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## FOREWORD

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**Explanation of symbols & abbreviations**

-	Nil
...	Data not available
No.	Number
000	Thousand
t	Ton
m <sup>2</sup>	Square metre
m <sup>3</sup>	Cubic metre
km <sup>2</sup>	Square kilometre
hL	Hectolitre
c.i.f.	Cost, insurance and freight
f.o.b.	Free on board
kW	Kilowatt
kWh	Kilowatt hour
MW	Megawatt
MWh	Megawatt hour
GWh	Million kilowatt hour
toe	Tonne of oil equivalent
ktoe	Thousand tonne of oil equivalent



## SECTION 1 - POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS

**Table 1.1 - Estimated resident population<sup>1</sup> of Mauritius as at 31st December 2007 & 2008**

Year	Island	Both sexes	Male	Female	Area ( km <sup>2</sup> )	Density (persons per km <sup>2</sup> )
2007	Island of Mauritius	1,227,075	606,307	620,768	1,864.8	658
	Island of Rodrigues	37,499	18,530	18,969	104.0	361
	Other islands	289	193	96	71.2	4
	Republic of Mauritius	1,264,863	625,030	639,833	2,040.0	620
2008	Island of Mauritius	1,234,042	609,261	624,781	1,864.8	662
	Island of Rodrigues	37,700	18,630	19,070	104.0	363
	Other islands	289	193	96	71.2	4
	Republic of Mauritius	1,272,031	628,084	643,947	2,040.0	624

**Table 1.2 - Evolution of the resident population of the Republic of Mauritius<sup>2</sup> as from the 2000 census to 1st July 2008**

	Both sexes	Male	Female
Resident population enumerated at 2000 census	<b>1,178,848</b>	583,756	595,092
Plus adjustment for underenumeration of young children	<b>+8,025</b>	+ 4,456	+ 3,569
Plus live births July 00 - June 08	<b>+150,232</b>	+ 76,557	+ 73,675
Minus deaths July 00 - June 08	<b>-67,350</b>	-37,527	-29,823
Plus arrival of residents July 00 - June 08	<b>+1,438,103</b>	+ 780,450	+ 657,653
Minus departure of residents July 00 - June 08	<b>-1,439,293</b>	-781,136	- 658,157
<b>Estimated resident population as at 1st July 2008</b>	<b>1,268,565</b>	<b>626,556</b>	<b>642,009</b>

<sup>1</sup> based on the 2000 population census data adjusted for underenumeration of young children

<sup>2</sup> excluding other islands (Agalega & St. Brandon)

Table 1.3 - Population growth in intercensal periods - Republic of Mauritius<sup>1</sup>, 1851 - 2000

Census date	Republic of Mauritius			Island of Mauritius			Island of Rodrigues		
	Population enumerated at census	Density per km <sup>2</sup>	Average annual rate of increase(%)	Population enumerated at census	Density per km <sup>2</sup>	Average annual rate of increase(%)	Population enumerated at census	Density per km <sup>2</sup>	Average annual rate of increase(%)
20th November 1851	181,318	92	...	180,823	97	2.55	495	5	...
8th April 1861	310,743	158	5.91	310,050	166	5.91	693	7	3.65
11th April 1871	317,150	161	0.20	316,042	169	0.19	1,108	11	4.80
4th April 1881	361,305	184	1.31	359,874	193	1.31	1,431	14	2.59
6th March 1891	372,656	189	0.31	370,588	199	0.29	2,068	20	3.75
1st April 1901	374,185	190	0.04	371,023	199	0.01	3,162	30	4.34
31st March 1911	373,620	190	-0.02	368,791	198	-0.06	4,829	46	4.33
21st May 1921	383,069	195	0.25	376,485	202	0.21	6,584	63	3.15
26th April 1931	401,440	204	0.47	393,238	211	0.44	8,202	79	2.22
11th June 1944	431,070	219	0.55	419,185	225	0.49	11,885	114	2.89
30th June 1952	514,748	261	2.24	501,415	269	2.26	13,333	128	1.45
30th June 1962 <sup>2</sup>	699,954	356	3.12	681,619	366	3.12	18,335	176	3.24
30th June 1972 <sup>2</sup>	850,968	432	1.97	826,199	443	1.94	24,769	238	3.05
2nd July 1983 <sup>2</sup>	999,945	508	1.48	966,863	518	1.44	33,082	318	2.67
1st July 1990 <sup>3</sup>	1,056,660	537	0.79	1,022,456	548	0.80	34,204	329	0.48
1st July 2000 <sup>3</sup>	1,178,848	599	1.10	1,143,069	613	1.12	35,779	344	0.45

<sup>1</sup> excluding Agalega and St Brandon<sup>2</sup> "de facto" population<sup>3</sup> "de jure" population

Table 1.4(a) - Population enumerated at each census by population group and sex - Island of Mauritius, 1846 - 1952

Year of Census	General population			Indo-Mauritian population			Chinese population		
	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female
1846	102,217	55,663	46,554	56,245	48,935	7,310	-	-	-
1851	102,827	55,059	47,768	77,996	64,282	13,714	-	-	-
1861	115,864	59,796	56,068	192,634	141,615	51,019	1,552	1,550	2
1871	97,497	49,487	48,010	216,258	141,804	74,454	2,287	2,284	3
1881	107,323	53,754	53,569	248,993	151,352	97,641	3,558	3,549	9
1891	111,517	55,397	56,120	255,920	147,499	108,421	3,151	3,142	9
1901	108,422	52,995	55,427	259,086	143,100	115,986	3,515	3,457	58
1911	107,432	51,808	55,624	257,697	138,974	118,723	3,662	3,313	349
1921	104,216	49,725	54,491	265,524	139,150	126,374	6,745	5,233	1,512
1931	115,666	54,733	60,933	268,649	139,533	129,116	8,923	6,343	2,580
1944	143,056	67,136	75,920	265,247	136,382	128,865	10,882	6,808	4,074
1952	148,238	70,370	77,868	335,327	171,241	164,086	17,850	10,421	7,429

Note: At the 1962 census each householder was asked for the first time, to state the population group to which each member of his household claimed to belong.

Prior to 1962, it is probable that from one census to another, different criteria have been used in classifying the population by population groups.

Figures are therefore not strictly comparable from one census to another, before 1962.

Table 1.4(b) - Population enumerated at each census by community and sex - Republic of Mauritius<sup>1</sup>, 1962 - 2000

Year of census	Community	Republic of Mauritius			Island of Mauritius			Island of Rodrigues		
		Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female
1962 <sup>2</sup>	Total Population	699,954	351,368	348,586	681,619	342,306	339,313	18,335	9,062	9,273
	Hindu	344,622	174,713	169,909	344,587	174,698	169,889	35	15	20
	Muslim	110,404	56,018	54,386	110,322	55,971	54,351	82	47	35
	Sino-Mauritian	23,436	12,864	10,572	23,058	12,654	10,404	378	210	168
	General Population	221,492	107,773	113,719	203,652	98,983	104,669	17,840	8,790	9,050
1972 <sup>2</sup>	Total Population	850,968	425,850	425,118	826,199	413,580	412,619	24,769	12,270	12,499
	Hindu	428,345	215,752	212,593	428,167	215,654	212,513	178	98	80
	Muslim	137,171	68,834	68,337	137,081	68,789	68,292	90	45	45
	Sino-Mauritian	24,373	13,018	11,355	24,084	12,849	11,235	289	169	120
	General Population	261,079	128,246	132,833	236,867	116,288	120,579	24,212	11,958	12,254
1983 <sup>2</sup>	Total Population	999,945	497,920	502,025	966,863	481,368	485,495	33,082	16,552	16,530
1990 <sup>3</sup>	Total Population	1,056,660	527,760	528,900	1,022,456	510,676	511,780	34,204	17,084	17,120
2000 <sup>3</sup>	Total Population	1,178,848	583,756	595,092	1,143,069	566,056	577,013	35,779	17,700	18,079

1 excluding Agalega and St Brandon

2 "de facto" population

3 "de jure" population

Note: No data on community was collected in 1983, 1990 and 2000

Table 1.5 - Population by geographical district and sex at 1990 &amp; 2000 censuses, and the intercensal increase -

Republic of Mauritius<sup>1</sup>

Geographical district	1990 census <sup>2</sup>			2000 census <sup>2</sup>			Intercensal increase	
	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Number	Annual average (%)
Port Louis	133,073	66,179	66,894	127,855	63,458	64,397	-5,218	-0.40
Pamplemousses	101,666	51,212	50,454	122,252	60,533	61,719	20,586	1.86
Riviere du Rempart	86,779	43,362	43,417	98,854	49,116	49,738	12,075	1.31
Flacq	112,773	56,452	56,321	126,839	63,549	63,290	14,066	1.18
Grand Port	96,667	48,425	48,242	106,665	53,011	53,654	9,998	0.99
Savanne	60,841	30,444	30,397	66,356	32,787	33,569	5,515	0.87
Plaines Wilhems	321,713	160,252	161,461	358,182	175,852	182,330	36,469	1.08
Moka	65,176	32,378	32,798	75,479	37,275	38,204	10,303	1.48
Black River	43,768	21,972	21,796	60,587	30,475	30,112	16,819	3.31
Island of Mauritius	1,022,456	510,676	511,780	1,143,069	566,056	577,013	120,613	1.12
Island of Rodrigues	34,204	17,084	17,120	35,779	17,700	18,079	1,575	0.45
Republic of Mauritius	1,056,660	527,760	528,900	1,178,848	583,756	595,092	122,188	1.10

<sup>1</sup> excluding Agalega and St. Brandon

<sup>2</sup> "de jure" population: not adjusted for underenumeration of young children

**Table 1.6(a) - Estimated resident population<sup>1</sup> by geographical district, sex and density - Republic of Mauritius<sup>2</sup>, 2007 & 2008**  
(Mid - year estimates)

Geographical district	Area (km <sup>2</sup> )	1st July 2007				1st July 2008			
		Both sexes	Male	Female	Density P/km <sup>2</sup>	Both sexes	Male	Female	Density P/km <sup>2</sup>
Port Louis	42.7	130,050	64,394	65,656	3,046	129,874	64,280	65,594	3,042
Pamplemousses	178.7	134,037	66,275	67,762	750	135,394	66,903	68,491	758
Riviere du Rempart	147.6	106,782	52,907	53,875	723	107,683	53,316	54,367	730
Flacq	297.9	137,173	68,543	68,630	460	138,194	69,011	69,183	464
Grand Port	260.3	113,756	56,423	57,333	437	114,436	56,748	57,688	440
Savanne	244.8	69,870	34,662	35,208	285	70,147	34,781	35,366	287
Plaines Wilhems	203.3	379,446	185,640	193,806	1,866	381,394	186,453	194,941	1,876
Moka	230.5	80,171	39,634	40,537	348	80,596	39,823	40,773	350
Black River	259.0	71,804	36,003	35,801	277	73,277	36,677	36,600	283
Island of Mauritius	1,864.8	1,223,089	604,481	618,608	656	1,230,995	607,992	623,003	660
Island of Rodrigues	104.0	37,314	18,445	18,869	359	37,570	18,564	19,006	361
<b>Republic of Mauritius</b>	<b>1,968.8</b>	<b>1,260,403</b>	<b>622,926</b>	<b>637,477</b>	<b>640</b>	<b>1,268,565</b>	<b>626,556</b>	<b>642,009</b>	<b>644</b>

<sup>1</sup> based on the 2000 population census data adjusted for underenumeration of young children. Internal migration within districts is assumed to be the same as the net annual internal migration during 1995 - 2000 (obtained from the 2000 census).

<sup>2</sup> excluding Agalega and St Brandon

**Table 1.6(b) - Estimated resident population<sup>1</sup> by geographical district, sex and density - Republic of Mauritius<sup>2</sup>, 2007 & 2008**  
(End of year estimates)

Geographical district	Area (km <sup>2</sup> )	31st December 2007				31st December 2008			
		Both sexes	Male	Female	Density P/km <sup>2</sup>	Both sexes	Male	Female	Density P/km <sup>2</sup>
Port Louis	42.7	129,945	64,323	65,622	3,043	129,624	64,080	65,544	3,036
Pamplemousses	178.7	134,726	66,601	68,125	754	136,024	67,192	68,832	761
Riviere du Rempart	147.6	107,243	53,118	54,125	727	108,037	53,476	54,561	732
Flacq	297.9	137,692	68,799	68,893	462	138,585	69,195	69,390	465
Grand Port	260.3	114,106	56,594	57,512	438	114,620	56,809	57,811	440
Savanne	244.8	70,020	34,749	35,271	286	70,216	34,815	35,401	287
Plaines Wilhems	203.3	380,463	186,087	194,376	1,871	382,236	186,776	195,460	1,880
Moka	230.5	80,398	39,716	40,682	349	80,789	39,926	40,863	350
Black River	259.0	72,482	36,320	36,162	280	73,911	36,992	36,919	285
Island of Mauritius	1,864.8	1,227,075	606,307	620,768	658	1,234,042	609,261	624,781	662
Island of Rodrigues	104.0	37,499	18,530	18,969	361	37,700	18,630	19,070	363
<b>Republic of Mauritius</b>	<b>1,968.8</b>	<b>1,264,574</b>	<b>624,837</b>	<b>639,737</b>	<b>642</b>	<b>1,271,742</b>	<b>627,891</b>	<b>643,851</b>	<b>646</b>

<sup>1</sup> based on the 2000 population census data adjusted for underenumeration of young children.

<sup>2</sup> Internal migration within districts is assumed to be the same as the net annual internal migration during 1995 - 2000 (obtained from the 2000 census).

<sup>3</sup> excluding Agalega and St. Brandon

**Table 1.7- Population<sup>1</sup> by urban/rural residence and sex at 1990 and 2000 censuses and the intercensal increase - Republic of Mauritius<sup>2</sup>**

Country/Municipal Council Area (MCA) <sup>3</sup>	1990 census <sup>4</sup>			2000 census <sup>4</sup>			Intercensal increase	
	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Number	Annual average(%)
<b>Island of Mauritius</b>	<b>1,022,456</b>	<b>510,676</b>	<b>511,780</b>	<b>1,143,069</b>	<b>566,056</b>	<b>577,013</b>	<b>120,613</b>	<b>1.12</b>
Urban population	414,242	206,104	208,138	503,045	247,844	255,201	88,803	1.96
- <i>Port Louis</i>	(132,460)	(65,873)	(66,587)	(144,303)	(71,720)	(72,583)	(11,843)	(0.86)
- <i>Beau Bassin Rose Hill</i>	(91,518)	(45,497)	(46,021)	(103,872)	(50,730)	(53,142)	(12,354)	(1.27)
- <i>Quatre Bornes</i>	(68,398)	(33,875)	(34,523)	(75,884)	(37,306)	(38,578)	(7,486)	(1.04)
- <i>Vacoas Phoenix</i>	(56,452)	(28,235)	(28,217)	(100,066)	(49,452)	(50,614)	(43,614)	(5.89)
- <i>Curepipe</i>	(65,414)	(32,624)	(32,790)	(78,920)	(38,636)	(40,284)	(13,506)	(1.89)
Rural population	608,214	304,572	303,642	640,024	318,212	321,812	31,810	0.51
<b>Island of Rodrigues</b>	<b>34,204</b>	<b>17,084</b>	<b>17,120</b>	<b>35,779</b>	<b>17,700</b>	<b>18,079</b>	<b>1,575</b>	<b>0.45</b>
Urban population	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural population	34,204	17,084	17,120	35,779	17,700	18,079	1,575	0.45
<b>Republic of Mauritius</b>	<b>1,056,660</b>	<b>527,760</b>	<b>528,900</b>	<b>1,178,848</b>	<b>583,756</b>	<b>595,092</b>	<b>122,188</b>	<b>1.10</b>
Urban population	414,242	206,104	208,138	503,045	247,844	255,201	88,803	1.96
Rural population	642,418	321,656	320,762	675,803	335,912	339,891	33,385	0.51

1 not adjusted for underenumeration of young children

2 excluding Agalega and St Brandon

3 according to proclaimed boundaries, altered in 1963 (Proclamation No. 12 and 13) and subsequently enlarged in 1965 - (Proclamation No. 23) and in 1967 (Proclamation No. 2). Urban population refers to the population in Municipal Council Areas.

4 "de jure" population



**Table 1.8(a) - Estimated resident population<sup>1</sup> by urban/rural residence and sex - Republic of Mauritius<sup>2</sup>, 2007 & 2008**  
( Mid - year estimates)

Country/Municipal Council Area (MCA) <sup>3</sup>	1st July 2007			1st July 2008		
	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female
<b>Island of Mauritius</b>	<b>1,223,089</b>	<b>604,481</b>	<b>618,608</b>	<b>1,230,995</b>	<b>607,992</b>	<b>623,003</b>
Urban population	<b>528,961</b>	259,800	269,161	<b>531,097</b>	260,675	270,422
- <i>Port Louis</i>	<b>(148,877)</b>	(73,822)	(75,055)	<b>(149,054)</b>	(73,876)	(75,178)
- <i>Beau Bassin/Rose Hill</i>	<b>(109,411)</b>	(53,276)	(56,135)	<b>(109,949)</b>	(53,535)	(56,414)
- <i>Quatre Bornes</i>	<b>(80,542)</b>	(39,531)	(41,011)	<b>(81,002)</b>	(39,722)	(41,280)
- <i>Vacoas/Phoenix</i>	<b>(106,574)</b>	(52,437)	(54,137)	<b>(107,175)</b>	(52,694)	(54,481)
- <i>Curepipe</i>	<b>(83,557)</b>	(40,734)	(42,823)	<b>(83,917)</b>	(40,848)	(43,069)
Rural population	<b>694,128</b>	344,681	349,447	<b>699,898</b>	347,317	352,581
<b>Island of Rodrigues</b>	<b>37,314</b>	<b>18,445</b>	<b>18,869</b>	<b>37,570</b>	<b>18,564</b>	<b>19,006</b>
Urban population	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural population	<b>37,314</b>	18,445	18,869	<b>37,570</b>	18,564	19,006
<b>Republic of Mauritius</b>	<b>1,260,403</b>	<b>622,926</b>	<b>637,477</b>	<b>1,268,565</b>	<b>626,556</b>	<b>642,009</b>
Urban population	<b>528,961</b>	259,800	269,161	<b>531,097</b>	260,675	270,422
Rural population	<b>731,442</b>	363,126	368,316	<b>737,468</b>	365,881	371,587

<sup>1</sup> based on 2000 population census data adjusted for underenumeration of young children. Internal migration within towns is assumed to be the same as the net annual migration during 1995 - 2000 (obtained from the 2000 census).

<sup>2</sup> excluding Agalega and St Brandon

<sup>3</sup> according to proclaimed boundaries altered in 1963 (Procl. No. 12,13),1965 (Procl. No. 23), 1967 (Procl. No. 2), 1990 (Procl. No. 8).

**Table 1.8(b) - Estimated resident population<sup>1</sup> by urban/rural residence and sex - Republic of Mauritius<sup>2</sup>, 2007 & 2008**  
(End of year estimates)

Country/Municipal Council Area (MCA) <sup>3</sup>	31st December 2007			31st December 2008		
	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female
<b>Island of Mauritius</b>	<b>1,227,075</b>	<b>606,307</b>	<b>620,768</b>	<b>1,234,042</b>	<b>609,261</b>	<b>624,781</b>
Urban population	530,039	260,255	269,784	531,834	260,863	270,971
- <i>Port Louis</i>	(148,939)	(73,830)	(75,109)	(148,941)	(73,740)	(75,201)
- <i>Beau Bassin Rose Hill</i>	(109,701)	(53,420)	(56,281)	(110,135)	(53,605)	(56,530)
- <i>Quatre Bornes</i>	(80,780)	(39,645)	(41,135)	(81,191)	(39,785)	(41,406)
- <i>Tacoas/Phoenix</i>	(106,865)	(52,561)	(54,304)	(107,478)	(52,828)	(54,650)
- <i>Curepipe</i>	(83,754)	(40,799)	(42,955)	(84,089)	(40,905)	(43,184)
Rural population	697,036	346,052	350,984	(702,208)	348,398	353,810
<b>Island of Rodrigues</b>	<b>37,499</b>	<b>18,530</b>	<b>18,969</b>	<b>37,700</b>	<b>18,630</b>	<b>19,070</b>
Urban population	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural population	37,499	18,530	18,969	37,700	18,630	19,070
<b>Republic of Mauritius</b>	<b>1,264,574</b>	<b>624,837</b>	<b>639,737</b>	<b>1,271,742</b>	<b>627,891</b>	<b>643,851</b>
Urban population	530,039	260,255	269,784	531,834	260,863	270,971
Rural population	734,535	364,582	369,953	739,908	367,028	372,880

<sup>1</sup> based on 2000 census data adjusted for underenumeration of young children. Internal migration within towns is assumed to be the same as the net annual internal migration during 1995 - 2000 (obtained from the 2000 census).

<sup>2</sup> excluding Agalega and St. Brandon

<sup>3</sup> according to proclaimed boundaries altered in 1963 (Procl. No. 12,13), 1965 (Procl. No. 23), 1967 (Procl. No. 2), 1990 (Procl. No. 8).

Table 1.9(a) - Age distribution of the population as enumerated at the 1990 and 2000 censuses - Republic of Mauritius<sup>1</sup>

Age group (Years)	1 9 9 0 <sup>2</sup>				2 0 0 0 <sup>2</sup>			
	Male	Female	Both sexes		Male	Female	Both sexes	
			Number	%			Number	%
0	10,490	10,262	20,752	2.0	9,574	9,341	18,915	1.6
1 - 4	38,330	37,637	75,967	7.2	38,066	37,322	75,388	6.4
5 - 9	52,501	50,981	103,482	9.8	53,037	52,152	105,189	8.9
10 - 14	57,171	56,102	113,273	10.7	49,428	48,312	97,740	8.3
15 - 19	49,238	47,964	97,202	9.2	51,671	50,417	102,088	8.7
20 - 24	52,426	50,238	102,664	9.7	55,108	55,784	110,892	9.4
25 - 29	53,689	51,893	105,582	10.0	46,749	47,048	93,797	8.0
30 - 34	47,714	45,875	93,589	8.9	49,964	49,551	99,515	8.4
35 - 39	41,284	39,925	81,209	7.7	51,621	50,325	101,946	8.6
40 - 44	30,126	30,309	60,435	5.7	45,798	44,608	90,406	7.7
45 - 49	21,908	22,802	44,710	4.2	39,133	38,798	77,931	6.6
50 - 54	18,462	19,576	38,038	3.6	27,790	29,149	56,939	4.8
55 - 59	15,688	16,475	32,163	3.0	19,228	21,263	40,491	3.4
60 - 64	14,758	16,088	30,846	2.9	15,301	17,796	33,097	2.8
65 - 69	11,301	12,952	24,253	2.3	11,758	14,010	25,768	2.2
70 - 74	6,480	8,269	14,749	1.4	9,491	12,203	21,694	1.9
75 - 79	3,904	6,071	9,975	0.9	6,047	8,863	14,910	1.3
80 - 84	1,566	3,210	4,776	0.5	2,584	4,548	7,132	0.6
85 +	694	2,229	2,923	0.3	1,363	3,528	4,891	0.4
Age unknown	30	42	72	0.0	45	74	119	0.0
<b>All ages</b>	<b>527,760</b>	<b>528,900</b>	<b>1,056,660</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>583,756</b>	<b>595,092</b>	<b>1,178,848</b>	<b>100.0</b>

<sup>1</sup> excluding Agalega and St Brandon

<sup>2</sup> 'de jure' population; not adjusted for underenumeration of young children

**Table 1.9(b) - Age distribution of the population as enumerated at the 1990 and 2000 censuses - Island of Mauritius**

Age group (Years)	1 9 9 0 <sup>1</sup>				2 0 0 0 <sup>1</sup>			
	Male	Female	Both sexes		Male	Female	Both sexes	
			Number	%			Number	%
0	10,088	9,908	19,996	2.0	9,163	8,965	18,128	1.6
1 - 4	36,743	36,039	72,782	7.1	36,697	35,910	72,607	6.3
5 - 9	50,011	48,443	98,454	9.6	51,229	50,271	101,500	8.9
10 - 14	54,708	53,684	108,392	10.6	47,438	46,410	93,848	8.2
15 - 19	47,231	45,982	93,213	9.1	49,447	48,126	97,573	8.5
20 - 24	50,784	48,694	99,478	9.7	53,325	53,993	107,318	9.4
25 - 29	52,451	50,576	103,027	10.1	45,390	45,656	91,046	8.0
30 - 34	46,603	44,800	91,403	8.9	48,739	48,307	97,046	8.5
35 - 39	40,437	39,142	79,579	7.8	50,503	49,151	99,654	8.7
40 - 44	29,457	29,689	59,146	5.8	44,739	43,568	88,307	7.7
45 - 49	21,219	22,102	43,321	4.2	38,340	38,069	76,409	6.7
50 - 54	17,892	18,974	36,866	3.6	27,168	28,556	55,724	4.9
55 - 59	15,219	16,016	31,235	3.1	18,623	20,647	39,270	3.4
60 - 64	14,426	15,747	30,173	3.0	14,808	17,248	32,056	2.8
65 - 69	11,062	12,698	23,760	2.3	11,404	13,602	25,006	2.2
70 - 74	6,307	8,040	14,347	1.4	9,267	11,954	21,221	1.9
75 - 79	3,815	5,924	9,739	1.0	5,905	8,681	14,586	1.3
80 - 84	1,514	3,110	4,624	0.4	2,506	4,416	6,922	0.6
85 +	680	2,172	2,852	0.3	1,324	3,410	4,734	0.4
Age unknown	29	40	69	0.0	41	73	114	0.0
<b>All ages</b>	<b>510,676</b>	<b>511,780</b>	<b>1,022,456</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>566,056</b>	<b>577,013</b>	<b>1,143,069</b>	<b>100.0</b>

<sup>1</sup> De jure population; not adjusted for underenumeration of young children

Table 1.9(c) - Age distribution of the population as enumerated at the 1990 and 2000 censuses - Island of Rodrigues

Age group (Years)	1 9 9 0 <sup>1</sup>			2 0 0 0 <sup>1</sup>		
	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes
			Number			%
0	402	354	756	411	376	787
1 - 4	1,587	1,598	3,185	1,369	1,412	2,781
5 - 9	2,490	2,538	5,028	1,808	1,881	3,689
10 - 14	2,463	2,418	4,881	1,990	1,902	3,892
15 - 19	2,007	1,982	3,989	2,224	2,291	4,515
20 - 24	1,642	1,544	3,186	1,783	1,791	3,574
25 - 29	1,238	1,317	2,555	1,359	1,392	2,751
30 - 34	1,111	1,075	2,186	1,225	1,244	2,469
35 - 39	847	783	1,630	1,118	1,174	2,292
40 - 44	669	620	1,289	1,059	1,040	2,099
45 - 49	689	700	1,389	793	729	1,522
50 - 54	570	602	1,172	622	593	1,215
55 - 59	469	459	928	605	616	1,221
60 - 64	332	341	673	493	548	1,041
65 - 69	239	254	493	354	408	762
70 - 74	173	229	402	224	249	473
75 - 79	89	147	236	142	182	324
80 - 84	52	100	152	78	132	210
85 +	14	57	71	39	118	157
Age unknown	1	2	3	4	1	5
All ages	17,084	17,120	34,204	17,700	18,079	35,779
			100.0			100.0
						100.0

<sup>1</sup> 'de jure' population

**Table 1.10(a) - Estimated resident population<sup>1</sup> by age-group and sex - Republic of Mauritius<sup>2</sup>, 2007 & 2008**  
(Mid - year estimates)

Age group (Years)	1st July 2007				1st July 2008			
	Male	Female	Both sexes		Male	Female	Both sexes	
			Number	%			Number	%
0	8,727	8,255	16,982	1.3	8,303	8,194	16,497	1.3
1 - 4	38,212	36,933	75,145	6.0	37,040	35,426	72,466	5.7
5 - 9	49,883	47,912	97,795	7.7	49,806	48,033	97,839	7.7
10 - 14	52,387	51,902	104,289	8.3	51,210	50,411	101,621	8.0
15 - 19	53,496	51,658	105,154	8.3	54,815	53,150	107,965	8.5
20 - 24	47,412	46,405	93,817	7.4	47,158	46,177	93,335	7.4
25 - 29	56,477	56,741	113,218	9.0	55,337	55,152	110,489	8.7
30 - 34	48,470	49,183	97,653	7.7	50,776	51,967	102,743	8.1
35 - 39	46,420	47,054	93,474	7.4	45,007	45,404	90,411	7.1
40 - 44	51,210	50,807	102,017	8.1	50,706	50,966	101,672	8.0
45 - 49	45,673	45,877	91,550	7.3	46,988	46,950	93,938	7.4
50 - 54	39,446	39,753	79,199	6.3	40,023	40,567	80,590	6.4
55 - 59	31,005	33,025	64,030	5.1	33,083	34,773	67,856	5.4
60 - 64	19,085	22,081	41,166	3.3	20,743	24,018	44,761	3.5
65 - 69	13,118	16,084	29,202	2.3	13,091	16,192	29,283	2.3
70 - 74	10,102	13,444	23,546	1.9	10,339	13,794	24,133	1.9
75 - 79	6,048	9,220	15,268	1.2	6,154	9,288	15,442	1.2
80 - 84	4,025	6,879	10,904	0.9	4,147	7,166	11,313	0.9
85 +	1,730	4,264	5,994	0.5	1,830	4,381	6,211	0.5
<b>All ages</b>	<b>622,926</b>	<b>637,477</b>	<b>1,260,403</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>626,556</b>	<b>642,009</b>	<b>1,268,565</b>	<b>100.0</b>

<sup>1</sup> based on 2000 population census data adjusted for underenumeration of young children (4,456 males and 3,569 females at ages 0 - 9 years)

<sup>2</sup> excluding Agalega and St Brandon

**Table 1.10(b) - Estimated resident population<sup>1</sup> by age group and sex - Island of Mauritius, 2007 & 2008**  
(Mid - year estimates)

Age group (Years)	1st July 2007			1st July 2008			
	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	
			Number			Number	%
0	8,302	7,821	16,123	7,903	7,799	15,702	1.3
1 - 4	36,472	35,261	71,733	35,303	33,732	69,035	5.6
5 - 9	47,956	46,099	94,055	47,784	46,145	93,929	7.6
10 - 14	50,646	50,090	100,736	49,476	48,638	98,114	8.0
15 - 19	51,553	49,755	101,308	52,919	51,249	104,168	8.4
20 - 24	45,495	44,470	89,965	45,288	44,317	89,605	7.3
25 - 29	54,769	54,978	109,747	53,548	53,279	106,827	8.7
30 - 34	47,433	48,026	95,459	49,718	50,782	100,500	8.2
35 - 39	45,536	46,076	91,612	44,174	44,480	88,654	7.2
40 - 44	50,248	49,785	100,033	49,755	49,971	99,726	8.1
45 - 49	44,665	44,894	89,559	45,988	45,948	91,936	7.5
50 - 54	38,548	38,971	77,519	39,054	39,705	78,759	6.4
55 - 59	30,389	32,396	62,785	32,462	34,152	66,614	5.4
60 - 64	18,552	21,505	40,057	20,217	23,459	43,676	3.5
65 - 69	12,651	15,551	28,202	12,613	15,659	28,272	2.3
70 - 74	9,780	13,082	22,862	10,010	13,371	23,381	1.9
75 - 79	5,865	8,978	14,843	5,948	9,047	14,995	1.2
80 - 84	3,954	6,746	10,700	4,068	7,031	11,099	0.9
85 +	1,667	4,124	5,791	1,764	4,239	6,003	0.5
<b>All ages</b>	<b>604,481</b>	<b>618,608</b>	<b>1,223,089</b>	<b>607,992</b>	<b>623,003</b>	<b>1,230,995</b>	<b>100.0</b>

<sup>1</sup> based on 2000 population census data adjusted for underenumeration of young children ( 4,456 males and 3,569 females at ages 0-9 years)

**Table 1.11(a) - Distribution of the resident population<sup>1</sup> by selected age group and sex - Republic of Mauritius<sup>2</sup>, 2007 & 2008**  
(Mid - year estimates)

Age group (Years)	1st July 2007				1st July 2008			
	Male	Female	Both sexes		Male	Female	Both sexes	
			Number	%			Number	%
Under 5	46,939	45,188	92,127	7.3	45,343	43,620	88,963	7.0
5 - 11	69,885	67,696	137,581	10.9	69,681	67,500	137,181	10.8
12 - 19	85,881	83,776	169,657	13.5	86,150	84,094	170,244	13.4
16 - 18	32,250	31,173	63,423	5.0	33,388	32,034	65,422	5.2
Under 15	149,209	145,002	294,211	23.3	146,359	142,064	288,423	22.7
Under 18	182,614	177,042	359,656	28.5	180,062	174,755	354,817	28.0
Under 21	211,955	205,848	417,803	33.1	210,922	204,783	415,705	32.8
15 - 49	349,158	347,725	696,883	55.3	350,787	349,766	700,553	55.2
15 - 59	419,609	420,503	840,112	66.7	423,893	425,106	848,999	66.9
15 - 64	438,694	442,584	881,278	69.9	444,636	449,124	893,760	70.5
15 & over	473,717	492,475	966,192	76.7	480,197	499,945	980,142	77.3
18 & over	440,312	460,435	900,747	71.5	446,494	467,254	913,748	72.0
21 & over	410,971	431,629	842,600	66.9	415,634	437,226	852,860	67.2
60 & over	54,108	71,972	126,080	10.0	56,304	74,839	131,143	10.3
65 & over	35,023	49,891	84,914	6.7	35,561	50,821	86,382	6.8
All ages	622,926	637,477	1,260,403	100.0	626,556	642,009	1,268,565	100.0
Mean age	32.1	33.6	32.8		32.4	33.9	33.2	
Median age	30.5	31.9	31.2		30.9	32.4	31.7	
Dependency ratio <sup>3</sup>	420.0	440.4	430.2		409.1	429.5	419.4	

1 based on 2000 population census data adjusted for underenumeration of young children (4,456 males and 3,569 females at ages 0-9 years)

2 excluding Agalega and St Brandon

3 the combined child population (under 15 years) and population aged 65 years and over per 1,000 population of intermediate age (15-64 years)



Table 1.11(b) - Distribution of the resident population<sup>1</sup> by selected age group and sex - Island of Mauritius, 2007 & 2008

(Mid - year estimates)

Age group (Years)	1st July 2007			1st July 2008				
	Male	Female	Both sexes		Male	Female	Both sexes	
			Number	%			Number	%
Under 5	44,774	43,082	87,856	7.2	43,206	41,531	84,737	6.9
5 - 11	67,283	65,178	132,461	10.8	66,992	64,941	131,933	10.7
12 - 19	82,872	80,766	163,638	13.4	83,187	81,091	164,278	13.3
16 - 18	31,040	30,024	61,064	5.0	32,240	30,920	63,160	5.1
Under 15	143,376	139,271	282,647	23.1	140,466	136,314	276,780	22.5
Under 18	175,632	170,200	345,832	28.3	173,093	167,866	340,959	27.7
Under 21	203,795	197,844	401,639	32.8	202,755	196,758	399,513	32.5
15 - 49	339,699	337,984	677,683	55.4	341,390	340,026	681,416	55.4
15 - 59	408,636	409,351	817,987	66.9	412,906	413,883	826,789	67.2
15 - 64	427,188	430,856	858,044	70.2	433,123	437,342	870,465	70.7
15 & over	461,105	479,337	940,442	76.9	467,526	486,689	954,215	77.5
18 & over	428,849	448,408	877,257	71.7	434,899	455,137	890,036	72.3
21 & over	400,686	420,764	821,450	67.2	405,237	426,245	831,482	67.5
60 & over	52,469	69,986	122,455	10.0	54,620	72,806	127,426	10.4
65 & over	33,917	48,481	82,398	6.7	34,403	49,347	83,750	6.8
All ages	<b>604,481</b>	<b>618,608</b>	<b>1,223,089</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>607,992</b>	<b>623,003</b>	<b>1,230,995</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Mean age	32.2	33.7	33.0		32.5	34.1	33.3	
Median age	30.7	32.2	31.5		31.2	32.6	31.9	
Dependency ratio <sup>2</sup>	415.0	435.8	425.4		403.7	424.5	414.2	

<sup>1</sup> based on 2000 population census data adjusted for underenumeration of young children ( 4,456 males and 3,569 females at ages 0-9 years)

<sup>2</sup> the combined child population (under 15 years) and population aged 65 years and over per 1,000 population of intermediate age (15-64 years)

Table 1.12(a) - Growth of the resident population and vital statistics - Republic of Mauritius<sup>1</sup>, 1999 - 2008

Year	Population at beginning of year	Natural movement			Net international migration	Total increase	% change during the year due to:			Population at end of year
		Live births	Deaths	Natural increase			Natural increase	International migration	Total	
1999	1,166,902	20,311	7,944	12,367	+1092	13,459	1.06	+0.09	1.15	1,180,361
2000	1,180,361	20,205	7,982	12,223	+591	12,814	1.04	+0.05	1.09	1,193,175
2001	1,193,175	19,696	7,983	11,713	+500	12,213	0.98	+0.04	1.02	1,205,388
2002	1,205,388	19,983	8,310	11,673	-569	11,104	0.97	-0.05	0.92	1,216,492
2003	1,216,492	19,343	8,520	10,823	+524	11,347	0.89	+0.04	0.93	1,227,839
2004	1,227,839	19,230	8,475	10,755	-822	9,933	0.88	-0.07	0.81	1,237,772
2005	1,237,772	18,820	8,646	10,174	+350	10,524	0.82	+0.03	0.85	1,248,296
2006	1,248,296	17,604	9,162	8,442	-300	8,142	0.68	-0.02	0.66	1,256,438
2007	1,256,438	17,034	8,498	8,536	-400	8,136	0.68	-0.03	0.65	1,264,574
2008	1,264,574	16,372	9,004	7,368	-200	7,168	0.58	-0.02	0.56	1,271,742

<sup>1</sup> excluding Agalga and Saint Brandon

Table 1.12(b) - Growth of the resident population and vital statistics - Island of Mauritius, 1999 - 2008

Year	Population at beginning of year	Natural movement			Net migration	Total increase	% change during the year due to:			Population at end of year
		Live births	Deaths	Natural increase			Natural increase	Migration	Total	
1999	1,131,491	19,543	7,791	11,752	+1478	13,230	1.04	+0.13	1.17	1,144,721
2000	1,144,721	19,398	7,806	11,592	+977	12,569	1.01	+0.09	1.10	1,157,290
2001	1,157,290	18,884	7,761	11,123	+890	12,013	0.96	+0.08	1.04	1,169,303
2002	1,169,303	19,169	8,081	11,088	-202	10,886	0.95	-0.02	0.93	1,180,189
2003	1,180,189	18,518	8,310	10,208	+939	11,147	0.86	+0.08	0.94	1,191,336
2004	1,191,336	18,285	8,259	10,026	-362	9,664	0.84	-0.03	0.81	1,201,000
2005	1,201,000	17,924	8,422	9,502	+800	10,302	0.79	+0.07	0.86	1,211,302
2006	1,211,302	16,723	8,917	7,806	+100	7,906	0.64	+0.01	0.65	1,219,208
2007	1,219,208	16,190	8,323	7,867	0	7,867	0.65	0.00	0.65	1,227,075
2008	1,227,075	15,590	8,798	6,792	+175	6,967	0.55	+0.01	0.56	1,234,042

Table 1.12(c) - Growth of the resident population and vital statistics - Island of Rodrigues, 1999 - 2008

Year	Population at beginning of year	Natural movement			Net migration	Total increase	% change during the year due to:			Population at end of year
		Live births	Deaths	Natural increase			Natural increase	Migration	Total	
1999	35,411	768	153	615	-386	229	1.74	-1.09	0.65	35,640
2000	35,640	807	176	631	-386	245	1.77	-1.08	0.69	35,885
2001	35,885	812	222	590	-390	200	1.64	-1.09	0.55	36,085
2002	36,085	814	229	585	-367	218	1.62	-1.02	0.60	36,303
2003	36,303	825	210	615	-415	200	1.69	-1.14	0.55	36,503
2004	36,503	945	216	729	-460	269	2.00	-1.26	0.74	36,772
2005	36,772	896	224	672	-450	222	1.83	-1.22	0.61	36,994
2006	36,994	881	245	636	-400	236	1.72	-1.08	0.64	37,230
2007	37,230	844	175	669	-400	269	1.80	-1.07	0.73	37,499
2008	37,499	782	206	576	-375	201	1.54	-1.00	0.54	37,700

**Table 1.13 - Rate of increase of the population of Mauritius compared with other countries, 2000 - 2005**

Continent & Country	Annual rate of increase 2000 - 2005 (%)	Continent & Country	Annual rate of increase 2000 - 2005 (%)
<b>AFRICA</b>		<b>ASIA</b>	
Republic of Mauritius:	0.9	China	0.6
( Island of Mauritius)	(0.9)	India	1.6
(Island of Rodrigues)	(0.6)	Sri Lanka	0.3
Reunion	1.5		
Senegal	2.8		
<b>AMERICA</b>		<b>EUROPE</b>	
Canada	1.0	Belgium	0.4
Jamaica	0.5	France	0.6
U.S.A.	1.0	Hungary	0.1
		Italy	0.6
<b>OCEANIA</b>			
Australia	1.3		
New Zealand	1.2		

Source:

United Nations Demographic Yearbook 2005(except for the Republic of Mauritius and its constituent islands).

**Table 1.14 - Expectation of life in years at selected ages at each census, Republic of Mauritius, 1971 - 2001**

Exact age (Years)	Male				Female			
	1971 - 1973 <sup>1</sup>	1982 - 1984	July 89- June 91	July 99 - June 01	1971 - 1973 <sup>1</sup>	1982 - 1984	July 89 - June 91	July 99 - June 01
0	61.0	64.4	65.6	68.2	65.9	71.7	73.4	75.3
10	56.7	56.8	57.5	59.7	61.5	63.9	65.0	66.5
20	47.3	47.2	47.8	50.0	52.0	54.3	55.3	56.7
30	37.9	37.8	38.3	40.6	42.9	44.9	45.8	47.1
40	28.8	28.8	29.4	31.5	34.0	35.5	36.3	37.5
50	20.5	20.7	21.4	23.3	25.3	26.5	27.3	28.4
60	13.5	13.8	14.8	16.1	17.5	18.4	19.1	20.3
70	8.5	8.5	9.6	10.6	10.9	11.6	12.3	13.3
80	5.7	4.8	5.8	6.5	6.6	6.9	7.4	8.1

<sup>1</sup> revised

**Table 1.15(a) - Population<sup>1/</sup> and vital statistics - Republic of Mauritius<sup>2/</sup>, 1974 - 2008**

Period	Population at mid- year	Live births	Deaths	Infant deaths	Still births	Civil marriages	Divorces <sup>3</sup>
1974	880,650	24,002	6,424	1,113	879	6,905	117
1975	892,045	22,557	7,201	1,130	932	7,069	110
1976	903,610	23,274	6,968	936	808	8,451	98
1977	918,005	23,859	7,154	1,087	742	8,632	197
1978	933,499	25,278	6,596	876	680	10,741	255
1979	949,888	26,163	6,871	891	668	9,327	265
1980	966,039	26,294	6,919	864	662	8,894	351
1981	980,462	24,967	6,653	884	590	8,406	305
1982	992,521	22,459	6,584	682	458	10,768	312
1983	1,001,691	21,073	6,532	570	403	10,255	361
1984	1,012,221	20,332	6,646	505	404	10,865	471
1985	1,020,528	19,376	6,906	487	383	11,245	460
1986	1,028,360	19,170	6,805	524	365	10,556	616
1987	1,036,082	20,033	6,753	504	363	11,392	842
1988	1,043,239	20,941	6,879	471	374	11,453	740
1989	1,051,260	21,822	7,149	498	415	11,197	711
1990	1,058,775	22,602	7,031	462	365	11,425	549
1991	1,070,266	22,197	7,027	413	400	11,295	707
1992	1,084,441	22,902	7,023	426	291	11,408	781
1993	1,097,374	22,329	7,433	438	337	11,576	762
1994	1,112,846	21,795	7,402	394	274	11,414	733
1995	1,122,457	20,549	7,465	404	299	10,624	801
1996	1,133,996	20,763	7,670	459	266	10,700	792
1997	1,148,284	20,012	7,986	406	257	10,887	891
1998	1,160,421	19,434	7,839	376	227	10,898	1,012
1999	1,175,267	20,311	7,944	396	226	11,295	1,150
2000	1,186,873	20,205	7,982	322	266	10,963	1,191
2001	1,199,881	19,696	7,983	282	244	10,635	1,512
2002	1,210,196	19,983	8,310	297	203	10,484	1,291
2003	1,222,811	19,343	8,520	250	220	10,812	1,190
2004	1,233,386	19,230	8,475	277	191	11,385	1,162
2005	1,243,253	18,820	8,646	248	185	11,294	1,133
2006	1,252,698	17,604	9,162	249	147	11,471	1,379
2007	1,260,403	17,034	8,498	261	172	11,547	1,302
2008	1,268,565	16,372	9,004	236	165	11,197	1,569

1 Figures for 1991 - 1999 have been revised in the light of the 2000 census data

2 Excluding Agalega & Saint Brandon

3 Source: Judicial Department

Note: The increase in the number of civil marriages as from 1982 is due largely to improved registration of religious marriages with the coming into force of a new Civil Status Act as from January, 1982.

**Table 1.15(b) - Population<sup>1/</sup> and vital statistics - Island of Mauritius, 1967 - 2008**

Period	Population at mid-period	Live births	Deaths	Infant deaths	Still births	Civil marriages
1967	767,782	23,499	6,543	1,656	1,074	3,949
1968	781,615	24,413	7,126	1,688	1,110	3,974
1969	792,893	21,719	6,428	1,528	951	3,882
1970	805,489	21,623	6,309	1,232	857	4,499
1971	816,561	20,834	6,248	1,077	842	4,346
1972	826,199	20,496	6,506	1,308	718	5,082
1973	846,089	18,974	6,525	1,201	678	5,533
1974	857,063	22,938	6,221	1,045	854	6,771
1975	867,824	21,492	6,967	1,046	896	6,888
1976	879,193	22,250	6,815	900	784	8,262
1977	893,069	22,730	6,966	1,023	712	8,421
1978	907,779	24,250	6,400	823	653	10,532
1979	922,807	25,056	6,625	824	650	9,080
1980	937,886	24,983	6,685	808	623	8,629
1981	950,785	23,670	6,404	795	553	8,169
1982	960,994	21,247	6,385	624	438	10,597
1983	968,609	19,948	6,322	511	379	10,067
1984	978,658	19,222	6,417	444	388	10,638
1985	986,520	18,520	6,691	441	368	11,088
1986	994,319	18,225	6,622	480	342	10,337
1987	1,001,607	19,151	6,581	463	344	11,201
1988	1,009,332	20,057	6,699	441	351	11,283
1989	1,017,307	20,955	6,946	452	399	11,040
1990	1,024,571	21,799	6,854	434	348	11,252
1991	1,035,936	21,436	6,815	388	386	11,146
1992	1,049,988	22,170	6,866	408	286	11,246
1993	1,062,855	21,667	7,275	424	333	11,383
1994	1,078,148	21,050	7,234	379	271	11,212
1995	1,087,636	19,824	7,298	388	297	10,430
1996	1,099,057	20,049	7,508	445	264	10,502
1997	1,113,144	19,331	7,798	393	253	10,654
1998	1,125,118	18,744	7,651	364	221	10,650
1999	1,139,718	19,543	7,791	375	219	11,072
2000	1,151,094	19,398	7,806	306	263	10,720
2001	1,163,875	18,884	7,761	263	234	10,414
2002	1,174,021	19,169	8,081	278	197	10,253
2003	1,186,363	18,518	8,310	230	205	10,556
2004	1,196,696	18,285	8,259	256	167	11,138
2005	1,206,346	17,924	8,422	237	173	11,076
2006	1,215,619	16,723	8,917	225	135	11,262
2007	1,223,089	16,190	8,323	248	157	11,361
2008	1,230,995	15,590	8,798	223	159	11,012

<sup>1/</sup> figures for 1991 - 1999 have been revised in the light of the 2000 Population Census data

Note: The increase in the number of civil marriages as from 1982 is due largely to improved registration of religious marriages with the coming into force of a new Civil Status Act as from January 1982.

