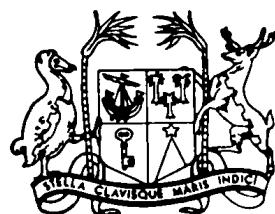


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N O T E S

Symbols

The following symbols are used throughout :

... Negligible

— Nil

Abbreviations

Rs : Rupees (Mauritian)

'000 : Thousand

Mn : Million

No. : Number

N.A. : Not available

n.e.s. : not elsewhere specified

Conversion factors

1 arpent = 1.043 acres = 0.42203 hectare

1 inch = 25.4 millimetres

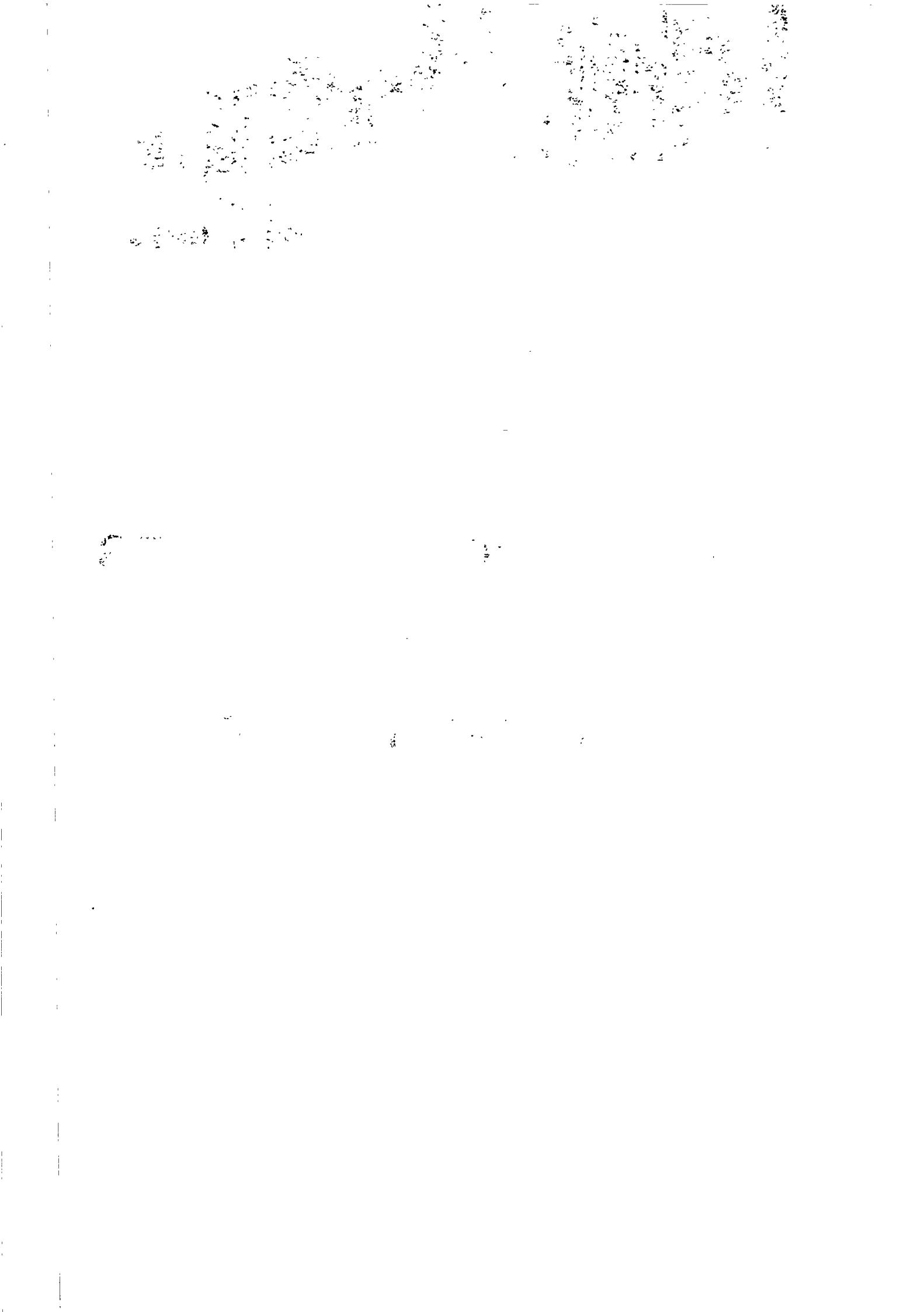
Degrees Celsius (Centigrade) to convert into degrees Fahrenheit multiply by $\frac{9}{5}$ and add 32°

1 metric ton = 1,000 kilos = 0.9842 long ton

<u>Regions</u>	<u>Corresponding district</u>
North	Port Louis, Pamplemousses and Rivière du Rempart
South	Grand Port and Savanne
East	Flacq
West	Black River
Centre	Plaines Wilhems and Noka

Note : Figures for 1986 are provisional

**ECONOMIC ACCOUNTS
OF
AGRICULTURE**



AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION, 1986

Sugar

Following favourable weather conditions prevailing during the crop year 1986, sugar cane production increased in spite of a 700 arpents decrease in area harvested, to reach 6,024,962 metric tons as compared with 5,533,367 metric tons the previous year. Area harvested dropped from 184,866 arpents in 1985 to 184,167 arpents in 1986.

Average sugar cane yield per arpent consequently rose from 30.2 metric tons in 1985 to 32.7 metric tons in 1986, a level usually reached during a normal crop season.

An extraction rate of 11.73% led to the production of 706,839 metric tons of sugar, as compared to 645,797 metric tons in 1985, when the extraction rate was 11.57%. This is the second time that sugar production has exceeded the 700,000 metric tons mark, the first one being the record crop of 1973, when 718,464 metric tons were produced. It should however be noted that there has been a reduction of over 7,500 arpents between the two periods so that actually the sugar yield per arpent is higher during the present crop relative to the 1973 one. In fact the sugar yield per arpent in 1986 of 3.84 metric tons is an all-time record, the corresponding figure for 1973 being 3.75.

Tea

The area under cultivation dropped from 9,259 arpents in 1985 to 8,946 arpents in 1986. The production of green leaves in 1986 amounts to 43,423 metric tons showed a decrease of about 4% when compared to the previous year.

The production of manufactured tea amounted to 7,876 metric tons in 1986, as against 8,115 metric tons a year ago, thus registering a fall of about 3%.

Tobacco/...

Tobacco

Production of tobacco leaves increased by nearly 14% over 1985, to reach 954 metric tons in 1986. This was mainly a result of a larger harvested area which stood at almost 11% over the 1985 level. The area harvested in 1986 was 1,426 arpents as against 1,230 in 1985.

Foodcrops

Foodcrop production showed a slight overall decrease of about 2% over the previous year and amounted to 65,700 metric tons in 1986, in spite of an 18% increase in area harvested, of about 15,000 arpents. A relatively reduced potato harvest was mainly responsible for this fall in foodcrop production.

The 1986 potato crop was about 30% below the level of 1985 due to a combination of both a smaller area under cultivation (1,895 arpents against 2,043) and a lower yield per arpent (0.6 metric tons against 11.4). This was mainly attributable to some over production in 1985, when 23,305 metric tons were produced. As a result plantation in 1986 was delayed as well as reduced, since less potato seeds were available. In addition, the lower yield is partly explained by the **prevalence** of a pest known as thrips.

On the other hand, an excellent maize harvest yielded about 3,000 metric tons, a level of production never reached before in recent times. The production last year was about 4,900 metric tons. The 60% increase in production was mainly accounted for by the larger area harvested in 1986 : about 4,300 arpents as against 2,450 arpents the previous year.

Tomato cultivation increased substantially from 1,643 arpents to 2,034 arpents in 1986, resulting in an enhanced production of about 10,600 metric tons in 1986, a rise of about 13% over the 1985 production of 9,000 metric tons.

Another important foodcrop whose production went up significantly during 1986 was onions. The increase is of the order of about 14% from 2,595 metric tons in 1985 to 2,955 metric tons in 1986. The area under cultivation was the main factor contributing to the increase, being larger in the latter year, i.e. 600 arpents against 500.

Production of pineapples and bananas also grew significantly over the two periods, to reach 980 metric tons and 7,830 metric tons in 1986, as compared to 790 and 7,150 respectively in 1985.

Livestock, 'poultry' and fishing

There has been a general increase in the production of the commodities as indicated below :

	<u>Production</u>		<u>Increase</u>
	<u>1985</u>	<u>1986</u>	
Cattle meat (m. tons)	949	1,233	30 %
Milk (thousand litres)	10,700	11,000	2.3%
Fish (m. tons)	7,05.1	7,977	13 %

Most of the increase in cattle meat was attributable to the slaughter of local cattle. As regards fish the increase is mostly accounted for by higher production from high seas which amounted to almost 6,000 tons as compared with 5,000 tons the previous year.

As regards the production of meat, the following changes have also been noted: goat and sheep (+ 10%), poultry (+ 14%) and pigs (+ 10%).

Table 1.1 - Agricultural crops : area harvested and production

Crop	1985		1986	
	Area harvested (arpents)	Production (metric tons)	Area harvested (arpents)	Production (metric tons)
1. Sugar cane	184,866	5,583,367	184,167	6,024,962
2. Tea (green leaves)	9,259 1/	45,291	8,946 1/	43,423
3. Tobacco	1,280	831	1,426	954
4. Foodcrops	12,663	67,195	14,917	65,700

1/ area under cultivation

Table 1.2 - Production of agro-industrial products

Agro-industrial products	Unit	1985	1986
1. Sugar	m/tons	645,797	706,839
2. Tea (manufactured)	"	8,115	7,876
3. Cattle 1/	"	949	1,233
Local including Rodrigues	"	(587)	(894)
Imported	"	(362)	(339)
4. Goat and sheep 1/	"	146	161
5. Pigs 1/	"	541	595
6. Poultry	"	6,000	6,875
7. Milk	000 litres	10,000	11,000
8. Fish	m/tons	7,054	7,977
Coastal	"	(2,034)	(2,027)
Bank 2/	"	(5,020)	(5,950)

1/ includes abattoir slaughters only

2/ fresh weight equivalent

FIG. 1 - DISTRIBUTION OF GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT AT FACTOR COST
(CURRENT PRICES) BY SECTOR, 1977 - 1986

(RS MN)

16000
14000
12000
10000
8000
6000
4000
2000
0

SERVICES

INDUSTRIAL
SECTOR

AGRICULTURE

1977 78 79 80 81 82 83 84 85 86

..... SERVICES
..... INDUSTRIAL SECTOR
..... AGRICULTURE

Table 1.3 - Share of agriculture in the economy, 1982 - 1986

	Unit	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986 I/
Gross domestic product (G.D.P.), at current factor cost	Rs Mn	10,020	10,613	12,050	13,879	15,600
Value added - agriculture, at current factor cost	Rs Mn	1,530	1,465	1,736	2,123	2,395
of which sugar	Rs Mn	(1,140)	(1,010)	(1,166)	(1,538)	(1,800)
Share of agriculture in G.D.P. at factor cost	%	15	14	14	15	15
Share of sugar in agriculture	%	75	69	67	72	75
Gross domestic fixed capital formation (GDFCF)	Rs Mn	2,100	2,300	2,595	3,100	3,800
G.D.F.C.F. in agriculture	Rs Mn	135	102	123	130	150
Share of investment in agriculture in total G.D.F.C.F.	%	6.4	4.4	4.7	4.2	3.9
Annual growth rate of G.D.P. at factor cost	%	+ 5.8	+ 0.4	+ 4.7	+ 6.8	+ 7.1
Annual growth rate of agriculture	%	+ 19.4	- 13.0	+ 0.8	+ 11.4	+ 8.0
Annual growth rate of sugar	%	+ 25.5	- 20.0	- 4.0	+ 15.0	+ 10.0

I/ preliminary estimates

Table 1.4 - Production account of agriculture, 1982 - 1986

Rs million

	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986
Gross output	2,344.6	2,315.8	2,607.0	3,098.0	3,443.0
Intermediate Consumption	814.6	861.0	885.7	990.0	1,066.0
Value added (market prices)	1,530.0	1,454.8	1,721.3	2,108.0	2,377.0
Indirect taxes net of subsidies	-	- 10.2	- 14.7	- 15.0	- 18.0
Value added (factor cost)	1,530.0	1,465.0	1,736.0	2,123.0	2,395.0
Wages and salaries	900.0	974.0	994.0	1,043.0	1,200.0
Gross operating surplus	630.0	491.0	742.0	1,080.0	1,195.0

Table 1.5 - Value added at factor cost of agriculture (at current prices) by main product groups, 1982 - 1986

Rs million

Product groups	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986
Industrial crops	1,192.2	1,091.8	1,321.2	1,660.2	1,892.4
Sugar cane	(1,140.0)	(1,010.0)	(1,166.0)	(1,538.0)	(1,800.0)
Tea (greenleaf)	(38.0)	(62.0)	(131.0)	(101.1)	(63.0)
Tobacco leaf	(14.2)	(19.8)	(24.2)	(21.1)	(29.4)
Foodcrops	108.0	122.2	150.0	153.7	155.0
Fruits, flowers and forestry	41.5	41.7	41.5	51.1	51.5
Livestock and poultry products	114.2	117.1	121.7	136.6	179.4
Fishing	34.3	45.8	64.7	87.1	86.2
Agriculture services and other agricultural activities n.e.s.	39.8	46.4	36.9	34.3	30.4
Total Agriculture	1,530.0	1,465.0	1,736.0	2,123.0	2,395.0

FIG.2- TOTAL DOMESTIC EXPORTS (F.O.B. VALUE IN RS. MN.), 1977-1986

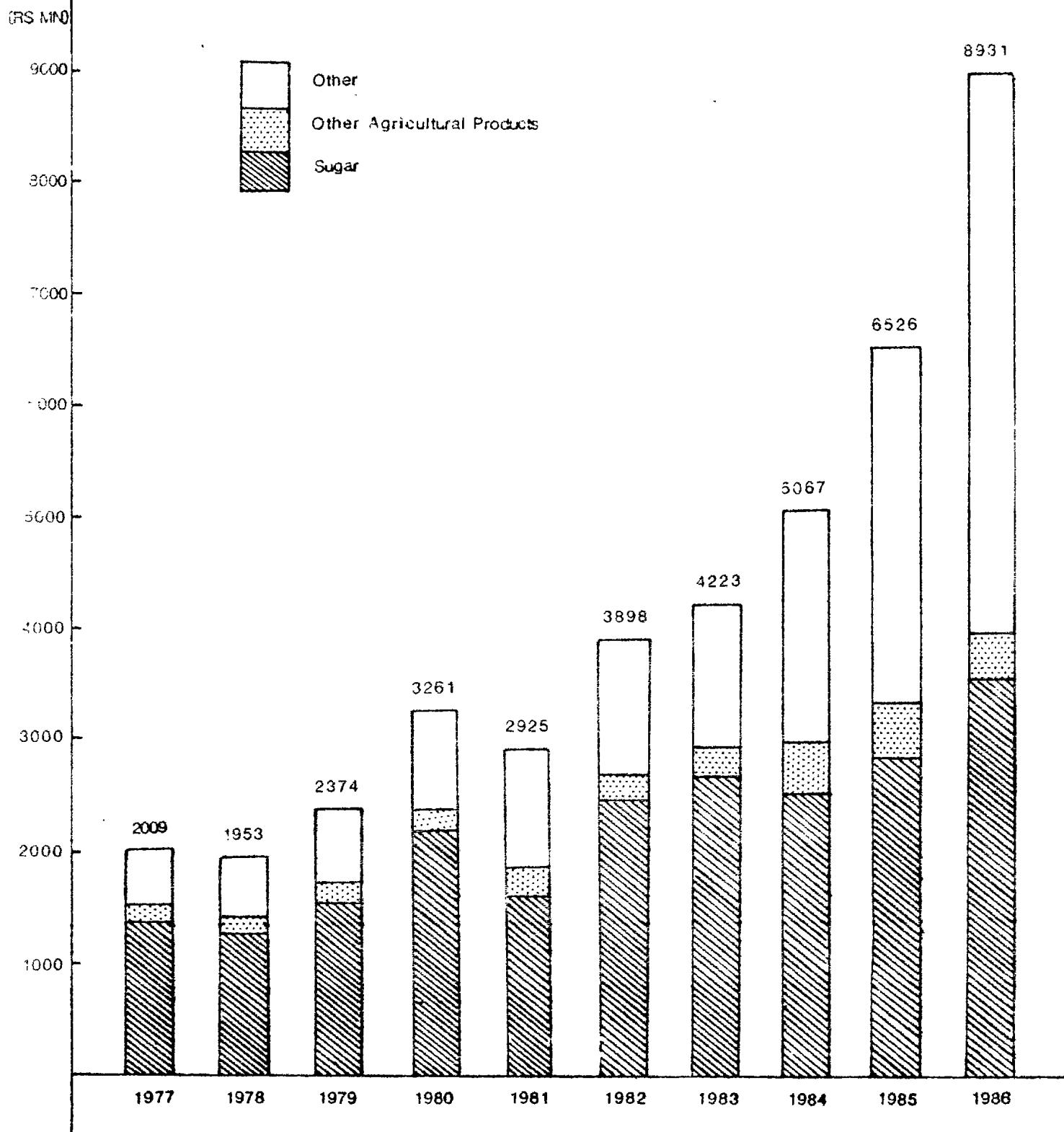


Table 1.6 - Exports of Agricultural and food products, 1982 - 1986

(E.O.B. value in Rs million)

Item	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986
Sugar	2,462.5	2,678.9	2,522.6	2,866.6	3,544.5
Molasses	66.6	63.3	61.5	89.1	82.7
Tea	66.7	97.0	249.1	178.4	104.4
Fish and fish preparations	55.5	76.2	107.2	142.5	135.3
Vegetables and fruits	2.8	3.2	6.8	10.8	19.5
Cut flowers and foliage	5.9	7.3	9.5	15.4	19.1
Other agricultural and food products	17.6	8.2	17.8	17.6	40.4
Total agricultural and food products	2,678.2	2,934.1	2,974.5	3,320.4	3,945.9
Total domestic exports	3,898.5	4,223.3	5,067.1	6,532.8	8,931.4
% Exports agricultural & food products	68.7	69.5	58.7	50.6	44.2
Total domestic exports					

