

**Numbers of Enforcement Actions Taken and
Numbers of Prosecutions and Convictions against
Offences related to Taxi Services
from 2022 to the Third Quarter of 2024**

The numbers of enforcement actions taken (i.e. the number of summons issued or arrests) as well as the numbers of prosecutions and convictions against the offences related to taxi services during the period from 2022 to the third quarter of 2024 are respectively set out in the two tables below –

Offence	No. of enforcement actions taken by the HKPF		
	2022	2023	Q1 – Q3 2024
(i) Overcharging	17	42	19
(ii) Refusing or neglecting to accept a hire	65	85	48
(iii) Refusing or neglecting to drive a taxi to the place indicated by the hirer	30	18	14
(iv) Driving to a destination other than by the most direct practicable route	13	13	15
(v) Offences involving taximeters	26	12	26
(vi) Others (Note)	851	1 163	913

Offence	2022		2023		Q1–Q3 2024	
	No. of prosecutions	No. of convictions	No. of prosecutions	No. of convictions	No. of prosecutions	No. of convictions
(i) Overcharging	6	6	27	27	21	21
(ii) Refusing or neglecting to accept a hire	0	0	0	0	0	0
(iii) Refusing or neglecting to drive a taxi to the place indicated by the hirer	0	0	1	1	0	0

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(iv) Driving to a destination other than by the most direct practicable route	0	0	0	0	0	0
(v) Offences involving taximeters	5	5	17	17	22	22
(vi) Others (Note)	2	2	10	10	12	12

Note: Other offences include not properly displaying the scale of fares chargeable in respect of the use of the taxi or a taxi driver identity plate, etc. Such figures do not include the number of enforcement actions taken, prosecutions or convictions of taxi drivers violating offences relating to improper driving behaviour (e.g. careless driving, speeding, etc).

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