**Table 1.15(c) - Population<sup>1/</sup> and vital statistics - Island of Rodrigues, 1974 - 2008**

<b>Period</b>	<b>Population at mid- year</b>	<b>Live births</b>	<b>Deaths</b>	<b>Infant deaths</b>	<b>Still births</b>	<b>Civil marriages</b>
1974	23,587	1,064	203	68	25	134
1975	24,221	1,065	234	84	36	181
1976	24,417	1,024	153	36	24	189
1977	24,936	1,129	188	64	30	211
1978	25,720	1,028	196	53	27	209
1979	27,081	1,107	246	67	18	247
1980	28,153	1,311	234	56	39	265
1981	29,677	1,297	249	89	37	237
1982	31,527	1,212	199	58	20	171
1983	33,082	1,125	210	59	24	188
1984	33,563	1,110	229	61	16	227
1985	34,008	856	215	46	15	157
1986	34,041	945	183	44	23	219
1987	34,475	882	172	41	19	191
1988	33,907	884	180	30	23	170
1989	33,953	867	203	46	16	157
1990	34,204	803	177	28	17	173
1991	34,330	761	212	25	14	149
1992	34,453	732	157	18	5	162
1993	34,519	662	158	14	4	193
1994	34,698	745	168	15	3	202
1995	34,821	725	167	16	2	194
1996	34,939	714	162	14	2	198
1997	35,140	681	188	13	4	233
1998	35,303	690	188	12	6	248
1999	35,549	768	153	21	7	223
2000	35,779	807	176	16	3	243
2001	36,006	812	222	19	10	221
2002	36,175	814	229	19	6	231
2003	36,448	825	210	20	15	256
2004	36,690	945	216	21	24	247
2005	36,907	896	224	11	12	218
2006	37,079	881	245	24	12	209
2007	37,314	844	175	13	15	186
2008	37,570	782	206	13	6	185

<sup>1/</sup> figures for 1991 -1999 have been revised in the light of the 2000 Population Census data



**Table 1.16(a) - Population<sup>1/</sup> and vital statistics rates - Republic of Mauritius<sup>2/</sup>, 1974 - 2008**

Period	Population at mid-year	Crude birth rate	Crude Death rate	Infant mortality rate <sup>3</sup>	Still birth rate <sup>4</sup>	Marriage rate <sup>5</sup>	Divorce rate <sup>6</sup>
1974	880.650	27.3	7.3	46.4	35.3	15.7	0.3
1975	892.045	25.3	8.1	50.1	39.7	15.8	0.2
1976	903.610	25.8	7.7	40.2	33.6	18.7	0.2
1977	918.005	26.0	7.8	45.6	30.2	18.8	0.4
1978	933.499	27.1	7.1	34.7	26.2	23.0	0.5
1979	949.888	27.5	7.2	34.1	24.9	19.6	0.6
1980	966.039	27.2	7.2	32.9	24.6	18.4	0.7
1981	980.462	25.5	6.8	35.4	23.1	17.1	0.6
1982	992.521	22.6	6.6	30.4	20.0	21.7	0.6
1983	1,001.691	21.0	6.5	27.0	18.8	20.5	0.7
1984	1,012.221	20.1	6.6	24.8	19.5	21.5	0.9
1985	1,020.528	19.0	6.8	25.1	19.4	22.0	0.9
1986	1,028.360	18.6	6.6	27.3	18.7	20.5	1.2
1987	1,036.082	19.3	6.5	25.2	17.8	22.0	1.6
1988	1,043.239	20.1	6.6	22.5	17.5	22.0	1.4
1989	1,051.260	20.8	6.8	22.8	18.7	21.3	1.4
1990	1,058.775	21.3	6.6	20.4	15.9	21.6	1.0
1991	1,070.266	20.7	6.6	18.6	17.7	21.1	1.3
1992	1,084.441	21.1	6.5	18.6	12.5	21.0	1.4
1993	1,097.374	20.3	6.8	19.6	14.9	21.1	1.4
1994	1,112.846	19.6	6.7	18.1	12.4	20.5	1.3
1995	1,122.457	18.3	6.7	19.7	14.3	18.9	1.4
1996	1,133.996	18.3	6.8	22.1	12.6	18.9	1.4
1997	1,148.284	17.4	7.0	20.3	12.7	19.0	1.6
1998	1,160.421	16.7	6.8	19.3	11.5	18.8	1.7
1999	1,175.267	17.3	6.8	19.5	11.0	19.2	2.0
2000	1,186.873	17.0	6.7	15.9	13.0	18.5	2.0
2001	1,199.881	16.4	6.7	14.3	12.2	17.7	2.5
2002	1,210.196	16.5	6.9	14.9	10.1	17.3	2.1
2003	1,222.811	15.8	7.0	12.9	11.2	17.7	1.9
2004	1,233.386	15.6	6.9	14.4	9.8	18.5	1.9
2005	1,243.253	15.1	7.0	13.2	9.7	18.2	1.8
2006	1,252.698	14.1	7.3	14.1	8.3	18.3	2.2
2007	1,260.403	13.5	6.7	15.3	10.0	18.3	2.1
2008	1,268.565	12.9	7.1	14.4	10.0	17.7	2.5

1 figures for 1991 - 1999 have been revised in the light of the 2000 Population Census data

2 excluding Agalega and Saint Brandon

3 deaths of children under 1 year of age per 1,000 live births

4 still births per 1,000 total births (live births and still births)

5 the number of persons civilly married in a year per 1,000 mid-year population

6 the number of persons divorced in a year per 1,000 mid-year population

**Table 1.16(b) - Population<sup>1/</sup> and vital statistics rates - Island of Mauritius, 1967 - 2008**

Period	Population at mid-period	Crude birth rate	Crude Death rate	Infant mortality rate	Still birth rate	Marriage rate <sup>4</sup>
1967	767,782	30.6	8.5	70.5	43.7	10.3
1968	781,615	31.2	9.1	69.1	43.5	10.2
1969	792,893	27.4	8.1	70.4	41.9	9.8
1970	805,489	26.8	7.8	57.0	38.1	11.2
1971	816,561	25.5	7.7	51.7	38.8	10.6
1972	826,199	24.8	7.9	63.8	33.8	12.3
1973	846,089	22.4	7.7	63.3	34.5	13.1
1974	857,063	26.8	7.3	45.6	35.9	15.8
1975	867,824	24.8	8.0	48.7	40.0	15.9
1976	879,193	25.3	7.8	40.4	34.0	18.8
1977	893,069	25.5	7.8	45.0	30.4	18.9
1978	907,779	26.7	7.1	33.9	26.2	23.2
1979	922,807	27.2	7.2	32.9	25.3	19.7
1980	937,886	26.6	7.1	32.3	24.3	18.4
1981	950,785	24.9	6.7	33.6	22.8	17.2
1982	960,994	22.1	6.6	29.4	20.2	22.1
1983	968,609	20.6	6.5	25.6	18.6	20.8
1984	978,658	19.6	6.6	23.1	19.8	21.7
1985	986,520	18.8	6.8	23.8	19.5	22.5
1986	994,319	18.3	6.7	26.3	18.4	20.8
1987	1,001,607	19.1	6.6	24.2	17.6	22.4
1988	1,009,332	19.9	6.6	22.0	17.2	22.4
1989	1,017,307	20.6	6.8	21.6	18.7	21.7
1990	1,024,571	21.3	6.7	19.9	15.7	22.0
1991	1,035,936	20.7	6.6	18.1	17.7	21.5
1992	1,049,988	21.1	6.5	18.4	12.7	21.4
1993	1,062,855	20.4	6.8	19.6	15.1	21.4
1994	1,078,148	19.5	6.7	18.0	12.7	20.8
1995	1,087,636	18.2	6.7	19.6	14.8	19.2
1996	1,099,057	18.2	6.8	22.2	13.0	19.1
1997	1,113,144	17.4	7.0	20.3	12.9	19.1
1998	1,125,118	16.7	6.8	19.4	11.7	18.9
1999	1,139,718	17.1	6.8	19.2	11.1	19.4
2000	1,151,094	16.9	6.8	15.8	13.4	18.6
2001	1,163,875	16.2	6.7	13.9	12.2	17.9
2002	1,174,021	16.3	6.9	14.5	10.2	17.5
2003	1,186,363	15.6	7.0	12.4	10.9	17.8
2004	1,196,696	15.3	6.9	14.0	9.0	18.6
2005	1,206,346	14.9	7.0	13.2	9.6	18.4
2006	1,215,619	13.8	7.3	13.5	8.0	18.5
2007	1,223,089	13.2	6.8	15.3	9.6	18.6
2008	1,230,995	12.7	7.1	14.3	10.1	17.9

1 figures have been revised in the light of the 2000 Population Census data

2 deaths of children under 1 year of age per 1,000 live births

3 still births per 1,000 total births (live births and still births)

4 the number of persons civilly married in a year per 1,000 mid-period population

**Table 1.16(c) - Population<sup>1</sup> and vital statistics rates<sup>2</sup> - Island of Rodrigues, 1974 - 2008**

Period	Population at mid-year	Crude birth rate	Crude death rate	Infant mortality rate <sup>3</sup>	Still birth rate <sup>4</sup>	Marriage rate <sup>5</sup>
1974	23,587	44.8	9.8	71.9	25.8	13.0
1975	24,221	43.4	8.1	59.6	26.3	13.9
1976	24,417	43.9	7.8	57.2	27.2	15.9
1977	24,936	42.5	7.2	48.1	24.8	16.3
1978	25,720	42.3	8.2	56.4	22.5	17.3
1979	27,081	42.4	8.3	51.1	23.8	17.7
1980	28,153	44.0	8.6	57.1	24.7	17.7
1981	29,677	42.9	7.7	53.1	24.5	15.1
1982	31,527	38.4	7.0	56.7	21.8	12.6
1983	33,082	34.7	6.4	51.6	17.1	11.8
1984	33,563	30.7	6.5	53.7	17.5	11.3
1985	34,008	28.5	6.1	51.9	18.2	11.8
1986	34,041	26.3	5.6	48.8	20.8	11.1
1987	34,475	26.2	5.2	42.4	23.4	11.2
1988	33,907	25.9	5.5	44.4	21.6	10.2
1989	33,953	25.1	5.5	40.7	21.5	9.8
1990	34,204	23.7	5.8	40.7	19.0	9.3
1991	34,330	22.3	5.3	30.9	15.4	9.4
1992	34,453	20.8	5.1	26.5	10.6	9.8
1993	34,519	20.7	4.7	22.0	5.6	10.8
1994	34,698	20.5	4.7	21.1	4.2	11.3
1995	34,821	20.9	4.8	20.6	3.2	11.4
1996	34,939	20.2	4.9	20.3	3.8	11.9
1997	35,140	19.8	5.1	18.7	5.7	12.9
1998	35,303	20.2	5.0	21.5	7.9	13.3
1999	35,549	21.2	4.8	21.6	7.0	13.4
2000	35,779	22.2	5.1	23.5	8.3	12.8
2001	36,006	22.5	5.8	22.6	7.7	12.9
2002	36,175	22.6	6.1	23.7	12.5	13.0
2003	36,448	23.6	6.0	23.2	17.1	13.4
2004	36,690	24.2	5.9	19.5	18.8	13.1
2005	36,907	24.6	6.2	20.6	17.3	12.2
2006	37,079	23.6	5.8	18.3	14.7	11.0
2007 <sup>6</sup>	37,314	22.4	5.6	19.9	13.0	10.4
2008 <sup>7</sup>	37,570	20.8	5.5	16.6	7.6	9.8

1 figures for 1991 - 1999 have been revised in the light of the 2000 Population Census data

2 because of the small number of vital events, the rates have been calculated by taking the average for three years in order to remove wide fluctuations in the yearly data.

3 deaths of children under 1 year of age per 1,000 live births

4 still births per 1,000 total births (live births and still births)

5 the number of persons civilly married in a year per 1,000 mid-year population

6 revised

7 based on vital events for the year 2008 only

Table 1.17 - Registered vital statistics by sex - Republic of Mauritius<sup>1</sup>, 1989 - 2008

Year	Live births			Deaths			Infant deaths			Still births		
	B. sexes	Male	Female	B. sexes	Male	Female	B. sexes	Male	Female	B. sexes	Male	Female
1989	21,822	11,182	10,640	7,149	4,141	3,008	498	291	207	415	218	197
1990	22,602	11,543	11,059	7,031	4,092	2,939	462	269	193	365	204	161
1991	22,197	11,354	10,843	7,027	4,036	2,991	413	241	172	400	212	188
1992	22,902	11,682	11,220	7,023	4,044	2,979	426	244	182	291	169	122
1993	22,329	11,152	11,177	7,433	4,252	3,181	438	247	191	337	178	159
1994	21,795	11,088	10,707	7,402	4,225	3,177	394	244	150	274	145	129
1995	20,549	10,319	10,230	7,465	4,310	3,155	404	228	176	299	165	134
1996	20,763	10,448	10,315	7,670	4,424	3,246	459	271	188	266	143	123
1997	20,012	10,175	9,837	7,986	4,646	3,340	406	241	165	257	136	121
1998	19,434	9,948	9,486	7,839	4,496	3,343	376	209	167	227	118	109
1999	20,311	10,407	9,904	7,944	4,506	3,438	396	229	167	226	113	113
2000	20,205	10,357	9,848	7,982	4,489	3,493	322	206	116	266	135	131
2001	19,696	9,997	9,699	7,983	4,448	3,535	282	165	117	244	126	118
2002	19,983	10,163	9,820	8,310	4,671	3,639	297	163	134	203	105	98
2003	19,343	9,881	9,462	8,520	4,754	3,766	250	133	117	220	121	99
2004	19,230	9,789	9,441	8,475	4,716	3,759	277	157	120	191	114	77
2005	18,820	9,554	9,266	8,646	4,863	3,783	248	146	102	185	92	93
2006	17,604	9,081	8,523	9,162	5,036	4,126	249	138	111	147	85	62
2007	17,034	8,676	8,358	8,498	4,749	3,749	261	138	123	172	100	72
2008	16,372	8,248	8,124	9,004	5,094	3,910	236	138	98	165	84	81

<sup>1</sup> excluding Agalega and St Brandon

Table 1.18 - Registered vital statistics by geographical district - Republic of Mauritius<sup>1</sup>, 2007 & 2008

Geographical district	2007							2008						
	Mid-year population <sup>2</sup>	Live births	Deaths	Infant deaths <sup>3</sup>	Still births	Civil marriages		Mid-year population <sup>2</sup>	Live births	Deaths	Infant deaths <sup>3</sup>	Still births	Civil marriages	
Port Louis	130,050	1,878	1,132	38	23	900		129,874	1,799	1,148	30	15	907	
Pamplemousses	134,037	1,894	802	22	14	1,793		135,394	1,853	892	29	14	1,685	
Riviere du Rempart	106,782	1,524	680	26	11	1,353		107,683	1,450	709	17	14	1,307	
Flacq	137,173	1,899	783	39	25	1,556		138,194	1,867	920	27	17	1,517	
Grand Port	113,756	1,515	753	17	14	924		114,436	1,361	756	18	13	1,037	
Savanne	69,870	964	483	11	10	622		70,147	896	522	15	15	591	
Plaines Wilhems	379,446	4,441	2,817	73	46	2,496		381,394	4,293	2,915	59	49	2,424	
Moka	80,171	1,010	480	14	7	477		80,596	948	483	10	9	489	
Black River	71,804	1,065	393	8	7	1,240		73,277	1,123	453	18	13	1,055	
<b>Island of Mauritius</b>	<b>1,223,089</b>	<b>16,190</b>	<b>8,323</b>	<b>248</b>	<b>157</b>	<b>11,361</b>		<b>1,230,995</b>	<b>15,590</b>	<b>8,798</b>	<b>223</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>11,012</b>	
<b>Island of Rodrigues</b>	<b>37,314</b>	<b>844</b>	<b>175</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>186</b>		<b>37,570</b>	<b>782</b>	<b>206</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>185</b>	
<b>Republic of Mauritius</b>	<b>1,260,403</b>	<b>17,034</b>	<b>8,498</b>	<b>261</b>	<b>172</b>	<b>11,547</b>		<b>1,268,565</b>	<b>16,372</b>	<b>9,004</b>	<b>236</b>	<b>165</b>	<b>11,197</b>	

1 excluding Agalega and St Brandon

2 based on 2000 census data adjusted for underenumeration of young children

3 deaths of children under 1 year

Table 1.19 - Vital statistics by month of registration - Republic of Mauritius<sup>1</sup>, 2008

Month of registration	Live births			Deaths			Infant deaths			Still births			Civil Marriages
	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	
January	1,439	725	714	700	403	297	11	5	6	15	10	5	603
February	1,312	661	651	589	327	262	21	13	8	16	10	6	711
March	1,373	671	702	732	393	339	22	15	7	14	6	8	730
April	1,390	695	695	714	418	296	25	12	13	13	9	4	976
May	1,426	717	709	687	395	292	20	11	9	13	9	4	1,009
June	1,405	713	692	804	462	342	25	15	10	14	6	8	1,005
July	1,429	734	695	854	462	392	21	16	5	19	8	11	1,185
August	1,416	692	724	934	537	397	21	16	5	10	3	7	1,088
September	1,395	729	666	773	444	329	18	8	10	17	10	7	870
October	1,387	716	671	755	424	331	16	7	9	14	9	5	1,073
November	1,209	598	611	738	416	322	21	12	9	11	3	8	1,136
December	1,191	597	594	724	413	311	15	8	7	9	1	8	811
Year 2008	16,372	8,248	8,124	9,004	5,094	3,910	236	138	98	165	84	81	11,197

<sup>1</sup> excluding Agalega and St Brandon

Table 1.20 - Age specific fertility rates<sup>1</sup> by age of mother and live birth order - Republic of Mauritius<sup>2</sup>, 2007 & 2008<sup>3</sup>

Year	Age of mother	Live birth order						Total
		First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	Sixth & over	
2007	15 - 19	30.4	4.5	0.5*	0.0*	0.0*	0.0*	35.4
	20 - 24	62.6	25.9	4.9	0.8	0.1*	0.0*	94.3
	25 - 29	46.6	39.6	12.1	2.5	0.7	0.2*	101.7
	30 - 34	20.2	26.4	12.0	3.7	1.2	0.5*	64.0
	35 - 39	8.3	7.6	7.2	3.3	1.3	1.0	28.7
2008	40 - 44	2.3	1.9	1.7	0.8	0.6*	0.7	8.0
	45 - 49	0.1*	0.0*	0.1*	0.1*	0.0*	0.1*	0.4*
<b>G.F.R.<sup>4</sup></b>	<b>15 - 49</b>	<b>24.8</b>	<b>15.7</b>	<b>5.6</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>0.6</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>48.6</b>
2008	15 - 19	29.6	4.0	0.2*	0.1*	0.0*	0.0*	33.9
	20 - 24	58.7	23.9	5.0	1.0	0.1*	0.0*	88.7
	25 - 29	46.9	35.8	11.3	2.6	0.5	0.2*	97.3
	30 - 34	21.1	23.9	12.0	3.4	1.0	0.4*	61.8
	35 - 39	8.3	7.9	6.9	2.5	1.0	0.8	27.4
2008	40 - 44	2.2	1.4	1.7	0.9	0.2	0.7	7.1
	45 - 49	0.1*	0.0*	0.1*	0.1*	0.0*	0.0*	0.3*
<b>G.F.R.<sup>4</sup></b>	<b>15 - 49</b>	<b>24.2</b>	<b>14.2</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>46.0</b>

1 live births occurred per 1,000 females in each age group. In calculating the above rates, live births occurring to mothers aged less than 15 years have been included in the age group (15-19) whilst those occurring to mothers aged 50 years and above in the age group (45- 49). Births occurring to mothers of unknown age and unknown birth order have been prorated.

2 excluding Agalega and St Brandon

3 rates for the year 2008 are provisional

4 General Fertility Rate - Live births occurred per 1,000 women aged (15-49) years

\* rates based on a small number of events (<30)

Table 1.21 - Age specific fertility rates<sup>1</sup> by age of mother and live birth order - Island of Mauritius, 2007 & 2008<sup>2</sup>

Year	Age of mother	Live birth order						Total
		First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	Sixth & over	
2007	15 - 19	29.4	4.3	0.5*	0.0*	0.0*	0.0*	34.2
	20 - 24	62.8	25.8	4.8	0.8	0.0*	0.0*	94.2
	25 - 29	46.3	39.3	11.5	2.4	0.7	0.2*	100.4
	30 - 34	20.0	25.9	11.3	3.3	1.1	0.5*	62.1
	35 - 39	8.4	7.4	6.9	2.9	1.0	0.7	27.3
	40 - 44	2.2	1.9	1.6	0.8	0.4*	0.6*	7.5
	45 - 49	0.2*	0.0*	0.1*	0.1*	0.0*	0.0*	0.4*
<b>G.F.R<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>15 - 49</b>	<b>24.4</b>	<b>15.4</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>47.5</b>
2008	15 - 19	28.7	4.0	0.2*	0.0*	0.0*	0.0*	32.9
	20 - 24	58.7	23.5	5.1	1.0	0.1*	0.0*	88.4
	25 - 29	46.5	35.5	11.0	2.5	0.4*	0.2*	96.1
	30 - 34	20.6	23.7	11.8	3.1	0.9	0.4*	60.5
	35 - 39	8.2	7.8	6.6	2.3	0.9	0.7*	26.5
	40 - 44	2.2	1.3	1.7	0.9	0.2*	0.5*	6.8
	45 - 49	0.1*	0.0*	0.1*	0.1*	0.0*	0.0*	0.3*
<b>G.F.R<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>15 - 49</b>	<b>23.8</b>	<b>14.0</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>45.1</b>

1 live births occurred per 1,000 females in each age group. In calculating the above rates, live births occurring to mothers aged less than 15 years have been included in the age group (15-19) whilst those occurring to mothers aged 50 years and above in the age group (45- 49). Births occurring to mothers of unknown age and unknown birth order have been prorated.

2 rates for the year 2008 are provisional

3 General Fertility Rate - Live births occurred per 1,000 women aged (15-49) years.

\* rates based on a small number of events (<30).



**Table 1.22 - Fertility rates - Republic of Mauritius<sup>1</sup> and Island of Mauritius, 2007 & 2008**

	2007		2008	
	Republic of Mauritius	Island of Mauritius	Republic of Mauritius	Island of Mauritius
<b>Crude birth rate<sup>2</sup></b>	13.51	13.24	12.91	12.67
<b>General fertility rate<sup>3</sup></b>	48.58	47.48	46.01	45.08
<b>Total fertility rate<sup>4</sup></b>	1.66	1.63	1.58	1.56
<b>Gross reproduction rate<sup>5</sup></b>	0.80	0.82	0.78	0.76
<b>Net reproduction rate<sup>6</sup></b>	0.78	0.80	0.76	0.74
<b>Mid year female population</b>				
<b>aged (15 - 49) years</b>	347,725	337,984	349,766	340,026
<b>Age specific fertility rate:<sup>7</sup></b>				
<b>Age of women (years)</b>				
<b>15 - 19</b>	35.4	34.2	33.9	32.9
<b>20 - 24</b>	94.3	94.2	88.7	88.4
<b>25 - 29</b>	101.7	100.4	97.3	96.1
<b>30 - 34</b>	64.0	62.1	61.8	60.5
<b>35 - 39</b>	28.7	27.4	27.4	26.5
<b>40 - 44</b>	8.0	7.5	7.1	6.8
<b>45 - 49</b>	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4

1 excluding Agalega and Saint Brandon

2 registered live births per 1,000 mid-year population

3 live births occurred per 1,000 women aged (15 - 49) years

4 the average number of children born to an average woman assuming that she survives to the end of her childbearing age and is subjected to a fixed schedule of age-specific fertility rates

5 the average number of daughters born to an average woman assuming that she survives to the end of her childbearing age and is subjected to a fixed schedule of age-specific fertility rates

6 the extent to which the average woman will replace herself, assuming a fixed schedule of age-specific mortality rates to prevail through her reproductive span of life

7 live births occurred per 1,000 women in each age-group

**Table 1.23- Marriages by type<sup>1</sup> of marriage celebration and month - Republic of Mauritius<sup>2</sup>, 2008**

Type of celebration	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Year
By Civil Status Officer	591	698	718	961	993	997	1,157	1,056	866	1,055	1,107	793	<b>10,992</b>
- Island of Mauritius	(571)	(677)	(704)	(953)	(981)	(982)	(1,145)	(1,043)	(858)	(1,032)	(1,088)	(773)	<b>(10,807)</b>
- Island of Rodrigues	(20)	(21)	(14)	(8)	(12)	(15)	(12)	(13)	(8)	(23)	(19)	(20)	<b>(185)</b>
By unauthorised person but assisted by a civil status officer	3	7	3	3	2	1	6	5	2	2	8	5	<b>47</b>
- Island of Mauritius	(3)	(7)	(3)	(3)	(2)	(1)	(6)	(5)	(2)	(2)	(8)	(5)	<b>(47)</b>
- Island of Rodrigues	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	<b>(0)</b>
By authorised person	9	6	9	12	14	7	22	27	2	16	21	13	<b>158</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>603</b>	<b>711</b>	<b>730</b>	<b>976</b>	<b>1,009</b>	<b>1,005</b>	<b>1,185</b>	<b>1,088</b>	<b>870</b>	<b>1,073</b>	<b>1,136</b>	<b>811</b>	<b>11,197</b>

1 No "Past religious marriage" was registered in 2008

2 excluding Agalega and St. Brandon

Table 1.24- Marriages by type<sup>1</sup> of marriage celebration and district<sup>2</sup> - Republic of Mauritius<sup>3</sup>, 2008

Type of celebration	Port Louis	Pample-mousses	Riviere du Rempart	Flacq	Grand Port	Savanne	Plaines Wilhems	Moka	Black River	Island of Mauritius	Island of Rodrigues	Republic of Mauritius
By civil status officer	898	1,664	1,283	1,476	1,015	575	2,363	479	1,054	10,807	185	10,992
By unauthorised person but assisted by a civil status officer	7	9	6	1	2	2	16	3	1	47	-	47
By authorised person	2	12	18	40	20	14	45	7	-	158	-	158
<b>Total</b>	<b>907</b>	<b>1,685</b>	<b>1,307</b>	<b>1,517</b>	<b>1,037</b>	<b>591</b>	<b>2,424</b>	<b>489</b>	<b>1,055</b>	<b>11,012</b>	<b>185</b>	<b>11,197</b>

1 No "Past religious Marriage" was registered in 2008

2 refers to district of residence of husband

3 excluding Agalega and St. Brandon

Table 1.25 - Deaths by age and sex - Republic of Mauritius<sup>1</sup>, Island of Mauritius and Island of Rodrigues, 2008

Age at death (years)	Republic of Mauritius			Island of Mauritius			Island of Rodrigues		
	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female
Under 1	236	138	98	223	134	89	13	4	9
1 - 4	35	20	15	33	20	13	2	-	2
5 - 9	23	14	9	23	14	9	-	-	-
10 - 14	28	16	12	26	15	11	2	1	1
15 - 19	59	32	27	57	31	26	2	1	1
20 - 24	68	52	16	66	51	15	2	1	1
25 - 29	117	91	26	114	88	26	3	3	-
30 - 34	132	99	33	128	97	31	4	2	2
35 - 39	205	141	64	203	140	63	2	1	1
40 - 44	333	225	108	329	222	107	4	3	1
45 - 49	486	355	131	478	350	128	8	5	3
50 - 54	668	468	200	659	462	197	9	6	3
55 - 59	820	516	304	805	504	301	15	12	3
60 - 64	860	543	317	841	532	309	19	11	8
65 - 69	754	455	299	742	446	296	12	9	3
70 - 74	958	563	395	929	548	381	29	15	14
75 - 79	956	507	449	929	495	434	27	12	15
80 - 84	1,087	466	621	1,067	456	611	20	10	10
85 and over	1,179	393	786	1,146	384	762	33	9	24
All ages	9,004	5,094	3,910	8,798	4,989	3,809	206	105	101

<sup>1</sup> excluding Agalega and St Brandon

Table 1.26 - Infant deaths by age and sex - Republic of Mauritius<sup>1</sup>, Island of Mauritius and Island of Rodrigues, 2008

Age at death	Republic of Mauritius			Island of Mauritius			Island of Rodrigues		
	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female
Under 1 day	30	19	11	30	19	11	-	-	-
1 - 6 days	82	47	35	76	46	30	6	1	5
7 - 27 days	40	25	15	37	24	13	3	1	2
1 month	22	13	9	21	12	9	1	1	-
2 months	17	8	9	15	8	7	2	-	2
3 months	9	4	5	9	4	5	-	-	-
4 months	5	1	4	5	1	4	-	-	-
5 months	8	4	4	8	4	-	-	-	-
6 months	3	2	1	3	2	1	-	-	-
7 months	7	6	1	7	6	1	-	-	-
8 months	3	2	1	2	1	1	1	1	-
9 months	3	2	1	3	2	1	-	-	-
10 months	3	2	1	3	2	1	-	-	-
11 months	4	3	1	4	3	1	-	-	-
<b>Under 1 year</b>	<b>236</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>223</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>9</b>
Under 7 days	112	66	46	106	65	41	6	1	5
Under 28 days	152	91	61	143	89	54	9	2	7
1 - 11 months	84	47	37	80	45	35	4	2	2

<sup>1</sup> excluding Agalega and St Brandon

Table 1.27 - Under one year mortality rates - Republic of Mauritius\*, Island of Mauritius &amp; Island of Rodrigues, 1999- 2008

Mortality rates		1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Republic of Mauritius	Early neonatal mortality rate <sup>1</sup>	10.6	9.0	8.1	8.8	6.8	7.9	6.7	7.1	8.2	6.8
	Late neonatal mortality rate <sup>2</sup>	3.7	3.6	2.5	1.8	2.3	2.9	3.1	3.5	2.8	2.4
	Neonatal mortality rate <sup>3</sup>	14.3	12.6	10.6	10.6	9.1	10.8	9.8	10.6	11.0	9.2
	Post-neonatal mortality rate <sup>4</sup>	5.2	3.3	3.7	4.3	3.8	3.6	3.3	3.6	4.3	5.1
	Perinatal mortality rate <sup>5</sup>	21.5	21.9	20.2	18.9	18.0	17.7	16.4	15.3	18.1	16.8
Island of Mauritius	Early neonatal mortality rate <sup>1</sup>	10.2	8.8	7.7	8.6	6.6	7.5	6.9	6.7	8.2	6.8
	Late neonatal mortality rate <sup>2</sup>	3.9	3.6	2.5	1.7	2.4	2.8	3.2	3.3	2.7	2.4
	Neonatal mortality rate <sup>3</sup>	14.1	12.4	10.2	10.3	9.0	10.3	10.1	10.0	10.9	9.2
	Post-neonatal mortality rate <sup>4</sup>	5.1	3.4	3.7	4.2	3.4	3.7	3.1	3.4	4.4	5.1
	Perinatal mortality rate <sup>5</sup>	21.2	22.1	19.9	18.6	17.5	16.5	16.4	14.7	17.7	16.8
Island of Rodrigues	Early neonatal mortality rate <sup>1</sup>	19.5	13.6	16.0	14.7	10.9	15.8	4.5	14.8	9.5	7.7
	Late neonatal mortality rate <sup>2</sup>	1.3	3.7	2.5	2.5	1.2	3.2	1.1	5.7	3.6	3.8
	Neonatal mortality rate <sup>3</sup>	20.8	17.3	18.5	17.2	12.1	19.0	5.6	20.5	13.0	11.5
	Post-neonatal mortality rate <sup>4</sup>	6.5	2.5	4.9	6.1	12.1	3.2	6.7	6.8	2.4	5.1
	Perinatal mortality rate <sup>5</sup>	28.4	17.3	28.0	22.0	28.6	40.2	17.6	28.0	26.8	15.2

1 the number of deaths of infants aged under 7 days in a year per 1,000 live births during that year

2 the number of deaths of infants aged from 7 to 27 days in a year per 1,000 live births in that year

3 the number of deaths of infants aged less than 28 days in a year per 1,000 live births during that year

4 the number of deaths of infants aged from 28 days to under 1 year per 1,000 live births during that year

5 the sum of the number of deaths of infants aged under 7 days and the number of still births in a year per 1,000 total births (live + still births) during that year

\* excluding Agalega and St. Brandon

Table 1.28 (a) - Deaths by cause<sup>1</sup> - Republic of Mauritius, 2008

Chapter	Cause of death	Deaths							Death rate per 100,000 of population
		Under 1 year		1 to under 5 years		All ages			
		Both sexes		Both sexes		Male	Female	Both sexes	
		Both sexes	Both sexes	Number	%				
I	Certain Infectious & parasitic diseases	8	6	133	74	207	2.3	16.3	
II	Neoplasms	2	3	552	538	1,090	12.1	85.9	
III	Diseases of the blood & blood-forming organs and certain disorders involving the immune mechanism	4	-	19	27	46	0.5	3.6	
IV	Endocrine, nutritional & metabolic diseases	3	-	1,089	1,025	2,114	23.5	166.6	
V	Mental & behavioural disorders	-	-	80	9	89	1.0	7.0	
VI	Diseases of the nervous system	9	4	71	59	130	1.4	10.2	
VII	Diseases of the eye & adnexa	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
VIII	Diseases of the ear & mastoid process	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
IX	Diseases of the circulatory system	-	-	1,745	1,405	3,150	35.0	248.3	
X	Diseases of the respiratory system	11	6	328	246	574	6.4	45.2	
XI	Diseases of the digestive system	1	-	353	98	451	5.0	35.6	
XII	Diseases of the skin & subcutaneous tissue	-	-	8	11	19	0.2	1.5	
XIII	Diseases of the musculoskeletal system & connective tissue	-	2	6	26	32	0.3	2.5	
XIV	Diseases of the genito-urinary system	-	-	74	66	140	1.6	11.0	
XV	Pregnancy, childbirth & the puerperium	-	-	-	6	6	0.1	0.5	
XVI	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period	139	-	82	57	139	1.5	11.0	
XVII	Congenital malformations, deformation & chromosomal abnormalities	47	8	36	28	64	0.7	5.0	
XVIII	Symptoms, signs & abnormal clinical & laboratory findings, not elsewhere classified	7	-	91	122	213	2.4	16.8	
XIX	Injury, poisoning & certain other consequences of external causes	5	6	427	113	540	6.0	42.6	
	<b>All causes</b>	<b>236</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>5,094</b>	<b>3,910</b>	<b>9,004</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>709.8</b>	

<sup>1</sup> according to the "International Statistical Classification of Diseases, Injuries, and Causes of Death", 10th revision

<sup>2</sup> excluding Agalega and St Brandon

Table 1.28 (b) - Deaths by cause<sup>1</sup> - Island of Mauritius, 2008

Chapter	Cause of death	Deaths							Death rate per 100,000 of population
		Under 1 year	1 to under 5 years		All ages			Both sexes %	
			Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes			
						Number	%		
I	Certain Infectious & parasitic diseases	8	6	132	72	204	2.3	16.6	
II	Neoplasms	2	2	531	518	1,049	11.9	85.2	
III	Diseases of the blood & blood-forming organs and certain disorders involving the immune mechanism	3	-	18	27	45	0.5	3.7	
IV	Endocrine, nutritional & metabolic diseases	3	-	1,071	1,004	2,075	23.6	168.6	
V	Mental & behavioural disorders	-	-	79	8	87	1.0	7.1	
VI	Diseases of the nervous system	9	4	70	59	129	1.5	10.5	
VII	Diseases of the eye & adnexa	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
VIII	Diseases of the ear & mastoid process	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
IX	Diseases of the circulatory system	-	-	1,709	1,367	3,076	35.0	249.9	
X	Diseases of the respiratory system	11	6	324	241	565	6.4	45.9	
XI	Diseases of the digestive system	1	-	347	97	444	5.0	36.1	
XII	Diseases of the skin & subcutaneous tissue	-	-	8	11	19	0.2	1.5	
XIII	Diseases of the musculoskeletal system & connective tissue	-	2	6	26	32	0.3	2.6	
XIV	Diseases of the genito-urinary system	-	-	72	66	138	1.6	11.2	
XV	Pregnancy, childbirth & the puerperium	-	-	-	6	6	0.1	0.5	
XVI	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period	130	-	79	51	130	1.5	10.6	
XVII	Congenital malformations, deformation & chromosomal abnormalities	44	7	36	24	60	0.7	4.9	
XVIII	Symptoms, signs & abnormal clinical & laboratory findings, not elsewhere classified	7	-	89	121	210	2.4	17.1	
XIX	Injury, poisoning & certain other consequences of external causes	5	6	418	111	529	6.0	43.0	
	<b>All causes</b>	<b>223</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>4,989</b>	<b>3,809</b>	<b>8,798</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>714.7</b>	

1 according to the "International Statistical Classification of Diseases, Injuries, and Causes of Death", 10th revision



Table 1.28 (c) - Deaths by cause<sup>1</sup> - Island of Rodrigues, 2008

Chapter	Cause of death	Deaths							Death rate per 100,000 of population
		Under 1 year Both sexes	1 to under 5 years		All ages				
			Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes			
						Number	%		
I	Certain Infectious & parasitic diseases	-	-	1	2	3	1.5	8.0	
II	Neoplasms	-	1	21	20	41	19.9	109.1	
III	Diseases of the blood & blood-forming organs and certain disorders involving the immune mechanism	1	-	1	-	1	0.5	2.7	
IV	Endocrine, nutritional & metabolic diseases	-	-	18	21	39	18.9	103.8	
V	Mental & behavioural disorders	-	-	1	1	2	1.0	5.3	
VI	Diseases of the nervous system	-	-	1	-	1	0.5	2.7	
VII	Diseases of the eye & adnexa	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
VIII	Diseases of the ear & mastoid process	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
IX	Diseases of the circulatory system	-	-	36	38	74	35.9	197.0	
X	Diseases of the respiratory system	-	-	4	5	9	4.4	24.0	
XI	Diseases of the digestive system	-	-	6	1	7	3.3	18.6	
XII	Diseases of the skin & subcutaneous tissue	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
XIII	Diseases of the musculoskeletal system & connective tissue	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
XIV	Diseases of the genito-urinary system	-	-	2	-	2	1.0	5.3	
XV	Pregnancy, childbirth & the puerperium	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
XVI	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period	9	-	3	6	9	4.4	24.0	
XVII	Congenital malformations, deformation & chromosomal abnormalities	3	1	-	4	4	1.9	10.6	
XVIII	Symptoms, signs & abnormal clinical & laboratory findings, not elsewhere classified	-	-	2	1	3	1.5	8.0	
XIX	Injury, poisoning & certain other consequences of external causes	-	-	9	2	11	5.3	29.3	
	<b>All causes</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>206</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>548.3</b>	

<sup>1</sup> according to the "International Statistical Classification of Diseases, Injuries, and Causes of Death", 10th revision

Table 1.29 - Projections of the resident population by sex - Republic of Mauritius, 2008 -2048

Age	2 0 0 8			2 0 1 3			2 0 1 8			2 0 2 3			2 0 2 8		
	B. sexes	Male	Female	B. sexes	Male	Female	B. sexes	Male	Female	B. sexes	Male	Female	B. sexes	Male	Female
0-4	88,963	45,343	43,620	91,078	46,424	44,654	92,837	47,327	45,510	91,077	46,435	44,642	87,869	44,803	43,066
5-9	97,839	49,806	48,033	88,787	45,244	43,543	90,922	46,334	44,588	92,701	47,247	45,454	90,961	46,365	44,596
10-14	101,621	51,210	50,411	97,711	49,745	47,966	88,686	45,194	43,492	90,841	46,293	44,548	92,634	47,210	45,424
15-19	107,965	54,815	53,150	101,195	50,971	50,224	97,376	49,553	47,823	88,454	45,061	43,393	90,684	46,198	44,486
20-24	93,335	47,158	46,177	106,968	54,245	52,723	100,419	50,519	49,900	96,850	49,253	47,597	88,133	44,867	43,266
25-29	110,489	55,337	55,152	92,272	46,501	45,771	106,055	53,661	52,394	99,808	50,141	49,667	96,441	48,987	47,454
30-34	102,743	50,776	51,967	109,476	54,630	54,846	91,499	45,951	45,548	105,432	53,219	52,213	99,353	49,810	49,543
35-39	90,411	45,007	45,404	101,722	50,063	51,659	108,517	53,935	54,582	90,815	45,450	45,365	104,761	52,709	52,052
40-44	101,672	50,706	50,966	89,213	44,137	45,076	100,508	49,160	51,348	107,353	53,044	54,309	89,935	44,759	45,176
45-49	93,938	46,988	46,950	99,702	49,303	50,399	87,653	43,008	44,645	98,944	48,019	50,925	105,863	51,942	53,921
50-54	80,590	40,023	40,567	91,320	45,239	46,081	97,320	47,743	49,577	85,854	41,853	44,001	97,191	46,921	50,270
55-59	67,856	33,083	34,773	76,994	37,717	39,277	87,615	42,900	44,715	93,736	45,517	48,219	82,976	40,081	42,895
60-64	44,761	20,743	24,018	63,052	30,137	32,915	71,943	34,648	37,295	82,287	39,693	42,594	88,450	42,366	46,084
65-69	29,283	13,091	16,192	40,077	18,039	22,038	56,859	26,522	30,337	65,341	30,800	34,541	75,224	35,582	39,642
70-74	24,133	10,339	13,794	24,803	10,556	14,247	34,235	14,717	19,518	48,876	21,856	27,020	56,503	25,595	30,908
75-79	15,442	6,154	9,288	18,612	7,403	11,209	19,268	7,653	11,615	26,734	10,777	15,957	38,281	16,140	22,141
80+	17,524	5,977	11,547	18,013	6,009	12,004	20,451	6,863	13,588	22,024	7,408	14,616	27,832	9,641	18,191
All ages	1,268,565	626,556	642,009	1,310,995	646,363	664,632	1,352,163	665,688	686,475	1,387,127	682,066	705,061	1,413,091	693,976	719,115

Base: 2008 resident population estimated by adding the balance of births, deaths, and migration to the 2000 census population adjusted for underenumeration of young children.

Assumptions:

- (i) Fertility: The Total Fertility rate is 1.80 for the period 2003 - 2008 and reaches 1.82 in the period 2008 - 2013. It thereafter stabilizes to 1.86 as from 2013.
- (ii) Mortality: (a) The life expectancy at birth for males improves from 69.04 in the period 2003 - 2008 to 72.83 in the period 2023 - 2028 and then to 74.93 in the period 2043 - 2048.  
(b) The life expectancy at birth for females improves from 75.77 in the period 2003 - 2008 to 78.23 in the period 2023 - 2028 and then to 79.67 in the period 2043 - 2048.
- (iii) Migration: A net yearly outmigration of 250 males and 200 females during 2008- 2013; 200 males and 150 females during 2013 - 2018; 100 males and 100 females during 2018 - 2023 and 50 males and 50 females in the period 2023 - 2028 and then none afterwards

Table 1.29 - Projections of the resident population by sex - Republic of Mauritius, 2008 - 2048 (cont'd)

Age	2 0 3 3			2 0 3 8			2 0 4 3			2 0 4 8		
	B.sexes	Male	Female	B.sexes	Male	Female	B.sexes	Male	Female	B. sexes	Male	Female
0-4	84,758	43,220	41,538	83,066	42,359	40,707	82,449	42,046	40,403	81,601	41,617	39,984
5-9	87,771	44,743	43,028	84,673	43,166	41,507	82,988	42,309	40,679	82,374	41,997	40,377
10-14	90,911	46,335	44,576	87,727	44,716	43,011	84,634	43,141	41,493	82,950	42,285	40,665
15-19	92,552	47,154	45,398	90,839	46,284	44,555	87,661	44,668	42,993	84,573	43,097	41,476
20-24	90,537	46,092	44,445	92,419	47,055	45,364	90,720	46,194	44,526	87,550	44,585	42,965
25-29	87,936	44,723	43,213	90,365	45,967	44,398	92,271	46,951	45,320	90,585	46,102	44,483
30-34	96,125	48,743	47,382	87,684	44,529	43,155	90,145	45,801	44,344	92,076	46,810	45,266
35-39	98,819	49,392	49,427	95,665	48,379	47,286	87,316	44,239	43,077	89,805	45,541	44,264
40-44	103,847	51,976	51,871	98,045	48,765	49,280	94,989	47,828	47,161	86,752	43,789	42,963
45-49	88,830	43,937	44,893	102,724	51,143	51,581	97,122	48,097	49,025	94,197	47,280	46,917
50-54	104,217	50,921	53,296	87,596	43,180	44,416	101,410	50,344	51,066	95,925	47,386	48,539
55-59	94,213	45,093	49,120	101,263	49,066	52,197	85,282	41,682	43,600	98,888	48,645	50,243
60-64	78,618	37,484	41,134	89,584	42,322	47,262	96,545	46,156	50,389	81,492	39,258	42,234
65-69	81,334	38,234	43,100	72,668	33,998	38,670	83,175	38,515	44,660	89,938	42,076	47,862
70-74	65,372	29,766	35,606	70,963	32,143	38,820	63,570	28,676	34,894	72,840	32,539	40,301
75-79	44,408	19,032	25,376	51,516	22,242	29,274	56,044	24,097	31,947	50,249	21,533	28,716
80+	38,208	13,948	24,260	46,896	17,512	29,384	55,546	21,000	34,546	62,424	23,571	38,853
All ages	1,428,456	700,793	727,663	1,433,693	702,826	730,867	1,431,867	701,744	730,123	1,424,219	698,111	726,108

**SECTION 2 - INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL AND TOURISM**

**Table 2.1 - Passenger traffic<sup>1</sup> - Island of Mauritius, 1996 - 2008**

Period	Arrivals			Departures			Net overseas migration
	Total	By sea	By air	Total	By sea	By air	
1996	672,070	27,308	644,762	663,501	24,794	638,707	+ 8,569
1997	743,291	29,756	713,535	737,523	27,390	710,133	+ 5,768
1998	778,574	43,706	734,868	775,998	40,809	735,189	+ 2,576
1999	823,085	40,499	782,586	809,233	39,230	770,003	+ 13,852
2000	915,203	34,262	880,941	895,569	33,368	862,201	+ 19,634
2001	910,489	27,847	882,642	903,073	26,313	876,760	+ 7,416
2002	951,090	43,890	907,200	942,876	42,630	900,246	+ 8,214
2003	968,927	31,296	937,631	947,839	28,936	918,903	+ 21,088
2004	1,000,545	32,238	968,307	979,322	28,609	950,713	+ 21,223
2005	1,043,900	35,422	1,008,478	1,029,666	35,478	994,188	+ 14,234
2006	1,072,879	31,713	1,041,166	1,060,074	28,725	1,031,349	+ 12,805
2007	1,238,826	33,373	1,205,453	1,237,747	31,001	1,206,746	+ 1,079
2008 <sup>2</sup>	1,280,640	48,311	1,232,329	1,261,152	47,494	1,213,658	+ 19,488
2008 <sup>2</sup> 1st Qr	354,098	22,240	331,858	379,259	21,988	357,271	- 25,161
2nd Qr	272,817	5,563	267,254	269,363	4,941	264,422	+ 3,454
3rd Qr	307,178	4,397	302,781	301,414	4,626	296,788	+ 5,764
4th Qr	346,547	16,111	330,436	311,116	15,939	295,177	+ 35,431

<sup>1</sup> As from January 1994, data on passenger traffic are being compiled from all embarkation and disembarkation cards.

Prior to this period, they were based on a 10% sample of such cards. They include:

- (a) emigrants to and immigrants from the dependencies; and
- (b) movement of military personnel as from the 1962 Population Census but excludes those transit passengers who did not leave the airport.

<sup>2</sup> Provisional

**Table 2.2 - Passenger traffic<sup>1</sup> by country of original embarkation or final destination, 2008**

Country of original embarkation or final destination	Total arrivals	Total departures
Australia	29,169	33,765
Austria	225	118
Belgium	192	363
Comoros	12	8
France	253,159	263,683
Germany	62,858	62,156
Hong Kong	27,189	20,247
India	62,147	59,651
Italy	61,685	62,791
Japan	22	40
Kenya	5,777	4,978
Malagasy Republic	29,211	30,342
Reunion	218,865	218,786
Rodrigues	54,212	54,403
Seychelles	25,541	25,160
Singapore	18,022	17,760
South Africa, Republic of	144,122	126,982
Switzerland	13,882	13,841
United Kingdom	132,551	132,143
Zambia	48	153
Zimbabwe	26	3
Other countries	141,725	133,779
<b>All countries</b>	<b>1,280,640</b>	<b>1,261,152</b>

<sup>1</sup> Excluding seamen and transit passengers who did not leave the airport.

Table 2.3 - Tourist<sup>1</sup> arrivals by mode of transport and tourist nights spent during period, 1996 - 2008

Period	Mode of transport			Tourist nights spent during period <sup>2</sup>	% change over previous year	
	Sea	Air	Total		Tourist arrivals	Tourist nights
1996	6,484	480,383	486,867	4,957,683	+ 15.2	+ 11.8
1997	7,476	528,649	536,125	5,451,314	+ 10.1	+ 10.0
1998	17,109	541,086	558,195	5,567,889	+ 4.1	+ 2.1
1999	13,852	564,233	578,085	5,729,464	+ 3.6	+ 2.9
2000	10,677	645,776	656,453	6,412,876	+ 13.6	+ 11.9
2001	10,532	649,786	660,318	6,527,800	+ 0.6	+ 1.8
2002	14,180	667,468	681,648	6,768,870	+ 3.2	+ 3.7
2003	12,155	689,863	702,018	6,952,313	+ 3.0	+ 2.7
2004	11,390	707,471	718,861	7,118,603	+ 2.4	+ 2.4
2005	13,321	747,742	761,063	7,498,251	+ 5.9	+ 5.3
2006	13,249	775,027	788,276	7,760,679	+ 3.6	+ 3.5
2007	12,163	894,808	906,971	8,986,934	+ 15.1	+ 15.8
2008	15,961	914,495	930,456	8986934 <sup>3</sup>	+ 2.6	+ 1.1

<sup>1</sup> A tourist is defined as a non-resident staying in the island for more than 24 hours but less than a year.

<sup>2</sup> Including nights spent during reference period by tourist arriving prior to the period.

<sup>3</sup> Provisional

**Table 2.4 - Official long-term emigrants<sup>1</sup> by sex, Island of Mauritius, 1972 - 1994**

Year	Both sexes	Male	Female
1972	2,271	956	1,315
1973	2,037	844	1,193
1974	1,494	606	888
1975	874	328	546
1976	579	195	384
1977	290	120	170
1978	320	111	209
1979	191	43	148
1980	308	84	224
1981	485	283	202
1982	913	682	231
1983	1,735	1,437	298
1984	1,961	1,256	705
1985	1,585	742	843
1986	2,014	931	1,083
1987	3,339	1,545	1,794
1988	2,493	1,186	1,307
1989	1,752	1,082	670
1990	1,042	674	368
1991	715	483	232
1992	437	244	193
1993	1,161	539	622
1994	1,900	882	1,018

<sup>1</sup> Persons who have obtained a permit to migrate to another country. The figures have been compiled from the Passport Office register.

**Table 2.5 - Tourist arrivals by country of residence, 2001 - 2008**

Country of residence	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008*
Australia	8,790	8,387	9,103	11,373	13,486	16,660	19,635	18,852
Belgium	10,398	10,579	10,170	8,524	8,973	9,216	10,945	11,796
France	197,595	202,869	200,229	210,411	220,421	182,295	240,028	260,054
Germany	50,866	53,762	53,970	52,277	55,983	57,251	65,165	61,484
India	18,890	20,898	25,367	24,716	29,755	37,498	42,974	43,911
Italy	37,343	38,263	39,774	41,277	43,458	69,407	69,510	66,432
Japan	1,589	1,958	1,572	1,724	1,638	1,695	1,730	1,751
Kenya	1,734	1,507	1,510	1,506	1,358	1,694	1,790	1,997
Malagasy Republic	6,674	9,417	11,044	8,256	7,397	7,239	8,842	10,905
Reunion	91,140	96,375	95,679	96,510	99,036	89,127	95,823	96,174
Seychelles	10,687	13,468	9,869	7,456	10,084	12,023	14,275	10,604
Singapore	3,431	3,114	2,102	2,329	1,789	1,862	2,020	1,758
South Africa, Rep. of	47,882	42,685	45,756	52,609	58,446	70,796	81,733	84,448
Switzerland	18,427	17,371	17,929	16,110	15,773	16,161	17,546	16,037
United Kingdom	77,888	80,667	91,210	92,652	95,407	102,333	107,297	107,919
U.S.A.	3,923	4,116	4,505	4,305	4,890	5,220	5,451	7,089
Zambia	422	354	456	395	305	440	427	622
Zimbabwe	3,860	3,185	2,343	2,345	2,419	1,587	1,669	1,809
Other countries	68,779	72,673	79,430	84,086	90,445	105,772	120,111	126,814
All countries	660,318	681,648	702,018	718,861	761,063	788,276	906,971	930,456

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**Table 2.6 - Tourist nights<sup>1</sup> by country of residence of tourist, 2001 - 2008**

Country of residence	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008 <sup>2</sup>
Australia	104,232	98,869	100,332	111,546	115,851	126,859	143,482	150,220
Belgium	125,752	124,586	121,687	105,445	117,210	120,987	132,145	148,043
France	1,966,911	2,020,850	1,996,305	2,101,125	2,208,575	1,931,005	2,542,172	2,629,452
Germany	612,881	651,913	636,435	608,031	655,283	655,738	735,938	731,803
Hong Kong	11,955	10,941	6,767	7,984	4,694	3,739	4,788	4,469
India	207,965	253,340	287,741	265,174	295,698	336,048	408,128	398,835
Italy	326,100	329,809	346,865	362,758	397,160	619,089	600,236	582,196
Japan	10,161	11,170	9,302	9,881	10,538	9,889	10,701	10,623
Kenya	10,780	8,784	11,347	11,069	12,258	13,875	12,642	14,309
Malagasy Republic	66,177	81,758	128,437	83,961	73,964	84,400	98,034	106,400
Reunion	632,970	675,483	738,968	832,879	828,889	730,678	917,369	789,617
Seychelles	96,303	113,942	92,493	75,277	93,951	108,603	133,595	93,713
Singapore	23,420	20,403	14,871	16,094	12,106	14,166	12,200	11,919
South Africa, Rep of	400,656	376,588	379,561	425,680	467,603	565,627	676,795	699,641
Switzerland	229,227	210,510	220,382	189,115	185,482	200,141	207,130	191,846
United Kingdom	942,095	977,717	1,043,113	1,053,881	1,070,185	1,152,123	1,141,982	1,183,752
U.S.A.	37,067	38,478	38,795	39,039	41,298	44,827	49,666	65,277
Zambia	3,255	2,864	3,465	3,091	2,489	3,431	3,803	5,550
Zimbabwe	47,134	39,504	26,469	28,831	31,233	20,493	23,207	24,652
Other countries	672,759	721,361	748,978	787,742	873,784	1,018,961	1,132,921	1,247,655
All countries	6,527,800	6,768,870	6,952,313	7,118,603	7,498,251	7,760,679	8,986,934	9,089,972

<sup>1</sup> The number of nights spent during period by tourists who arrived during the period and those who arrived prior to the 1st January of the period under review.

<sup>2</sup> Provisional

**Table 2.7 - Hotels, rooms and bed places, 1998 - 2008**

Year	No. of hotels	No. of rooms	No. of bed places
1998	90	7,267	14,995
1999	92	8,255	16,947
2000	95	8,657	17,776
2001	95	9,024	18,350
2002	95	9,623	19,597
2003	97	9,647	19,727
2004	103	10,640	21,355
2005	99	10,497	21,072
2006	98	10,666	21,403
2007	97	10,857	21,788
2008 *	102 <sup>1</sup>	11,488	23,095

<sup>1</sup> Excluding three hotels not operational because of renovation works.