Table 1.7 - Employers in the agricultural sector (large establishments) - 1986

	March				September					
	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986
Sugar	46,457	46,082	44,628	42,882	41,718	49,864	49,132	47,575	46,603	45,800
- Estates with factories 2/	(40,319)	(40,239)	(39,070)	(37,804)	(36,855)	(43,027)	(42,830)	(41,771)	(41,219)	(40,556)
- Planters 3/	(6,138)	(5,843)	(5,558)	(5,078)	(4,863)	(6,837)	(6,302)	(5,804)	(5,384)	(5,244)
Tea 4/	4,747	4,613	3,643	3,508	3,173	3,728	4,281	3,391	3,361	3,354
Tobacco 5/	275	239	263	384	424	934	1,069	1,042	1,076	1,105
Fishing	273	421	348	414	337	381	313	374	325	372
Other agricultural activities	705	790	895	1,104	1,258	804	1,031	1,038	1,286	1,401
Total agriculture	52,457	52,145	49,777	48,292	46,910	56,711	55,826	53,420	52,651	52,032

1/ establishment with 10 employees or more

2/ including sugar milling

3/ planters cultivating more than 25 arpents

4/ including tea manufacturing, TDA and planters cultivating more than 5 arpents

5/ planters cultivating flue-cured tobacco only

Table 1.8 - Employment in the agricultural sector (large and small establishments) - June 1982

Sector	Large establishments			Small establishments*			Total employment		
	Female		Total	Female		Total	Male		Total
	Male	Female		Male	Female		Male	Female	
Sugar	35,381	12,226	47,607	4,500	2,000	6,500	39,881	14,226	54,107
Tea	3,869	578	4,447	4,000	2,000	6,000	7,869	2,578	10,447
Fishing	357	10	367	2,400	-	2,400	2,757	10	2,767
Other	916	649	1,565	4,000	3,000	7,000	4,916	3,649	8,565
Total	40,525	13,465	53,986	14,900	7,000	21,900	55,423	20,463	75,886

* Estimates

SUGAR INDUSTRY

Table 2.1 - Area harvested, cane production, cane yield for estates, metayer and owner planters, 1977 - 1986

Year	Area Harvested (arpent)			Cane Production ('000 tons)			Cane yield (tons/arpent)		
	Estates	Metayer	Owner planters	Estates	Metayer	Owner planters	Estates	Metayer	Owner planters
1977	105,091	4,663	81,254	191,008	3,747	104	2,171	6,022	35.7
1978	106,205	4,519	79,470	190,194	3,914	101	2,245	6,260	36.9
1979	106,694	4,268	77,922	188,884	3,977	96	2,240	6,313	37.3
1980	106,391	4,245	76,872	187,508	2,874	69	1,621	4,564	27.0
1981	105,502	4,196	75,790	185,488	3,455	87	1,761	5,303	32.8
1982	102,598	4,136	82,585	189,319	3,942	100	2,540	6,582	38.4
1983	99,462	4,293	82,075	185,830	3,203	87	1,965	5,255	32.2
1984	98,487	4,586	81,733	184,806	3,117	85	1,807	5,009	31.6
1985	97,193	4,675	82,998	184,866	3,281	100	2,202	5,583	33.8
1986	94,380	4,792	84,995	184,167	3,434	108	2,483	6,025	36.4

Table 2.2 - Area harvested, cane production, cane yield of estates, metayer and owner-planters by region, 1985 - 1986

	Area harvested (arpents)			Cane production ('000 tons)			Cane yield (tons/arpent)			Estates	Metayer	Owner Planters	Total
	Estates	Metayer	Owner Planters	Total	Estates	Metayer	Owner Planters	Total	Estates	Metayer	Owner Planters	Total	
North	12,765	-	33,853	46,618	441.8	-	886.0	1,327.8	34.6	-	26.2	28.5	
South	39,409	1,980	16,024	57,413	1,346.8	50.0	458.1	1,854.9	34.2	25.3	28.6	32.3	
East	25,135	2,435	18,975	46,545	833.9	45.2	474.0	1,353.1	33.2	18.5	25.0	29.1	
West	10,018	-	4,495	14,513	341.8	-	124.4	466.2	34.1	-	27.7	32.1	
Centre	9,866	260	9,651	19,777	316.8	4.4	260.1	581.3	32.1	17.3	27.0	29.4	
Total Island	97,193	4,675	82,998	184,866	3,281.1	99.6	2,202.6	5,583.3	33.8	21.3	26.5	30.2	
1986													
North	11,573	-	34,858	46,431	472.3	-	1,087.4	1,559.6	40.8	-	31.2	33.6	
South	38,403	2,007	16,125	56,535	1,367.7	51.5	474.1	1,893.2	35.6	25.7	29.4	33.5	
East	24,463	2,543	19,467	46,473	886.9	52.2	525.6	1,464.6	36.3	26.6	27.0	31.5	
West	10,122	-	4,655	14,777	366.2	-	133.8	500.0	36.2	-	28.7	33.8	
Centre	9,819	242	9,890	19,951	341.3	4.3	262.0	607.5	34.8	17.8	26.5	30.4	
Total Island	94,380	4,792	84,995	184,167	3,434.3	107.9	2,482.7	6,025.0	36.4	22.5	29.2	32.7	

Table 2.3 - Sugar crop 1985 (area harvested, canes produced, yield and sugar production by factory area)

Factory area	Area harvested (arpents)	Sugar cane production (tons)	Yield (tons/arpent)	Sugar production (tons)
<u>North</u>				
Beau Plan	46,618	1,327,809	28.5	145,066
Belle Vue	9,447	285,331	30.2	30,171
Mon Loisir	13,602	379,333	27.9	42,853
Mount	8,822	263,323	29.9	29,045
St. Antoine	5,738	213,189	37.2	23,019
St. Antoine	9,009	186,633	20.7	19,978
<u>South</u>	57,413	1,854,889	32.3	219,741
Bel Ombre	6,483	189,905	29.3	20,656
Britania	6,468	221,832	34.3	26,627
Mon Trésor/Mon Désert	7,423	258,770	34.9	31,635
Riche-en-Eau	8,281	266,363	32.2	31,290
Rose Belle	7,513	194,808	25.9	23,452
St. Felix	5,947	161,632	27.2	17,724
Savannah	8,090	290,023	35.9	35,933
Union St. Aubin	7,208	271,417	37.7	32,424
<u>East</u>	46,545	1,353,103	29.1	158,567
Fuel	21,670	634,084	29.3	72,604
Beau Champ	14,876	454,531	30.6	54,485
Constance	9,999	264,488	26.5	31,478
<u>West</u>	14,513	466,220	32.1	57,390
Medine	14,513	466,220	32.1	57,390
<u>Centre</u>	19,777	581,355	29.4	65,033
Highlands	9,111	277,793	30.5	27,530
Mon Désert (Alma)	10,666	303,562	28.5	37,503
Total Island	184,866	5,583,367	30.2	645,797

Table 2.4 - Sugar crop 1986 (area harvested, canes produced, yield and sugar production by factory area)

Factory area	Area harvested (arpents)	Sugar cane production (tons)	Yield (tons/arpent)	Sugar production (tons)
<u>North</u>	<u>46,431</u>	<u>1,559,625</u>	<u>33.6</u>	<u>177,663</u>
Beau Plan	9,264	298,517	32.2	33,714
Belle Vue	13,315	455,912	34.2	52,920
Mon Loisir	9,017	315,409	35.0	36,190
Mount	5,737	228,747	39.9	26,074
St. Antoine	9,098	261,040	28.7	28,765
Solitude				
<u>South</u>	<u>56,535</u>	<u>1,893,236</u>	<u>33.5</u>	<u>226,684</u>
Bel Ombre	6,119	180,102	29.4	20,753
Britania	6,413	215,575	33.6	26,135
Mon Trésor/Mon Désert	7,385	269,527	36.5	33,636
Riche en Eau	8,283	277,361	33.5	32,401
Rose Belle	7,423	193,683	26.1	23,301
St. Felix	5,804	163,293	28.1	18,138
Savannah	8,060	307,209	38.1	38,603
Union St. Aubin	7,048	286,487	40.7	33,717
<u>East</u>	<u>46,473</u>	<u>1,464,621</u>	<u>31.5</u>	<u>169,784</u>
Fuel	21,979	705,896	32.1	80,356
Beau Champ	14,496	441,241	30.5	52,211
Constance	9,998	317,484	31.8	37,217
<u>West</u>	<u>14,777</u>	<u>499,995</u>	<u>33.8</u>	<u>62,633</u>
Médine	14,777	499,995	33.8	62,633
<u>Centre</u>	<u>19,951</u>	<u>607,484</u>	<u>30.4</u>	<u>70,075</u>
Highlands	8,067	251,951	31.2	30,187
Mon Désert Alma	11,884	355,533	29.9	39,888
Reufac				
Total Island	184,167	6,024,962	32.7	706,839

Figure 2.5 - Geographic distribution of owner and tenant planters, 1985 - 1986

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Table 2.6 - Mechanical loading and harvesting of canes, 1977 - 1986

Year	Mechanical loading					Area			Mechanical harvesting		
	Quantity of canes mechanically loaded					Quantity of canes mechanically harvested					
	Utilized (arpents)	Estates (tons)	Planters (tons)	Total (tons)	% of total Production	Utilized (arpents)	Estates (tons)	Planters (tons)	Total (tons)	% of total Production	
1977	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	972,614	16.1	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	45,000	0.7	
1978	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	1,609,797	25.7	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	58,490	0.9	
1979	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	2,179,257	34.5	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	84,499	1.3	
1980	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	1,752,437	38.4	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	57,526	1.3	
1981	57,852	1,912,849	93,605	2,006,454	37.8	1,933	61,844	-	61,844	1.2	
1982	52,762	1,960,671	321,320	2,281,991	34.5	630	23,665	108	23,773	0.4	
1983	52,542	1,739,768	187,354	1,927,122	36.7	-	-	-	-	-	
1984	55,205	1,620,328	199,735	1,820,063	36.3	-	-	-	-	-	
1985	50,931	1,710,185	304,044	2,014,229	36.1	-	-	-	-	-	
1986	39,458	1,943,601	500,593	2,444,194	40.6	-	-	-	-	-	

Table 2.7 - Production of sugar molasses and scums, 1977 - 1986

Year	S U G A R			Average yield of sugar (tons per arpent)	Average polarisation (degrees)	Molasses (tons)	Scums (tons)
	Production (tonnes)	Commercial sugar recovered % cane	Average tons of cane (per ton sugar)				
	White	Total					
1977	48,079	617,356	665,435	11.05	9.05	3.48	98.8
1978	41,745	623,474	665,219	10.63	9.41	3.50	98.8
1979	42,311	646,072	688,383	10.90	9.17	3.64	98.8
1980	31,550	443,944	475,494	10.42	9.60	2.54	98.8
1981	36,781	537,745	574,526	10.84	9.23	3.10	98.7
1982	40,902	647,038	687,940	10.45	9.57	3.42	98.7
1983	37,738	566,992	604,730	11.51	8.69	3.05	98.7
1984	39,842	535,775	575,617	11.49	8.70	3.11	98.7
1985	48,698	597,099	645,797	11.57	8.65	3.48	98.7
1986	38,129	668,710	706,839	11.73	8.52	3.84	98.7

Table 2.6 - Supply and disposal of sugar, 1977 - 1986

(1'000 tonnes tel queel)

Calendar Year	Opening stock	Production	Available supplies	Exports	Domestic consumption	Loss or surplus in storage	Closing stock
1977	237.1	665.4	902.5	636.4	37.5	-	228.6
1978	228.6	665.2	893.8	578.6	37.9	+ 1.4	278.7
1979	278.7	688.4	967.1	604.3	38.5	- 0.3	324.0
1980	324.0	475.5	799.5	617.3	36.7	- 4.3	141.2
1981	141.2	574.5	715.7	432.2	37.6	- 1.1	244.8
1982	244.8	687.9	932.7	596.8	35.4	-	300.5
1983	300.5	604.7	905.2	608.0	36.5	- 0.6	260.1
1984	260.1	575.6	835.7	530.7	38.0	+ 0.3	267.3
1985	267.3	645.8	913.1	539.5	36.8	+ 0.1	336.9
1986	336.9	706.8	1,043.7	624.9	37.7	- 0.5	380.6

Table 2.9 - Monthly supply and disposal of sugar, 1986

(Tonnes tel queil)

Month	Opening stock	Production	Available supplies	Exports	Domestic consumption	Loss or surplus in storage	Closing stock
January	336,875	-	336,875	45,690	2,779	-	288,406
February	288,406	-	288,406	89,351	2,746	-	196,309
March	196,309	-	196,309	29,631	3,073	-	163,605
April	163,605	-	163,605	9,212	3,293	-	151,100
May	151,100	-	151,100	56,301	3,329	-	91,470
June	91,470	10,656	102,126	1,975	2,680	- 469	97,002
July	97,002	150,775	247,777	92,124	3,319	-	152,334
August	152,334	156,250	308,584	49,697	2,957	-	255,930
September	255,930	155,562	411,492	75,029	3,076	-	333,387
October	333,387	148,508	481,895	85,856	3,297	-	392,742
November	392,742	79,448	472,190	56,217	3,233	-	412,740
December	412,740	5,640	418,380	33,866	3,949	-	380,565
Total Year	336,875	706,839	1,043,714	624,949	37,731	- 469	380,565

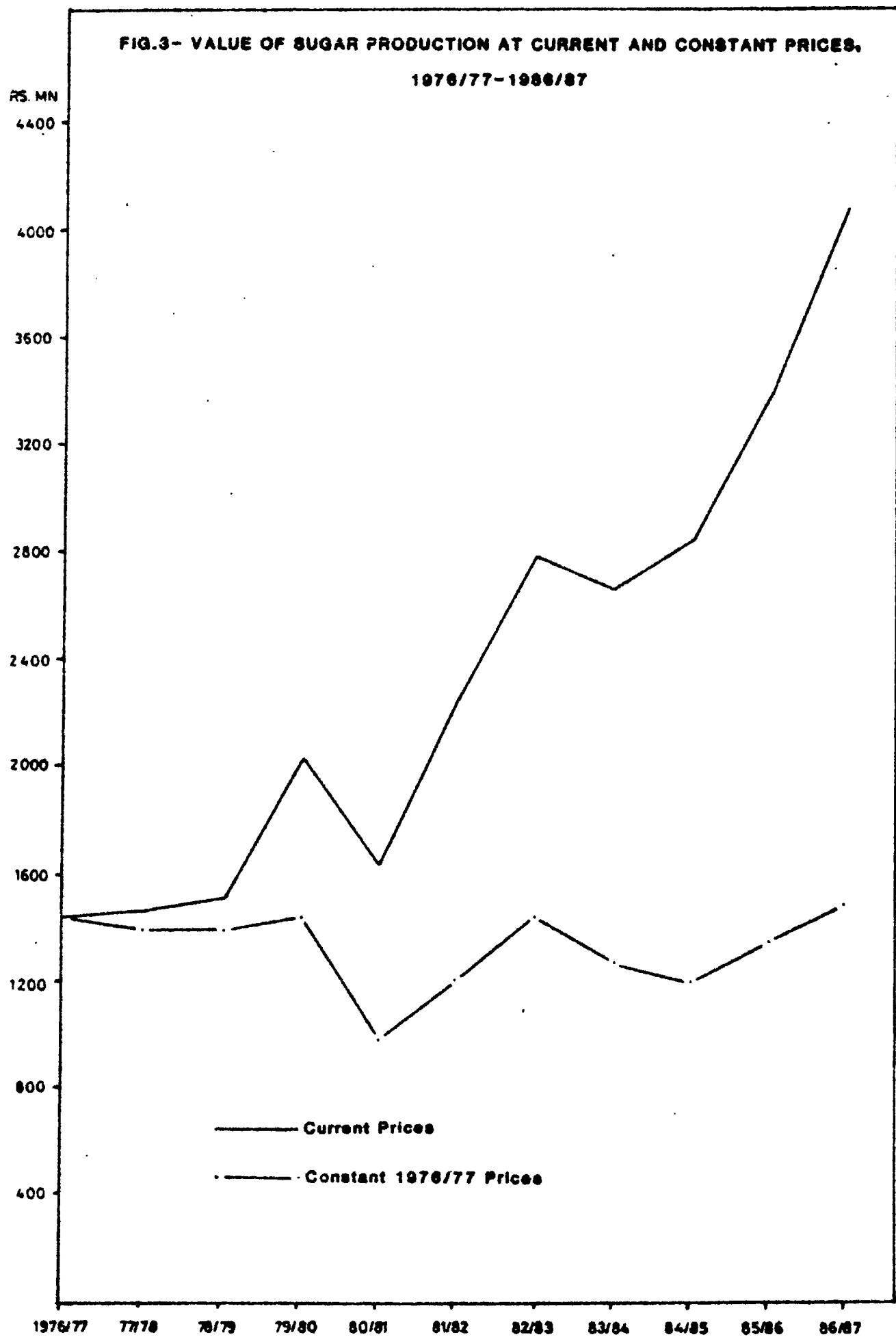


Table 2.10 - Sugar sales and revenue, crop year 1977/78 - 1986/87

Crop year	Production		Exports		Local Sales	
	Quantity (tons)	Value (Rs Million)	Quantity (tons)	Value (Rs Million)	Quantity (tons)	Value (Rs Million)
1977/78	665.4	1,465.5	626.0	1,451.1	37.5	14.4
1978/79	665.2	1,526.1	624.7	1,512.8	37.9	13.3
1979/80	688.4	2,044.1	644.0	2,005.2	38.5	28.9
1980/81	475.5	1,639.7	442.6	1,581.5	36.7	59.8
1981/82	574.5	2,266.2	540.1	2,188.3	37.6	77.8
1982/83	687.9	2,801.1	647.7	2,713.5	35.4	87.5
1983/84	604.7	2,665.5	569.5	2,579.8	36.5	85.6
1984/85	575.6	2,858.5	537.0	2,755.7	38.4	102.8
1985/86	647.2	3,458.	608.4	3,361.2	36.8	97.7
1986/87	706.8	4,095.1	661.7	3,980.9	44.8	114.3

Notes: (1) Harvesting generally extends from June to December, while export and local sales are spread over the period 1st July to 30th June the following year.

