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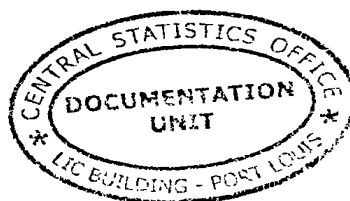
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## NOTES

### SYMBOLS

The following symbols are used throughout:

- : Nil  
N.A. : Not available

### ABBREVIATIONS

Rs : Rupees  
000 : Thousand  
Mn : Million  
M/Ton : Metric ton : 1,000 Kilos  
No. : Number

### VALUES

All figures quoted are in Mauritian Rupees.

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1. POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS

		<u>1983<sup>1/</sup></u>	<u>1984</u>
Population (end of year)			
Both sexes	Thousand	980.5	988.6
Males	"	489.7	496.5
Females	"	490.8	492.1
Percentage urban population	(mid year)	41.7	41.7
Percentage population under 15 years	( " )	32.3	31.8
Percentage population under 18 years	( " )	39.1	38.1
Percentage population under 21 years	( " )	46.3	45.3
Percentage population 60 years & over	( " )	7.1	7.2
Live births	Thousand	19.9	19.2
Deaths	"	6.3	6.4
Natural increase	"	13.6	12.8
Arrivals		177.7	198.2
Departures		182.0	202.9
Net increase		9.3	8.1
Live births per 1,000 of mid-year population		20.6	19.6
Deaths per 1,000 of mid-year population		6.5	6.6
Natural increase per 1,000 of mid-year population		14.1	13.0
Net increase per 1,000 of mid-year population		9.6	8.3
Live births per 1,000 women aged 15 - 49		76.8	72.6
Civil marriages	Thousand	10.1	10.7

2. TOURISM

Tourist arrivals by country of residence	<u>1983<sup>1/</sup></u>		<u>1984</u>	
	Thousand	%	Thousand	%
All countries <i>of which</i>	<u>123.8</u> ✓	100.0	<u>139.9</u> ✓	100.0
Reunion	30.2	24.4	35.6	25.4
France	22.0	17.8	24.2	17.3
South Africa, Rep. of	27.2	21.9	31.4	22.5
United Kingdom	5.9	4.7	5.2	3.7
Malagasy Republic	8.1	6.5	7.8	5.6
India	1.7	1.4	2.2	1.6
Italy	5.5	4.5	6.3	4.5
Australia	1.7	1.4	1.6	1.1
Zambia	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.5
Germany, Fed. Rep. of	7.0	5.6	7.3	5.2
Other countries	13.8	11.2	17.6	12.6
Tourist nights spent during period - (Thousand)	1,405.9		1,599.6	

1/ revised

↑ of which Federal Rep.

3. HEALTH

	81 - 82	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>
✓ Life expectation in years at birth 1971 - 73	<u>1983<sup>1/</sup></u>	60.7	65.3
✓ Infant mortality (deaths of children under one year of age per 1,000 live births)	<u>1984</u>	25.6	23.0

	<u>Number</u>		<u>Ratio per 100,000 population</u>	
	<u>1983</u>	<u>1984</u>	<u>1983</u>	<u>1984</u>
Family Planning :				
Clinics (including mobile)	107	110	11.0	11.3
Supply centres	48	48	5.0	4.9
Maternal and Child Health Clinics (including Health Centres and mobile clinics with doctor coverage)	90	94	9.3	9.6
✓ <sup>No. of</sup> Public dispensaries (including Health centres and mobile dispensaries)	66	66	6.8	6.8
✓ Hospitals	11	11	1.1	1.1
✓ Hospital beds	2,820	2,811 <sup>2/</sup>	291.1	287.7
✓ Admission in hospitals	109,651	...	11,320.5	...

Selected notifiable diseases reported in the Island of Mauritius (during period):-

		<u>1983</u>	<u>1984</u>
Malaria	Number	296	143
Tuberculosis	"	152	118
Typhoid fever	"	15	10

SELECTED PERSONNEL IN THE STATE OF MAURITIUS AT END OF PERIOD

	<u>Number</u>		<u>Ratio per 100,000 population</u>	
	<u>1983</u>	<u>1984</u>	<u>1983</u>	<u>1984</u>
✓ Medical Practitioners	690	...	712	...
✓ Dentists	82	...	85	...
✓ Nurses and Midwives (Government)	2,268	...	2,342	...