\* Provisional

**Table 2.8 - Monthly occupancy rates in large hotels, 2007 & 2008**

Month	2007		2008*	
	Room <sup>1</sup>	Bed <sup>2</sup>	Room <sup>1</sup>	Bed <sup>2</sup>
January	89	79	82	74
February	86	77	80	72
March	81	72	78	70
April	80	72	75	67
May	74	67	68	61
June	62	56	49	44
July	74	67	62	56
August	77	70	67	60
September	78	70	68	61
October	81	72	73	65
November	85	77	71	63
December	80	72	70	63
<b>Whole year</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>62</b>

<sup>1</sup> Room Occupancy Rate =  $\frac{\text{Total number of room nights rented} \times 100}{\text{Total number of room nights available}}$

<sup>2</sup> Bed Occupancy Rate =  $\frac{\text{Total number of bed nights rented} \times 100}{\text{Total number of bed nights available}}$

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**SECTION 3 \* - PUBLIC HEALTH**

**Table 3.1-Health Infrastructure and selected personnel (as at 31st December) -**

**Republic of Mauritius, 2004 - 2008**

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008 <sup>6</sup>
<b>Hospitals</b>					
Regional hospitals	5	5	5	5	5
District hospitals <sup>1</sup>	3	3	3	3	3
Specialised hospitals (psychiatric, chest, eye and E.N.T) <sup>2</sup>	4	4	4	4	4
<b>Cardiac centre</b>	1	1	1	1	1
<b>Mediclinics</b>	2	2	2	2	2
<b>Area health centres<sup>3</sup></b>	27	27	26	26	26
<b>Health centres with beds (Island of Rodrigues)</b>	2	2	2	2	2
<b>Community health centres</b>	125	126	126	127	127
<b>Family health service centres<sup>4</sup></b>	4	3	3	3	4
<b>Dispensaries</b>					
Private dispensaries on sugar estates	17	15	13	12	11
Mobile dispensaries	1	1	1	1	1
<b>Clinics</b>					
Dental (including oral surgery and orthodontics)	45	50	50	53	54
Public mobile dental	2	2	2	3	3
Social hygiene	1	1	1	1	1
Private clinics	12	12	13	13	17
<b>Health offices</b>	14	14	14	14	14
<b>Personnel</b>					
<b>Doctors</b>					
Total government doctors <sup>5</sup>	775	777	856	844	852
of which: specialists	(258)	(263)	(253)	(257)	(275)
Doctors in private practice	528	565	544	581	598
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,303</b>	<b>1,342</b>	<b>1,400</b>	<b>1,425</b>	<b>1,450</b>
<b>Dentists</b>					
Government services <sup>5</sup>	58	56	56	64	61
Private	109	116	137	164	174
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>167</b>	<b>172</b>	<b>193</b>	<b>228</b>	<b>235</b>
<b>Pharmacists</b>					
Government services <sup>5</sup>	20	22	22	22	20
Private	266	267	280	305	328
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>286</b>	<b>289</b>	<b>302</b>	<b>327</b>	<b>348</b>
<b>Qualified nurse and midwives</b>					
Government services <sup>5</sup>	2,774	2,732	2,905	3,093	3,179
Private	163	170	182	207	321
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2,937</b>	<b>2,902</b>	<b>3,087</b>	<b>3,300</b>	<b>3,500</b>

1 Mahebourg, Souillac and Q. Elizabeth (Rodrigues) hospitals

2 The E.N.T. Centre is administratively attached to Victoria Hospital

3 Including Dr. Y. Cantin and Long Mountain Community Hospitals

4 Centres providing maternal and child health and family planning services only

5 Including temporary officers but excluding pre-registration ones

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\* Source: Health Statistics Unit, Ministry of Health and Quality of Life

Table 3.2 - Statistics of government hospitals - Island of Mauritius, 2002-2008

Period	No. of beds (as at end of period)	Patients in hospitals on first day of period	Total admissions	Deaths	Discharges (excluding deaths)	Patients remaining on last day of period
2002	3,564	1,688	189,990	3,448	186,572	1,658
2003	3,512	1,658	186,424	3,439	182,869	1,774
2004	3,530	1,774	191,142	3,728	187,457	1,731
2005	3,550	1,731	190,674	3,862	186,827	1,716
2006	3,546	1,716	194,022	4,214	189,360	2,164
2007	3,530	2,164	191,244	3,837	187,666	1,905
2008	3,478	1,905	194,609	4,177	190,599	1,738
2007 1st Quarter	3,542	2,164	49,444	936	47,112	3,560
2nd Quarter	3,535	3,560	49,970	1,189	48,764	3,577
3rd Quarter	3,530	3,577	47,712	860	46,104	4,325
4th Quarter	3,530	4,325	44,118	852	45,686	1,905
2008 1st Quarter	3,517	1,905	49,780	934	47,862	2,889
2nd Quarter	3,501	2,889	51,360	1,025	47,980	5,244
3rd Quarter	3,488	5,244	48,989	1,195	46,392	6,646
4th Quarter	3,478	6,646	44,480	1,023	48,365	1,738

Table 3.3 - Notifiable, contagious or communicable diseases - Republic of Mauritius<sup>1</sup>, 2006 - 2008

Period	Diseases																
	HIV/Aids <sup>2</sup>	Amoebiasis	Food poisoning	Gonorrhoea	Infective Hepatitis	Leprosy	Leptospirosis	Malaria	Measles	Meningitis (cerebrospinal)	Schistosomiasis	Soft Chancre	Syphilis	Tetanus	Tuberculosis <sup>3</sup>	Typhoid fever	Whooping Cough
2006	555	1	78	41	5	-	6	38	1	-	-	-	35	-	103	4	-
2007	568	-	766	49	5	1	9	42	13	8	-	-	12	1	107	15	1
2008	557	-	129	47	4	-	3	27	1	5	-	-	13	-	103	6	-
2007: 1st Qr	139	-	36	14	1	-	3	12	3	2	-	-	1	-	26	4	-
2nd Qr	179	-	128	10	2	-	4	5	-	2	-	-	2	-	4	5	-
3rd Qr	139	-	7	12	2	-	2	21	2	2	-	-	6	-	33	1	1
4th Qr	111	-	595	13	-	1	-	4	8	2	-	-	3	1	44	5	-
1st Qr	154	-	12	11	1	-	-	11	1	-	-	-	1	-	32	-	-
2nd Qr	142	-	4	9	-	-	3	7	-	-	-	-	8	-	20	3	-
3rd Qr	141	-	6	17	-	-	-	5	-	5	-	-	3	-	24	3	-
4th Qr	120	-	107	10	3	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	1	-	27	-	-

1 excluding Agalega and Saint Brandon

2 Mauritians and foreigners

3 including other forms of notifiable Tuberculosis

## SECTION 4 – PUBLIC FINANCE

### Government Finance Statistics

The data have been compiled according to the definitions and concepts as set down in the manual on "Government Finance Statistics (GFS) 1986" of the International Monetary Fund.

Table 4.1 relates to Budgetary Central Government accounts. Tables 4.2 to 4.2.7 are consolidated accounts of Central Government consisting of Budgetary Central Government, Extra Budgetary Units and Social Security Schemes. Tables 4.3 to 4.3.3 are consolidated accounts of the General Government consisting of Consolidated Central Government, Regional Government and Local Government.

### The General Government Sector

**Government** is defined as consisting of all units performing government functions: that is, the implementation of public policy through the provision of primarily non-market services and the transfer of income, supported mainly by compulsory levies.

The **General Government** sector is made up of (i) Central Government, (ii) Regional Government and (iii) Local Government.

**(i) Central Government** covers all units that are agencies of the country's central authority. It consists of Budgetary Central Government, Extra Budgetary Units and Social Security Schemes.

**Budgetary Central Government** includes all ministries and departments.

**Extra Budgetary Units** are agencies responsible for the performance of specialised governmental functions in such fields as health, education, social welfare, construction and so on, under the authority of Central Government. (e.g Mahatma Gandhi Institute, Mauritius Examinations Syndicate, Mauritius College of the Air, University of Mauritius, etc.)

**Social Security Schemes** are schemes imposed, controlled or financed by the public authorities for the purpose of providing social security benefits for the community. Included here is the National Pensions Scheme.

**(ii) Regional Government** consists of the administration of Rodrigues.

**(iii) Local Government** consists of municipalities and district councils/ village councils exercising an independent competence as government units.

Table 4.1 - Government Finance Statistics : Main Aggregates, 2004/2005 - 2007/2008

## Budgetary Central Government

R million

Main aggregates	2004/2005	2005/2006	2006/2007 <sup>1</sup>	2007/2008 <sup>1</sup>
1 Current revenue	35,192.4	38,508.7	41,818.2	52,744.3
(i) Tax revenue	32,718.6	35,381.5	38,185.9	47,831.4
(ii) Nontax revenue	2,473.8	3,127.2	3,632.3	4,912.9
2 Capital revenue	383.2	221.7	28.7	23.2
3 Total revenue	35,575.6	38,730.4	41,846.9	52,767.5
4 Grants	444.0	489.2	321.9	454.1
5 Total revenue and grants	36,019.6	39,219.6	42,168.8	53,221.6
6 Current expenditure	38,042.3	41,915.3	44,122.2	48,423.3
7 Capital expenditure	6,344.8	6,959.9	7,110.9	11,682.3
8 Total expenditure	44,387.1	48,875.2	51,233.1	60,105.6
9 Lending minus repayments	637.4	688.9	374.9	1,437.1
10 Total expenditure and lending minus repayments	45,024.5	49,564.1	51,608.0	61,542.7
11 Gross fixed capital formation	5,354.6	5,159.2	4,608.7	8,105.1
12 Current account surplus / deficit (1 - 6)	-2,849.9	-3,406.6	-2,304.0	4,321.0
13 Overall surplus / deficit (5 - 10)	-9,004.9	-10,344.5	-9,439.2	-8,321.1
14 Financing	9,004.9	10,344.5	9,439.2	8,321.1
(i) Domestic	8,539.2	11,493.7	4,974.0	8,560.7
<i>Non bank</i>	3,171.9	6,074.1	10,897.3	-11,447.4
<i>Deposit money banks</i>	4,054.8	4,292.4	-559.1	10,562.6
<i>Monetary authorities</i>	1,312.5	1,127.2	-332.2	9,445.5
(ii) Foreign	465.7	-1,149.2	4,465.2	-239.6
15 Budgetary central government debt	105,815.7	113,363.5	122,119.7	122,286.5
(i) Domestic	96,583.5	104,828.1	108,667.9	109,835.5
(ii) Foreign	9,232.2	8,535.4	13,451.8	12,451.0
<b>Total external debt of the Country</b>	<b>26,067.0</b>	<b>26,296.0</b>	<b>26,886.0</b>	<b>23,322.0</b>

<sup>1</sup> Revised

**Table 4.2 - Government Finance Statistics : Main Aggregates, 2004/2005 - 2007/2008****Consolidated Central Government****R million**

<b>Main aggregates</b>	<b>2004/2005</b>	<b>2005/2006</b>	<b>2006/2007</b>	<b>2007/2008</b>
1 Current revenue	38,490.0	41,691.7	45,289.8	57,116.2
(i) Tax revenue	34,338.7	37,117.3	40,052.8	49,926.5
(ii) Nontax revenue	4,151.3	4,574.4	5,237.0	7,189.7
2 Capital revenue	386.4	225.2	29.4	23.2
3 Total revenue	38,876.4	41,916.9	45,319.2	57,139.4
4 Grants	444.0	489.2	321.9	454.1
5 Total revenue and grants	39,320.4	42,406.1	45,641.1	57,593.5
6 Current expenditure	37,041.3	41,326.3	43,767.1	47,233.1
7 Capital expenditure	6,063.0	6,914.5	6,842.5	8,548.1
8 Total expenditure	43,104.3	48,240.8	50,609.6	55,781.2
9 Lending minus repayments	647.6	688.9	374.9	1,437.1
10 Total expenditure and lending minus repayments	43,751.9	48,929.7	50,984.5	57,218.3
11 Gross fixed capital formation	4,985.0	5,055.1	4,340.3	4,913.4
12 Current account surplus (1 - 6 )	1,448.7	365.4	1,522.7	9,883.1
13 Overall surplus / deficit (5 - 10 )	-4,431.5	-6,523.6	-5,343.4	375.2
14 Financing	4,431.5	6,523.6	5,343.4	-375.2
(i) Domestic	4,620.8	7,709.7	766.4	-177.2
<i>Non bank</i>	<i>613.6</i>	<i>3,392.8</i>	<i>9,205.7</i>	<i>-9,685.7</i>
<i>Deposit money banks</i>	<i>2,694.7</i>	<i>3,189.7</i>	<i>-5,534.4</i>	<i>12,617.1</i>
<i>Monetary authorities</i>	<i>1,312.5</i>	<i>1,127.2</i>	<i>-2,904.9</i>	<i>-3,108.6</i>
(ii) Foreign	-189.3	-1,186.1	4,577.0	-198.0
15 Central government debt at end of period	79,797.1	84,755.0	88,541.5	95,790.4
(i) Domestic	70,506.9	76,102.1	74,860.4	83,068.5
(ii) Foreign	9,290.2	8,652.9	13,681.1	12,721.9
<b>Total external debt of the Country</b>	<b>26,067.0</b>	<b>26,296.0</b>	<b>26,886.0</b>	<b>23,322.0</b>



**Table 4.2.1 - Total revenue and grants, 2004/2005 - 2007/2008**

**Consolidated Central Government**

	<b>R million</b>			
<b>Revenue items</b>	<b>2004/2005</b>	<b>2005/2006<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>2006/2007</b>	<b>2007/2008</b>
<b>Current revenue</b>	<b>38,490.0</b>	<b>41,691.7</b>	<b>45,289.8</b>	<b>57,116.2</b>
<b>Tax revenue</b>	<b>34,338.7</b>	<b>37,117.3</b>	<b>40,052.8</b>	<b>49,926.5</b>
Tax on income, profits and capital gains	5,829.0	7,468.9	7,607.6	10,558.2
Individual income tax	2,553.2	2,767.9	2,332.3	3,405.7
Corporate tax	3,275.8	4,701.0	5,275.3	6,236.4
Social security contributions	1,311.1	1,394.2	1,502.0	1,696.5
Taxes on payroll and workforce	204.1	219.0	253.2	272.0
Taxes on property	1,680.2	1,939.5	2,798.5	4,003.0
Domestic taxes on goods and services	17,569.6	18,884.6	21,515.3	26,604.0
of which : Excise duties	2,838.4	2,467.8	2,998.9	4,198.0
Sales tax	12,529.3	13,709.5	15,468.1	18,542.0
Tax on gambling	1,075.3	1,185.4	1,085.6	1,441.2
Tax on hotel bills	26.5	344.9	506.3	788.3
Import duties	7,730.5	7,195.4	6,299.2	6,646.2
Other tax revenue	14.2	15.7	77.0	146.6
<b>Nontax revenue</b>	<b>4,151.3</b>	<b>4,574.4</b>	<b>5,237.0</b>	<b>7,189.7</b>
Property income	2,344.1	2,582.8	3,112.2	4,739.8
Fees, charges and non-industrial sales	1,282.9	1,386.4	1,506.5	1,851.1
Fines and forfeits	150.6	151.4	152.5	163.8
Employees' contributions to government employee pension funds	175.4	185.8	191.2	196.7
Other nontax revenue	198.3	268.0	274.6	238.3
<b>Capital Revenue</b>	<b>386.4</b>	<b>225.2</b>	<b>29.4</b>	<b>23.2</b>
Sale of fixed capital assets	386.4	225.2	29.4	23.2
<b>Total revenue</b>	<b>38,876.4</b>	<b>41,916.9</b>	<b>45,319.2</b>	<b>57,139.4</b>
<b>Grants</b>	<b>444.0</b>	<b>489.2</b>	<b>321.9</b>	<b>454.1</b>
<b>Total revenue and grants</b>	<b>39,320.4</b>	<b>42,406.1</b>	<b>45,641.1</b>	<b>57,593.5</b>

<sup>1</sup> Revised

Table 4.2.2 - Functional classification of expenditure, 2004/2005 - 2007/2008

Functional categories	2004/2005						2005/2006			2006/2007			2007/2008		
	Current	Capital	Total	Current	Capital	Total	Current	Capital	Total	Current	Capital	Total	Current	Capital	Total
	R million														
<b>General Government Services</b>	<b>6,744.6</b>	<b>650.3</b>	<b>7,394.9</b>	<b>7,413.1</b>	<b>853.8</b>	<b>8,266.9</b>	<b>7,511.9</b>	<b>871.7</b>	<b>8,383.6</b>	<b>7,803.2</b>	<b>1,278.1</b>	<b>9,081.3</b>	<b>7,803.2</b>	<b>1,278.1</b>	<b>9,081.3</b>
General public services	3,101.7	397.7	3,499.4	3,442.1	508.2	3,950.3	3,471.5	578.6	4,050.1	3,624.9	952.5	4,577.4	3,624.9	952.5	4,577.4
Defence	292.3	0.8	293.1	345.4	2.9	348.3	334.5	2.2	336.7	-	-	0.0	-	-	0.0
Public order and safety	3,350.6	251.8	3,602.4	3,625.6	342.7	3,968.3	3,705.9	290.9	3,996.8	4,178.3	325.6	4,503.9	4,178.3	325.6	4,503.9
<b>Community and Social Services</b>	<b>20,430.7</b>	<b>3,823.2</b>	<b>24,253.9</b>	<b>22,655.6</b>	<b>4,257.5</b>	<b>26,913.1</b>	<b>24,075.5</b>	<b>3,953.2</b>	<b>28,028.7</b>	<b>25,796.9</b>	<b>3,344.7</b>	<b>29,141.6</b>	<b>25,796.9</b>	<b>3,344.7</b>	<b>29,141.6</b>
Education	6,227.9	800.3	7,028.2	6,729.8	746.3	7,476.1	6,997.7	654.6	7,652.3	7,387.8	842.7	8,230.5	7,387.8	842.7	8,230.5
Health	3,609.2	356.0	3,965.2	4,049.0	164.3	4,213.3	4,243.6	161.8	4,405.4	4,478.9	227.5	4,706.4	4,478.9	227.5	4,706.4
Social security and welfare	9,345.5	154.2	9,499.7	10,484.9	716.0	11,200.9	11,513.6	637.8	12,151.4	12,419.4	182.7	12,602.1	12,419.4	182.7	12,602.1
Housing and community amenities	788.0	2,428.4	3,216.4	886.0	2,550.8	3,436.8	829.2	2,431.2	3,260.4	997.2	2,037.1	3,034.3	997.2	2,037.1	3,034.3
Recreational,cultural and religious services	460.1	84.3	544.4	505.9	80.1	586.0	491.4	67.8	559.2	513.6	54.7	568.3	513.6	54.7	568.3
<b>Economic Services</b>	<b>3,269.4</b>	<b>1,108.4</b>	<b>4,377.8</b>	<b>4,115.1</b>	<b>1,339.7</b>	<b>5,454.8</b>	<b>3,349.6</b>	<b>1,431.7</b>	<b>4,781.3</b>	<b>3,564.9</b>	<b>3,230.9</b>	<b>6,795.8</b>	<b>3,564.9</b>	<b>3,230.9</b>	<b>6,795.8</b>
Fuel and energy	40.3	28.9	69.2	29.9	8.1	38.0	23.9	9.3	33.2	28.2	3.7	31.9	28.2	3.7	31.9
Agriculture,forestry,fishing and hunting	1,313.2	354.2	1,667.4	1,272.2	183.4	1,455.6	1,244.2	143.9	1,388.1	1,379.1	1,947.2	3,326.3	1,379.1	1,947.2	3,326.3
Mining and mineral resources, manufacturing and construction	166.7	16.0	182.7	147.4	20.8	168.2	113.4	1.7	115.1	109.9	1.9	111.8	109.9	1.9	111.8
Transportation and communication	421.6	188.6	610.2	906.0	585.4	1,491.4	1,133.3	422.9	1,556.2	1,149.0	495.5	1,644.5	1,149.0	495.5	1,644.5
Other economic services	1,327.6	520.7	1,848.3	1,759.6	542.0	2,301.6	834.8	853.9	1,688.7	898.7	782.6	1,681.3	898.7	782.6	1,681.3
<b>Other functions</b>	<b>6,596.6</b>	<b>481.1</b>	<b>7,077.7</b>	<b>7,142.5</b>	<b>463.5</b>	<b>7,606.0</b>	<b>8,830.1</b>	<b>585.9</b>	<b>9,416.0</b>	<b>10,068.1</b>	<b>694.4</b>	<b>10,762.5</b>	<b>10,068.1</b>	<b>694.4</b>	<b>10,762.5</b>
Other expenditure	6,596.6	481.1	7,077.7	7,142.5	463.5	7,606.0	8,830.1	585.9	9,416.0	10,068.1	694.4	10,762.5	10,068.1	694.4	10,762.5
Public debt interest	4,669.4	-	4,669.4	5,139.3	-	5,139.3	6,822.6	-	6,822.6	7,970.6	-	7,970.6	7,970.6	-	7,970.6
Transfer to local government	1,236.4	70.2	1,306.6	1,297.7	102.7	1,400.4	1,293.5	311.9	1,605.4	1,361.5	301.4	1,662.9	1,361.5	301.4	1,662.9
Transfer to Rodrigues	690.8	410.9	1,101.7	705.5	360.8	1,066.3	714.0	274.0	988.0	736.0	393.0	1,129.0	736.0	393.0	1,129.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>37,041.3</b>	<b>6,063.0</b>	<b>43,104.3</b>	<b>41,326.3</b>	<b>6,914.5</b>	<b>48,240.8</b>	<b>43,767.1</b>	<b>6,842.5</b>	<b>50,609.6</b>	<b>47,233.1</b>	<b>8,548.1</b>	<b>55,781.2</b>	<b>47,233.1</b>	<b>8,548.1</b>	<b>55,781.2</b>

**Table 4.2.3 - Economic classification of total expenditure, 2004/2005 - 2007/2008**  
**Consolidated Central Government**

R million

Economic categories	2004/2005	2005/2006	2006/2007	2007/2008
<b>Current expenditure</b>	<b>37,041.3</b>	<b>41,326.3</b>	<b>43,767.1</b>	<b>47,233.1</b>
Wages and salaries	14,772.3	15,513.4	16,181.5	16,926.3
Employer contributions to pension schemes	250.0	265.0	330.0	380.0
Other purchases of goods and services	4,786.4	5,792.4	5,538.9	5,748.9
Interest payments	4,669.4	5,139.3	6,822.6	7,970.6
Subsidies and other current transfers	12,563.2	14,616.2	14,894.1	16,207.3
Subsidies	1,040.6	1,651.4	1,249.6	1,530.4
Transfers to local government	1,236.4	1,297.7	1,293.5	1,361.5
Transfer to Rodrigues	690.8	705.5	714.0	736.0
Transfers to nonprofit institutions and households	9,471.1	10,772.5	11,460.1	12,393.6
Transfers abroad	124.3	189.1	176.9	185.8
<b>Capital expenditure</b>	<b>6,063.0</b>	<b>6,914.5</b>	<b>6,842.5</b>	<b>8,548.1</b>
Acquisition of fixed capital assets	4,985.0	5,055.1	4,340.3	4,913.4
Purchase of land	49.6	147.7	153.7	269.7
Capital transfers	1,028.4	1,711.7	2,348.5	3,365.0
To local government	70.2	102.7	311.9	301.4
To Rodrigues	410.9	360.8	274.0	393.0
To nonfinancial public enterprises	238.6	952.6	784.3	264.1
To public financial institutions	183.5	203.2	945.7	149.0
Other domestic transfers	118.7	85.8	25.4	2,156.9
Abroad	6.5	6.6	7.2	100.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>43,104.3</b>	<b>48,240.8</b>	<b>50,609.6</b>	<b>55,781.2</b>

**Table 4.2.4 - Financing by type of debt holder, 2004/2005 - 2007/2008**  
**Consolidated Central Government**

R million

Debt holders	2004/2005	2005/2006	2006/2007	2007/2008
<b>Domestic financing</b>	<b>4,620.8</b>	<b>7,709.7</b>	<b>766.4</b>	<b>-177.2</b>
Other general government	-359.6	1,212.8	1,948.8	-355.4
Monetary authorities	1,312.5	1,127.2	-2,904.9	-3,108.6
of which: I.M.F.	-44.0	475.6	225.0	-3.6
Deposit money banks	2,694.7	3,189.7	-5,534.4	12,617.1
Other	973.2	2,180.0	7,256.9	-9,330.3
<b>Foreign financing</b>	<b>-189.3</b>	<b>-1,186.1</b>	<b>4,577.0</b>	<b>-198.0</b>
International development institutions	-186.7	-240.5	666.7	900.4
Foreign governments	507.7	-517.4	1,028.7	648.6
Other	202.7	-331.8	2,881.6	-1,747.0
Changes in cash, deposits, etc.	-713.0	-96.4	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,431.5</b>	<b>6,523.6</b>	<b>5,343.4</b>	<b>-375.2</b>

**Table 4.2.5 - Financing by type of debt instrument, 2004/2005 - 2007/2008****Consolidated Central Government****R million**

Debt instrument	2004/2005	2005/2006	2006/2007	2007/2008
<b>Domestic financing</b>	<b>4,620.8</b>	<b>7,709.7</b>	<b>766.4</b>	<b>-177.2</b>
Long-term bonds and bills	7,319.0	10,454.5	12,339.9	7,470.2
Short-term bonds and bills	97.1	-1,242.8	-11,449.2	-2,207.8
Long-term loans n.e.c	134.5	192.9	217.7	208.9
of which: I.M.F.	-	-	-	-
Short-term loans and advances	0.6	0.6	0.6	-0.2
Other liabilities	-262.8	-161.1	-206.3	-290.8
Changes in cash ,deposits,etc	-2,625.1	-1,505.3	-136.3	-5,357.5
Discrepancy	-42.5	-29.1	-	-
<b>Foreign financing</b>	<b>-189.3</b>	<b>-1,186.1</b>	<b>4,577.0</b>	<b>-198.0</b>
Long-term bonds and bills	-	-	867.8	-272.6
Short-term bonds and bills	208.2	-325.9	2,019.9	-1,469.0
Long-term loans	315.5	-763.8	1,689.3	1,543.6
Changes in cash,deposits,etc.	-713.0	-96.4	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,431.5</b>	<b>6,523.6</b>	<b>5,343.4</b>	<b>-375.2</b>

**Table 4.2.6 - Outstanding debt by type of debt holder (as at end of period), 2004/2005 - 2007/2008****Consolidated Central Government****R million**

Debt holders	2004/2005	2005/2006	2006/2007	2007/2008
<b>Domestic debt</b>	<b>70,506.9</b>	<b>76,102.1</b>	<b>74,860.4</b>	<b>83,068.5</b>
Other general government	-	-	-	-
Monetary authorities	3,321.7	4,039.9	636.5	606.0
of which: I.M.F.	-	-	-	-
Deposit money banks	44,915.9	48,372.3	43,589.4	57,586.0
Other	22,269.3	23,689.9	30,634.5	24,876.5
<b>Foreign debt</b>	<b>9,290.2</b>	<b>8,652.9</b>	<b>13,681.1</b>	<b>12,721.9</b>
International development institutions	4,970.4	5,043.0	5,861.8	6,177.9
Foreign governments	3,908.8	3,545.1	4,687.8	5,288.8
Other	411.0	64.8	3,131.5	1,255.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>79,797.1</b>	<b>84,755.0</b>	<b>88,541.5</b>	<b>95,790.4</b>

**Table 4.2.7- Outstanding debt by type of debt instrument (as at end of period),2004/2005 - 2007/2008****Consolidated Central Government****R million**

Debt instrument	2004/2005	2005/2006	2006/2007	2007/2008
<b>Domestic debt</b>	<b>70,506.9</b>	<b>76,102.1</b>	<b>74,860.4</b>	<b>83,068.5</b>
Long-term bonds and bills	17,584.5	24,525.5	37,336.4	46,458.6
Short-term bonds and bills	52,142.4	50,270.2	36,489.2	35,563.7
Long-term loans n.e.c	67.0	206.6	2.2	2.0
of which: I.M.F.	-	-	-	-
Short-term loans and advances	-	-	-	-
Other liabilities	713.0	1,099.8	1,032.6	1,044.2
<b>Foreign debt</b>	<b>9,290.2</b>	<b>8,652.9</b>	<b>13,681.1</b>	<b>12,721.9</b>
Long-term bonds and bills	-	-	896.3	605.3
Short-term bonds and bills	350.1	6.9	2,182.1	609.6
Long-term loans	8,940.1	8,646.0	10,602.7	11,507.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>79,797.1</b>	<b>84,755.0</b>	<b>88,541.5</b>	<b>95,790.4</b>

**Table 4.3 - Government Finance Statistics, Main Aggregates, 2004/2005 -2007/2008****Consolidated General Government****R million**

<b>Main aggregates</b>	<b>2004/2005</b>	<b>2005/2006<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>2006/2007</b>	<b>2007/2008</b>
1 Current revenue	39,146.1	42,394.0	46,112.9	58,012.7
(i) Tax revenue	34,824.9	37,656.3	40,678.5	50,580.3
(ii) Nontax revenue	4,321.2	4,737.7	5,434.4	7,432.4
2 Capital revenue	386.4	225.2	29.4	23.2
3 Total revenue	39,532.5	42,619.2	46,142.3	58,035.9
4 Grants	444.0	489.2	321.9	-454.1
5 Total revenue and grants	39,976.5	43,108.4	46,464.2	58,490.0
6 Current expenditure	37,491.1	41,785.0	44,279.9	47,801.8
7 Capital expenditure	6,314.4	7,080.6	6,820.0	8,526.5
8 Total expenditure	43,805.5	48,865.6	51,099.9	56,328.3
9 Lending minus repayments	647.6	688.9	374.9	1,437.1
10 Total expenditure and lending minus repayments	44,453.1	49,554.5	51,474.8	57,765.4
11 Gross fixed capital formation	5,705.1	5,684.7	4,903.7	5,579.0
12 Current account surplus (1 - 6)	1,655.0	609.0	1,833.0	10,210.9
13 Overall surplus / deficit (5 - 10)	-4,476.6	-6,446.1	-5,010.6	724.6
14 Financing	4,476.6	6,446.1	5,010.6	-724.6
(i) Domestic	4,665.9	7,632.2	433.6	-526.6
(ii) Foreign	-189.3	-1,186.1	4,577.0	-198.0

<sup>1</sup> Revised

**Table 4.3.1 - Revenue and grants, 2004/2005 - 2007/2008**  
**Consolidated General Government**

Revenue items	2004/2005				2005/2006			
	Central Government	Regional Government	Local Government	Consolidated General Govt.	Central Government	Regional Government	Local Government	Consolidated General Govt.
<b>Current revenue</b>	<b>38,490.0</b>	<b>14.7</b>	<b>641.4</b>	<b>39,146.1</b>	<b>41,691.7</b>	<b>14.7</b>	<b>687.6</b>	<b>42,394.0</b>
<b>Tax revenue</b>	<b>34,338.7</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>484.2</b>	<b>34,824.9</b>	<b>37,117.3</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>537.2</b>	<b>37,656.3</b>
Tax on income, profits and capital gains	5,829.0	-	-	5,829.0	7,468.9	-	-	7,468.9
Individual income tax	2,553.2	-	-	2,553.2	2,767.9	-	-	2,767.9
Corporate tax	3,275.8	-	-	3,275.8	4,701.0	-	-	4,701.0
Social security contributions	1,311.1	-	-	1,311.1	1,394.2	-	-	1,394.2
Taxes on payroll and workforce	204.1	-	-	204.1	219.0	-	-	219.0
Taxes on property	1,680.2	-	240.1	1,920.3	1,939.5	-	247.7	2,187.2
Taxes on goods and services	17,569.6	2.0	244.1	17,815.7	18,884.6	1.8	289.5	19,175.9
Domestic taxes on goods and services	2,838.4	-	-	2,838.4	2,467.8	-	-	2,467.8
of which : Excise duties	12,529.3	-	-	12,529.3	13,709.5	-	-	13,709.5
Sales tax	1,075.3	-	-	1,075.3	1,185.4	-	-	1,185.4
Tax on gambling	26.5	-	-	26.5	344.9	-	-	344.9
Tax on hotel bills	7,730.5	-	-	7,730.5	7,195.4	-	-	7,195.4
Import duties	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Export duties	14.2	-	-	14.2	15.7	-	-	15.7
Other tax revenue	4,151.3	12.7	157.2	4,321.2	4,574.4	12.9	150.4	4,737.7
<b>Nontax revenue</b>	<b>2,344.1</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>45.2</b>	<b>2,395.2</b>	<b>2,582.8</b>	<b>6.1</b>	<b>47.3</b>	<b>2,636.2</b>
Property income	1,282.9	5.7	95.9	1,384.5	1,386.4	5.1	93.0	1,484.5
Fees, charges and non-industrial sales	150.6	0.9	0.1	151.6	151.4	1.5	0.1	153.0
Fines and Forfeits	175.4	0.2	-	175.6	185.8	0.2	-	186.0
Employees' contributions to government employee pension funds	198.3	-	16.0	214.3	268.0	-	10.0	278.0
Other nontax revenue	386.4	-	-	386.4	225.2	-	-	225.2
<b>Capital revenue</b>	<b>386.4</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>386.4</b>	<b>225.2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>225.2</b>
Sale of fixed capital assets	386.4	-	-	386.4	225.2	-	-	225.2
<b>Total revenue</b>	<b>38,876.4</b>	<b>14.7</b>	<b>641.4</b>	<b>39,532.5</b>	<b>41,916.9</b>	<b>14.7</b>	<b>687.6</b>	<b>42,619.2</b>
<b>Grants</b>	<b>444.0</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>444.0</b>	<b>489.2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>489.2</b>
<b>Total revenue and grants</b>	<b>39,320.4</b>	<b>14.7</b>	<b>641.4</b>	<b>39,976.5</b>	<b>42,406.1</b>	<b>14.7</b>	<b>687.6</b>	<b>43,108.4</b>

Table 4.3.1 (Cont'd) - Revenue and grants, 2004/2005 - 2007/2008

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R million

Revenue items	2006/2007				2007/2008			
	Central Government	Regional Government	Local Government	Consolidated General Govt.	Central Government	Regional Government	Local Government	Consolidated General Govt.
<b>Current revenue</b>	<b>45,289.8</b>	<b>18.8</b>	<b>804.3</b>	<b>46,112.9</b>	<b>57,116.2</b>	<b>17.9</b>	<b>878.6</b>	<b>58,012.7</b>
<b>Tax revenue</b>	<b>40,052.8</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>623.5</b>	<b>40,678.5</b>	<b>49,926.5</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>651.2</b>	<b>50,580.3</b>
Tax on income, profits and capital gains	7,607.6	-	-	7,607.6	10,558.2	-	-	10,558.2
Individual income tax	2,332.3	-	-	2,332.3	3,405.7	-	-	3,405.7
Corporate tax	5,275.3	-	-	5,275.3	6,236.4	-	-	6,236.4
Social security contributions	1,502.0	-	-	1,502.0	1,696.5	-	-	1,696.5
Taxes on payroll and workforce	253.2	-	-	253.2	272.0	-	-	272.0
Taxes on property	2,798.5	-	287.6	3,086.1	4,003.0	-	305.7	4,308.7
Domestic taxes on goods and services	21,515.3	2.2	335.9	21,853.4	26,604.0	2.6	345.5	26,952.1
of which :								
Excise duties	2,998.9	-	-	2,998.9	4,198.0	-	-	4,198.0
Sales tax	15,468.1	-	-	15,468.1	18,542.0	-	-	18,542.0
Tax on gambling	1,085.6	-	-	1,085.6	1,441.2	-	-	1,441.2
Tax on hotel bills	506.3	-	-	506.3	788.3	-	-	788.3
Import duties	6,299.2	-	-	6,299.2	6,646.2	-	-	6,646.2
Export duties	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other tax revenue	77.0	-	-	77.0	146.6	-	-	146.6
<b>Nontax revenue</b>	<b>5,237.0</b>	<b>16.6</b>	<b>180.8</b>	<b>5,434.4</b>	<b>7,189.7</b>	<b>15.3</b>	<b>227.4</b>	<b>7,432.4</b>
Property income	3,112.2	7.0	69.4	3,188.6	4,739.8	6.5	101.8	4,848.1
Fees, charges and non-industrial sales	1,506.5	7.8	105.8	1,620.1	1,851.1	7.0	123.1	1,981.2
Fines and Forfeits	152.5	1.5	0.2	154.2	163.8	1.4	0.2	165.4
Employees' contributions to government employee pension funds	191.2	0.3	-	191.5	196.7	0.4	-	197.1
Other nontax revenue	274.6	-	5.4	280.0	238.3	-	2.3	240.6
<b>Capital revenue</b>	<b>29.4</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>29.4</b>	<b>23.2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>23.2</b>
Sale of fixed capital assets	29.4	-	-	29.4	23.2	-	-	23.2
<b>Total revenue</b>	<b>45,319.2</b>	<b>18.8</b>	<b>804.3</b>	<b>46,142.3</b>	<b>57,139.4</b>	<b>17.9</b>	<b>878.6</b>	<b>58,035.9</b>
<b>Grants</b>	<b>321.9</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>321.9</b>	<b>454.1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>454.1</b>
<b>Total revenue and grants</b>	<b>45,641.1</b>	<b>18.8</b>	<b>804.3</b>	<b>46,464.2</b>	<b>57,593.5</b>	<b>17.9</b>	<b>878.6</b>	<b>58,490.0</b>

Table 4.3.2 - Functional classification of expenditure, 2004/2005 - 2007/2008

## Consolidated General Government

Functional categories	2004/2005				2005/2006			
	Central Government	Regional Government	Local Government	Consolidated General Govt.	Central Government	Regional Government	Local Government	Consolidated General Govt.
<b>General Government Services</b>	<b>7,394.9</b>	<b>215.5</b>	<b>435.7</b>	<b>8,046.1</b>	<b>8,266.9</b>	<b>189.7</b>	<b>457.4</b>	<b>8,914.0</b>
General public services	3,499.4	196.2	435.7	4,131.3	3,950.3	168.9	457.4	4,576.6
Defence	293.1	-	-	293.1	348.3	-	-	348.3
Public order and safety	3,602.4	19.3	-	3,621.7	3,968.3	20.8	-	3,989.1
<b>Community and Social Services</b>	<b>24,253.9</b>	<b>600.6</b>	<b>1,111.6</b>	<b>25,966.1</b>	<b>26,913.1</b>	<b>556.2</b>	<b>1,081.1</b>	<b>28,550.4</b>
Education	7,028.2	141.9	12.4	7,182.5	7,476.1	125.2	13.0	7,614.3
Health	3,965.2	140.0	-	4,105.2	4,213.3	156.9	-	4,370.2
Social security and welfare	9,499.7	36.1	146.1	9,681.9	11,200.9	42.2	151.7	11,394.8
Housing and community amenities	3,216.4	180.9	763.0	4,160.3	3,436.8	140.5	753.9	4,331.2
Recreational,cultural and religious services	544.4	101.7	190.1	836.2	586.0	91.4	162.5	839.9
<b>Economic Services</b>	<b>4,377.8</b>	<b>305.6</b>	<b>432.7</b>	<b>5,116.1</b>	<b>5,454.8</b>	<b>352.5</b>	<b>451.2</b>	<b>6,258.5</b>
Fuel and energy	69.2	-	-	69.2	38.0	-	-	38.0
Agriculture,forestry,fishing and hunting	1,667.4	158.1	-	1,825.5	1,455.6	169.1	-	1,624.7
Mining and mineral resources, manufacturing & construction	182.7	-	309.1	491.8	168.2	-	335.0	503.2
Transportation & communication	610.2	133.8	123.6	867.6	1,491.4	163.8	111.7	1,766.9
Other economic services	1,848.3	13.7	-	1,862.0	2,301.6	19.6	4.5	2,325.7
<b>Other functions</b>	<b>4,669.4</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>7.8</b>	<b>4,677.2</b>	<b>5,139.3</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>5,142.7</b>
Other expenditure	4,669.4	-	7.8	4,677.2	5,139.3	-	3.4	5,142.7
Public debt interest	4,669.4	-	7.8	4,677.2	-	-	3.4	-
Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>40,696.0</b>	<b>1,121.7</b>	<b>1,987.8</b>	<b>43,805.5</b>	<b>45,774.1</b>	<b>1,098.4</b>	<b>1,993.1</b>	<b>48,865.6</b>



Table 4.3.2 - (Cont'd) Functional classification of expenditure, 2004/2005 - 2007/2008

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R million

Functional categories	2006/2007				2007/2008			
	Central Government	Regional Government	Local Government	Consolidated General Govt.	Central Government	Regional Government	Local Government	Consolidated General Govt.
<b>General Government Services</b>	<b>8,383.6</b>	<b>182.8</b>	<b>462.3</b>	<b>9,028.7</b>	<b>9,081.3</b>	<b>223.7</b>	<b>437.4</b>	<b>9,742.4</b>
General public services	4,050.1	160.1	462.3	4,672.5	4,577.4	197.7	437.4	5,212.5
Defence	336.7	-	-	336.7	0.0	-	-	-
Public order and safety	3,996.8	22.7	-	4,019.5	4,503.9	26.0	-	4,529.9
<b>Community and Social Services</b>	<b>28,028.7</b>	<b>565.4</b>	<b>1,092.4</b>	<b>29,686.5</b>	<b>29,141.6</b>	<b>596.5</b>	<b>1,176.2</b>	<b>30,914.3</b>
Education	7,652.3	130.2	13.1	7,795.6	8,230.5	120.6	14.2	8,365.3
Health	4,405.4	164.5	-	4,569.9	4,706.4	184.6	0.2	4,891.2
Social security and welfare	12,151.4	47.9	154.9	12,354.2	12,602.1	55.0	169.6	12,826.7
Housing and community amenities	3,260.4	139.3	776.1	4,175.8	3,034.3	183.0	812.6	4,029.9
Recreational,cultural and religious services	559.2	83.5	148.3	791.0	568.3	53.3	179.6	801.2
<b>Economic Services</b>	<b>4,781.3</b>	<b>256.8</b>	<b>520.4</b>	<b>5,558.5</b>	<b>6,795.8</b>	<b>345.5</b>	<b>552.4</b>	<b>7,693.7</b>
Fuel and energy	33.2	-	-	33.2	31.9	0.5	-	32.4
Agriculture,forestry,fishing and hunting	1,388.1	128.6	-	1,516.7	3,326.3	142.8	-	3,469.1
Mining and mineral resources,								
manufacturing & construction	115.1	-	317.3	432.4	111.8	0.1	389.6	501.5
Transportation & communication	1,556.2	105.2	202.7	1,864.1	1,644.5	176.0	161.1	1,981.6
Other economic services	1,688.7	23.0	0.4	1,712.1	1,681.3	26.1	1.7	1,709.1
<b>Other functions</b>	<b>6,822.6</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>6,826.2</b>	<b>7,970.6</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>7.3</b>	<b>7,977.9</b>
Other expenditure	6,822.6	-	3.6	6,826.2	7,970.6	-	7.3	7,977.9
Public debt interest	6,822.6	-	3.6	6,826.2	7,970.6	-	7.3	7,977.9
Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>48,016.2</b>	<b>1,005.0</b>	<b>2,078.7</b>	<b>51,099.9</b>	<b>52,989.3</b>	<b>1,165.7</b>	<b>2,173.3</b>	<b>56,328.3</b>

Table 4.3.3 - Economic classification of expenditure, 2004/2005 - 2007/2008

Economic categories	2004/2005				2005/2006 <sup>1</sup>			
	Central Government	Regional Government	Local Government	Consolidated General Govt.	Central Government	Regional Government	Local Government	Consolidated General Govt.
	<b>Current expenditure</b>	<b>35,114.1</b>	<b>701.3</b>	<b>1,675.7</b>	<b>37,491.1</b>	<b>39,323.1</b>	<b>748.6</b>	<b>1,713.3</b>
Wages and salaries	14,772.3	476.5	927.2	16,176.0	15,513.4	492.2	983.7	16,989.3
Employer contributions to pension schemes	250.0	-	-	250.0	265.0	-	-	265.0
Other purchases of goods and services	4,786.4	110.0	553.3	5,449.7	5,792.4	127.0	551.8	6,471.2
Interest payments	4,669.4	-	7.8	4,677.2	5,139.3	-	3.4	5,142.7
Subsidies and other current transfers	10,636.0	114.8	187.4	10,938.2	12,613.0	129.4	174.4	12,916.8
Subsidies	1,040.6	3.1	-	1,043.7	1,651.4	4.6	-	1,656.0
Transfers to nonprofit institutions and households	9,471.1	111.7	186.8	9,769.6	10,772.5	124.8	173.2	11,070.5
Transfer abroad	124.3	-	0.6	124.9	189.1	-	1.2	190.3
<b>Capital expenditure</b>	<b>5,581.9</b>	<b>420.4</b>	<b>312.1</b>	<b>6,314.4</b>	<b>6,451.0</b>	<b>349.8</b>	<b>279.8</b>	<b>7,080.6</b>
Acquisition of fixed capital assets	4,985.0	409.8	310.3	5,705.1	5,055.1	349.8	279.8	5,684.7
Purchase of land	49.6	10.6	1.8	62.0	147.7	-	-	147.7
Capital transfers	547.3	-	-	547.3	1,248.2	-	-	1,248.2
<i>To nonfinancial public enterprises</i>	238.6	-	-	238.6	952.6	-	-	952.6
<i>To public financial institutions</i>	183.5	-	-	183.5	203.2	-	-	203.2
<i>Other domestic transfers</i>	118.7	-	-	118.7	85.8	-	-	85.8
<i>Abroad</i>	6.5	-	-	6.5	6.6	-	-	6.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>40,696.0</b>	<b>1,121.7</b>	<b>1,987.8</b>	<b>43,805.5</b>	<b>45,774.1</b>	<b>1,098.4</b>	<b>1,993.1</b>	<b>48,865.6</b>

Table 4.3.3 (Cont'd) - Economic classification of expenditure, 2004/2005 - 2007/2008

Economic categories	R million											
	2006/2007					2007/2008						
	Central Government	Regional Government	Local Government	Consolidated General Govt.	Central Government	Regional Government	Local Government	Consolidated General Govt.	Central Government	Regional Government	Local Government	Consolidated General Govt.
<b>Current expenditure</b>	<b>41,759.6</b>	<b>746.6</b>	<b>1,773.7</b>	<b>44,279.9</b>	<b>45,135.6</b>	<b>783.1</b>	<b>1,883.1</b>	<b>47,801.8</b>	<b>45,135.6</b>	<b>783.1</b>	<b>1,883.1</b>	<b>47,801.8</b>
Wages and salaries	16,181.5	491.3	1,013.3	17,686.1	16,926.3	503.0	1,080.8	18,510.1	16,926.3	503.0	1,080.8	18,510.1
Employer contributions to pension schemes	330.0	-	-	330.0	380.0	-	-	380.0	380.0	-	-	380.0
Other purchases of goods and services	5,538.9	139.6	584.9	6,263.4	5,748.9	171.7	612.3	6,532.9	5,748.9	171.7	612.3	6,532.9
Interest payments	6,822.6	-	3.6	6,826.2	7,970.6	-	7.3	7,977.9	7,970.6	-	7.3	7,977.9
Subsidies and other current transfers	12,886.6	115.7	171.9	13,174.2	14,109.8	108.4	182.7	14,400.9	14,109.8	108.4	182.7	14,400.9
Subsidies	1,249.6	3.4	-	1,253.0	1,530.4	3.2	-	1,533.6	1,530.4	3.2	-	1,533.6
Transfers to nonprofit institutions and households	11,460.1	112.3	171.3	11,743.7	12,393.6	105.2	182.2	12,681.0	12,393.6	105.2	182.2	12,681.0
Transfer abroad	176.9	-	0.6	177.5	185.8	-	0.5	186.3	185.8	-	0.5	186.3
<b>Capital expenditure</b>	<b>6,256.6</b>	<b>258.4</b>	<b>305.0</b>	<b>6,820.0</b>	<b>7,853.7</b>	<b>382.6</b>	<b>290.2</b>	<b>8,525.6</b>	<b>7,853.7</b>	<b>382.6</b>	<b>290.2</b>	<b>8,525.6</b>
Acquisition of fixed capital assets	4,340.3	258.4	305.0	4,903.7	4,913.4	375.4	290.2	5,579.0	4,913.4	375.4	290.2	5,579.0
Purchase of land	153.7	-	-	153.7	269.7	0.2	-	269.0	269.7	0.2	-	269.0
Capital transfers	1,762.6	-	-	1,762.6	2,670.6	7.0	-	2,677.6	2,670.6	7.0	-	2,677.6
<i>To nonfinancial public enterprises</i>	784.3	-	-	784.3	264.1	7.0	-	271.1	264.1	7.0	-	271.1
<i>To public financial institutions</i>	945.7	-	-	945.7	149.0	-	-	149.0	149.0	-	-	149.0
<i>Other domestic transfers</i>	25.4	-	-	25.4	2,156.9	-	-	2,156.9	2,156.9	-	-	2,156.9
<i>Abroad</i>	7.2	-	-	7.2	100.6	-	-	100.6	100.6	-	-	100.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>48,016.2</b>	<b>1,005.0</b>	<b>2,078.7</b>	<b>51,099.9</b>	<b>52,989.3</b>	<b>1,165.7</b>	<b>2,173.3</b>	<b>56,327.4</b>	<b>52,989.3</b>	<b>1,165.7</b>	<b>2,173.3</b>	<b>56,327.4</b>

## SECTION 5 - INCOME TAX

**Table 5.1 - Income tax - Individuals: Analysis by range of gross income, years of assessment, 2005/2006 - 2008/2009**

Range of gross income (Rupees)	Year of assessment 2005/2006				Year of assessment 2006/2007			
	Number of taxpayers <sup>1</sup>	Gross income R million	Chargeable income R million	Tax payable R million	Number of taxpayers <sup>1</sup>	Gross income R million	Chargeable income R million	Tax payable R million
75,000 or less	10	-	-	-	71	2	5	1
75,001 - 100,000	1,207	115	5	-	205	19	2	-
100,001 - 150,000	13,260	1,662	204	22.7	11,494	1,460	161	18
150,001 - 200,000	12,062	2,123	403	59	10,654	1,866	350	51
200,001 - 250,000	12,648	2,850	594	100	10,463	2,357	491	83
250,001 - 500,000	24,902	8,451	2,289	461	24,604	8,398	2,154	432
500,001 - 750,000	5,100	3,062	1,250	282	5,217	3,143	1,205	272
750,001 - 1,000,000	1,745	1,496	744	177	1,917	1,645	775	183
1,000,001 - 1,500,000	1,294	1,556	951	243	1,337	1,614	944	241
1,500,001 - 2,000,000	505	863	608	162	526	904	658	166
2,000,001 - 2,500,000	281	626	479	132	285	638	477	129
2,500,001 - 5,000,000	375	1,271	1,061	295	410	1,359	1,104	306
Over 5,000,000	138	1,188	1,099	313	159	1,255	1,107	319
	<b>73,527</b>	<b>25,263</b>	<b>9,687</b>	<b>2,247</b>	<b>67,342</b>	<b>24,660</b>	<b>9,433</b>	<b>2,201</b>

<sup>1</sup> Figures are provisional and subject to amendment  
Source : Mauritius Revenue Authority

Table 5.1 (Cont'd) - Income tax - Individuals: Analysis by range of gross income, years of assessment, 2004/2005 - 2007/2008

Range of gross income (Rupees)	Year of assessment 2007/2008 <sup>1</sup>					Year of assessment 2008/2009 <sup>1</sup>				
	Number of taxpayers <sup>1</sup>	Gross income R million	Chargeable income R million	Tax payable (inc NRPT) R million	Tax payable (exc NRPT) R million	Number of taxpayers <sup>1</sup>	Gross income R million	Chargeable income R million	Tax payable (inc NRPT) R million	Tax payable (exc NRPT) R million
	75,000 or less	235	8	7	2	1	345	11	10	2
75,001 - 100,000	61	5	4	1	1	71	6	6	1	1
100,001 - 150,000	80	10	9	2	2	106	13	13	2	2
150,001 - 200,000	55	10	9	1	1	82	14	14	2	2
200,001 - 250,000	6,991	1,618	52	19	18	6,108	1,419	120	18	18
250,001 - 500,000	24,724	8,985	1,731	384	362	26,360	9,588	2,656	417	398
500,001 - 750,000	8,745	5,251	1,909	388	363	9,827	5,903	2,797	444	419
750,001 - 1,000,000	3,053	2,615	1,341	261	249	3,549	3,047	1,915	299	287
1,000,001 - 1,500,000	2,338	2,801	1,721	363	350	2,809	3,393	2,492	387	373
1,500,001 - 2,000,000	945	1,615	1,117	248	241	1,091	1,875	1,520	235	228
2,000,001 - 2,500,000	490	1,095	806	182	178	612	1,363	1,165	179	174
2,500,001 - 5,000,000	768	2,585	2,092	472	464	1,079	3,680	3,311	504	495
Over 5,000,000	305	2,644	2,344	535	530	444	4,126	3,974	601	595
	<b>48,790</b>	<b>29,242</b>	<b>13,142</b>	<b>2,858</b>	<b>2,760</b>	<b>52,483</b>	<b>34,438</b>	<b>19,993</b>	<b>3,091</b>	<b>2,994</b>

<sup>1</sup> Figures are provisional and subject to amendment

Source : Mauritius Revenue Authority

Table 5.2 - Income tax - Companies: Analysis by range of liable income, years of assessment, 2005/2006 - 2008/2009

Range of liable income (Rupees)	Year of assessment 2005/2006 <sup>1</sup>				Year of assessment 2006/2007 <sup>1</sup>			
	Number of companies	Gross income(R Mn)	Chargeable income(R Mn)	Tax payable(R Mn )	Number of companies	Gross income(R Mn)	Chargeable income(R Mn)	Tax payable(R Mn )
25,000 or less	7,079	4.8	818.7	28.3	9,712	6.5	858.5	30
25,001 - 50,000	215	8.0	11.7	0.1	269	9.8	123.3	4
50,001 - 100,000	293	21.4	5.6	1.4	380	27.7	26.1	1
100,001 - 150,000	279	34.8	2.1	0.4	300	37.5	1.9	0
150,001 - 250,000	450	89.0	5.6	1.1	524	104.6	28.8	3
250,001 - 500,000	861	318.6	23.7	4.3	995	367.6	41.1	5
500,001 - 750,000	626	388.3	24.0	3.4	700	434.0	40.7	5
750,001 - 1,000,000	517	447.0	27.4	4.4	618	538.4	38.4	7
1,000,001 - 1,500,000	835	1,037.7	2,659.2	87.0	966	1,203.2	285.3	12
1,500,001 - 2,000,000	713	1,242.1	84.4	13.0	854	1,492.5	93.4	15
2,000,001 - 5,000,000	2,130	6,630.6	501.4	64.1	2,253	7,110.6	542.2	71
5,000,001 - 10,000,000	1,287	9,257.9	978.8	100.5	1,328	9,501.5	833.6	91
Over 10,000,000	3,375	559,003.6	72,384.7	3,739.5	3,669	784,289.6	88,171.0	3,957
<b>Total</b>	<b>18,660</b>	<b>578,484</b>	<b>77,527.3</b>	<b>4,047.5</b>	<b>22,568</b>	<b>805,123.5</b>	<b>91,084.3</b>	<b>4,199.1</b>

<sup>1</sup> Figures are provisional and subject to amendment.

