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Symbols & abbreviations

- Nil
- ... Data not available
- n.a not applicable
- 000 Thousand
- 000,000 Million
- Gg Gigagram (000 Tonne)
- GWh Million kilowatt hour
- c.i.f. Cost, insurance and freight
- f.o.b. Free on board

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INTRODUCTION

The Republic of Mauritius is a group of islands in the South West of the Indian Ocean, consisting of the main island of Mauritius, Rodrigues and several outer islands located at distances greater than 350 km from the main island. Mauritius has been successively a Dutch, French and British colony. It became independent of Britain on 12th March 1968 and acceded to the status of Republic within the Commonwealth on 12th March 1992. The country has a Westminster type of Parliamentary government. The official language is English, but French is widely spoken.

The population, estimated at 1.3 million, comprises Indo-Mauritians, General population, i.e, people of mixed European and African origin and Sino-Mauritians.

have an overall population density of 657 persons per sq km. About 43% of the area is allocated to agriculture, 25% is occupied by built-up areas and 2% by public roads; the remaining consists of abandoned canefields, forests, scrub land, grasslands and grazing lands, reservoirs and ponds, swamps and rocks.

Mauritius enjoys a mild tropical maritime climate throughout the year, characterized by a warm humid summer extending between November and April and a relatively cool dry winter between June and September. October and May are the transition months. Mean mid-day temperature ranges from 26°C to around 30°C in Summer and from 22°C to 27°C in winter when moving from the Centre to the coastal areas.

During the past thirty years, the Mauritian economy has diversified from a sugar-cane monocrop economy in the 1970's to one based on sugar, manufacturing (mainly textiles and garments) and tourism in the 1980's. Global business (offshore) and freeport activities have also been growing continuously since the mid 1990s.

The economy in 2014 grew by 3.5% and the Gross National Income per capita at market prices reached 301,521 rupees. Unemployment rate is estimated at about 7.8% while inflation stood at 3.2% in 2014.

CONCEPTS & DEFINITIONS

2. Population and Vital Statistics

- 2.1 *Median age* The age which divides the population into two equal-size groups, one of which is younger and the other older than the median.
- 2.2 *Dependency ratio* The ratio of the combined child population under 15 years and population aged 65 years and over per 1,000 population of intermediate age (15-64 years).
- 2.3 *Crude birth rate* Number of live births registered in a year per 1,000 mid-year population.
- 2.4 *Total fertility rate* Average number of children born to an average woman under certain conditions.
- 2.5 *Crude death rate* Number of deaths occurring in a year per 1,000 mid-year population.
- 2.6 *Marriage rate* Number of persons civilly married in a year per 1,000 mid-year population.
- 2.7 *Divorce rate* Number of persons granted divorce in a year per 1,000 mid-year population.

3. Health

- 3.1 *Life expectancy at birth* The average number of years that a newly born child is expected to live under certain conditions.
- 3.2 *Early neonatal mortality rate* Number of deaths in a year of infants under 7 days of age per 1,000 live births during the year.
- 3.3 *Late neonatal mortality rate* Number of deaths in a year of infants aged from 7 to 27 days per 1,000 live births during the year.
- 3.4 *Perinatal mortality rate* Combined number of deaths of infants aged under 7 days and number of still births in a year per 1,000 total births (live+still) during the year.
- 3.5 *Infant mortality rate* Number of deaths in a year of infants aged under one year per 1,000 live births during the year.

Concepts & definitions (contd.)

4. Education

- 4.1 *Gross Enrolment ratio* Number of students enrolled per 100 population aged
- 4-5 years for pre-primary level
- 6-11 years for primary level
- 12-19 years for secondary level
- 4.2 *Literacy rate* Percentage of persons aged 12+ years who can, with understanding, both read and write a simple statement.

6. Labour

- 6.1 *Labour force* Number of persons who are either working (employed) or not working, looking for work and available for work (unemployed).
- 6.2 *Activity rate* Number of persons aged 16 years and above in the labour force as a % of the total number of persons aged 16 years and above.
- 6.3 *Unemployment rate* Number of unemployed as a % of the labour force.

9. Household income and expenditure

- 9.1 *Gini Coefficient* Measures the degree of inequality in the income distribution of households. It varies between 0 for complete equality and 1 for complete
- 9.2 *Median monthly income of households* That value which divides the distribution of monthly household income into two parts such that 50% of households have an income above that value and 50% below.

10. Transport and communications

- 10.1 *Casualties* The total number of fatalities and persons injured as a result of road accidents.
- 10.2 *Fatality* Prior to 2002, fatality was defined as death occurring within seven days as a result of road accidents. From 1 January 2002, the definition changed to death occurring within 30 days as a result of road accident.

Concepts & definitions (contd.)

10.3 *Fatality index* The number of fatalities per 100 casualties.

17. National accounts

17.1 *Gross Domestic Product (GDP)* The aggregate money value of all goods and services produced within a country out of economic activity during a specified period usually a year, before provision for the consumption of fixed capital.

17.2 *GDP at basic prices* GDP at basic prices is obtained as the difference between output and intermediate consumption whereby output is valued at basic prices and intermediate consumption at purchasers' prices.

The basic price is the amount receivable by the producer exclusive of taxes on products and inclusive of subsidies on products. The equivalent for imported products is the c.i.f. value, i.e. the value at the border of the importing country.

The purchasers' price is the amount payable by the purchaser exclusive of deductible taxes on products (e.g. deductible value added tax).

17.3 *GDP at market prices* GDP at basic prices plus taxes (net of subsidies) on products.

17.4
Services Indirectly Measured (FISIM) FISIM is obtained as the difference between interest received and interest paid by banks excluding those received on own funds.

Concepts & definitions (contd.)

- 17.5 *Final Consumption Expenditure* Consumption expenditure is made up of final consumption expenditure of households and of government. Government final consumption expenditure consists of collective and individual consumption expenditure. Collective expenditure consists of the services which government provides to the community as a whole, e.g. security and defence, whereas individual expenditure is made up of expenses incurred in providing services which are mostly beneficial to individuals, e.g. health and education.
- 17.6 *Gross Domestic Fixed Capital Formation (GDFCF)* The net additions to the physical assets of the country in a year. These consist mainly of investment in buildings, plants, machinery & transport equipment, all valued at market prices.
- 17.7 *Gross National Income (GNI)* GDP at market prices plus net primary income from the rest of the world gives GNI.
- 17.8 *Gross National Disposable Income (GNDI)* The sum of GNI and net transfers from the rest of the world gives Gross National disposable Income(GNDI)
- 17.9 *Gross National Savings (GNS)* Gross Disposable Income (GNDI) less total consumption expenditure gives Gross National Savings.

19. External trade

- 19.1 *Domestic Exports* Exports of goods of national origin.
- 19.2 *Re-exports* Goods exported in the same condition as imported or after undergoing minor operations which leave them essentially unchanged.