1/ revised

2/ as at 30.6.84

4. PUBLIC FINANCE AND BANKING

4.1 Central government revenue

	<u>Rs Million</u>	
	<u>1982/83</u>	<u>1983/84</u>
I. Current revenue ( <del>II</del> + <del>III</del> )	<u>2,802.6</u>	<u>3,069.8</u>
II. Tax revenue	<u>2,436.5</u>	<u>2,802.7</u>
1. Tax on income, profits, capital gains	395.1	425.4
2. Taxes on property	85.0	93.5
3. Domestic taxes on goods and services of which (i) excises (ii) sales tax	528.0 (275.5) (82.8)	659.7 (272.4) (206.2)
4. Import duties	989.1	1,161.9
5. Export duties	416.4	442.0
6. Other tax revenue	22.9	20.2
III. Non tax revenue	<u>366.1</u>	<u>267.1</u>
1. Property income from non financial public enterprises and public financial institutions	251.7	132.1
2. Other property income	11.4	15.0
3. Fees, charges and non industrial sales	68.8	77.2
4. Other non tax revenue	34.2	42.8
IV. Capital revenue	-	-
1. Sales of fixed capital assets	-	-
V. Total revenue (I + IV)	<u>2,802.6</u>	<u>3,069.8</u>
VI. Grants	<u>22.6</u>	<u>52.9</u>
1. Capital grants	22.6	52.9
VII. Total revenue and grants (V + VI)	<u>2,825.2</u>	<u>3,122.7</u>

*Whether capital expenditure*

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*deficit*  
*Budget deficit*

4.2 Central Government Expenditure

Rs Million

	<u>1982/83<sup>1/</sup></u>	<u>1983/84</u>
1. General public services	548.6	642.0
2. Defence	32.3	36.4
3. Education	559.8	561.6
4. Health	280.8	303.2
5. Social security and welfare	444.5	500.7
6. Housing and community amenities	122.2	74.4
7. Other community and social services	22.9	25.1
8. Economic services	330.5	339.6
8.1 Central administration, reg. & research	26.5	27.3
8.2 Agriculture, forestry, fishing	208.4	230.1
8.3 Mining, manufacturing and construction	28.8	51.3
8.4 Electricity, gas, steam and water	6.1	8.3
8.5 Roads	29.8	15.6
8.6 Inland and coastal waterways	1.7	1.3
8.7 Other transport and communication	4.2	28.2
8.8 Other economic services	25.0	25.5
9. Other purposes	1,241.4	1,212.2
Public debt interest	(773.4)	(820.9)
Transfers to local government	(146.7)	(155.1)
Subsidy on rice and flour	(190.0)	(100.0)
Development works	(131.3)	(136.2)
Total expenditure	<u>3,583.0</u>	<u>3,743.3</u>

<sup>1/</sup> Revised

4.3 Public debt outstanding by type of debt holder (end of period)

	<u>Rs Million</u>	
	<u>1982/83<sup>1/</sup></u>	<u>1983/84</u>
I. Domestic debt	5,833.7	6,829.1
1. Other levels of government	838.9	993.2
2. Monetary authorities	3,117.7	3,788.7
3. Deposit money banks	1,293.0	1,274.5
4. Other domestic	584.1	772.7
II. Foreign debt	3,462.7	3,853.9
1. International development institutions	1,120.3	1,614.7
2. Foreign governments	876.9	1,090.4
3. Other foreign	1,465.5	1,148.8
Total ( <i>Post</i> )	<u>9,296.4</u>	<u>10,683.0</u>

4.4 Public debt outstanding by type of debt instrument (end of period)

	<u>Rs Million</u>	
	<u>1982/83<sup>1/</sup></u>	<u>1983/84</u>
I. Domestic debt	5,833.7	6,829.1
1. Long term bonds	1,905.5	2,278.3
2. Short term bonds and bills	2,221.3	2,656.3
3. Long term loans n.e.c.	728.6	728.0
4. Short term loans and advances	978.3	1,166.5
II. Foreign debt	3,462.7	3,853.9
1. Long term loans n.e.c.	3,462.7	3,853.9
Total	<u>9,296.4</u>	<u>10,683.0</u>

4.5 Foreign Exchange Reserves (end of year)

	<u>Rs Million</u>	
	<u>1983</u>	<u>1984</u>
Total	✓ <u>392.1</u>	✓ <u>557.4<sup>1/</sup></u>
I.M.F. position (net)	-	-
Bank of Mauritius	271.4	411.6
Government	0.5	0.5
Statutory Bodies	5.0	5.4 <sup>1/</sup>
Commercial Banks (net)	115.2	139.9

4.6 Assets of the Bank of Mauritius (end of year)

Total Assets	<u>3,460.5</u>	<u>3,632.9</u>
External Assets :	271.4 <sup>2/</sup>	411.6 <sup>2/</sup>
Balances with banks	257.0	302.4
Bills and Securities	12.6	107.9
I.M.F. Special Drawing Rights	1.2	1.2
Local Assets :	3,189.1	3,221.3
Government Securities	1,828.6	1,867.1
Discounts and Advances	1,194.6	1,307.2
Other	165.9	47.0