Source : Mauritius Revenue Authority

Table 5.2 (Cont'd) - Income tax - Companies: Analysis by range of liable income, years of assessment, 2005/2006 - 2008/2009

Range of liable income (Rupees)	Year of assessment 2007/2008 <sup>1</sup>					Year of assessment 2008/2009 <sup>1</sup>				
	Number of companies	Gross income(R Mn)	Chargeable income(R Mn)	Tax payable inc NRPT (R Mn)	Tax payable exc NRPT (R Mn)	Number of companies	Gross income(R Mn)	Chargeable income(R Mn)	Tax payable inc NRPT (R Mn)	Tax payable exc NRPT (R Mn)
25,000 or less	10,974	8.7	142.0	11.6	11.4	12,382	10.4	91.1	11.6	8.5
25,001 - 50,000	348	12.8	124.5	4.0	3.9	407	14.9	237.8	7.3	7.3
50,001 - 100,000	485	35.6	14.2	0.8	0.8	516	7.6	5.7	0.5	0.4
100,001 - 150,000	367	46.0	41.6	1.9	1.9	404	50.5	15.3	0.9	0.9
150,001 - 250,000	624	124.5	9.2	1.8	1.8	655	129.6	19.7	1.5	1.4
250,001 - 500,000	1,112	414.9	46.1	6.0	5.9	1,245	457.4	195.4	9.8	9.7
500,001 - 750,000	839	518.8	69.8	7.8	7.8	922	571.5	43.8	5.7	5.6
750,001 - 1,000,000	732	637.7	39.6	6.2	6.2	771	677.1	100.1	6.2	6.1
1,000,001 - 1,500,000	1,146	1,429.9	85.9	15.3	15.2	1,241	1,529.6	112.6	11.9	11.9
1,500,001 - 2,000,000	1,149	2,023.7	193.1	19.8	19.9	1,295	2,273.0	456.6	28.3	28.0
2,000,001 - 5,000,000	2,203	7,164.9	1,236.3	91.6	91.2	2,443	7,975.6	801.4	81.8	81.3
5,000,001 - 10,000,000	1,458	10,401.5	2,524.7	129.8	129.7	1,625	11,678.1	1,494.4	131.3	129.4
Over 10,000,000	3,911	842,575.9	117,608.8	5,964.3	5,962.8	4,354	1,051,648.4	147,189.1	6,418.9	6,397.8
<b>Total</b>	<b>25,348</b>	<b>865,394.9</b>	<b>122,135.8</b>	<b>6,261</b>	<b>6,258.5</b>	<b>28,260.0</b>	<b>1,077,023.7</b>	<b>150,763.0</b>	<b>6,715.7</b>	<b>6,688.3</b>

<sup>1</sup> Figures are provisional and subject to amendment.

Source : Mauritius Revenue Authority

## SECTION 6 - FINANCIAL CORPORATION SECTOR

Table 6.1 - Assets of the Bank of Mauritius, 2005 - 2008

End of Period	External Assets					Claims on Central Government			Claims on Non-Bank Deposit-taking Institutions	Other Advances	Other Assets	Total Assets	
	Special Drawing Rights	Balances with Banks	Treasury Bills	Eligible Securities	Total 1	Treasury Bills and Govt Stocks	Advances and Discounts	Total					
													Claims on Banks
2005	787.5	17,872.6	0.0	22,137.1	41,116.5	3,701.9	0.0	3,701.9	1,988.8	0.0	89.8	1,583.1	48,480.0
2006	945.3	28,303.9	0.0	14,338.7	44,127.1	1,963.7	4,998.2	6,962.0	1,537.8	0.0	85.8	2,002.6	54,715.3
2007	825.7	37,793.3	0.0	11,945.8	51,088.5	1,296.6	0.0	1,296.6	1,031.7	0.0	88.4	2,219.4	55,724.6
2008	930.4	42,218.5	0.0	12,417.4	56,060.5	1,540.8	0.0	1,540.8	1,010.0	0.0	87.3	2,134.4	60,833.0
2008 : 1st Qr	801.3	41,260.9	0.0	11,309.4	54,005.5	843.8	0.0	843.8	920.8	0.0	88.8	2,217.6	58,076.6
2nd Qr	833.0	44,500.1	0.0	11,078.6	57,125.0	605.5	0.0	605.5	806.9	0.0	84.0	2,208.8	60,830.1
3rd Qr	818.5	42,815.5	0.0	11,262.8	55,471.7	589.7	0.0	589.7	4,103.4	0.0	84.9	2,170.1	62,419.8
4th Qr	930.4	42,218.5	0.0	12,417.4	56,060.5	1,540.8	0.0	1,540.8	1,010.0	0.0	87.3	2,134.4	60,833.0

Million Rupees

Table 6.2 - Liabilities of the Bank of Mauritius, 2005 - 2008

End of Period	Paid Up Capital and General Reserve Fund	Reserve Money				Govt Deposits			Current Account of International Organisations and Others	BOM Bills Held by Non Bank sector	Other Liabilities 3	Total Liabilities
		Currency with Public	Currency with Banks	BOM Bills Held by Banks	Demand Deposits		Total					
					Banks	Other 2						
2005	1,390.3	11,743.7	3,479.8	2,863.8	6,544.2	417.5	25,049.0	1,935.1	1,521.2	18,538.3	48,480.0	
2006	1,696.5	13,107.9	3,322.2	745.1	8,102.2	540.9	25,818.2	837.0	259.2	26,065.2	54,715.3	
2007	2,000.0	14,339.3	3,437.7	3,928.2	9,857.7	516.1	32,078.9	1,579.3	154.1	19,883.8	55,724.6	
2008	2,233.9	16,407.8	3,783.1	2,462.6	10,393.0	168.7	33,215.1	5,350.5	133.9	19,852.3	60,833.0	
2008 : 1st Qr	2,000.0	12,982.8	2,202.0	7,027.8	11,800.4	490.1	34,503.0	1,133.6	161.7	20,242.3	58,076.6	
2nd Qr	2,000.0	12,994.0	2,093.7	5,977.9	11,932.8	569.5	33,567.8	4,977.8	161.7	20,087.6	60,830.1	
3rd Qr	2,000.0	13,698.1	2,165.5	2,741.8	16,165.9	296.1	35,067.3	7,683.4	179.6	17,447.8	62,419.8	
4th Qr	2,233.9	16,407.8	3,783.1	2,462.6	10,393.0	168.7	33,215.1	5,350.5	133.9	19,852.3	60,833.0	

Million Rupees

Source : Bank of Mauritius

1. Includes Foreign notes and coins and Suspense Account interest receivable.

2. Includes deposits of certain Parastatal Bodies

3. Includes Other Reserves



Table 6.3 - Net International Reserves, 2005 - 2008

Million Rupees					
End of Period	Bank of Mauritius Net Foreign Assets	Other Depository Corporations Net Foreign Assets <sup>1</sup>	Others <sup>2</sup>	Net International Reserves	Import Coverage (No. of weeks)
2005	40,977.3	21,559.0	768.0	63,304.3	29.1
2006	44,006.7	34,049.1	542.8	78,598.6	34.7
2007	50,880.1	34,640.2	313.9	85,834.2	39.3
2008	56,025.0	33,496.0	643.0	90,164.0	35.5
2008 : 1st Qr	53,860.0	27,619.0	263.0	81,742.0	32.2
2nd Qr	57,026.0	26,601.0	319.0	83,946.0	33.1
3rd Qr	55,389.0	24,661.0	312.0	80,362.0	31.7
4th Qr	56,025.0	33,496.0	643.0	90,164.0	35.5

Table 6.4 - Components and sources of Monetary Base : December 2005 - December 2008

(as at end of period)

Million Rupees

		Dec 2005	Dec 2006	Dec 2007	Mar 2008	Jun 2008	Sep 2008	Dec 2008
<b>Components of Monetary Base</b>								
1	Currency with Public	11,664	13,028	14,260	12,903	12,914	13,618	16,323
2	Currency with other Depository Corporations	3,480	3,322	3,438	2,202	2,094	2,166	3,787
3	Deposits with BOM	7,175	8,751	10,313	12,358	12,319	16,364	10,551
	of which							
	Other Depository Corporations	6,544	8,132	9,858	11,801	11,933	16,166	10,393
	Other	631	619	455	557	386	197	158
<b>Monetary Base ( 1+2+3 )</b>		<b>22,319</b>	<b>25,101</b>	<b>28,011</b>	<b>27,464</b>	<b>27,327</b>	<b>32,147</b>	<b>30,662</b>
<b>Sources of Monetary Base</b>								
1	Net Foreign Assets	40,977	44,007	50,880	53,860	57,026	55,389	56,025
2	Net claims on Budgetary Central Govt.	1,741	6,116	-270	-278	-4,362	-7,083	-3,797
3	Claims on other Depository Corporations	2,032	1,569	1,083	954	986	4,225	1,014
4	Claims on Private Sector	399	182	251	256	135	137	135
5	Net Non-Monetary Liabilities	22,831	26,772	23,932	27,328	26,458	20,522	22,714
<b>Monetary Base ( 1+2+3+4-5 )</b>		<b>22,319</b>	<b>25,101</b>	<b>28,011</b>	<b>27,464</b>	<b>27,327</b>	<b>32,147</b>	<b>30,662</b>

Source: Monthly Statistical Bulletin of Bank of Mauritius

<sup>1</sup> The Net foreign Assets of Other Depository Corporations are adjusted for transactions of Global Business Licence Holders.<sup>2</sup> Comprises foreign assets of the Government and the country's Reserve Position in the IMF

Table 6.5 - Banks - Assets, 2006 - 2008

End of Period	Reserves				Foreign Assets						Claims on Budgetary Central Govt				Claims on Private Sector <sup>1</sup>					Claims on Global Business Licence Holders	Other Assets <sup>2</sup>	Total Assets	
	Cash in Hand	Balances with BOM	BOM Bills	Total	Balances with Banks Abroad	Foreign Bills Discounted	Foreign Securities	Foreign Notes and Coins	Loans Outside Mauritius	Total	Treasury Bills	Govt Securities	Advances	Total	Local Bills Purchased and Discounted	Bills Receivable	Loans and Advances	Investment in Shares and Debentures	Total				
																							2006
2006	3,322.2	8,087.3	753.2	12,162.7	260,409.0	3,839.7	7,544.7	411.2	121,864.8	394,069.4	26,725.9	11,842.5	-	38,568.4	1,084.4	2,819.1	118,515.3	8,913.7	131,332.5	6,819.8	2,081.7	24,240.2	609,274.8
2007	3,437.7	9,863.0	3,976.8	17,277.6	260,511.6	4,118.0	6,885.5	641.1	176,635.4	448,791.7	21,664.3	22,594.3	-	44,258.5	1,089.1	2,270.7	133,682.2	8,270.2	145,312.2	11,746.8	598.5	26,773.1	694,758.3
2008	3,783.1	10,395.0	2,541.0	16,719.1	203,182.2	5,310.7	22,688.8	1,132.6	228,452.6	460,766.8	23,280.3	25,751.1	-	49,031.4	1,090.2	3,656.8	166,182.0	7,995.6	178,924.6	16,653.7	2,117.1	30,251.4	754,463.9

Table 6.6 - Banks - Liabilities, 2006 - 2008

End of period	Private Sector Deposits				Budgetary Central Govt Deposits	Inter-Bank Borrowings	Borrowings from BOM	Borrowing from		Bills Payable	Other Liabilities <sup>4</sup>	Total Liabilities
	Capital and reserves	Demand	Savings <sup>3</sup>	Time				Banks in Mauritius	Banks Abroad			
2006	38,264.3	15,094.6	72,630.5	52,007.6	1,942.5	922.4	1,535.7	1,710.8	85,821.3	188.9	39,696.6	609,274.8
2007	40,608.7	20,988.8	80,058.0	60,979.6	1,688.2	1,180.0	1,039.9	27.8	98,714.1	156.3	47,550.3	694,758.3
2008	54,700.3	22,844.7	92,669.7	69,807.8	802.4	2,052.5	1,046.5	1,894.7	95,617.9	221.8	50,786.3	754,463.9

Source : Monthly Statistical Bulletin of Bank of Mauritius

<sup>1</sup> Includes claims on Public Corporations, State and Local Government<sup>2</sup> Includes Interbank Loan and fixed Assets<sup>3</sup> Includes margin deposits<sup>4</sup> Includes borrowings from other institutions (local and foreign)

Table 6.7 - Sectorwise distribution of commercial banks' credit to the Private Sector: March - December 2008

(As on the last day of the month)

Million Rupees

SECTORS	Mar 08	Jun 08	Sep 08	Dec 08
<b>Agriculture &amp; Fishing</b>	<b>8,777.3</b>	<b>9,248.1</b>	<b>10,040.6</b>	<b>12,033.5</b>
Sugar Industry - Estates	4,996.4	5,487.7	5,447.4	6,551.8
Sugar Industry - Others	1,052.9	992.3	1,026.4	667.0
Agricultural Development Certificate Holders	19.0	18.2	16.2	16.3
Sugarcane Planters	669.4	692.3	797.0	1,458.0
Other Plantation	92.6	114.2	117.7	141.7
Animal Breeding	476.7	553.3	563.7	635.0
Fishing	261.9	253.9	304.6	398.0
Other	1,208.4	1,136.2	1,767.6	2,165.7
<b>Manufacturing</b>	<b>17,055.5</b>	<b>17,304.5</b>	<b>17,813.3</b>	<b>18,312.5</b>
Export Enterprise Certificate Holders	8,037.3	8,152.6	7,974.3	7,867.6
Export Service Certificate Holders	272.1	301.2	333.5	347.9
Pioneer Status Certificate Holders	146.8	122.3	131.9	180.8
Small and Medium Enterprise Certificate Holders	104.8	110.6	126.2	135.0
Printing and Publishing	649.3	614.6	641.3	824.4
Food & Beverages	3,483.7	3,418.6	3,737.6	3,642.5
Other	4,361.5	4,584.6	4,868.5	5,314.3
<b>Tourism</b>	<b>22,073.5</b>	<b>24,037.6</b>	<b>26,831.4</b>	<b>30,061.5</b>
Hotels	12,600.4	13,628.7	14,770.2	16,819.7
Tour Operators & Travel Agents	550.7	528.9	762.6	814.3
Hotel Development Certificate Holders	635.7	897.7	1,131.5	984.6
Hotel Management Service Certificate Holders	7,402.2	7,858.4	8,991.9	10,251.2
Other	884.5	1,123.9	1,175.2	1,191.7
<b>Transport</b>	<b>938.4</b>	<b>955.7</b>	<b>927.1</b>	<b>923.0</b>
Buses, Lorries, Trucks & Cars	425.4	494.1	472.3	487.5
Shipping & Freight Forwarders	234.7	221.2	204.5	193.0
Other	278.3	240.4	250.3	242.5
<b>Construction</b>	<b>28,452.2</b>	<b>29,957.0</b>	<b>32,176.1</b>	<b>36,632.3</b>
Building & Housing Contractors	1,493.2	1,587.8	1,708.7	1,519.5
Property Development	6,500.7	7,052.1	7,123.7	8,869.0
Housing	17,880.1	18,615.6	19,272.3	21,109.6
Housing Development Certificate Holders	5.0	4.5	3.2	2.8
Industrial Building Enterprise Certificate Holders	405.5	505.9	1,589.8	2,393.9
Other	2,167.7	2,191.1	2,478.4	2,737.5
<b>Traders</b>	<b>20,172.1</b>	<b>20,053.9</b>	<b>22,386.0</b>	<b>22,934.2</b>
Wholesalers	5,880.8	5,288.4	5,606.7	6,013.5
Other	14,291.3	14,765.5	16,779.3	16,920.7
<b>Information Communication &amp; Technology</b>	<b>908.1</b>	<b>924.9</b>	<b>954.7</b>	<b>935.6</b>
Telecommunications	238.3	239.9	263.0	231.2
Other	669.8	685.0	691.7	704.4
<b>Financial and Business Services</b>	<b>17,485.3</b>	<b>18,819.7</b>	<b>20,223.8</b>	<b>20,822.9</b>
Stockbrokers & Stockbroking Companies	29.0	19.3	43.0	60.8
Insurance Companies	522.6	415.7	431.9	459.3
Nonbank Deposit-Taking Institutions	3,403.2	2,879.4	3,826.4	4,365.2
Other	13,530.5	15,505.3	15,922.5	15,937.6
<b>Infrastructure</b>	<b>5,191.4</b>	<b>5,124.9</b>	<b>5,134.7</b>	<b>5,012.0</b>
Airport Development	44.0	25.4	41.3	45.1
Power Generation	5,015.1	5,004.8	4,968.3	4,843.8
Other	132.3	94.7	125.1	123.1
<b>Statutory and Para-Statal Bodies</b>	<b>7,264.9</b>	<b>7,769.1</b>	<b>8,563.1</b>	<b>9,206.3</b>
Freeport Enterprise Certificate Holders	448.2	488.4	442.8	498.1
<b>Personal &amp; Professional</b>	<b>15,682.5</b>	<b>16,692.7</b>	<b>17,116.2</b>	<b>17,068.2</b>
Other Customers	3,609.0	4,470.6	4,049.4	4,484.6
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>148,058.4</b>	<b>155,847.1</b>	<b>166,659.2</b>	<b>178,924.7</b>

Source : Monthly Statistical Bulletin of Bank of Mauritius

Table 6.8 - Foreign exchange rates, 2007 - 2008 (end of the month) <sup>1</sup>

(Rupees)

Country	Currency	Jun 07		Dec 07		Jun 08		Dec 08	
		Buying	Selling	Buying	Selling	Buying	Selling	Buying	Selling
Australia	Australian dollar 1	26.23	27.22	24.63	25.67	25.73	26.82	21.61	22.66
Hong Kong	Hong Kong dollar 1	3.98	4.13	3.61	3.75	3.45	3.59	4.05	4.21
India	Indian rupee 100	75.91	79.00	70.93	74.40	62.38	65.48	65.00	68.04
Japan	Japanese yen 100	25.24	26.07	25.03	26.03	25.15	26.24	34.54	36.17
Kenya	Kenya shilling 100	47.29	49.31	44.48	46.35	42.02	43.88	40.58	42.69
Malagasy (Rep.)	Malagasy Ariary 100	1.77	1.80	1.65	1.69	1.79	1.82	1.79	1.83
Malawi	Malawi kwacha 1	0.21	0.23	0.20	0.21	0.19	0.20	0.22	0.23
New Zealand	New Zealand dollar 1	23.82	24.71	21.73	22.62	20.38	21.18	18.01	18.80
Pakistan	Pakistan rupee 100	51.36	53.90	46.22	48.52	39.66	41.61	40.43	42.42
Seychelles	Seychelles rupee 1	4.90	5.16	3.49	3.66	3.33	3.50	1.94	2.04
Singapore	Singapore dollar 1	20.37	21.09	19.50	20.31	19.67	20.52	21.74	22.70
South Africa	South African rand 1	4.39	4.61	4.10	4.34	3.36	3.56	3.33	3.53
Switzerland	Swiss franc 1	25.11	26.04	24.87	25.88	26.23	27.31	29.48	30.79
Tanzania	Tanzania shilling 100	2.43	2.56	2.45	2.58	2.24	2.36	2.37	2.49
Uganda	Uganda shilling 100	1.91	2.01	1.62	1.71	1.63	1.72	1.60	1.68
United States	US dollar 1	30.90	32.02	27.85	29.05	26.57	27.71	31.04	32.45
United Kingdom	Pound sterling 1	61.80	64.14	55.65	57.97	53.08	55.33	44.97	47.04
Zambia	Zambia kwacha 100	0.80	0.87	0.71	0.77	0.82	0.88	0.63	0.67
Euro area	Euro 1	41.39	43.06	40.96	42.75	42.02	43.84	43.91	45.89

Source: Bank of Mauritius

<sup>1</sup> The Exchange rate of the rupee is based on the average indicative selling rates for T.T. & D.D. of Banks

**Table 6.9 - Principal Interest Rates: December 2007 - December 2008***(As on the last day of the month)*

Per cent per annum

	<b>Dec 07</b>	<b>Jun 08</b>	<b>Dec 08</b>
<b>I. LENDING</b>			
<b>Bank of Mauritius</b>			
Bank Rate	10.05	7.45	8.83
Key Repo Rate <sup>1</sup>	9.25	8.00	6.75
<b>Banks</b>			
<b>A. Prime Lending Rate</b>	<b>11.40-12.25</b>	<b>10.15-11.50</b>	<b>9.05-10.00</b>
<b>B. Sectoral Rates</b>			
1. Agriculture & Fishing of which	7.50-22.75	6.00-21.00	6.00-19.25
- <i>Sugar Industry</i>	<i>7.50-19.25</i>	<i>6.00-19.25</i>	<i>6.00-19.25</i>
2. Manufacturing of which	8.25-22.50	8.15-21.77	7.40-21.00
- <i>Export Enterprise Certificate Holders</i>	<i>11.20-21.00</i>	<i>10.25-21.00</i>	<i>10.50-21.00</i>
3. Tourism of which	8.25-21.74	6.75-21.80	6.65-21.00
- <i>Hotels</i>	<i>8.25-21.00</i>	<i>6.75-21.00</i>	<i>6.65-20.40</i>
4. Transport	8.00-22.75	9.50-21.80	8.75-21.00
5. Construction of which	6.25-22.75	5.00-21.76	4.00-21.00
- <i>Housing</i>	<i>8.00-20.25</i>	<i>7.00-19.50</i>	<i>5.00-18.00</i>
6. Traders	8.75-22.75	8.75-21.78	8.55-19.75
7. Information communication and Technology	10.75-21.00	10.25-21.80	9.13-21.00
8. Financial and Business Services	8.25-21.75	6.75-21.80	5.63-19.75
9. Infrastructure	10.00-19.75	10.25-18.00	9.13-17.50
10. Global Business Licence Holders	11.75-21.00	10.25-15.25	9.13-16.50
11. State and Local Governments	9.25-19.75	10.25-14.00	9.13-12.88
12. Public Nonfinancial Corporations	11.00-21.00	9.75-21.00	8.40-19.75
13. Freeport Enterprise Certificate Holders	9.00-21.00	7.50-15.50	7.40-14.00
14. Health Development Certificate Holders	12.25-21.00	11.50-14.00	11.00-13.00
15. Modernisation and Expansion Enterprise Cert.Holders	13.38-18.75	10.75-12.13	10.65
16. Personal	8.00-21.00	6.50-16.50	5.00-15.25
17. Professional	8.00-21.00	6.50-18.50	6.40-15.25
18. Human Resource Development Certificate Holders		19.50	19.50
19. Education	9.00-18.00	9.00-18.00	9.00-18.00
20. Media, Entertainment and Recreational Activities	11.25-19.75	9.75-19.75	9.13-19.75
21. Other Customers	10.25-22.64	8.75-21.00	8.65-18.50
<b>II. DEPOSITS</b>			
<b>1. Savings</b>	<b>8.00-8.60</b>	<b>6.25-7.25</b>	<b>5.00-5.75</b>
<b>2. Time</b>			
Call	7.00-8.25	5.25-6.75	6.00
7 Days' Notice	7.25-11.00	5.25-9.50	5.00-8.50
Exceeding 7 Days & Up to 1 Month	8.00-11.00	6.25-8.00	5.00-9.00
Exceeding 1 Month & Up to 3 Months	8.00-10.75	6.50-10.00	5.00-10.55
Exceeding 3 Months & Up to 6 Months	4.63-10.80	6.00-10.50	4.75-9.75
Exceeding 6 Months & Up to 9 Months	4.63-10.10	4.75-8.35	4.75-9.75
Exceeding 9 Months & Up to 12 Months	4.63-11.50	5.50-10.75	4.75-11.00
Exceeding 12 Months & Up to 18 Months	4.75-10.00	4.75-11.00	4.75-10.75
Exceeding 18 Months & Up to 24 Months	4.75-12.00	5.00-10.00	5.00-11.00
Exceeding 24 Months & Up to 36 Months	4.75-12.75	5.00-11.45	5.00-12.00
Exceeding 36 Months & Up to 48 Months	5.00-13.50	5.75-12.00	6.10-13.35
Exceeding 48 Months & Up to 60 Months	5.00-15.00	5.75-15.00	6.05-15.00
Exceeding 60 Months	8.00-14.75	8.00-14.75	7.00-14.75

Source : Monthly Statistical Bulletin of Bank of Mauritius

<sup>1</sup> Effective 18 December 2006, the Key Repo Rate is used as the key policy rate and has been set at 8.50% per annum.

Effective 3 July 2007, the Key Repo Rate was increased to 9.25% per annum.

**Table 6.10 -Mauritius Post & Cooperative Bank Ltd, 2007 – 2008**

Period	Deposits during period Million Rupees	Withdrawal during period Million Rupees	Accumulated balance at end of period Million Rupees	Number of accounts at end of period
2007	2,113.2	1,463.4	4,722.2	271,128
2008	1,720.0	1,638.8	6,331.0	380,501
2008 1st quarter	317.3	284.6	5,920.0	366,247
2nd quarter	478.4	463.5	5,630.9	371,295
3rd quarter	491.5	504.1	5,709.3	376,227
4th quarter	432.8	386.6	6,331.0	380,501

Source:Mauritius Post and Coopeartive Bank

**Table 6.11 - Assets and liabilities of Development Bank of Mauritius Ltd.  
(at end of June), 2005- 2008**

	Million Rupees			
	2005	2006	2007	2008
<b>ASSETS</b>				
Current	2066.9	2270.4	2595.7	2219.1
Cash in hand and at Banks	497.5	469.3	247.7	529.9
Bonds & Govt. Securities	-	-	-	-
Other current assets	1569.4	1801.1	2051.6	1689.2
Asset held for sale	-	-	296.4	-
Non Current	5158.7	5622.0	5727.4	6169.8
Total Portfolio (Net)	2799.6	2881.7	3048.6	3123.7
Industrial Estates (Net)	1509.9	1629.0	1698.8	1749.7
Other Fixed Assets (Net)	175.0	238.8	256.2	298.9
Investment in Equity	674.2	872.5	723.8	997.5
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>7225.6</b>	<b>7892.3</b>	<b>8323.2</b>	<b>8388.9</b>
<b>LIABILITIES &amp; NET WORTH</b>				
Liabilities	5371.8	5780.2	6131.2	6366.8
Current Liabilities	339.5	450.9	522.8	509.4
Savings and Fixed Deposit (Including Contingency Reserve)	611.3	669.7	790.6	991.4
Long Term Debt	4368.8	4604.5	4759.4	4809.3
Bonds	-	-	-	-
Funds	52.2	55.1	58.4	56.7
Net Worth	1853.8	2112.1	2192.0	2022.1
Paid-in Capital	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0
Reserves and Retained Earnings	1626.3	1855.6	1970.4	1874.8
Grant for Small Entrepreneurs	-	-	-	-
Deferred tax liability	102.5	131.5	96.6	22.3
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES &amp; NET WORTH</b>	<b>7225.6</b>	<b>7892.3</b>	<b>8323.2</b>	<b>8388.9</b>

Source: Development Bank of Mauritius Ltd.

**Table 6.12- Assets and Liabilities of the Mauritius Housing Company Ltd.  
(at end of June), 2005- 2008**

Million Rupees

	2005	2006	2007	2008
<b>ASSETS</b>				
Cash in hand on deposit	108.8	261.0	216.6	293.1
Housing loans	5,810.8	6,023.1	6,114.9	6,009.2
Investment (at cost)	32.9	33.2	31.1	31.8
Other assets	470.9	414.7	213.6	190.1
<b>Total</b>	<b>6,423.4</b>	<b>6,732.0</b>	<b>6,576.2</b>	<b>6,524.2</b>
<b>LIABILITIES</b>				
Equity	100.0	100.0	100.0	200.0
Reserves and funds	1,299.6	1,429.9	1,491.4	1,661.2
Loans:				
Local				
Government of Mauritius	68.6	60.3	51.6	44.0
Development Bank of Mauritius	-	-	-	-
Other local loans	2,133.4	2,421.6	2,530.0	2,248.4
External				
European Development Fund	26.0	24.7	23.3	21.9
Commonwealth Development Corporation	-	-	-	-
Other liabilities	2,795.8	2,695.5	2,379.9	2,348.7
<b>Total</b>	<b>6,423.4</b>	<b>6,732.0</b>	<b>6,576.2</b>	<b>6,524.2</b>

Source: Mauritius Housing Company Ltd.

**Table 6.13 - Assets and Liabilities of the Sugar Insurance Fund Board, 2005 - 2008**

Million Rupees

	2005 <sup>1</sup>	2006 <sup>1</sup>	2007 <sup>2</sup>	2008 <sup>2</sup>
<b>ASSETS</b>				
Cash at bank	7.5	4.3	3.6	4.7
Loans and deposits	984.1	1,088.3	3,023.6	3,281.1
Compensation from reinsurers	-	-	-	-
Other assets	2,802.4	3,088.7	1,792.5	1,507.1
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,794.0</b>	<b>4,181.3</b>	<b>4,819.7</b>	<b>4,792.9</b>
<b>LIABILITIES</b>				
Sugar Insurance Fund	2,621.6	2,925.0	3,041.0	3,527.3
Reserve Fund	440.2	527.4	787.6	706.8
Estimated reinsurance premium	55.2	49.8	11.6	6.3
Compensation (current crop)	575.7	583.6	851.3	406.7
Other liabilities	101.3	95.6	128.2	145.8
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,794.0</b>	<b>4,181.3</b>	<b>4,819.7</b>	<b>4,792.9</b>

Source : Sugar Insurance Fund Board

1/ Assets and Liabilities are as at end of June for 2005 and 2006

2/ Assets and Liabilities are as at end of December for 2007 and 2008

**Table 6.14 - Distribution of assets of Insurance Companies - Year 2008**

	Rs '000
	<b>2008</b>
Intangibles	85,039
Land and Buildings	1,114,424
Investment Property	2,030,221
Plant and Equipment	323,994
Investment in related companies	8,841,539
Equity Securities - Listed locally	12,021,771
Equity Securities - Unlisted locally	1,182,829
Equity Securities - Listed Overseas	1,135,297
Equity Securities - Unlisted Overseas	2,158,999
Government Debt Securities	12,925,210
Other Debt Securities	580,094
Mortgage loans - Residential	5,383,304
Mortgage loans - Commercial	512,433
Policy loans	426,449
Other Secured loans	734,465
Unsecured loans	25,417
Loans to Directors, agents, associates	59,794
Loans to Related companies	243,333
Cash	38,664
Cash at Bank	1,435,330
Deposits - Bank	6,946,528
Deposits - Other financial institutions	812,147
Premium Receivables	1,012,392
Receivables from related companies	2,496,148
Receivables from Reinsurers	1,369,997
Receivables from Insurers	67,944
Other receivables	392,189
Other Assets	665,015
<b>Total</b>	<b>65,020,966</b>

Source : Financial Services Commission



**Table 6.15 - Distribution of Equity and Liabilities of Insurance Companies - Year 2008**

	Rs '000
	2008
<b>EQUITY</b>	
Share Capital	1,031,049
Share Premium	45,051
Profit & Loss	2,681,019
Reserves	2,832,341
<b>Total Equity</b>	<b>6,589,460</b>
<b>LIABILITIES</b>	
Insurance Fund	39,862,981
Outstanding Claims	2,258,055
Amount due to reinsurers	413,350
Amount due to insurers	31,939
Bank Overdrafts	235,699
Loans	711,923
Retirement benefit obligations	233,373
Other Liabilities	14,684,186
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>58,431,506</b>
<b>TOTAL EQUITIES AND LIABILITIES</b>	<b>65,020,966</b>

Source : Financial Services Commission

## SECTION 7 – NATIONAL ACCOUNTS AND QUARTERLY NATIONAL ACCOUNTS

### 1. Introduction.

National Accounts data are compiled according to the recommendations of the 1993 System of National Accounts (SNA93). Concepts and terminologies used are defined below.

Quarterly National Accounts (QNA) estimates starting from the first quarter of 1999 are now published by the Central Statistics Office. These quarterly estimates are compiled according to guidelines provided in the IMF manual entitled “Quarterly National Accounts Manual – Concepts, Data sources and Compilation”, which is itself based on the SNA 93.

### **Gross Domestic Product (GDP)**

GDP is the aggregate money value of all goods and services produced within a country out of economic activity during a specified period usually a year, before provision for the consumption of fixed capital.

### **GDP at basic prices**

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

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

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

### **GDP at market prices**

GDP at market prices is equal to the GDP at basic prices plus taxes (net of subsidies) on products.

### **Gross National Income (GNI)**

GDP added to net primary income from abroad gives Gross National Income (GNI).

### **Gross National Disposable Income (GNDI)**

Gross National Income (GNI) net of transfers from the rest of the world gives Gross National Disposable Income (GNDI).

### **Financial intermediation services indirectly measured (FISIM)**

FISIM is obtained as the difference between interest received and interest paid by banks excluding those received on own funds. As it is difficult to allocate FISIM to the intermediate consumption of different industries, the total value of FISIM is imputed to a nominal industry with negative value added.

### **Gross Domestic Fixed Capital Formation (GDFCF)**

GDFCF is the net additions to the physical assets of the country in a year. These consist mainly of investment in buildings, plants, machinery and transport equipment, all valued at market prices.

### **Change in inventories**

Change in inventories includes the value of the physical change in inventories of raw materials, work in progress, and finished goods held by producers.

## Consumption expenditure

Consumption expenditure is made up of final consumption expenditure of households and of government.

Government final consumption expenditure is further disaggregated into collective and individual consumption expenditure. **Collective** expenditure consists of the services which government provides to the community as a whole, for example, security and defence whereas **individual** expenditure is made up of expenses incurred in providing services which are mostly beneficial to individuals, mainly in respect of health and education.

**Actual Government final consumption expenditure** refers to expenditure incurred for the provision of collective services.

**Actual final consumption expenditure** covers goods and services supplied to households, irrespective of whether these goods and services are actually paid by government or households themselves. Consequently, it consists of expenditure incurred by households and government on the provision of individual services.

## Gross National Saving

Gross National Disposable Income (GNDI) less total consumption gives Gross National Saving.

## Exports and Imports of goods and services

Both exports and imports of goods are measured f.o.b. Insurance and freight, which represent the difference between the c.i.f and f.o.b values of imports of goods are recorded as imports of services.

Exports and imports of goods are compiled according to the General Trade System, using the national boundary as the statistical frontier. All goods entering the country are recorded in imports and goods leaving the country in exports.

## 2. Status of figures

### 2.1 National Accounts

National Accounts estimates are as at June 2009. Data for years 2006 to 2007 are "Revised" whilst those of year 2009 are "Forecast".

The Main assumptions used in estimating 2009 figures are:

<u>Sector</u>	<u>Main assumption</u>	<u>Growth rate</u>
Sugarcane and "sugar milling"	Sugar production of 480,000 tonnes	+10.0%
EOE/EPZ	Output, including exports and sales to Freeport, of R 42,000 million	-0.9%
Hotels and restaurants	Tourist arrivals: 835,000 Tourist earnings: R 38,173 million	-8.8%
Construction	Construction and renovation of hotels, ongoing IRS projects, office buildings and medical school	+2.0%
Wholesale and Retail trade		+1.8%
Financial intermediation		+5.9%

### 2.2 Quarterly National Accounts

Quarterly data for 2007 and up to the fourth quarter of 2008 are "Revised estimates" and those for the first quarter of 2009 are "First estimates".

Table 7.1 - Main National Accounts aggregates, 2006 - 2009

	Unit	2006	2007 <sup>1</sup>	2008 <sup>1</sup>	2009 <sup>2</sup>
<b>1. Gross Domestic Product (GDP) at basic prices</b>	R M	182,009	207,181	233,973	248,744
<b>2. Taxes (net of subsidies) on products</b>	R M	24,319	28,549	31,201	29,710
<b>3. Gross Domestic Product (GDP) at market prices</b>	R M	206,328	235,730	265,174	278,454
<b>4. Net primary income from the rest of the world</b>	R M	1,633	+7,023	-4,900	+4,996
<b>5. Gross National Income (GNI)</b>					
<b>at basic prices</b>	R M	183,642	214,204	238,873	253,740
<b>at market prices</b>	R M	207,961	242,753	270,074	283,450
<b>6. Net transfer from the rest of the world</b>	R M	+2,269	+3,882	+6,409	+7,469
<b>7. Gross National Disposable Income (GNDI)</b>	R M	210,230	246,635	276,483	290,919
<b>8. Per capita GNI</b>					
<b>at basic prices</b>	R	146,563	169,910	188,111	198,692
<b>at market prices</b>	R	165,972	192,555	212,681	221,957
<b>9. Per capita GDP</b>					
<b>at basic prices</b>	R	145,260	164,339	184,252	194,780
<b>at market prices</b>	R	164,669	186,985	208,823	218,045
<b>10. Compensation of employees</b>	R M	74,574	83,660	95,405	103,110
<b>11. Final consumption expenditure</b>	<b>R M</b>	<b>174,846</b>	<b>196,533</b>	<b>231,849</b>	<b>251,152</b>
households	R M	145,491	165,790	196,929	212,686
general government	R M	29,355	30,743	34,920	38,466
<b>Actual final consumption expenditure</b>	<b>R M</b>	<b>174,846</b>	<b>196,533</b>	<b>231,849</b>	<b>251,152</b>
households	R M	157,616	178,656	211,656	229,024
general government	R M	17,230	17,877	20,193	22,128
<b>12. Gross Domestic Fixed Capital Formation (GDFCF)</b>	<b>R M</b>	<b>50,048</b>	<b>59,170</b>	<b>65,176</b>	<b>67,827</b>
private sector	R M	34,177	46,261	54,011	54,526
public sector	R M	15,871	12,909	11,165	13,301
<b>13. Gross National Saving (GNS)</b>	<b>R M</b>	<b>35,384</b>	<b>50,102</b>	<b>44,634</b>	<b>39,767</b>
<b>14. Net exports of goods &amp; services</b>	<b>R M</b>	<b>-23,301</b>	<b>-24,153</b>	<b>-38,893</b>	<b>-32,427</b>
<i>exclusive of aircraft and marine vessel</i>	<i>R M</i>	<i>-17,626</i>	<i>-21,638</i>	<i>-38,293</i>	<i>-32,427</i>
Exports of goods & services	R M	127,128	138,459	140,609	129,868
<i>exclusive of aircraft and marine vessel</i>	<i>R M</i>	<i>125,978</i>	<i>138,244</i>	<i>140,609</i>	<i>129,868</i>
Imports of goods & services	R M	150,429	162,612	179,502	162,295
<i>exclusive of aircraft and marine vessel</i>	<i>R M</i>	<i>143,604</i>	<i>159,882</i>	<i>178,902</i>	<i>162,295</i>

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Table 7.2 - Growth rates and ratios, 2006 - 2009

	2006	2007 <sup>1</sup>	2008 <sup>1</sup>	2009 <sup>2</sup>
	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)
<b>1. Annual real growth rate of:</b>				
(i) Gross Domestic Product (GDP) at basic prices	+5.1	+5.5	+5.3	+2.5
<i>exclusive of sugar</i>	+5.4	+6.3	+5.3	+2.3
(ii) Final consumption expenditure	+5.5	+3.9	+6.0	+3.4
<i>Households</i>	+5.9	+4.5	+7.0	+3.9
<i>General Government</i>	+3.8	+0.8	+0.7	+0.6
(iii) Gross Domestic Fixed Capital Formation (GDFCF)	+19.0	+8.6	+3.9	+0.7
<i>exclusive of aircraft and marine vessel</i>	+5.5	+17.0	+7.5	+1.7
(iv) Private sector investment	+15.1	+24.0	+10.0	-2.3
<i>exclusive of aircraft and marine vessel</i>	+15.2	+24.5	+8.8	-1.2
(v) Public sector investment	+28.3	-24.7	-17.9	+15.3
<i>exclusive of aircraft and marine vessel</i>	-17.5	-7.4	+1.9	+15.3
<b>2. Ratios</b>				
(i) Compensation of employees as a % of GDP at basic prices	41.0	40.4	40.8	41.5
(ii) Final consumption expenditure as a % of GDP at market prices	84.7	83.3	87.5	90.2
<i>Households</i>	70.5	70.3	74.3	76.4
<i>General Government</i>	14.2	13.0	13.2	13.8
(iii) Investment (GDFCF) as a % of GDP at market prices	24.3	25.1	24.6	24.4
<i>exclusive of aircraft and marine vessel</i>	21.5	24.0	24.4	24.4
(iv) Private sector investment as a % of GDP at market prices	16.6	19.6	20.4	19.6
<i>exclusive of aircraft and marine vessel</i>	16.5	19.8	20.1	19.6
(v) Public sector investment as a % of GDP at market prices	7.7	5.5	4.2	4.7
<i>exclusive of aircraft and marine vessel</i>	5.0	4.3	4.2	4.7
(vi) Private sector investment as a % of GDFCF	68.3	78.2	82.9	80.4
<i>exclusive of aircraft and marine vessel</i>	76.7	82.0	82.7	80.4
(vii) Public sector investment as a % of GDFCF	31.7	21.8	17.1	19.6
<i>exclusive of aircraft and marine vessel</i>	23.3	18.0	17.3	19.6
(viii) Gross National Saving (GNS) as a % of GNDI	16.8	20.3	16.1	13.7
(ix) Gross National Saving (GNS) as a % of GDP at market prices	17.1	21.3	16.8	14.3
(x) Net exports of goods & services as a % of GDP at market prices	-11.3	-10.2	-14.7	-11.6
<i>exclusive of aircraft and marine vessel</i>	-8.5	-9.2	-14.4	-11.6
(+) surplus / (-) deficit				

**Table 7.3 - Gross Domestic Product by industry group at current basic prices, 2006 - 2009**

	(R Million)			
	2006	2007 <sup>1</sup>	2008 <sup>1</sup>	2009 <sup>2</sup>
<b>Agriculture, hunting, forestry and fishing</b>	<b>10,130</b>	<b>10,072</b>	<b>10,239</b>	<b>10,340</b>
Sugarcane	5,137	4,620	4,373	4,060
Other	4,993	5,452	5,866	6,280
<b>Mining and quarrying</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>106</b>
<b>Manufacturing</b>	<b>36,356</b>	<b>41,075</b>	<b>46,888</b>	<b>49,088</b>
Sugar	1,586	1,426	1,350	1,254
Food (excluding sugar)	10,137	12,300	16,560	17,716
Textile	11,974	13,435	12,644	12,537
Other	12,659	13,914	16,334	17,581
<b>Electricity, gas and water supply</b>	<b>3,521</b>	<b>3,668</b>	<b>4,893</b>	<b>5,146</b>
<b>Construction</b>	<b>10,205</b>	<b>13,145</b>	<b>16,216</b>	<b>17,116</b>
<b>Wholesale &amp; retail trade; repair of motor vehicles, motorcycles, personal and household goods</b>	<b>22,534</b>	<b>25,598</b>	<b>28,840</b>	<b>30,608</b>
Wholesale and retail trade	21,246	24,137	27,120	28,683
Repair of motor vehicles, motorcycles, personal and household goods	1,288	1,461	1,720	1,925
<b>Hotels and restaurants</b>	<b>15,500</b>	<b>19,517</b>	<b>20,048</b>	<b>18,936</b>
<b>Transport, storage and communications</b>	<b>22,169</b>	<b>24,727</b>	<b>26,057</b>	<b>27,287</b>
<b>Financial intermediation</b>	<b>18,850</b>	<b>21,607</b>	<b>25,410</b>	<b>28,652</b>
Insurance	5,154	5,700	6,300	6,965
Banks	11,477	13,317	16,200	18,478
Other	2,219	2,590	2,910	3,209
<b>Real estate, renting and business activities</b>	<b>19,071</b>	<b>22,615</b>	<b>26,886</b>	<b>29,507</b>
Owner occupied dwellings	9,102	10,675	12,326	13,189
Other	9,969	11,940	14,560	16,318
<b>Public administration and defence; compulsory social security</b>	<b>12,199</b>	<b>12,674</b>	<b>14,618</b>	<b>16,427</b>
<b>Education</b>	<b>8,440</b>	<b>9,110</b>	<b>10,443</b>	<b>11,531</b>
<b>Health and social work</b>	<b>6,266</b>	<b>6,824</b>	<b>7,909</b>	<b>9,025</b>
<b>Other community, social and personal service activities and private households with employed persons</b>	<b>6,784</b>	<b>7,981</b>	<b>9,425</b>	<b>10,775</b>
<b>FISIM</b>	<b>-10,117</b>	<b>-11,528</b>	<b>-14,000</b>	<b>-15,800</b>
<b>Gross Domestic Product at basic prices</b>	<b>182,009</b>	<b>207,181</b>	<b>233,973</b>	<b>248,744</b>
<b>Taxes on products (net of subsidies)</b>	<b>24,319</b>	<b>28,549</b>	<b>31,201</b>	<b>29,710</b>
<b>Gross Domestic Product at market prices</b>	<b>206,328</b>	<b>235,730</b>	<b>265,174</b>	<b>278,454</b>
<b>Export oriented enterprises<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>13,694</b>	<b>15,584</b>	<b>15,945</b>	<b>16,577</b>

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3/ Export Oriented Enterprises (EOE) comprise enterprises formerly operating with an export certificate and those export manufacturing enterprises holding a registration certificate issued by the Board of Investment.