1. CLIMATE

Mean temp. (°C) - 2014

	Island of Mauritius		Island of Rodrigues	
	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.
January	23.3	30.0	25.0	30.4
February	23.2	30.4	25.1	31.1
March	22.6	30.1	24.7	30.2
April	21.5	29.0	24.2	29.5
May	19.5	27.5	22.7	28.4
June	18.7	26.1	21.6	26.9
July	18.6	25.3	21.0	26.4
August	17.7	25.4	20.0	25.3
September	17.6	26.3	20.4	26.1
October	20.1	28.3	22.0	27.4
November	21.4	29.5	23.3	28.7
December	22.6	30.1	24.3	29.8

Rainfall (millimetres)

	Island of Mauritius		Island of Rodrigues	
	2013	2014	2013 ¹	2014
January	258	419	70	44
February	486	184	218	62
March	355	270	90	304
April	214	247	144	113
May	54	127	40	76
June	75	61	44	105
July	65	126	13	174
August	110	116	93	56
September	37	54	68	36
October	138	64	90	22
November	233	89	30	74
December	101	336	80	78
Total for the year	2,126	2,094	978	1,145

¹ Revised

2. POPULATION & VITAL STATISTICS

	2011	2013	2014
Total mid-year resident population ('000)	1,252.4	1,258.7	1,260.9
Male	619.6	622.9	624.0
Female	632.8	635.8	636.9
Age composition (%)			
under 15 years	21.7	20.7	20.2
(15-59) years	65.8	65.7	65.6
(60-64) years	4.6	5.1	5.3
65 years and over	7.9	8.5	8.9
Median age (years)	33.4	34.2	34.7
Dependency ratio	420.4	412.7	410.0
Population density (per km²)	637	639	640
Mid-year geographical distribution ('000)			
Port Louis	121.4	120.7	120.4
Pamplemousses	137.0	138.6	139.2
Riv. du Rempart	107.2	107.7	107.9
Flacq	137.0	137.9	138.3
Grand Port	112.3	112.8	112.9
Savanne	68.7	68.8	68.7
Plaine Wilhems	369.2	369.2	369.1
Moka	82.3	82.9	83.1
Black River	76.8	78.8	79.7
Rodrigues	40.4	41.3	41.7
Vital statistics			
Live births	14,701	13,688	13,415
Deaths	9,170	9,440	9,682
Marriages	10,499	9,575	9,959
Divorces	1,788	1,584	2,262

2011 2013 2014

Vital statistics (contd.)

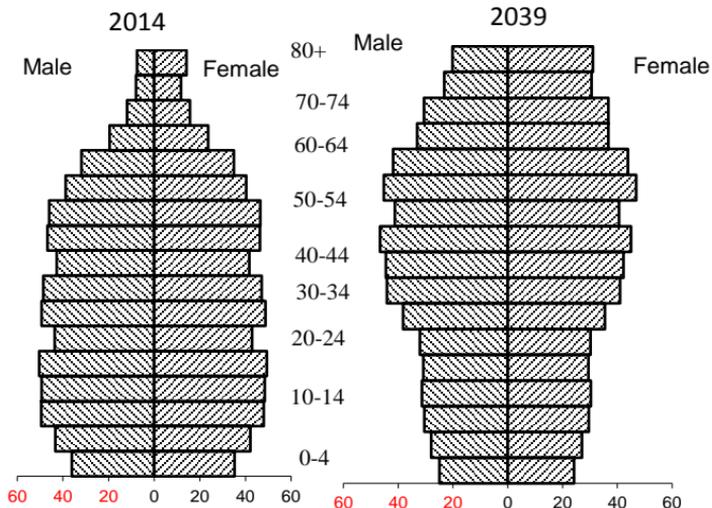
Crude birth rate	11.7	10.9	10.6
Total fertility rate	1.6	1.4	1.4
Crude death rate	7.3	7.5	7.7
Marriage rate	16.8	15.2	15.8
Divorce rate	2.9	2.5	3.6

	2019	2029	2039
Projected population ('000)	1,265.8	1,251.0	1,187.7
Male	626.1	617.8	586.7
Female	639.7	633.2	601.0

Age composition (%)

under 15 years	17.5	15.1	13.8
15-59 years	65.2	61.3	58.6
60-64 years	5.9	6.7	7.2
65 years and over	11.4	16.9	20.4

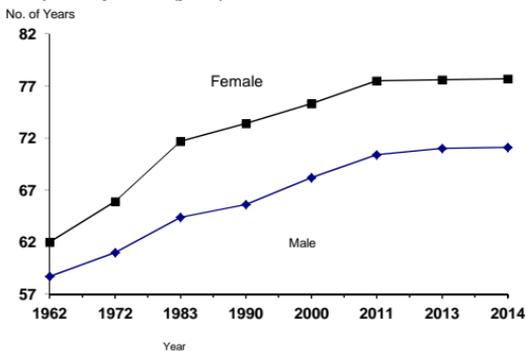
Population pyramid ('000)



S. HEALTH

	2011	2013 ¹	2014 ²
Life expectancy at birth (years)			
<i>Male</i>	70.4	71.0	71.1
<i>Female</i>	77.5	77.6	77.7
Early neonatal mortality rate	6.4	6.0	6.1
Late neonatal mortality rate	3.3	3.1	3.4
Perinatal mortality rate	15.8	14.4	16.2
Infant mortality rate	12.9	12.1	14.5
Deaths per 100,000 of 45-64 yrs old			
<i>Male</i>	1,239	1,159	1,155
<i>Female</i>	603	586	602

Life expectancy at birth (years)



	2011	2013 ¹	2014 ²
Health facilities			
Hospitals ³	15	15	15
Hospital beds	3,594	4,452	4,470
Area health centres ⁴	26	24	23
Mediclinics	2	4	5
Community health centres	127	130	130
Private clinics	17	17	17

¹ Revised. ² Provisional. ³ Including two health centres with beds in Rodrigues. ⁴ Including Y. Cantin and Long Mountain Community Hospitals.

	2011	2013 ¹	2014 ²
Health facilities (contd.)			
Medical practitioners	1,561	2,046	2,429
Dentists	268	351	366
Nurses & midwives	3,670	3,963	4,125
Pharmacists	408	460	494
Doctor per 10,000 population	12.4	16.2	19.3
Dentist per 10,000 population	2.1	2.8	2.9
Deaths (per 100,000 population)			
Circulatory system ³	228	234	245
Respiratory system	57	64	74
Neoplasms	84	100	97
Injury & poisoning	47	39	43
Diabetes mellitus ³	185	183	191
% Deaths			
Circulatory system ³	31	32	32
Respiratory system	8	8	10
Neoplasms	11	13	13
Injury & poisoning	6	5	6
Diabetes mellitus ³	25	24	25
Public expenditure on health as % of			
Total public expenditure	9.7	9.3	9.9
GDP at market prices	2.4	2.5	2.5

¹ Revised ² Provisional

³ Revised in the light of 2005 data following application of the new revision (10th) of the International Classification of Diseases (ICD 10) for the coding of underlying causes of death

4. EDUCATION

	2011	2013	2014
Pre-primary			
Schools	1,018	978	957
Enrolment	33,901	31,419	30,142
<i>Male</i>	17,282	15,902	15,155
<i>Female</i>	16,619	15,517	14,987
Gross enrolment ratio ¹ (4-5yrs)	97	98	98
<i>Male</i>	97	99	98
<i>Female</i>	98	97	98
Teaching staff	2,550	2,425	2,404
Pupil/teacher ratio	13	13	13
Primary			
Schools	305	320	320
Enrolment	116,068	108,853	105,300
<i>Male</i>	58,935	55,022	53,160
<i>Female</i>	57,133	53,831	52,140
Gross enrolment ratio ¹ (6-11yrs)	100	98	97
<i>Male</i>	100	97	97
<i>Female</i>	100	98	98
Teaching staff	5,701	5,512	5,629
<i>Male</i>	1,655	1,488	1,428
<i>Female</i>	4,046	4,024	4,201
Pupil/teacher ratio ²	27	26	25
Cert. of Primary Education (% pass)	68.6	74.8	72.9 ³
<i>Male</i>	62.7	68.9	66.6 ³
<i>Female</i>	74.9	81.0	79.7 ³

	2011	2013	2014
Secondary - Academic			
Schools	180	176	176
Enrolment	115,289	113,872	114,239
<i>Male</i>	55,188	54,391	54,590
<i>Female</i>	60,101	59,481	59,649
Gross enrolment ratio ¹ (12-19yrs)	72	72	73
<i>Male</i>	68	68	69
<i>Female</i>	76	76	78
Teaching staff	7,873	7,795	7,430
<i>Male</i>	3,258	3,175	2,954
<i>Female</i>	4,615	4,620	4,476
Pupil/teacher ratio	15	15	15
School Certificate (% pass)	76.7	75.0	73.4
<i>Male</i>	71.8	70.3	70.1
<i>Female</i>	81.2	78.9	76.1
Higher School Certificate (% pass)	79.3	77.9	75.4
<i>Male</i>	75.3	73.9	70.0
<i>Female</i>	82.3	80.8	79.1
Secondary - Pre-vocational			
Schools	126	117	117
Enrolment	7,270	10,548	10,391
<i>Male</i>	4,635	6,789	6,736
<i>Female</i>	2,635	3,759	3,655
Teaching staff	634	729	980
<i>Male</i>	227	265	390
<i>Female</i>	407	464	590
Pupil/teacher ratio	11	14	11