(2) Production may not tally with exports and local sales due to loss or surplus in storage.

(3) For crop year 1986/87, estimated figures are given.

Table 2.11 - Sugar exports by main markets, crop year 1982/83 - 1985/86

(Quantity in tons, Value in Rs mn, Average price in Rs/ton)

	1982/83			1983/84			1984/85			1985/86		
	Quantity	Average price	Value	Quantity	Average price	Value	Quantity	Average price	Value	Quantity	Average price	
U.S.C.	552.2	2,422.7	4,387	513.3	2,359.1	4,589	505.3	2,566.6	5,071	505.7	3,017.3	5,950
U.S.A.	30.7	144.0	4,689	27.6	163.7	5,917	25.5	182.0	7,113	26.6	157.1	5,893
World Market	39.3	73.8	1,878	28.6	85.9	2,999	6.2	7.1	1,127	72.2	186.8 ^{4/}	2,444 ^{4/}
Adjustment	25.5 ^{1/}	+ 73.0 ^{2/}	-	-	- 28.9 ^{3/}	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Exports	547.7	2,713.5	4,244	569.5	2,579.8	4,523	537.0	2,755.7	5,122	604.5	3,361.2	5,508

^{1/} Amount still to be exported^{2/} Estimate from 1/^{3/} Difference on estimate 2/^{4/} Inclusive of a stock of 36,802 tons valued at prevailing world price June 1986

Table 2.12 - Earnings of sugar producers - ex-syndicate, before charging sugar insurance premium, 1980 - 1985

Rupees per tonne of sugar basis 98.5° Pol.

	1980	1981	1982	1983
Planters exporting				
(i) not more than 20 tonnes of sugar	3,117	3,634	3,704	4,005
(ii) over 20 up to 75 tonnes of sugar	2,813	3,275	3,404	4,005
(iii) over 75 up to 1,000 tonnes of sugar ^{1/}	2,762	3,215	3,215	3,537
(iv) over 75 up to 1,000 tonnes of sugar ^{2/}	2,748	3,201	3,301	3,523
(v) over 1,000 up to 3,000 tonnes of sugar ^{1/}	2,646	3,081	3,190	3,403
(vi) over 1,000 up to 3,000 tonnes of sugar ^{2/}	2,646	3,081	3,190	3,389
(vii) over 3,000 tonnes of sugar ^{1/}	2,418	2,812	2,953	3,103
(viii) over 3,000 tonnes of sugar ^{2/}	2,418	2,812	2,939	3,089
Miller-planters and millers	2,410	2,804	2,931	3,081
Average for all producers	2,564	2,980	3,094	3,279
Index (Base 1976 = 100)	147.5	171.5	178.0	188.7

1/ Producing less than 5,000 tonnes of cane

2/ Producing 5,000 tonnes of cane or more

Table 2.12 - Earnings of sugar producers - ex-syndicate, before charging Sugar Insurance Premium, 1980 - 1985 (cont'd)

Rupees per tonne of sugar basis 98.5° Pol.

	1984	1985
On the first 1,000 tonnes exported	4,586	4,933
On the next 2,000 tonnes exported	3,910	4,198
On the remainder	3,572	3,830
Average for all producers	3,955	4,239
Index (Base 1976 = 100)	227.6	243.9

Source : Mauritius Sugar Syndicate

Table 2.13 - Monthly average price of sugar at C.I.F. value (London daily price), 1977 - 1986

(£ Sterling/ton)

Year	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Average price	Index 1976 = 100
1977	122	124	128	142	128	115	107	109	114	100	96	107	116	74
1978	111	107	100	101	101	99	86	92	101	109	101	100	101	65
1979	94	102	104	96	98	101	98	101	114	139	159	173	115	74
1980	189	237	217	233	324	313	275	319	341	388	369	317	294	188
1981	276	257	240	292	180	207	218	205	163	160	155	167	203	130
1982	166	170	152	136	113	100	113	131	86	91	102	103	122	78
1983	100	108	108	112	148	172	168	175	154	159	139	133	140	90
1984	126	119	114	112	109	107	93	86	91	102	95	88	104	67
1985	95	102	100	83	71	69	67	88	98	92	97	96	88	56
1986	90	102	119	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N.A.	N.A.
1986 ¹	-	-	-	137	114	93	83	86	72	83	94	93	N.A.	N.A.

1/ As from April 1986, London daily price of sugar is available at F.O.B. value

Table 2.14 - Employment by sugar estates with factories and large sugar cane planters^{1/}, 1983 - 1986

1983				1984								
March ^{2/}		September ^{2/}		March ^{2/}		September ^{2/}						
Estates	Planters	Total	Estates	Planters	Total	Estates	Planters					
Males	30,566	3,675	34,241	32,396	4,125	36,521	29,674	3,516	33,190	31,158	3,730	34,888
Females	9,673	2,168	11,841	10,434	2,177	12,611	9,396	2,042	11,433	10,613	2,074	12,687
Total	40,239	5,843	46,082	42,830	6,302	49,132	39,070	5,558	44,626	41,771	5,804	47,575

1985				1986								
March ^{2/}		September ^{2/}		March ^{2/}		September ^{2/}						
Estates	Planters	Total	Estates	Planters	Total	Estates	Planters					
Males	28,487	3,221	31,708	30,842	3,531	34,373	27,867	3,086	30,953	30,226	3,408	33,634
Females	9,317	1,857	11,174	10,377	1,853	12,230	8,988	1,777	10,765	10,330	1,836	12,166
Total	37,804	5,078	42,882	41,219	5,384	46,603	36,855	4,863	41,718	40,556	5,244	45,800

1/ cultivating more than 25 arpents each

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Table 3.1 - Area under tea, 1982 - 1986

(Arpents)

	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986
Plantation cultivated by factories	720	510	465	427	456
Plantation cultivated by private planters	1,918	1,992	2,166	2,093	1,992
Plantation cultivated by the T.D.A.	6,292	6,669	6,669	6,669	6,669
Plantation cultivated for experimental purposes	70	70	70	70	70
Total area cultivated	9,000	9,241	9,370	9,259	8,946

Table 3.2 - Frequency distribution of individual plantations by size(arpents), 1986

	No. of individual plantations	Aggregate area cultivated (arpents)
less than 1	1,174	621
1 but less than 2	1,867	2,827
2 but less than 3	1,838	3,898
3 but less than 4	86	295
4 but less than 5	26	110
5 but less than 10	7	44
10 but less than 25	5	68
25 but less than 100	4	303
100 but less than 300	1	167
300 but less than 500	-	-
500 and above	1	613
Total	5,009	8,946

Table 3.3 - Production of green leaf of tea by type of producer, 1982 - 1986

(Metric tons)

Year	Factory Estates	Metayers	Free Planters	Planters in Co-operative Societies	Other 1/	Total
1982	3,249.2	3,069.7	1,628.3	16,793.8	1,786.8	26,577.5
1983	913.8	3,112.3	4,498.6	2/ 5,056.7	2,035.4	31,271.5
1984	1,192.7	3,771.7	2/ 5,056.7	31,032.5	536.5	41,573.1
1985	1,165.5	3,625.3	2,306.2	34,902.5	293.5	45,291.0
1986	3,686.4	2,270.3	2,286.9	33,863.9	315.6	43,423.1

1/ Including Tea Development Authority

2/ Including ploughed tea estates

Source : Tea Board

Table 3.1 - Production of black tea by factories, 1982 - 1986

(Metric Tons)

Factory	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986
Belle Rive	409.6	440.9	981.9	891.9	876.1
Dubreuil	1,557.6	1,616.4	2,182.7	2,505.7	2,468.4
Bols Chéri	951.5	981.6	1,239.8	1,256.0	1,042.5
Nouvelle France	722.2	923.3	844.4	664.7	657.1
La Chartreuse	944.4	1,432.8	1,656.5	1,879.0	1,751.8
La Flora	299.5	264.1	381.9	345.2	355.3
Corson	271.8	300.8	348.5	346.6	359.2
Font Colville	130.7	182.2	385.2	225.6	365.3
Tea Investment (ltd)	-	-	-	-	-
Total	5,287.2	6,142.2	8,020.9	8,114.7	7,875.7

Table 3.5 - Exports of black tea (at current and constant 1976 prices), 1982-1986

	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986
Quantity	4,425.9	4,935.9	6,770.8	7,088.7	6,476.7
Exports (F.O.B. value Rs Mn)					
At current prices	50.7	97.0	249.1	178.4	104.4
At constant 1976 prices	37.6	42.0	57.6	60.3	55.1

FIG.4- EXPORT OF BLACK TEA, 1976-1986

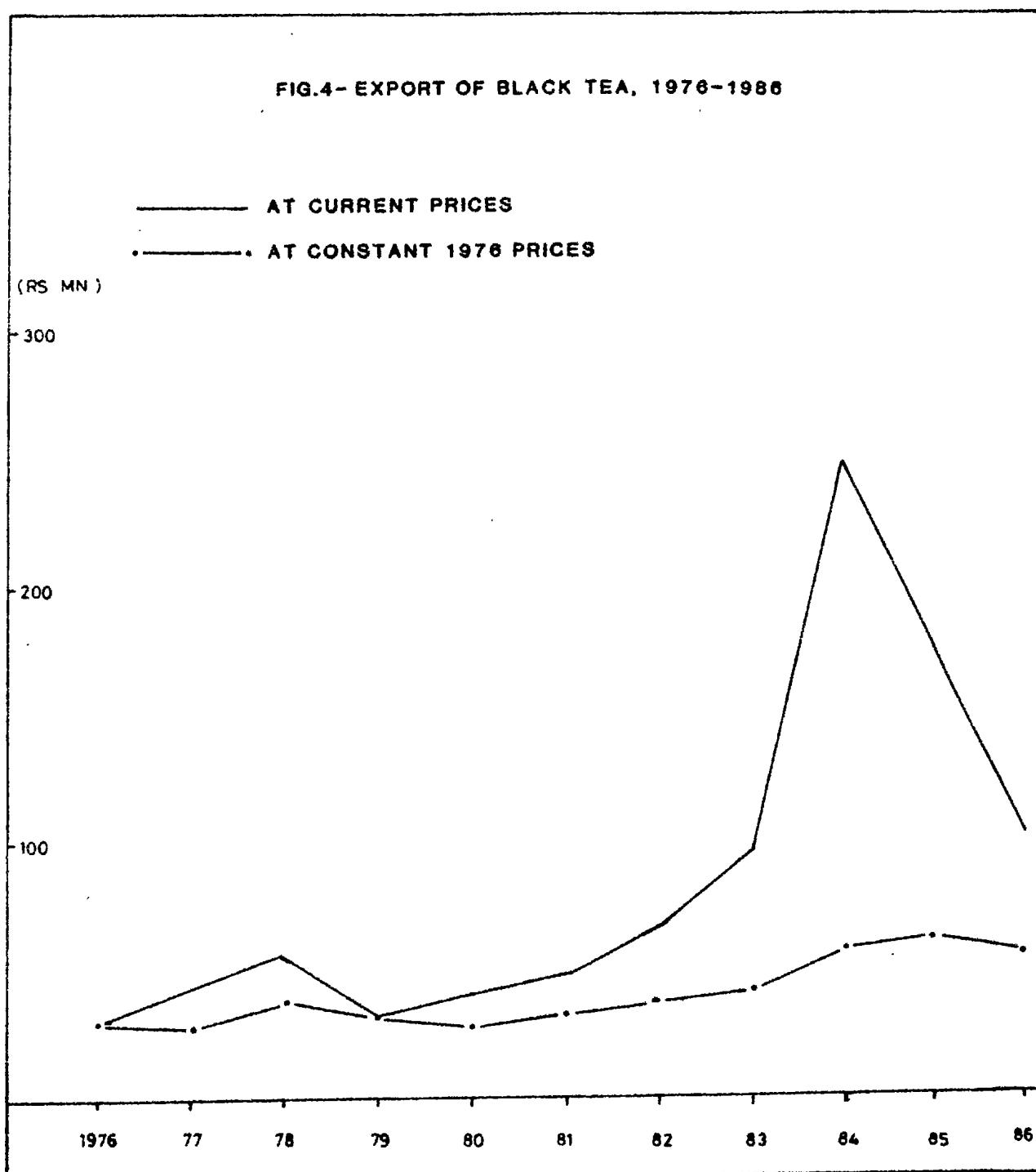


Table 3.6 - Exports of tea by country of destination, 1982 - 1986

(Quantity in tons; F.O.B. value in Rs Mn)

Country of destination	1982		1983		1984		1985		1986	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
United Kingdom	2,732.7	43.4	2,719.8	58.3	4,531.9	171.1	4,385.4	116.7	4,244.5	72.1
South Africa	298.5	4.1	277.8	3.6	148.0	4.1	45.7	0.7	281.9	2.1
U.S.S.R.	485.3	7.8	474.0	7.7	153.3	5.1	328.0	12.2	-	-
Netherlands	465.0	3.9	511.3	9.0	463.7	16.1	462.2	10.5	592.2	9.2
Pakistan	234.3	3.7	476.7	8.9	1,107.9	41.3	1,047.4	25.9	643.0	9.9
United States	81.1	1.4	296.0	5.7	73.2	2.6	209.0	2.8	198.0	2.3
Kenya	67.6	0.5	5.8	0.1	77.5	2.0	397.0	5.6	129.0	1.0
Reunion	13.7	0.4	15.8	0.4	13.5	0.4	17.3	0.7	21.1	0.2
Canada	35.1	0.3	110.8	2.4	111.7	3.1	39.4	0.5	-	-
Other countries	15.6	0.4	45.5	0.9	90.3	3.3	157.3	2.8	567.4	6.5
Total Exports	4,425.9	66.7	7,955.9	97.0	6,770.8	249.1	7,088.7	178.4	6,476.7	104.4

Table 3.7 - Tobacco : Number of growers, area harvested, production of leaf, price paid to planters and value of production 1982 - 1986*

	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986
<u>Number of growers</u>					
Virginia Flue-cured	155	206	212	214	214
Amarello Air-cured	295	327	328	327	322
Total	449	533	510	541	536
<u>Area Harvested (acres)</u>					
Virginia Flue-cured	689	912	957	1,106	1,228
Amarello Air-cured	226	275	258	172	193
Total	915	1,187	1,215	1,280	1,421
<u>Leaf production(tons)</u>					
Virginia Flue-cured	432	615	662	673	797
Amarello Air-cured	192	181	266	158	157
Total	624	796	923	831	954
<u>Average price to planters (Rs Rs £)</u>					
Virginia Flue-cured	40.05	39.11	39.12	42.74	43.63
Amarello Air-cured	14.83	17.87	17.47	20.86	21.71
Value of Production (Rs M)	20.1	27.3	30.8	32.1	38.2

* Crop year usually extends from May to April the following year

FOOD CROPS

FIG.5 - FOODCROPS PRODUCTION 1982-1986

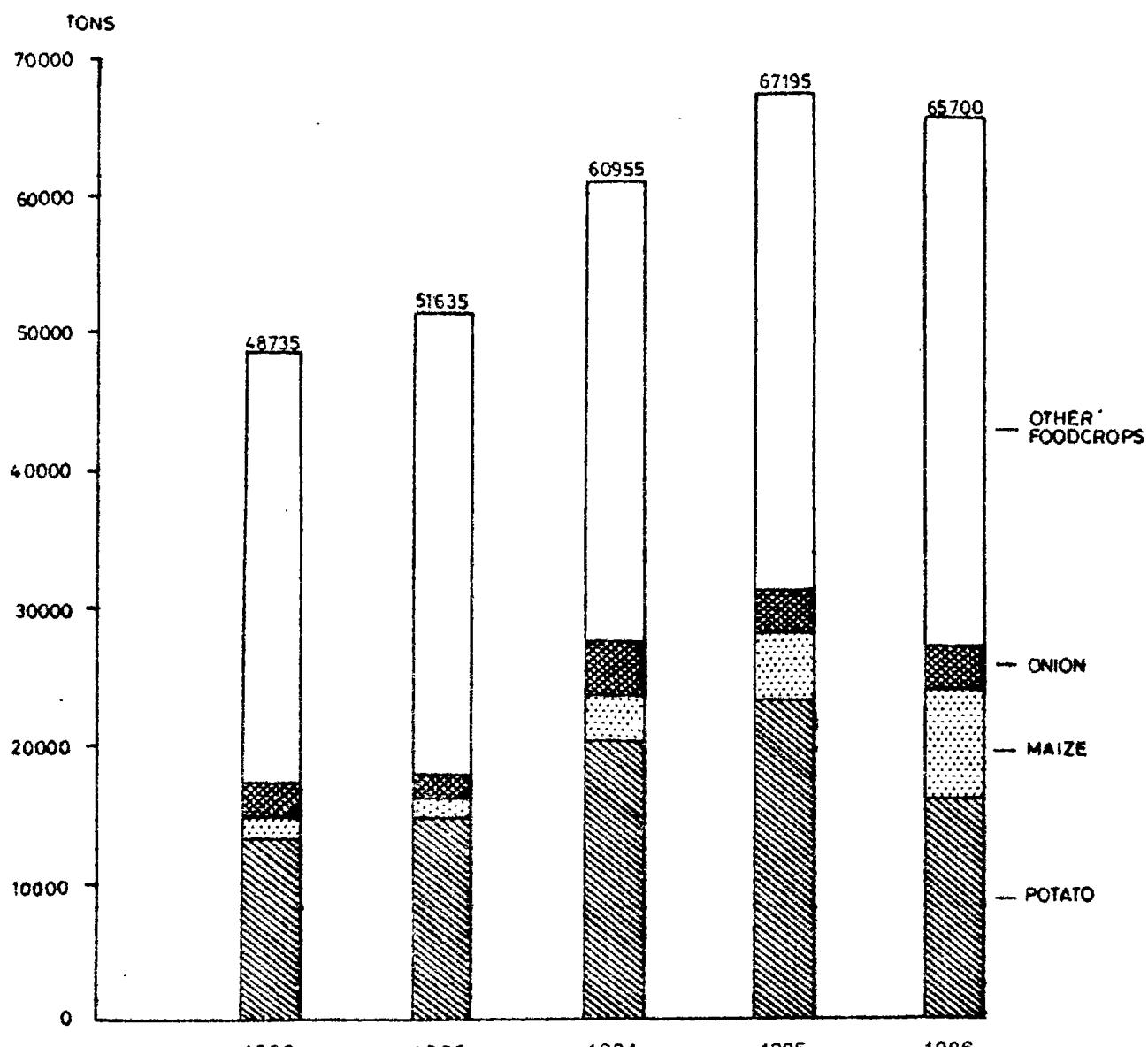


Table 1. - Area harvested and production of foodcrops, 1922 - 1926

(Area: arpents; Production : metric tons)