Table 7.4 - Value added by industry group at current basic prices for General Government, 2006 - 2009

	2006	2007 <sup>1</sup>	2008 <sup>2</sup>	2009 <sup>2</sup>
<b>Agriculture, hunting, forestry and fishing</b>	<b>1,088</b>	<b>1,122</b>	<b>1,211</b>	<b>1,270</b>
Sugarcane	0	0	0	0
Other	1,088	1,122	1,211	1,270
<b>Manufacturing</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>60</b>
Sugar	0	0	0	0
Food exc Sugar	0	0	0	0
Textiles	0	0	0	0
Other	48	50	56	60
<b>Construction</b>	<b>387</b>	<b>392</b>	<b>397</b>	<b>391</b>
<b>Transport, storage and communications</b>	<b>198</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>230</b>	<b>249</b>
<b>Real estate, renting and business activities</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>82</b>
Owner occupied dwellings	0	0	0	0
Other	64	64	73	82
<b>Public administration and defence; compulsory social security</b>	<b>12,199</b>	<b>12,674</b>	<b>14,618</b>	<b>16,427</b>
<b>Education</b>	<b>4,137</b>	<b>4,383</b>	<b>5,181</b>	<b>5,949</b>
<b>Health and social work</b>	<b>3,606</b>	<b>3,776</b>	<b>4,394</b>	<b>5,020</b>
<b>Other community, social and personal service activities and private households with employed persons</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>74</b>
<b>General Government</b>	<b>21,771</b>	<b>22,718</b>	<b>26,220</b>	<b>29,522</b>

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**Table 7.5 - Gross Domestic Product - sectoral real growth rates (% over previous year)  
2006 - 2009**

	2006	2007 <sup>1</sup>	2008 <sup>1</sup>	2009 <sup>2</sup>
<b>Agriculture, hunting, forestry and fishing</b>	<b>+0.6</b>	<b>-5.2</b>	<b>+5.7</b>	<b>+7.1</b>
Sugarcane	-2.9	-13.6	+3.7	+10.0
Other	+4.5	+3.4	+7.4	+5.0
<b>Mining and quarrying</b>	<b>+9.1</b>	<b>-9.1</b>	<b>+0.0</b>	<b>+1.0</b>
<b>Manufacturing</b>	<b>+4.0</b>	<b>+2.2</b>	<b>+3.2</b>	<b>+0.9</b>
Sugar	-2.9	-13.6	+3.7	+10.0
Food (excluding Sugar)	+9.6	+4.0	+7.5	+3.0
Textile	+2.9	+8.5	+0.0	-5.0
Other	+1.8	-3.1	+2.4	+2.4
<b>Electricity, gas and water supply</b>	<b>+4.0</b>	<b>+3.4</b>	<b>+4.0</b>	<b>+3.1</b>
<b>Construction</b>	<b>+5.2</b>	<b>+15.2</b>	<b>+11.1</b>	<b>+2.0</b>
<b>Wholesale &amp; retail trade; repair of motor vehicles, motorcycles, personal and household goods</b>	<b>+5.5</b>	<b>+4.5</b>	<b>+4.6</b>	<b>+2.1</b>
Wholesale and retail trade	+5.4	+4.4	+4.5	+1.8
Repair of motor vehicles, motorcycles, personal and household goods	+7.0	+6.7	+7.0	+7.0
<b>Hotels and restaurants</b>	<b>+3.5</b>	<b>+14.0</b>	<b>+2.7</b>	<b>-8.8</b>
<b>Transport, storage and communications</b>	<b>+7.4</b>	<b>+7.7</b>	<b>+6.2</b>	<b>+5.7</b>
<b>Financial intermediation</b>	<b>+7.0</b>	<b>+7.5</b>	<b>+10.1</b>	<b>+5.9</b>
Insurance	+5.0	+5.1	+5.0	+5.0
Banks	+7.1	+7.9	+12.9	+6.5
Other	+11.0	+11.2	+7.0	+5.0
<b>Real estate, renting and business activities</b>	<b>+6.5</b>	<b>+7.6</b>	<b>+7.6</b>	<b>+5.9</b>
Owner occupied dwellings	+4.4	+4.9	+4.0	+3.4
Other	+8.5	+10.0	+10.8	+8.0
<b>Public administration and defence; compulsory social security</b>	<b>+4.0</b>	<b>+0.5</b>	<b>+1.7</b>	<b>+1.8</b>
<b>Education</b>	<b>+4.1</b>	<b>+2.5</b>	<b>+3.4</b>	<b>+3.0</b>
<b>Health and social work</b>	<b>+7.9</b>	<b>+4.6</b>	<b>+4.6</b>	<b>+5.2</b>
<b>Other community, social and personal service activities and private households with employed persons</b>	<b>+6.5</b>	<b>+8.0</b>	<b>+8.3</b>	<b>+7.8</b>
<b>FISIM</b>	<b>+6.9</b>	<b>+7.5</b>	<b>+10.4</b>	<b>+5.9</b>
<b>Gross Domestic Product at basic prices</b>	<b>+5.1</b>	<b>+5.5</b>	<b>+5.3</b>	<b>+2.5</b>
<b>Gross Domestic Product at basic prices exc. sugar</b>	<b>+5.4</b>	<b>+6.3</b>	<b>+5.3</b>	<b>+2.3</b>
<b>Taxes on products (net of subsidies)</b>	<b>-3.8</b>	<b>+5.5</b>	<b>-0.8</b>	<b>-8.4</b>
<b>Gross Domestic Product at market prices</b>	<b>+3.9</b>	<b>+5.5</b>	<b>+4.5</b>	<b>+1.2</b>
<b>Export oriented enterprises</b>	<b>+4.6</b>	<b>+8.0</b>	<b>+3.6</b>	<b>-0.9</b>



Table 7.6 - Gross Domestic Product-sectoral deflators (% over previous year), 2006 - 2009

	2006	2007 <sup>1</sup>	2008 <sup>1</sup>	2009 <sup>2</sup>
<b>Agriculture, hunting, forestry and fishing</b>	<b>+2.9</b>	<b>+4.9</b>	<b>-3.8</b>	<b>-5.7</b>
Sugarcane	+1.5	+4.1	-8.7	-15.6
Other	+4.4	+5.6	+0.2	+2.0
<b>Mining and quarrying</b>	<b>+5.5</b>	<b>+5.0</b>	<b>+5.0</b>	<b>+3.5</b>
<b>Manufacturing</b>	<b>+8.7</b>	<b>+10.5</b>	<b>+10.6</b>	<b>+3.8</b>
Sugar	+1.5	+4.1	-8.7	-15.6
Food exc Sugar	+11.3	+16.7	+25.2	+3.8
Textiles	+6.9	+3.4	-5.9	+4.4
Other	+9.2	+13.4	+14.6	+5.1
<b>Electricity, gas and water supply</b>	<b>+0.9</b>	<b>+0.8</b>	<b>+28.3</b>	<b>+2.0</b>
<b>Construction</b>	<b>+6.6</b>	<b>+11.8</b>	<b>+11.0</b>	<b>+3.5</b>
<b>Wholesale &amp; retail trade; repair of motor vehicles, motorcycles, personal and household goods</b>	<b>+9.1</b>	<b>+8.7</b>	<b>+7.7</b>	<b>+3.9</b>
Wholesale and retail trade	+9.3	+8.8	+7.5	+3.9
Repair of motor vehicles, motorcycles, personal and household goods	+7.0	+6.3	+10.0	+4.6
<b>Hotels and restaurants</b>	<b>+20.6</b>	<b>+10.5</b>	<b>+0.1</b>	<b>+3.6</b>
<b>Transport, storage and communications</b>	<b>+1.0</b>	<b>+3.6</b>	<b>-0.8</b>	<b>-0.9</b>
<b>Financial intermediation</b>	<b>+5.1</b>	<b>+6.6</b>	<b>+6.8</b>	<b>+6.4</b>
Insurance	+5.0	+5.2	+5.3	+5.3
Banks	+5.7	+7.5	+7.8	+7.1
Other	+2.5	+5.0	+5.0	+5.1
<b>Real estate, renting and business activities</b>	<b>+7.8</b>	<b>+10.2</b>	<b>+10.5</b>	<b>+3.7</b>
Owner occupied dwellings	+6.6	+11.8	+11.0	+3.5
Other	+9.0	+8.9	+10.1	+3.8
<b>Public administration and defence; compulsory social security</b>	<b>+2.3</b>	<b>+3.4</b>	<b>+13.4</b>	<b>+10.4</b>
<b>Education</b>	<b>+4.2</b>	<b>+5.3</b>	<b>+10.9</b>	<b>+7.2</b>
<b>Health and social work</b>	<b>+4.1</b>	<b>+4.1</b>	<b>+10.8</b>	<b>+8.5</b>
<b>Other community, social and personal service activities and private households with employed persons</b>	<b>+6.0</b>	<b>+8.9</b>	<b>+9.0</b>	<b>+6.1</b>
<b>FISIM</b>	<b>+5.3</b>	<b>+6.0</b>	<b>+10.0</b>	<b>+6.6</b>
<b>Gross Domestic Product at basic prices</b>	<b>+6.8</b>	<b>+7.9</b>	<b>+7.3</b>	<b>+3.7</b>
<b>Taxes on products (net of subsidies)</b>	<b>+9.1</b>	<b>+11.3</b>	<b>+10.2</b>	<b>+4.0</b>
<b>Gross Domestic Product at market prices</b>	<b>+7.1</b>	<b>+8.3</b>	<b>+7.6</b>	<b>+3.7</b>
<b>Export oriented enterprises</b>	<b>+8.1</b>	<b>+5.4</b>	<b>-1.2</b>	<b>+4.9</b>

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**Table 7.7 - Expenditure on Gross Domestic Product at current prices, 2006 - 2009**

	(R Million)			
	2006	2007 <sup>1</sup>	2008 <sup>1</sup>	2009 <sup>2</sup>
<b>Final consumption expenditure</b>	<b>174,846</b>	<b>196,533</b>	<b>231,849</b>	<b>251,152</b>
Households	145,491	165,790	196,929	212,686
General government	29,355	30,743	34,920	38,466
<i>Individual</i>	(12,125)	(12,866)	(14,727)	(16,338)
<i>Collective</i>	(17,230)	(17,877)	(20,193)	(22,128)
<b>Gross domestic fixed capital formation</b>	<b>50,048</b>	<b>59,170</b>	<b>65,176</b>	<b>67,827</b>
Private sector	34,177	46,261	54,011	54,526
Public sector	15,871	12,909	11,165	13,301
<b>Increase in inventories <sup>3</sup></b>	<b>4,735</b>	<b>4,180</b>	<b>7,042</b>	<b>-8,098</b>
<b>Exports of goods &amp; services</b>	<b>127,128</b>	<b>138,459</b>	<b>140,609</b>	<b>129,868</b>
Goods ( f.o.b )	74,037	69,708	68,409	62,160
Services	53,091	68,751	72,200	67,708
<b>Less Imports of goods &amp; services</b>	<b>150,429</b>	<b>162,612</b>	<b>179,502</b>	<b>162,295</b>
Goods ( f.o.b )	108,569	113,647	124,925	108,226
Services	41,860	48,965	54,577	54,069
<b>Gross Domestic Product at market prices</b>	<b>206,328</b>	<b>235,730</b>	<b>265,174</b>	<b>278,454</b>

**Table 7.8 - Expenditure on GDP-Growth rates (% over previous year), 2006 - 2009**

	2006	2007 <sup>1</sup>	2008 <sup>1</sup>	2009 <sup>2</sup>
<b>Final consumption expenditure</b>	<b>+5.5</b>	<b>+3.9</b>	<b>+6.0</b>	<b>+3.4</b>
Households	+5.9	+4.5	+7.0	+3.9
General government	+3.8	+0.8	+0.7	+0.6
<i>Individual</i>	+6.0	+2.8	+1.3	+1.0
<i>Collective</i>	+2.3	-0.6	+0.3	+0.3
<b>Gross domestic fixed capital formation</b>	<b>+19.0</b>	<b>+8.6</b>	<b>+3.9</b>	<b>+0.7</b>
Private sector	+15.1	+24.0	+10.0	-2.3
Public sector	+28.3	-24.7	-17.9	+15.3
<b>Exports of goods &amp; services</b>	<b>+7.7</b>	<b>+3.4</b>	<b>+2.6</b>	<b>-11.2</b>
Goods ( f.o.b )	+10.1	-10.6	+2.5	-12.6
Services	+4.6	+23.0	+2.7	-9.8
<b>Less Imports of goods &amp; services</b>	<b>+9.3</b>	<b>+2.0</b>	<b>+2.0</b>	<b>-12.2</b>
Goods ( f.o.b )	+11.1	-1.2	+1.6	-15.9
Services	+5.1	-10.4	+3.0	-3.8

1/ Revised 2/ Forecast

3/ includes all statistical discrepancies

**Table 7.9 - National Disposable Income and its appropriation at current prices, 2006 - 2009**

(R Million)

	2006	2007 <sup>1</sup>	2008 <sup>1</sup>	2009 <sup>2</sup>
<b>Compensation of employees</b>	<b>74,574</b>	<b>83,660</b>	<b>95,405</b>	<b>103,110</b>
of which paid by General Government	18,819	19,431	22,625	25,670
<b>Taxes (net of subsidies) on production and imports</b>	<b>26,061</b>	<b>30,656</b>	<b>33,635</b>	<b>31,860</b>
Taxes on products <sup>3</sup>	25,255	29,369	32,038	30,600
Subsidies on products	(936)	(820)	(837)	(890)
Other taxes on production <sup>4</sup>	1,742	2,107	2,434	2,150
<b>Gross operating surplus</b>	<b>105,693</b>	<b>121,414</b>	<b>136,134</b>	<b>143,484</b>
<b>Gross Domestic Product at market prices</b>	<b>206,328</b>	<b>235,730</b>	<b>265,174</b>	<b>278,454</b>
<b>Net primary income from the rest of the world<sup>5</sup></b>	<b>1,633</b>	<b>+7023<sup>6</sup></b>	<b>+4900<sup>6</sup></b>	<b>+4996<sup>6</sup></b>
<b>Gross National Income at market prices (GNI)</b>	<b>207,961</b>	<b>242,753</b>	<b>270,074</b>	<b>283,450</b>
<b>Net transfer from the rest of the world<sup>5</sup></b>	<b>+2,269</b>	<b>+3,882</b>	<b>+6409<sup>7</sup></b>	<b>+7469<sup>7</sup></b>
<b>Gross National Disposable Income (GNDI)</b>	<b>210,230</b>	<b>246,635</b>	<b>276,483</b>	<b>290,919</b>
<b>Less: Final consumption expenditure</b>	<b>174,846</b>	<b>196,533</b>	<b>231,849</b>	<b>251,152</b>
Households	145,491	165,790	196,929	212,686
General Government	29,355	30,743	34,920	38,466
<b>Gross National Saving (GNS)</b>	<b>35,384</b>	<b>50,102</b>	<b>44,634</b>	<b>39,767</b>
<b>GNS as a % of GNDI</b>	<b>16.8</b>	<b>20.3</b>	<b>16.1</b>	<b>13.7</b>
<b>GNS as a % of GDP at market prices</b>	<b>17.1</b>	<b>21.3</b>	<b>16.8</b>	<b>14.3</b>

1/ Revised 2/ Forecast

3/ include excise duties, import duties and value added tax

4/ include road tax, municipal rates, trading licences, etc.

5/ Source: Bank of Mauritius

6/ Following the integration of domestic and offshore banks, investment income also includes income from offshore activities of banks and hence figures are not strictly comparable to those of previous years

7/ include compensation by EU in respect of sugar reform

**Table 7.10 - Gross Domestic Fixed Capital Formation at current prices by type and use, 2006 - 2009**

	(R Million)			
	2006	2007 <sup>1</sup>	2008 <sup>1</sup>	2009 <sup>2</sup>
<b>I - By type of capital goods</b>				
<b>A. Building &amp; construction work</b>	<b>26,705</b>	<b>34,903</b>	<b>43,941</b>	<b>46,803</b>
Residential building	8,972	10,579	13,944	15,110
Non-residential building	10,666	17,794	22,162	22,204
Other construction work	7,067	6,530	7,835	9,489
<b>B. Machinery and equipment</b>	<b>23,343</b>	<b>24,267</b>	<b>21,235</b>	<b>21,024</b>
Aircraft	5,675	2,515	0	0
Marine vessel	0	0	600	0
Passenger car	2,497	3,406	3,635	3,366
Other transport equipment	1,945	2,433	2,288	2,395
Other machinery and equipment	13,226	15,913	14,712	15,263
<b>Gross Domestic Fixed Capital Formation</b>	<b>50,048</b>	<b>59,170</b>	<b>65,176</b>	<b>67,827</b>
<b>GDFCF (excluding aircraft &amp; marine vessel)</b>	<b>44,373</b>	<b>56,655</b>	<b>64,576</b>	<b>67,827</b>
<b>II - By Industrial use</b>				
Agriculture, hunting, forestry and fishing	2,764	2,508	2,691	1,691
Mining and quarrying	1	9	29	0
Manufacturing	4,819	8,375	6,764	7,232
Electricity, gas and water supply	3,251	2,131	850	1,622
Construction	938	1,589	1,847	1,754
Wholesale & retail trade and repairs	2,989	4,819	5,515	3,156
<i>of which Wholesale and retail trade</i>	<i>2,914</i>	<i>4,534</i>	<i>5,220</i>	<i>3,021</i>
Restaurants and hotels	6,558	10,127	11,919	13,334
Transport, storage and communications	10,566	8,641	6,739	7,808
Financial intermediation	1,665	1,436	1,235	1,747
Real estate, renting and business activities	10,534	13,627	19,405	19,998
<i>Owner occupied dwellings</i>	<i>8,972</i>	<i>10,579</i>	<i>13,944</i>	<i>15,110</i>
<i>Other</i>	<i>1,562</i>	<i>3,048</i>	<i>5,461</i>	<i>4,888</i>
Public administration and defence; compulsory social security	2,077	1,777	2,657	2,889
Education	1,002	1,106	1,685	1,837
Health and social work	594	765	1,301	2,309
Other community, social and personal service activities and private households with employed persons	2,290	2,260	2,539	2,450
<b>Gross Domestic Fixed Capital Formation</b>	<b>50,048</b>	<b>59,170</b>	<b>65,176</b>	<b>67,827</b>
<b>GDFCF as a % of GDP at market prices</b>	<b>24.3</b>	<b>25.1</b>	<b>24.6</b>	<b>24.4</b>

1/ Revised 2/ Forecast

**Table 7.11 - Gross Domestic Fixed Capital Formation - Annual real growth rates (%)  
by type and use, 2006 - 2009**

	2006	2007 <sup>1</sup>	2008 <sup>1</sup>	2009 <sup>2</sup>
<b>I - By type of capital goods</b>				
<b>A. Building &amp; construction work</b>	+6.7	+16.9	+13.9	+2.9
Residential building	+10.3	+5.5	+19.3	+4.7
Non-residential building	+3.9	+49.2	+12.7	-3.2
Other construction work	+6.3	-17.4	+8.6	+17.0
<b>B. Machinery and equipment</b>	+36.9	-1.0	-10.4	-3.7
<i>Machinery and equipment (excluding aircraft &amp; marine vessel)</i>	+3.8	+17.2	-2.8	-0.9
Passenger car	+4.2	+29.9	+6.2	-9.7
Other transport equipment	+296.5	-38.2	-41.9	-19.1
Other transport equipment (excluding aircraft & marine vessel)	+8.1	+19.1	-6.4	+2.1
Other machinery and equipment	+3.1	+14.6	-4.2	+0.7
<b>Gross Domestic Fixed Capital Formation</b>	<b>+19.0</b>	<b>+8.6</b>	<b>+3.9</b>	<b>+0.7</b>
<b>GDFCF (excluding aircraft &amp; marine vessel)</b>	<b>+5.5</b>	<b>+17.0</b>	<b>+7.5</b>	<b>+1.7</b>
<b>II - By Industrial use</b>				
Agriculture, hunting, forestry and fishing	+16.8	-17.0	-3.6	-39.1
Mining and quarrying	-	+619.0	+213.2	-100.0
Manufacturing	-18.2	+63.1	-19.3	+3.7
Electricity, gas and water supply	+11.0	-39.4	-59.9	+84.9
Construction	+27.1	+57.5	+11.3	-7.9
Wholesale & retail trade and repairs	+3.7	+48.2	+8.5	-44.5
<i>of which Wholesale and retail trade</i>	+4.1	+42.7	+8.6	-43.8
Restaurants and hotels	+46.8	+39.2	+8.4	+8.2
Transport, storage and communications	+123.2	-23.2	-25.2	+12.3
Financial intermediation	+17.5	-19.9	-15.1	+37.0
Real estate, renting and business activities	+4.1	+16.5	+30.6	-0.4
<i>Owner occupied dwellings</i>	+10.3	+5.5	+19.3	+4.7
<i>Other</i>	-21.0	+79.6	+69.7	-13.3
Public administration and defence; compulsory social security	-1.0	-21.6	+42.5	+5.3
Education	-29.1	+1.4	+43.6	+5.5
Health and social work	+2.8	+20.9	+62.9	+72.1
Other community, social and personal service activities and private households with employed persons	-8.3	-9.2	+7.9	-6.5
<b>Gross Domestic Fixed Capital Formation</b>	<b>+19.0</b>	<b>+8.6</b>	<b>+3.9</b>	<b>+0.7</b>

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Table 7.12 - Gross Domestic Fixed Capital Formation - Deflators (% over previous year), 2006 - 2009

	2006	2007 <sup>1</sup>	2008 <sup>1</sup>	2009 <sup>2</sup>
<b>By type of capital goods</b>				
<b>A. Building &amp; construction work</b>	+6.6	+11.8	+10.5	+3.5
Residential building	+6.6	+11.8	+10.5	+3.5
Non-residential building	+6.6	+11.8	+10.5	+3.5
Other construction work	+6.6	+11.8	+10.5	+3.5
<b>B. Machinery and equipment</b>	+5.0	+5.0	-2.3	+2.9
Passenger car	+3.0	+5.0	+0.5	+2.5
Other transport equipment	+3.0	+5.0	+0.5	+2.5
Other machinery and equipment	+6.5	+5.0	-3.5	+3.0
<b>Gross Domestic Fixed Capital Formation</b>	+5.8	+8.9	+6.0	+3.3

**Table 7.13 - Gross Domestic Fixed Capital Formation by industrial use and sector, 2006 - 2009**

II-BY INDUSTRIAL USE	2006			2007 <sup>1</sup>			2008 <sup>1</sup>			2009 <sup>2</sup>		
	PUB	PRIV	TOT	PUB	PRIV	TOT	PUB	PRIV	TOT	PUB	PRIV	TOT
Agriculture, hunting, forestry and fishing	361	2,403	2,764	233	2,275	2,508	98	2,593	2,691	106	1,585	1,691
Mining and quarrying	0	1	1	0	9	9	29	0	29	0	0	0
Manufacturing	9	4,810	4,819	13	8,362	8,375	34	6,730	6,764	5	7,227	7,232
<i>of which EPZ</i>	0	2,245	2,245	0	4,301	4,301	0	2,164	2,164	0	1,607	1,607
Electricity, gas and water supply	944	2,307	3,251	967	1,164	2,131	787	63	850	1,507	115	1,622
Construction	14	924	938	7	1,582	1,589	11	1,836	1,847	20	1,734	1,754
Wholesale & retail trade and repairs	450	2,539	2,989	334	4,485	4,819	137	5,378	5,515	120	3,036	3,156
<i>of which Wholesale and retail trade</i>	450	2,464	2,914	334	4,200	4,534	137	5,083	5,220	120	2,901	3,021
Restaurants and hotels	0	6,558	6,558	1	10,126	10,127	0	11,919	11,919	0	13,334	13,334
Transport, storage and communications	8,336	2,230	10,566	6,662	1,979	8,641	4,107	2,632	6,739	4,800	3,008	7,808
Financial intermediation	889	776	1,665	765	671	1,436	506	729	1,235	352	1,395	1,747
Real estate, renting and business activities	389	10,145	10,534	54	13,573	13,627	213	19,192	19,405	166	19,832	19,998
<i>Owner occupied dwellings</i>	30	8,942	8,972	25	10,554	10,579	173	13,771	13,944	150	14,960	15,110
<i>Other</i>	359	1,203	1,562	29	3,019	3,048	40	5,421	5,461	16	4,872	4,888
Public administration and defence; compulsory social security	2,077	0	2,077	1,777	0	1,777	2,657	0	2,657	2,889	0	2,889
Education	724	278	1,002	814	292	1,106	1,016	669	1,685	868	969	1,837
Health and social work	209	385	594	211	554	765	218	1,083	1,301	1,017	1,292	2,309
Other community, social and personal service activities and private households with employed	1,469	821	2,290	1,071	1,189	2,260	1,352	1,187	2,539	1,451	999	2,450
<b>GROSS DOMESTIC FIXED CAPITAL FORMAT</b>	<b>15,871</b>	<b>34,177</b>	<b>50,048</b>	<b>12,909</b>	<b>46,261</b>	<b>59,170</b>	<b>11,165</b>	<b>54,011</b>	<b>65,176</b>	<b>13,301</b>	<b>54,526</b>	<b>67,827</b>

1/ Revised

2/ Forecast

(R million)

**Table 7.14 - Summary of Balance of Payments, 2004 - 2008**

I t e m	(Million Rupees)				
	2004	2005	2006	2007 <sup>1</sup>	2008 <sup>2</sup>
<b>Current Account</b>	<b>-3,181</b>	<b>-9,569</b>	<b>-19,399</b>	<b>-13,442</b>	<b>-27,728</b>
Merchandise <sup>3</sup>	-16,006	-23,515	-34,532	-43,936	-56,516
Services	11,841	12,388	11,231	19,589	17,640
Income	-390	-239	1,633	7,023	4,898
Current transfers	1,374	1,797	2,269	3,882	6,250
<b>Capital and Financial Account</b>	<b>884</b>	<b>9,043</b>	<b>10,363</b>	<b>1,883</b>	<b>20,857</b>
Capital account	-44	-52	-83	-51	-40
Financial account (excluding reserve assets)	71	4,207	5,873	15,814	25,521
Reserve assets <sup>4</sup>	857	4,888	4,573	-13,880	-4,624
<b>Net Errors and Omissions</b>	<b>2,297</b>	<b>526</b>	<b>9,036</b>	<b>11,559</b>	<b>6,871</b>

<sup>1</sup> Revised Estimates

<sup>2</sup> Provisional Estimates

<sup>3</sup> As from 2002, Merchandise include transactions through the Mauritian Freeport

<sup>4</sup> As from 2001, Valuation changes are excluded from reserve assets transactions

Source: Bank of Mauritius



Table 7.15 - Balance of Payments, 2006 - 2008

		( R million)		
		2006	2007 <sup>1</sup>	2008 <sup>2</sup>
<b>I.</b>	<b>CURRENT ACCOUNT</b>	<b>-19,399</b>	<b>-13,442</b>	<b>-27,728</b>
<b>A.</b>	<b>Goods and Services</b>	<b>-23,301</b>	<b>-24,347</b>	<b>-38,876</b>
	<b>Goods</b>	<b>-34,532</b>	<b>-43,936</b>	<b>-56,516</b>
	Exports	74,037	69,708	68,409
	Imports	-108,569	-113,644	-124,925
	General Merchandise	-36,984	-46,500	-61,840
	Credit	68,966	64,265	59,455
	Debit	-105,950	-110,765	-121,295
	Goods procured in Ports by Carriers	2,452	2,564	5,324
	Credit	5,071	5,443	8,954
	Debit	-2,619	-2,879	-3,630
	<i>Non-monetary Gold</i>	-361	-505	-281
	<b>Services</b>	<b>11,231</b>	<b>19,589</b>	<b>17,640</b>
	Credit	53,091	68,822	72,205
	Transportation	11,527	13,455	12,698
	<i>Passenger</i>	9,462	11,220	10,517
	<i>Freight</i>	857	747	788
	<i>Other</i>	1,208	1,488	1,393
	Travel	31,941	40,688	41,218
	<i>Business</i>	11,637	14,088	14,603
	<i>Personal</i>	20,304	26,600	26,615
	Other Services	9,623	14,679	18,289
	<i>Private</i>	9,365	14,321	17,888
	<i>Government</i>	258	358	401
	Debit	-41,860	-49,233	-54,565
	Transportation	-16,966	-18,809	-18,415
	<i>Passenger</i>	-648	-847	-1,048
	<i>Freight</i>	-8,159	-8,822	-9,766
	<i>Other</i>	-8,159	-9,140	-7,601
	Travel	-10,415	-11,133	-12,840
	<i>Business</i>	-455	-751	-1,291
	<i>Personal</i>	-9,960	-10,382	-11,549
	Other Services	-14,479	-19,291	-23,310
	<i>Private</i>	-14,331	-19,066	-23,013
	<i>Government</i>	-148	-225	-297
<b>B.</b>	<b>Income</b>	<b>1,633</b>	<b>7,023</b>	<b>4,898</b>
	Credit	11,961	25,456	23,140
	Compensation of Employees	23	22	18
	Direct Investment Income	74	127	164
	Portfolio Investment Income	114	309	274
	Other Investment Income	11,750	24,998	22,684
	<i>Monetary Authorities</i>	1,689	2,657	2,540
	<i>General Government</i>	0	0	0
	<i>Other</i>	10,061	22,341	20,144
	Debit	-10,328	-18,433	-18,242
	Compensation to Employees	-321	-311	-361
	Direct Investment Income	-2,794	-2,781	-4,638
	Portfolio Investment Income	-730	-2,012	-1,792
	Other Investment Income	-6,483	-13,329	-11,451
	<i>Monetary Authorities</i>	-17	-11	-4
	<i>General Government</i>	-282	-310	-325
	<i>Other</i>	-6,184	-13,008	-11,122

Table 7.15 (cont'd) - Balance of Payments, 2006 -2008

		( R million)		
		2006	2007 1	2008 2
<b>C.</b>	<b>Current Transfers</b>	<b>2,269</b>	<b>3,882</b>	<b>6,250</b>
	Credit	5,694	7,803	11,544
	Private	5,146	7,093	9,048
	Government	548	710	2,496
	Debit	-3,425	-3,921	-5,294
	Private	-3,234	-3,756	-5,148
	Government	-191	-165	-146
<b>II.</b>	<b>CAPITAL AND FINANCIAL ACCOUNT</b>	<b>10,363</b>	<b>1,883</b>	<b>20,857</b>
<b>D.</b>	<b>Capital Account</b>	<b>-83</b>	<b>-51</b>	<b>-40</b>
	<i>Migrants' Transfers</i>	-83	-51	-40
<b>E.</b>	<b>Financial Account</b>	<b>10,446</b>	<b>1,934</b>	<b>20,897</b>
	<b>Direct Investment</b>	<b>3,018</b>	<b>8,800</b>	<b>9,411</b>
	Abroad	-321	-1,817	-1,484
	In Mauritius	3,339	10,617	10,895
	<b>Portfolio Investment</b>	<b>-878</b>	<b>1,988</b>	<b>-4,868</b>
	<b>Assets</b>	<b>-3,508</b>	<b>-2,937</b>	<b>-2,643</b>
	Equity Securities	-3,508	-2,937	-2,643
	Debt Securities	0	0	0
	<b>Liabilities</b>	<b>2,630</b>	<b>4,925</b>	<b>-2,225</b>
	Equity Securities	1,108	1,531	873
	Debt Securities	1,522	3,394	-3,098
	<b>Other Investment</b>	<b>3,733</b>	<b>5,026</b>	<b>20,978</b>
	<b>Assets</b>	<b>-11,785</b>	<b>-92,071</b>	<b>15,612</b>
	General Government	0	0	0
	Banks	-10,804	-88,285	15,221
	Other Sectors: Long-term	0	0	0
	Other Sectors: Short-term	-981	-3,786	391
	<b>Liabilities</b>	<b>15,518</b>	<b>97,097</b>	<b>5,366</b>
	General Government	-614	1,518	1,225
	Banks	-176	81,617	-5,954
	Other Sectors: Long-term	920	924	-2,129
	Other Sectors: Short-term	15,388	13,038	12,224
	<b>Reserve Assets</b>	<b>4,573</b>	<b>-13,880</b>	<b>-4,624</b>
	Monetary Gold	0	0	0
	Special Drawing Rights	-17	-11	-13
	Reserve Position in the Fund	315	171	-291
	Foreign Exchange	4,275	-14,040	-4,320
	Other Claims	0	0	0
<b>III.</b>	<b>Net Errors and Omissions</b>	<b>9,036</b>	<b>11,559</b>	<b>6,871</b>

Revised Estimates

<sup>2</sup> Provisional Estimates

**Note:** This table has been recast with a view to providing a more detailed classification of the Balance of Payments

In line with the methodology laid down in the Fifth Edition of the IMF Balance of Payments Manual, valuation changes are excluded from reserve assets transactions.

As from year 2002, data on imports and exports include transactions through the Mauritius Freeport.

Source: Bank of Mauritius

Table 7.16 - Quarterly Gross Domestic Product by industry group at current basic prices, Q<sub>1</sub> 2007 - Q<sub>1</sub> 2009

(R million)

	Year (Cumulated 4 quarters)		2007 <sup>1</sup>				2008 <sup>1</sup>				2009
	2007	2008	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1 <sup>2</sup>
<b>Agriculture, hunting, forestry and fishing</b>	<b>10,072</b>	<b>10,240</b>	<b>2,128</b>	<b>2,043</b>	<b>2,798</b>	<b>3,103</b>	<b>2,245</b>	<b>2,116</b>	<b>2,832</b>	<b>3,047</b>	<b>2,268</b>
Sugarcane	4,620	4,373	973	891	1,306	1,450	921	843	1,236	1,373	855
Other	5,452	5,866	1,155	1,152	1,492	1,653	1,323	1,273	1,596	1,674	1,413
<b>Mining and quarrying</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>21</b>
<b>Manufacturing</b>	<b>41,076</b>	<b>46,888</b>	<b>8,279</b>	<b>9,912</b>	<b>10,588</b>	<b>12,297</b>	<b>9,805</b>	<b>11,293</b>	<b>11,800</b>	<b>13,990</b>	<b>10,817</b>
Sugar	1,426	1,350	219	297	434	477	208	281	411	451	193
Food (exc sugar)	12,301	16,560	2,274	3,154	3,003	3,870	3,213	4,142	3,993	5,213	3,835
Textile	13,435	12,644	2,966	3,541	3,442	3,487	2,881	3,294	3,120	3,348	2,886
Other	13,914	16,334	2,820	2,921	3,709	4,464	3,504	3,575	4,277	4,978	3,903
<b>Electricity, gas and water supply</b>	<b>3,668</b>	<b>4,893</b>	<b>918</b>	<b>823</b>	<b>907</b>	<b>1,020</b>	<b>1,109</b>	<b>1,234</b>	<b>1,281</b>	<b>1,270</b>	<b>1,202</b>
<b>Construction</b>	<b>13,145</b>	<b>16,216</b>	<b>3,042</b>	<b>3,403</b>	<b>3,242</b>	<b>3,457</b>	<b>3,947</b>	<b>4,190</b>	<b>3,999</b>	<b>4,081</b>	<b>4,033</b>
<b>Wholesale &amp; retail trade; repair of motor vehicles, motorcycles, personal and household goods</b>	<b>25,599</b>	<b>28,840</b>	<b>5,059</b>	<b>6,040</b>	<b>6,831</b>	<b>7,669</b>	<b>5,820</b>	<b>6,910</b>	<b>7,535</b>	<b>8,575</b>	<b>6,125</b>
Wholesale and retail trade	24,137	27,120	4,694	5,675	6,465	7,303	5,400	6,480	7,100	8,140	5,650
Other	1,461	1,720	365	365	365	365	420	430	435	435	475
<b>Hotels and restaurants</b>	<b>19,517</b>	<b>20,047</b>	<b>5,184</b>	<b>4,250</b>	<b>4,114</b>	<b>5,969</b>	<b>5,775</b>	<b>4,861</b>	<b>4,162</b>	<b>5,249</b>	<b>5,082</b>
<b>Transport, storage and communications</b>	<b>24,727</b>	<b>26,057</b>	<b>6,049</b>	<b>5,564</b>	<b>6,380</b>	<b>6,734</b>	<b>6,718</b>	<b>5,623</b>	<b>6,560</b>	<b>7,156</b>	<b>7,263</b>
<b>Financial intermediation</b>	<b>21,607</b>	<b>25,410</b>	<b>4,855</b>	<b>5,104</b>	<b>5,615</b>	<b>6,032</b>	<b>6,050</b>	<b>6,325</b>	<b>6,600</b>	<b>6,435</b>	<b>6,615</b>
Insurance	5,700	6,300	1,140	1,278	1,656	1,627	1,400	1,500	1,750	1,650	1,540
Banks	13,317	16,200	3,159	3,198	3,299	3,661	4,000	4,100	4,100	4,000	4,375
Other	2,590	2,910	556	629	661	745	650	725	750	785	700
<b>Real estate, renting and business activities</b>	<b>22,614</b>	<b>26,884</b>	<b>5,332</b>	<b>5,685</b>	<b>5,725</b>	<b>5,872</b>	<b>6,426</b>	<b>6,656</b>	<b>6,761</b>	<b>7,041</b>	<b>6,967</b>
Owner occupied dwellings	10,675	12,326	2,467	2,670	2,784	2,755	2,961	2,990	3,166	3,209	3,097
Other	11,939	14,558	2,865	3,015	2,941	3,117	3,465	3,666	3,595	3,832	3,870
<b>Public administration and defence; compulsory social security</b>	<b>12,674</b>	<b>14,618</b>	<b>2,998</b>	<b>3,290</b>	<b>3,163</b>	<b>3,224</b>	<b>3,155</b>	<b>3,487</b>	<b>3,885</b>	<b>4,091</b>	<b>4,062</b>
<b>Education</b>	<b>9,109</b>	<b>10,443</b>	<b>2,158</b>	<b>2,318</b>	<b>2,347</b>	<b>2,287</b>	<b>2,332</b>	<b>2,503</b>	<b>2,807</b>	<b>2,801</b>	<b>2,736</b>
<b>Health and social work</b>	<b>6,824</b>	<b>7,909</b>	<b>1,672</b>	<b>1,697</b>	<b>1,752</b>	<b>1,704</b>	<b>1,835</b>	<b>1,877</b>	<b>2,068</b>	<b>2,128</b>	<b>2,216</b>
<b>Other community, social and personal service activities and private households with employed persons</b>	<b>7,981</b>	<b>9,425</b>	<b>1,571</b>	<b>2,010</b>	<b>2,237</b>	<b>2,164</b>	<b>1,853</b>	<b>2,372</b>	<b>2,644</b>	<b>2,556</b>	<b>2,136</b>
<b>FISIM</b>	<b>-11,528</b>	<b>-14,000</b>	<b>-2,761</b>	<b>-2,777</b>	<b>-2,853</b>	<b>-3,137</b>	<b>-3,500</b>	<b>-3,500</b>	<b>-3,600</b>	<b>-3,400</b>	<b>-3,750</b>
<b>Gross Domestic Product at basic prices</b>	<b>207,180</b>	<b>233,971</b>	<b>46,505</b>	<b>49,385</b>	<b>52,869</b>	<b>58,421</b>	<b>53,592</b>	<b>55,969</b>	<b>59,361</b>	<b>65,049</b>	<b>57,793</b>
<b>Taxes on products (net of subsidies)</b>	<b>28,549</b>	<b>31,201</b>	<b>6,538</b>	<b>6,688</b>	<b>6,916</b>	<b>8,407</b>	<b>7,547</b>	<b>7,881</b>	<b>7,698</b>	<b>8,075</b>	<b>7,281</b>
<b>Gross Domestic Product at market prices</b>	<b>235,729</b>	<b>265,172</b>	<b>53,043</b>	<b>56,073</b>	<b>59,786</b>	<b>66,828</b>	<b>61,139</b>	<b>63,851</b>	<b>67,059</b>	<b>73,124</b>	<b>65,074</b>
<b>Export Oriented Enterprises</b>	<b>15,584</b>	<b>15,945</b>	<b>3,351</b>	<b>4,118</b>	<b>4,060</b>	<b>4,055</b>	<b>3,585</b>	<b>4,109</b>	<b>3,962</b>	<b>4,290</b>	<b>3,798</b>

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**Table 7.17 - Gross Domestic Product-sectoral growth rates**  
 (% over corresponding period of previous year), Q<sub>1</sub> 2007 - Q<sub>1</sub> 2009

	Annual growth rate		2007 <sup>1</sup>				2008 <sup>1</sup>				2009
	2007	2008	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1 <sup>2</sup>
<b>Agriculture, hunting, forestry and fishing</b>	-5.2	+5.7	-8.9	-8.6	-4.1	+3.6	+8.2	+4.4	+6.9	+3.1	+8.3
Sugarcane	-13.6	+3.7	-13.6	-13.6	-13.6	-13.6	+3.7	+3.7	+3.7	+3.7	+10.0
Other	+3.4	+7.4	-4.9	-5.3	+4.8	+12.0	+11.7	+4.9	+9.3	+2.7	+7.2
<b>Mining and quarrying</b>	-9.1	0.0	-8.0	-3.6	-21.7	-1.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-10.0
<b>Manufacturing</b>	+2.2	+3.2	+0.5	+3.9	+5.6	+0.1	+4.7	+4.1	+1.2	+3.1	+6.6
Sugar	-13.6	+3.7	-13.6	-13.6	-13.6	-13.6	+3.7	+3.7	+3.7	+3.7	+10.0
Food (exc sugar)	+4.0	+7.5	-5.1	+7.6	+4.5	+7.3	+10.2	+9.1	+0.4	+10.1	+15.0
Textile	+8.5	0.0	+7.2	+12.0	+11.9	+3.2	+6.3	-0.3	-3.2	-1.7	-4.1
Other	-3.1	+2.4	+2.8	-8.2	+0.4	-6.1	+2.9	+4.4	+3.2	-0.1	+6.1
<b>Electricity, gas and water supply</b>	+3.4	+4.0	+0.8	+2.0	+3.0	+8.0	+5.1	+2.9	+7.7	+0.7	-0.4
<b>Construction</b>	+15.2	+11.1	+30.2	+17.9	+8.0	+8.1	+15.8	+12.3	+11.3	+5.7	-1.9
<b>Wholesale &amp; retail trade; repair of motor vehicles, motorcycles, personal and household goods</b>	+4.5	+4.6	-5.3	-0.2	+14.1	+8.3	+6.9	+5.2	+4.2	+3.0	-2.4
Wholesale and retail trade	+4.4	+4.5	-6.1	-0.5	+14.4	+8.4	+6.9	+5.1	+4.0	+2.8	-3.0
Other	+6.7	+7.0	+6.4	+5.0	+8.4	+7.1	+7.0	+6.6	+7.9	+7.1	+5.5
<b>Hotels and restaurants</b>	+14.0	+2.7	+15.1	+22.7	+13.6	+7.9	+7.0	+3.1	+2.6	-1.6	-8.7
<b>Transport, storage and communications</b>	+7.7	+6.2	+5.2	+7.3	+10.1	+8.2	+11.2	+3.1	+4.2	+6.2	+5.8
<b>Financial intermediation</b>	+7.5	+10.1	+11.9	+6.6	+5.2	+7.0	+10.4	+9.7	+11.0	+9.7	+6.1
Insurance	+5.1	+5.0	+5.2	+4.7	+5.1	+5.5	+4.8	+4.9	+5.1	+5.1	+4.8
Banks	+7.9	+12.9	+14.0	+6.4	+5.3	+6.9	+13.3	+11.8	+14.7	+12.3	+6.0
Other	+11.2	+7.0	+11.3	+10.9	+11.3	+11.2	+8.0	+8.0	+7.0	+5.2	+4.8
<b>Real estate, renting and business activities</b>	+7.6	+7.6	+6.5	+7.7	+9.0	+7.2	+8.5	+6.9	+6.8	+8.3	+3.6
Owner occupied dwellings	+4.9	+4.0	+2.1	+6.9	+6.5	+4.4	+6.6	+2.2	+2.7	+4.9	+0.4
Other	+10.0	+10.8	+10.7	+8.4	+11.3	+9.7	+10.2	+11.1	+10.5	+11.4	+6.3
<b>Public administration and defence; compulsory social security</b>	+0.5	+1.7	-0.7	+2.9	+1.2	-1.4	+2.9	+3.8	-1.5	+1.6	+2.0
<b>Education</b>	+2.5	+3.4	+3.2	+3.1	+2.8	+1.1	+3.4	+3.3	+3.3	+3.6	+2.1
<b>Health and social work</b>	+4.6	+4.6	+5.8	+2.1	+6.4	+4.2	+4.9	+4.9	+3.5	+4.5	+2.6
<b>Other community, social and personal service activities and private households with employed persons</b>	+8.0	+8.3	+8.0	+8.5	+8.8	+6.7	+9.0	+8.8	+9.0	+6.5	+7.9
<b>FISIM</b>	+7.5	+10.4	+13.6	+6.6	+3.5	+7.0	+10.9	+10.0	+11.0	+9.8	+4.1
<b>Gross Domestic Product at basic prices</b>	+5.5	+5.3	+4.3	+5.6	+7.5	+5.0	+7.7	+5.3	+4.5	+4.2	+2.7
<b>Taxes on products (net of subsidies)</b>	+5.5	-0.8	-3.3	+1.5	+15.2	+18.1	+10.7	+15.8	+6.9	-9.6	-1.5
<b>Gross Domestic Product at market prices</b>	+5.5	+4.5	+3.6	+5.2	+8.1	+6.3	+8.0	+6.3	+4.7	+2.8	+2.3
<b>Export Oriented Enterprises</b>	+8.0	+3.6	+5.8	+8.8	+11.7	+5.5	+13.2	+3.9	+0.2	-1.3	+0.9

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**Table 7.18 - Quarterly expenditure on Gross Domestic Product at current prices, Q<sub>1</sub> 2007 - Q<sub>1</sub> 2009**

(R million)

	Year (Cumulated 4 quarters)		2007 <sup>1</sup>				2008 <sup>1</sup>				2009
	2007	2008	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1 <sup>2</sup>
	<b>Final consumption expenditure</b>	<b>196,533</b>	<b>231,850</b>	<b>46,503</b>	<b>47,148</b>	<b>48,352</b>	<b>54,530</b>	<b>53,084</b>	<b>54,993</b>	<b>58,262</b>	<b>65,512</b>
Households	165,789	196,929	39,207	39,066	40,864	46,652	45,387	46,641	49,295	55,606	49,054
General Government	30,744	34,921	7,295	8,082	7,488	7,878	7,697	8,352	8,967	9,906	9,571
<b>Gross domestic fixed capital formation</b>	<b>59,170</b>	<b>65,085</b>	<b>12,289</b>	<b>13,821</b>	<b>14,723</b>	<b>18,337</b>	<b>14,756</b>	<b>16,528</b>	<b>16,360</b>	<b>17,440</b>	<b>15,720</b>
<b>A. Building &amp; construction work</b>	<b>34,903</b>	<b>43,941</b>	<b>8,069</b>	<b>9,123</b>	<b>8,585</b>	<b>9,126</b>	<b>10,740</b>	<b>11,381</b>	<b>10,756</b>	<b>11,064</b>	<b>11,114</b>
Residential building	10,579	13,944	2,911	2,294	2,550	2,824	3,273	3,615	3,480	3,575	3,457
Non residential building	17,794	22,162	3,577	4,542	4,791	4,884	5,444	5,355	5,797	5,565	5,644
Other construction work	6,530	7,835	1,581	2,287	1,244	1,419	2,023	2,411	1,478	1,923	2,013
<b>B. Machinery &amp; equipment</b>	<b>24,267</b>	<b>21,144</b>	<b>4,220</b>	<b>4,698</b>	<b>6,137</b>	<b>9,211</b>	<b>4,016</b>	<b>5,147</b>	<b>5,604</b>	<b>6,377</b>	<b>4,606</b>
Passenger car	3,406	3,635	733	786	848	1,039	870	857	912	996	659
Other transport equipment	4,948	2,888	530	591	656	3,171	522	650	1,112	605	512
<i>Other transport equipment (excluding aircraft &amp; marine vessel)</i>	<i>2,433</i>	<i>2,288</i>	<i>530</i>	<i>591</i>	<i>656</i>	<i>656</i>	<i>522</i>	<i>650</i>	<i>512</i>	<i>605</i>	<i>512</i>
Other machinery and equipment	15,913	14,712	2,957	3,321	4,634	5,001	2,625	3,640	3,580	4,867	3,435
<b>Change in inventories</b>	<b>4,179</b>	<b>7,039</b>	<b>-3,374</b>	<b>1,333</b>	<b>4,995</b>	<b>1,225</b>	<b>1,606</b>	<b>3,154</b>	<b>3,245</b>	<b>-965</b>	<b>-4,969</b>
<b>Exports of goods and services</b>	<b>138,459</b>	<b>140,609</b>	<b>32,640</b>	<b>31,878</b>	<b>33,122</b>	<b>40,819</b>	<b>33,318</b>	<b>33,491</b>	<b>35,202</b>	<b>38,598</b>	<b>30,990</b>
Goods (f.o.b)	69,708	68,409	15,478	16,614	17,580	20,036	14,311	15,917	18,249	19,932	14,262
Services	68,751	72,200	17,162	15,264	15,542	20,783	19,007	17,574	16,953	18,666	16,728
<b>Less Imports of goods and services</b>	<b>162,612</b>	<b>179,502</b>	<b>35,015</b>	<b>38,108</b>	<b>41,406</b>	<b>48,083</b>	<b>41,625</b>	<b>44,315</b>	<b>46,010</b>	<b>47,552</b>	<b>35,292</b>
Goods (f.o.b)	113,647	124,925	23,000	26,859	29,454	34,334	28,924	30,406	32,709	32,886	23,733
Services	48,965	54,577	12,015	11,249	11,952	13,749	12,701	13,909	13,301	14,666	11,559
<b>Gross Domestic Product at market prices</b>	<b>235,729</b>	<b>265,172</b>	<b>53,043</b>	<b>56,073</b>	<b>59,786</b>	<b>66,828</b>	<b>61,139</b>	<b>63,851</b>	<b>67,059</b>	<b>73,124</b>	<b>65,074</b>

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**Table 7.19 - Expenditure on GDP - Growth rates (% over corresponding period of previous year),  
Q<sub>1</sub> 2007 - Q<sub>1</sub> 2009**

	Annual growth rate		2007 <sup>1</sup>				2008 <sup>1</sup>				2009
	2007	2008	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1 <sup>2</sup>
<b>Final consumption expenditure</b>	+3.9	+6.0	+3.1	+4.2	+5.6	+2.5	+6.1	+5.6	+5.3	+6.5	+3.1
Households	+4.5	+7.0	+3.7	+5.1	+6.2	+3.2	+6.8	+6.8	+6.9	+7.4	+3.4
General Government	+0.8	+0.7	+0.6	+0.8	+2.9	-0.9	+2.5	+0.7	-2.7	+2.4	+1.6
<b>Gross domestic fixed capital formation</b>	+8.6	+3.9	+24.3	+9.7	+11.3	+1.5	+12.3	+14.9	+5.3	-11.5	+3.6
<b>A. Building &amp; construction work</b>	+16.9	+13.9	+32.9	+19.7	+9.7	+8.9	+18.8	+13.8	+13.1	+8.5	-0.6
Residential building	+5.5	+19.3	+32.1	-4.8	-5.0	+2.5	0.0	+44.0	+23.4	+14.2	+1.4
Non residential building	+49.2	+12.7	+66.6	+71.2	+40.6	####	+36.4	+7.4	+9.1	+1.4	-0.5
Other construction work	-17.4	+8.6	-8.0	-10.7	-28.3	-25.6	+13.7	-3.8	+7.4	+22.2	-4.1
<b>B. Machinery &amp; equipment</b>	-1.0	-10.4	+12.1	-3.7	+13.1	-4.1	+1.3	+16.8	-3.5	-28.7	+11.9
Passenger car	+29.9	+6.2	+15.5	+16.2	+34.7	####	+12.2	+9.4	+7.7	-13.4	-26.0
Other transport equipment	-38.2	-41.9	+6.1	+8.6	+33.8	-47.0	0.0	+18.1	+88.8	-75.2	-2.5
<i>Other transport equipment (excluding aircraft &amp; marine vessel)</i>	+19.1	-6.4	+6.1	+8.6	+33.8	####	0.0	+18.1	-15.5	-3.8	-2.5
Other machinery and equipment	+14.6	-4.2	+12.5	-9.6	+7.2	####	-1.5	+18.4	-20.1	-5.8	+27.0
<b>Exports of goods and services</b>	+3.4	+2.6	-2.2	+7.9	+2.6	+5.8	+1.3	+0.5	+0.2	-13.7	-12.2
Goods (f.o.b)	-10.6	+2.5	-11.7	-9.1	-11.6	-10.1	-7.7	-7.7	-1.4	-10.2	-5.5
Services	+23.0	+2.7	+8.2	+35.0	+25.2	####	+9.2	+9.2	+2.0	-17.1	-17.2
<b>Less Imports of goods and services</b>	+2.0	+2.0	-5.6	-1.0	+10.2	+3.4	+32.8	+20.0	+4.7	+1.3	-12.8
Goods (f.o.b)	-1.2	+1.6	-11.1	-5.4	+10.1	+0.3	+42.7	+19.6	+7.1	+0.3	-14.4
Services	+10.4	+3.0	+7.1	+11.5	+10.5	####	+13.6	+21.0	-1.2	+4.2	-8.8

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**SECTION 8 - CONSUMER PRICE INDEX**

**Table 8.1 - Consumer Price Index, 1963 - 1976 : Yearly Average**  
(Base : January - June 1962 = 100)

Period	Urban	Rural	Whole Island
1963 (Average)	98.5	98.5	98.5
1964 ..	100.5	100.2	100.3
1965 ..	102.3	102.0	102.1
1966 ..	105.0	104.5	104.7
1967 ..	106.6	106.6	106.6
1968 ..	113.0	114.9	114.1
1969 ..	115.6	117.6	116.7
1970 ..	117.6	119.2	118.5
1971 ..	118.3	119.4	118.9
1972 ..	125.8	124.9	125.3
1973 ..	144.0	140.8	142.2
1974 ..	185.8	181.9	183.6
1975 ..	214.7	207.6	210.6
1976 - (Average for Jan. - Jun.)	241.6	231.9	236.1

**Table 8.2 - Consumer Price Index, 1976 - 1991**

Base: January - June 1976 =100		Base: January - June 1982 =100		Base: July 1986 - June 1987 =100	
Period	Yearly Average	Period	Yearly Average	Period	Yearly Average
1976	101.2	1982	100.9	1987	100.1
1977	110.5	1983	106.6	1988	109.3
1978	119.9	1984	114.5	1989	123.1
1979	137.3	1985	122.1	1990	139.7
1980	194.9	1986	124.3	1991	149.5
1981	223.1				