	2011	2013	2014
Vocational & Technical Training ⁴			
Schools	15	17	...
Enrolment	9,333	10,463	...
<i>Male</i>	7,283	7,537	...
<i>Female</i>	2,050	2,926	...
Post-secondary ⁵	11/12	13/14	14/15
Schools	7	8	8
Enrolment	23,568	27,650	27,479
<i>Male</i>	9,390	11,457	11,242
<i>Female</i>	14,178	16,193	16,237
<i>of which</i>			
Universite des Mascareignes			
Enrolment	704 ⁶	1,201	1,049
<i>Male</i>	308	744	685
<i>Female</i>	396	457	364
Open University of Mauritius			
Distance Education Courses			
Enrolment	890 ⁷	1,851	3,334
<i>Male</i>	289	732	1,175
<i>Female</i>	601	1,119	2,159
Literacy rate	2011	2013	2014
Total	89.8
<i>Male</i>	92.3
<i>Female</i>	87.3
Public expenditure on education			
as a % of	2011	2013	2014 ⁸
Total public expenditure	12.5	13.3	13.5
GDP at market prices	3.4	3.8	3.9

¹ Based on 2011 Population Census

² Pupils per general purpose teacher

³ provisional ⁴ Mauritius Institute of Training and Development

⁵ Source: Annual Survey in Schools-Public funded Institutions

⁶ Polytechnics ⁷ MCA ⁸ Budget Estimates

5. ENVIRONMENT

	2000	2013 ¹	2014 ²
Greenhouse gas			
(Gg or thousand tonnes)			
Emissions			
Carbon dioxide	2,456.8	3,836.8	...
Oxides of nitrogen	13.8	19.2	...
Carbon monoxide	66.3	70.3	...
Sulphur dioxide	28.9	34.3	...
Removals			
Carbon dioxide	229.2	293.9	...
Net emissions			
Carbon dioxide	2,227.6	3,542.9	...
Carbon dioxide emissions from fossil fuels (Gg or thousand tonnes)	2,454.0	3,835.4	...
Energy industries	1,185.4	2,363.8	...
Manufacturing industries	357.4	317.2	...
Transport	735.8	969.5	...
Residential	141.7	137.6	...
Other (Agriculture and Commerce)	33.7	47.3	...
Solid Waste landfilled (tonne)	265,815	429,935	417,478
Number of E.I.A.³ licenses issued	92	27	34
Land parcelling (morcellement)	31	7	7
Poultry rearing	26	-	-
Industrial development	7	6	4
Coastal hotels and related works	11	6	6
Housing	4	-	8
Other	13	8	9

¹ Revised

² Provisional

³ Environment Impact Assessment (EIA)

	2000	2013 ¹	2014 ²
Number of PER ³ licenses issued	...	13	22
Land parcelling (morcellement)	...	1	1
Poultry rearing	...	4	7
Industrial development	...	4	4
Coastal hotels and related works	...	-	-
Livestock	...	-	3
Housing	...	-	3
Other	...	4	4
Number of complaints received at the Dept. of Environment	1,906	687	664
Noise	555	150	78
Solid waste	586	93	91
Air pollution	71	120	138
Waste water	150	82	101
Odour	251	79	82
Other	293	163	174
Water			
Fresh water abstraction,(Mm ³)(Excl of hydropower)	677	608	...
Water utilisation,(Mm ³)	962	888	...
Domestic,industrial and tourism	209	233	...
Agricultural (irrigation)	468	375	...
Hydropower	285	280	...
Daily domestic per capita consumption,(litres)	154.9	165.0	167.0
Waste water:total volume treated in public treatment plants,(Mm ³)	20.5	41.0	40.5

¹ Revised

² Provisional

³ Preliminary Environmental Report (PER)-
Effective as from 2002

6. LABOUR

	2013	2014
Labour Force- Mauritians ('000)¹	571.2	575.7
Male	350.4	352.8
Female	220.8	222.9
Activity rate (%)¹	59.9	59.9
Male	75.1	75.2
Female	45.4	45.3
Employment- Mauritians ('000)¹	525.7	530.9
Male	331.8	333.4
Female	193.9	197.5
Unemployment ('000)¹	45.5	44.8
Male	18.6	19.4
Female	26.9	25.4
Unemployment rate¹	8.0	7.8
Male	5.3	5.5
Female	12.2	11.4
Employment- Foreigners ('000)²	26.3	28.3
Male	16.5	18.3
Female	9.8	10.0
Total Employment by sector ('000)³	552.0	559.2
Primary sector	46.4	47.2
Secondary sector	164.9	164.4
Manufacturing	110.9	112.2
Electricity ,gas ,steam & air cond supply	2.3	2.2
Water supply	3.4	3.4
Construction	48.3	46.6
Tertiary sector	340.7	347.6
Wholesale and retail trade;repair of m. vehicles	95.2	96.6
Transportation and storage	32.4	33.0
Accomodation & food service activities	39.6	40.4
Information and communication	18.5	19.1
Other services	155.0	158.5

Average earnings & Wage rate index

	2013 ⁴	2014 ⁵
Average monthly earnings (rupees)	23,146	24537
Primary sector	18,388	19,282
Sugar cane	17,535	18,326
Secondary sector	16,672	17,907
Manufacturing	13,833	14,973
<i>Sugar</i>	19,814	22,528
<i>Food(excluding sugar)</i>	14,316	14,605
<i>Textiles</i>	12,308	13,047
Electricity & water supply	37,476	44,402
Construction	21,541	22,062
Tertiary sector	26,090	27,423
Trade,Accomodation and Food Services	17,478	18,452
Transport, storage,Information & communications	27,891	30,445
Financial and insurance, Real estate,Professional,scientific and technical activities,Administrative and support service	28,585	29,410
Other services	29,393	30,825
Wage Rate Index (base:4th Quarter 2011=100)	114.9	121.1

¹ The Continuous Multi-Purpose Household Survey is used, as from 2004, as the instrument to measure labour force, employment and unemployment. Estimates refer to the Mauritian population aged 16 years and above, and exclude foreign workers

² Data on foreigners are obtained from surveys of employment and earnings

³ Including foreigners

⁴ Revised

⁵ Provisional

7. PRICE INDICES

	Weight	2013	2014
Consumer Price Index	1,000	103.5	106.9
(base: Year 2012=100)			
Food & non-alcoholic beverages	273	103.4	108.2
Alcoholic beverages & tobacco	96	110.9	116.4
Clothing & footwear	45	104.1	109.9
Housing, water, electricity, gas & other fuels	120	100.5	101.3
Furnishings, hhold.equip.& hhold. maintenance	61	102.7	102.6
Health	40	103.8	109.3
Transport	151	102.8	105.6
Communication	39	100.0	99.6
Recreation and culture	44	101.3	105.4
Education	45	102.1	103.5
Restaurants and hotels	45	106.2	111.6
Miscellaneous goods and services	41	102.5	104.7
Inflation rate(%) - calendar year		3.5	3.2
	Weight	2013¹	2014²
Export Price Index	10,000	108.6	105.9
(base: 2007=100)			
Food & live animals	3,445	114.2	96.5
- <i>Sugar</i>	1,904	108.0	89.7
Manufactured goods classified chiefly by materials	759	162.1	165.5
Misc. manufactured goods	5,517	98.5	104.3
- <i>Apparel & clothing accessories</i>	5,389	96.0	102.1

	Weight	2013¹	2014²
Import Price Index (base 2007 =100)	10,000	122.7	119.0
Food & live animals	1,808	138.2	128.3
Mineral fuel,lubricants and related materials	2,004	143.2	132.4
<i>Petroleum,Petroleum products and related materials</i>	1,725	146.6	135.8
Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	2,141	112.4	114.7
<i>-Textile yarn,fabrics,made-up articles,n.e.s</i>	813	111.0	113.6
Machinery and transport equipment	1,800	95.0	94.2
Producer Price Index-Manufacturing (Base year 2007 = 100)			
Manufacturing	1,000	134.0	133.8
Food products	442	130.2	125.9
Beverages	166	157.3	164.4
Other	392	128.3	129.7
Construction Price Index	100.0	110.9	112.5
Residential: base:2nd Qr.2009=100			
Labour	28.2	110.2	114.3
Hire of plant	3.3	106.3	107.5
Materials	64.2	111.5	112.1
Transport	4.3	109.1	109.1

¹ Revised.

