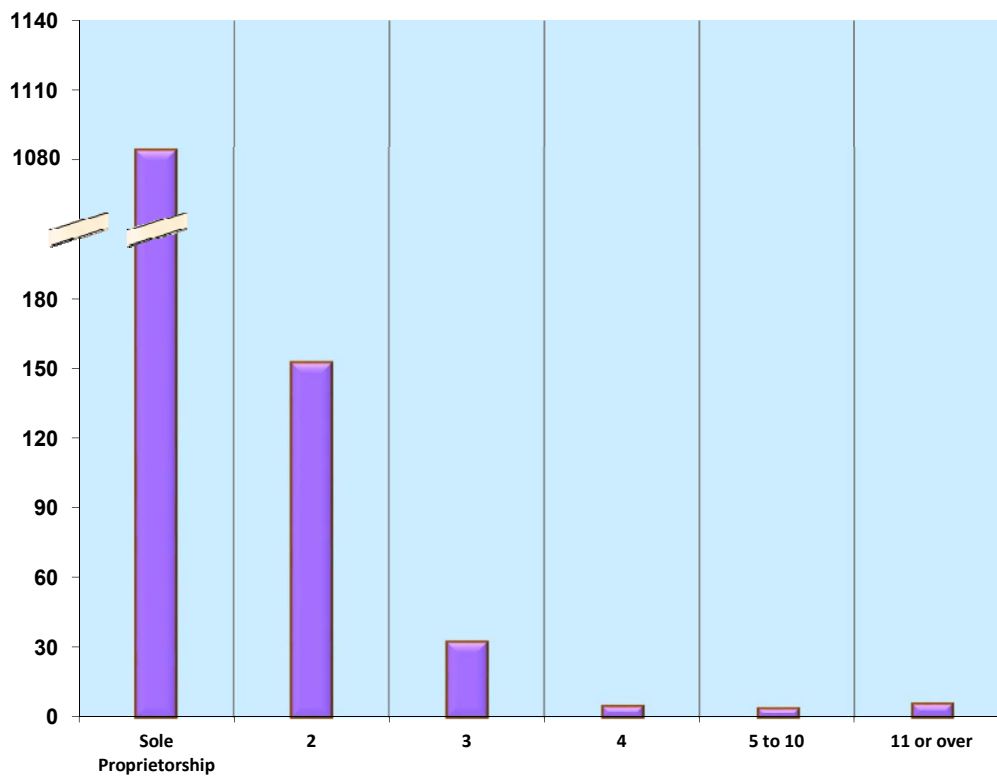




Statistics on Firm (as at 31 October 2020)

1. Analysis by sole proprietor/partners

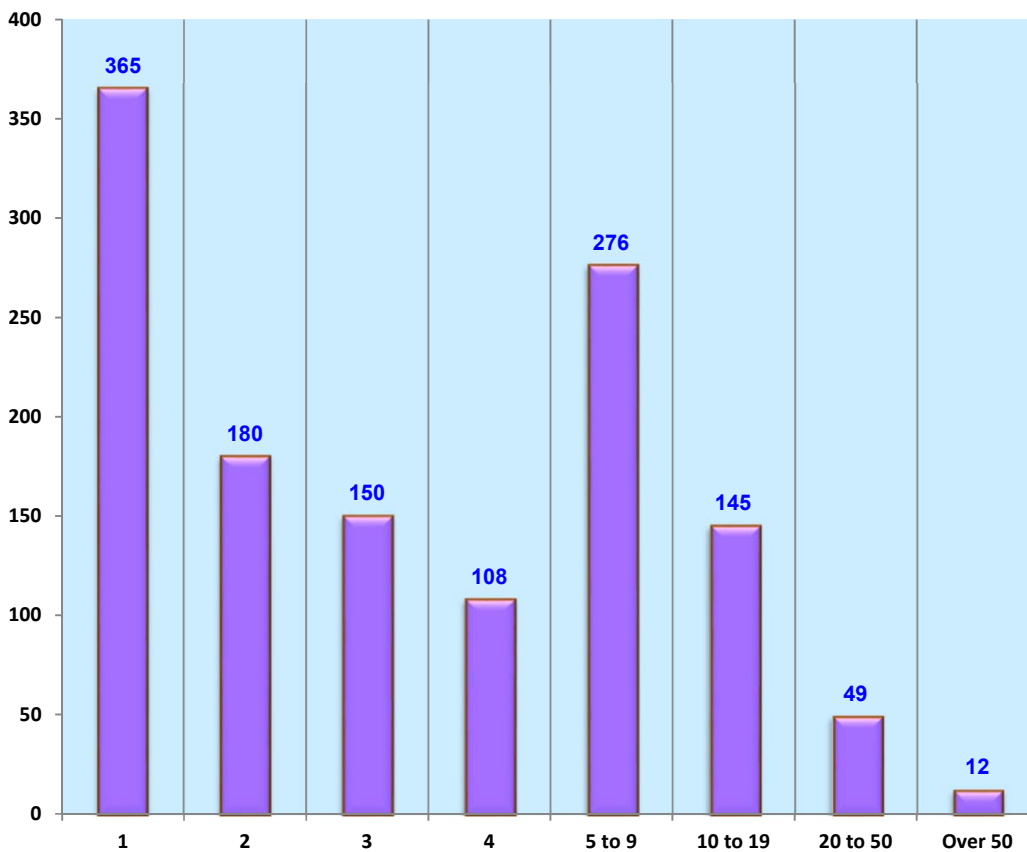
No. of partners	No. of firms	Percentage of total
Sole Proprietorship	1,084	84.3%
2	153	11.9%
3	33	2.6%
4	5	0.4%
5 to 10	4	0.3%
11 or over	6	0.5%
TOTAL	1,285	100.0%





2. Analysis by total no. of staff

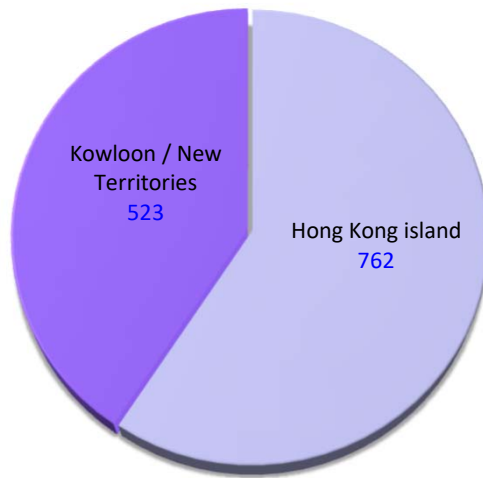
Total no. of staff	No. of firms	Percentage of total
1	365	28.4%
2	180	14.0%
3	150	11.7%
4	108	8.4%
5 to 9	276	21.5%
10 to 19	145	11.3%
20 to 50	49	3.8%
Over 50	12	0.9%
TOTAL	1,285	100.0%





3. Location of registered office

	No. of firms	Percentage of total
Hong Kong island	762	59.3%
Kowloon / New Territories	523	40.7%
TOTAL	1,285	100.0%





4. Growth rate

	No. of firms	Growth rate
Oct 2016	1,284	---
Oct 2017	1,299	+1.2%
Oct 2018	1,294	-0.4%
Oct 2019	1,284	-0.8%
Oct 2020	1,285	+0.1%