4.7 Liabilities of the Bank of Mauritius (end of year)

Total liabilities	<u>3,460.5</u>	<u>3,632.9</u>
Capital and Reserves	33.0	33.0
Notes and Coins in circulation	1,093.1	1,148.5
Demand Deposits :		
Government	0.1	0.1
Bankers	287.5	345.9
Other	174.2	104.9
Other Deposits	0.1	109.2
Other Liabilities	1,872.5	1,891.3

1/ Estimates

2/ Includes notes and coins, Rs 0.6m and Rs 0.1m for 1983 and 1984 respectively

4.8 Assets of Commercial Banks (end of year)

	<u>Rs Million</u>	
	<u>1983</u>	<u>1984</u>
Total Assets :	<u>5,341.8</u>	<u>6,311.2</u>
Reserves	458.3	536.2
Foreign Assets	194.8	282.6
Claims on Government	1,225.1	1,412.0
Claims on Private Sector	2,796.9	3,407.3
Other Assets	666.7	673.1

4.9 Liabilities of Commercial Banks (end of year)

Total Liabilities :	<u>5,341.8</u>	<u>6,311.2</u>
Capital and Reserves	289.9	307.4
Private Sector Deposits :		
Demand	844.3	1,074.0
Time	1,935.3	2,161.4
Savings	1,687.0	1,983.6
Government Deposits	28.0	45.2
Credit from Bank of Mauritius	8.0	-
Balances due to other banks	84.9	135.4
Other Liabilities	464.4	604.2

4.10 Money Supply (end of year)

Total	<u>1,805.9</u>	<u>2,050.8</u>
Currency with the public	922.3	958.2
Demand Deposits :		
Bank of Mauritius	39.3	18.6
Commercial Banks	844.3	1,074.0

4.11 Post Office Savings Banks

Deposits (during year)	Million Rs	58.4	61.8
Withdrawals (during year)	"	60.7	56.9
Accumulated Balance (end of year)	"	129.6	146.3
Number of accounts (end of year)	Thousand	207.5	219.8

5. NATIONAL ACCOUNTS

5.1 Main aggregates at current prices

	<u>Unit</u>	<u>1983<sup>1/</sup></u>	<u>1984<sup>2/</sup></u>
Gross domestic product at factor cost	Rs Mn	10,600	11,800
Indirect taxes (net of subsidies)	"	2,160	2,380
Gross domestic product at market prices	"	12,760	14,180
Net factor income from the rest of the world	"	- 485	- 556
Gross national product at factor cost	"	10,115	11,244
Gross national product at market prices	"	12,275	13,624
Per capita gross national product at factor cost	Rs	10,443	11,507
Per capita gross national product at market prices	Rs	12,673	13,943
Percentage annual real growth rate of the gross domestic product at factor cost	%	+ 0.3	+ 4.2

5.2 Gross domestic product by industry group  
(at current factor cost)

	<u>Rs Million</u>	
Agriculture, hunting, forestry and fishing	1,465	1,695
Mining and quarrying	18	19
Manufacturing	1,660	1,988
Electricity, gas and water	245	285
Construction	660	700
Wholesale and retail trade & restaurants and hotels	1,455	1,660
of which wholesale and retail	(1,180)	(1,320)
Transport, storage and communications	1,230	1,320
Financing, insurance, real estate and business services	1,890	2,038
of which ownership of dwellings	(1,360)	(1,460)
Producers of government services	1,327	1,385
Other services	650	710
	<u>          </u>	<u>          </u>
GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT AT FACTOR COST	10,600	11,800
	=====	=====

1/ revised

2/ preliminary estimates

These footnotes refer to pages 8 to 11

5.3 <u>Gross domestic product by industry group</u> (at constant 1982 prices)	Rs Million	
	1983 <sup>1/</sup>	1984 <sup>2/</sup>
Agriculture, hunting, forestry and fishing	1,331	1,367
of which sugar	(912)	(894)
Mining and quarrying	17	17
Manufacturing	1,561	1,684
of which sugar	(250)	(245)
Electricity, gas and water	243	278
Construction	633	647
Wholesale and retail trade & restaurants and hotels	1,373	1,459
of which wholesale and retail	(1,118)	(1,168)
Transport, storage and communications	1,151	1,185
Financing, insurance, real estate and business services	1,812	1,860
of which ownership of dwellings	(1,302)	(1,336)
Producers of government services	1,300	1,318
Other services	627	652
<b>GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT AT FACTOR COST</b>	<b>10,048</b> =====	<b>10,467</b> =====
Annual growth rate of real GDP at factor cost	+ 0.3%	+ 4.2%
5.4 <u>Cost components of the gross domestic product</u> (at current prices)		
✓ Compensation of employees	5,280	5,890
of which paid by government*	(1,547)	(1,615)
Operating surplus	5,320	5,910
of which government industries	(61)	(65)
Consumption of fixed capital	...	...
<b>GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT AT FACTOR COST</b>	<b>10,600</b>	<b>11,800</b>
Net indirect taxes	2,160	2,380
Indirect taxes paid	(2,180)	(2,416)
Subsidies received	(- 20)	(- 36)
<b>GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT AT MARKET PRICES</b>	<b>12,760</b> =====	<b>14,180</b> =====

