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Apart from providing up-to-date statistics, this issue also contains a feature article entitled "Use of Language in Hong Kong".

"Use of Language in Hong Kong"

The C&SD conducted a Thematic Household Survey on use of language in Hong Kong during September to December 2021 to collect information on Hong Kong persons aged 6 to 65 on the use of spoken and written Chinese and English. This feature article gives a brief account of the major findings of the survey.

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