² Provisional

8. HOUSING & HOUSEHOLDS

	1990*	2000*	2011*
Buildings ('000)	209.9	268.3	311.5
<i>of which: - % wholly residential</i>	85.0	84.8	83.7
- % partly residential	3.3 ¹	4.3 ¹	5.5
Residential & partly residential buildings			
Year of construction (%)			
Before 1985	70.6	38.9	28.4
1985 - 1989	20.1	14.8	11.0
1990 - 1994	1.1 ¹	17.5	12.2
1995 - 1999	-	23.3	12.4
2000 - 2004	-	1.0 ²	12.3
2005 - 2009	-	-	11.1
2010 - 2011	-	-	3.5
Not completed but inhabited	4.9	2.0	1.8
Not known	3.3	2.5	7.3
Construction materials (%)			
Concrete walls & roof	70.6	86.3	92.0
Concrete walls & iron or tin roof	7.3	3.9	2.7
Iron or tin walls and roof	18.2	8.1	4.5
Wood walls & iron or tin or shingle roof	2.3	0.9	0.4
Other	1.6	0.8	0.4
Average no. of housing units per building	1.21	1.24	1.29
Housing units ('000)	223.8	297.7	359.0
Ownership (%)			
Private	98.6	99.1	99.1
Public	1.3	0.4	0.3
Not stated	0.1	0.5	0.6
Occupancy (%)			
Occupied	97.5	94.8	92.2
Vacant	2.5	5.2	3.1
Not Stated	-	-	4.7

* Census figures

¹ Buildings constructed from January to April 1990

² Buildings constructed from January to April 2000

	1990*	2000*	2011*
Average no. of rooms per occupied housing unit	3.9	4.6	4.8
Average no. of persons per room	1.2	0.9	0.8
Average no. of households per housing unit	1.10	1.07	1.10
Households ('000)	236.1	297.9	342.3
Tenure (%)			
Owner	75.9	86.5	88.9
Tenant	14.8	9.4	7.9
Subtenant	0.4	-	-
Free	8.8	4.1	3.0
Other	0.1	-	0.2
Amenities (%)			
Piped water	95.2	98.7	99.5
Electricity	96.9	99.0	99.5
Toilet	99.3	99.8	99.8
<i>of which: flush toilet</i>	<i>62.8</i>	<i>88.8</i>	<i>96.4</i>
Bathroom	94.5	99.0	99.6
Kitchen	97.5	99.2	99.7
Acceptable refuse disposal	68.4	97.0	99.1
Fuel used for cooking (%)			
Wood & charcoal	26.3	4.5	1.9
Kerosene	21.7	3.4	0.1
Electricity	1.5	0.5	0.3
Gas	50.3	91.5	97.6
Other	0.2	0.1	0.1
Availability of ICT devices			
Television	-	-	96.0
Fixed Telephone	-	-	69.1
Mobile Phone	-	-	88.1
Computer	-	-	37.5
Internet Access	-	-	27.9
% female-headed	17.6	17.5	21.0
% one-parent	8.1	7.7	8.4
% 60+ years living alone	2.8	3.0	4.9
Average household size	4.5	3.9	3.6

* Census figures

9. HOUSEHOLD INCOME & EXPENDITURE

Household Budget Survey

	01/02	06/07	2012
Average household size	3.9	3.7	3.5
Income earners per household	1.9	1.9	2.0
Average monthly income (rupees)	14,232	19,083	29,420
Median monthly income (rupees)	11,150	14,640	21,850
1/2 median monthly income (rupees)	5,575	7,320	10,925
% hholds with < 1/2 med. mthly income	13.1	14.3	17.5
Gini coefficient	0.371	0.388	0.414

Income share

% of total income going to:

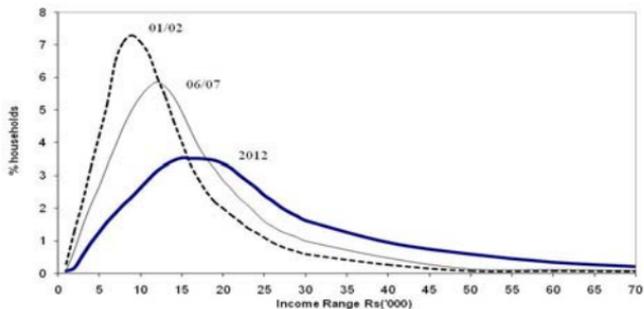
Lowest 20% of households	6.4	6.1	5.3
Highest 20% of households	44.0	45.6	47.5

Ratio of highest 20% to lowest 20% 6.9 7.4 9

Household consumption expenditure

Average monthly expenditure (rupees)	11,390	15,770	23,200
Median monthly expenditure (rupees)	8,154	11,270	18,550
1/2 median monthly expend. (rupees)	4,077	5,635	9,275
% hholds with <1/2 med. mthly expend.	12.3	12.0	13.5

Trends in monthly household income distribution



Household Budget Survey	01/02	06/07	2012
Consumption pattern			
Monthly household consumption ¹ expenditure ² (%)			
Food & non-alcoholic beverages	31.6	28.5	27.3
Alcoholic beverages & tobacco	9.1	9.2	9.6
Clothing & footwear	6.4	5.1	4.5
Housing, water, electricity, gas & other fuels	9.3	13.1	12.0
Furnishing, household equipment & routine household maintenance	6.0	6.5	6.1
Health	2.5	3.0	3.9
Transport	12.6	14.6	15.2
Communication	3.3	3.6	3.9
Recreation and culture	4.6	4.8	4.3
Education	3.7	3.2	4.5
Restaurants and hotels	6.1	4.3	4.6
Miscellaneous goods and services	4.8	4.0	4.1
Per capita consumption (kg/year)³	2011	2013⁴	2014
Selected food items			
Wheat flour	81.5	87.1	n.a
Milled rice	47.6	45.1	n.a
Potatoes	20.5	16.2	n.a
Sugar	25.0	29.3	n.a
Fresh vegetables	75.3	75.8	n.a
Oils & fats	25.1	31.5	n.a
Fresh milk (litres)	5.9	5.8	n.a
Powdered milk	10.5	9.5	n.a
Pulses	8.9	10.2	n.a
Eggs	6.9	7.5	n.a
Meat & meat preparations	51.1	53.1	n.a
Banana	7.8	7.6	n.a
Other fresh fruits	n.a	2.6	n.a
Fish & fish preparations	22.2	23.6	n.a

¹ Classification of Individual Consumption According to Purpose

² Adjusted for under reporting ³ Source: Food balance sheet

⁴ provisional

10. TRANSPORT & COMMUNICATIONS

	2011	2013 ²	2014 ³
Road transport			
Motor-vehicles registered ('000)	400.9	443.5	465.0
Private cars	129.3	153.8	167.0
Taxi cars	6.9	6.9	6.9
Vans	26.1	26.6	26.9
Dual purpose vehicles	49.1	49.7	49.5
Double cab pickup ¹	-	1.1	2.1
Lorries & trucks	13.5	14.1	14.2
Buses	2.9	3.0	3.0
Motor cycle	53.4	65.8	72.1
Autocycle	112.3	115.0	115.8
Other vehicles	7.4	7.5	7.5
Road traffic accidents			
Number of accidents	22,387	23,563	26,400
Rate (per 100,000 population)	1,847	1,936	2,165
Rate (per 1,000 reg. motor-vehicles)	57	55	57
Motor-vehicles involved			
Number	41,294	41,888	51,264
Rate (per 1,000 reg. motor-vehicles)	105	97	110
Casualties			
Number	3,422	3,610	3,592
Fatal	152	136	137
Seriously injured	487	465	505
Slightly injured	2,783	3,009	2,950
Fatality			
Rate (per 100,000 population)	12.54	11.17	11.24
Rate (per 1,000 reg. motor-vehicles)	0.39	0.31	0.29
Index	4.44	3.77	3.81
Private cars per 1,000 households	380	440	471
Length of roads (kilometres)	2,112	2,275	...
Vehicles per kilometre of road	190	195	...