Table 8.3 - Monthly Consumer Price Index, July 1992 - December 2008

Year Month	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
	Base: July 1991 - June 1992 = 100						Base: July 1996 - June 1997 = 100						Base: July 2001 - June 2002 = 100						Base: July 2006 - June 2007 =
January	109.0	119.4	126.9	133.7	145.9	105.5	114.6	120.0	125.9	133.5	105.5	109.7	116.1	123.1	133.9	109.6			
February	110.2	119.9	127.4	134.3	145.9	106.0	114.9	120.6	126.5	134.7	105.7	110.1	116.7	123.5	134.9	110.7			
March	110.7	120.8	128.2	134.3	146.2	106.7	115.1	121.0	126.3	135.4	105.6	110.1	117.1	124.2	136.1	110.8			
April	111.1	121.0	128.8	134.9	146.1	107.4	115.6	120.9	126.5	135.7	105.8	110.4	117.1	124.0	137.5	111.9			
May	114.0	122.6	129.0	135.6	146.7	108.0	115.8	121.0	126.8	135.9	106.5	110.7	117.2	124.3	138.1	113.0			
June	114.7	123.2	129.8	139.6	147.9	109.6	117.4	121.0	127.8	135.9	106.9	111.3	117.3	126.2	138.8	113.4			
July	104.0	115.4	123.2	130.0	140.4	103.0	109.7	117.8	121.3	129.7	103.1	107.5	112.5	118.0	129.9	103.7	115.6		
August	105.6	116.3	123.8	131.4	141.7	103.3	110.0	118.3	121.7	129.9	103.6	107.4	112.7	118.0	130.9	104.1	116.3		
September	106.4	117.2	124.2	131.7	141.7	103.6	112.1	118.5	121.9	130.1	104.0	107.9	113.1	117.3	131.7	105.3	116.7		
October	106.6	117.3	124.2	132.4	142.3	103.5	112.7	118.5	124.6	130.5	105.0	108.3	114.6	118.2	132.3	106.8	117.2		
November	106.8	117.9	124.9	132.9	142.5	103.6	113.1	118.9	124.8	131.1	104.9	108.4	114.7	118.8	133.3	107.6	116.5		
December	107.6	118.5	125.6	133.1	142.9	103.9	113.4	119.6	125.2	131.8	104.8	108.9	115.0	119.5	133.7	108.2	115.5		
Yearly average	103.5	114.4	122.7	130.1	138.7	102.5	109.5	117.1	122.0	128.6	103.0	107.0	112.1	117.6	128.1	103.8	113.9		



**Table 8.4 - Inflation rate (%), 1975 - 2008**

<b>Calendar year</b>	<b>Inflation rate</b>	<b>Financial year</b>	<b>Inflation rate</b>
1975	14.7	1974 - 1975	20.6
1976	13.4	1975 - 1976	14.7
1977	9.2	1976 - 1977	9.6
1978	8.5	1977 - 1978	10.1
1979	14.5	1978 - 1979	8.0
1980	42.0	1979 - 1980	33.0
1981	14.5	1980 - 1981	26.5
1982	11.4	1981 - 1982	13.4
1983	5.6	1982 - 1983	7.5
1984	7.3	1983 - 1984	5.6
1985	6.7	1984 - 1985	8.3
1986	1.8	1985 - 1986	4.3
1987	0.6	1986 - 1987	0.7
1988	9.2	1987 - 1988	1.5
1989	12.6	1988 - 1989	16.0
1990	13.5	1989 - 1990	10.7
1991	7.0	1990 - 1991	12.8
1992	4.6	1991 - 1992	2.9
1993	10.5	1992 - 1993	8.9
1994	7.3	1993 - 1994	9.4
1995	6.0	1994 - 1995	6.1
1996	6.6	1995 - 1996	5.8
1997	6.6	1996 - 1997	7.9
1998	6.8	1997 - 1998	5.4
1999	6.9	1998 - 1999	7.9
2000	4.2	1999 - 2000	5.3
2001	5.4	2000 - 2001	4.4
2002	6.4	2001 - 2002	6.3
2003	3.9	2002-2003	5.1
2004	4.7	2003-2004	3.9
2005	4.9	2004-2005	5.6
2006	8.9	2005-2006	5.1
2007	8.8	2006-2007	10.7
2008	9.7	2007-2008	8.8

**Table 8.5 - Monthly sub-indices by division of consumption expenditure, January - December 2008**  
*(Base: July 2006 - June 2007 = 100)*

Division	Description	Weight	Dec 2007	Jan 2008	Feb 2008	Mar 2008	Apr 2008	May 2008	June 2008	Jul 2008	Aug 2008	Sep 2008	Oct 2008	Nov 2008	Dec 2008
01	Food and non-alcoholic beverages	286	114.0	116.5	119.5	120.0	121.0	122.6	123.9	126.0	127.3	127.4	128.3	128.2	127.3
02	Alcoholic beverages and tobacco	92	108.2	108.6	108.7	108.7	109.2	110.8	110.7	111.1	110.8	114.9	114.7	114.9	114.3
03	Clothing and footwear	51	106.6	107.6	108.3	108.0	107.6	108.0	108.0	108.4	108.5	108.3	109.6	110.5	112.2
04	Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels	131	105.7	106.1	105.7	106.2	111.0	110.0	110.1	110.4	110.7	111.0	111.1	110.0	108.0
05	Furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance	64	106.7	107.4	108.0	108.6	109.0	108.7	109.3	110.8	111.7	111.6	111.7	112.3	112.1
06	Health	30	107.0	107.2	108.0	108.1	108.6	108.6	108.5	111.8	112.5	112.1	113.1	112.8	112.7
07	Transport	147	106.2	107.3	107.3	106.6	107.0	110.3	110.5	119.3	119.7	119.9	120.7	116.3	113.2
08	Communication	36	99.8	99.8	99.7	99.7	99.7	99.4	96.7	96.6	96.4	96.5	96.5	96.5	96.3
09	Recreation and culture	48	100.9	101.8	101.8	101.6	101.8	101.8	101.6	101.5	101.5	101.2	101.3	100.6	100.3
10	Education	32	102.7	106.0	106.9	106.9	106.9	106.9	106.9	106.9	107.7	107.7	107.7	107.7	107.7
11	Restaurants and hotels	43	108.8	111.7	114.7	116.4	116.8	117.9	118.1	119.2	121.9	122.3	123.2	123.6	123.6
12	Miscellaneous goods and services	40	107.4	108.2	108.4	108.5	108.4	110.4	111.5	111.5	111.2	112.0	112.1	112.1	112.1
	<b>Total</b>	<b>1,000</b>	<b>108.2</b>	<b>109.6</b>	<b>110.7</b>	<b>110.8</b>	<b>111.9</b>	<b>113.0</b>	<b>113.4</b>	<b>115.6</b>	<b>116.3</b>	<b>116.7</b>	<b>117.2</b>	<b>116.5</b>	<b>115.5</b>

Table 8.6 - Internal purchasing power of the rupee, (1962 - 2008)

EQUIVALENT PURCHASING POWER		EROSION OF PURCHASING POWER																				
		1962	1970	1980	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
1962	100.0	83.8	21.6	9.9	9.3	8.9	8.1	7.5	7.1	6.6	6.2	5.8	5.4	5.2	4.9	4.9	4.4	4.2	4.0	3.7	3.4	3.1
1970	100.0	100.0	25.7	11.5	10.7	10.2	9.2	8.6	8.1	7.6	7.1	6.6	6.2	6.0	5.7	5.6	5.2	5.0	4.7	4.3	4.0	3.6
1980	388.3	100.0	45.5	42.5	40.6	36.7	34.2	32.3	30.3	30.3	28.4	26.6	24.9	23.9	22.7	22.5	20.5	19.6	18.7	17.2	15.8	14.4
1990	855.9	220.3	100.0	93.5	89.4	80.9	75.4	71.1	66.7	66.7	62.6	58.6	54.8	52.6	49.9	49.4	45.1	43.1	41.1	37.7	34.7	31.6
1991	1,092.8	915.8	235.7	107.0	100.0	95.6	86.5	80.6	76.0	71.3	66.9	62.6	58.6	56.2	53.3	52.8	48.2	46.1	43.9	40.3	37.0	33.7
1992	1,143.1	957.9	246.5	111.9	104.6	100.0	90.5	84.3	79.5	74.6	70.0	65.5	61.3	58.8	55.8	55.3	50.4	48.2	45.9	42.2	38.8	35.4
1993	1,263.1	1,058.5	272.4	123.6	115.6	110.5	100.0	93.2	87.9	82.5	77.4	72.5	67.8	65.1	61.8	61.2	55.8	53.3	50.8	46.6	42.8	39.0
1994	1,355.3	1,135.8	292.3	132.6	124.0	118.6	107.3	100.0	94.3	88.5	83.0	77.7	72.7	69.8	66.2	65.6	59.9	57.2	54.5	50.1	46.0	41.9
1995	1,436.6	1,203.9	309.8	140.6	131.4	125.7	113.7	106.0	100.0	93.8	88.0	82.4	77.1	74.0	70.2	69.5	63.5	60.7	57.8	53.1	48.8	44.5
1996	1,531.4	1,283.4	330.3	149.8	140.1	134.0	121.2	113.0	106.6	100.0	93.8	87.8	82.1	78.8	74.8	74.1	67.7	64.6	61.6	56.6	52.0	47.4
1997	1,632.5	1,368.1	352.1	159.7	149.3	142.8	129.2	120.5	113.6	106.6	100.0	93.6	87.6	84.1	79.8	79.0	72.2	68.9	65.7	60.3	55.4	50.5
1998	1,743.5	1,461.1	376.0	170.6	159.5	152.5	138.0	128.7	121.3	113.8	106.8	100.0	93.5	89.7	85.1	84.3	77.0	73.5	70.1	64.4	59.2	54.0
1999	1,863.8	1,561.9	401.9	182.4	170.5	163.0	147.5	137.6	129.7	121.7	114.2	106.9	100.0	96.0	91.1	90.2	82.4	78.7	75.0	68.9	63.3	57.7
2000	1,942.1	1,627.5	418.8	190.1	177.7	169.8	153.7	143.4	135.1	126.8	119.0	111.4	104.2	100.0	94.9	94.0	85.9	82.0	78.2	71.8	66.0	60.2
2001	2,047.0	1,715.4	441.4	200.4	187.3	179.0	162.0	151.1	142.4	133.6	125.4	117.4	109.8	105.4	100.0	99.1	90.5	86.4	82.4	75.7	69.6	63.4
2002	2,178.0	1,825.2	469.7	213.2	199.3	190.4	172.4	160.8	151.5	142.2	133.5	124.9	116.9	112.1	106.4	100.0	96.2	91.9	87.6	80.4	73.9	67.4
2003	2,262.9	1,896.4	488.0	221.5	207.1	197.8	179.1	167.1	157.4	147.7	138.7	129.8	121.4	116.5	110.5	103.9	100.0	95.5	91.0	83.6	76.8	70.0
2004	2,369.3	1,985.5	510.9	231.9	216.8	207.1	187.5	174.9	164.8	154.7	145.2	135.9	127.1	122.0	115.7	108.8	104.7	100.0	95.3	87.5	80.4	73.3
2005	2,485.4	2,082.8	536.0	243.3	227.4	217.3	196.7	183.5	172.9	162.3	152.3	142.6	133.3	128.0	121.4	114.1	109.8	104.9	100.0	91.8	84.4	76.9
2006	2,706.6	2,268.1	583.7	265.0	247.6	236.6	214.2	199.8	188.3	176.7	165.8	155.3	145.2	139.4	132.2	124.3	119.6	114.2	108.9	100.0	91.9	83.8
2007	2,944.8	2,467.7	635.1	288.3	269.4	257.4	233.0	217.4	204.9	192.2	180.4	169.0	158.0	151.7	143.8	135.2	130.1	124.2	118.5	108.8	100.0	91.2
2008	3,230.4	2,707.1	696.7	316.3	295.5	282.4	255.6	238.5	224.7	210.8	197.9	185.4	173.3	166.4	157.7	148.3	142.7	136.2	130.0	119.4	109.7	100.0

**SECTION 9 - EXTERNAL TRADE**

**Table 9.1 - Summary of External Trade, 2005 - 2008**

	2005	2006	2007 <sup>1</sup>	2008 <sup>2</sup>	2008 <sup>2</sup>			
					1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
1. Exports of goods	59,095	68,966	64,265	59,455	12,924	13,413	15,943	17,175
Domestic exports	42,104	47,638	50,487	46,719	10,281	10,396	12,071	13,971
Re-exports	16,991	21,328	13,778	12,736	2,643	3,017	3,872	3,204
2. Ship's Stores and Bunkers	4,124	5,071	5,443	8,954	1,387	2,504	2,306	2,757
<b>A. Total Exports (f.o.b.)</b>	<b>63,219</b>	<b>74,037</b>	<b>69,708</b>	<b>68,409</b>	<b>14,311</b>	<b>15,917</b>	<b>18,249</b>	<b>19,932</b>
<b>B. Total Imports (c.i.f.)</b>	<b>93,282</b>	<b>115,502</b>	<b>121,037</b>	<b>132,564</b>	<b>30,776</b>	<b>32,104</b>	<b>34,358</b>	<b>35,326</b>
<b>Total Value of Trade (A+B)</b>	<b>156,501</b>	<b>189,539</b>	<b>190,745</b>	<b>200,973</b>	<b>45,087</b>	<b>48,021</b>	<b>52,607</b>	<b>55,258</b>
<b>Balance of Visible Trade (A-B)</b>	<b>-30,063</b>	<b>-41,465</b>	<b>-51,329</b>	<b>-64,155</b>	<b>-16,465</b>	<b>-16,187</b>	<b>-16,109</b>	<b>-15,394</b>

Value: Million Rupees

<sup>1</sup> Revised      <sup>2</sup> Provisional

Note: Data include transactions of the freeport

**Table 9.2 - Price indices of exports and imports and terms of trade 2007 - 2008**

Period	Price indices		Terms of trade <sup>1</sup>
	Export	Import	
	Base year : 2003 = 100		
2007	127	154	83
2008	122	166	73
2008 Qr 1	122	153	80
Qr 2	121	166	73
Qr 3	120	180	67
Qr 4	123	165	75

<sup>1</sup> Ratio of export price index to import price index. A rise in this ratio indicates that the terms of trade have moved in favour of Mauritius

Note: The unit value indices are no longer computed and have been replaced by the import and export price indices

Table 9.3 - Annual % change in prices of Imports by Section, 2007 - 2008

SITC Section	Description	2007 %	2008 %
	<b>Overall index</b>	+ 6	+ 8
0	Food and live animals	+ 15	+ 15
2	Crude materials, inedible except fuels	+ 8	- 13
3	Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	+ 2	+ 30
4	Animal and vegetable oils and fats	+ 42	+ 47
5	Chemicals & related products, n.e.s	+ 6	- 6
6	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by materials	+ 3	- 5
7	Machinery and transport equipment	+ 7	-
8	Miscellaneous manufactured articles	+ 5	- 8

**Table 9.4 - Exports of goods by section, 2005 - 2008**

Value (f.o.b.): Million Rupees

S.I.T.C. Section	Description	2005	2006	2007 <sup>1</sup>	2008 <sup>2</sup>	2008 <sup>2</sup>			
						1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
0	<b>Total exports<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>59,095</b>	<b>68,966</b>	<b>64,265</b>	<b>59,455</b>	<b>12,924</b>	<b>13,413</b>	<b>15,943</b>	<b>17,175</b>
	Food and live animals	17,248	20,185	19,666	18,548	3,961	2,886	5,232	6,469
1	Beverages and tobacco	204	289	467	600	137	127	186	150
2	Crude materials, inedible except fuels	560	853	857	977	219	280	298	180
3	Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	50	72	91	19	7	4	5	3
4	Animal and vegetable oils and fats	32	30	52	49	12	20	16	1
5	Chemicals & related products, n.e.s	860	867	1,310	1,834	310	372	502	650
6	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	5,002	5,532	5,675	5,283	1,151	1,402	1,404	1,326
7	Machinery and transport equipment	9,335	12,077	4,078	3,739	736	818	1,369	816
8	Miscellaneous manufactured articles	25,757	28,973	31,972	28,337	6,374	7,483	6,914	7,566
9	Other commodities and transactions	47	88	97	69	17	21	17	14

<sup>1</sup> Revised

<sup>2</sup> Provisional

<sup>3</sup> Excludes ship's stores and bunkers

Note: Data include transactions of the freeport

Table 9.5 - Domestic exports by main product/sector, 2005 - 2008

	Value (f.o.b.): Million Rupees							
	2005	2006	2007 <sup>1</sup>	2008 <sup>2</sup>	2008 <sup>2</sup>			
					1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
<b>Total Domestic Exports</b>	<b>42,104</b>	<b>47,638</b>	<b>50,487</b>	<b>46,719</b>	<b>10,281</b>	<b>10,396</b>	<b>12,071</b>	<b>13,971</b>
EOE products (domestic) : value	28,634	33,249	37,483	34,932	7,693	9,022	8,795	9,422
Non-EOE products : value	13,470	14,389	13,004	11,787	2,588	1,374	3,276	4,549
Live animals								
Quantity ( 000 unit )	376	446	408	1,142	234	389	366	153
Value	520	501	550	656	192	236	166	62
Wheaten flour								
Quantity ( tonne )	17,399	15,937	11,433	12,499	1,548	1,295	4,347	5,309
Value	158	161	161	156	30	25	47	54
Cane Sugar								
Quantity ( 000 tonne )	537	543	442	427	89	18	126	194
Value	10,536	11,198	9,578	8,266	1,818	473	2,295	3,680
Cane Molasses								
Quantity ( 000 tonne )	111	69	41	76	-	13	30	33
Value	173	153	54	160	-	22	73	65
Cut flowers & foliage								
Quantity ( tonne )	285	245	250	272	80	62	48	82
Value	83	82	90	103	31	23	18	31
Chemicals & related products								
Quantity ( tonne )	9,100	4,694	6,129	4,132	867	1,107	1,239	919
Value	183	189	207	178	40	43	52	43
Articles of apparel & clothing								
Quantity ( not applicable )	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Value	340	309	269	258	62	65	66	65
Other commodities								
Value	1,477	1,796	2,095	2,010	415	487	559	549

<sup>1</sup> Revised

<sup>2</sup> Provisional

Note: EOE enterprises comprise enterprises formerly operating with an EPZ certificate and those establishments manufacturing goods for exports and holding a registration certificate issued by the Board of Investment



Value (f.o.b.): Million Rupees

Table 9.6 - Exports<sup>1</sup> of goods by main countries of destination, 2005 - 2008

Country of destination	2008 <sup>3</sup>				2007 <sup>2</sup>	2006	2005	2008 <sup>3</sup>	2008 <sup>3</sup>						
	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr					1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr			
<b>All countries</b>	<b>12,924</b>	<b>13,413</b>	<b>15,943</b>	<b>17,175</b>	<b>64,265</b>	<b>68,966</b>	<b>59,095</b>	<b>59,455</b>	<b>64,265</b>	<b>68,966</b>	<b>59,455</b>	<b>12,924</b>	<b>13,413</b>	<b>15,943</b>	<b>17,175</b>
<b>Europe</b>	<b>9,207</b>	<b>8,902</b>	<b>10,246</b>	<b>12,037</b>	<b>44,238</b>	<b>42,586</b>	<b>38,478</b>	<b>40,392</b>	<b>44,238</b>	<b>42,586</b>	<b>40,392</b>	<b>9,207</b>	<b>8,902</b>	<b>10,246</b>	<b>12,037</b>
Austria	38	59	49	69	199	138	201	215	199	138	215	38	59	49	69
Belgium	417	492	516	530	2,077	1,851	1,559	1,955	2,077	1,851	1,955	417	492	516	530
Denmark	31	18	28	34	75	204	124	111	75	204	111	31	18	28	34
France	1,924	2,299	1,764	1,972	8,889	8,704	8,391	7,959	8,889	8,704	7,959	1,924	2,299	1,764	1,972
Germany	461	512	389	339	1,697	1,295	1,070	1,701	1,697	1,295	1,701	461	512	389	339
Ireland	14	8	12	10	60	73	48	44	60	73	44	14	8	12	10
Italy	689	645	552	829	3,568	2,754	3,308	2,715	3,568	2,754	2,715	689	645	552	829
Malta	9	10	18	14	75	74	55	51	75	74	51	9	10	18	14
Netherlands	229	167	236	167	1,091	870	723	799	1,091	870	799	229	167	236	167
Portugal	40	93	520	68	732	187	558	721	732	187	721	40	93	520	68
Spain	424	468	547	564	2,048	2,447	1,589	2,003	2,048	2,447	2,003	424	468	547	564
Sweden	3	9	3	9	16	128	29	24	16	128	24	3	9	3	9
Switzerland	227	230	237	240	833	662	647	934	833	662	934	227	230	237	240
Turkey	12	9	16	47	101	55	210	84	101	55	84	12	9	16	47
United Kingdom	4,513	3,630	5,161	6,902	21,924	22,362	19,215	20,206	21,924	22,362	20,206	4,513	3,630	5,161	6,902
Other	176	253	198	243	853	782	751	870	853	782	870	176	253	198	243
<b>Asia</b>	<b>794</b>	<b>939</b>	<b>1,686</b>	<b>1,007</b>	<b>4,933</b>	<b>11,507</b>	<b>7,295</b>	<b>4,426</b>	<b>4,933</b>	<b>11,507</b>	<b>4,426</b>	<b>794</b>	<b>939</b>	<b>1,686</b>	<b>1,007</b>
China	79	55	37	97	133	166	187	268	133	166	268	79	55	37	97
Hong Kong (S.A.R.) <sup>4</sup>	34	34	34	41	266	225	194	143	266	225	143	34	34	34	41
India	84	134	158	104	332	382	257	480	332	382	480	84	134	158	104
Japan	56	64	45	86	304	541	507	251	304	541	251	56	64	45	86
Malaysia	39	35	59	33	225	228	104	166	225	228	166	39	35	59	33
Singapore	52	51	83	58	281	141	219	244	281	141	244	52	51	83	58
Thailand	61	121	203	36	227	164	102	421	227	164	421	61	121	203	36
United Arab Emirates	261	313	862	384	2,453	7,882	4,903	1,820	2,453	7,882	1,820	261	313	862	384
Other	128	132	205	168	712	1,778	822	633	712	1,778	633	128	132	205	168
<b>Africa</b>	<b>1,904</b>	<b>2,387</b>	<b>2,685</b>	<b>2,957</b>	<b>9,629</b>	<b>8,155</b>	<b>7,173</b>	<b>9,933</b>	<b>9,629</b>	<b>8,155</b>	<b>9,933</b>	<b>1,904</b>	<b>2,387</b>	<b>2,685</b>	<b>2,957</b>
Comoros Islands	44	65	24	36	170	135	110	169	170	135	169	44	65	24	36
French Southern Territories	1	3	3	2	45	324	229	9	45	324	9	1	3	3	2
Kenya	54	64	79	49	239	138	207	246	239	138	246	54	64	79	49
Malagasy Republic	789	949	968	809	3,865	3,288	3,373	3,515	3,865	3,288	3,515	789	949	968	809
Mozambique	3	12	17	19	16	35	38	51	16	35	51	3	12	17	19
Reunion	315	439	478	805	1,839	1,652	1,561	2,037	1,839	1,652	2,037	315	439	478	805
Seychelles	135	193	233	208	579	474	419	769	579	474	769	135	193	233	208
South Africa, Republic of	387	395	594	776	1,981	1,488	788	2,152	1,981	1,488	2,152	387	395	594	776
Tanzania	3	6	16	26	27	39	79	51	27	39	51	3	6	16	26
Zimbabwe	9	4	5	3	42	51	53	21	42	51	21	9	4	5	3
Other	164	257	268	224	826	531	316	913	826	531	913	164	257	268	224
<b>America</b>	<b>966</b>	<b>1,106</b>	<b>1,247</b>	<b>1,121</b>	<b>5,162</b>	<b>6,075</b>	<b>5,916</b>	<b>4,440</b>	<b>5,162</b>	<b>6,075</b>	<b>4,440</b>	<b>966</b>	<b>1,106</b>	<b>1,247</b>	<b>1,121</b>
Canada	23	21	48	45	122	138	89	137	122	138	137	23	21	48	45
U.S.A	899	992	1,108	986	4,760	5,754	5,640	3,985	4,760	5,754	3,985	899	992	1,108	986
Other	44	93	91	90	280	183	187	318	280	183	318	44	93	91	90
<b>Oceania</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>303</b>	<b>643</b>	<b>233</b>	<b>264</b>	<b>303</b>	<b>643</b>	<b>264</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>53</b>
Australia	36	62	65	38	136	125	116	201	136	125	201	36	62	65	38
Samoa	-	-	-	-	59	23	93	-	59	23	-	-	-	-	-
Other	17	17	14	15	108	495	24	63	108	495	63	17	17	14	15

<sup>1</sup> Excludes ship's stores and bunkers<sup>2</sup> Revised<sup>3</sup> Provisional<sup>4</sup> Special Administrative Region of China

Note: Data include transactions of the freeport

**Table 9.7 - EOE exports by main section / commodity, 2005- 2008**

S.I.T.C. Section	Description	2005	2006	2007 <sup>1</sup>	2008 <sup>2</sup>	2008 <sup>2</sup>			
						1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
0	<b>EOE exports</b>	<b>28,954</b>	<b>33,610</b>	<b>37,840</b>	<b>34,932</b>	<b>7,693</b>	<b>9,022</b>	<b>8,795</b>	<b>9,422</b>
	Food and live animals	3,613	5,369	6,385	6,607	1,390	1,476	1,816	1,925
	of which:								
	fish and fish preparations	(3,141)	(4,950)	(6,031)	(6,194)	(1,295)	(1,388)	(1,728)	(1,783)
2	Crude materials, inedible except fuels	96	92	108	132	30	30	34	38
5	Chemicals & related products, n.e.s	123	152	230	265	63	72	77	53
6	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by materials	3,191	3,434	3,819	3,279	730	920	849	780
	of which:								
	textile yarn, fabrics, made up articles	(1,404)	(1,633)	(1,963)	(1,618)	(414)	(472)	(363)	(369)
	pearls and precious stones	(1,394)	(1,375)	(1,375)	(1,190)	(215)	(313)	(362)	(300)
7	Machinery and transport equipment	200	136	91	118	29	31	24	34
8	Miscellaneous manufactured articles	21,710	24,356	27,149	24,502	5,446	6,481	5,990	6,585
	of which:								
	articles of apparel and clothing	(19,194)	(21,690)	(24,457)	(21,882)	(4,900)	(5,676)	(5,327)	(5,979)
	optical goods	(147)	(204)	(178)	(151)	(38)	(36)	(39)	(38)
	watches and clocks	(415)	(404)	(550)	(569)	(145)	(152)	(148)	(124)
	toys, games and sporting goods	(137)	(127)	(147)	(173)	(33)	(44)	(53)	(43)
	jewellery, goldsmiths and silversmiths wares	(852)	(834)	(935)	(927)	(173)	(354)	(194)	(206)
	Other Sections	(21)	(71)	(58)	(29)	(5)	(12)	(5)	(7)

Value (f.o.b.): Million Rupees

**Note:** EOE enterprises comprise enterprises formerly operating with an EPZ certificate and those establishments manufacturing goods for exports and holding a registration certificate issued by the Board of

<sup>1</sup> Revised

<sup>2</sup> Provisional

Value (f.o.b.): Million Rupees

Table 9.8 - EOE\* exports by main countries of destination, 2005 - 2008

Country of destination	2005	2006	2007 <sup>1</sup>	2008 <sup>2</sup>	2008 <sup>2</sup>			
					1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
<b>Total EOE Exports</b>	<b>28,954</b>	<b>33,610</b>	<b>37,840</b>	<b>34,932</b>	<b>7,693</b>	<b>9,022</b>	<b>8,795</b>	<b>9,422</b>
<b>Europe</b>	<b>21,351</b>	<b>25,930</b>	<b>29,488</b>	<b>27,399</b>	<b>6,128</b>	<b>7,227</b>	<b>6,749</b>	<b>7,295</b>
Austria	133	84	123	144	31	20	35	58
Belgium	1,279	1,432	1,711	1,748	357	447	499	445
France	6,045	6,573	6,694	6,396	1,429	1,934	1,413	1,620
Germany	730	927	1,431	1,165	307	344	248	266
Italy	1,190	1,834	2,555	2,024	459	449	461	655
Netherlands	550	740	900	685	219	160	151	155
Portugal	187	142	237	172	19	61	57	35
Spain	898	1,742	1,314	985	210	225	182	368
Switzerland	552	551	701	760	179	198	201	182
United Kingdom	9,208	11,385	13,336	12,839	2,843	3,292	3,372	3,332
Other	579	520	486	481	75	97	130	179
<b>Asia</b>	<b>342</b>	<b>255</b>	<b>252</b>	<b>319</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>91</b>
Bangladesh	40	32	21	38	17	17	4	-
China	22	46	24	20	3	5	10	2
Hong Kong (S.A.R.) <sup>3</sup>	53	70	66	57	17	18	7	15
India	25	21	37	24	11	6	1	6
Japan	80	34	31	14	2	6	-	6
Other	122	52	73	166	23	47	34	62
<b>Africa</b>	<b>1,847</b>	<b>2,657</b>	<b>3,495</b>	<b>3,264</b>	<b>676</b>	<b>709</b>	<b>877</b>	<b>1,002</b>
Madagascar	773	1050	1390	1,113	272	348	249	244
Reunion	329	304	333	293	52	77	81	83
South Africa	466	1,061	1,525	1,723	334	264	494	631
Zimbabwe	12	20	19	10	6	-	3	1
Other	267	222	228	125	12	20	50	43
<b>America</b>	<b>5,338</b>	<b>4,677</b>	<b>4,495</b>	<b>3,776</b>	<b>788</b>	<b>932</b>	<b>1,053</b>	<b>1,003</b>
Canada	71	117	113	125	22	20	46	37
U.S.A	5,130	4,404	4,214	3,462	741	849	971	901
Other	137	156	168	189	25	63	36	65
<b>Oceania</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>174</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>31</b>
Australia	70	87	107	171	27	54	59	31
New Zealand	1	4	2	3	1	1	1	-
Other	5	-	1	-	-	-	-	-

<sup>1</sup> Revised

<sup>2</sup> Provisional

<sup>3</sup> Special Administrative Region of China

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Table 9.9 - Total imports by section / main commodities, 2005 - 2008

Value (c.i.f.): Million Rupees

S.I.T.C. Section	Description	2008 <sup>2</sup>				2008 <sup>2</sup>			
		2005	2006	2007 <sup>1</sup>	2008 <sup>2</sup>	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
0	<b>Total imports</b>	<b>93,282</b>	<b>115,502</b>	<b>121,037</b>	<b>132,564</b>	<b>30,776</b>	<b>32,104</b>	<b>34,358</b>	<b>35,326</b>
	<b>Food and live animals</b>	<b>13,820</b>	<b>17,276</b>	<b>20,032</b>	<b>23,872</b>	<b>6,761</b>	<b>5,136</b>	<b>6,192</b>	<b>5,783</b>
	Meat and meat preparations	999	1,192	1,354	1,522	282	324	389	527
	Dairy products and bird's eggs	1,815	1,870	2,443	3,008	913	743	605	747
	Fish and fish preparations	4,266	6,687	7,066	8,547	2,537	1,909	2,319	1,782
	Wheat	898	869	1,588	1,446	455	4	642	345
	Rice	909	986	1,211	1,812	503	513	512	284
	Wheaten flour	41	1	3	243	243	-	-	-
	Cereal preparations	456	505	617	782	158	165	206	253
	Vegetables and fruits	1,443	1,581	1,967	2,005	517	558	476	454
	Other	2,993	3,585	3,783	4,507	1,153	920	1,043	1,391
1	<b>Beverages and tobacco</b>	<b>839</b>	<b>952</b>	<b>1,545</b>	<b>2,126</b>	<b>447</b>	<b>509</b>	<b>485</b>	<b>685</b>
	Beverages	584	669	916	925	188	185	218	334
	Tobacco & tobacco manufactures	255	283	629	1,201	259	324	267	351
2	<b>Crude materials, inedible, except fuel</b>	<b>2,097</b>	<b>2,769</b>	<b>3,369</b>	<b>3,821</b>	<b>1,409</b>	<b>894</b>	<b>626</b>	<b>892</b>
	Cork and wood	491	563	979	905	249	244	173	239
	Textile fibres	1,130	1,669	1,737	2,302	1,012	506	316	468
	Other	476	537	653	614	148	144	137	185
3	<b>Mineral fuels, lubricants, &amp; related products</b>	<b>15,394</b>	<b>19,321</b>	<b>22,180</b>	<b>28,352</b>	<b>6,577</b>	<b>8,366</b>	<b>7,505</b>	<b>5,904</b>
	Refined petroleum products	13,471	17,025	18,969	24,042	5,729	7,347	6,378	4,588
	Gas, natural and manufactured	1,051	1,249	1,482	1,821	320	386	606	509
	Other	872	1,047	1,729	2,489	528	633	521	807
4	<b>Animal &amp; vegetable oils and fats</b>	<b>845</b>	<b>711</b>	<b>1,147</b>	<b>1,579</b>	<b>436</b>	<b>271</b>	<b>356</b>	<b>516</b>
	Fixed vegetables oils & fats	720	594	1,009	1,301	393	218	279	411
	Other	125	117	138	278	43	53	77	105
5	<b>Chemicals &amp; related products, n.e.s</b>	<b>7,386</b>	<b>8,157</b>	<b>9,414</b>	<b>10,415</b>	<b>2,249</b>	<b>2,417</b>	<b>2,835</b>	<b>2,914</b>
	Dyeing & tanning materials	571	623	763	795	163	211	227	194
	Medicinal & pharmaceutical products	1,516	1,890	2,176	2,397	547	550	587	713
	Fertilisers	536	471	476	935	138	214	427	156
	Plastics in primary forms	1,193	1,219	1,515	1,528	319	372	396	441
	Plastics in non-primary forms	674	721	780	789	176	187	220	206
	Other	2,896	3,233	3,704	3,971	906	883	978	1,204

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Table 9.9 (Cont'd) - Total imports by section / main commodities, 2005 - 2008

Value (c.i.f.): Million Rupees

S.I.T.C. Section	Description	2008 <sup>2</sup>				2008 <sup>2</sup>	2007 <sup>1</sup>				2006	2005				
		1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr		2007 <sup>1</sup>	2006	2005	2005		2005	2005	2005		
6	<b>Manufactured goods classified chiefly by materials</b> Paper, paperboard & articles thereof Textile yarn Cotton fabrics Other textile fabrics Cement Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones Iron and steel Manufactures of metal, n.e.s. Other	5,638	5,792	6,271	7,334	25,035	24,733	21,811	19,297	19,297	21,811	24,733	25,035	24,733	21,811	19,297
		431	419	483	521	1,854	1,672	1,576	1,435	1,435	1,576	1,672	1,854	1,672	1,576	1,435
		600	697	557	623	2,477	3,867	4,097	3,167	3,167	4,097	3,867	2,477	3,867	4,097	3,167
		565	605	486	589	2,245	2,217	1,875	1,751	1,751	1,875	2,217	2,245	2,217	1,875	1,751
		621	661	681	807	2,770	2,906	2,469	2,509	2,509	2,469	2,906	2,770	2,906	2,469	2,509
		669	387	517	805	2,378	1,416	1,442	1,262	1,262	1,442	1,416	2,378	2,378	1,416	1,262
		323	457	380	351	1,511	1,716	1,817	1,647	1,647	1,817	1,716	1,511	1,511	1,716	1,647
		728	650	1,075	1,222	3,675	3,155	2,423	2,235	2,235	2,423	3,155	3,675	3,675	3,155	2,235
		661	706	823	992	3,182	3,352	2,610	2,247	2,247	2,610	3,352	3,182	3,182	3,352	2,247
		1,040	1,210	1,269	1,424	4,943	4,432	3,502	3,044	3,044	3,502	4,432	4,943	4,943	4,432	3,044
		5,263	6,164	7,313	7,532	26,272	28,529	35,931	26,110	26,110	35,931	28,529	26,272	26,272	28,529	26,110
		345	448	172	389	1,354	736	1,401	958	958	1,401	736	1,354	1,354	736	958
		547	718	600	739	2,604	3,774	3,350	3,046	3,046	3,350	3,774	2,604	2,604	3,774	3,046
701	873	1,006	1,269	3,849	4,278	3,049	2,795	2,795	3,049	4,278	3,849	3,849	4,278	2,795		
482	547	612	613	2,254	2,148	2,669	1,847	1,847	2,669	2,148	2,254	2,254	2,148	1,847		
978	1,158	1,548	1,218	4,902	5,430	10,678	9,739	9,739	10,678	5,430	4,902	4,902	5,430	9,739		
885	952	958	1,271	4,066	3,518	2,926	2,996	2,996	2,926	3,518	4,066	4,066	3,518	2,996		
1,211	1,371	1,731	1,902	6,215	5,228	4,505	4,216	4,216	4,505	5,228	6,215	6,215	5,228	4,216		
73	66	646	81	866	3,183	7,175	403	403	7,175	3,183	866	866	3,183	403		
41	31	40	50	162	234	178	110	110	178	234	162	162	234	110		
1,916	2,469	2,716	3,706	10,807	9,583	8,208	7,257	7,257	8,208	9,583	10,807	10,807	9,583	7,257		
112	140	160	255	667	538	374	272	272	374	538	667	667	538	272		
244	361	424	583	1,612	1,339	1,163	1,195	1,195	1,163	1,339	1,612	1,612	1,339	1,195		
64	112	136	238	550	480	423	388	388	423	480	550	550	480	388		
166	188	183	275	812	891	720	490	490	720	891	812	812	891	490		
140	164	172	244	720	609	569	586	586	569	609	720	720	609	586		
166	198	190	235	789	771	750	638	638	750	771	789	789	771	638		
247	282	322	348	1,199	1,177	1,008	857	857	1,008	1,177	1,199	1,199	1,177	857		
144	189	189	307	829	705	817	729	729	817	705	829	829	705	729		
633	835	940	1,221	3,629	3,073	2,384	2,102	2,102	2,384	3,073	3,629	3,629	3,073	2,102		
80	86	59	60	285	505	366	237	237	366	505	285	285	505	237		

Note: Data include transactions of the freeport

<sup>1</sup> Revised

<sup>2</sup> Provisional

**Table 9.10 - Imports of selected commodities, quantity, 2005 - 2008**

Quantity: Thousand Tonnes

Commodity	2005	2006	2007 <sup>1</sup>	2008 <sup>2</sup>	2008 <sup>2</sup>			
					1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
Meat & meat preparations	14	15	15	15	3	3	4	5
Dairy products & birds eggs	22	21	22	23	7	6	5	5
Fish and fish preparations	105	151	129	150	40	36	41	33
Wheat	148	140	158	83	10	-	47	26
Rice	62	61	63	68	26	18	14	10
Wheaten flour	4	-	-	13	13	-	-	-
Vegetable edible oils and fats	39	30	36	33	10	5	7	11
Fertilisers manufactured	62	55	45	47	10	12	19	6
Cement	677	717	616	811	249	140	184	238
Iron and steel	104	104	121	113	29	23	28	33

**Table 9.11 - EOE\* imports by main section / commodity, 2005 - 2008**

S.I.T.C Section	Description	2005	2006	2007 <sup>1</sup>	2008 <sup>2</sup>	2008 <sup>2</sup>			
						1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
0	EOE imports	15,518	19,026	21,036	19,896	5,834	4,740	4,702	4,620
	Food and live animals	1,731	3,176	3,765	5,902	1,951	1,173	1,641	1,137
2	Crude materials, inedible except fuels	1,160	1,682	1,792	2,354	1,019	517	334	484
	- Cotton	(729)	(1,100)	(1,149)	(1,635)	(786)	(305)	(196)	(348)
	- synthetic fibres suitable for spinning	(22)	(39)	(30)	(54)	(17)	(16)	(7)	(14)
	- wool and other animal hair	(318)	(437)	(457)	(471)	(149)	(166)	(95)	(61)
3	Mineral fuels, lubricants & related products	1	2	5	5	2	1	1	1
5	Chemicals & related products	628	699	939	833	196	205	216	216
6	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	8,444	9,357	9,661	7,947	1,877	2,136	1,883	2,051
	- leather	(128)	(168)	(256)	(267)	(70)	(67)	(71)	(59)
	- textile yarn and fabrics	(5,543)	(6,326)	(6,457)	(4,901)	(1,215)	(1,337)	(1,098)	(1,251)
	- pearls and precious stones	(1,589)	(1,651)	(1,629)	(1,438)	(300)	(429)	(371)	(338)
7	Machinery and transport equipment	1,860	2,235	2,767	1,132	340	246	220	326
8	Miscellaneous manufactured goods	1,568	1,698	1,700	1,542	390	404	379	369
	- optical goods, watches & clocks	(231)	(230)	(244)	(179)	(59)	(57)	(28)	(35)
	- jewellery, goldsmiths & silversmiths wares	(385)	(367)	(259)	(198)	(48)	(52)	(58)	(40)
	Other sections	126	177	407	181	59	58	28	36

<sup>1</sup> Revised<sup>2</sup> Provisional

\* see footnote on page 126

Value (c.i.f.): Million Rupees

Table 9.12 - Total imports by main countries of origin, 2005 - 2008

Country of origin	2008 <sup>2</sup>				2008 <sup>2</sup>	2007 <sup>1</sup>	2006	2005
	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr				
Total imports	30,776	32,104	34,358	35,326	132,564	121,037	115,502	93,282
<b>Europe</b>	<b>7,974</b>	<b>7,319</b>	<b>8,303</b>	<b>8,644</b>	<b>32,240</b>	<b>35,776</b>	<b>41,796</b>	<b>30,202</b>
Austria	64	57	111	141	373	271	191	187
Belgium	363	356	434	495	1,648	1,607	1,758	1,488
Denmark	39	60	61	150	310	421	240	1,010
Finland	104	70	350	93	617	1,187	2,784	4,485
France	2,464	2,170	2,659	2,910	10,203	12,813	16,440	6,958
Germany	653	722	766	825	2,966	3,268	4,613	3,794
Greece	5	6	4	8	23	39	36	33
Hungary	212	219	116	77	624	955	4,007	2,141
Ireland	91	70	76	113	350	385	297	253
Israel	127	38	119	101	385	385	242	275
Italy	662	891	773	948	3,274	3,321	2,950	2,402
Netherlands	129	354	262	365	1,110	656	667	466
Poland	33	47	37	51	168	153	102	105
Portugal	155	48	44	48	295	207	149	88
Russian Federation	1	1	215	4	221	12	36	16
Spain	1,402	911	820	640	3,773	3,136	2,325	2,091
Sweden	35	51	41	50	177	296	199	220
Switzerland	335	377	314	426	1,452	2,011	1,296	1,121
Turkey	351	143	184	233	911	567	282	192
United Kingdom	654	655	844	844	2,997	3,622	2,894	2,589
Other	95	73	73	122	363	464	288	288
<b>Asia</b>	<b>16,146</b>	<b>18,144</b>	<b>19,044</b>	<b>18,345</b>	<b>71,679</b>	<b>62,069</b>	<b>52,721</b>	<b>44,326</b>
Bahrain	-	4	2	9	15	6	1,349	5086
China	2,869	3,563	4,060	4,799	15,291	13,768	9,988	9,166
Hong Kong (S.A.R.) <sup>3</sup>	113	120	128	175	536	582	597	652
India	7,879	8,997	8,043	6,779	31,698	25,633	15,687	6,461
Indonesia	689	646	793	949	3,077	2,799	2,346	2,112
Iran	16	14	6	89	125	89	75	59
Japan	1,019	1,103	1,920	1,340	5,382	4,334	3,254	3,333
Jordan	32	3	3	16	54	5	94	96
Korea, Democratic	12	10	5	18	45	62	21	45
Korea, Republic of	486	323	888	453	2,150	1,663	1,081	906

<sup>1</sup> Revised

<sup>2</sup> Provisional

<sup>3</sup> Special Administrative Region of China

Table 9.12 (Cont'd) - Total imports by main countries of origin, 2005 - 2008

Value (c.i.f.): Million Rupees

Country of origin	2005	2006	2007 <sup>1</sup>	2008 <sup>2</sup>	2008 <sup>2</sup>			
					1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
Malaysia	2,670	2,978	3,116	3,422	733	826	805	1,058
Pakistan	1,011	1,239	1,208	1,496	352	370	393	381
Philippines	580	774	150	564	92	192	175	105
Saudi Arabia	3,409	4,000	1,346	637	316	254	39	28
Singapore	1,586	1,103	1,333	1,098	259	236	297	306
Sri Lanka	88	78	78	64	22	9	17	16
Thailand	1,532	1,677	2,147	3,123	705	765	739	914
United Arab Emirates	3,588	3,309	1,482	576	118	160	126	172
Viet Nam	89	110	171	286	38	50	67	131
Oman	-	313	34	53	11	12	10	20
Other	1,857	2,648	2,063	1,987	385	487	528	587
<b>Africa</b>	<b>11,355</b>	<b>12,881</b>	<b>13,983</b>	<b>16,968</b>	<b>3,752</b>	<b>4,016</b>	<b>4,255</b>	<b>4,945</b>
Burkina Faso	11	27	34	25	25	-	-	-
Cameroon	46	36	170	145	34	56	39	16
Egypt	630	886	862	962	228	173	225	336
Kenya	283	420	402	1,038	192	282	270	294
Malagasy Republic of	436	478	553	657	123	121	106	307
Mali	35	87	128	62	-	37	25	-
Morocco	95	145	185	295	77	58	76	84
Mozambique	461	166	101	190	104	23	6	57
Reunion	116	108	78	118	16	39	33	30
Seychelles	282	1,043	1,156	577	396	128	9	44
South Africa, Republic of	8,066	8,433	8,910	10,707	2,128	2,765	2,544	3,270
Swaziland	195	249	306	298	80	43	90	85
Tanzania	77	39	42	130	96	9	6	19
Zambia	254	369	391	226	89	6	-	131
Zimbabwe	84	89	132	123	20	58	14	31
Other	284	306	533	1,415	144	218	812	241
<b>America</b>	<b>3,743</b>	<b>4,099</b>	<b>5,095</b>	<b>6,917</b>	<b>1,720</b>	<b>1,578</b>	<b>1,685</b>	<b>2,134</b>
Argentina	1137	994	1,398	2,121	741	224	465	691
Brazil	394	290	336	502	118	80	120	184
Canada	60	85	166	225	28	40	44	113
Chile	55	57	86	68	22	16	17	13
Mexico	45	78	65	97	20	28	19	30
Netherlands Antilles	-	155	-	361	-	75	94	192
United States of America	1,972	2,328	2,777	3,168	673	713	906	876
Other	80	112	267	375	118	202	20	35
<b>Oceania</b>	<b>3,656</b>	<b>4,005</b>	<b>4,114</b>	<b>4,760</b>	<b>1,184</b>	<b>1,247</b>	<b>1,071</b>	<b>1,258</b>
Australia	2,699	3,105	2,752	3,201	706	811	783	901
New Zealand	823	851	1,321	1,515	478	410	271	356
Other	134	49	41	44	-	26	17	1

Note: Data include transactions of the freeport

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## SECTION 10 - LABOUR STATISTICS

- (a) Prior to 2004, estimates of labour force, employment and unemployment that were published, were based on the latest Population Census or Labour Force Sample Survey, updated with data from surveys of establishments and information from various administrative sources. The estimates refer to population aged 12 years and over.
  - (b) As from 2004, the Continuous Multi Purpose Household Survey (CMPHS) is being used to measure labour force, employment and unemployment. This follows the recommendations of a Technical Committee set up to analyse the findings of a World Bank study on unemployment in Mauritius. The Committee also recommended that the lower age cut-off point for the labour force should be 15 years.
  - (c) However in December 2006, the government amended the Labour Act to raise the minimum employment age from 15 to 16, eliminating the inconsistency with the compulsory educational requirement through 16 years of age. To be in line with the amended Labour Act, labour force estimates are based on population aged 16 years and above and to obtain a comparable series, figures prior to 2007 have been revised to reflect this change. These estimates are presented in Table 10.1.
2. Tables 10.2 to 10.8 show figures of employment and earnings derived from the **March** Survey of Employment and Earnings. The figures relate to **large establishments** only, defined as:
- (a) Agricultural establishments comprising:
    - (i) Sugar plantations of 10 hectares or more,
    - (ii) Tea plantations of 2 hectares or more,
    - (iii) All 'flue-cured' tobacco establishments, irrespective of acreage,
    - (iv) Other agricultural establishments employing at least 10 persons on the day of the survey.
  - (b) Non-agricultural establishments employing at least 10 persons on the day of the survey. It is to be noted that 'outworkers', i.e. piece-rate workers who, although employed by an establishment, are working in their homes on materials provided by the establishment are excluded.
3. (a) Classification used is according to the National Standard Industrial Classification, which is an adaptation of the International Standard Industrial Classification Rev. 3 (ISIC Rev. 3) of 1990.
- (b) Establishments previously lumped under 'Central Government' are now allocated to their relevant industry groups according to their activities.

4. It is to be noted that apart from increases in salaries and wages, fluctuations in earnings (tables 10.4 to 10.8 ) may be due to:
  - (a) changes of different magnitude in the various categories of employees e.g. a large intake of employees at the lower end of the wage scale (as occurs when a new factory starts operation) has the effect of lowering the average earnings. On the other hand, a large intake of professionals by, say, an architectural firm can cause a sudden increase in the average monthly earnings.
  - (b) changes in overtime, regular allowances, bonuses and commissions.
5. Tables 10.9 - 10.12 show figures of wages/salaries and earnings by occupation. The figures shown in table 10.10 have been derived from the Quarterly Survey of Employment, Earnings and Hours of work carried out among a sample of **large establishments**. Large fluctuations noted in certain occupations are mainly due to changes in allowances and overtime.

Table 10.1 - Labour force, Employment and Unemployment, 16 years and over, 2004 - 2008

Year	Labour force			Employment (including foreign workers)			Unemployment	
	Mauritian	Foreign workers	Total	in large establishments <sup>1</sup>	outside large establishments	Total	Number	Rate <sup>2</sup> (%)
<b>Both sexes</b>								
2004	531.3	17.5	548.8	293.3	210.9	504.2	44.6	8.4
2005	542.5	16.6	559.1	292.2	215.0	507.2	51.9	9.6
2006	548.4	16.7	565.1	295.1	220.2	515.3	49.8	9.1
2007	548.9	21.6	570.5	301.3	222.4	523.7	46.8	8.5
2008	559.4	24.0	583.4	308.5	234.5	543.0	40.4	7.2
<b>Male</b>								
2004	347.8	9.0	356.8	189.1	147.7	336.8	20.0	5.8
2005	349.6	9.1	358.7	189.3	149.2	338.5	20.2	5.8
2006	351.4	8.3	359.7	190.0	150.5	340.5	19.2	5.5
2007	353.6	12.1	365.7	195.0	152.1	347.1	18.6	5.3
2008	355.6	14.7	370.3	198.8	156.9	355.7	14.6	4.1
<b>Female</b>								
2004	183.5	8.5	192.0	104.2	63.2	167.4	24.6	13.4
2005	192.9	7.5	200.4	102.9	65.8	168.7	31.7	16.4
2006	197.0	8.4	205.4	105.1	69.7	174.8	30.6	15.5
2007	195.3 <sup>3</sup>	9.5	204.8	106.3	70.3	176.6	28.2	14.4
2008	203.8	9.3	213.1	109.7	77.6	187.3	25.8	12.7

<sup>1</sup> Employing 10 or more persons

<sup>2</sup> Unemployment as a percentage of Mauritian labour force

<sup>3</sup> The decrease is explained by a larger number of female students and housewives

**Table 10.2 - Employment<sup>1</sup> in large establishments<sup>2</sup> by major industrial group, March 2006 - March 2008  
Both sexes**

<b>Industrial group</b>	<b>2006</b>	<b>2007<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>2008</b>
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	21,636	21,684	18,512
<i>of which Sugarcane</i>	13,797	13,996	11,277
Mining and quarrying	180	140	140
Manufacturing	91,021	92,261	91,978
<i>of which Sugar</i>	2,008	1,997	1,636
<i>Food</i>	9,127	9,054	9,188
<i>Textiles</i>	56,314	57,807	57,339
<i>Other</i>	23,572	23,403	23,815
Electricity, gas and water	2,988	2,999	3,081
Construction	12,925	13,629	13,477
Wholesale & retail trade, repair of m/vehicles, motorcycles, personal & household goods	18,113	18,835	19,624
Hotels and restaurants	21,341	22,026	24,346
Transport, storage & communication	18,333	18,513	19,051
Financial intermediation	9,009	9,293	10,608
Real estate, renting and business activities	15,145	17,196	19,071
Public administration & defence; compulsory social security	40,298	39,582	39,849
Education	24,045	24,040	24,437
Health and social work	12,670	12,984	13,344
Other community, social and personal services	6,192	6,179	6,877
<b>Total</b>	<b>293,896</b>	<b>299,361</b>	<b>304,395</b>
<i>of which: General Government</i>	74,326	73,534	73,311

**Male**

Agriculture, forestry and fishing	18,052	18,047	15,393
<i>of which Sugarcane</i>	11,369	11,499	9,363
Mining and quarrying	90	75	76
Manufacturing	43,626	45,004	46,203
<i>of which Sugar</i>	1,990	1,979	1,619
<i>Food</i>	4,858	4,858	4,861
<i>Textiles</i>	20,708	22,180	23,460
<i>Other</i>	16,070	15,987	16,263
Electricity, gas and water	2,824	2,821	2,894
Construction	12,345	13,070	12,863
Wholesale & retail trade, repair of m/vehicles, motorcycles, personal & household goods	12,395	12,860	13,205
Hotels and restaurants	16,298	16,746	18,042
Transport, storage & communication	14,927	15,049	15,495
Financial intermediation	4,910	5,031	5,517
Real estate, renting and business activities	9,839	10,884	12,051
Public administration & defence; compulsory social security	31,130	30,251	30,591
Education	11,432	11,337	11,185
Health and social work	6,494	6,619	6,605
Other community, social and personal services	4,627	4,644	5,077
<b>Total</b>	<b>188,989</b>	<b>192,438</b>	<b>195,197</b>
<i>of which: General Government</i>	52,082	50,909	50,126

<sup>1</sup> Including employees in Rodrigues and foreigners working on contract in Mauritius.

