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Statistical Digest

46th Parliament

No. 26, 22 November to 2 December 2021

| Legislation | 22 November to 2 December 2021 | 2021 to date | 46th Parliament to date |
|---|-----------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------|
| Bills presented to the House | 23 | 181 | 526 |
| Government bills | 17 | 128 | 403 |
| Private members' bills | 3 | 33 | 77 |
| Senate bills | 3 | 20 | 46 |
| Bills referred to the Federation Chamber | 0 | 6 | 16 |
| Bills passed by the House | 16 | 140 | 401 |
| Other business | 22 November to 2 December 2021 | 2021 to date | 46th Parliament to date |
| Number of sitting days | 8 | 67 | 160 |
| Hours of sitting* | | | |
| House of Representatives Chamber | 76 hrs 47 mins | 602 hrs 4 mins | 1,428 hrs 31 mins |
| Federation Chamber | 23 hrs 1 min | 167 hrs 9 mins | 462 hrs 14 mins |
| Business conducted in the House [†] | | | |
| Government business | 39 hrs 46 mins | 357 hrs 21 mins | 858 hrs 9 mins |
| Private members' business | 12 hrs 48 mins | 81 hrs 41 mins | 198 hrs 14 mins |
| Other opportunities for private members | 17 hrs 50 mins | 126 hrs 56 mins | 333 hrs 44 mins |
| Questions without notice | 10 hrs 13 mins | 78 hrs 16 mins | 181 hrs 42 mins |
| Matter of public importance | 5 hrs 38 mins | 53 hrs 10 mins | 122 hrs 7 mins |
| Business of the House | 13 hrs 33 mins | 71 hrs 49 mins | 196 hrs 49 mins |
| Private members' motions moved and debated [~] | 17 | 117 | 291 |
| Matters of public importance discussed | 6 | 53 | 122 |
| Questions in writing | 10 | 221 | 703 |
| Questions without notice [#] | 171 | 1,411 | 3,292 |
| Petitions presented | 138 | 765 | 1,572 |
| Signatures to petitions | 820,192 | 2,669,213 | 4,217,639 |
| Divisions | 15 | 255 | 795 |
| Parliamentary committee reports presented [^] | 25 | 137 | 310 |

* Excludes suspension of sittings.

† Includes Federation Chamber. See definitions on following page.

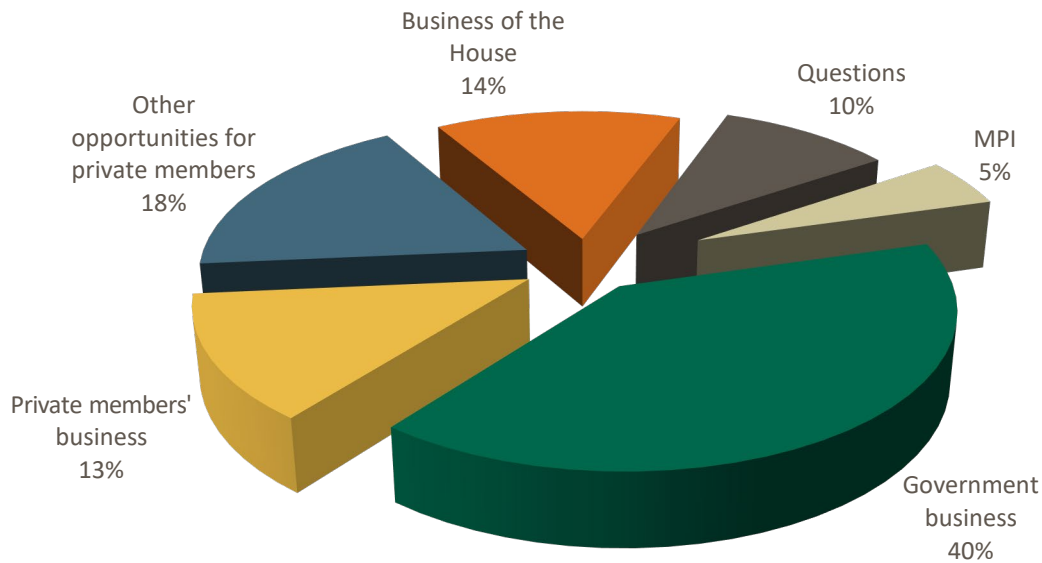
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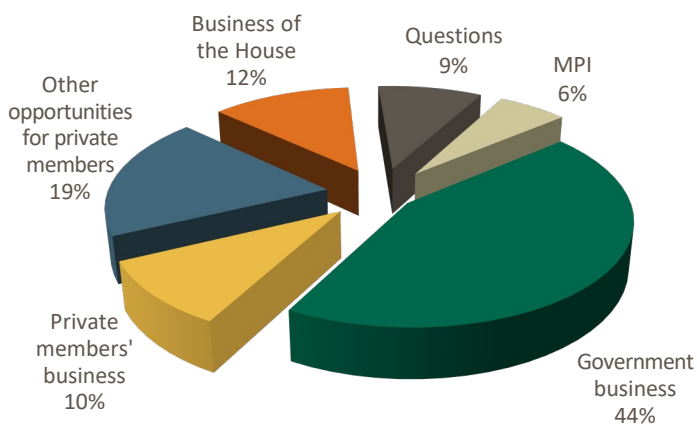
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Business conducted in the House of Representatives*

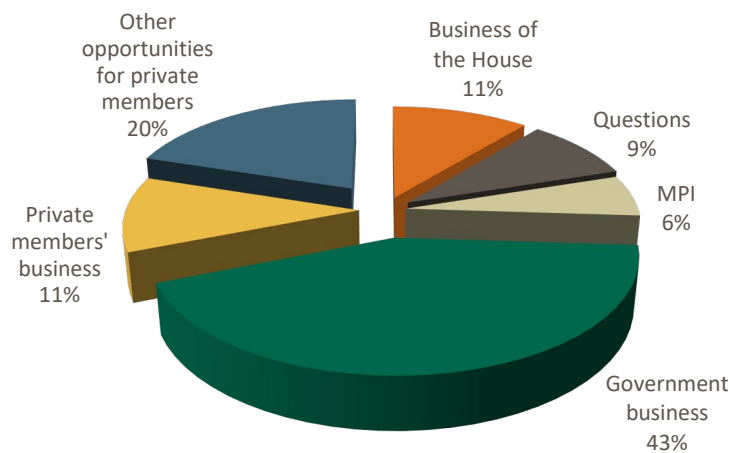
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46th Parliament (to date)



Note: As at the beginning of the 46th Parliament, the allocation of items of business to categories represented in these graphs has changed. All graphs shown above are calculated on the same basis, but may not be comparable to previous editions of the Digest of earlier parliaments.

Government business includes government sponsored legislation and motions; ministerial statements and statements in reply.

Private members' business includes legislation and motions sponsored by private members.

Other opportunities for private members includes adjournment debates, grievance debates, debate on the Address in Reply, 90 second statements and members' constituency statements.

Business of the House includes, but is not limited to, time spent on petitions, statements by indulgence, presentation of papers, privilege matters, personal explanations, dissent motions, motions to suspend standing orders, announcements of ministerial arrangements, presentation and debate on committee and delegation reports and votes of condolence.

*Includes time spent in the Federation Chamber.