¹ New category of vehicle defined in Road Traffic Act No .27 of 2012.

Prior to year 2013 'double cab pickup' was included in 'dual purpose vehicle'

² Revised

³ Provisional

	2011	2013 ¹	2014 ²
Air transport			
Landings, aircraft (number)	10,121	9,001	9,083
Freight ('000 tonnes)	45.1	37.3	42.0
Loaded	23.4	19.9	22.4
Unloaded	21.7	17.4	19.6
Sea transport			
Arrivals, vessel (number)	2,654	3,652	3,329
Freight ('000 tonnes)	6,477	6,761	6,896
Loaded	1,091	1,080	1,150
Unloaded	5,386	5,681	5,746
Communication			
Radio operators (number)	4	4	4
Television operators (number)	4	4	4
Television sets licensed ('000)	316.4	321.2	322.9
Fixed telephone			
Lines ('000)	374.6	363.0	372.2
National calls registered ³ ('000,000)	422.0	397.8	382.2
Mobile cellular subscribers ('000)	1,294.1	1,533.6	1,652.0
International outgoing telephone traffic ('000,000 minutes)	134.2	97.7	103.9
Internet subscribers ('000)	370.0	680.8	735.0
Fixed	133.2	166.7	186.0
Mobile	236.8	514.1	549.0
Local press (number)	68	64	65
Dailies	11	9	10
<i>English & French</i>	8	6	7
<i>Other</i>	3	3	3
Weeklies	27	28	28
<i>English & French</i>	26	26	26
<i>Other</i>	1	2	2
Others	30	27	27
<i>English & French</i>	23	22	22
<i>Other</i>	7	5	5

¹ Revised

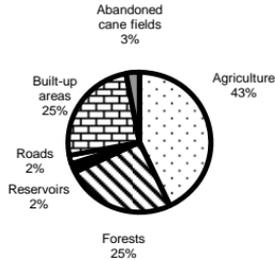
² Provisional

³ Calls irrespective of duration from fixed telephone

11. LAND UTILIZATION

2005 *
Area
(Hectares)

Whole island	186,500
Agriculture	80,674
<i>Sugarcane</i>	<i>72,000</i>
<i>Other agricultural activities</i>	<i>8,674</i>
Forests scrubs & grazing lands	47,200
Reservoirs, ponds, swamps & rocks	2,900
Roads & footpaths	4,500
Built-up areas	46,500
Abandoned cane fields	4,726



Source: Final Draft Report-Stocktaking & Stakeholders Consultation Exercise on Climate Change Activities, March 2006. Ministry of Environment and National Development Unit

* Estimate

	2011	2013¹	2014²
	(Hectares)		
Effective area cultivated			
Sugar cane	59,724	56,391	56,267
Tea	651	672	672
Tobacco ³	222	2	-
Land under irrigation	19,886	19,170	17,183
Overhead	16,864	16,619	14,884
Surface	889	867	569
Drip	2,133	1,684	1,730
¹ Revised		² Provisional	³ Area Harvested
- No Production			27

12. AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION

	2011 ¹	2013 ¹	2014 ²
PRODUCTION ('000 tonnes)			
Crop products			
Sugarcane	4230.2	3815.8	4044.4
Foodcrops	115.9	118.1	110.4
Tea leaf	9.0	8.0	7.6
Fruits	29.0	32.0	31.0
Tobacco leaf	0.3	0.001	-
Products from slaughtered and live animals	65.2	65.6	65.6
Poultry meat ('000 tonnes)	47.0	46.7	47.5
Milk (mn litres)	5.0	5.0	5.0
Eggs ('000 tonnes)	10.5	11.3	11.5
Fishing ('000 tonnes)	5.3	5.8	11.3
	(Million rupees)		
VALUE ADDED*	10,254.6	10,455.0	10,308.0
Crop products	7,562.7	7,646.6	7,052.1
<i>of which</i>			
Sugarcane	3,599.0	3,238.0	2,569.0
Foodcrops	2,216.9	2,311.2	2,471.0
Tea leaf	99.4	85.8	78.7
Fruits	270.2	357.0	299.6
Tobacco leaf	30.1	-	-
Animals & animal products	2,350.8	2,386.0	2,467.8
Fishing	341.1	422.4	788.1

¹ Revised

² Provisional

* Note Figures are based on National Standard Industrial Classification (NSIC), Revision 2

13. INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION

	2011	2013 ¹	2014 ²
Quantity produced (selected commodities)			
Sugar ('000 tonnes)	435.3	404.7	400.2
Molasses "	138.6	126.6	138.8
Tea (Black) "	1.8	1.6	1.5
Iron bars & steel tubes "	35.0	26.7	27.0
Fertilizers "	27.0	28.0	28.0
Denatured spirit ('000 H. Litres)	6.4	10.3	3.6
Beer and stout "	373.7	336.2	339.2
Wine (country liquor) "	51.8	46.4	46.7
Electricity generated* (GWh)	2,705.5	2,849.7	2,899.6
Manufacturing			
Growth rate			
EOE ³	+6.1	-0.3	+0.3
Manufacturing	+0.7	+4.4	+2.2
Sugar	+3.8	-1.0	+0.6
Food (excluding Sugar)	-1.4	-0.3	+2.6
Textiles	+3.0	+2.6	+1.0
Other	+0.6	+12.7	+3.0
Labour Productivity Index⁴ (2007=100)			
Manufacturing	117.7	121.6	122.8
EOE ³	137.0	139.2	137.6
Capital Productivity Index (2007=100)			
Manufacturing	113.9	128.2	131.2
EOE ³	149.9	158.7	149.3
Unit Labour Cost Index⁴ (2007=100)			
Manufacturing	118.5	122.3	124.5
EOE ³	106.5	115.7	121.1

¹ Revised

² Provisional

³ Export Oriented Enterprises(EOE) as from October 2006, consist of all those enterprises previously operating with an EPZ Certificate and those enterprises manufacturing goods for exports and holding a registration certificate issued by the Board of Investment.

⁴ The indices are for the whole manufacturing sector.

* figures pertaining to island of Mauritius only

14. ENERGY

	2011	2013	2014 ¹
Imports of energy sources ('000 tonnes)			
Gasolene	116.7	138.2	137.9
Diesel oil	309.9	336.1	303.6
Dual purpose kerosene	230.7	243.9	234.2
- <i>Aviation fuel</i>	226.4	241.1	232.0
Fuel oil	434.8	429.1	406.4
LPG	66.3	68.2	75.6
Coal	660.2	708.3	771.8
Re-export and Bunkering ² ('000 tonnes)			
Aviation fuel	118.7	115.9	121.7
Diesel oil	100.2	114.1	116.7
Fuel oil	185.1	156.1	170.6
Electricity generated ³ (GWh)	2,738.6	2,885.3	2,936.9
Hydro	56.5	94.8	90.8
Wind	2.8	3.6	3.2
Photovoltaic	...	2.7	24.6
<i>Landfill gas</i>	3.1	20.0	21.3
<i>Bagasse</i>	486.5	472.8	456.2
<i>Fossil Fuel</i>	2,189.7	2,291.3	2,340.7
Peak demand(MW), Mauritius	412.5	441.1	446.2
Rodrigues	6.4	6.9	7.2
Electricity sales (GWh)	2,228.2	2,384.1	2,452.2
Domestic	725.3	780.8	806.3
Commercial	792.6	852.0	894.1
Industrial (general)	656.9	689.8	688.5
Industrial (irrigation)	22.5	25.4	26.6
No. of electricity consumers ('000)	417.3	435.4	443.6
Domestic	372.3	388.9	396.3
Commercial	37.7	39.2	40.1
Industrial (general)	6.3	6.1	6.0
Industrial (irrigation)	0.5	0.6	0.6