<sup>2</sup> See notes on page 133.

<sup>3</sup> Revised

**Table 10.2 (Cont'd) - Employment<sup>1</sup> in large establishments<sup>2</sup> by major industrial group and sex, March 2006 - March 2008**  
**Female**

Industrial group	2006 <sup>6</sup>	2007 <sup>6</sup>	2008
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	3,584	3,637	3,119
<i>of which Sugarcane</i>	2,428	2,497	1,914
Mining and quarrying	90	65	64
Manufacturing	47,395	47,257	45,775
<i>of which Sugar</i>	18	18	17
<i>Food</i>	4,269	4,196	4,327
<i>Textiles</i>	35,606	35,627	33,879
<i>Other</i>	7,502	7,416	7,552
Electricity, gas and water	164	178	187
Construction	580	559	614
Wholesale & retail trade, repair of m/vehicles, motorcycles, personal & household goods	5,718	5,975	6,419
Hotels and restaurants	5,043	5,280	6,304
Transport, storage & communication	3,406	3,464	3,556
Financial intermediation	4,099	4,262	5,091
Real estate, renting and business activities	5,306	6,312	7,020
Public administration & defence: compulsory social security	9,168	9,331	9,258
Education	12,613	12,703	13,252
Health and social work	6,176	6,365	6,739
Other community, social and personal services	1,565	1,535	1,800
<b>Total</b>	<b>104,907</b>	<b>106,923</b>	<b>109,198</b>
<i>of which: General Government</i>	22,244	22,625	23,185

**Table 10.3 - Employment<sup>1</sup> in large establishments<sup>2</sup> by sector, March 2005 - March 2007**

Sector	2006 <sup>6</sup>	2007 <sup>6</sup>	2008
<b>Sugar Industry<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>15,805</b>	<b>15,993</b>	<b>12,913</b>
Planters (including metayers)	1,600	1,586	1,369
Millers' estates and annexes	12,197	12,410	9,908
Factories	2,008	1,997	1,636
<b>Export Oriented Enterprises</b>	<b>65,240</b>	<b>66,138</b>	<b>66,782</b>
Textiles	6,034	6,031	6,165
Wearing apparel (except footwear)	47,573	48,732	48,530
Jewellery and related articles	1,671	1,703	1,751
Other manufacturing industries	9,084	8,623	9,251
Non-manufacturing industries	878	1,049	1,085
<b>Public Sector</b>	<b>96,019</b>	<b>94,496</b>	<b>94,701</b>
General government <sup>4</sup>	74,326	73,534	73,311
Public enterprises <sup>5</sup>	21,693	20,962	21,390
<b>Other sectors</b>	<b>116,832</b>	<b>122,734</b>	<b>129,999</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>293,896</b>	<b>299,361</b>	<b>304,395</b>

<sup>1</sup> Including employees in Rodrigues and foreigners working on contract in Mauritius.

<sup>2</sup> See notes on page 133.

<sup>3</sup> Includes employees of Rose Belle Sugar Estate.

<sup>4</sup> Includes Ministries/Departments, Municipal and District Councils, and agencies operating under the authority of the Central Government.

<sup>5</sup> Excludes employees of Rose Belle Sugar Estate.

<sup>6</sup> Revised

**Table 10.4 - Average monthly earnings<sup>1</sup> in large establishments<sup>2</sup> by industrial group, March 2006 - March 2008**

(Rupees)

<b>Industrial group</b>	<b>2006</b>	<b>2007<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>2008</b>
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	10,019	10,409	10,958
<i>of which Sugar cane</i>	9,202	9,453	9,926
Mining and quarrying	5,895	6,340	6,735
Manufacturing	8,214	8,622	8,979
<i>of which Sugar</i>	12,468	12,897	12,976
<i>Food</i>	8,538	8,930	9,018
<i>Textiles</i>	6,802	7,203	7,520
<i>Other</i>	10,341	10,722	11,191
Electricity, gas and water	22,016	24,125	24,449
Construction	13,047	14,143	15,457
Wholesale & retail trade, repair of m/vehicles, motorcycles, personal & household goods	13,547	14,387	15,786
Hotels and restaurants	10,561	11,325	11,550
Transport, storage & communication	16,664	17,472	19,824
Financial intermediation	22,692	24,504	27,413
Real estate, renting and business activities	13,447	13,880	15,231
Public administration & defence; compulsory social security	14,535	15,497	16,880
Education	16,216	16,682	17,287
Health and social work	17,306	18,866	19,571
Other community, social and personal services	12,298	12,513	13,173
<b>All sectors</b>	<b>12,632</b>	<b>13,397</b>	<b>14,438</b>

**Table 10.5 - Average monthly earnings in large establishments<sup>2</sup> by industrial group for employees on monthly rates of pay, March 2006 - March 2008**

(Rupees)

<b>Industrial group</b>	<b>2006</b>	<b>2007<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>2008</b>
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	10,605	10,852	11,605
<i>of which Sugarcane</i>	9,521	9,676	10,260
Mining and quarrying	8,438	8,725	8,899
Manufacturing	10,833	11,189	11,568
<i>of which Sugar</i>	12,678	13,132	13,158
<i>Food</i>	10,378	11,110	11,134
<i>Textiles</i>	9,728	10,130	10,553
<i>Other</i>	11,628	11,858	12,344
Electricity, gas and water	22,457	24,866	24,960
Construction	16,289	17,631	18,612
Wholesale & retail trade, repair of m vehicles, motorcycles, personal & household goods	13,909	14,763	16,215
Hotels and restaurants	10,564	11,327	11,567
Transport, storage & communication	17,413	18,258	20,779
Financial intermediation	22,762	24,528	27,428
Real estate, renting and business activities	14,382	14,029	15,434
Public administration & defence; compulsory social security	14,593	15,554	16,923
Education	16,124	16,586	17,211
Health and social work	17,382	18,933	19,694
Other community, social and personal services	13,823	14,063	14,563
<b>All sectors</b>	<b>14,219</b>	<b>14,886</b>	<b>16,028</b>

<sup>1</sup> Earnings of daily, hourly, and piece rate workers have been converted to a monthly basis and included in this table.

<sup>2</sup> See notes on page 133.

<sup>3</sup> Revised

**Table 10.6 - Average daily earnings in large establishments<sup>1</sup> by industrial group for employees on daily rates of pay, March 2006 - March 2008**

(Rupees)			
<b>Industrial group</b>	<b>2006</b>	<b>2007</b>	<b>2008</b>
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	296	302	318
<i>of which Sugarcane</i>	313	319	337
Mining and quarrying	196	194	215
Manufacturing	243	254	263
<i>of which Sugar</i>	401	402	443
<i>Food</i>	275	259	261
<i>Textiles</i>	211	226	231
<i>Other</i>	297	317	332
Electricity, gas and water	310	323	309
Construction	400	439	477
Wholesale & retail trade, repair of motor vehicles, motorcycles, personal & household goods	290	301	306
Hotels and restaurants	148	222	304
Transport, storage & communication	310	329	346
Financial intermediation	384	330	331
Real estate, renting and business activities	248	266	254
Public administration & defence; compulsory social security	237	272	275
Education	467	303	296
Health and social work	199	235	313
Other community, social and personal services	222	218	260
<b>All sectors</b>	<b>280</b>	<b>299</b>	<b>310</b>

**Table 10.7 - Average monthly earnings in EOE<sup>2</sup> by industrial group for employees exclusively on monthly rates of pay, March 2006 - March 2008**

(Rupees)			
<b>Industrial group</b>	<b>2006</b>	<b>2007<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>2008</b>
<b>Manufacturing</b>	<b>9,595</b>	<b>10,245</b>	<b>10,456</b>
Food	9,043	10,141	10,085
Textiles	9,361	10,113	11,421
Wearing apparel (except footwear)	9,985	10,773	10,538
Footwear and leather products	16,407	16,252	18,255
Wood and furniture	7,570	7,771	8,470
Medical, optical and photographic equipment	8,798	8,712	9,074
Watches and clocks	8,331	7,763	7,265
Jewellery & related articles	8,368	8,873	9,003
Paper products and printing and publishing	9,706	10,058	10,885
Chemical and plastic products	11,548	11,497	11,875
Other	8,559	9,325	10,238
<b>Non-manufacturing</b>	<b>16,030</b>	<b>18,684</b>	<b>19,809</b>
<b>All sectors</b>	<b>9,826</b>	<b>10,585</b>	<b>10,860</b>

**Table 10.8 - Average daily earnings in EOE<sup>2</sup> by industrial group for employees exclusively on daily rates of pay, March 2006 - March 2008**

(Rupees)			
<b>Industrial group</b>	<b>2006</b>	<b>2007</b>	<b>2008</b>
<b>Manufacturing</b>	<b>218</b>	<b>230</b>	<b>241</b>
Food	219	233	233
Textiles	248	251	281
Wearing apparel (except footwear)	212	227	236
Footwear and leather products	233	233	265
Wood and furniture	241	273	279
Medical, optical and photographic equipment	278	304	304
Watches and clocks	229	-	-
Jewellery & related articles	204	214	211
Paper products and printing and publishing	-	-	-
Chemical and plastic products	193	199	219
Other	206	184	205
<b>Non-manufacturing</b>	<b>201</b>	<b>201</b>	<b>254</b>
<b>All sectors</b>	<b>217</b>	<b>229</b>	<b>241</b>

<sup>1</sup> See notes on page 133. Export Oriented Enterprises

Please note that EOE consists of those enterprises previously operating with an EPZ certificate, and those enterprises manufacturing goods for export and holding a registration certificate issued by the Board of Investment

**Table 10.9 - Minimum wages per month as prescribed by the National Remuneration Board for specified occupations in principal industries, 2006 - 2008**  
(as at 1st July of each year)

Industrial group	Occupation	2006	2007	2008
<b>Agriculture, hunting, forestry &amp; fishing:</b> Sugarcane	Field worker (other than special category):			
	Male	5,071	5,371	5,670
	Female	3,857	4,156	4,455
	Fitter, grade I	6,441	6,741	7,091
	Driver, grade I (lorries, vans, buses, cars, rollers, wheel tractors for haulage work and light loader)	5,832	6,132	6,431
	Factory operator, grade I	5,317	5,617	5,918
Tea	Field labourer:			
	Male	4,746	5,046	5,346
	Female	3,722	4,022	4,322
Tobacco	Field labourer:			
	Male	4,746	5,046	5,346
	Female	3,722	4,022	4,322
<b>Manufacturing:</b>				
	Brigadier	6,396	6,691	7,040
Bread manufacture, mechanised <sup>1</sup>	Factory worker	2,526	2,746	2,968
Export enterprise <sup>2</sup>	Cabinet maker, grade I	6,205	6,505	6,855
Furniture, wooden <sup>1</sup>	Hand compositor	5,120	5,420	5,720
Printing and publishing				

<sup>1</sup> Daily wages converted to monthly wages by assuming 26 working days per month.

<sup>2</sup> Weekly wages converted to monthly wages by assuming 6 working days per week and 26 working days per month.



**Table 10.9 (Cont'd) - Minimum wages per month as prescribed by the National Remuneration Board for specified occupations in principal industries, 2006 - 2008**  
(as at 1st July of each year)

Industrial group	Occupation	2006	2007	2008
<b>Manufacturing (Cont'd):</b>				
Blockmaking, stone crushing and other related industries <sup>1</sup>	Stone breaker	6,658	7,008	8,824
	Block maker	6,658	7,008	8,824
Electrical, engineering and mechanical workshops	Pattern maker, grade I	5,390	5,690	5,990
	Fitter, grade I	5,390	5,690	5,990
<b>Construction<sup>1</sup></b>	Carpenter, grade I	6,825	7,175	9,032
	Mason, grade I	6,825	7,175	9,032
<b>Wholesale and retail trade; repair of m/vehicles, personal &amp; household goods:</b>				
Wholesale and retail trade	Salesman	5,360	5,660	5,960
<b>Hotels and restaurants</b>	Barman	6,415	6,715	7,065
	Cook	6,675	7,025	7,375
	Waiter	5,155	5,455	5,755
<b>Transport, storage &amp; communications</b>				
Bus transport	Driver (permanent)	6,065	6,365	8,880
	Conductor (permanent)	5,765	6,065	8,440
<b>Other community, social and personal services</b>				
Nursing homes	Nurse	5,750	6,050	6,350
	Nursing home attendant	3,085	3,385	3,660

<sup>1</sup> Daily wages converted to monthly wages by assuming 26 working days per month.

**Table 10.10 - Earnings<sup>1</sup> per month for typical occupations in selected industries  
(excluding government), 2007 & 2008**

(Rupees)

Industrial group	Occupation	2007 <sup>2</sup>	2008
<b>Agriculture, hunting, forestry &amp; fishing</b>			
Sugarcane plantations	Overseer - Grade I	13,994	15,750
	Field worker (other than special category)	8,118	10,004
<b>Manufacturing</b>			
Poultry and other meat	Farm worker	8,832	9,531
	Factory worker	8,422	9,469
Textiles (excluding wearing apparel)	Machine operator	6,669	7,772
Wearing apparel (except footwear)	Machine operator	6,185	7,208
Basic metals	Factory worker	7,688	9,549
Fabricated metal products	Factory worker	7,925	8,340
<b>Construction</b>			
	Mason - Grade I	12,627	13,073
	Carpenter - Grade I	11,946	12,738
<b>Hotels and restaurants</b>			
	Receptionist	9,036	10,034
	Waiter	7,572	7,951
	Maid/Servant	5,737	6,906
<b>Transport, storage &amp; communications</b>			
Bus transport	Bus driver	9,627	11,727
	Bus conductor	8,540	10,215
Communication	Telephone installer/Servicer	19,706	22,663
	Telephone operator	22,708	28,454
<b>Financial intermediation</b>			
Banks	Bank teller	17,678	19,157
	Clerk/Senior clerk	20,420	23,657
Insurance	Insurance clerk	12,950	14,317
<b>Real estate, renting and business activities</b>			
Accounting and auditing services	Accounts clerk	7,650	8,245
Architectural & engineering services	Draughtmans	14,026	16,607
<b>Education</b>			
Private education services	Primary education teacher	14,192	17,854
	Education officer	23,592	28,960
<b>Health &amp; social work</b>			
Private health services	Nursing aid	7,813	9,186

<sup>1</sup>Earnings include remuneration for normal time work inclusive of cost of living allowances and other guaranteed and regularly paid allowances as well as all overtime payments. It should be noted that a fall over time may be due to the intake of new recruits.

<sup>2</sup>Revised

Note: (1) Average for the four quarters of the year.

(2) Large fluctuations in earnings from one year to the other are mostly due to overtime.

(3) Earnings are not strictly comparable with previous series following changes in sampled establishments.

**Table 10.11 - Minimum and maximum salary rates<sup>1</sup> per month of specified occupations in Ministry/Department, July 2006 - July 2008**

(Rupees)

Occupation	Minimum			Maximum		
	2006	2007	2008	2006	2007	2008
Carpenter	6,900	7,250	8,800	10,965	11,365	15,000
Clerical officer	7,670	8,020	9,600	14,065	14,465	19,600
Assistant computer analyst	12,465	12,865	15,500	25,465	25,865	36,250
Driver	6,750	7,100	8,600	10,665	11,065	14,600
Analyst (*formerly Economist)	14,865	15,265	19,000	27,865	28,265	40,000
Educator (Secondary) - (*formerly Education officer)	11,265	11,665	14,200	27,865	28,265	40,000
Project manager (Civil engineering) - (*formerly Engineer/Senior engineer, civil)	17,165	17,565	22,000	27,865	28,265	45,000
Financial Operations Officer (*formerly Finance officer)	13,665	14,065	17,200	18,265	18,665	26,400
Fitter	6,900	7,250	8,800	10,965	11,365	15,000
General worker (*formerly General field and office/premises worker)	5,385	5,685	6,425	7,670	8,020	10,200
Lorry loader	5,655	5,955	7,200	8,145	8,545	10,950
Mason	6,900	7,250	8,800	10,965	11,365	15,000
Mechanics	6,900	7,250	8,800	10,965	11,365	15,000
Medical and health officer/Senior M&HO	24,665	25,065	35,000	35,665	36,065	50,000
Medical laboratory technician	11,265	11,665	14,200	20,065	20,465	29,000
Nursing officer	9,465	9,865	12,000	17,165	17,565	24,800
Police constable	8,320	8,720	10,450	15,665	16,065	22,600
Machine minder (Pressroom)	7,200	7,550	9,200	13,265	13,665	20,800
Teacher Senior Teacher (Primary)	8,690	9,090	11,200	15,665	16,065	23,200
Social security officer	8,145	8,545	10,200	15,265	15,665	22,000
Word processing operator	7,510	7,860	9,400	13,665	14,065	19,000
Technical officer (Agriculture)	11,265	11,665	14,200	20,065	20,465	29,000
Telephone operator	6,590	6,940	7,800	11,665	12,065	14,600

<sup>1</sup> Including cost of living allowance.

\*Restyled PRB 2008

**Table 10.12 - Average wages/salaries<sup>1</sup> per month of selected occupations in Ministry/  
Department, 2006 - 2008**

Occupation	(Rupees)		
	Sept 2006	Aug 2007	Aug 2008
Assistant computer analyst	18,369	19,143	26,097
Carpenter	10,801	11,265	14,388
Clerical officer/Higher clerical officer	10,820	11,527	14,604
Driver	10,468	10,816	14,099
Economist	21,334	22,839	32,370
Educator (Secondary) - *formerly Education officer.	21,031	21,833	30,488
Project manager (Civil engineering) - *formerly Engineer/Senior engineer, civil.	27,683	27,850	37,549
Financial Operations Officer- *formerly Finance officer	17,051	17,329	24,672
Hospital servant	9,247	9,692	12,671
Labourer	8,448	8,808	11,282
Mason	11,143	11,786	15,500
Medical and health officer	36,468	35,625	46,502
Medical laboratory technician	16,287	17,235	23,815
Motor/Diesel mechanic	11,336	11,763	15,424
Nursing officer	13,981	14,677	19,402
Plumber and pipe fitter	11,408	11,625	15,298
Police constable	13,290	13,598	18,038
Social security officer	10,551	11,290	14,419
Teacher/Senior teacher (General)	15,278	15,628	20,238
Telephone operator	11,683	12,160	15,924
Word processing operator	10,637	11,299	15,034

<sup>1</sup> Includes regularly paid allowances. It should be noted that a fall over time may be due to the intake of new recruits

\*Restyled PRB 2008

## SECTION 11 - SOCIAL SECURITY

Table 11.1(a) - Social Benefits<sup>1</sup>, Republic of Mauritius, 2004/2005 - 2007/2008

	2004/05	2005/06	2006/07	2007/08
<b>1. Social Aid</b>				
No. of cases	17,536	17,100	16,876	16,577
Total amount paid <sup>2</sup> (Million rupees)	317.33	348.96	394.60	430.17
<b>2. Indoor Relief</b>				
No. of persons in infirmaries	623	569	559	560
No. of persons in orphanages	139	117	102	91
Total capitation grant paid (Million rupees)	31.05	31.79	33.37	34.56
<b>3. Retirement pension and child's allowance</b>				
No. of beneficiaries				
Basic pension	120,802 <sup>9</sup>	126,344	131,126	136,408
of which: severely handicapped	(16,596)	(17,112)	(17,397)	(16,981)
Contributory pension	37,895	39,472	41,827	44,620
Amount paid (Million rupees)				
Basic pension <sup>3</sup>	3,486.24	4,128.98	4,459.11	4,761.79
Contributory pension	375.87	416.46	473.40	555.61
<b>4. Widow's pension and child's allowance</b>				
No. of beneficiaries				
Basic pension	22,672	22,973	22,810	22,611
Contributory pension (All ages)	14,082	15,188	15,916	16,689
Amount paid (Million rupees)				
Basic pension <sup>4</sup>	639.43	687.81	722.01	778.84
Contributory pension	91.52	103.98	124.21	147.84
<b>5. Orphan's pension and Guardian's allowance</b>				
No. of beneficiaries				
Basic pension	457	434	377	396
Contributory pension	102	97	88	114
No. of guardians (basic pension)	392	363	314	324
Amount paid (Million rupees)				
Basic pension <sup>5</sup>	14.11	14.55	14.86	20.70
Contributory pension	0.16	0.16	0.18	0.19
<b>6. Invalidity pension and child's allowance</b>				
No. of beneficiaries				
Basic pension	25,646	27,638	27,603	27,363
of which: severely handicapped	(7,354)	(7,984)	(8,015)	(7,787)
Contributory pension	5,620	6,445	6,733	6,509
Amount paid (Million rupees)				
Basic pension <sup>6</sup>	867.15	995.30	1,061.92	1,125.91
Contributory pension	22.73	26.91	29.15	30.88
<b>7. Inmates allowance<sup>7</sup></b>				
No. of beneficiaries :				
- in infirmaries & orphanages	548	480	486	483
- in Brown Sequad Hospital <sup>8</sup>	340	328	315	292
Total amount paid (Million rupees)	4.89	4.85	5.17	5.34
<b>8. Industrial injury benefit</b>				
Total amount paid (Million rupees)	27.19	28.99	29.60	29.57
<b>9. Lump sum payment to ex SIPF members</b>				
Total amount paid (Million rupees)	8.08	5.51	5.44	67.59
<b>10. Unemployment hardship relief</b>				
No. of beneficiaries	457	444	420	372
Total amount paid (Million rupees)	3.01	3.56	3.83	3.82

**Table 11.1(b) - Social Benefits<sup>1</sup>, Island of Mauritius, 2004/2005 - 2007/2008**

	2004/05	2005/06	2006/07	2007/08
<b>1. Social Aid</b>				
No. of cases	15,708	15,259	15,265	14,996
Total amount paid (Million rupees)	245.98	269.70	335.93	377.90
<b>2. Indoor relief</b>				
No. of persons in infirmaries	623	569	559	560
No. of persons in orphanages	139	117	102	91
Total capitation grants paid (Million rupees)	31.05	31.79	33.37	34.56
<b>3. Retirement pension and child's allowance</b>				
No. of beneficiaries				
Basic pension	117,319 <sup>9</sup>	122,723	127,420	132,632
of which: severely handicapped	(16,114)	(16,637)	(16,900)	(16,412)
Contributory pension	37,771	39,311	41,646	44,422
Amount paid (Million rupees)				
Basic pension <sup>3</sup>	3,396.74	4,011.63	4,334.27	4,620.15
Contributory pension	375.45	415.37	472.14	554.16
<b>4. Widow's pension and child's allowance</b>				
No. of beneficiaries				
Basic pension	22,306	22,589	22,412	22,213
Contributory pension (All ages)	14,043	15,139	15,864	16,636
Amount paid (Million rupees)				
Basic pension <sup>4</sup>	632.02	675.93	709.30	764.81
Contributory pension	91.35	103.75	123.94	147.50
<b>5. Orphan's pension and Guardian's allowance</b>				
No. of beneficiaries				
Basic pension	370	349	310	330
Contributory pension	101	96	88	111
No. of guardians (basic pension)	313	287	255	269
Amount paid (Million rupees)				
Basic pension <sup>5</sup>	12.18	12.70	13.10	18.00
Contributory pension	0.16	0.16	0.18	0.19
<b>6. Invalidity pension and child's allowance</b>				
No. of beneficiaries				
Basic pension	25,001	26,920	26,858	26,541
of which: severely handicapped	(7,077)	(7,655)	(7,661)	(7,452)
Contributory pension	5,609	6,429	6,710	6,485
Amount paid (Million rupees)				
Basic pension <sup>6</sup>	845.60	968.54	1,032.04	1,092.59
Contributory pension	22.69	26.87	29.07	30.79
<b>7. Inmates allowance<sup>7</sup></b>				
No. of beneficiaries :				
- in infirmaries & orphanages	548	480	486	483
- in Brown Squard Hospital <sup>8</sup>	340	328	315	292
Total amount paid (Million rupees)	4.89	4.85	5.17	5.34
<b>8. Industrial injury benefit</b>				
Total amount paid (Million rupees)	27.09	28.90	29.40	29.37
<b>9. Lump sum payment to ex SIFP members</b>				
Total amount paid (Million rupees)	8.08	5.51	5.44	67.59
<b>10. Unemployment hardship relief</b>				
No. of beneficiaries	197	173	163	121
Total amount paid (Million rupees)	1.16	1.19	1.13	1.30

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**Table 11.1(c) - Social Benefits<sup>1</sup>, Island of Rodrigues, 2004/2005 - 2007/2008**

	2004/05	2005/06	2006/07	2007/08
<b>1. Social Aid</b>				
No. of cases	1.828	1.841	1.611	1.581
Total amount paid <sup>2</sup> (Million rupees)	71.35	79.26	58.76	52.27
<b>2. Retirement pension and child's allowance</b>				
No. of beneficiaries				
Basic pension	3,483 <sup>9</sup>	3,621	3,706	3,776
of which: severely handicapped	(482)	(475)	(497)	(569)
Contributory pension	124	161	181	198
Amount paid (Million rupees)				
Basic pension <sup>3</sup>	89.50	117.35	124.84	141.64
Contributory pension	0.42	1.09	1.26	1.45
<b>3. Widow's pension and child's allowance</b>				
No. of beneficiaries				
Basic pension	366	384	398	398
Contributory pension (All ages)	39	49	52	53
Amount paid (Million rupees)				
Basic pension <sup>4</sup>	7.41	11.88	12.71	14.03
Contributory pension	0.17	0.23	0.27	0.34
<b>4. Orphan's pension and Guardian's allowance</b>				
No. of beneficiaries				
Basic pension	87	85	67	66
Contributory pension	1	1	-	3
No. of guardians (basic pension)	79	76	59	55
Amount paid (Million rupees)				
Basic pension <sup>5</sup>	1.93	1.85	1.76	2.70
Contributory pension	0.00	0.00	-	0.00
<b>5. Invalidity pension and child's allowance</b>				
No. of beneficiaries				
Basic pension	645	718	745	822
of which: severely handicapped	(277)	(329)	(354)	(335)
Contributory pension	11	16	23	24
Amount paid (Million rupees)				
Basic pension <sup>6</sup>	21.55	26.76	29.88	33.32
Contributory pension	0.04	0.04	0.08	0.09
<b>6. Industrial injury benefit</b>				
Total amount paid (Million rupees)	0.10	0.09	0.20	0.20
<b>7. Unemployment hardship relief</b>				
No. of beneficiaries	260	271	257	251
Total amount paid (Million rupees)	1.85	2.37	2.70	2.52

**Table 11.2 - Contribution to the National Pensions Fund, Republic of Mauritius 2004/2005 - 2007/2008**

	2004/05	2005/06	2006/07	2007/08
No. of employers contributing to the Fund <sup>10</sup>	16,500	16,800	17,000	17,600
Contribution from employers employees (Million rupees)	1,312.9	1,446.5	1,571.9	1,712.1
Surcharge paid by employers (Million rupees)	1.0	0.9	1.1	1.3
Size of National Pensions Fund (Million rupees)	38,189.9	43,316.7 <sup>11</sup>	50,564.3 <sup>11</sup>	57,096.8

<sup>1</sup> The number relates to beneficiaries as at June and the amount to the indicated financial year.

<sup>2</sup> Including assistance given to the professional fishermen and food aid in Rodrigues.

<sup>3</sup> Including Enhanced Basic Retirement Pension & Child's Allowance

<sup>4</sup> Including Child's Allowance.

<sup>5</sup> Including Guardian's Allowance and allowances to children of previous beneficiaries of Basic Retirement Pension or Basic Widow's Pension or Basic Invalid's Pension

<sup>6</sup> Including Carer's and Child's allowances

<sup>7</sup> An allowance paid to a person who is otherwise qualified to receive a basic pension but is disqualified to receive it, being an inmate of a charitable institution.

<sup>8</sup> Allowance is 1/4 of pension he/she would have received if not in institution

<sup>9</sup> Not paid on a universal basis from December 2004 to June 2005

<sup>10</sup> Including self employed and those who have contributed at least once during the financial year.

<sup>11</sup> Revised

**SECTION 12 - EDUCATION**

**Table 12.1 - Number of pre-primary schools, enrolment and personnel by district and sex, 2008**

District	No. of Schools	Enrolment			Personnel		
		Male	Female	Total	Teaching	Non-Teaching	Total
Port Louis	139	2,677	2,573	5,250	348	147	495
Pamplemousses	111	1,845	1,876	3,721	252	99	351
Riviere du Rempart	105	1,767	1,592	3,359	224	65	289
Flacq	124	2,116	2,020	4,136	270	93	363
Grand Port	101	1,572	1,580	3,152	209	54	263
Savanne	60	1,028	961	1,989	123	29	152
Plaines Wilhems	310	4,987	5,055	10,042	811	340	1,151
Moka	50	852	851	1,703	111	48	159
Black River	38	714	769	1,483	120	40	160
Island of Mauritius	1,038	17,558	17,277	34,835	2,468	915	3,383
Island of Rodrigues	32	705	702	1,407	73	4	77
Republic of Mauritius	1,070	18,263	17,979	36,242	2,541	919	3,460

**Table 12.2 - Number of pre-primary schools, enrolment and personnel by zone and sex, 2008**

Zone	No. of Schools	Enrolment			Personnel		
		Male	Female	Total	Teaching	Non-Teaching	Total
1 - Port Louis / North	357	6,315	6,065	12,380	828	312	1,140
2 - B.Bassin-R.Hill / East	259	4,404	4,339	8,743	615	240	855
3 - Curepipe / South	232	3,740	3,697	7,437	503	148	651
4 - Q Bornes / Vacoas-Phoenix / West	190	3,099	3,176	6,275	522	215	737
5 - Rodrigues	32	705	702	1,407	73	4	77
All Zones	1,070	18,263	17,979	36,242	2,541	919	3,460



**Table 12.3 - Primary Education<sup>1</sup> - Number of schools, pupils, personnel and pupil/teacher ratio, 2004 - 2008**

Period	Total number of schools <sup>2</sup>	Pupils			Total	Personnel				Pupil/Teacher Ratio <sup>4</sup>		
		Govt.	Aided	Non - Aided <sup>3</sup>		Head Teacher	Teachers				School clerk	Other
							Gen. Purpose	Oriental Language				
<b>A - Republic of Mauritius</b>												
Mar-04	289	94,795	25,609	5,822	126,226	1,110	4,340	1,401	255	1,370	29	
Mar-05	291	92,590	25,234	5,738	123,562	1,145	4,186	1,345	259	1,318	30	
Mar-06	290	90,281	24,882	6,224	121,387	1,166	4,183	1,415	228	1,206	29	
Mar-07	289	88,152	24,540	6,618	119,310	1,116	4,201	1,347	223	1,139	28	
Mar-08	299	87,437	24,332	7,253	119,022	1,171	4,125	1,370	229	1,177	29	
<b>B - Island of Mauritius</b>												
Mar-04	276	92,153	23,551	5,822	121,526	1,075	4,149	1,401	243	1,234	29	
Mar-05	278	89,861	23,138	5,738	118,737	1,103	3,977	1,345	246	1,178	30	
Mar-06	277	87,489	22,800	6,224	116,513	1,127	3,980	1,415	215	1,075	29	
Mar-07	276	85,328	22,458	6,618	114,404	1,078	4,004	1,347	210	1,010	29	
Mar-08	286	84,569	22,185	7,253	114,007	1,134	3,929	1,370	216	1,052	29	
<b>C - Island of Rodrigues</b>												
Mar-04	13	2,642	2,058	N.A	4,700	35	191	N.A	12	136	25	
Mar-05	13	2,729	2,096	N.A	4,825	42	209	N.A	13	140	23	
Mar-06	13	2,792	2,082	N.A	4,874	39	203	N.A	13	131	24	
Mar-07	13	2,824	2,082	N.A	4,906	38	197	N.A	13	129	25	
Mar-08	13	2,868	2,147	N.A	5,015	37	196	N.A	13	125	26	

<sup>1</sup> Excluding Agalega. In March 2008, there were two schools in Agalega with an enrollment of

38 pupils, 1 teacher and 2 Deputy Head Teachers

<sup>2</sup> Including schools which provide only a partial stream for primary education

<sup>3</sup> Some of the partial stream schools started operating on a full stream basis.

<sup>4</sup> Including pupils attending schools which provide a partial stream

<sup>4</sup> Total number of pupils over total number of General Purpose Teachers

N.A - Not Applicable

Table 12.4 - Enrolment in primary schools<sup>1</sup> by geographical district and grade, 2008

District	Grade								All Grades
	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VI Repeaters		
Port Louis	2,710	2,605	2,788	2,705	2,576	2,632	759	16,775	
Pamplemousses	1,685	1,629	1,679	1,692	1,686	1,582	468	10,421	
Riviere du Rempart	1,558	1,718	1,684	1,773	1,645	1,729	403	10,510	
Flacq	2,169	2,254	2,318	2,279	2,129	2,214	585	13,948	
Grand Port	1,647	1,659	1,735	1,812	1,624	1,792	439	10,708	
Savanne	1,047	992	993	995	934	994	282	6,237	
Plaine Wilhems	5,361	5,346	5,393	5,481	5,426	5,445	929	33,381	
Moka	1,282	1,207	1,318	1,284	1,172	1,192	295	7,750	
Black River	742	690	693	660	596	598	298	4,277	
Island of Mauritius	18,201	18,100	18,601	18,681	17,788	18,178	4,458	114,007	
Island of Rodrigues	847	815	824	807	699	723	300	5,015	
Republic of Mauritius	19,048	18,915	19,425	19,488	18,487	18,901	4,758	119,022	

<sup>1</sup> includes pupils attending schools with a partial stream

**Table 12.5 - Enrolment in primary schools<sup>1</sup> by type of administration, grade and sex, 2006 - 2008**  
**Republic of Mauritius**

Grade	2006			2007			2008		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
<b>All schools</b>									
I	19,437	9,861	9,576	18,831	9,465	9,366	19,048	9,587	9,461
II	19,623	9,937	9,686	19,468	9,850	9,618	18,915	9,533	9,382
III	18,600	9,426	9,174	19,548	9,921	9,627	19,425	9,926	9,499
IV	19,105	9,648	9,457	18,522	9,402	9,120	19,488	9,849	9,639
V	19,683	9,833	9,850	19,044	9,627	9,417	18,487	9,416	9,071
VI	19,568	9,766	9,802	19,456	9,715	9,741	18,901	9,570	9,331
VI Repeaters	5,371	3,216	2,155	4,441	2,661	1,780	4,758	2,812	1,946
<b>Total</b>	<b>121,387</b>	<b>61,687</b>	<b>59,700</b>	<b>119,310</b>	<b>60,641</b>	<b>58,669</b>	<b>119,022</b>	<b>60,693</b>	<b>58,329</b>
<b>Government schools</b>									
I	14,299	7,286	7,013	13,758	6,984	6,774	13,963	7,021	6,942
II	14,423	7,327	7,096	14,199	7,205	6,994	13,698	6,951	6,747
III	13,624	6,943	6,681	14,351	7,292	7,059	14,120	7,251	6,869
IV	14,174	7,213	6,961	13,562	6,913	6,649	14,248	7,219	7,029
V	14,727	7,362	7,365	14,100	7,190	6,910	13,555	6,934	6,621
VI	14,671	7,382	7,289	14,650	7,332	7,318	14,023	7,151	6,872
VI Repeaters	4,363	2,583	1,780	3,532	2,105	1,427	3,830	2,252	1,578
<b>Total</b>	<b>90,281</b>	<b>46,096</b>	<b>44,185</b>	<b>88,152</b>	<b>45,021</b>	<b>43,131</b>	<b>87,437</b>	<b>44,779</b>	<b>42,658</b>
<b>Private schools</b>									
I	5,138	2,575	2,563	5,073	2,481	2,592	5,085	2,566	2,519
II	5,200	2,610	2,590	5,269	2,645	2,624	5,217	2,582	2,635
III	4,976	2,483	2,493	5,197	2,629	2,568	5,305	2,675	2,630
IV	4,931	2,435	2,496	4,960	2,489	2,471	5,240	2,630	2,610
V	4,956	2,471	2,485	4,944	2,437	2,507	4,932	2,482	2,450
VI	4,897	2,384	2,513	4,806	2,383	2,423	4,878	2,419	2,459
VI Repeaters	1,008	633	375	909	556	353	928	560	368
<b>Total</b>	<b>31,106</b>	<b>15,591</b>	<b>15,515</b>	<b>31,158</b>	<b>15,620</b>	<b>15,538</b>	<b>31,585</b>	<b>15,914</b>	<b>15,671</b>

<sup>1</sup> includes pupils attending schools with a partial stream.

**Table 12.6 - Certificate of Primary Education (CPE) examination results - Republic of Mauritius, 1996 - 2008**

School candidates only

Year	Number examined			Number passed			% passed		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
1996	25,629	13,129	12,500	16,737	8,120	8,617	65.3	61.8	68.9
1997	25,230	12,926	12,304	16,452	7,981	8,471	65.2	61.7	68.8
1998	24,804	12,528	12,276	16,622	7,823	8,799	67.0	62.4	71.7
1999	26,388	13,448	12,940	16,970	8,044	8,926	64.3	59.8	69.0
2000	28,058	14,444	13,614	18,617	8,836	9,781	66.4	61.2	71.8
2001	29,120	14,960	14,160	19,017	8,953	10,064	65.3	59.8	71.1
2002	27,842	14,486	13,356	18,079	8,641	9,438	64.9	59.7	70.7
2003	27,510	14,252	13,258	17,219	8,065	9,154	62.6	56.6	69.0
2004	27,332	14,084	13,248	17,217	8,152	9,065	63.0	57.9	68.4
2005	27,117	13,981	13,136	17,596	8,244	9,352	64.9	59.0	71.2
2006	25,007	12,942	12,065	16,987	8,028	8,959	67.9	62.0	74.3
2007	24,050	12,368	11,682	15,915	7,428	8,487	66.2	60.1	72.7
2008	23,664	12,299	11,365	15,957	7,633	8,324	67.4	62.1	73.2

Source : Mauritius Examinations Syndicate

**Table 12.7 - Secondary Education - Number of schools, pupils, personnel and pupil/teacher ratio, 2004 - 2008**

Period	Total number of schools	Pupils				Teachers <sup>1</sup>	Pupil/Teachers ratio
		Government	Aided	Non-Aided	Total		
<b>A - Republic of Mauritius</b>							
Mar-04	176	33,865	67,923	4,200	105,988	6,396	17
Mar-05	188	37,205	67,826	5,256	110,287	6,785	16
Mar-06	189	41,117	67,858	5,682	114,657	7,079	16
Mar-07	186	44,436	66,494	5,776	116,706	7,423	16
Mar-08	180	47,040	63,128	6,335	116,503	7,408	16
<b>B - Island of Mauritius</b>							
Mar-04	170	33,865	64,467	4,200	102,532	6,227	16
Mar-05	182	37,205	64,344	5,256	106,805	6,608	16
Mar-06	183	41,117	64,228	5,682	111,027	6,876	16
Mar-07	181	44,436	62,769	5,776	112,981	7,213	16
Mar-08	175	47,040	59,620	6,335	112,995	7,197	16
<b>C - Island of Rodrigues</b>							
Mar-04	6	N.A	3,456	N.A	3,456	169	20
Mar-05	6	N.A	3,482	N.A	3,482	177	20
Mar-06	6	N.A	3,630	N.A	3,630	203	18
Mar-07	5	N.A	3,725	N.A	3,725	210	18
Mar-08	5	N.A	3,508	N.A	3,508	211	17

<sup>1</sup> Excludes non-teaching staff, i.e Rector/Principal, etc.

N.A - not applicable

**Table 12.8(a) - Enrolment in secondary schools (academic stream) by geographical district and grade, 2008**

**All Schools**

District	Grade							All Grades
	I	II	III	IV	V	Lower VI	Upper VI	
Port Louis	2,277	2,487	2,519	2,552	2,832	1,669	1,449	15,785
Pamplemousses	1,493	1,584	1,437	1,731	1,787	772	813	9,617
Riviere du Rempart	1,410	1,613	1,727	1,806	1,695	826	779	9,856
Flacq	1,822	1,925	2,298	2,333	2,509	980	1,089	12,956
Grand Port	837	1,045	1,068	1,117	1,234	591	635	6,527
Savanne	619	614	835	829	1,034	276	292	4,499
Plaines Wilhems	6,889	7,027	6,999	7,476	7,884	4,772	4,405	45,452
Moka	831	954	848	1,058	1,176	643	551	6,061
Black River	325	367	376	441	531	83	119	2,242
<b>Island of Mauritius</b>	<b>16,503</b>	<b>17,616</b>	<b>18,107</b>	<b>19,343</b>	<b>20,682</b>	<b>10,612</b>	<b>10,132</b>	<b>112,995</b>
<b>Island of Rodrigues</b>	<b>525</b>	<b>653</b>	<b>685</b>	<b>589</b>	<b>585</b>	<b>221</b>	<b>250</b>	<b>3,508</b>
<b>Republic of Mauritius</b>	<b>17,028</b>	<b>18,269</b>	<b>18,792</b>	<b>19,932</b>	<b>21,267</b>	<b>10,833</b>	<b>10,382</b>	<b>116,503</b>

**Table 12.8(b) - Enrolment in secondary schools (academic stream) by zone and grade, 2008**

**All Schools**

Zone	Grade							All Grades
	I	II	III	IV	V	Lower VI	Upper VI	
1 - Port Louis / North	5,237	5,740	5,770	6,180	6,429	3,319	3,111	35,786
2 - B.Bassin-R.Hill / East	4,261	4,675	4,568	5,060	5,445	2,895	2,794	29,698
3 - Curepipe / South	3,863	4,055	4,364	4,699	5,267	2,807	2,864	27,919
4 - Q Bornes / Vacoas-Phoenix / West	3,142	3,146	3,405	3,404	3,541	1,591	1,363	19,592
5 - Rodrigues	525	653	685	589	585	221	250	3,508
<b>All Zones</b>	<b>17,028</b>	<b>18,269</b>	<b>18,792</b>	<b>19,932</b>	<b>21,267</b>	<b>10,833</b>	<b>10,382</b>	<b>116,503</b>

**Table 12.9 - Enrolment in secondary schools (academic stream) by type of administration, grade and sex, 2006 - 2008, Republic of Mauritius**

Grade	2006			2007			2008		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
<b>All Schools</b>									
I	18,517	8,948	9,569	18,328	8,806	9,522	17,028	8,169	8,859
II	18,186	8,719	9,467	18,759	9,074	9,685	18,269	8,740	9,529
III	18,802	8,960	9,842	18,372	8,959	9,413	18,792	9,092	9,700
IV	20,224	9,915	10,309	20,192	9,655	10,537	19,932	9,794	10,138
V	19,927	9,650	10,277	20,996	10,209	10,787	21,267	10,386	10,881
Lower VI	9,540	4,398	5,142	10,166	4,709	5,457	10,833	4,847	5,986
Upper VI	9,461	4,546	4,915	9,893	4,685	5,208	10,382	4,845	5,537
<b>Total</b>	<b>114,657</b>	<b>55,136</b>	<b>59,521</b>	<b>116,706</b>	<b>56,097</b>	<b>60,609</b>	<b>116,503</b>	<b>55,873</b>	<b>60,630</b>
<b>State</b>									
I	7,410	3,675	3,735	7,487	3,581	3,906	7,221	3,587	3,634
II	7,102	3,471	3,631	7,345	3,602	3,743	7,391	3,502	3,889
III	7,394	3,551	3,843	7,197	3,556	3,641	7,390	3,642	3,748
IV	6,441	3,098	3,343	7,518	3,590	3,928	7,600	3,844	3,756
V	5,053	2,547	2,506	7,000	3,380	3,620	8,444	4,065	4,379
Lower VI	3,629	1,666	1,963	3,721	1,702	2,019	4,649	1,959	2,690
Upper VI	4,088	2,097	1,991	4,168	2,030	2,138	4,345	2,008	2,337
<b>Total</b>	<b>41,117</b>	<b>20,105</b>	<b>21,012</b>	<b>44,436</b>	<b>21,441</b>	<b>22,995</b>	<b>47,040</b>	<b>22,607</b>	<b>24,433</b>
<b>Private</b>									
I	11,107	5,273	5,834	10,841	5,225	5,616	9,807	4,582	5,225
II	11,084	5,248	5,836	11,414	5,472	5,942	10,878	5,238	5,640
III	11,408	5,409	5,999	11,175	5,403	5,772	11,402	5,450	5,952
IV	13,783	6,817	6,966	12,674	6,065	6,609	12,332	5,950	6,382
V	14,874	7,103	7,771	13,996	6,829	7,167	12,823	6,321	6,502
Lower VI	5,911	2,732	3,179	6,445	3,007	3,438	6,184	2,888	3,296
Upper VI	5,373	2,449	2,924	5,725	2,655	3,070	6,037	2,837	3,200
<b>Total</b>	<b>73,540</b>	<b>35,031</b>	<b>38,509</b>	<b>72,270</b>	<b>34,656</b>	<b>37,614</b>	<b>69,463</b>	<b>33,266</b>	<b>36,197</b>

**Table 12.10 - Cambridge School Certificate (SC) examination results - Republic of Mauritius, 1998 - 2008**

**School candidates only**

Year	Number examined			Number passed			% passed		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
1998	14,376	6,737	7,639	11,126	5,192	5,934	77.4	77.1	77.7
1999	14,700	6,705	7,995	11,309	5,067	6,242	76.9	75.6	78.1
2000	14,648	6,862	7,786	11,218	5,125	6,093	76.6	74.7	78.3
2001*	14,248	6,564	7,684	10,918	4,884	6,034	76.6	74.4	78.5
2002	14,527	6,697	7,830	10,843	4,844	5,999	74.6	72.3	76.6
2003	14,579	6,765	7,814	11,007	4,936	6,071	75.5	73.0	77.7
2004	14,809	6,876	7,933	11,483	5,184	6,299	77.5	75.4	79.4
2005	15,501	7,316	8,185	12,149	5,503	6,646	78.4	75.2	81.2
2006	16,448	7,790	8,658	12,971	5,803	7,168	78.9	74.5	82.8
2007	17,343	8,213	9,130	13,298	5,889	7,409	76.7	71.7	81.2
2008	17,794	8,262	9,532	13,617	5,908	7,709	76.5	71.5	80.9

Source: Mauritius Examinations Syndicate

\* Revised



**Table 12.11 - Cambridge Higher School Certificate (HSC) examination results - Republic of Mauritius, 1998 - 2008**

**School candidates only**

Year	Number examined			Number passed			% passed		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
1998	6,129	2,844	3,285	4,437	2,067	2,370	72.4	72.7	72.2
1999	6,416	2,954	3,462	4,780	2,145	2,635	74.5	72.6	76.1
2000	6,502	3,152	3,350	4,703	2,126	2,577	72.3	67.4	76.9
2001	6,796	3,181	3,615	4,974	2,228	2,746	73.2	70.0	76.0
2002	6,845	3,163	3,682	5,189	2,338	2,851	75.8	73.9	77.4
2003	7,205	3,307	3,898	5,411	2,346	3,065	75.1	70.9	78.6
2004	6,883	3,209	3,674	5,245	2,328	2,917	76.2	72.5	79.4
2005	7,274	3,301	3,973	5,686	2,430	3,256	78.2	73.6	82.0
2006	8,040	3,698	4,342	6,376	2,769	3,607	79.3	74.9	83.1
2007	8,517	3,896	4,621	6,622	2,842	3,780	77.8	72.9	81.8
2008	8,907	3,999	4,908	7,011	2,976	4,035	78.7	74.4	82.2

Source: Mauritius Examinations Syndicate

<sup>1</sup> Figures are provisional

Table 12.12 - Pre-vocational Education - Number of schools, pupils, staff and pupil/teacher ratio, 2004 - 2008

Period	Total number of schools <sup>1</sup>	Pupils			Teaching Staff	Pupil/Teacher ratio
		Total	Male	Female		
<b>A - Republic of Mauritius</b>						
Mar-04	126	8,488	5,457	3,031	578	15
Mar-05	147	9,845	6,121	3,724	648	15
Mar-06	152	10,424	6,399	4,025	682	15
Mar-07	153	9,573	5,957	3,616	701	14
Mar-08	138	8,495	5,336	3,159	645	13
<b>B - Island of Mauritius</b>						
Mar-04	121	8,048	5,180	2,868	551	15
Mar-05	142	9,366	5,820	3,546	621	15
Mar-06	147	9,903	6,095	3,808	651	15
Mar-07	148	9,071	5,655	3,416	663	14
Mar-08	133	8,011	5,053	2,958	611	13
<b>C - Island of Rodrigues</b>						
Mar-04	5	440	277	163	27	16
Mar-05	5	479	301	178	27	18
Mar-06	5	521	304	217	31	17
Mar-07	5	502	302	200	38	13
Mar-08	5	484	283	201	34	14

<sup>1</sup> Including State and Private pre-vocational schools providing both academic and pre-vocational education

**Table 12.13 - Enrolment in schools offering pre-vocational education by district, sex and year of study, 2008**

**All Schools**

District	Year of study											
	Total				Male				Female			
	I	II	III	Total	I	II	III	Total	I	II	III	Total
Port Louis	368	380	317	1,065	193	219	175	587	175	161	142	478
Pamplemousses	320	302	273	895	203	195	184	582	117	107	89	313
Riviere du Rempart	335	258	245	838	247	165	180	592	88	93	65	246
Flacq	336	316	276	928	245	194	194	633	91	122	82	295
Grand Port	244	274	251	769	170	189	169	528	74	85	82	241
Savanne	149	154	151	454	97	110	103	310	52	44	48	144
Plaine Wilhems	723	688	789	2,200	442	460	500	1,402	281	228	289	798
Moka	198	181	113	492	104	76	46	226	94	105	67	266
Black River	121	143	106	370	65	77	51	193	56	66	55	177
Isl.of Mauritius	2,794	2,696	2,521	8,011	1,766	1,685	1,602	5,053	1,028	1,011	919	2,958
Isl.of Rodrigues	177	162	145	484	103	102	78	283	74	60	67	201
Rep. of Mauritius	2,971	2,858	2,666	8,495	1,869	1,787	1,680	5,336	1,102	1,071	986	3,159

**Table 12.14 - Enrolment in schools offering pre-vocational education by zone, sex and year of study, 2008**

**All Schools**

Zone	Year of study											
	Total				Male				Female			
	I	II	III	Total	I	II	III	Total	I	II	III	Total
1 - Port Louis / North	1,038	961	851	2,850	643	579	539	1,761	395	382	312	1,089
2 - B.Bassin-R.Hill / East	843	766	650	2,259	558	468	432	1,458	285	298	218	801
3 - Curepipe / South	558	561	566	1,685	358	370	355	1,083	200	191	211	602
4 - Q Bornes / Vacoas-Phoenix / West	355	408	454	1,217	207	268	276	751	148	140	178	466
5 - Rodrigues	177	162	145	484	103	102	78	283	74	60	67	201
<b>All Zones</b>	2,971	2,858	2,666	8,495	1,869	1,787	1,680	5,336	1,102	1,071	986	3,159

**Table 12.15 - Enrolment in schools offering pre-vocational education by type of administration , year of study and sex, 2006 - 2008**