Foodcrops	1922		1923		1924		1925		1926	
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production
Beans	466	730	598	860	732	1,240	730	1,140	705	930
Beet	19	150	53	220	28	200	22	175	20	135
Bittergourd	115	180	94	155	116	200	109	180	128	190
Brinjal	165	645	181	995	159	750	161	870	164	685
Cabbage	208	2,415	231	2,455	270	2,990	265	2,955	291	3,270
Calabash	135	815	100	595	124	745	113	680	146	865
Carrot	54	365	74	465	83	575	82	595	105	765
Cauliflower	67	480	79	535	99	725	76	530	81	610
Cnillies (long)	198	320	223	370	225	320	230	335	205	305
Chillies (small)	23	30	21	45	38	65	52	100	46	80
Choucnou	83	790	64	560	112	1,060	185	1,995	227	2,740
Cucumber	281	1,695	266	1,475	269	1,560	324	2,000	275	1,525
Eddoes (violet)	23	130	19	80	20	90	25	100	14	90
Eddoes (curry)	36	150	30	125	45	185	55	225	71	280
Garlic	69	215	41	120	62	175	85	240	103	325
Ginger	70	440	65	415	66	550	58	455	42	360
Green peas	54	35	66	45	65	70	70	100	43	40
Groundnut	1,310	1,940	1,468	1,910	1,941	2,420	1,657	2,165	1,704	2,250
Leek	6	35	7	40	5	35	7	40	9	30
Lettuce	33	195	45	265	45	255	43	280	43	250

Table 4.1. - Area harvested and production of foodcrops, 1982 - 1986 (Cont'd.)

(Area : arpents; Production: metric tons)

Foodcrops	1982		1983		1984		1985		1986	
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production
Ladies finger	86	265	90	280	88	235	79	215	67	175
Maize	1,285	1,575	988	1,195	1,773	3,265	2,441	4,890	4,304	7,970
Manioc	15	80	30	200	40	275	53	320	45	350
Onion	501	2,190	280	1,685	667	5,635	501	2,595	598	2,955
Patole	45	150	57	115	33	110	48	155	43	135
Petsai	70	575	79	635	66	580	81	670	60	485
Pipengaille	64	530	50	260	56	295	35	185	53	270
Potato	1,500	13,500	1,716	14,910	1,944	20,680	2,043	23,305	1,895	16,265
Pumpkin	167	1,255	137	1,040	152	1,180	267	2,150	163	1,285
Rice	7	10	58	145	115	275	71	135	77	175
Squash	53	115	40	135	47	165	59	135	49	170
Sweet pepper	5	5	5	5	4	5	5	5	5	5
Sweet potato	82	235	35	150	53	180	35	200	40	220
Tomato	1,930	9,530	2,110	11,550	2,142	10,500	1,643	8,985	2,034	10,600
Voehm	74	115	62	100	57	100	73	150	61	105
Banana	770	6,415	775	7,075	775	4,750	800	7,150	869	7,850
Pine apple	80	535	57	425	60	535	100	790	134	960
Total foodcrops	10,127	42,735	10,294	51,635	12,576	60,955	12,663	67,195	14,917	65,700

Table 4.2 - Area harvested and production of foodcrops grown in interline plantations, 1984 - 1986

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Type of crop	1984			1985			1986		
	Area (arpents)		Production Pure stand equivalent Interline	Area (arpents)		Production Pure stand equivalent Interline	Area (arpents)		Production Pure stand equivalent Interline
	Pure stand	Interline		Pure stand	Interline		Pure stand	Interline	
Beans	390	154	231	580	249	416	480	181	241
Peas	92	29	36	105	48	79	84	25	24
Groundnut	5,973	1,250	1,531	2,700	913	1,289	3,111	965	1,242
Maize	3,669	1,087	2,140	4,410	1,227	2,569	6,297	1,823	3,457
Potato	3,298	1,469	15,915	3,509	1,666	19,257	3,094	1,371	11,864
Tomato	368	216	1,353	409	202	1,311	431	257	1,752
Other	91	41	484	143	63	365	89	47	234
Total	11,881	4,206	21,690	11,856	4,368	25,087	13,586	4,667	18,815

Table 4.3 - Foodcrops in Liontoly area harvested, 1985

(Acres)

Table 4.1 - Foodcrops : Monthly area harvested, 1986

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Foodcrops	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total year
Beans & peas	67.	27	39	44	57	51	76	61	70	95	93	68	748
Potato	136	6	-	-	-	9	20	165	245	392	598	324	1,895
Rice	7	-	-	5	48	10	-	-	-	-	-	7	77
Maize	1,709	451	88	9	34	114	195	375	164	84	151	930	4,304
Groundnut	180	128	258	150	112	107	102	191	295	87	8	106	1,704
Onion	3	1	-	7	31	51	64	81	177	71	47	65	4593
Ginger	-	-	-	-	3	5	7	13	5	-	3	6	42
Garlic	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	55	25	10	-	103
Chillies	24	21	19	17	18	19	17	22	21	23	24	26	251
Tomato	320	280	157	118	96	112	126	126	112	121	244	222	2,034
Cabbage	9	14	14	14	28	25	35	35	35	36	27	19	291
Cauliflower	-	-	-	-	8	12	13	18	10	11	9	-	81
Brinjal	12	11	12	12	12	13	14	15	16	17	16	14	164
Creepers	144	132	92	81	74	75	73	76	78	81	113	126	1,145
Mixed vegetables	36	36	36	38	45	44	47	46	43	45	33	28	477
Banana	72	72	72	71	71	75	74	74	77	70	71	70	869
Pineapple	12	6	8	10	11	7	11	9	10	10	27	13	134
Total foodcrops	2,731	1,185	775	576	648	729	874	1,320	1,413	1,168	1,474	2,024	14,917

Table 4.5 - monthly production of foodcrops, 1985

(in tons)

Foodcrops	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total year
Beans & Peas	52	43	51	87	99	129	176	120	85	136	162	100	1,240
Potato	21	-	-	-	5	113	1,975	4,425	1,314	1,950	8,500	5,002	23,305
Rice	30	3	-	47	21	21	-	-	-	-	-	13	135
Maize	1,499	759	354	94	26	73	423	384	250	29	277	722	4,890
Groundnut	217	208	166	211	190	103	317	196	160	130	68	199	2,165
Onion	18	-	1	25	115	112	339	705	515	448	264	53	2,595
Ginger	-	-	-	-	4	30	83	54	105	55	78	46	455
Garlic	-	-	-	1	2	-	2	12	116	87	18	2	240
Chillies	44	37	35	34	30	27	35	35	37	41	41	39	435
Tomato	1,376	816	523	450	516	794	892	686	506	562	629	1,235	8,985
Cabbage	126	77	76	100	163	369	352	463	322	269	344	294	2,955
Cauliflower	-	-	-	-	28	94	116	138	72	62	20	-	530
Brinjal	71	60	63	66	68	69	84	82	79	82	70	76	870
Creepers	749	657	505	488	616	556	612	601	576	568	796	906	7,630
Mixed vegetables	125	125	196	187	193	292	301	260	355	291	258	242	2,825
Banana	518	556	586	601	608	601	597	597	602	621	631	632	7,150
Pineapple	87	58	64	57	47	54	48	43	47	62	104	119	790
Total Foodcrops	4,933	3,399	2,620	2,448	2,731	3,437	6,352	8,801	5,141	5,393	12,260	9,680	67,195

Table 4.6 - Monthly production of foodcrops, 1986

(Tons)

Foodcrops	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total year
Beans and peas	73	39	48	60	87	76	84	73	72	159	117	82	970
Potato	1,557	42	-	-	1	70	182	1,692	2,406	3,040	4,487	2,788	16,265
Rice	17	-	-	13	112	23	-	-	-	-	-	10	175
Maize	3,331	882	127	8	33	252	332	695	334	117	264	1,595	7,970
Groundnut	265	164	376	227	170	167	133	230	283	95	10	130	2,250
Onion	14	2	-	23	110	204	265	441	866	314	258	458	2,955
Ginger	1	-	-	-	19	46	56	127	44	-	23	44	360
Garlic	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	44	169	78	34	-	325
Chillies	42	38	31	29	28	26	23	31	29	32	36	40	385
Tomato	1,912	1,313	713	559	511	639	645	674	653	743	1,278	960	10,600
Cabbage	98	149	138	133	302	300	399	400	427	422	301	201	3,270
Cauliflower	-	-	-	-	58	102	114	150	65	73	47	1	610
Brinjal	67	65	65	63	62	58	50	49	50	49	56	51	685
Creepers	847	701	492	538	529	605	598	594	604	523	594	660	7,285
Mixed vegetables	207	197	203	225	275	266	283	266	237	276	183	167	2,785
Banana	625	635	636	625	617	676	689	682	704	638	653	650	7,830
Pineapple	90	44	60	77	87	54	85	77	77	73	170	86	980
Total foodcrops	9,146	4,271	2,889	2,580	3,001	3,564	3,938	6,225	7,020	6,632	8,511	7,923	65,700

FIG.6- PRODUCTION OF MAIZE,POTATO AND OTHER FOODCROPS BY DISTRICT 1986

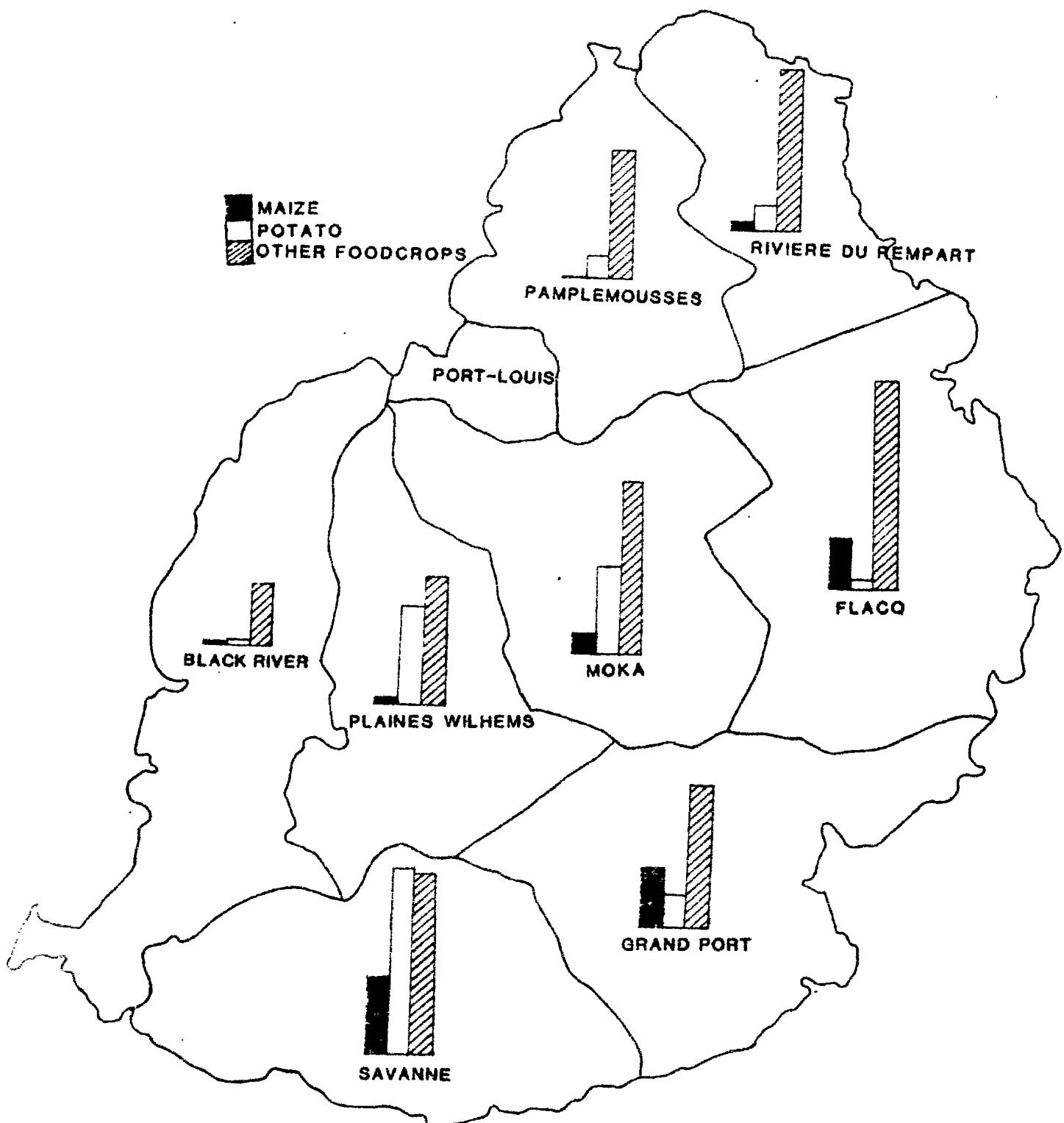


Table 4.7. - Area harvested and production of foodcrops by district, 1982 - 1986

(Area in arpents; Production in tons)

District	1982			1983			1984			1985			1986		
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area
Rivière du Rempart	1,831	7,336	1,895	6,281	2,323	8,001	1,825	6,693	2,163	6,804					
Pamplemousses	1,187	5,217	1,558	6,644	1,266	6,054	1,235	5,556	1,266	5,164					
Moka	602	4,287	830	5,428	944	8,106	1,412	13,138	1,550	9,958					
Flacq	1,594	6,592	1,257	5,775	2,021	7,509	2,470	9,010	2,506	9,248					
Black River	775	2,303	492	2,705	502	2,659	528	2,713	497	2,409					
Plaines Wilhems	946	5,828	887	5,220	1,162	6,474	1,109	8,095	1,073	7,941					
Grand Port	1,579	5,966	1,504	6,271	1,326	6,040	1,844	7,101	2,680	8,367					
Savanne	1,613	10,686	1,873	13,311	2,532	14,112	2,242	14,839	3,182	15,689					
Whole Island	10,127	48,735	10,294	51,635	12,576	60,955	12,663	67,195	14,917	65,700					

Table 4.8 - Area harvested and production of beans and peas by district, 1982 - 1986

(Area in arpents; Production in tons)

District	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area
Rivière du Rempart	158	222	132	191	118
Pamplemousses	40	65	83	106	68
Moka	21	50	56	78	75
Flacq	79	95	91	111	218
Black River	28	47	30	43	37
Plaines Wilhems	60	81	76	97	63
Grand Port	114	162	148	200	129
Savanne	30	42	48	79	89
Whole Island	520	765	664	905	797
				1,510	800
					1,240
					748
					970
					748
					970

Table 4.9 - Area harvested and production of pectato by district, 1982 - 1986

(Area in arpents; Production in tons)

District	1982			1983			1984			1985			1986		
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	
Rivière du Rempart	184	1,681	115	665	110	929	99	890	112	849					
Pamplemousses	189	1,456	251	1,694	193	2,005	138	1,175	86	697					
Moka	178	1,586	297	2,646	411	4,414	578	7,128	378	3,093					
Flacq	22	130	37	212	34	330	61	426	32	291					
Black River	165	1,080	119	821	32	301	106	784	21	152					
Plaines Wilhems	143	1,169	136	937	315	4,012	350	4,299	323	3,356					
Grand Port	191	1,495	179	1,308	161	1,507	175	1,787	212	1,205					
Savanne	428	4,905	612	6,627	688	7,182	536	6,816	731	6,622					
Whole Island	1,500	13,500	1,746	14,910	1,944	20,680	2,043	23,305	1,895	16,265					

Table 4.10 - area harvested and production of maize by district, 1982 - 1986

(Area in arpents; Production in tons)

District	1982			1983			1984			1985			1986		
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area
Rivière du Rempart	171	219	142	175	218	302	134	346	241	241	31	48	31	46	330
Pamplemousses	43	59	55	54	20	23	28	31	232	232	537	719	537	719	456
Moka	52	62	125	152	7	9	110	110	1,537	1,537	790	1,741	790	1,741	1,22
Flacq	150	186	122	165	288	586	744	744	46	46	71	120	71	120	1,22
Black River	298	275	25	20	25	21	19	19	156	156	272	53	172	53	172
Plaines Wilheims	52	56	15	13	63	109	109	109	540	540	1,002	1,153	1,153	2,155	2,155
Grand Port	224	273	216	247	417	842	842	842	1,428	1,428	1,407	1,407	1,407	2,657	2,657
Savanne	315	287	312	389	735	1,373	1,373	680	680	680	4,890	4,890	4,304	4,304	7,970
Whole Island	1,285	1,375	986	1,195	1,773	3,265	3,265	2,441	2,441	2,441	4,890	4,890	4,304	4,304	7,970

Table 4.11 - Area harvested and production of groundnut by district, 1982 - 1986

(Area in arpents; Production in tons)