\*Government includes producers services, government industries and departmental enterprises

5.5 Expenditure on gross domestic product  
(at current prices)

*Consumption  
& investment*

	<u>Re Million</u>	
	<u>1983<sup>1/</sup></u>	<u>1984<sup>2/</sup></u>
Private consumption expenditure on goods and services	8,887	9,845
General government consumption expenditure on goods and services	1,700	1,785
Gross domestic fixed capital formation of <del>private enterprises</del>	1,485	1,660
Gross domestic fixed capital formation of <del>government and public enterprises</del>	815	965
Increase in stocks	- 95	+ 291
Exports of goods and non-factor services	5,953	7,034
<u>Less</u> Imports of goods and non-factor services	<u>5,985</u>	<u>7,400</u>
<b>GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT AT MARKET PRICES</b>	<b>12,760</b>	<b>14,180</b>
	=====	=====

5.6 Expenditure on gross domestic product  
(at constant 1982 prices)

Private consumption expenditure on goods and services	8,443	8,735
General government consumption expenditure on goods and services	1,658	1,683
Gross domestic fixed capital formation of private enterprises	1,401	1,463
Gross domestic fixed capital formation of government and public enterprises	766	847
Increase in stocks	- 90	+ 270
Exports of goods and non-factor services	5,617	5,982
<u>Less</u> Imports of goods and non-factor services	<u>6,035</u>	<u>6,729</u>
<b>GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT AT MARKET PRICES</b>	<b>11,760</b>	<b>12,251</b>
	=====	=====

5.7 Composition of gross domestic fixed capital formation  
(at current prices)

<b>A. <u>By type of capital goods</u></b>		
(a) Residential buildings	700	750
(b) Non-residential buildings	277	335
(c) Other construction and works (including land improvement)	527	580
(d) Transport equipment		
(i) Passenger cars	40	65
(ii) Other equipment	111	100
(e) Machinery and other equipment	645	795
<b>GROSS DOMESTIC FIXED CAPITAL FORMATION</b>	<b>2,300</b>	<b>2,625</b>
	=====	=====

5.7 Composition of gross domestic fixed capital formation (cont'd)  
(at current prices)

	<u>Rs Million</u>	
	<u>1983<sup>1/</sup></u>	<u>1984<sup>2/</sup></u>
<b>B. <u>By industrial use</u></b>		
(a) Agriculture, hunting, forestry and fishing	103	125
(b) Mining and quarrying	-	-
(c) Manufacturing	358	520
(d) Electricity, gas and water	469	380
(e) Construction	34	45
(f) Wholesale and retail trade & restaurants and hotels	127	165
(g) Transport, storage and communications	321	385
(h) Financing, insurance, real estate and business services	745	805
of which ownership of dwellings	(700)	(750)
(i) Producers of government services	81	120
(j) Other services	62	80
<b>GROSS DOMESTIC FIXED CAPITAL FORMATION</b>	<u>2,300</u> =====	<u>2,625</u> =====

5.8 Composition of gross domestic fixed capital formation  
(at constant 1982 prices)

<b>A. <u>By type of capital goods</u></b>		
(a) Residential buildings	667	670
(b) Non-residential buildings	263	296
(c) Other construction and works (including land improvement)	502	516
(d) Transport equipment		
(i) Passenger cars	35	53
(ii) Other equipment	101	85
(e) Machinery and other equipment	599	690
<b>GROSS DOMESTIC FIXED CAPITAL FORMATION</b>	<u>2,167</u> =====	<u>2,310</u> =====
<b>B. <u>By industrial use</u></b>		
(a) Agriculture, hunting, forestry and fishing	98	111
(b) Mining and quarrying	-	-
(c) Manufacturing	334	453
(d) Electricity, gas and water	440	333
(e) Construction	31	38
(f) Wholesale and retail trade & restaurants and hotels	119	144
(g) Transport, storage and communications	301	337
(h) Financing, insurance, real estate and business services	709	718
of which ownership of dwellings	(667)	(670)
(i) Producers of government services	76	105
(j) Other services	59	71
<b>GROSS DOMESTIC FIXED CAPITAL FORMATION</b>	<u>2,167</u> =====	<u>2,310</u> =====

5.9 Summary of Balance of Payments

<u>Item</u>	<u>Rs Millicn</u>	
	<u>1983</u> <sup>1/</sup>	<u>1984</u>
1. Merchandise account	- 158	...
2. Net services account	- 359	...
3. Net unrequited transfers	+ 294	...
4. Net capital movements	- 357	...
Capital movements relating to sugar financing	(- 127)	...
Other capital	(- 230)	...
5. SDR allocation	-	...
6. Errors and omissions	+ 67	...
Overall balance of payments	- 513	...
Monetary movements	+ 513	...
Reserves movements <sup>2/</sup>	(+ 188)	...
Exceptional financing	(+ 325)	...

