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# HSBC REWARD+ CELEBRATES ONE MILLION DOWNLOADS

A popular and highly merited rewards management platform for credit card privileges in Hong Kong

HSBC Reward+ mobile app celebrates today the significant milestone of one million downloads with a growth of more than 50 per cent in its number of users in 2020. Backed by its intuitive and user-friendly design, as well as various pioneering features, HSBC Reward+ is now one of the most popular platforms for reward redemption and registration of credit card offers in Hong Kong.

Since its inception in early 2018, HSBC Reward+ has become the most preferred one-stop platform for customers to discover HSBC's exclusive credit card privileges and redeem the best rewards of their choice. Underpinned by its rapidly growing customer penetration, HSBC Reward+ app now handles 70 per cent of RewardCash (RC) redemption under the Bank's credit card loyalty programme.

Maggie Ng, Head of Wealth and Personal Banking, Hong Kong, HSBC, said: "The landmark of one million downloads proves that we are in the right direction of our mobile-first digital strategy, which is pivotal to a successful, hassle-free customer experience. HSBC Reward+ is a key example of our commitment to technology innovation, helping our customers get the most out of their spending. We have set a long term vision to continuously strengthen our digital service capabilities in response to the paradigm shift to online channels by customers in the post COVID-19 era."

Over the years, HSBC Reward+ has also continued to enhance its credit card reward experience through a number of first-to-market features, such as settlement of credit card transactions and statement with RC – Pay with RC, interoperable conversion between RC & MoneyBack points, instant mileage redemption and RC sharing with friends and family.

Amy Kam, Head of Cards and Personal Lending, Wealth and Personal Banking, Hong Kong, HSBC, said "From the outset, our goal is to develop HSBC Reward+ into an integrated platform that takes care of different aspects of credit card customers' needs. While COVID-related travel restrictions have subdued overseas expenses, we have seen a shift of consumption habits towards daily essentials and online shopping. HSBC's credit card business has been resilient amid the outbreak of the pandemic. Meanwhile, our wide range of rewards redemption options has remained relevant to serve our customers' needs."

"As a result of travel restrictions related to COVID-19, customers are now keen to look for alternatives to air miles, making it a viable solution to switch to Pay with RC for settling purchase transactions with any merchants", she added, noting that there were 1.6 million Pay with RC transactions last year.

In appreciation of customers' support for HSBC Credit Cards, a special promotion will run between 5 March and 30 April 2021 to mark the 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the year-round Red Hot Rewards of Your Choice (RYC). Upon reaching the designated spending threshold, HSBC personal primary credit card customers are entitled to up to extra 10X RewardCash at RYC selected categories.

Besides, in partnership with A.S. Watson Group's MoneyBack (MB) Programme, HSBC is offering its personal credit card customers a preferential conversion rate for RC conversion into MB points, and a series of shopping offers in PARKnSHOP, FORTRESS and Watsons Hong Kong from now till 30 Apr 2021. Customers can register for both promotions on HSBC Reward+.

For details about the Red Hot Rewards of Your Choice 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Spending Offer and A.S. Watson Group Mega Promotion, please visit: <a href="https://www.redhotoffers.hsbc.com.hk/en/latest-offers/10th-anniversary-ryc/">https://www.redhotoffers.hsbc.com.hk/en/latest-offers/10th-anniversary-ryc/</a>

To align with the Bank's mobile-first digital strategy, HSBC Reward+ will continue to innovate and improve its service features with a view to address evolving needs of customers in the new technology era.

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## Red Hot Rewards of Your Choice 10th Anniversary Spending Offer

Promotion period	5 March to 30 April 2021				
Offer	customers can selected Red H extra rebate will would earn from Example: Customer accur	Customer accumulated HKD 10,000 dining spend during the period and has allocated extra 5X RewardCash to dining from			
	Basic 1X RC	Allocated 5X RC into dining category	Extra RC earned from the promotion	Total RC earned	
	\$40	\$200	\$400	\$640	

	The extra RC will be capped at \$400 RewardCash throughout the promotional period.	
Eligible cards	Any HSBC Hong Kong personal primary cardholder, combined additional or separate additional credit cards, except HSBC Red Credit Card, Private Label Cards and USD Cards.	
Registration	HSBC personal primary credit cardholders have to register on HSBC Reward+ app for participating in this campaign and the "Red Hot Rewards of Your Choice" programme in order to enjoy the benefits.	

# **HSBC Credit Cards Red Hot Shopping Special – MoneyBack Promotion**

Programme Period	1 March to 30 April 2021		
Eligibility	All HSBC Hong Kong Personal Credit Card Cardholders		
	Extra MB Points for RC conversion	Extra 50 MB Points when converting \$1RC to MB Points in Reward+ (Normal conversion rate: \$1RC = 50 MB points)  Maximum conversion of \$150RC	
	Special Earn Rate	Accumulated purchase of HKD500 or above at PARKnSHOP, FORTRESS or Watsons Hong Kong can enjoy extra MB points: - Purchase at 2 merchants: 10X MB points - Purchase at all 3 merchants: 20X MB points Capped at 50,000 MB Points per cardholder	
	Welcome Offer	HSBC Credit Card cardholders who newly join MoneyBack (MB) App member and make one transaction using HSBC Credit Card at either PARKnSHOP, FORTRESS or Watsons Hong Kong, will receive free 1,000 MB points	
Registration	HSBC personal primary credit cardholders have to bind the MoneyBack App account to Reward+ in order to earn the above offers. Separate registration is needed for FORTRESS's tactical promotion.		

To borrow or not to borrow? Borrow only if you can repay!

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### Photo:



[From the left]: Maggie Ng, Head of Wealth and Personal Banking, Hong Kong, HSBC and Amy Kam, Head of Cards and Personal Lending, Wealth and Personal Banking, Hong Kong, HSBC, celebrate the one million downloads of HSBC Reward+ app.

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