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If you give statistics, please indicate the year of the statistics in ().

City Name : Taipei

Outline	
characteristics	the political and economic center of Taiwan / the world largest base of semiconductor production
history	founded as a city administration in 1945 after Japanese colonial rule / in 1967 established as a municipality
total area(2007)	271.7997km ²
natural environment	Taipei city and the suburban in its vicinity belong to a typical basin of the fourth series new stratum, according to analysis of geologists. Long time ago, it was a large lake. After soils and debris had deposited there for dozens of millions of years, it became a piece of land.
climate / annual average temperature / annual average precipitation (2007)	Subtropical/23.6°C/3,015.9mm.
urban problems	air pollution / short supply of parking space
urban planning	In order to adapt Taipei City to the environmental changes, the city government had not only reviewed and discussed on present land zoning of Taipei but also set up several special development plans. Under the guidance of the comprehensive plans, Taipei is expected to accelerate its steps to become a modern and international metropolis.
ethnicity and language(s) percentage	Mandarin / Taiwanese dialect / Hakka dialect
Population	
population (2007)	2,629,269
number of households (2007)	944,745
population density(2007)	9,674
ratio of people 65 years old and over to total population(2007)	11.96%
infant mortality rate (2007)	4.12 per thousand live birth
Industry and Economy	
outline	Taipei is one of Asia's fastest-growing, most dynamic cities. Embracing the concept of a healthy city, Taipei City Government has dramatically raised the quality of life in Taipei. While modernizing rapidly, however, this city nonetheless takes great pride in preserving its unique blend of traditional cultures in an authentic manner.
major industry and main produce	finance, information, semiconductor materials, electronic products, and garment
GDP(2007)	383.343 million US\$ (Taiwan Area)
GRP of the city(2007)	n.a.
per capita income of the city(2007)	n.a.
per capita national income (2007)	15,037 US\$ (Taiwan Area)
number of employed in each industry(2007)	primary (3000)secondary (223,000) tertiary (940,000)
unemployment rate(2007)	3.7%

Local Government	
function of city administration	city planning / transportation / economic development / street lighting / sewage and drainage / solid waste management / cultural activities / sports activities / environmental protection / public safety / disaster prevention / statistics / research / public finance / public health / housing / utility / parks / welfare works / foreign relationship
number of staff in the city administration(2007)	70,419(Present Personnel)
local government structure (type and number)	Taipei City. Government serves as the administrative body, and Taipei City Council serves as a local legislature.
term of mayor and election method	popular vote / 4 years
election method for assembly members	popular vote / 4 years
Finance	
annual revenue(2007)	161,795,522,592 NT\$
annual expenditure(2007)	138,571,879,115 NT\$
fiscal year	01/01/2007-12/31/2007

NOTE: In addition to the above, please send the following items to the Secretariat of ANMC21:

- (1) the Curriculum Vitae of the Governor or Mayor Lung-Bin Hau
- (2) City Organization Chart
- (3) the latest Books or Pamphlets in English regarding your city (if your city have)