HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Questions since 1963

Year	Questions in writing	Questions without notice#	Total sitting days
1963*	776	968	53
1964	814	1557	65
1965	714	1796	76
1966*	654	1056	55
1967	752	1164	62
1968	1072	1298	67
1969*	901	905	51
1970	2269	1187	73
1971	2682	1218	74
1972*	1626	1024	60
1973	1683	1219	81
1974*	2875	782	62
1975*	1534	956	69
1976	1870	1447	79
1977*	2221	1021	68
1978	3126	1098	75
1979	2139	1033	68
1980*	1694	762	51
1981	3347	943	62
1982	2214	709	53
1983*	1002	597	49
1984*	910	591	52
1985	3115	734	66
1986	1876	934	79
1987*	1180	900	74
1988	876	715	65
1989	778	665	59
1990*	507	453	38
1991	753	861	67
1992	927	616	60
1993*	826	429	46
1994	1044	890	68
1995	961	863	70
1996*	1159	1127	61
1997	1446	1482	76
1998*	861	998	54
1999	787	1370	73
2000	1131	1353	73
2001*	713	927	56
2002	1281	1220	69
2003	1604	1194	74
2004*	1285	1008	59

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2005	2522	1274	67
2006	2358	1293	68
2007*	1046	904	50
2008	554	1290	69
2009	616	1187	68
2010*	421	948	55
2011	621	882	64
2012	540	899	63
2013*	239	817	48
2014	644	1433	76
2015	1445	1371	75
2016	65	325	18

* Indicates election year.

Excludes supplementary questions.

Questions in writing are lodged by Members and published in the Notice Paper (the House's official agenda). Ministers privide written responses to these questions.

Questions without notice are those asked in the House during Question Time. The number of questions without notice asked in a year is partly determined by the number of sitting days in that year.

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