¹ Provisional ² Pertaining to sales of fuel to foreign vessels

³ Includes electricity generated for own use by Independent Power Producers

15. GOVERNMENT FINANCE

	2012	2013	2014 Provisional
Budgetary Central Government	(Million rupees)		
Total Revenue	73,793.7	78,224.2	79,674.1
Taxes	64,919.2	67,990.5	71,727.4
<i>Taxes on income, profits, and capital gains</i>	14,634.2	15,919.6	17,089.1
<i>Taxes on property</i>	4,556.3	4,482.6	5,846.9
<i>Taxes on goods and services</i>	43,007.8	44,964.0	45,971.2
<i>Taxes on international trade and transactions</i>	1,505.9	1,389.4	1,238.7
<i>Other taxes</i>	1,215.0	1,234.8	1,581.5
Social contributions	1,051.1	1,268.6	1,284.3
Grants	2,397.8	1,402.6	406.3
Other revenue	5,425.6	7,562.5	6,256.1
Total Expenses	70,255.3	79,886.4	82,697.3
Compensation of employees	18,683.8	22,698.0	24,025.1
Use of goods and services	6,515.8	7,086.6	7,546.2
Interest	10,129.3	9,629.4	10,117.6
Subsidies	1,146.6	1,471.0	1,577.5
Grants	26,161.9	29,479.1	30,559.9
<i>of which amount transferred to NPF and paid as Social Benefits</i>	10,154.5	11,018.3	12,480.0
Social benefits	5,245.3	6,486.5	6,769.5
Other expenses	2,372.6	3,035.8	2,101.5
Net acquisition of non financial assets	9,616.0	11,161.1	9,527.8
Net lending/Borrowing (Budget balance)	-6,077.6	-12,823.3	-12,551.0
Net acquisition of financial assets	1,397.1	5,264.9	996.2
Domestic	1,032.1	4,967.4	851.2
Foreign	269.5	106.6	111.0
Monetary gold and SDRs	95.5	190.9	34.0
Net incurrence of Liabilities	7,474.7	18,088.2	13,547.2
Domestic	4,493.3	7,283.1	9,313.9
Foreign	2,981.4	10,805.1	4,233.3

Data are compiled according to Government Statistics Manual 2001 of the IMF

	2012	2013	2014 Provisional Actual
Budgetary Central Government	(Million rupees)		
TOTAL EXPENDITURE	79,871.3	91,047.6	92,225.1
General public services	20,747.1	22,681.0	23,756.5
<i>Public debt transactions</i>	10,129.1	9,629.4	10,117.6
<i>Transfers of general character between levels of govt.</i>	4,029.9	4,338.0	4,981.5
Public order and safety	7,368.2	9,949.5	9,404.0
Economic affairs	9,129.0	9,746.0	7,157.2
<i>Agriculture, forestry, fishing, and hunting</i>	2,069.9	2,443.7	2,310.4
<i>Fuel and energy</i>	99.3	101.0	45.6
<i>Mining, manufacturing, and construction</i>	330.9	389.3	410.7
<i>Transport</i>	5,548.1	5,593.9	3,119.3
<i>Communication</i>	-	-	-
Environmental protection	2,594.1	1,292.7	1,328.7
Housing and community amenities	2,702.8	4,547.4	4,413.2
Health	7,753.1	8,716.2	9,415.5
Recreation, culture and religion	742.2	834.2	855.6
Education	11,110.7	13,014.7	13,931.9
Social protection	17,724.0	20,265.9	21,962.5

Data are compiled according to Government Statistics
Manual 2001 of the IMF

16. MONEY & BANKING

(as at end of period)

	Jun-14	Sep-14	Dec-14
	(Million rupees)		
Components of Monetary Base			
1 Currency with Public	21,685	21,848	25,391
2 Currency with Other Depository Corporations	4,660	4,723	7,140
3 Deposits with BOM	35,792	37,218	35,403
<i>Other Depository Corporations</i>	35,506	37,043	35,270
<i>Other</i>	287	175	133
Monetary Base(1+2+3)	62,137	63,789	67,934
Sources of Monetary base			
1 Net Foreign assets	119,620	120,753	122,735
2 Net Claims on Central Govt	-18,912	-24,581	-20,743
3 Claims on other Depository Corporations	2,414	2,089	2,468
4 Claims on other sectors	160	135	152
5 Net Non-Monetary Liabilities	41,144	34,607	36,679
Monetary Base (1+2+3+4-5)	62,137	63,789	67,934
Gross Official International reserves¹			
Gross Foreign Assets of Bank of Mauritius	119,631	120,717	122,576
Other ²	1,793	1,787	1,768
Foreign exchange rates (selling - Rs)			
Euro Zone (Euro)	41.81	40.31	39.02
India (INR 100)	51.55	52.08	51.17
Japan (JPY 100)	30.47	29.24	27.05
South Africa, Rep. of (SAR 1)	2.93	2.85	2.81
United States (USD 1)	30.71	31.73	32.10
United Kingdom (GBP 1)	52.17	51.63	49.94
Electronic Banking Transactions			
No of ATMs in Operations	454	453	455
No of Transactions	5,320,280	5,283,765	7,185,702
Value of Transactions ³ : (Rs mn)	10,730	10,655	17,038
No of Cards in Circulation			
<i>Credit Cards</i>	253,033	252,682	250,726
<i>Debit Cards and others</i>	1,271,746	1,303,518	1,311,014
Total	1,524,779	1,556,200	1,561,740
Outstanding Advances on Credit Cards (Rs mn)	2184.0	2502.8	2289.9

¹ The definition of GIR meets the IMF's BPM6 definition of reserves. Reserves are defined as external assets that are readily available to and controlled by monetary authorities. Hence GIR excludes the Bank's foreign equity participation in international organisations as this does not meet the criteria of readily available reserves.

² Comprises Foreign Assets of the Government and the country's Reserve Position in the IMF

³ Involving the use of credit cards, debit cards, ATMs and Merchant Points of Sale

Note 1: Data on Net International Reserves are no longer available at the Bank of Mauritius.

Note 2: Figures may not add up to totals due to rounding

Source: Bank of Mauritius

17. NATIONAL ACCOUNTS

	2012 ¹	2013 ¹	2014 ¹
Gross Domestic Product (GDP)			
at current prices			
(i) Value added by sector (million rupees)			
Primary	11,494	11,395	11,283
<i>Agriculture, forestry & fishing</i>	10,494	10,405	10,308
<i>Mining & quarrying</i>	1,000	990	975
Secondary	74,856	78,456	79,482
<i>Manufacturing</i>	50,537	55,021	56,447
<i>Electricity, gas, steam & air conditioning supply</i>	4,092	4,491	5,290
<i>Water supply, sewerage, waste management and remediation activities</i>	1,193	1,264	1,323
<i>Construction</i>	19,034	17,680	16,422
Tertiary	216,267	233,087	251,524
<i>Wholesale & retail trade; repair of motor vehicles, motorcycles,</i>	36,807	39,705	42,870
<i>Transport and storage</i>	17,797	18,763	19,983
<i>Accommodation and food service activities</i>	21,249	19,697	21,512
<i>Information and communication</i>	13,478	13,938	14,663
<i>Financial and insurance activities</i>	31,262	32,799	35,301
<i>Real estate activities</i>	16,665	17,784	18,922
<i>Professional scientific and technical activities</i>	13,882	15,407	17,018
<i>Administrative and support service activities</i>	7,640	8,493	9,418
<i>Public administration & defence compulsory social security</i>	17,984	21,283	22,743
<i>Education</i>	13,413	15,428	16,293
<i>Human health and social work activities</i>	11,698	13,768	15,245
<i>Arts, entertainment and recreation</i>	8,826	9,903	10,912
<i>Other services activities</i>	5,566	6,119	6,644
GDP/Gross Value Added at basic prices	302,617	322,938	342,287
Taxes on products (net of subsidies)	41,218	43,270	44,048
GDP at market prices	343,835	366,208	386,335