District	1982			1983			1984			1985			1986		
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area
Rivière du Rempart	260	412	459	644	554	745	458	683	583	777					
Pamplemousses	227	296	378	394	324	356	285	358	326	480					
Moka	12	22	46	71	47	58	23	42	10	17					
Flacq	304	421	117	152	273	350	375	451	323	355					
Black River	130	220	124	154	159	241	99	132	92	137					
Plaines Wilhems	52	87	39	60	89	105	27	30	14	22					
Grand Port	219	332	168	219	277	307	249	288	160	184					
Savanne	106	150	137	216	218	278	143	181	196	278					
Whole Island	1,310	1,940	1,468	1,910	1,941	2,420	1,657	2,165	1,704	2,250					

Table 4.12 - Area harvested and production of onion by district, 1932 - 1936

(Area in arpents; Production in tons)

District	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area
Rivière du Rempart	44	138	26	112	52
Pamplemousses	11	33	3	11	15
Moka	2	10	...	...	2
Flacq	260	1,046	60	262	301
Black River	56	454	77	754	114
Plaines Wilhems	15	115	10	133	53
Grand Port	94	303	70	385	111
Savanne	19	19	6	28	10
Whole Island	501	2,190	230	1,685	667
					3,635
					501
					2,595
					590
					2,955
					1935

Table 4.13 - Area harvested and production of tomato by district, 1982 - 1986

(Area in arpents: Production in tons)

District	1982			1983			1984			1985			1986		
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area
Riviere du Rempart	734	3,499	775	3,516	945	4,326	622	3,062	700	3,323					
Pamplemousses	332	1,700	417	2,581	291	1,674	269	1,635	315	1,792					
Moka	44	185	80	598	44	330	50	390	97	1,050					
Flacq	156	620	148	690	175	740	147	704	159	692					
Black River	44	342	51	398	52	469	48	432	59	529					
Plaines Wilhems	72	515	56	531	50	365	16	122	24	198					
Grand Port	256	1,061	298	1,530	342	1,232	242	1,192	454	1,596					
Savanne	292	1,608	285	1,706	243	1,364	249	1,448	227	1,420					
Whole Island	1,930	9,530	2,110	11,550	2,142	10,500	1,643	8,985	2,034	10,600					

Table 4.14 - Area harvested and production of cabbage and cauliflower per district, 1982 - 1986

(Area in arpents; Production in tons)

District	1982			1983			1984			1985			1986		
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area
Riviere du Rempart	8	83	4	39	6	66	5	56	3	28					
Pamplemousses	1	10	1	7	4	40	2	19	1	7					
Holca	23	259	35	392	64	811	85	1,014	66	867					
Flacq	69	878	81	925	69	879	85	1,018	99	1,184					
Black River	4	77	6	107	4	44	3	46	2	31					
Plaines Wilhems	150	1,412	166	1,374	184	1,556	137	1,137	180	1,596					
Grand Port	13	113	9	63	20	160	13	89	8	56					
Savanne	7	63	8	83	18	159	11	106	13	111					
Whole Island	275	2,895	310	2,990	369	3,715	341	3,485	372	3,880					

Table 4.15 - Area harvested and production of creepers by district, 1932 - 1936

(Area in arpents, Production in tons)

District	1932			1933			1934			1935			1936		
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area
Riviere du Rempart	149	632	108	446	152	672	167	712	181	763					
Pamplemousses	125	615	144	612	141	717	131	667	156	740					
Neke	175	1,493	105	832	176	1,587	333	3,203	274	3,169					
Flacq	91	376	88	394	101	499	144	779	112	577					
Black River	5	50	9	82	16	86	8	41	12	75					
Plaines Wilhems	225	1,241	155	782	135	653	142	711	170	384					
Grand Port	155	648	147	662	134	620	150	814	166	749					
Savanne	65	388	94	625	111	581	118	703	74	325					
Whole Island	995	5,445	850	4,435	966	5,415	1,193	7,630	1,145	7,285					

Table 4.16 - Area harvested and production of other vegetables by district, 1952 - 1956

(Area in arpents : Production in tons)

District	1952			1953			1954			1955			1956		
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area
Riviere du Repart	150	355	116	382	162	579	148	502	133	314					
Paplemousses	170	704	202	827	179	821	242	1,035	226	879					
Moka	62	347	50	322	33	533	95	469	56	387					
Flacq	254	1,033	301	1,153	320	911	262	1,045	278	1,069					
Black River	35	190	46	263	58	268	252	235	59	287					
Plaines Wilhems	151	195	205	1,090	203	1,135	187	1,130	199	1,206					
Grand Port	132	540	97	369	75	318	97	299	97	307					
Savanne	5	51	21	121	29	165	41	225	36	136					
White Island	961	4,145	1,046	4,555	1,122	4,730	1,144	4,960	1,114	4,715					

Table 4.17 - Area harvested and production of banana by district, 1982 - 1986

District	Area in arpents : Production in tons					
	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production
Riviere du Rempart	13	65	16	111	6	49
Pamplemousses	17	144	17	169	3	26
Moka	23	273	26	337	30	223
Flacq	152	1,451	166	1,511	187	1,158
Black River	7	70	7	63	5	28
Plaines Wilhems	35	277	23	195	7	30
Grand Port	174	1,037	169	1,256	159	474
Savanne	335	3,096	349	3,433	373	2,754
Whole Island	770	6,415	775	7,075	775	4,750
					800	7,150
					399	3,957
					369	7,330

Table 4.1C - Area harvested and production of pineapple by district, 1932 - 1936

(Area in arpents; Production in tons)

District	1932			1935			1934			1933			1936		
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area
Rivière du Rempart	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15
Pamplemousses	2+	155	27	209	28	217	41	284	42	288	42	284	42	288	42
Moka	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Flacq	47	351	26	200	47	289	49	354	67	465	67	465	67	465	67
Black River	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Plaines Wilhems	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grand Port	7	25	5	12	1	4	4	1	2	6	2	6	17	82	17
Savanne	2	2	1	4	4	25	8	46	8	46	6	46	6	32	6
Whole Island	80	525	57	425	80	535	100	790	100	790	100	790	100	930	100

Table 4.19. Mean prices of foodcrops, 1935

(Rupees)

Foodcrops	Unit	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
Beans	Kg	5.80	8.40	10.20	5.60	4.90	4.70	5.60	5.90	6.30	5.30	4.00	3.80
Beet	Unit	1.50	1.45	1.50	1.80	1.60	1.50	1.40	1.45	1.35	1.20	1.30	1.30
Bittergourd	Kg	5.30	6.30	5.70	6.30	7.30	8.60	9.80	10.10	11.10	9.60	7.65	6.75
Brinjal	Kg	2.90	4.10	4.80	3.50	4.70	4.40	4.40	4.40	5.50	4.60	4.05	3.75
Cabbage	Unit	2.75	4.25	4.75	5.15	3.25	2.50	2.50	2.95	3.30	2.75	2.10	2.15
Calabash	Kg	2.90	4.40	3.60	3.70	4.10	4.00	3.40	4.60	3.40	3.40	3.20	2.55
Carrot	Kg	6.20	7.20	12.30	9.90	8.70	5.00	4.40	4.30	4.70	3.70	4.05	3.65
Cauliflower	Unit	-	-	-	-	12.95	5.45	4.65	4.75	6.10	5.80	9.00	-
Chillies (long)	Kg	7.20	10.50	11.10	8.80	13.90	12.90	14.20	8.40	8.90	8.50	8.05	9.70
Chillies (small)	Kg	17.90	18.00	17.10	14.30	16.40	30.60	34.00	21.60	23.50	25.80	24.10	23.45
Chouchou	Kg	4.00	8.00	10.00	3.80	2.20	1.10	1.40	1.60	2.00	2.30	2.20	2.70
Cucumber	Unit	2.15	2.75	2.40	2.40	1.90	2.05	2.45	2.95	2.45	1.65	1.65	1.60
Eddoes (violet)	Kg	6.40	6.60	6.20	3.15	5.60	4.80	5.30	5.50	6.30	6.10	5.80	5.05
Eddoes (curry)	Kg	4.50	5.50	5.20	4.60	3.80	3.30	3.90	3.60	-	4.00	3.75	2.25
Garlic	Kg	33.90	38.10	37.30	40.30	35.10	36.80	33.60	28.40	28.10	31.15	30.65	30.65
Ginger	Kg	11.20	11.40	10.80	11.60	13.70	12.70	11.40	11.50	11.90	10.45	10.05	10.05
Green peas	Kg	18.80	..	-	30.50	24.00	8.80	8.90	10.20	15.10	16.30	13.00	17.20
Groundnut (fresh)	Kg	6.60	6.20	5.20	6.70	7.20	6.30	6.30	6.50	6.90	7.70	8.80	6.50

Table 4.19- Retail prices of foodcrops, 1985 (in rupees)

Foodcrops	Unit	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
Groundnut (dry)	Kg	14.60	14.90	13.50	14.10	14.80	15.20	14.60	15.90	14.40	14.50	15.70	13.00
Lettuce	Unit	0.70	1.00	1.10	1.20	0.85	1.00	1.05	1.00	1.15	1.00	1.15	1.05
lettuce	Unit	1.45	1.90	1.70	1.35	1.30	1.20	1.20	1.30	1.25	1.25	1.40	1.25
lettuce finger	Kg	8.40	11.60	9.00	5.20	4.40	5.90	8.00	9.80	12.10	11.60	11.65	9.55
laise(grain)	Kg	5.30	4.70	4.90	3.50	5.70	5.30	6.00	5.60	5.40	5.20	2.85	1.20
manioc	Kg	3.60	-	4.10	3.50	3.50	3.00	3.20	3.70	3.80	4.00	3.50	3.1
manioc(local)	Kg	6.70	6.80	6.90	7.00	7.00	6.90	6.70	6.50	6.30	6.00	6.30	6.50
potatoe	Kg	3.50	5.80	5.00	4.40	4.30	4.30	4.50	4.50	5.40	4.60	4.20	3.65
potatoe	Unit	1.80	2.30	2.40	2.10	1.95	1.90	2.20	2.25	2.25	2.20	1.95	1.80
pipengaille	Kg	4.90	7.00	6.30	3.30	4.70	5.20	6.10	7.00	7.30	5.90	5.90	5.80
potato	Kg	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	1.85
pumpkin	Kg	2.40	2.70	3.00	2.90	3.20	2.90	2.90	2.90	3.10	3.00	2.65	2.25
quash	Unit	1.20	1.45	1.90	1.40	1.30	1.30	1.45	1.60	1.35	1.30	1.35	1.35
sweet pepper	Unit	0.70	1.05	-	-	1.15	1.75	1.75	1.35	1.30	1.25	1.25	1.00
sweet potato	Kg	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.40	3.80	3.80	4.30	4.60	4.50	4.20	4.15	3.75
tomato	Kg	5.40	8.50	13.70	13.10	7.00	4.70	4.50	4.20	7.90	8.60	8.15	3.20
toehm	Kg	5.10	6.60	6.40	4.80	5.40	4.90	5.80	6.60	7.00	6.60	5.70	4.40

Table 4.20 - Retail prices of foodcrops, 1986

(Rupees)

Foodcrops	Unit	December										
		January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November
Beans	Kg	5.40	9.05	8.85	6.20	5.15	6.05	7.35	7.55	.5.85	4.65	6.35
Beet	Unit	1.10	1.25	1.20	1.65	1.35	1.60	1.40	1.65	1.50	1.50	1.45
Bittergourd	Kg	5.90	6.65	6.20	6.50	7.55	8.80	9.35	10.80	12.90	12.30	10.00
Brinjal	Kg	2.70	3.70	3.80	4.50	5.95	6.15	7.70	9.15	9.30	9.10	6.60
Cabbage	Unit	2.65	3.65	4.45	5.10	4.30	3.75	5.45	5.90	3.10	2.90	3.35
Calabash	Kg	2.20	2.90	3.60	3.40	4.10	3.70	4.10	4.50	4.25	4.10	4.05
Carrot	Kg	3.90	6.00	7.45	9.90	9.50	7.15	5.40	3.95	6.00	5.45	5.75
Cauliflower	Unit	-	-	-	-	11.55	7.15	4.80	6.40	6.45	7.05	7.70
Chillies(long)	Kg	10.10	11.00	12.55	8.55	9.20	11.50	14.75	23.30	15.90	9.75	8.10
Chillies(small)	Kg	20.90	14.65	15.80	14.05	16.05	40.90	67.35	-	-	75.00	25.50
Chouchou	Kg	3.65	5.75	5.65	4.40	2.35	1.50	1.40	2.70	4.05	4.30	3.95
Cucumber	Unit	1.60	2.10	2.40	2.25	2.35	2.50	2.70	3.50	3.50	2.25	2.60
Eddoes(violet)	Kg	5.40	4.85	5.25	5.15	4.95	4.50	4.80	5.20	4.80	5.45	5.30
Eddoes(curry)	Kg	-	5.45	4.50	4.15	3.95	3.35	3.90	3.95	4.00	3.80	3.80
Garlic	Kg	31.40	33.65	38.00	38.90	39.40	35.25	43.40	43.25	36.25	29.25	29.10
Ginger	Kg	12.95	13.90	15.75	17.80	18.00	13.65	14.25	14.45	14.00	11.00	11.70
Green peas	Kg	-	-	-	-	18.40	13.55	12.80	15.40	17.95	20.60	18.50

Table 4.20 - Retail prices of foodcrops, 1986 (cont'd)

Foodcrops	Unit	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
Groundnut (fresh)	Kg	6.40	6.50	6.90	6.20	6.80	6.70	7.50	6.70	7.50	8.50	8.50	7.90
Groundnut (dry)	Kg	14.10	12.70	14.10	13.50	14.20	13.20	13.00	14.10	14.20	14.90	14.80	14.10
Leek	Unit	0.95	1.20	1.20	1.25	1.35	1.15	1.10	1.05	1.15	1.20	1.20	1.25
Lettuce	Unit	1.20	1.70	1.45	1.45	1.35	1.50	1.25	1.45	1.40	1.25	1.20	1.55
Ladies Finger	Kg	8.65	9.70	7.80	6.30	6.20	8.00	8.90	11.90	13.45	13.40	10.55	10.40
Maize(grain)	Kg	5.30	5.20	5.20	5.20	6.00	6.00	5.40	5.25	5.50	5.30	-	-
Manioc	Kg	3.00	3.30	3.55	3.70	3.50	3.15	3.25	3.45	3.45	3.25	3.30	3.60
Onion(local)	Kg	6.60	6.60	6.90	-	7.00	7.00	6.95	6.70	6.45	6.45	6.35	6.45
Patole	Kg	3.50	4.70	3.55	3.70	4.05	4.70	5.10	6.25	6.45	6.90	5.20	5.10
Petsai	Unit	1.80	2.50	2.00	2.30	2.15	2.05	2.15	2.20	2.45	2.55	2.10	2.50
Pipengaille	Kg	5.45	6.40	4.25	3.45	4.20	5.30	6.60	7.10	7.95	8.85	7.30	7.30
Potato	Kg	2.35	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.45	2.45	2.45	2.50
Pumpkin	Kg	2.50	2.60	2.65	2.50	3.85	3.70	3.65	4.15	3.70	3.90	3.70	3.50
Squash	Unit	1.25	1.70	1.50	1.75	1.70	1.45	1.30	1.55	1.50	1.35	1.15	1.35
Sweet pepper	Unit	1.35	1.05	1.60	1.25	1.40	1.65	1.55	1.40	1.35	1.90	1.70	1.55
Sweet potato	Kg	3.45	3.40	3.40	3.90	3.40	3.80	4.00	4.30	3.95	3.80	3.85	3.85
Tomato	Kg	2.80	6.55	8.95	9.45	9.25	9.10	8.15	9.55	5.60	4.55	3.70	10.50
Voehnm	Kg	3.60	5.90	5.80	5.75	6.25	6.80	7.25	9.15	8.00	6.05	6.05	6.55

Table 4.21- Number of fruit trees ^{1/}(bearing/non-bearing) grown in back-yard by species, 1985.