1/ provisional

2/ a plus indicates a decrease and a minus an increase

Source : Bank of Mauritius

6. CONSUMER PRICE INDEX

6.1 CONSUMER PRICE INDEX (Base : January - June 1982 = 100)

	<u>1983</u>	<u>1984</u>
January	104.6	109.9
February	106.1	110.6
March	106.4	112.4
April	106.7	113.2
May	106.2	113.5
June	105.8	113.2
July	106.4	114.0
August	106.5	115.6
September	107.0	117.4
October	108.1	118.0
November	107.6	117.4
December	<u>107.5</u>	<u>118.2</u>
Yearly Average	<u>106.6</u>	<u>114.4</u>

6.2 SUB INDICES BY MAJOR COMMODITY GROUP (Base : January - June 1982 = 100)

<u>Commodity group</u>	<u>Yearly Average 1983</u>	<u>Yearly Average 1984</u>
Food & Non-Alcoholic Beverages	108.5	118.3
Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco	106.5	109.1
Fuel and Light	96.4	106.0
Housing	109.8	116.7
Clothing, Footwear and Bedding	108.0	113.0
Transport and Communication	100.9	105.5
Medical care	105.6	116.9
Education	103.1	108.1
Miscellaneous	<u>107.1</u>	<u>116.2</u>
All Groups	<u>106.6</u> =====	<u>114.4</u> =====

6.3

INFLATION RATE *(Calcutta 1983 1984)*

<u>Calendar year</u>		<u>Financial year</u>	
1982	11.4	1981/82	13.4
1983	5.6	1982/83	7.5
1984	7.3	1983/84	5.6

7. FOREIGN TRADE

7.1 (a) Balance of Trade

		<u>1983<sup>1/</sup></u>	<u>1984<sup>2/</sup></u>
Imports (c.i.f. value)	Rs Mn	5,175.0	6,485.7
Exports (f.o.b. value)	"	4,637.4	5,492.0
Balance of Visible Trade	"	- 537.6	- 993.7

7.1 (b) Price (unit Value) Indices

	<u>1983<sup>1/</sup></u>	<u>1984<sup>2/</sup></u>
	(Base 1982 = 100)	
Exports Unit Value Index	106.7	119.4
Imports Unit Value Index	97.9	110.0
Terms of trade	109.0	108.5

7.2 IMPORTS

		<u>1983<sup>1/</sup></u>	<u>1984<sup>2/</sup></u>
<u>Total</u>	Rs Mn	<u>5,175.0</u>	<u>6,485.7</u>
Food <i>imports</i>	"	1,130.1	1,276.7
<i>of which</i> : Rice	"	(210.1)	(269.6)
Wheat Flour	"	(176.3)	(224.6)
Beverages & Tobacco	"	22.8	25.6
Crude Materials, Inedible, except Fuels	"	227.3	295.8
Minerals Fuels, Lubricants, etc.	"	972.2	1,073.6
Animal and Vegetable Oils & Fats	"	155.0	229.7
Chemicals	"	402.1	456.4
Manufactured Goods Classified Chiefly by Materials	"	1,298.9	1,944.2
Machinery & Transport Equipment	"	624.5	752.2
Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles	"	336.2	425.5
Other Commodities and Transactions	"	6.0	6.0

1/ revised

2/ provisional

	<u>Rs Mn</u>	
	<u>1983<sup>1/</sup></u>	<u>1984<sup>2/</sup></u>
7.3 <u>TOTAL EXPORTS<sup>3/</sup></u>	<u>4,311.3</u>	<u>5,180.3</u>
Re-exports	<u>88.0</u>	<u>113.2</u>
Domestic Exports	<u>4,223.3</u>	<u>5,067.1</u>
Of which : Sugar	2,678.9	2,522.6
Molasses	63.3	61.5
Tea	97.0	249.1
Fish & fish preparations	76.2	107.2
Clothing	936.2	1,599.9
Textile Yarn, fabrics, etc.	76.6	97.2
Pearls, precious & Semi-precious stones	48.7	87.8
Optical goods, n.e.s.	33.2	60.9
Watches and clocks	65.6	85.2
Baby carriages, toys and games	34.3	50.3
Jewellery and articles of precious or semi-precious materials	32.0	48.5