¹ Revised

Figures may not add up to totals due to rounding

Note Figures are based on National Standard Industrial Classification (NSIC), Revision 2

	2012 ¹	2013 ¹	2014 ¹
Per capita GDP at market prices (rupees)	273,430	290,678	306,322
Sectoral contribution to GDP at basic prices (%)			
Primary	3.8	3.5	3.3
Secondary	24.7	24.3	23.2
Tertiary	71.5	72.2	73.5

(ii) By expenditure component (million rupees)

Final consumption expenditure	300,385	323,009	341,831
<i>Households</i>	254,468	270,261	285,739
<i>General government :</i>	45,917	52,748	56,092
<i>Individual</i>	18,944	21,761	23,110
<i>Collective</i>	26,973	30,987	32,982
Gross Domestic Fixed Capital Formation (GDFCF)	79,185	77,618	73,990
<i>Private sector</i>	60,175	59,266	55,048
<i>Public sector</i>	19,010	18,352	18,942
Increase in inventories ²	5,976	10,301	7,043
Exports of goods & services	187,688	198,793	207,333
Less imports of goods & services	229,399	243,514	243,862
GDP at market prices	343,834	366,208	386,336

¹ Revised

² Includes all statistical discrepancies

Figures may not add up to totals due to rounding

Note Figures are based on National Standard Industrial Classification (NSIC), Revision 2

	2012 ¹	2013 ¹	2014 ¹
Gross National Income (GNI),			
disposable income and savings			
Net primary income from the rest of the world (R.o.w) ^{2,3}	+1121	+429	-6,055
GNI at market prices	344,956	366,638	380,281
Net transfer from r.o.w ²	+5013	+3059	+3003
Gross National Disposable Income	349,969	369,696	383,284
Less final consumption expenditure	300,385	323,009	341,831
Gross national savings	49,584	46,686	41,452
Per capita GNI at market prices(rupees)	274,321	291,019	301,521
Annual real growth rate (%)			
GDP at basic prices	+3.4	+3.2	+3.5
Final consumption expenditure	+2.8	+2.3	+2.9
<i>Households</i>	+2.7	+2.6	+2.6
<i>General government</i>	+2.9	+0.7	+4.3
GDFCF(including aircraft & vessels)	-0.8	-3.3	-6.0
GDFCF(excluding aircraft & vessels)	-0.8	-6.7	-5.3

¹ Revised

² Figures exclusive of GBC 1 from BOM

³ Net primary income exclusive of transaction of GBC 1 from BOM,adjusted for FISIM

Note Figures are based on National Standard Industrial Classification (NSIC),Revision 2

18. CONSTRUCTION

	2011	2013	2014 ¹
Building permits¹			
Number issued	6,260	7,638	6,590
<i>of which: Residential</i>	5,853	6,986	6,125
Floor area covered ('000 m²)	1,219	1,323	1,540
<i>of which: Residential</i>	903	1,134	1,381
Employment¹ in construction sector ('000)	47.9	48.3	46.6
Investment in construction			
Value (million rupees)	53,135	50,111	47,017
as a % of GDP at market prices	16.5	13.7	12.2
Investment in the construction of residential buildings			
Value (million rupees)	22,298	23,286	21,533
as a % of GDP at market prices	6.9	6.4	5.6
Share of construction in GDFCF(%)	68.5	64.6	63.5
All construction works			
Residential buildings	28.7	30.0	33.7
Non residential buildings	22.8	20.5	15.6
Other construction works	17.0	14.0	18.9

¹ Provisional

19. EXTERNAL TRADE

	2011	2013 ¹	2014 ²
Total value of trade (Million rupees)	221,401	253,642	267,214
Total Exports (f.o.b. value)	73,586	88,048	95,191
Domestic exports	52,156	58,136	58,249
Re-exports	10,202	13,731	23,342
Ship's stores & bunkers	11,228	16,181	13,600
Total Imports (c.i.f. value)	147,815	165,594	172,023
Balance of visible trade	-74,229	-77,546	-76,832
EOE³ exports	43,100	46,778	47,215
EOE³ imports	27,025	29,340	27,473
Trade Indices (base: 2007=100)			
Export index (total)	97.2	108.6	105.9
Import index	117.6	122.7	119.0
Terms of trade	82.7	88.5	89.0
(ratio of export to import index)			
	(Million rupees)		
Domestic Exports (f.o.b.)	52,156	58,136	58,249
By commodity			
Food and live animals	17,940	23,270	21,164
<i>of which: Sugar</i>	8,223	9,480	7,781
Beverages & tobacco	209	102	72
Crude materials, inedible except fuels	615	571	501
<i>of which: Cut flowers and foliage</i>	64	60	53
Animal & vegetable oils & fats	51	73	67
Chemicals	547	581	710
Manufactured goods classified by materials	5,361	6,071	7,391
<i>of which: Textile yarns, fabrics, made up articles</i>	2,511	2,764	3,025
Machinery & transport equipment	128	169	175
Miscellaneous manufactured goods	27,301	27,291	28,164
<i>of which: Articles of apparel & clothing</i>	23,226	22,986	24,174
Other	4	8	4

Note: As from 2002, data include transactions of the freeport

¹ Revised

² Provisional

³ Export Oriented Enterprises (EOE) as from October 2006 consist of all those enterprises previously operating with an EPZ Certificate and those enterprises manufacturing goods for exports and holding a registration certificate issued by the Board of Investment.

	2011	2013 ¹	2014 ²
Domestic Exports (f.o.b.) (contd.)			
By country of destination	(Million rupees)		
- United Kingdom	12,497	11,801	10,953
- France	7,895	7,316	7,721
- U.S.A.	6,392	6,898	8,069
- Germany	1,009	841	583
- Italy	5,091	6,563	5,078
- Netherlands	959	1,772	2,002
- Malagasy Republic	1,971	2,253	2,366
- Belgium	1,404	2,141	2,158
- Reunion	787	694	738
- Spain	3,405	3,435	3,440
- Portugal	153	182	128
Re-Exports (f.o.b.)	10,202	13,731	23,342
By commodity			
Food and live animals	2,400	3,933	3,931
Beverages & tobacco	515	555	674
Crude materials, inedible except fuels	542	531	583
Chemicals	1,618	1,848	2,351
Manufactured goods classified by	1,172	1,262	1,123
Machinery & transport equipment	1,309	3,340	11,483
Miscellaneous manufactured goods	2,215	1,923	2,670
Other	431	339	527
By country of destination			
U.A.E	222	853	8,638
- Malagasy Republic	2,002	2,250	2,952
- France	902	1,237	1,519
- Reunion	1,210	1,228	1,304
- Italy	68	100	249
- India	203	204	208
- Spain	910	655	802
- Republic of South Africa	394	404	662
- United Kingdom	147	134	132
- China	97	222	252

Note: As from 2002, data include transactions of the freeport

¹ Revised

² Provisional

	2011	2013 ¹	2014 ²
	(Million rupees)		
Total Imports (c.i.f.)	147,815	165,594	172,023
Food and live animals	26,974	31,573	31,353
- Dairy products & birds' eggs	3,281	3,362	3,902
- Fish & fish preparations	9,280	11,880	10,344
Beverages & tobacco	2,662	3,312	3,358
Crude materials, inedible except fuels	4,915	4,158	4,129
Mineral fuels, lubricants, etc.	31,945	35,897	32,942
- Refined petroleum products	26,977	31,263	27,305
Animal & vegetable oils & fats	1,788	1,534	1,690
Chemicals	12,110	12,892	13,471
- Medical & pharmaceutical products	2,940	3,178	3,573
materials	27,634	28,616	27,598
- Paper, paperboard & articles thereof	1,953	1,900	1,925
- Textile yarns, fabrics, made up articles	8,166	8,298	8,213
- Iron & steel	3,430	3,287	2,778
- Manufactures of metals, n.e.s.	4,942	4,303	3,583
Machinery & transport equipment	26,357	32,553	41,991
- Specialised & gen. industrial machinery	6,605	7,246	7,302
- Road vehicles	7,149	7,866	8,804
- Aircraft, marine vessels & parts	595	2,339	2,551
Miscellaneous manufactured goods	12,964	14,452	14,768
- Articles of apparel & clothing	2,243	2,635	2,888
- Watches, clocks & opticals goods	1,022	1,052	964
Other	466	607	723