	Number of fruit trees		
	Bearing	Non-bearing	Total
Banana	150,228	399,396	549,624
Mango	142,940	94,831	237,771
Pawpaw	138,689	78,302	217,491
Citrus	64,840	135,099	199,937
Lime	(14,623)	(35,302)	(49,925)
Lemon	(12,023)	(19,552)	(31,575)
Mandarine	(4,218)	(9,293)	(13,511)
Orange	(1,811)	(4,422)	(6,233)
Other Citrus	(32,165)	(66,523)	(98,693)
Guava	104,062	88,629	192,691
Coconut	42,175	84,337	126,512
Longane	53,250	50,272	103,522
Avocado	41,189	36,996	78,185
Pine apple	21,702	51,651	73,353
Jackfruit	30,076	14,565	45,441
Litchi	22,243	16,700	38,943
Fruit de Cythere	16,497	11,822	28,319
Atte	16,980	8,355	25,315
Coeur de boeuf	8,130	3,334	16,464
Corrosol	7,817	6,451	14,268
Grenadille	7,407	6,034	13,441
Breadfruit	9,586	2,491	12,077
Olive	5,667	5,284	10,951
Grapes	3,747	4,498	8,245
Tamarin	3,911	2,516	6,427
Other	110,084	87,715	197,799
Total	1,002,020	1,194,756	2,196,776

1/ Based on fruit trees survey March - April 1985

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Table 5.1 - Cattle population for past livestock Censuses, 1921 - 1983

Census Year	1921	1930	1940	1943	1950	1956	1964	1973	1978	1983
Number of cattle	44,339	25,926	24,269	34,443	37,213	40,074	45,683	41,094	21,098	25,485

Table 5.2 - Number of cattle, goats, sheep and pigs by sex and type of breeder (1983 Livestock Census)

Type of breeder	CATTLE			GOATS			SHEEP			PIGS		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Small breeders	4,179	11,741	15,920	25,399	46,879	72,278	211	378	589	3,153	3,901	7,054
Large breeders	2,150	6,105	8,255	25	51	76	265	1,094	1,359	472	559	1,031
Livestock Breeding Station and Prison farm	266	1,044	1,310	113	229	342	27	62	89	257	256	513
TOTAL	6,595	18,890	25,485	25,537	47,159	72,696	503	1,534	2,037	3,882	4,716	8,598

Source : Veterinary services, Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Natural Resources

Table 5.3 - Regional distribution of small cattle breeders by herd size and number of cattle owned (1983 livestock Census)

Livestock Areas	No. of small breeders keeping			Total No. of small breeders	No. of cattle owned
	1 cattle	2 cattle	> 2 cattle		
1. Port Louis	466	323	143	932	1,663
2. Triolet	62	24	8	94	141
3. Pamplemousses	543	260	83	886	1,330
4. Goodlands	384	167	38	589	841
5. Rivière du Rempart	268	183	49	500	796
6. Mapou	132	102	21	255	401
7. Flacq	338	283	76	697	1,162
8. Brisée Verdière	363	253	78	694	1,134
9. Bel Air	273	237	68	578	966
10. Quartier Militaire	349	330	133	812	1,435
11. Moka	209	194	96	499	922
12. Black River	136	127	128	391	914
13. Black River (Albion)	83	92	53	228	462
14. Plaines Wilhems (lower)	192	167	48	407	693
15. Plaines Wilhems (upper)	321	290	114	725	1,276
16. Union Park	71	62	18	151	252
17. Rivière des Anguilles	82	68	28	178	323
18. New Grove	194	203	83	480	878
19. Plaisance	64	83	32	179	331
T O T A L	4,530	3,448	1,297	9,275	15,920

Source : Veterinary Services, Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Natural Resources

Table 5.4 - Livestock slaughtered, 1982 - 1986

Type of livestock	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	
	No. of heads	No. of carcass weight (M/tons) heads				
Cattle	6,301	1,262.2	6,034	1,174.4	5,000	983.2
Local	2,108	357.7	2,552	406.9	1,862	341.7
Milchbreed						
Bulls & Calves	435	54.5	720	93.5	460	60.0
Cows*	160	24.7	73	10.0	83	11.0
Other breed	1,513	278.5	1,769	303.4	1,319	270.7
Rodrigues	428	56.9	712	101.3	736	90.6
Imported	3,765	847.6	2,760	666.2	2,402	551.0
Goats	13,341	85.3	15,188	95.2	16,886	108.7
Sheep	2,438	23.3	2,254	20.7	2,082	21.2
Pigs	11,322	608.3	11,147	600.7	12,140	616.5

Table 5.5 - Production of fish^{1/} (in wet weight equivalent), 1982 - 1986

(Tons)

	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986
<u>Bank fishing</u>	<u>3,795</u>	<u>2,741</u>	<u>2,837</u>	<u>5,020</u>	<u>5,950</u>
Local vessels	1,493	1,830	2,657	5,020	5,950
Foreign vessels	2,302	911	180	-	-
<u>Coastal fishing</u>	<u>1,754</u>	<u>2,070</u>	<u>2,075</u>	<u>2,034</u>	<u>2,067</u>
Lagoon and off lagoon	1,054	1,370	1,375	1,334	1,327
Sport fishing	400	400	400	400	400
Amateur fishing	300	300	300	300	300
Ponds and barachois	37	35	36	35	40
Total production	5,586	4,846	4,948	7,089	8,017

1/ excludes fish caught for the canning industry

Source : Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Natural Resources

Table 5.6 - Catch from artisanal fishing by type, 1982 - 1986

					Tons
	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986
Fin fish	984	1,236	1,218	1,179	1,152
Bony	(975)	(1,222)	(1,204)	(1,172)	(1,146)
Cartilaginous	(9)	(14)	(14)	(7)	(6)
Shell fish	5	23	48	39	42
Molluscs	65	111	109	116	133
Total	1,054	1,370	1,375	1,334	1,327

Table 5.7 - Number of professional fishermen by region and type, 1986

Region \ Type	Basket trap	Line	Basket trap and line	Large net	Gill net	Other	Total
North and northwest	139	205	248	205	13	12	822
West	78	137	153	85	12	6	471
South and Southwest	104	63	164	76	8	9	424
Southeast	108	156	173	107	19	6	569
East and northeast	53	118	102	98	17	3	391
Total	482	679	840	571	69	36	2,677

Source : Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Natural Resources

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Food Balance Sheet

General Notes

1. All data relate to the Island of Mauritius only (not its dependencies)
2. Quantity is in metric tons unless otherwise specified.
3. (a) Gross imports include imports from dependencies
(b) Gross exports include exports to dependencies
4. Estimated changes in stock :
A plus sign indicates that there has been a decrease in stock, that is an increase in supply. A negative sign would mean the converse.
5. Data on production of foodcrops may not tally with production data published in other sections since allowance has been made here for backyard production.
6. Local production of meat includes imported live animals slaughtered in Mauritius. Estimates for off-abattoir slaughters have been included.
7. Data on fish and crustaceans are given in terms of wet-weight equivalent.

Table 6.1 - Per capita consumption of food commodities, 1983 - 1986

Commodity	1983			1984			1985			1986		
	Kgms p/year	Grams p/day	Kgms p/year	Grams p/day	Kgms p/year	Grams p/day	Kgms p/year	Grams p/day	Kgms p/year	Grams p/day	Kgms p/year	Grams p/day
CEREALS												
Wheat/flour	57.49	157.49	61.94	169.25	60.39	165.45	60.04	164.50	60.04	164.50	60.04	164.50
Paddy/milled rice	72.07	197.41	72.03	196.81	71.55	196.02	71.54	196.01	71.54	196.01	71.54	196.01
Maize	1.06	2.91	1.13	3.08	1.22	3.34	1.11	3.03	1.11	3.03	1.11	3.03
Oats	0.04	0.10	0.03	0.09	0.10	0.26	0.10	0.28	0.10	0.28	0.10	0.28
Barley	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Malt	0.06	0.17	0.03	0.09	0.06	0.18	0.07	0.21	0.06	0.18	0.07	0.21
Other cereals (Unmilled) 1/	0.01	0.03	0.07	0.20	0.02	0.04	0.02	0.07	0.02	0.04	0.02	0.07
Other cereals (flour)	0.08	0.21	0.12	0.34	0.04	0.11	0.07	0.21	0.04	0.11	0.07	0.21
Cereals preparations 2/	1.05	2.89	0.94	2.56	0.99	2.71	1.24	3.41	1.24	3.41	1.24	3.41
STARCHY-FOODS												
Potatoes	15.87	43.48	18.96	51.80	21.96	60.16	18.35	50.26	21.96	60.16	18.35	50.26
Sweet potatoes	0.14	0.40	0.17	0.46	0.19	0.51	0.20	0.55	0.19	0.51	0.20	0.55
Cassava (Manioc)	0.30	0.82	0.27	0.73	0.31	0.85	0.33	0.91	0.31	0.85	0.33	0.91
Tapioca & Sago	0.23	0.62	0.21	0.57	0.10	0.26	0.08	0.22	0.10	0.26	0.08	0.22
Taro (Eddoes)	0.21	0.57	0.28	0.75	0.32	0.89	0.36	0.99	0.32	0.89	0.36	0.99

1/ includes wheat unmilled

2/ refers to prepared breakfast foods, macaroni and spaghetti, bakery products and other

Table 6.1 - Per capita consumption of food commodities, 1983 - 1986 (cont'd)

Commodity	1983 Kgms p/year	Grams p/day	Kgms p/year	Grams p/day	1984 Kgms p/year	Grams p/day	1985 Kgms p/year	Grams p/day	1986 Kgms p/year	Grams p/day
SUGARS										
Cane/sugar 1/	35.57	97.43	36.33	99.26	35.43	97.08	35.97	98.54	35.97	98.54
Other sugars	0.32	0.88	0.46	1.25	0.41	1.12	0.42	1.16	0.42	1.16
Sugar preparations	-	-	-	-	0.08	0.21	0.25	0.67	0.25	0.67
Honey	0.07	0.20	0.04	0.11	0.05	0.13	0.07	0.20	0.07	0.20
PULSES, NUTS & SEEDS										
Pulses 2/	8.42	23.06	7.14	19.51	9.02	24.72	8.42	23.06	8.42	23.06
Groundnuts (in shells or not)	1.87	5.13	2.41	6.59	2.11	5.79	2.17	5.94	2.17	5.94
Coconuts 3/	2.27	6.22	2.30	6.29	2.73	7.48	2.96	8.10	2.96	8.10
Other edible nuts	0.03	0.09	0.04	0.12	0.03	0.08	0.02	0.06	0.02	0.06
VEGETABLES										
Tomatoes	11.36	31.11	10.26	28.04	8.70	23.83	10.19	27.91	10.19	27.91
Other (fresh) 4/	15.01	41.13	17.46	47.71	19.35	53.02	19.41	53.18	19.41	53.18
Onion	4.27	11.71	5.07	13.87	4.70	12.89	5.26	14.41	5.26	14.41
Vegetable prepared or preserved	0.68	1.87	0.46	1.25	0.53	1.44	0.51	1.41	0.51	1.41

1/ includes raw and white sugar

2/ Green peas and beans are accounted for as vegetables

3/ includes green and dried coconuts and copra for manufacturing

4/ excludes potatoes, tomatoes, onion, ginger, groundnuts, bananas, pineapples, garlic, manioc, sweet pepper, chilies, sweet potatoes, eddoes, rice and maize which are given separately

Table 6.1 - Per capita consumption of food commodities, 1983 - 1986 (cont'd)

Commodity	1983	1984	1985	1986	Kgms p/year	Grams p/day						
FRUITS												
Fresh bananas	7.02	19.22	4.63	12.65	6.90	18.91	7.49	20.51				
Fresh citrus	1.71	4.69	1.29	3.53	0.95	2.61	1.18	3.24				
Fresh apples	0.99	2.70	0.74	2.03	0.67	1.83	0.68	1.86				
Fresh pineapples	0.42	1.15	0.53	1.44	0.76	2.09	0.96	2.62				
Fresh other 1/	0.11	0.30	0.10	0.27	0.05	0.14	0.04	0.12				
Fresh grapes	0.24	0.65	0.29	0.80	0.22	0.60	0.26	0.71				
Dried grapes	0.13	0.98	0.16	0.43	0.10	0.28	0.08	0.23				
Dried other	0.36	0.98	0.07	0.20	0.17	0.47	0.11	0.30				
Preserved fruits	0.45	1.24	0.41	1.12	0.30	0.80	0.55	1.51				
Fruit & Vegetable juices	0.76	2.08	0.40	1.10	0.39	1.07	0.58	1.59				
MISCELLANEOUS												
Ginger	0.38	1.04	0.48	1.30	0.39	1.06	0.30	0.81				
Pepper, chillies, etc.	0.47	1.30	0.42	1.16	0.43	1.19	0.37	1.01				
Garlic	0.36	0.98	0.42	1.14	0.45	1.25	0.48	1.33				
Other spices	0.94	2.57	0.54	1.48	0.70	1.90	0.89	2.44				
Cocoa/chocolate 2/	0.24	0.66	0.10	0.45	0.25	0.69	0.23	0.64				

1/ no estimate of local fruit production and consumption is available

2/ including food preparations containing cocoa

Table 6.1 - Per capita consumption of food commodities, 1983 - 1986 (cont'd)

Commodity	1 9 8 3			1 9 8 4			1 9 8 5			1 9 8 6		
	Kgms p/year	Grams p/day	Kgms p/year	Grams p/day	Kgms p/year	Grams p/day	Kgms p/year	Grams p/day	Kgms p/year	Grams p/day	Kgms p/year	Grams p/day
MEAT												
Cattle/meat	4.01	11.15	4.12	11.27	4.79	13.12	5.70	15.63				
Goat & sheep/meat	2.22	6.07	2.44	6.67	2.54	6.95	2.83	7.75				
Pigs/meat	0.69	1.89	0.63	1.72	0.55	1.49	0.59	1.63				
Edible offals for the 4 above items	2.21	6.16	2.32	6.34	2.17	5.95	2.18	5.98				
Poultry/meat	6.50	17.81	6.36	17.38	6.34	17.37	6.85	18.77				
Rabbit	0.03	0.07	0.03	0.07	0.03	0.07	0.02	0.07				
Game/meat	0.34	0.92	0.33	0.91	0.33	0.90	0.35	0.96				
Beacon, ham and sausages	0.24	0.67	0.17	0.48	0.19	0.53	0.16	0.43				
Meat preparations	0.46	1.27	0.33	0.90	0.32	0.88	0.37	1.02				
Other/offals	0.07	0.20	0.06	0.16	0.08	0.22	0.10	0.28				
EGGS												
Hen/eggs	3.78	10.37	3.69	10.08	3.01	8.24	2.97	8.13				
MILK												
Fresh milk & cream	8.19	22.44	9.23	25.22	10.60	29.05	10.91	29.89				
Dried milk exceeding 1.5% by wt. of fat	8.57	23.48	8.16	22.29	7.13	19.54	6.68	18.31				
Dried milk not exceeding 1.5% by wt. of fat	0.90	2.47	1.48	4.05	1.83	5.01	1.96	5.38				
Condensed milk	0.19	0.51	0.33	0.91	0.33	0.89	0.27	0.75				
Milk/cheese	0.59	1.61	1.12	3.05	0.90	2.45	0.75	2.06				

Table 6.1 - Per capita consumption of food commodities, 1983 - 1986 (cont'd)

Commodity	1983		1984		1985		1986	
	Kgms p/year	Grams p/day						
FISH								
Fresh or frozen	5.38	14.72	4.88	13.32	6.84	18.74	7.23	19.81
Other	5.98	16.38	8.14	22.23	4.73	12.96	5.45	14.93
CRUSTACEANS & MOLLUSCS								
Fresh or frozen	0.50	1.37	0.49	1.33	0.26	0.72	0.35	0.95
Other	0.27	0.75	0.59	1.62	0.51	1.41	0.50	1.37
OILS AND FATS								
	20.29	55.57	19.69	53.81	19.90	54.53	20.50	56.16
BEVERAGE CROPS								
Tea	1.01	2.75	0.98	2.67	1.03	2.83	1.11	3.05
Coffee	0.12	0.32	0.11	0.31	0.13	0.34	0.11	0.29
ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES								
CROPS								
(Hectolitres)								
Molasses spirits (100° GL)	2.31 (litres)	6.31 (c.c.)	2.10 (litres)	5.75 (c.c.)	2.06 (litres)	5.64 (c.c.)	2.23 (litres)	6.11 (c.c.)
Beer, cider and wine	19.24 (litres)	52.71 (c.c.)	21.61 (litres)	59.07 (c.c.)	21.91 (litres)	60.02 (c.c.)	24.29 (litres)	66.55 (c.c.)

Table 6.2 - Food Balance Sheet, 1985

Population at 30.6.85 = 235,210

(Figures in metric tons unless otherwise specified)

Commodity	Production		Estimated changes in stock	Gross Imports	Supply	Gross Exports	Total	Fried	Seed	Manufacture	Domestic Utilization	Waste	Food
	Input	Output											
CEREALS													
Wheat/flour	-	-	+ 1,174	60,380	61,557	1,459	60,095	-	-	-	-	600	59,495
Paddy/milled Rice	135	88	- 8,114	33,318	75,292	4,094	71,120	-	-	-	-	710	70,488
Maize	-	4,890	- 961	11,046	14,972	3	14,965	13,649	50	-	-	70	1,200
Oats	-	-	-	-	294	294	-	221	200	-	-	-	94
Barley	-	-	-	-	15	15	-	15	-	-	-	-	-
Rice	-	-	+ 93	2,644	2,737	-	2,737	-	-	15	-	-	63
Other Cereals (unmilled)1/	-	-	-	-	115	-	-	112	100	-	-	-	15
Other Cereals flour	-	-	-	-	149	149	9	140	100	-	-	-	40
Cereals preparations2/	-	-	-	-	1,020	1,026	34	96	-	-	-	10	976
MURCHY FOODS													
Potatoes	-	23,855	- 363	1,561	24,553	161	24,302	150	1,948	-	-	657	21,634
Sweet Potatoes	-	200	-	-	200	-	200	15	-	-	-	-	185
Cassava (Manioc)	-	320	-	-	320	-	320	15	-	-	-	-	305
Tapioca & Sago	-	-	-	95	95	1	94	-	-	-	-	-	94
Efaro (Eddoes)	-	325	-	-	325	-	325	5	-	-	-	-	320

1/ includes wheat unmilled

2/ refers to prepared breakfast foods, macaroni and spaghetti, bacon products and other

Commodity	Production		Estimated changes in stock	Gross Imports	Supply	Gross Exports	Total	Feed	Seed	Manufacture	Waste	Food	Domestic Utilization
	Input	Output											
SUGARS													
Cane/sugar 1/	5,583,345	645,797	- 69,433	1	576,365	541,105	35,260	-	-	-	-	350	34,910
Other sugars	-	-	-	422	422	21	401	-	-	-	-	-	401
Sugar preparations	-	-	-	160	168	24	74	-	-	-	-	-	74
Honey	-	30	-	18	48	-	48	-	-	-	-	-	48
PULSES, NUTS & SEEDS													
Pulses 2/	-	72	-	9,035	9,114	130	3,976	-	-	-	-	85	8,821
Groundnuts (in shells or not)	-	2,165	-	33	2,198	1	2,197	-	-	-	-	25	2,082
Coconuts 3/	-	-	-	1,735	3,000	-	3,000	-	-	-	-	250	60
Other edible nuts	-	-	-	-	27	27	-	27	-	-	-	-	27
VEGETABLES													
Tomatoes	-	8,335	-	-	3,985	2	3,983	-	-	-	-	75	350
Other (fresh) 4/	-	20,950	-	3	20,953	536	20,415	-	-	-	-	350	1,000
Onions	-	2,415	+ 400	1,934	4,749	36	4,719	-	-	-	-	-	85
Vegetables prepared or preserved	-	300	-	250	558	39	519	-	-	-	-	-	519

1/ includes raw and white sugar

2/ green peas and dried beans are accounted for as vegetables

3/ includes green and dried coconuts and copra for manufacturing

4/ excludes potatoes, tomatoes, onion, ginger, groundnuts, bananas, pineapples, garlic, manioc, sweet potato, chillies, sweet potatoes, okra, rice, maize, which are given separately.

