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Theme / Project Title	Participating UGC-funded University(ies)	Budget *	Funding from the RGC* (\$ million)
Theme 1: Promoting Good Health			
Potentiating Host Immunity for HIV-1 Functional Cure	CUHK, HKU	47.128	42.416
A Stem Cell Approach to Dissect the Molecular Basis of Neurodegenerative Diseases	CityU, CUHK, HKU, HKUST	37.973	31.165
Theme 2: Developing a Sustainable Environment			
Sustainable Marine Infrastructure Enabled by the Innovative Use of Seawater Sea-Sand Concrete and Fibre-Reinforced Polymer Composites	CityU, HKU, HKUST, PolyU	52.463	47.218
Theme 3: Enhancing Hong Kong's Strategic Position as a Regional and International Business Centre			
Contributing to the Development of Hong Kong into a Global Fintech Hub	CityU, CUHK, HKU, HKUST	20.659	18.593
Theme 4: Advancing Emerging Research and Innovations Important to Hong Kong			
Image-guided Automatic Robotic Surgery	CityU,	47.341	40.608

CUHK, HKU

Total 205.564 180.000

* Inclusive of indirect / on-costs

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