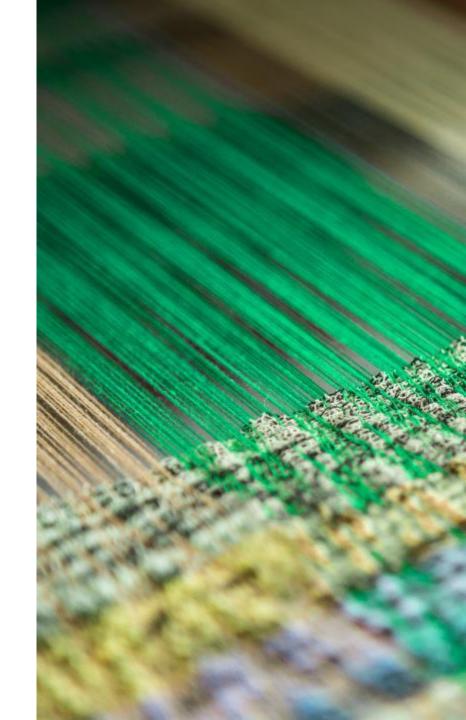


Way forward for Hongkongers

with expected monthly retirement income just on third of current level

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Asia is Diverse –

especially when it comes to retirement planning

The Asia population is aging at a speed that surpasses the rest of the world.

By 2030...

- One in every six people in the world will be aged 60 years or over (WHO)¹
- One out of four people in Asia will be over 60 (Asian Development Bank)²

Source: "World Population Prospects 2022, Online Edition," United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs, Population Division, 2022.

Explore your retirement journey in **Diverse Asia**

In our Diverse Asia series, we investigate the retirement readiness across the region.

We look into the demographic characteristics of different Asian markets, government support systems, and how people are coping with the retirement agenda.

Our goal is to provide insights for individuals to better plan for their retirement by identifying the financial and expectation gaps that may exist.





Defining the concept of aging across different **Asian** markets



An Young

Regions in which less than 7% of the population is aged 65+



Ageing

Regions in which 7% to 13% of the population is aged 65+



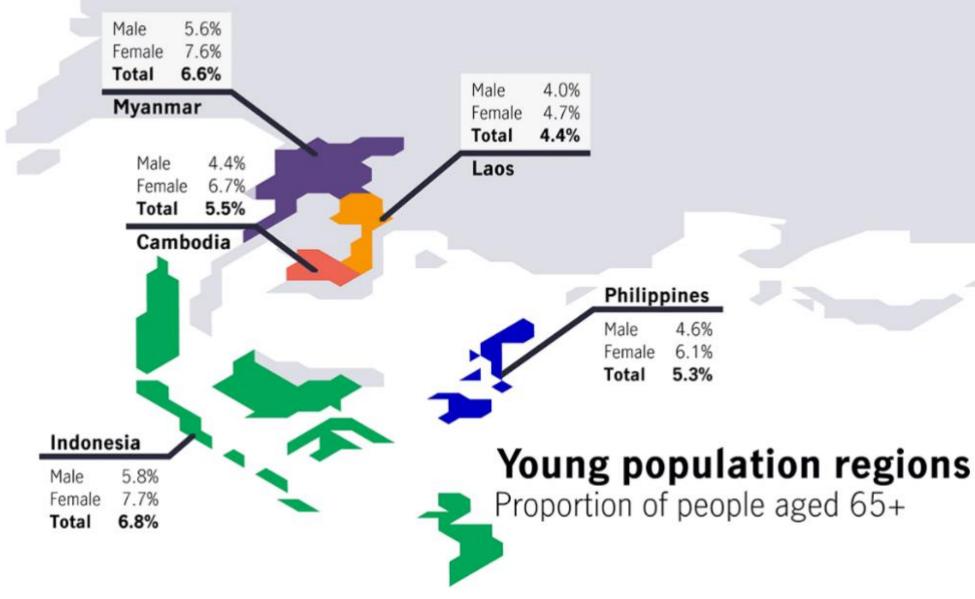
Aged

Regions in which 14% to 20% of the population is aged 65+



Super-aged

Regions in which more than 20% of the population is aged 65 +



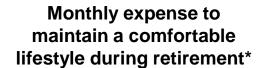
Is Hongkongers' retirement income enough?

The answer is...

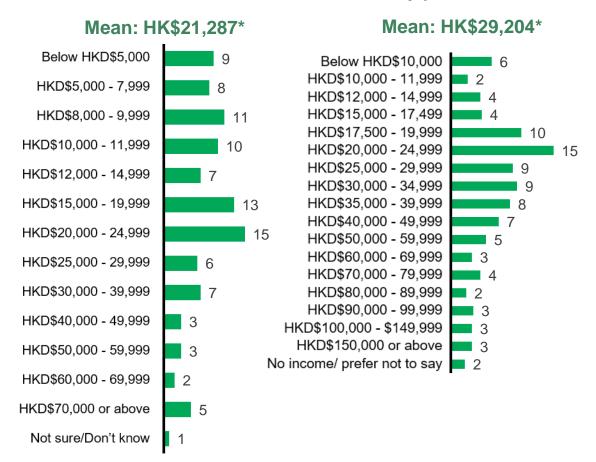
probably not.

Expectation

Need **73%** of current monthly income to maintain a comfortable lifestyle in retirement



Monthly personal income*



*Source: Manulife Investment Management Diverse Asia Retirement Planning Study 2022 (c/o NielsenIQ), September 2022 The answer is...

probably not.

Expectation

Need 73% of current monthly **income** to maintain a comfortable lifestyle in retirement

Reality

Will get about 33% or less of current income each month, according to the Manulife **Investment Management Retirement Income Forecaster**

Data as of Manulife Investment Management Retirement Income Forecaster, November 2022. The Retirement Income Forecaster integrates Manulife Investment Management's proprietary capital market assumptions and leading investment portfolio data with our state-of-the-art mathematical modeling and Monte Carlo simulations, which then produces the expected monthly retirement income that people could achieve with a good level of confidence.

Retirement income scenarios in Hong Kong

A Career starter



Age: 32

Salary: HK\$29,200 Investment: HK\$750,000

Expected monthly retirement income: **HK\$9,200**

B Working couple with two kids

BA

Age: 42

Salary: HK\$62,500 HK\$41,700 Investment: HK\$1.5 mil HK\$1 mil

Member A:

Member B:

Member B:

62

37

Expected monthly retirement income: HK\$20,800

C High income earner



Age: 52

Salary: HK\$166,700 Investment: HK\$4 million

Expected monthly retirement income: HK\$20,800

D Couple about to retire



Age: 64

Salary: HK\$83,300 HK\$20,800 Investment: HK\$2 mil HK\$2 mil

Member A:

Expected monthly retirement income: HK\$14,300

Family matters in retirement planning...



The "traditional"
nuclear family featuring a
mother, father,
and at least one
child - is no
longer the only
option.



There's now more than one dimension to consider when it comes to family structure:



Horizontal: determining how household sizes have changed in recent decades



Vertical: considering contemporary surviving generations and living arrangements in the household







In Hong Kong, the average domestic household size has fallen:



from 3.3 persons in 2000





to 2.7 persons in 2021

The proportion of older persons living with a spouse and children has remained unchanged at around 30% since 2006

Over the past decade, the number of older age group workers has climbed 136%



What does this mean?



Plan ahead and set up an independent investment portfolio dedicated to elderly savings



Create income streams – diversify assets and leverage dividenddistributing vehicles



Consider annuity to create income after retirement

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