7.4 DIRECTION OF TRADE - SUMMARY

	<u>Rs Mn</u>	
	<u>1983<sup>1/</sup></u>	<u>1984<sup>2/</sup></u>
✓ Total imports	<u>5,175.0</u>	<u>6,485.7</u>
✓ Preferential Tariff Countries	3,266.8	4,072.1
✓ Of which E.E.C. Countries	(1,615.6)	(1,968.3)
General Tariff Countries	1,908.2	2,413.6
✓ Total Exports	<u>4,311.3</u>	<u>5,180.3</u>
✓ Preferential Tariff Countries	4,230.6	5,092.4
✓ Of which E.E.C. Countries	(3,677.2)	(4,195.5)
General Tariff Countries	80.7	87.7

1/ revised

2/ provisional

3/ excluding value of ships' stores and bunkers (Rs 326.1 Mn for 1983 & Rs 311.7 Mn for 1984)

*Federal Republic of India  
Exports*

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7.5 DIRECTION OF TRADE - COUNTRIES

Rs Mn

Country of Origin/Destination	Imports (C.I.F.)		Total Exports (F.O.B.)	
	1983	1984	1983	1984
<u>GRAND TOTAL</u>	<u>5,175.0</u>	<u>6,485.7</u>	<u>4,311.3</u>	<u>5,180.3</u>
Preferential Tariff Countries	<u>3,266.8</u>	<u>4,072.1</u>	<u>4,230.6</u>	<u>5,092.4</u>
E.E.C. Countries	<u>1,615.6</u>	<u>1,968.3</u>	<u>3,677.2</u>	<u>4,195.5</u>
United Kingdom	489.4	513.8	2,182.1	2,616.4
France	611.5	755.1	1,010.0	896.8
Germany Federal Republic	211.3	270.0	166.8	272.1
Italy	205.9	190.3	74.9	132.7
Réunion	4.8	4.7	88.0	87.6
Other E.E.C. Countries	132.7	234.4	155.4	189.9
Other Preferential Tariff Countries	<u>1,651.2</u>	<u>2,103.8</u>	<u>553.4</u>	<u>896.9</u>
Australia	242.3	270.6	12.1	18.5
India	123.0	162.6	1.9	1.8
Kenya	142.5	127.0	0.7	3.1
Malaysia	97.3	102.4	2.1	-
New Zealand	141.5	196.0	25.6	2.2
Republic of South Africa	468.9	516.7	32.6	35.7
United States of America	151.3	156.1	366.2	640.0
Singapore	82.6	108.9	2.7	0.2
Canada	4.6	6.0	69.9	98.1
Other Preferential Tariff Countries	197.2	457.5	39.6	97.3
General Tariff Countries	<u>1,908.2</u>	<u>2,413.6</u>	<u>80.7</u>	<u>87.7</u>
Bahrain	923.0	680.6	-	-
China Mainland	235.9	384.6	0.1	2.5
China Taiwan	114.4	161.0	0.1	-
Japan	250.7	404.9	0.9	4.1
Switzerland	37.2	43.5	34.0	29.1
Comore Islands	3.2	7.0	14.2	27.0
U.S.S.R.	1.2	27.9	7.7	5.3
Finland	-	3.1	-	-
Other General Tariff Countries	342.6	701.0	23.7	19.7





9. SOCIAL SECURITY

9.1 Social Benefits<sup>1/</sup>

		<u>1982 - 83</u>	<u>1983 - 84</u>
1. <u>Outdoor Relief</u>			
(i) No. of beneficiaries (Regular)		12,354	12,122
(ii) Total amount paid (Rs Mn)		19.5	20.9
2. <u>Indoor Relief</u>			
(i) No. of persons in infirmaries		611	623
(ii) No. of persons in orphanages		162	138
(iii) Total capitation grants paid (Rs Mn)		2.45	2.46
3. <u>Family Allowance</u>			
(i) No. of beneficiaries		25,173	21,637
(ii) Total amount paid (Rs Mn)		16.7	14.4
4. <u>Retirement Pension</u>			
(i) No. of beneficiaries	- Basic	68,677	71,548 <sup>2/</sup>
	- Contributory	4,522	6,399
(ii) Amount paid (Rs Mn)	- Basic	133.4	151.8
	- Contributory	3.93	5.65
5. <u>Widow's Pension</u>			
(i) No. of beneficiaries	- Basic	17,262	17,194
	- Contributory	993	1,264
(ii) Amount paid (Rs Mn)	- Basic	40.3	44.1
	- Contributory	1.02	1.46
6. <u>Orphans' Pension &amp; Guardian's Allowance</u>			
(i) No. of orphans		1,012	981
(ii) No. of guardians		705	693
(iii) Amount paid (Rs Mn)	- Basic	1.22	1.25
	- Contributory	0.04	0.04
7. <u>Invalidity Pension</u>			
(i) No. of beneficiaries	- Basic	10,173	11,279
	- Contributory	574	780
(ii) Amount paid (Rs Mn)	- Basic	21.7	26.4
	- Contributory	0.48	0.72
8. <u>Inmates Allowance</u>			
(i) No. of beneficiaries		544	530
(ii) Amount paid (Rs Mn)		0.18	0.19

