

Table D.2. **Population of Macao, Hong Kong and Taiwan, 1850–1995**  
(000s at mid–year)

	Macao	Hong Kong	Taiwan
1850		33	2 000
1870		123	2 000
1890		214	2 500
1900		306	2 864
1913		487	3 469
1920		606	3 736
1929		785	4 493
1936		988	5 384
1938		1 479	5 678
1950	160	2 237	7 882
1952	157	2 126	8 541
1960	143	3 075	11 155
1965	238	3 598	12 928
1970	208	3 959	14 565
1978	246	4 670	16 974
1980	271	5 063	17 642
1990	340	5 704	20 230
1992	381	5 812	20 660
1994	411	6 061	21 040
1995	424	6 190	21 220

*Source:* Hong Kong, 1850–1920 derived from Mitchell (1982), p. 43, 1929–38 from UN, *Demographic Yearbook 1960*, New York, 1960, 1950–95 from OECD Development Centre and Hong Kong Monetary Authority. Taiwan 1850–95 derived from Ho (1978), other years from Maddison (1995*a*), updated from Asian Development Bank (1997). Macao from OECD Development Centre, and SSB, *China Statistical Yearbook*, 1997.