Table C.2 - Food Balance Sheet, 1955 (cont'd)

Commodity	Production			Gross Imports			Supply	Gross Exports	Domestic Utilization		
	Input	Output	Estimated changes in stock	Total	Seed	Human Nutrition			Waste	Food	
FRUITS											
Fresh bananas	-	7,150	-	-	7,150	-	-	-	-	6,800	
Fresh citrus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	538	
Fresh apples	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	657	
Fresh pineapples	-	790	-	-	790	-	-	-	25	750	
Fresh other 1/	-	-	-	-	133	133	80	-	1	51	
Fresh grapes	-	-	-	-	218	213	-	-	-	214	
Dried grapes	-	-	-	-	99	92	-	-	-	29	
Dried, other	-	-	-	-	175	175	1	-	-	170	
Preserved fruit	-	-	-	-	269	319	20	-	-	295	
Fruit & vegetable juices	-	-	-	-	156	106	12	-	5	389	
MISCELLANEOUS											
Ginger	-	455	-	-	455	-	-	-	-	5	
Pepper, chillies, etc.	-	440 ^{2/}	-	-	460	32	-	-	-	427	
Garlic	-	240	-	16	233	457	-	-	-	446	
Other spices	-	-	-	-	837	337	145	-	-	685	
Cocoa/chocolate 3/	-	-	-	-	256	256	9	-	-	247	

1/ no estimate of local fruit production and consumption is available

2/ includes green chillies and sweet pepper

3/ including food preparations containing cocoa

Table 6.2 - Food Balance Sheet, 1965 (cont'd)

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Commodity	Production			Gross Supply			Domestic Utilization		
	Input	Output	Estimated changes in stock	Total	Feed	Seed	Manufacture	Waste	Food
MEAT									
Cattle/meat	(H) 5,340	995	-	3,764	4,759	16	4,743	-	24 4,719
Goat & sheep/meat	(H) 35,850*	240	-	2,387	2,627	115	2,512	-	14 2,498
Pigs/meat	(H) 11,731	540	-	112	652	-	652	-	110 5 537
Edible offals for the 4 above items	-	350(E)	-	1,840	2,190	2	2,188	-	25 2,138
Poultry/meat	-	6,000(E)	+ 337	9	6,346	68	6,278	-	31 6,247
Rabbit	-	25(E)	-	-	25	-	25	-	25
Game/meat	-	325(E)	-	-	325	-	325	-	325
Beacon, ham and sausages	110	125	-	67	192	-	192	-	1 191
Meat preparations	-	-	-	324	324	12	312	-	312
Other/offals	-	80(E)	-	-	80	-	80	-	80
EGGS	-	3,450	-	17	3,467	40	3,427	-	40 2,962
Hen/eggs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MILK	-	-	-	53	10,753	30	10,723	175	- 100 10,448
Fresh milk & cream	-	10,700	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dried milk exceeding 1.5% by wt. of fat	-	-	-	7,177	7,177	114	7,063	-	35 7,028
Dried milk not exceeding 1.5% by wt. of fat	-	-	-	-	1,941	130	1,811	-	9 1,802
Condensed milk	-	-	-	-	333	333	12	321	- 321
Milk/cheese	-	-	-	-	902	902	15	887	- 5 882

* includes imported live animals slaughtered in Mauritius

(H) No. of heads

Table 6.2 - Food Balance Sheet, 1985 (cont'd).

Commodity	Production		Estimated changes in stock		Gross Imports		Gross Supply Exports		Domestic Utilization		
	Input	Output			Total	Feed	Seed	Manufacture	Waste	Food	
FISH											
Fresh or frozen	-	11,271	-	361	3,914	14,324	404	14,420	-	7,680	
Other	7,680	7,558	+	56	3,730	11,344	6,682	4,662	-	4,662	
CRUSTACEANS & MOLLUSCS											
Fresh or frozen	-	138	-	-	130	268	8	260	-	-	
Other	-	-	-	-	510	510	3	507	-	507	
OILS & FATS	16,891	18,926	-	898	19,092	37,120	470	36,650	-	16,891	
BEVERAGE CROPS											
Tea	42,651	8,115	+	6	4	8,125	7,039	1,036	-	20	
Coffee	-	-	-	-	124	124	-	124	-	124	
ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES (Hectolitres)											
Molasses/spirits (100 ⁰ GL)	13,655	20,500	-	-	800	21,300	1,020	20,280	-	-	
Beer, cider & wine	2,074	226,909	-	893	4,657	230,673	14,846	215,827	-	-	
									-	215,827	

Table 6.3 - Food Balance Sheet, 1966

Population 30.6.86 = 99,851

(Figures in metric tons unless otherwise specified)

Commodity	Production		Estimated changes in stock	Gross Imports	Supply Gross Exports	Domestic Utilization			Waste	Food
	Input	Output				Total	Feed	Seed		
CEREALS										
Wheat/flour	-	-	- 20	61,794	61,774	1,500	60,274	-	-	600 59,674
Faddy/milled rice	175	115	+ 10,815	64,894	75,824	4,000	71,824	-	-	720 71,104
Maize	-	7,970	+ 921	15,929	24,820	6,450	18,370	17,170	-	100 1,100
Oats	-	-	-	350	350	-	350	250	-	100
Barley	-	-	-	19	19	-	19	-	-	-
Malt	-	-	+ 143	2,707	2,850	-	2,850	-	19	-
Other Cereals (Unmilled) 1/	-	-	-	200	200	-	200	175	-	25
Other Cereals	-	-	-	235	235	2	233	158	-	75
Cereals Preparations 2/	-	-	-	1,357	1,357	8	1,249	-	-	12 1,237
STARCHY FOODS										
Potatoes	-	16,950	+ 2,724	1,451	21,125	175	20,950	100	1,850	766 18,234
Sweet Potatoes	-	-	-	-	-	220	-	220	-	200
Cassava (Manioc)	-	350	-	-	-	350	-	350	-	330
Tapioca & Sago 3/	-	-	-	81	81	1	80	-	-	80
Taro (Eddoes)	-	370	-	-	-	370	-	370	10	360

1/ includes wheat unmilled

2/ refers to prepared breakfast foods, macaroni and spaghetti, bakery products and other

3/ new item, formerly included in preserved and prepared vegetables

Table 6.3 - Balance Sheet, 1986 (cont'd.)

Commodity	Production		Estimated changes in stock		Supply		Gross Exports	Total	Feed	Seed	Manufacture	Waste	Food	Domestic Utilization	
	Input	Output													
JARS															
sugar/sugar 2/	16,024,962	706,839	-	44,159	-	662,680	626,574	36,106	-	-	-	360	35,746		
ther sugars	-	-	-	-	424	424	2	422	-	-	-	-	422		
ugar preparations	-	-	-	-	200	200	55	245	-	-	-	-	245		
oney	-	-	-	-	43	73	-	73	-	-	-	-	73		
ULSES NUTS & SEEDS															
ulses 2/	-	90	-	8,510	8,600	150	8,450	-	-	-	-	85	8,365		
roundnuts (in shells or not)	-	2,250	-	38	2,288	3	2,285	-	100	-	-	30	2,155		
coconuts 3/	-	N.A.	-	1,675	3,000	-	3,000	-	-	-	-	60	2,940		
ther edible nuts	-	-	-	22	22	1	21	-	-	-	-	-	21		
EGGETABLES															
tomatoes	-	10,600	-	-	10,600	75	10,525	-	-	-	-	100	300	10,125	
ther (fresh) 4/	-	20,740	-	-	20,740	300	20,440	-	-	-	-	400	750	19,290	
ions	-	2,955	-	267	2,664	5,352	25	5,327	-	-	-	-	100	5,227	
eggetables prepared or preserved	-	350	-	200	550	39	511	-	-	-	-	-	-	511	

1/ Brown sugar and white sugar combined

2/ Green peas and beans are accounted for as vegetables

3/ Includes green and dried coconuts and copra for manufacturing

4/

Excludes potatoes, tomatoes, onion, ginger, groundnuts, bananas, pineapples, garlic, manioc, sweet pepper, chillies, sweet potatoes, eddoes, rice, maize which are given separately

Table 6.3 - Food Balance Sheet, 1986 (cont'd)

Commodity	Production		Estimated changes in stock	Gross Imports	Supply Exports	Gross	Domestic Utilization			
	Input	Output					Total	Feed	Seed	Manufacture
FRUITS										
Fresh Bananas	-	7,830	-	-	7,830	-	-	-	-	7,440
Fresh citrus	-	-	-	1,226	26	1,200	-	-	-	1,175
Fresh apples	-	-	-	691	1	690	-	-	-	14
Fresh pineapples	-	980	-	-	980	10	970	-	-	676
Fresh other 1/	-	-	+ 100	134	234	190	44	-	-	42
Fresh grapes	-	-	-	264	264	-	264	-	-	259
Dried grapes	-	-	-	90	90	5	85	-	-	85
Dried other	-	-	-	112	112	1	111	-	-	3
Preserved fruits	-	-	-	484	559	10	549	-	-	108
Fruit & vegetable juices	-	-	-	305	580	5	577	-	-	549
MISCELLANEOUS										
Ginger	-	560	-	-	360	-	360	-	60	295
Pepper, chillies etc.	-	385 2/	-	63	448	75	372	-	5	365
Garlic	-	325	+ 22	145	492	-	492	-	-	482
Other spices	-	-	-	1,100	1,100	205	895	-	-	885
Cocoa/chocolate 2/	-	-	-	235	233	1	232	-	-	232

1/ No estimate of local fruit production and consumption is available

2/ Includes green chillies and sweet pepper

1/ Includin food preparations containing cocoa

Table 3 - Socio-economic Survey (1951)

Commodity	Production		Estimated changes in stock		Gross Imports		Gross Supply		Exports		Domestic Utilization			
	Input	Output			Total	Feed	Seed	Manufacture	Waste	Food				
<u>MEAT</u>														
Cattle/meat	(H) 7,525*	1,540	-	4,367	5,707	10	5,697	-	-	-	22	5,669		
Goat & sheep/meat	(H) 59,460*	260	-	2,667	2,927	100	2,827	-	-	-	15	2,312		
Pigs/meat	(H) 10,860	620	-	68	686	-	688	-	-	-	3	598		
Edible offals for the above 4 items	-	400	-	1,832	2,252	40	2,192	-	-	-	22	2,170		
Poultry/meat	-	6,875	- 22	9	6,862	53	6,809	-	-	-	-	6,809		
Rabbit	-	25	-	-	25	-	25	-	-	-	25	25		
Game/meat	-	55	-	-	350	-	350	-	-	-	-	350		
Bacon, ham and sausages	95	95	-	62	157	2	155	-	-	-	-	155		
Meat preparations	-	-	-	385	383	13	370	-	-	-	-	370		
Other/offals	-	100	-	-	100	-	100	-	-	-	-	100		
<u>EGGS</u>					10	3,210	20	3,190	-	-	40	2,950		
Hen/eggs	3,200	-			153	11,153	10	11,143	250	-	50	10,843		
<u>MILK</u>					6,826	6,826	150	6,676	-	-	33	6,643		
Fresh milk & cream	-	11,000	-	-	2,060	2,060	100	1,960	-	-	-	1,950		
Dried milk exceeding 1.5% of wt. of fat	-	-	-	-	274	274	2	272	-	-	-	272		
Dried milk not exceeding 1.5% by wt. of fat	-	-	-	-	771	771	20	751	-	-	-	746		
Condensed milk	-	-	-	-							5			
Milk/cheese	-	-	-	-										

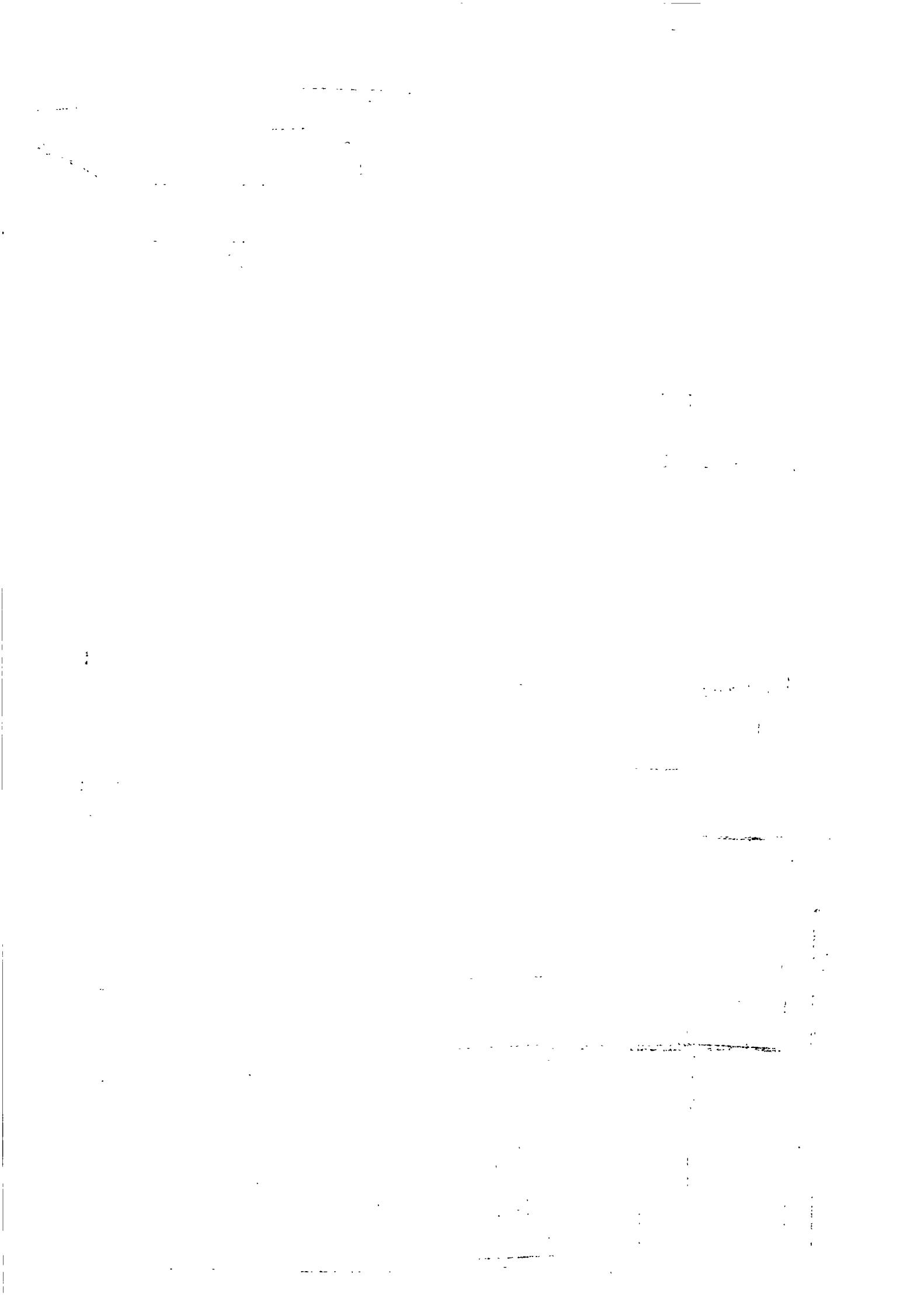
(H) No. of heads

* includes live animals slaughtered in Mauritius

† for hatching purposes

Table 6.3 - Food Balance Sheet, 1986 (cont'd)

Commodity	Production		Estimated changes in stock	Gross Imports	Gross Supply	Gross Exports	Total	Feed	Seed	Manufacture	Waste	Food	Domestic Utilization
	Input	Output											
FISH													
Fresh or frozen	9,116	4,590	5,515	15,221	327	14,327	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,185
Other	7,709	7,545	- 306	4,577	11,316	6,400	5,416	-	-	-	-	-	5,416
CRUSTACEANS & MOLLUSCS													
Fresh or frozen	150	-	208	353	14	344	-	-	-	-	-	-	344
Other	-	-	506	506	9	497	-	-	-	-	-	-	497
OILS & FATS													
Tea	19,867	4,196	19,206	39,267	575	38,692	-	-	-	-	-	-	18,151
Coffee	18,125	-	106	7,625	6,500	1,125	-	-	-	-	-	-	170
Alcoholic beverages (Hectolitres)	40,267	7,876	- 256	5	106	106	-	-	-	-	-	-	20,371
Molasses/spirits 100°GL	14,000	- 21,000	-	1,807	22,307	650	22,157	-	-	-	-	-	22,157
Beer, Cider & Wine	2,869	236,797	- 617	5,738	241,918	500	241,418	-	-	-	-	-	241,418



MISCELLANEOUS

Table 7.1 - Total land area^{1/} classified by utilization

	Acres
Agriculture	<u>262,500</u>
Sugar cane	242,100
Tea	15,400
Tobacco, vegetable and other crops	5,000
Forests, scrub areas, grassland and grazing lands	<u>159,300</u>
Forest plantation	16,740
Forest natural	5,900
Savannahs, grasslands, meadows, etc.	18,400
Scrub and other forest lands	118,260
Reservoirs and ponds	<u>2,900</u>
Swamps and rocks	<u>3,500</u>
Roads (main thorough fares)	<u>3,300</u>
Built-up areas	<u>29,300</u>
Total Island	460,800

^{1/} based on the findings of the U N D P - F A O land and water Resources Survey team working on aerial photographs of the island taken at the end of 1965 and supplemented to some extent by land surveys.