9.1 Social Benefits (cont'd)

	<u>1982 - 83</u>	<u>1983 - 84</u>
9. <u>Industrial Injury Benefits</u>		
(i) Total amount paid (Rs Mn)	2.22	2.81
10. <u>Lump Sum payment to ex SIPF Members</u>		
(i) Total amount paid (Rs Mn)	3.21	3.72
11. <u>Unemployment Hardship Relief</u>		
(i) No. of beneficiaries	5,837	8,203
(ii) Amount paid (Rs Mn)	1.71	12.24

1/ as at June. Beneficiaries of basic and contributory pension are shown separately. But since beneficiaries of contributory pension are also eligible for the corresponding basic pension, the numbers of the basic pension also includes those receiving contributory pension as well.

2/ provisional

9.2 National Pensions Fund - Contribution from Employers/Employees

	<u>1982 - 83</u>	<u>1983 - 84</u>
(i) Total no. of employers registered <sup>1/</sup> since implementation of N.P.S.	16,500	18,200
(ii) No. of employers paying contribution during financial year	9,000	10,300
(iii) Contribution from employers/employees (Rs Mn)	138.0	149.9
(iv) Surcharges paid by employers (Rs Mn)	0.94	1.15
(v) Size of N.P.F. (Rs Mn)	697.8	912.8

1/ as at June

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EDUCATION

1983

1984

10.1 Primary Education

~~Total~~ number of schools

268

271

*Total* Enrolment ~~in:~~

Government Schools

Number

105,467

101,547

Private:

Aided Schools

"

26,466

26,308

Non-aided Schools

"

1,322

1,889

Total Enrolment

"

133,255

129,744

Number of Teachers

"

6,381\*

6,262\*

Pupil/Teacher Ratio

"

21

21

\* includes headteachers and deputy headteachers

10.2 Secondary Education

~~Total~~ number of schools

127

126

*Total* Enrolment ~~in:~~

Government Schools

Number

14,893

15,151

Aided Schools, Status A

"

22,224

22,333

Aided Schools, Status B

"

36,403

33,257

Aided Schools, Other

"

2,361

1,932

Non-aided Schools

"

82

57

(Total Enrolment)

"

75,963

72,730

Number of Teachers

3,436

3,497

Pupil/Teacher Ratio

26

21

10.3 University of Mauritius

Enrolment in:

School of Administration

Number

214

164

School of Agriculture

"

88

58

School of Industrial  
Technology

"

102

122

Total Enrolment

"

404

344

11. TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATIONS

11.1 Motor Vehicles Registered (end of year)

	Number	1983	1984 <sup>1/</sup>
Government owned vehicles	"	2,569	2,744
Private vehicles:			
Cars ✓	"	22,734	23,072
Dual purpose vehicles <sup>Vans</sup> <u>2/</u>	"	6,680	6,915
Motor cycles	"	8,524	8,681
Auto-cycles	"	18,652	19,081
Heavy motor cars	"	335	336
Commercial Vehicles:			
Taxi cars ✓	"	2,954	2,735
Lorries & Trucks ✓	"	4,315	4,277
Vans <u>2/</u>	"	2,552	2,692
Buses ✓	"	1,418	1,364
Other commercial vehicles	"	2,287	2,283
Other vehicles not classified elsewhere		198	189

11.2 Registration of new motor vehicles during period

	Number	1983	1984
Cars		312	429
Dual purpose vehicles <u>2/</u>	"	124	170
Lorries and trucks	"	16	36
Heavy motor cars	"	10	4
Buses	"	28	28
Motor cycles and autocycles	"	668	687
Vans <u>2/</u>	"	110	173
Other	"	74	50

11.3 Bus Operational Statistics <sup>3/</sup>

		1983	1984
Total vehicle-journeys	Thousand	3,018	3,138
Average vehicle-journeys per day	"	8.3	8.6
Total vehicle - miles	"	34,539	35,546
Average vehicle - miles per day	"	94.6	97.4
Total Gross Receipts	Million Rs	268	276

<sup>1/</sup> provisional

<sup>2/</sup> prior to 1983 figures for vans and dual purpose vehicles were given together

<sup>3/</sup> Figures for 1983 have been revised

11. TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATIONS (CONT'D)

1983

1984 <sup>1/</sup>

11.4 Sea-borne Shipping

Vessels Entering	No.	436	686
Vessels Leaving	" "	462	685
Goods Unloaded	000 M/Tons	888	936
Goods Loaded	"	924	722

