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Question:

(a) What were the attendance figures of "The Hong Kong Story" permanent exhibition at the Hong Kong Museum of History over the last 10 years?

(b) Regarding the contents of the exhibition, when were the last 5 updates made and what were revised?

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Reply:

(a) The attendance figures of "The Hong Kong Story" permanent exhibition at the Hong Kong Museum of History over the last 10 years are set out below—

Year	Attendance
2008-09	572 321
2009-10	550 320
2010-11	580 536
2011-12	622 489
2012-13	577 383
2013-14	560 870
2014-15	514 665
2015-16	604 995
2016-17	743 821
2017-18 (as at 28 February 2018)	957 088

(b) Details of the last 5 updates are provided below –

	Year	Gallery	Details of the Updates
1.	2016	Gallery 3 "The Dynasties: From the Han to the Qing"	The map showing the sites of archaeological interest in Hong Kong was updated.
2.	2014	Gallery 4 "Folk Culture in Hong Kong"	A video on "Making of Hakka patterned band" was added.
3.	2012	Gallery 4 "Folk Culture in Hong Kong"	A video on "Dragon Boat Dance" of the Hoklos was added.
4.	2012	Gallery 6 "Birth and Early Growth of the City"	2 new sections "Hong Kong Governors (1891- 1941)" and "City of Victoria, Hong Kong" were added.
5.	2011	Gallery 4 "Folk Culture in Hong Kong"	A new section "Seven Sisters Festival" was added.