FIG. 7 - TOTAL LAND AREA CLASSIFIED BY UTILIZATION

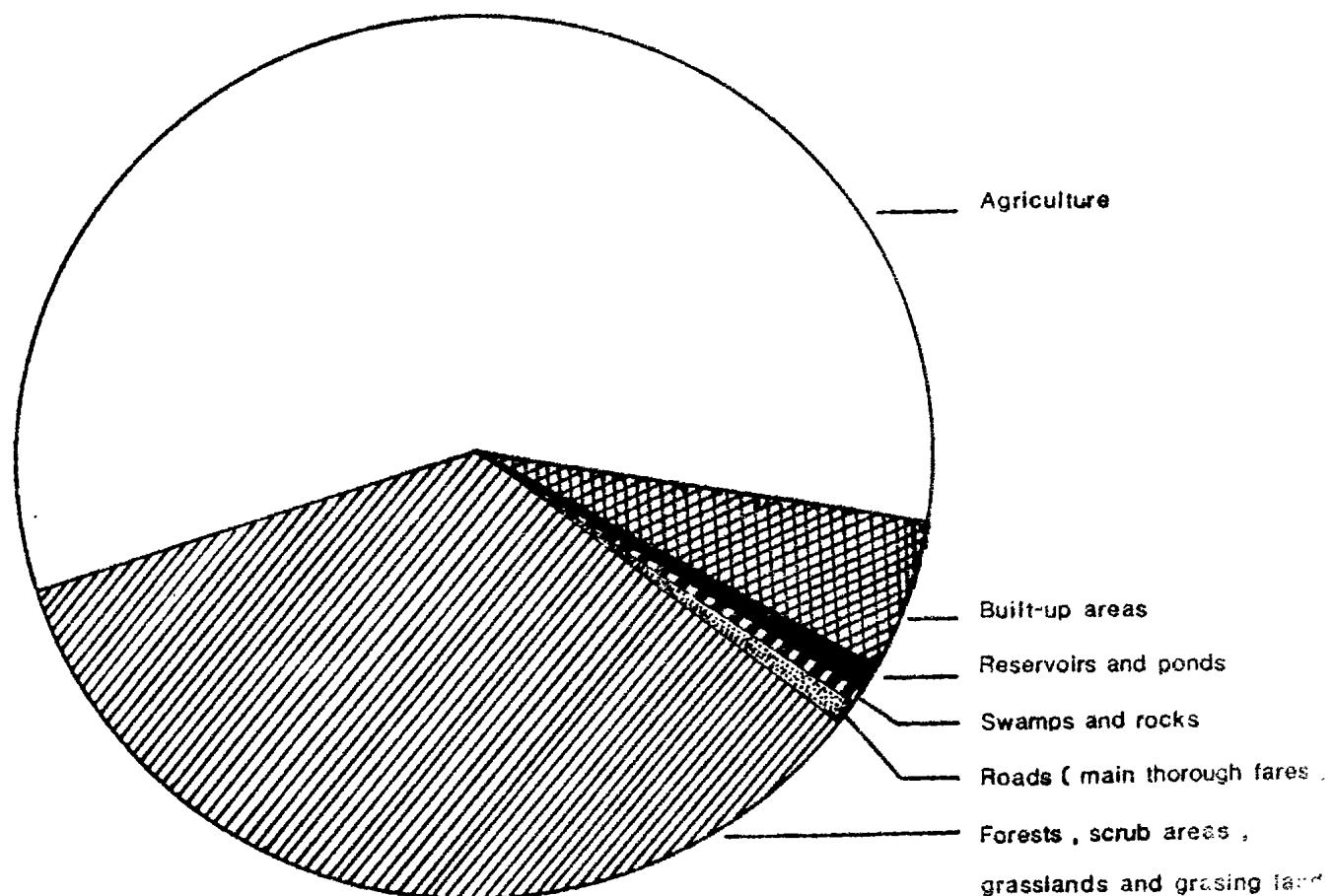


Table 7.2 - Imports of agricultural and food products, 1982 - 1986

(C.I.F. Value in Rs million)

	Description of product	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986
1.	Live animals	17.5 (10.0)	26.5 (23.5)	10.8 (5.8)	17.3 (11.1)	13.2 (8.8)
2.	Meat and meat preparations (Meat and edible meat offals fresh, chilled or frozen) (Meat and edible meat offals prepared or preserved)	119.6 (92.7)	115.8 (98.9)	129.6 (117.2)	144.4 (130.7)	147.9 (135.6)
3.	Dairy products and eggs (Milk and cream) (Butter, ghee, cheese & curd)	228.2 (174.4)	200.5 (157.5)	233.4 (169.6)	236.3 (181.3)	211.0 (160.5)
4.	Fish, crustaceans, molluscs and preparation thereof (Fish - fresh, chilled and frozen) (Fish - dried, salted, smoked) (Fish, crustaceans and molluscs - prepared and otherwise preserved)	84.7 (34.3)	76.0 (24.9)	94.0 (24.9)	97.8 (45.5)	105.9 (51.2)
		(19.7)	(20.6)	(20.6)	(23.0)	(11.9)
		(26.4)	(25.1)	(37.9)	(19.1)	(31.1)

Table 7.2. Imports of agricultural and food products, 1982 - 1986 (cont'd)
(C.I.F. Value in Rs million)

	Description of product	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986
5.	Cereals and cereal preparations	587.7	484.5	585.2	606.2	457.9
	(Rice)	(297.4)	(210.0)	(269.6)	(279.8)	(162.7)
	(Maize)	(30.2)	(50.4)	(474.9)	(34.7)	(32.8)
	(Wheat flour)	(215.5)	(176.2)	(224.6)	(243.4)	(211.3)
	(Cereal preparations)	(40.7)	(44.4)	(41.3)	(44.4)	(46.6)
6.	Vegetables and fruits	101.6	124.9	116.2	127.7	113.0
	(Potatoes)	(6.2)	(6.7)	(9.0)	(7.1)	(6.7)
	(Pulses)	(28.3)	(43.9)	(44.7)	(64.4)	(54.1)
	(Fruits and nuts, fresh or dried)	(34.8)	(36.8)	(36.7)	(30.8)	(28.5)
	(Fruit preserved and fruit preparations)	(13.1)	(11.0)	(8.7)	(5.6)	(6.7)
7.	Sugar (sugar preparations and honey)	6.0	7.4	8.9	(11.6)	(13.7)

Table 7.2 - Imports of agricultural and food products, 1982 - 1986 (cont'd)
(C.I.F. value in Rs million)

	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986
8. Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactured thereof (Chocolate and food preparations containing cocoa) (spices)	28.6 (12.0) (10.0)	30.4 (9.3) (13.4)	28.8 (6.3) (15.2)	34.5 (7.7) (17.6)	38.7 (9.5) (20.9)
9. Feeding stuff for animals	38.0	37.6	37.7	38.5	43.4
10. Miscellaneous food preparations	28.2	26.4	32.1	33.4	44.5
11. Beverages and tobacco (Non-alcoholic beverages n.e.s.) (Alcoholic beverages) (Tobacco, manufactured) (Tobacco unmanufactured)	20.8 (0.7) (13.4) (0.7) (5.9)	22.8 (1.4) (14.7) (0.3) (6.4)	25.6 (3.0) (16.4) (0.3) (5.4)	25.9 (2.9) (18.9) (0.3) (2.7)	33.7 (3.6) (25.0) (1.7) (3.4)
12. Vegetable oils and fats	102.9	105.7	176.0	193.3	112.0
Total agricultural & food products	1,363.9	1,258.6	1,478.3	1,567.0	1,322.0
Total imports	5,048.2	5,155.9	6,485.7	8,119.1	9,090.0
Total imports of agricultural and food products %	27.0	24.4	22.8	19.3	14.5
Total imports					

Table 7.3 - Imports of selected items (Quantity), 1982 - 1986

Tons

Selected items	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986
1. Rice	78,585	72,077	87,046	85,432	65,100
2. Maize	12,045	17,150	12,694	11,046	15,923
3. Wheat flour	62,930	56,165	62,583	60,380	61,827
4. Pulses	5,093	8,448	7,254	9,035	8,508
5. Fruits (fresh and dried)	3,184	3,480	2,738	2,400	2,518
6. Coffee	96	118	111	123	103
7. Cocoa/chocolate	332	237	165	260	241
8. Vegetable oils and fats	16,664	16,632	17,204	18,617	16,788
9. Cattle *(live)	2,230	2,429	2,997	2,148	2,016
10. Meat and edible meat offals (fresh, chilled or frozen)	5,853	6,333	7,237	8,111	8,942
11. Meat and edible meat offals (prepared or preserved)	1,030	651	419	410	410
12. Milk and cream	8,933	10,064	10,097	9,505	9,330
13. Butter, ghee, cheese and curd	1,751	1,325	1,979	1,968	1,875
14. Fish and crustaceans (fresh, chilled and frozen)	3,093	2,494	2,196	3,464	4,595
15. Fish and crustaceans (dried, salted and smoked)	1,149	1,058	1,271	978	626
16. Fish and crustaceans (prepared or otherwise preserved)	1,813	1,835	2,519	1,117	1,702

* Number of heads

Table 7.4 - Imports of major agricultural inputs and machinery, 1982 - 1985

(Quantity in metric tons, C.I.F. value in Rs 000)

Commodities	1982		1983		1984		1985		1986 ^{1/}	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Fertilizers	38,720	55,711	44,705	60,60	41,959	74,671	54,055	96,394	47,799	74,478
Insecticides	557	13,599	258	12,504	199	9,04	357	17,471	365	16,327
Fungicides	90	2,892	149	5,204	89	5,944	104	4,670	115	6,193
Weedkillers	671	26,418	827	29,901	655	24,163	603	28,005	575	31,023
Agricultural machinery	N.A.	7,790	N.A.	5,071	N.A.	6,245	N.A.	23,115	N.A.	14,338

^{1/} provisional

Table 7.5 - Consumption of fertilizers, 1982 - 1986

(Metric tons)

Year	Product weight	Nutrients Content		
		N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O
1982	61,469	9,870	3,336	12,663
1983	66,076	10,332	3,963	13,235
1984	67,143	10,805	3,708	12,882
1985	72,949	10,464	4,430	13,824
1986	68,228	11,075	3,696	13,737

FIG.8-CONSUMPTION OF FERTILIZERS (NUTRIENTS CONTENT N, P₂O₅, K₂O), 1971-1986

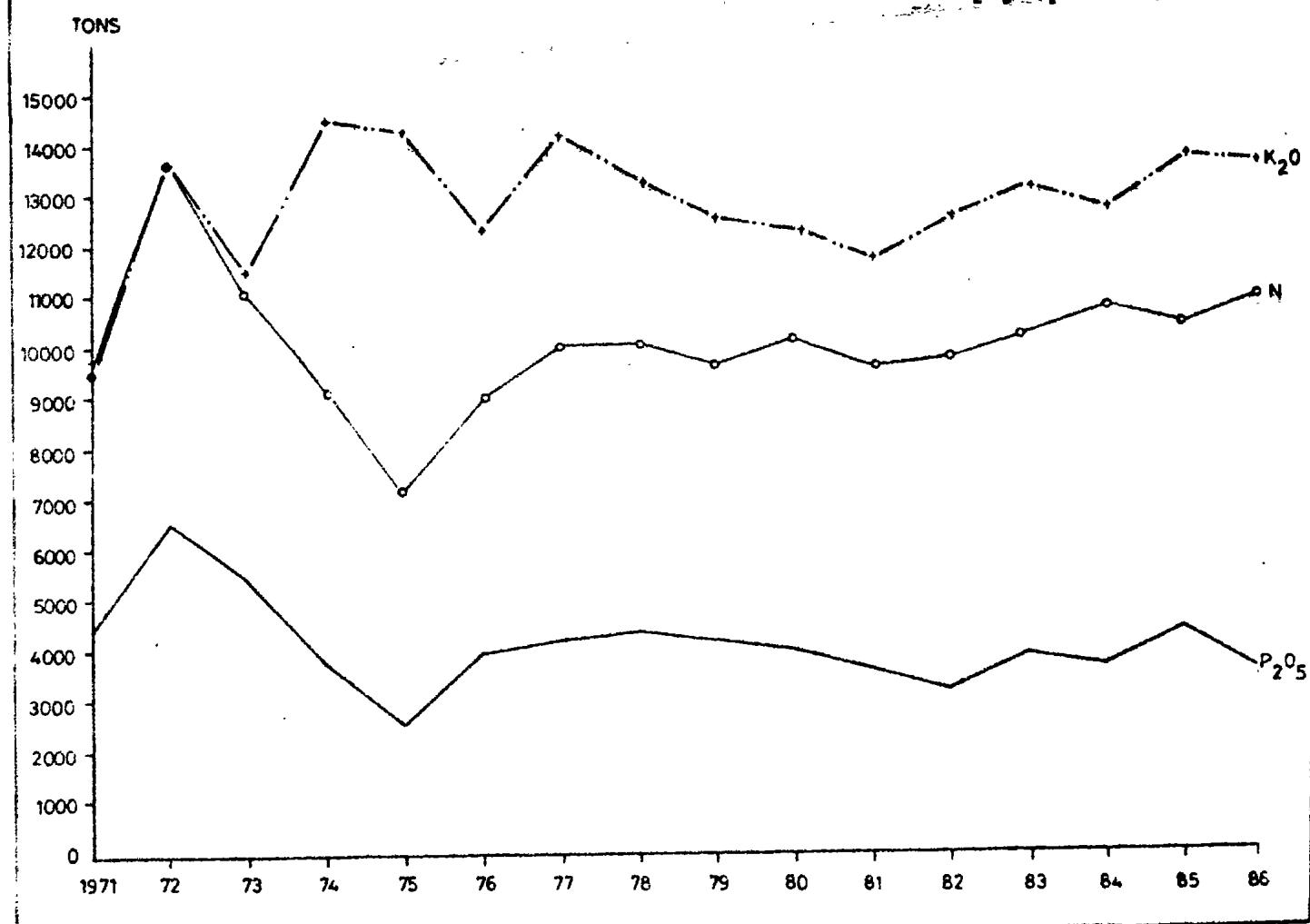


Table 7.6 - Average price ^{1/} of fertilisers, 1982 - 1986

(Rupees/ton)

Fertilizers	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986
STRAIGHT FERTILIZERS :					
Ammonium Nitrate Solution					
N.A.	1,769	1,667	2,263	1,970	
4,385	4,185	4,261	5,364	5,535	
3,386	3,145	3,079	3,516	3,755	
2,269	2,028	1,937	2,223	2,379	
2,124	1,848	1,841	2,080	N.A.	
2,411	2,152	2,123	2,409	2,497	
3,068	2,802	2,758	3,065	3,489	
3,000	N.A.	4,000	4,000	6,000	
N.A.	3,783	3,772	4,167	3,783	
2,383	2,193	2,108	2,623	N.A.	
COMPLEX FERTILISERS:					
17 - 8 - 25	2,773	2,568	2,747	3,128	3,133
17 - 2 - 27	2,580	2,378	2,511	2,863	2,862
13 - 13 - 20 + 2 Mg O	3,075	2,816	2,781	3,147	3,195
22.5 - 7.5 - 7.5	2,794	2,624	2,796	3,181	3,000
Price Index (1981 = 100)	106.7	97.6	101.0	115.5	114.3

1/ Actual price paid by farmers

Table 7.7 - Monthly rainfall for the sugar cane districts, 1986

Period	Millimetres													
	West			North			East			Centre			All districts	
	Amount	Difference from normal	Amount	Difference from normal	Amount	Difference from normal	Amount	Difference from normal	Amount	Difference from normal	Amount	Difference from normal	Amount	Difference from normal
1986:														
January	80	- 104	127	- 73	168	- 153	139	- 157	138	- 134	139	- 128		
February	146	- 59	221	+ 18	396	+ 74	279	- 5	311	- 31	288	+ 16		
March	57	- 154	219	- 20	263	- 124	288	- 45	298	+ 41	249	- 65		
April	24	- 83	60	- 112	132	- 162	136	- 145	100	- 128	103	- 134		
May	40	- 11	91	- 26	238	+ 32	159	- 27	143	+ 2	151	- 7		
June	8	- 31	47	- 44	99	- 85	112	- 35	59	- 76	79	- 54		
July	2	- 24	30	- 49	71	- 96	50	- 99	61	- 75	48	- 77		
August	41	+ 25	115	+ 47	188	+ 53	225	+ 104	169	+ 49	167	+ 64		
September	2	- 17	19	- 31	88	- 12	53	- 34	32	- 58	47	- 29		
October	33	+ 7	131	+ 91	235	+ 149	138	+ 61	114	+ 41	150	+ 84		
November	6	- 47	37	- 36	87	- 35	67	- 48	77	- 28	61	- 39		
December	145	+ 3	145	+ 14	174	- 58	269	+ 62	143	- 72	190	+ 1		
Total year	584	- 477	1,242	- 221	2,139	- 417	1,915	- 368	1,645	- 469	1,672	- 368		

Table 7.8 - Monthly temperatures, 1986

(Degrees Centigrade)

Period	Vacoas (centre) 1,394 ft A.M.S.L.*			Plaisance (Coastal region, 188 ft A.M.S.L.*		
	Maximum Mean	Departure from normal	Minimum Mean	Maximum Mean	Departure from normal	Minimum Mean
January	27.3	0.0	19.9	- 0.3	29.3	0.0
February	27.5	0.0	20.5	- 0.1	29.5	+ 0.3
March	26.7	- 0.6	20.2	- 0.2	29.1	+ 0.1
April	26.5	+ 0.1	18.7	- 0.3	28.7	+ 0.5
May	24.1	- 0.5	17.7	+ 0.1	26.7	+ 0.1
June	22.1	- 0.7	13.9	- 1.9	24.5	- 0.6
July	21.5	- 0.3	13.3	- 2.0	24.2	+ 0.1
August	21.5	+ 0.1	15.1	+ 0.3	24.7	+ 1.0
September	23.3	+ 0.7	15.6	+ 0.4	25.9	+ 1.3
October	24.4	+ 0.5	16.9	+ 0.7	26.7	+ 0.7
November	25.7	+ 0.1	18.3	+ 0.5	28.3	+ 0.7
December	27.4	+ 0.3	20.7	+ 1.4	29.4	+ 0.4

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* Above mean sea level

Source : Meteorological Services