to radio

For entertainment

For information such as news/ weather/ financial/ traffic reports

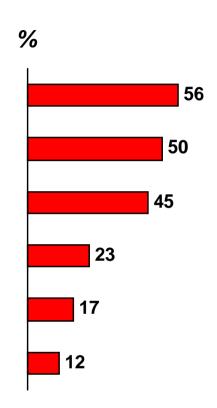
For music

For education/ enrichment

There is nothing better to do

For company

Others (each less than 10%)



Listening Habits

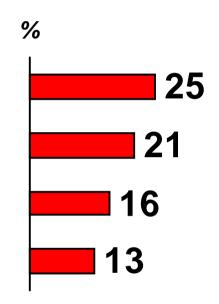
Type of Programme listened to most often

Magazine/ talk shows

Music programme

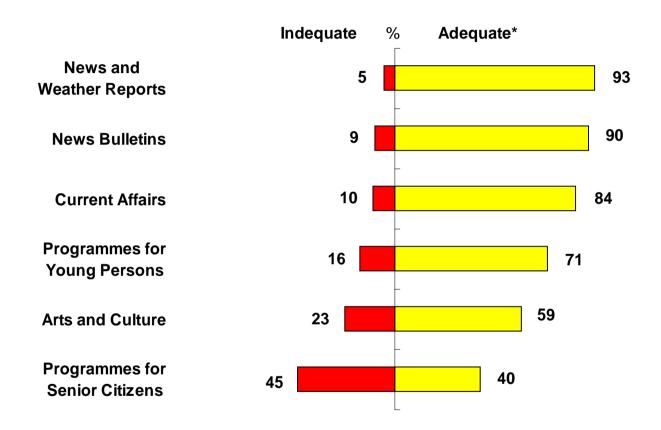
Current affairs

News



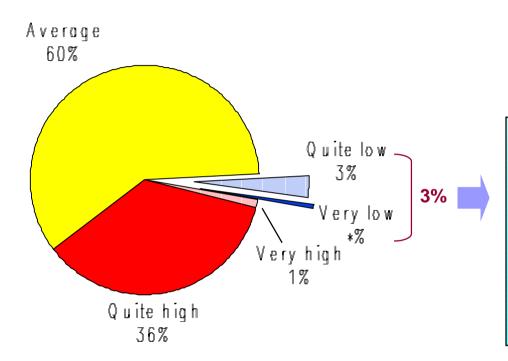
Others (e.g, sports, drama, etc) (each less than 10%)

Adequacy of Positive Programmes



^{*} Does not include percentage indicating no comment/knowledge

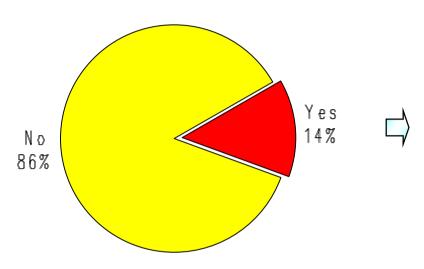
Radio Programme Quality

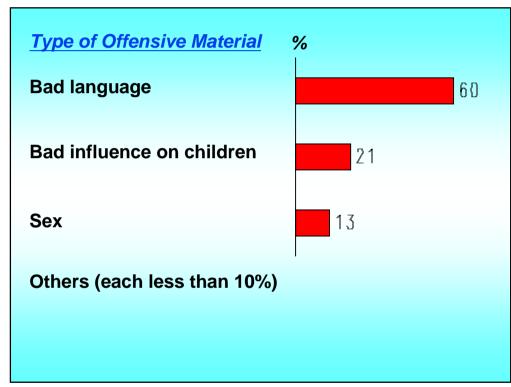


Reasons for considering the radio programme to be of low quality	%
Content not meaningful	33
Crude language of DJ	24
Not enough educational and information programme 14	

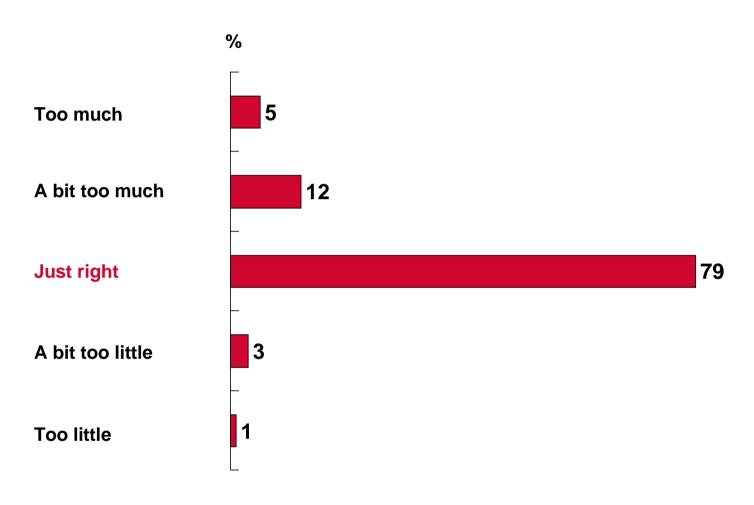
Radio Programme Standards





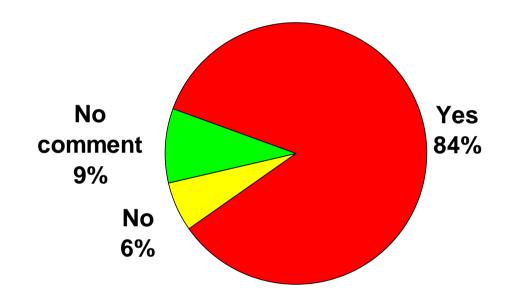


Radio Advertising Quantity



Language Requirement on Radio

Two Cantonese Channels and one English Channel



Language Requirement on Radio

Putonghua Programmes