11.5 Civil Aviation

Aircraft Movements:

Landings	No.	3,464	3,619
Take-offs	"	3,463	3,618
Freight Unloaded	M/Ton	2,254	2,789
Freight Loaded	"	3,911	5,135

11.6 Telephone Services

Capacity (in terms of line)	No.	45,456	44,934
Exchange Line Connections	"	32,950	37,728
Individual Installations	"	48,462	53,825
Call Units Registered during period	Thousand	60,059	69,101

11.7 Broadcasting Services <sup>2/</sup>

Radio Sets Licensed	No.	126,125	129,414
New radio sets licensed during period	"	6,614	4,294
Television Sets Licensed	"	91,414	98,130
New TV licences issued during period	"	6,468	7,486

<sup>1/</sup> Provisional

<sup>2/</sup> Including omnibus licences

12. LOCAL PRODUCTION

12.1 <u>Agriculture</u> ✓		<u>1983</u>	<u>1984</u>
<b>Industrial Crops :</b>			
✓ Sugar cane	000 M/Tons	5,254	5,009
✓ Tea (green leaf processed)	M/Ton	31,103	40,726
✓ Tobacco leaf	"	785	950
✓ Vegetables, pulses and fruits	M/Ton	51,635	60,955
of which : Creepers	"	(4,435)	(5,415)
Groundnuts	"	(1,910)	(2,420)
Maize	"	(1,195)	(3,265)
Potatoes	"	(14,910)	(20,680)
Tomatoes	"	(11,550)	(10,500)
Mixed vegetables	"	(7,120)	(9,795)
Bananas	"	(7,075)	(4,750)
Fish ✓ Coastal fishing	"	1,600	1,600
✓ High seas	"	T 2,285	2,200
Meat <sup>1/</sup> : Beef	"	1,174	983
Goat	"	95	109
Mutton	"	21	21
Pork	"	601	616
<i>Pheasant</i>			
Cattle hides and skins	No.	6,034	5,000

<sup>1/</sup> including imported live animals slaughtered in Mauritius

12.2 Industry - Production of Selected Commodities

	<u>Unit</u>	<u>1983</u>	<u>1984</u>
<del>Sugar</del>	M/Ton	604,730	575,617
<del>Molasses</del>	"	162,143	150,000
<del>Tea (manufactured)</del>	"	6,142	8,018
Denatured Spirits :			
<del>A Power alcohol</del>	H./Litres	2,165	2,788
<del>Alcohol for heating &amp; Lighting</del>	"	3,840	2,688
<del>Beer and stout</del>	"	149,720	166,225
<del>Country liquor (Local wine)</del>	"	42,736	50,756
<del>Soft aerated beverages</del>	"	313,405	272,957
<del>Cigarettes</del>	M/Ton	982	1,253
<del>Matches</del>	Gross boxes	198,019	192,157
<del>Electricity generated (C.E.B.)</del>	Mn. Kwh	371.4	378.8

13. CONSTRUCTION

Approved New Construction

Residential Buildings :

Permits issued <sup>1/</sup>	No.	3,354	3,405
Floor area	000 Sq. ft	3,703	3,765

Non-Residential Buildings

Permits issued <sup>1/</sup>	No.	301	315
Floor area	000 Sq. ft	785	997

<sup>1/</sup> not including permits issued for extension and alterations

14. ISLAND OF RODRIGUES

14.1 Population and Vital Statistics

	<u>1983</u> <sup>1/</sup>	<u>1982</u>
Population (end of year)		
Both sexes	33,500	34,600
Males	16,700	17,400
Females	16,800	17,200
Live births	1,125	1,105
Deaths	210	229
Natural increase	915	876
Arrivals (in Rodrigues)	6,566	7,457
Departures (from Rodrigues)	6,520	7,197
Net increase	961	1,136
Live births per 1,000 of mid-year population	34.0	32.4
Deaths per 1,000 of mid-year population	6.3	6.7
Natural increase per 1,000 of mid-year population	27.7	25.7
Civil marriages	188	227

14.2 Trade with Mauritius

	Rs Mn	Rs Mn
Imports from Mauritius	96.3	102.2
Exports to Mauritius	11.0	10.8

14.3 Education

Primary Education

Total number of schools		10	10
Enrolment in			
Government Schools	Number	2,307	2,373
Aided	"	3,228	3,274
Total Enrolment	"	5,535	5,647
Number of Teachers	"	191	198
Pupil/Teacher Ratio	"	29	29

Secondary Education

No. of Schools	2	2	2
Enrolment in			
Government school	"	673	610
Other	"	552	621
Total Enrolment	"	1,225	1,231
No. of Teachers	"	53	66
Pupil/Teacher Ratio	"	25	19

<sup>1/</sup> revised