Note: As from 2002, data include transactions of the freeport

¹ Revised

² Provisional

	2011	2013 ¹	2014 ²
Total Imports (c.i.f.) (contd.)			
By country of origin	(Million rupees)		
- France	13,158	13,368	13,099
- Republic of South Africa	10,457	10,230	11,346
- India	34,666	39,896	37,192
- United Kingdom	3,403	3,561	3,050
- Japan	3,701	3,913	3,925
- Hong Kong	544	695	737
- Germany	3,551	4,112	4,326
- Malaysia	3,320	3,903	3,156
- Australia	3,860	4,386	4,366
- Italy	3,144	3,597	3,521
- China	20,780	24,312	27,798
- Singapore	1,024	1,063	1,920
- U.S.A.	2,633	2,438	2,665
- Switzerland	1,563	1,388	1,408
- Kuwait	18	13	11
- Belgium	1,820	1,111	1,187
Regional trade			
COMESA			
Exports to member states ³	5,579	6,303	6,983
Imports from member states	4,565	5,455	5,108
SADC			
Exports to member states ³	10,114	11,953	12,349
Imports from member states	13,534	14,238	14,969

Note: As from 2002, data include transactions of the freeport

¹ Revised

² Provisional

³ Excluding ship's stores and bunkers

20. BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

	2012	2013 ¹	2014 ²
	Rs million		
CURRENT ACCOUNT	-25,059	-36,234	-39,625
Goods and services	-44,977	-48,144	-40,145
Goods	-73,813	-69,625	-68,965
Merchandise	-73,077	-68,956	-68,253
Non-monetary gold	-736	-669	-712
Services	28,838	21,481	28,820
Transportation	-6,315	-7,045	-7,357
Travel	33,382	27,169	29,527
Other services	1,771	1,357	6,650
Private	2,306	316	5,447
Government	-535	1,041	1,203
Income	15,659	9,134	-2,284
Direct investment income	-8,984	-1,845	-5,055
Other investment income	13,310	8,562	5,687
Portfolio investment income	11,554	2,655	-2,662
Compensation of employees	-220	-238	-254
Current transfers	4,260	2,776	2,804
Private	1,995	1,521	2,526
Government	2,265	1,255	278
CAPITAL AND FINANCIAL ACCOUNT	35,464	33,172	34,828
Capital account	-241	-123	-146
Migrants' transfers	-241	-123	-146
Financial account	35,705	33,295	34,974
Financial account (excluding reserve assets)	41,746	49,875	57,993
Direct investment	170,204	67,213	146,184
Portfolio investment	42,058	59,760	35,075
Other investment	-170,516	-77,097	-123,266
Reserve assets	-6,041	-16,580	-23,019
NET ERRORS AND OMISSIONS	-10,405	3,061	4,797

Source: Bank of Mauritius

¹ Revised estimates

² Provisional estimates

Note :Figures may not add up to totals due to rounding.

21. INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL & TOURISM

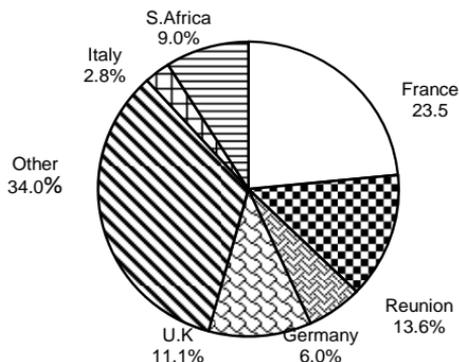
	2012	2013 ¹	2014 ²
Passenger traffic ('000)			
Arrivals	1,354.6	1,391.3	1,389.2
(i) By gender			
Male	702.9	721.4	713.8
Female	651.7	669.9	675.5
(ii) By type of passenger			
Visitors	984.1	1,015.3	1,066.4
<i>of which: on holiday</i>	<i>897.0</i>	<i>923.2</i>	<i>975.1</i>
<i>on business</i>	<i>42.6</i>	<i>43.5</i>	<i>38.7</i>
Residents	315.8	328.6	265.7
Other	54.7	47.4	57.1
Departures	1,353.6	1,390.5	1,385.1
(i) By gender			
Male	702.0	719.3	710.1
Female	651.6	671.2	675.0
(ii) By type of passenger			
Visitors	971.2 ¹	1,009.6	1,057.8
Residents	304.1	319.9	257.1
Other	78.3 ¹	61.0	70.2
Inter-island passenger traffic			
From Mauritius to Rodrigues	67,527	69,762	69,514
By gender			
<i>Male</i>	<i>35,666</i>	<i>36,235</i>	<i>35,530</i>
<i>Female</i>	<i>31,861</i>	<i>33,527</i>	<i>33,984</i>
From Rodrigues to Mauritius	67,745	69,848	69,660
By gender			
<i>Male</i>	<i>36,372</i>	<i>37,348</i>	<i>36,435</i>
<i>Female</i>	<i>31,373</i>	<i>32,500</i>	<i>33,225</i>

¹ Revised

² Provisional

	2012	2013 ¹	2014 ²
Tourist arrivals ('000)	965.4	993.1	1,039.0
France	256.9	244.8	243.7
Germany	55.2	60.5	62.2
Italy	40.0	31.2	29.6
Reunion	144.3	143.1	141.7
Republic of South Africa	89.1	94.2	93.1
United Kingdom	87.6	98.0	115.3
Other countries	292.2	321.3	353.4

Tourist arrivals by country of residence (2014)



	2012	2013	2014 ²
Number of licensed hotels	117	107	112
Number of rooms	12,527	12,376	12,799
Number of bed places	25,496	25,105	26,174
Room occupancy rate (%)	62	63	65
Bed occupancy rate (%)	55	55	58
Tourist nights ('000)	10,461	10,795 ¹	11,395 ²
Tourist receipts (Million rupees)	44,378	40,557	44,304
Average length of stay (nights)	10.8	10.9	11.0 ²
Average expend. per tourist (rupees)	45,967	40,839	42,642

¹ Revised

² Provisional

22. SOCIAL SECURITY

	2012 ¹	2013 ²
Non-contributory benefits		
No. of beneficiaries ('000)	239.0	250.1
Total amount paid (R Mn)	11,073.4	11,969.9
Contributory benefits³		
(National Pensions Fund)		
No. of employees contributing ('000)	311.4	318.7
Contributions collected ⁴ (R Mn)	2,477.7	2,696.5
Surcharge collected (R Mn)	4.7	5.5
No. of beneficiaries ('000)	97.6	106.0
Total amount paid (R Mn)	1,404.0	1,588.9
Public expenditure on social security and welfare as a % of		
Total public expenditure	26.9	26.7
GDP at market prices	6.6	7.1

Benefits by type⁵, Year 2013

	Beneficiaries (000)	Amount Paid in 2013 (R Mn)
Non-contributory benefits	250.1	11,969.9
- Retirement pension	177.7	8,736.6
- Widows pension (All ages)	20.5	952.6
- Invalids pension	30.9	1,517.4
- Orphans pension	0.4	26.5
- Social Aid	20.6	736.8
Contributory benefits	106.0	1588.9
- Retirement pension	72.2	1172.9
- Widows pension (All ages)	23.3	321.6
- Invalids pension	9.5	54.6
- Orphans pension	0.2	0.4
- Industrial injury benefits	0.8	39.4

Note: As from 2010 data are reported on a calendar year basis

¹ Revised. ² Provisional. ³ Excludes public and parastatal sectors. ⁴ Ratio of contribution is 2/3 from employers & 1/3 from employees. Excludes surcharge paid by employers.

⁵ A person receiving several benefits is counted several times.

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