**Republic of Mauritius**

Year of	2006			2007			2008		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
<b>All schools</b>									
I	3,747	2,273	1,474	3,146	1,978	1,168	2,971	1,869	1,102
II	3,788	2,321	1,467	3,192	1,972	1,220	2,858	1,787	1,071
III	2,889	1,805	1,084	3,235	2,007	1,228	2,666	1,680	986
Total	10,424	6,399	4,025	9,573	5,957	3,616	8,495	5,336	3,159
<b>State</b>									
I	1,400	921	479	1,000	700	300	893	599	294
II	1,405	815	590	1,198	807	391	959	637	322
III	1,382	944	438	1,295	758	537	1,010	699	311
Total	4,187	2,680	1,507	3,493	2,265	1,228	2,862	1,935	927
<b>Private</b>									
I	2,347	1,352	995	2,146	1,278	868	2,078	1,270	808
II	2,383	1,506	877	1,994	1,165	829	1,899	1,150	749
III	1,507	861	646	1,940	1,249	691	1,656	981	675
Total	6,237	3,719	2,518	6,080	3,692	2,388	5,633	3,401	2,232

Table 12.16 - University of Mauritius<sup>1</sup> - Enrolment, admission and output by course level and faculty

Course Level	Faculty of Agriculture		Faculty of Engineering <sup>2</sup>		Faculty of Law and Management <sup>1</sup>		Faculty of Science		Faculty of Social Studies & Humanities <sup>4</sup>		All Faculties	
	2007/2008	2008/2009	2007/2008	2008/2009	2007/2008	2008/2009	2007/2008	2008/2009	2007/2008	2008/2009	2007/2008	2008/2009
<b>Total Enrolment</b>												
M Phil / PHD	25	17	61	56	17	14	55	47	46	44	204	178
Master Degree	50	28	343	230	365	359	115	87	192	191	1,065	895
Degree	305	291	1,747	1,945	1,925	2,250	693	826	1,299	1,222	5,969	6,534
Diploma / Degree	-	-	-	5	12	76	51	50	-	174	63	305
Diploma	-	-	34	121	291	244	77	124	38	33	440	522
Certificate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	53	34	53	34
<b>Total</b>	<b>380</b>	<b>336</b>	<b>2,185</b>	<b>2,357</b>	<b>2,610</b>	<b>2,943</b>	<b>991</b>	<b>1,134</b>	<b>1,628</b>	<b>1,698</b>	<b>7,794</b>	<b>8,468</b>
<b>New Admissions</b>												
M Phil / PHD	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Master Degree	11	-	118	52	154	78	50	26	44	50	377	206
Degree	136	-	671	752	724	905	317	372	461	509	2,309	2,538
Diploma / Degree	-	106	-	-	12	36	21	-	-	44	33	186
Diploma	-	-	19	87	104	52	55	71	19	13	197	223
Certificate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	53	34	53	34
<b>Total</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>808</b>	<b>891</b>	<b>994</b>	<b>1,071</b>	<b>443</b>	<b>469</b>	<b>577</b>	<b>650</b>	<b>2,969</b>	<b>3,187</b>
<b>Output</b>												
M Phil / PHD	-	6	4	4	2	1	5	8	-	3	11	22
Master Degree	15	21	86	131	150	73	25	40	64	51	340	316
Degree	35	102	413	335	441	438	143	187	294	354	1,326	1,416
Diploma / Degree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	35	-	-	-	35
Diploma	17	2	12	18	76	64	36	-	35	47	176	131
Certificate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>131</b>	<b>515</b>	<b>488</b>	<b>669</b>	<b>576</b>	<b>209</b>	<b>270</b>	<b>393</b>	<b>455</b>	<b>1,853</b>	<b>1,920</b>

Source: University of Mauritius

<sup>1</sup> Excludes students from MIE & MGI

<sup>2</sup> Includes School of Advanced Computing (C'DAC) & Lifelong Learning Cluster (L.L.C)

<sup>3</sup> Includes I.L.C

<sup>4</sup> Includes I.L.C

<sup>5</sup> Includes Virtual Centre for Innovative Learning Technologies (VC.I.L.T) and C'DAC

<sup>6</sup> Includes I.L.C and C'DAC

<sup>7</sup> Includes Virtual Centre for Innovative Learning Technologies (VC.I.L.T)

<sup>8</sup> Includes SSR medical

<sup>9</sup> As at graduation September 2008

<sup>10</sup> Includes I.L.C

**Table 12.17(a) - University of Technology - Mauritius: Enrolment by school, course level, year of study and sex, 2008/2009**

Course	Yr I			Yr II			Yr III			Yr IV & Yr V			Total		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
<b>School of Business Informatics and Software Engineering</b>															
Master Degree	43	10	53	41	10	51	-	-	-	-	-	-	84	20	104
Degree	194	62	256	52	22	74	33	10	43	12	2	14	291	96	387
Diploma	-	-	-	25	7	32	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	7	32
Certificate	19	5	24	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19	5	24
<b>Total</b>	<b>256</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>333</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>157</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>419</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>547</b>
<b>School of Public Sector Policy and Management</b>															
Master Degree	122	63	185	69	50	119	-	-	-	-	-	-	191	113	304
Degree	352	369	721	135	164	299	125	132	257	64	52	116	676	717	1,393
Diploma	24	6	30	75	32	107	3	11	14	-	-	-	102	49	151
Certificate	22	71	93	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22	71	93
<b>Total</b>	<b>520</b>	<b>509</b>	<b>1,029</b>	<b>279</b>	<b>246</b>	<b>525</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>143</b>	<b>271</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>991</b>	<b>950</b>	<b>1,941</b>
<b>All Schools</b>															
Master Degree	165	73	238	110	60	170	-	-	-	-	-	-	275	133	408
Degree	546	431	977	187	186	373	158	142	300	76	54	130	967	813	1,780
Diploma	24	6	30	100	39	139	3	11	14	-	-	-	127	56	183
Certificate	41	76	117	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	41	76	117
<b>Total</b>	<b>776</b>	<b>586</b>	<b>1,362</b>	<b>397</b>	<b>285</b>	<b>682</b>	<b>161</b>	<b>153</b>	<b>314</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>1,410</b>	<b>1,078</b>	<b>2,488</b>

**Table 12.17(b) - University of Technology - Mauritius: Enrolment by mode of study and output by school, course level and sex**

Course	School								
	Business Informatics & Software Engineering			Public Sector Policy & Management			Total		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
<b>Enrolment 2008/2009</b>									
Full - Time	224	74	298	346	374	720	570	448	1,018
Part - Time	195	54	249	645	576	1,221	840	630	1,470
<b>Total</b>	<b>419</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>547</b>	<b>991</b>	<b>950</b>	<b>1,941</b>	<b>1,410</b>	<b>1,078</b>	<b>2,488</b>
<b>Output 2007/2008</b>									
Master Degree	23	11	34	59	22	81	82	33	115
Degree	46	18	64	86	91	177	132	109	241
Diploma	-	-	-	51	39	90	51	39	90
<b>Total</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>196</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>348</b>	<b>265</b>	<b>181</b>	<b>446</b>

Source: University of Technology - Mauritius

M: Male F: Female T: Total



Table 12.19 - Mauritius Institute of Education - Enrolment and output by course level and sex

Course Level	Enrolment(2008/2009)																		Output(2007/2008) <sup>1</sup>		
	Part-time						Full-time						Total						M	F	T
	Yr I		Yr II		Yr III		Yr I		Yr II		Yr III		Yr I		Yr II		Yr III				
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	T		
<b>Master Degree in Education</b> (run in collaboration with University of Brighton)	5	13	18	11	26	37	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	26	44
<b>Post Graduate Certificate in Education</b>	-	-	-	133	141	274	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	128	225	353
<b>Bachelor in Education</b> (run jointly with the University of Mauritius)	-	-	-	34	31	65	33	40	73	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	42	67
<b>Diploma</b>	263	598	861	64	67	131	37	42	79	150	688	838	71	280	351	585	1,675	2,260	207	218	425
Primary	235	555	790	-	-	-	-	-	-	127	645	772	33	220	253	395	1,420	1,815	126	125	251
<i>General Purpose *</i>	235	555	790	-	-	-	-	-	-	116	549	665	13	62	75	364	1,166	1,530	113	62	175
<i>Oriental Languages</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	96	107	20	158	178	31	254	285	13	63	76
Secondary	-	-	-	37	37	74	37	42	79	23	43	66	38	60	98	135	182	317	37	52	89
Pre-Vocational	14	31	45	4	18	22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	49	67	24	37	61
Special Educational Needs (SEN) Educational Supervision & Inspection (DESI)	14	12	26	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14	12	26	-	-	-
<b>Advanced Certificate</b>	-	-	-	23	12	35	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23	12	35	20	4	24
Education (ACE)	-	-	-	99	81	180	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	99	81	180	74	377	451
Educational Management (ACEM)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	74	212	286
<b>Certificate</b>	-	-	-	40	877	917	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40	877	917	189	146	335
Educational Management (CEM)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	172	146	318
Educator's Licence (Secondary)	-	-	-	40	96	136	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40	96	136	-	-	-
Proficiency in Early Childhood Education(CPECE)	-	-	-	-	757	757	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	757	757	-	-	-
Pre - School Teacher Supervision & Training	-	-	-	-	24	24	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24	24	-	-	-
Instructors Fire Services	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17	-	17
<b>Teacher's Certificate</b>	-	-	-	372	372	372	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	372	372	3	295	298
Pre-Primary	-	-	-	-	372	372	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	372	372	-	295	295
Primary	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	3
<b>Total</b>	268	611	879	381	1,595	1,976	70	82	152	150	688	838	71	280	351	940	3,256	4,196	644	1,329	1,973

Source: Mauritius Institute of Education  
\* Includes Teacher's Diploma & IGTOT Courses

<sup>1</sup> Includes students on courses run jointly with University of Mauritius

M: Male F: Female

T: Total



Table 12.20 - Mahatma Gandhi Institute - Enrolment and output by course level and sex

Courses	Mode of Study	Enrolment(2008/2009)												Output(2007/2008)						
		Year I			Year II			Year III			Year IV			Total						
		M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T				
<b>Post Graduate</b>																				
M.A Hons. Hindi	PI	-	-	-	9	14	23	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	14	23	10	13	23
Performing Arts(Sitar)	PI	-	-	-	3	2	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	2	5	4	1	5
<b>Degree (B.A Honours)</b>																				
Hindi	FI	35	152	187	12	69	81	7	32	39	13	24	37	67	277	344	41	130	171	
Urdu	FI	2	28	30	4	19	23	3	12	15	-	-	-	9	59	68	3	34	37	
Tamil	FI	-	-	-	3	18	21	3	15	18	-	-	-	6	33	39	5	9	14	
Telugu	FI	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	1	1	1
Marathi	FI	-	-	-	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	2	1	2	3	
Indian Philosophy	FI	-	-	-	1	6	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	6	7	-	3	3	
Mauritian Studies	FI	-	-	-	3	23	26	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	23	26	2	11	13	
Fine Arts	FI	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	12	17	5	12	17	5	11	16	
Mauritian Studies & Indian Philosophy	PI	17	97	114	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	12	20	17	97	114	6	11	17	
Urdu, Tamil, Telugu with Education	PI	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	5	6	-	-	-	1	5	6	-	-	-	
Hindustani, Tabla & Sitar	PI	16	27	43	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16	27	43	-	-	-	
<b>Diploma/Degree</b>																				
Fine Arts	FI	-	-	-	16	21	37	-	-	-	-	-	-	16	21	37	14	20	34	
Digital Arts	FI	-	-	-	6	17	23	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	17	23	6	14	20	
<b>Diploma</b>																				
Bharata Natyam	PI	5	45	50	11	17	28	6	37	43	-	-	-	22	99	121	35	151	186	
Vocal Hindustani Music	PI	2	8	10	4	3	7	1	4	5	-	-	-	7	15	22	11	8	19	
Fine Arts	PI	1	8	9	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	2	8	10	1	7	8	
Indian Philosophy	PI	-	-	-	3	6	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	6	9	5	10	15	
Studies	PI	2	29	31	2	3	5	3	29	32	-	-	-	7	61	68	15	100	115	
<b>Advanced Certificate</b>																				
Indian Music & Dance (MGI & Distance Education)	PI	2	1	3	9	6	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	7	18	7	17	24	
<b>Certificate</b>																				
Indian Music & Dance (MGI & Distance Education)	PI	271	338	609	131	158	289	92	111	203	-	-	-	494	607	1,101	23	69	92	
<b>Total</b>																				
		313	536	849	188	285	473	105	180	285	13	24	37	619	1,025	1,644	130	400	530	

Source : Mahatma Gandhi Institute

M : Male F : Female T : Total

**Table 12.21 - Mauritius College of the Air - Enrolment for Distance Education by course level and sex, 2008**

Courses	Duration (Months)	Enrolment		
		M	F	T
<b>Post Graduate</b>		<b>77</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>152</b>
<i>Master in Business Administration</i>	36	48	27	75
<i>Master of Arts in Distance Education</i>	24	-	2	2
<i>Master of Arts in English</i>	24	10	36	46
<i>Msc Risk Management</i>	24	19	10	29
<b>Post Graduate Diploma</b>		<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>
<i>Human Resource Management</i>	12	-	1	1
<b>Degree</b>		<b>51</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>138</b>
<i>English</i>	36	17	68	85
<i>Computer Applications</i>	36	7	4	11
<i>Commerce</i>	36	27	15	42
<b>Advanced Diploma</b>		<b>12</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>13</b>
<i>Transport</i>	24	12	1	13
<b>Diploma</b>		<b>60</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>75</b>
<i>Management</i>	36	16	12	28
<i>Transport</i>	24	44	3	47
<b>Certificate Course</b>		<b>3</b>	<b>148</b>	<b>151</b>
<i>Librarianship &amp; Information Science</i>	15	3	28	31
<i>Proficiency in Management of ECD Services</i>	24	-	120	120
<b>Total</b>		<b>203</b>	<b>327</b>	<b>530</b>

Source: Mauritius College of the Air

M : Male F : Female T : Total

Note : There were 1,187 students following Non-Award Courses in Customer Care & Quality Management

Table 12.22 - Enrolment and output in Polytechnics by field, year of study and sex

Field of study	Enrolment 2008/2009														Output 2007/2008		
	Yr I			Yr II			Yr III			Total			M	F	T		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T					
<b>Swami Dayanand Institute of Management Diploma</b>	82	152	234	77	140	217	11	20	31	170	312	482	111	158	269		
Accounting & Finance	82	152	234	77	140	217	11	20	31	170	312	482	93	136	229		
Banking & Financial Services	-	-	-	10	13	23	-	-	-	10	13	23	6	14	20		
Business Administration	48	95	143	18	41	59	-	-	-	18	41	59	16	27	43		
Business Informatics / Studies	4	17	21	6	12	18	-	-	-	48	95	143	-	-	-		
Human Resource Management	11	19	30	17	50	67	4	13	17	10	29	39	12	15	27		
Info Systems Communication Technology	19	21	40	-	-	-	4	13	17	32	82	114	18	46	64		
Marketing	-	-	-	5	5	10	-	-	-	19	21	40	-	-	-		
Multimedia & Web Technologies	-	-	-	2	5	7	-	-	-	5	5	10	8	10	18		
Networking & Operating	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	5	7	7	3	10		
Software Engineering Development	-	-	-	19	14	33	7	7	14	-	-	-	9	2	11		
<b>Advance Certificate / Certificate</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26	21	47	17	19	36		
Business Administration	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	22	40		
Business Informatics	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	10	18		
Information Systems	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	4		
<b>Lyce Polytechnique Sir Guy Forget Brevet de Technicien</b>	129	1	130	85	2	87	105	-	105	319	3	322	77	-	77		
Electrotechnique & Electronique	51	1	52	-	-	-	-	-	-	51	1	52	-	-	-		
Batiment	19	-	19	12	1	13	29	-	29	60	1	61	15	-	15		
Electronique	-	-	-	7	-	7	15	-	15	22	-	22	13	-	13		
Electrotechnique	-	-	-	27	1	28	14	-	14	41	1	42	27	-	27		
Fabrication Mecanique	39	-	39	23	-	23	15	-	15	77	-	77	12	-	12		
Mecanique Automobile	20	-	20	16	-	16	32	-	32	68	-	68	10	-	10		
<b>Insitut Supérieur de Technologie Diploma<sup>1</sup></b>	104	3	107	90	3	93	21	-	21	215	6	221	194	4	198		
Genie Civil	40	-	40	32	1	33	21	-	21	93	1	94	68	1	69		
Genie Electrique et Informatique Industrielle	30	1	31	21	1	22	-	-	-	51	2	53	48	1	49		
Informatique Appliquee	9	1	10	9	1	10	-	-	-	18	2	20	33	1	34		
Maintenance et Automatismes Industriels	25	1	26	28	-	28	-	-	-	53	1	54	45	1	46		
<b>All Polytechnics</b>	315	156	471	252	145	397	137	20	157	704	321	1,025	382	162	544		

<sup>1</sup> Including Cycle Preparatoire

Source: Polytechnics

M: Male

F: Female

T: Total

**Table 12.23 - Enrolment in Post-Secondary Institutions, 2008/2009**

Institutions	Full Time			Part Time			Total		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
<b>University of Mauritius</b>	<b>2,671</b>	<b>3,448</b>	<b>6,119</b>	<b>1,190</b>	<b>1,159</b>	<b>2,349</b>	<b>3,861</b>	<b>4,607</b>	<b>8,468</b>
Faculty of Agriculture	80	199	279	37	20	57	117	219	336
Engineering	1,302	574	1,876	356	125	481	1,658	699	2,357
Science	646	1,245	1,891	491	561	1,052	1,137	1,806	2,943
Social Studies & Humanities	378	494	872	130	132	262	508	626	1,134
	265	936	1,201	176	321	497	441	1,257	1,698
<b>University of Technology - Mauritius</b>	<b>570</b>	<b>448</b>	<b>1,018</b>	<b>840</b>	<b>630</b>	<b>1,470</b>	<b>1,410</b>	<b>1,078</b>	<b>2,488</b>
School of Business Informatics & Software Engineering	224	74	298	195	54	249	419	128	547
Public Sector Policy & Management	346	374	720	645	576	1,221	991	950	1,941
<b>Mauritius Institute of Education</b>	<b>221</b>	<b>968</b>	<b>1,189</b>	<b>719</b>	<b>2,288</b>	<b>3,007</b>	<b>940</b>	<b>3,256</b>	<b>4,196</b>
<b>Mahatma Gandhi Institute</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>169</b>	<b>218</b>	<b>570</b>	<b>856</b>	<b>1,426</b>	<b>619</b>	<b>1,025</b>	<b>1,644</b>
<b>MCA (Distance Education)</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>203</b>	<b>327</b>	<b>530</b>	<b>203</b>	<b>327</b>	<b>530</b>
<b>Polytechnics</b>	<b>586</b>	<b>269</b>	<b>855</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>170</b>	<b>704</b>	<b>321</b>	<b>1,025</b>
Swami Dayanand Institute of Management	142	262	404	28	50	78	170	312	482
Sir Guy Forget Polytechnic	319	3	322	-	-	-	319	3	322
Institut Supérieur de Technologie	125	4	129	90	2	92	215	6	221
<b>Mauritius Institute of Health</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>115</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,158</b>	<b>5,356</b>	<b>9,514</b>	<b>3,640</b>	<b>5,312</b>	<b>8,952</b>	<b>7,798</b>	<b>10,668</b>	<b>18,466</b>

M: Male      F: Female      T: Total

**Table 12.24 - Total number of students enrolled in Tertiary Education, both locally and overseas, by field of study as at December 2007**

Field of study	Total	Publicly - Funded Institutions (PFIs)							Total (PFIs)	Education/ Private Providers	Overseas
		UOM <sup>1</sup>	UTM	MIE	MGI	MCA	Polytechnics	IVTB			
Accounting	4,353	230	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,568	537
Administration / Management	4,684	1,333	762	-	-	271	-	357	-	1,125	836
Agriculture	351	334	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17
Architecture	103	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	103
Arts	535	-	-	-	136	-	-	-	-	275	124
Banking / Finance	814	418	217	-	-	-	-	-	-	62	117
Business / Commerce / Marketing	2,265	150	-	-	-	53	-	14	-	1,032	1,016
Communication	427	89	45	-	-	1	-	-	-	137	155
Dentistry	301	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	257	44
Economics	732	430	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	99	203
Education	4,187	10	83	3,959	-	3	-	-	-	20	112
Engineering	2,120	948	-	-	-	-	292	-	55	23	802
Health Sciences	535	313	83	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	138
Humanities	566	233	-	-	124	-	-	-	-	9	200
Information Technology	3,700	943	346	-	-	11	229	-	113	1,172	886
Languages	1,389	322	-	-	315	139	-	-	-	194	419
Law	1,067	243	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	354	470
Mathematics	436	195	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	64	160
Medicine	1,834	59	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	622	1,056
Pharmacy	165	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	146
Police Studies	91	91	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Psychology	24	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24
Religious Studies	115	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	112	3
Research (MPhil / PhD)	204	204	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	204	-
Research (Master)	12	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	-
Science	1,204	444	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	444	806
Social Science	691	355	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	113	207
Textile	363	112	-	-	-	-	-	-	74	77	100
Travel / Hotel / Tourism	1,268	159	237	-	-	-	-	-	136	143	593
Others	427	22	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	37	257
<b>Total</b>	<b>35,023</b>	<b>7,662</b>	<b>1,839</b>	<b>3,959</b>	<b>575</b>	<b>478</b>	<b>892</b>	<b>378</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>9,612</b>	<b>9,531</b>

<sup>1</sup> Excludes enrolment on joint MIE & MGI Programmes  
Source: Participation in Tertiary Education 2007 Report

SECTION 13 - TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION

Table 13.1 - Motor vehicles registered, 2005 - 2008

Type	2005	2006	2007	2008	2008				Number
					1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	
<b>A. Government owned vehicles</b>	6,057	6,176	6,293	6,527	6,308	6,361	6,429	6,527	
<b>B. Private/commercial vehicles:</b>									
Car	83,167	90,254	98,073	107,751	100,340	102,734	105,326	107,751	
of which: taxi	(6,798)	(6,860)	(6,885)	(6,941)	(6,894)	(6,924)	(6,931)	(6,941)	
Dual purpose vehicle <sup>1</sup>	40,800	41,967	43,340	44,639	43,628	44,001	44,363	44,639	
Heavy motor car <sup>2</sup>	894	964	1,054	1,121	1,069	1,095	1,103	1,121	
Motor cycle	30,382	33,333	36,363	40,128	37,377	38,244	39,254	40,128	
Auto-cycle	102,327	104,063	105,459	107,006	105,827	106,069	106,541	107,006	
Lorry and truck	11,480	11,682	11,936	12,117	11,955	12,015	12,055	12,117	
Van	23,154	23,687	24,095	24,486	24,156	24,257	24,414	24,486	
Bus	2,560	2,612	2,753	2,762	2,762	2,764	2,766	2,762	
Other	4,675	4,702	4,779	4,869	4,794	4,804	4,842	4,869	
<b>Total</b>	<b>305,496</b>	<b>319,440</b>	<b>334,145</b>	<b>351,406</b>	<b>338,216</b>	<b>342,344</b>	<b>347,093</b>	<b>351,406</b>	

<sup>1</sup> Essentially a car but so designed as to be capable of carrying a certain load of goods.

<sup>2</sup> Vehicle of the 'bus' type designed to carry passengers but not for hire or reward.

**Table 13.2 - Registration of new motor vehicles<sup>1</sup>, 2005 - 2008**

Number

Type	2005	2006	2007	2008	2008			
					1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
Car	3,359	3,378	3,831	4,798	1,254	1,247	1,163	1,134
Dual purpose vehicle <sup>2</sup>	1,389	1,411	1,622	1,654	383	434	428	409
Heavy motor car <sup>3</sup>	58	112	134	113	26	34	21	32
Motor cycle	2,574	3,374	3,272	4,235	1,114	977	1,128	1,016
Autocycle	2,973	3,049	2,716	2,890	746	584	765	795
Lorry and truck	254	251	257	225	34	58	48	85
Van	322	297	245	349	71	105	102	71
Bus	184	133	219	81	23	18	25	15
Other	130	118	132	170	19	58	54	39
<b>Total</b>	<b>11,243</b>	<b>12,123</b>	<b>12,428</b>	<b>14,515</b>	<b>3,670</b>	<b>3,515</b>	<b>3,734</b>	<b>3,596</b>

<sup>1</sup> Including government vehicles.

<sup>2</sup> Essentially a car but so designed as to be capable of carrying a certain load of goods.

<sup>3</sup> Vehicle of the 'bus' type designed to carry passengers but not for hire or reward.

**Table 13.3 - Registration of imported second-hand motor vehicles<sup>1</sup>, 2005 - 2008**

Number

Type	2005	2006	2007	2008	2008			
					1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
Car	5,245	4,840	5,131	6,047	1,287	1,487	1,688	1,585
Dual purpose vehicle <sup>2</sup>	462	292	314	267	86	57	61	63
Heavy motor car <sup>3</sup>	21	18	25	11	2	2	3	4
Motor cycle	331	282	409	253	63	72	61	57
Autocycle	36	24	24	9	2	3	1	3
Lorry and truck	244	200	235	194	44	46	60	44
Van	701	607	560	456	107	98	147	104
Bus	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other	102	81	120	97	25	21	29	22
<b>Total</b>	<b>7,142</b>	<b>6,344</b>	<b>6,818</b>	<b>7,334</b>	<b>1,616</b>	<b>1,786</b>	<b>2,050</b>	<b>1,882</b>

<sup>1</sup> Include re-registration of vehicles previously put off the road. Exclude government vehicles which are not liable to re-registration.

<sup>2</sup> Essentially a car but so designed as to be capable of carrying a certain load of goods.

<sup>3</sup> Vehicle of the 'bus' type designed to carry passengers but not for hire or reward.

**Table 13.4 - Motor vehicles off the road<sup>1</sup>, 2005-2008**

Type	2005	2006	2007	2008	2008				Number
					1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	
Car	1,128	1,125	1,103	1,108	262	303	252	291	
Dual purpose vehicle <sup>2</sup>	492	508	522	535	177	117	104	137	
Heavy motor car <sup>3</sup>	54	57	54	57	13	10	16	18	
Motor cycle	624	647	648	653	163	172	149	169	
Auto-cycle	1,360	1,338	1,341	1,352	380	345	294	333	
Lorry and truck	225	226	228	229	60	40	68	61	
Van	360	371	393	405	117	101	84	103	
Bus	81	81	78	72	14	16	23	19	
Other	170	170	174	177	29	69	45	34	
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,494</b>	<b>4,523</b>	<b>4,541</b>	<b>4,588</b>	<b>1,215</b>	<b>1,173</b>	<b>1,035</b>	<b>1,165</b>	

<sup>1</sup> A vehicle may be withdrawn from the register of vehicles (off the road) either temporarily or permanently. Any such vehicle (except a government vehicle) must register with the N.T.A. before it is put on the road again. Including government vehicles which have been sold by auction.

<sup>2</sup> Essentially a car but so designed as to be capable of carrying a certain load of goods.

<sup>3</sup> Vehicle of the 'bus' type designed to carry passengers but not for hire or reward.



**Table 13.5 - Bus operational statistics<sup>1</sup>, 2005 - 2008**

	Unit	2005 <sup>2</sup>	2006 <sup>2</sup>	2007 <sup>3</sup>	2008 <sup>3</sup>
Operational bus fleet (as at 30th June)	No.	1,881	1,887	1,878	1,898
Total vehicle - journeys	000	4,486	4,647	4,618	4,789
Average vehicle - journeys per day	"	8.0	8.2	8.2	8.4
Total vehicle - kilometres	"	89,552	94,034	95,117	99,203
Average vehicle - kilometres per day	"	159	166	169	174
Total gross receipts	Million Rupees	1,994	2,031	2,048	2,152
Average gross receipts per day	Thousand Rupees	6,135	6,249	6,301	6,621

<sup>1</sup> Refer only to buses with a Road Service Licence, i.e., buses which operate on proclaimed routes and charge individual fares. Including data on special trips.

<sup>2</sup> Revised. <sup>3</sup> Provisional.

**Table 13.6 - Road traffic accidents<sup>1</sup>, motor vehicles involved and casualties, 2004 - 2008**

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
<b>Road traffic accidents</b>					
Number of accidents	19,495	22,554	20,242	20,519	20,873
Rate per 100,000 population	1,629	1,869	1,665	1,678	1,696
Rate per 1,000 registered motor vehicles	69	76	65	63	61
<b>Motor vehicles involved</b>					
Number of motor vehicles involved	35,506	43,741	40,023	41,178	42,910
Rate per 1,000 registered motor vehicles	126	148	129	127	125
<b>Casualties</b>					
<b>Total number of casualties</b>	<b>2,951</b>	<b>2,760</b>	<b>2,522</b>	<b>3,055</b>	<b>3,435</b>
<b>Nature of casualty</b>					
Fatal <sup>2</sup>	144	136	134	140	168
Seriously injured <sup>2</sup>	245	358	348	500	512
Slightly injured	2,562	2,266	2,040	2,415	2,755
<b>Casualties by class of road users</b>					
Pedestrians	702	617	566	608	630
Pedal cyclists	231	165	170	173	205
Passengers	870	719	618	818	1,153
Drivers or riders of motor vehicle	1,148	1,259	1,168	1,456	1,447

<sup>1</sup> Exclude accidents involving bicycles only.

<sup>2</sup> Prior to 2002, a fatal accident was defined as an accident where deaths occurred within 7 days. As from 2002, a fatal accident is defined as an accident where deaths occurred within 30 days.

**Table 13.7 - Sea Transport, 2007 - 2008**

Period	Vessels <sup>1</sup> entering (Number)	Goods	
		Unloaded (000t)	Loaded (000t)
2007: 1st Qr	549	1,091	229
2nd Qr	559	1,281	217
3rd Qr	620	1,307	315
4th Qr	589	1,401	418
<b>Year</b>	<b>2,317</b>	<b>5,080</b>	<b>1,179</b>
2008: 1st Qr	524	1,324	247
2nd Qr	485	1,277	205
3rd Qr	513	1,217	316
4th Qr	486	1,322	387
<b>Year</b>	<b>2,008</b>	<b>5,140</b>	<b>1,155</b>

Source: Mauritius Ports Authority

<sup>1</sup> includes fishing vessels involved in discharging and loading only

**Table 13.8 - Air Transport, 2005 - 2008**

Period	Number of movements <sup>1</sup>		Freight	
	Landings	Take-offs	Unloaded (t)	Loaded (t)
2005	9,705	9,820	23,920	25,185
2006	9,211	9,232	21,218	24,389
2007 <sup>2</sup>	8,543	8,418	22,663	24,894
2008 <sup>2</sup>	6,768	6,777	20,266	20,696
2008 <sup>2</sup> : 1st Qr	1,859	1,868	5,162	5,368
2nd Qr	1,538	1,537	5,181	4,961
3rd Qr	1,662	1,666	4,230	4,747
4th Qr	1,709	1,706	5,693	5,620

<sup>1</sup> As from 2005, excludes ferry flights (empty flights)

<sup>2</sup> Provisional

**Table 13.9 - Telephone service (end of period), 2005- 2008**

	Unit	2005	2006	2007 <sup>1</sup>	2008 <sup>2</sup>
Total line capacity of local exchanges	Number	396,797	446,797	531,551	497,194
Main telephone lines in operation	"	357,490	357,340	361,319	363,374
Cellular mobile telephone subscribers	"	656,828	772,395	928,622	1,033,259
National telephone traffic (calls) <sup>3</sup>	000	543,284	537,137	513,377	449,071
International outgoing telephone traffic:					
(a) calls	000	19,046	19,701	21,386	n.a
(b) minutes	000	58,450	59,741	71,412	107,028

Source: Information & Communication Technologies Authority (ICTA)

<sup>1</sup> Revised

<sup>2</sup> Provisional

<sup>3</sup> Calls irrespective of duration from fixed telephone

**Table 13.10 - Broadcasting services (end of period), 2005 - 2008**

	Unit	2005	2006	2007 <sup>1</sup>	2008
<b>A. Sound</b>					
Public: Operator	Number	1	1	1	1
Channel	"	8	8	9	9
Private: Operator	"	3	3	3	3
Channel	"	3	3	3	3
Transmitters	"	36	36	44	45
Weekly transmission time	Hour	1,848	1,848	2,016	2,016
Aerial output:					
Medium wave (ERP)	kW	10 / 2	10 / 2	10 / 2	10 / 2
F.M (ERP)	kW	4 / 2	4 / 2	4 / 2	4 / 2
<b>B. Television</b>					
Public: Operator	Number	1	1	1	1
Channel (including digital) <sup>2</sup>	"	10	10	15	20
Private: Operator, (terrestrial)	"	1	1	-	-
Operators, (Sattellite)	"	2	2	2	2
Transmitters	"	129	140	160	165
Aerial output (ERP)	kW	0.1-30	0.1-30	0.1-30	0.1-30
Weekly transmission time (terrestrial only)	Hour	2,016	2,016	2,520	3,360
Television sets licensed: Mauritius	Number	268,875	269,166	280,675	308,194
Rodrigues	"	6,880	8,228	9,255	9,763

Source: Mauritius Broadcasting Corporation, and Multicarrier (Mauritius) Ltd.

<sup>1</sup> Revised

<sup>2</sup> transmission of same channels on analogue and digital has been counted as two channels

SECTION 14 - LAND UTILIZATION

Table 14.1 - Total area <sup>1</sup> classified by utilization

	2005	
	Hectares	Percentage
<b>Agriculture</b>	80,674	43.3
<i>Sugar cane</i>	72,000	38.6
<i>Other agricultural activities</i>	8,674	4.7
Forest, scrubs and grazing lands	47,200	25.3
Reservoirs, ponds, swamps & rocks	2,900	1.6
Roads and footpaths	4,500	2.4
Built-up areas	46,500	24.9
Abandoned cane fields	4,726	2.5
<b>Whole Island</b>	<b>186,500</b>	<b>100.0</b>

Table 14.2 - Effective area under cultivation (hectares), 2003 - 2008

Crops	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008 <sup>2</sup>
Sugar cane	74,117	72,955	71,583	70,801	68,523	65,500
Tea	681	674	670	688	709	701
Tobacco <sup>3</sup>	381	378	348	252	258	256

<sup>1</sup> Source: Final Draft Report- Stocktaking and stakeholders consultation Exercise on climate change activities, March 2006.

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<sup>2</sup> Provisional

<sup>3</sup> Crop year usually extends from April to March the following year.

## SECTION 15 - LOCAL PRODUCTION

Table 15.1 - Agriculture : production of main crops, 2003 - 2008

Commodity	Unit	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007 <sup>1</sup>	2008 <sup>2</sup>
<b>Industrial crops</b>							
Sugar cane	000' tonnes	5,199	5,280	4,984	4,749	4,236	4,533
Tea ( green leaf )	tonnes	6,973	7,229	6,798	7,649	8,027	8,672
Tobacco leaf 3	tonnes	426	357	296	298	316	349
<b>Vegetables, pulses and fruits *</b>	tonnes	<b>103,455</b>	<b>111,633</b>	<b>96,782</b>	<b>106,902</b>	<b>99,130</b>	<b>93,021</b>
Beans and peas	tonnes	2,022	2,138	1,608	1,487	1,447	1,187
Creepers 4	tonnes	29,644	32,424	24,203	30,129	24,679	23,279
Eddoes	tonnes	175	240	260	328	372	315
Brinjal	tonnes	2,097	2,819	2,074	2,839	2,759	1,810
Ginger	tonnes	369	791	1,011	1,016	1,299	709
Groundnut	tonnes	893	610	231	390	290	320
Maize	tonnes	177	369	475	452	1,021	460
Manioc	tonnes	130	225	206	235	240	300
Potato	tonnes	12,359	11,246	12,777	14,522	15,367	14,868
Sweet potato	tonnes	500	650	652	584	800	799
Tomato	tonnes	13,247	14,400	12,840	14,671	11,117	11,518
Mixed vegetables 5	tonnes	25,190	29,231	23,980	23,348	24,315	20,599
Banana	tonnes	12,090	12,000	11,580	11,347	9,026	10,463
Pineapple	tonnes	4,562	4,490	4,885	5,554	6,398	6,394

Table 15.2 - Fisheries statistics, 2003 -2008

(Wet Weight equivalent in metric tons)

	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007 <sup>1</sup>	2008 <sup>2</sup>
Coastal fishing	2,116	1,993	1,897	1,900	1,590	1,632
High seas 6	7,304	7,000	6,711	6,547	4,222	3,774
Barachois and ponds	29	437	374	438	551	600
<b>Total</b>	<b>9,449</b>	<b>9,430</b>	<b>8,982</b>	<b>8,885</b>	<b>6,363</b>	<b>6,006</b>

<sup>1</sup> Revised<sup>2</sup> Provisional<sup>3</sup> Crop year usually extends from April to March the following year.<sup>4</sup> Include calabash, chouchou, cucumber, margoze, patole, pipengaille, pumpkin, squash, voehm.<sup>5</sup> Include beet, broccoli, cabbage, carrot, cauliflower, chillies(long and small), echalotte, garlic, leek, , lady's finger(kalo).

lettuce, onion, petsai,sweet pepper

<sup>6</sup> Including fish caught by foreign vessel

\* Source : Agricultural Research and Extension Unit (AREU)

**Table 15.3 - Livestock slaughtered<sup>1</sup>, 2004 -2008**

Type of Livestock	2004		2005		2006		2007		2008	
	No. of heads	Carcass weight (tonnes)	No. of heads	Carcass weight (tonnes)	No. of heads	Carcass weight (tonnes)	No. of heads	Carcass weight (tonnes)	No. of heads	Carcass weight (tonnes)
<b>Cattle</b>	<b>10,845</b>	<b>2,456.0</b>	<b>11,052</b>	<b>2,483.6</b>	<b>10,999</b>	<b>2,187.0</b>	<b>7,811</b>	<b>1,847.1</b>	<b>8,472</b>	<b>1,902.6</b>
Local	374	65.1	208	37.6	221	41.5	284	50.8	92	16.8
Milchbreed:										
- Bulls & calves	74	13.9	18	3.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
- Cows <sup>2</sup>	130	22.9	139	25.6	177	33.1	133	24.7	47	8.8
Other breed	170	28.3	51	8.5	44	8.4	151	26.1	45	8.0
Rodrigues	464	72.0	223	34.9	357	58.0	276	39.1	73	10.4
Imported	10,007	2,319.0	10,621	2,411.1	10,421	2,087.5	7,251	1,757.1	8,307	1,875.4
<b>Goats</b>	<b>6,901</b>	<b>89.1</b>	<b>7,870</b>	<b>104.2</b>	<b>7,369</b>	<b>96.3</b>	<b>5,244</b>	<b>64.8</b>	<b>4,741</b>	<b>62.7</b>
Local and Rodrigues	3,865	25.7	3,467	25.4	4,118	29.3	3,264	24.4	2,327	18.7
Imported	3,036	63.4	4,403	78.8	3,251	67.0	1,980	40.4	2,414	44.0
<b>Sheep</b>	<b>891</b>	<b>17.5</b>	<b>370</b>	<b>6.9</b>	<b>224</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>588</b>	<b>9.9</b>	<b>562</b>	<b>13.3</b>
<b>Pigs</b>	<b>10,354</b>	<b>743.4</b>	<b>10,011</b>	<b>709.3</b>	<b>10,479</b>	<b>681.2</b>	<b>7,814</b>	<b>510.9</b>	<b>5,423</b>	<b>329.9</b>

<sup>1</sup> Abattoir slaughterers only

<sup>2</sup> Including Heifers

Source: Mauritius Meat Authority

Table 15.4 - Sugar industry - cane cultivation, 2002 - 2008

Crop year	Area under cultivation (Thousand hectares)			Area harvested (Thousand hectares)			Cane harvested (Thousand tonnes)			Average yield (Tonnes per hectare)		
	Millers	Planters	Total	Millers	Planters	Total	Millers	Planters	Total	Millers	Planters	Total
2002	32.3	43.3	75.5	29.6	42.6	72.2	2,293	2,581	4,874	77.5	60.6	67.5
2003	31.2	42.9	74.1	28.3	42.7	71.0	2,309	2,891	5,200	81.6	67.9	73.4
2004	31.1	41.9	73.0	28.0	41.7	69.7	2,350	2,930	5,280	83.9	70.3	75.8
2005	30.8	40.7	71.5	27.7	40.7	68.4	2,270	2,714	4,984	82.0	66.7	72.9
2006	30.5	40.3	70.8	26.6	40.1	66.7	2,124	2,625	4,749	79.8	65.5	71.2
2007	27.5	41.0	68.5	24.4	40.9	65.3	1,783	2,452	4,236	73.2	60.0	64.9
2008 <sup>1</sup>	29.5	36.0	65.5	26.6	35.4	62.0	2,227	2,306	4,533	83.8	65.1	73.1

Table 15.5 - Sugar manufacture, 2002 - 2008

Crop year	Number of factories operating	Commercial sugar recovered (% cane)	Products of manufacture (Thousand tonnes)		Residues of manufacture (Thousand tonnes)		Average sugar price <sup>2</sup> ex- syndicate (Rs per tonne)
			White sugar	Raw sugar	Total sugar	Molasses	
2002	12	10.70	7	514	521	141	14,047
2003	11	10.34	1	536	537	160	15,200
2004	11	10.85	-	572	572	156	16,150
2005	11	10.44	2	518	520	145	17,626
2006	10	10.64	-	505	505	140	17,891
2007 <sup>3</sup>	8	10.31	-	436	436	131	18,620
2008 <sup>1</sup>	6	9.98	3	377	380	141	17,000

<sup>1</sup> Provisional<sup>2</sup> Price of sugar is the average ex-syndicate price for raw sugar at 98.5 degree polarisation before charging the sugar insurance premium.<sup>3</sup> Revised

Table 15.6 - Industry: Production of selected commodities, Island of Mauritius, 2003 - 2008

	Unit	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007 <sup>1</sup>	2008 <sup>2</sup>
Sugar	t	537,155	572,316	519,816	504,857	435,972	452,062
Molasses	"	160,041	155,763	145,425	139,621	130,917	141,347
Tea, manufactured	"	1,436	1,482	1,387	1,567	1,563	1,668
Fertilizers	"	89,380	89,400	87,280	87,000	...	...
Fish <sup>3</sup>	"	37,522	40,703	45,976	55,152	48,610	71,400
of which: Frozen	"	(6,262)	(5,721)	(5,926)	(5,436)	(3,602)	(3,050)
Salted, dried or smoked	"	(737)	(734)	(1,125)	(690)	(667)	(650)
Canned	"	(30,523)	(34,248)	(38,925)	(49,026)	(44,341)	(67,700)
Animal feeds	"	148,000	151,575	159,266	155,035	165,000	...
Salt	"	7,000	7,000	7,438	7,408	6,650	...
Iron bars & steel bars	"	58,700	59,900	60,500	66,550	...	...
Denatured spirits <sup>4</sup>	hL	8,200	5,231	5,280	4,357	4,582	4,697
of which: Power alcohol (power white)	"	(4,522)	(2,956)	(3,280)	(2,358)	(2,180)	(2,295)
Alcohol for heating and lighting	"	(3,678)	(2,275)	(2,000)	(1,999)	(2,402)	(2,402)
Perfumed spirits <sup>4</sup>	"	1,883	1,620	1,477	429	...	...
Vinegar <sup>4</sup>	"	1,495	1,553	1,579	1,488	1,134	207
Beer and stout <sup>4</sup>	"	378,410	363,744	388,967	359,144	337,748	360,752
Country liquor <sup>4</sup>	"	49,443	53,434	52,782	51,218	50,455	60,837
Cigarettes	Million	938	918	764	726	620	6

<sup>1</sup> Revised

<sup>2</sup> Provisional

<sup>3</sup> Product weight

<sup>4</sup> Source: Customs & Excise Department



**Table 15.7 - Industrial Production<sup>1</sup>: Number of establishments and value added at basic prices, 2005 - 2006**

Industrial Activity	Number of establishments <sup>2</sup>		Value added (Million Rupees)	
	2005	2006	2005 <sup>3</sup>	2006 <sup>4</sup>
Manufacture of food products	117	114	6,220.3	6,002.4
Manufacture of beverages and tobacco	17	15	3,053.1	5,172.3
Manufacture of textiles	56	52	1,373.7	2,058.9
Manufacture of wearing apparel	269	239	8,823.4	9,025.7
Tanning and dressing of leather, etc.	20	17	163.1	177.4
Manufacture of wood and of products of wood and cork, etc.	13	12	98.0	124.0
Manufacture of paper and paper products	21	19	362.9	504.8
Publishing, printing and reproduction of recorded media	47	43	1,230.3	1,059.4
Manufacture of coke, chemicals and chemical products	30	33	1,035.9	1,192.0
Manufacture of non-metallic mineral products	85	83	1,968.0	2,208.7
Manufacture of basic metals	6	5	530.3	597.8
Manufacture of fabricated metal products, excluding machinery and equipment	40	38	702.0	674.9
Manufacture of office machinery, machine and equipment n.e.c.	13	12	374.7	326.2
Manufacture of radio, TV & electrical machinery and apparatus n.e.c.	23	19	215.3	198.9
Manufacture of watches and clocks, etc.	16	16	171.3	183.3
Manufacture of motor vehicles and other transport equipment	10	11	149.9	118.6
Manufacture of furniture: manufacturing n.e.c.	101	96	925.4	1,211.8
<i>of which: furniture</i>	<i>(33)</i>	<i>(30)</i>	<i>(309.5)</i>	<i>(400.1)</i>
<b>Total</b>	<b>884</b>	<b>824</b>	<b>27,397.6</b>	<b>30,837.1</b>

<sup>1</sup> Data relate to the production of establishments employing 10 or more persons in industries that are classified under Major Division 3 of the International Industrial Classification of all Economic activities

<sup>2</sup> Source: Digest of Labour Statistics (adjusted to include sugar and tea factories)

<sup>3</sup> Revised

<sup>4</sup> Provisional

**Table 15.8(a) - Quarterly Producer Price Index<sup>1</sup> by NSIC Group, 2007- 2008**  
(Manufacturing including Food, Beverages and Tobacco)

Year 2003=100

NSIC Activity Group	Weight	Index							
		2007				2008			
		1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr
Manufacture of food products, beverages and tobacco	484	136.8	146.3	149.6	153.9	170.3	174.9	181.4	187.9
Manufacture of textiles	20	109.7	109.7	109.7	109.7	116.9	116.9	116.9	116.9
Manufacture of wearing apparel	26	132.0	132.0	132.0	132.0	132.0	132.0	132.0	132.0
Tanning, dressing of leather, manufacture of luggage, handbags etc.	5	113.9	114.1	114.1	114.1	114.1	117.3	117.3	117.3
Manufacture of wood, wood products and cork except furniture	10	154.1	160.5	166.5	188.0	181.6	179.0	182.3	182.3
Manufacture of paper and paper products	23	105.6	106.4	105.7	105.7	105.7	105.7	113.8	114.4
Pub., printing and reproduction of recorded media	67	132.2	136.1	136.1	137.3	139.7	138.6	143.8	143.8
Manufacture of chemicals and chemical products	104	132.9	143.6	146.2	151.4	151.5	152.2	155.4	157.0
Manufacture of rubber and plastic products	26	131.8	135.7	137.8	143.8	143.8	143.5	142.3	144.8
Manufacture of other non-metallic mineral products	96	130.4	130.4	132.0	136.8	149.6	149.6	163.9	170.6
Manufacture of basic metals	39	175.1	206.0	267.8	245.8	228.6	260.4	321.6	308.2
Manufacture of fabricated metal products	54	175.5	178.9	181.0	185.7	189.3	191.9	204.5	206.1
Manufacture of electrical machinery and apparatus	5	253.0	253.0	273.3	273.3	273.3	260.4	206.0	202.6
Manufacture of radio, television and communication equipment and apparatus	7	129.2	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0
Manufacture of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers	4	110.6	114.2	114.2	117.8	120.2	120.2	120.2	156.3
Manufacture of furniture, and manufacturing n.e.c.	30	124.1	125.4	125.9	128.2	131.4	131.6	131.6	131.9
<b>Manufacturing Sector</b>	<b>1,000</b>	<b>137.7</b>	<b>145.2</b>	<b>150.0</b>	<b>153.0</b>	<b>162.0</b>	<b>165.6</b>	<b>173.7</b>	<b>177.5</b>

<sup>1</sup> Averages of monthly indices

**Table 15.8(b) - Quarterly Producer Price Index<sup>1</sup> by NSIC Group, 2007- 2008**  
(Food, Beverages and Tobacco)

Year 2003=100

NSIC Activity Group	Weight	Index											
		2007						2008					
		1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr	1st Qr	2nd Qr	3rd Qr	4th Qr				
<b>Manufacture of food products</b>	<b>324</b>	<b>139.3</b>	<b>151.2</b>	<b>155.5</b>	<b>159.6</b>	<b>180.6</b>	<b>186.7</b>	<b>193.2</b>	<b>201.3</b>				
Prod., proc. & preservation of meat and meat products	91	128.7	144.5	145.5	149.1	156.3	161.9	167.8	171.4				
Processing and preservation of fish and fish products	7	163.2	164.8	164.5	164.0	168.7	169.6	174.6	175.4				
Processing and preserving of fruits & vegetables	21	132.1	132.6	145.8	145.8	145.8	148.4	152.4	152.4				
Manufacture of vegetable and animal oils & fats	39	137.5	140.4	155.1	162.3	174.3	192.6	193.0	192.8				
Manufacture of dairy products	30	138.9	148.2	156.8	167.6	176.4	173.3	173.7	173.5				
Manufacture of grain mill products	46	134.9	177.9	180.6	179.7	256.3	263.1	267.4	309.0				
Manufacture of prepared animal feeds	43	170.4	170.4	170.4	180.7	205.7	215.6	220.4	229.9				
Manufacture of bakery products	22	160.1	161.0	163.4	163.6	184.0	184.2	184.8	188.0				
of which:													
<i>Bread manufacturing</i>	17	169.4	169.4	171.5	171.5	196.0	196.0	200.1	200.1				
<i>Biscuits manufacturing</i>	5	128.4	132.4	136.0	136.8	143.3	144.2	146.0	146.9				
Manufacture of sugar	10	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	194.8	194.8				
Manufacture of cocoa, chocolate and sugar confectionery	1	114.7	114.7	114.7	114.7	114.7	114.7	121.3	124.7				
Man. of macaroni, noodles and similar products	6	146.6	146.6	147.4	147.7	184.5	184.9	184.9	184.9				
Manufacture of other food products	8	115.0	115.3	116.6	116.8	132.0	135.3	135.3	132.5				
<b>Manufacture of beverages and tobacco</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>131.9</b>	<b>136.3</b>	<b>137.6</b>	<b>142.5</b>	<b>149.4</b>	<b>151.1</b>	<b>157.5</b>	<b>160.6</b>				
Distilling, blending, bottling of spirit	43	112.2	115.7	115.7	115.7	117.7	117.7	117.7	117.7				
Wine	11	153.7	153.7	154.5	154.5	154.5	179.5	180.2	180.9				
Beer	28	156.3	176.5	182.6	195.0	195.1	195.1	195.9	196.4				
Soft drinks	53	109.0	109.0	109.3	117.6	136.8	136.8	155.5	164.5				
Manufacture of tobacco products	25	177.3	177.3	177.3	177.3	177.3	117.3	177.3	177.3				
<b>Manufacture of Food, Beverages and Tobacco</b>	<b>484</b>	<b>136.8</b>	<b>146.3</b>	<b>149.6</b>	<b>153.9</b>	<b>170.3</b>	<b>174.9</b>	<b>181.4</b>	<b>187.9</b>				

<sup>1</sup> Averages of monthly indices

**Table 15.9 - Productivity and unit labour cost indices (Manufacturing Sector), 1988-2008**

Year	Base (2000= 100)																				
	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Production index (A)	52.8	55.4	59.7	62.2	66.4	68.9	71.7	75.9	80.9	85.6	90.9	92.7	100.0	104.4	101.9	101.9	102.5	96.9	100.7	103.0	106.3
Employment index (B)	91.3	92.7	93.8	94.3	94.4	94.5	94.8	94.8	95.5	99.0	103.0	102.1	100.0	99.1	96.3	93.0	88.2	84.5	85.1	86.3	87.0
Capital index (C)	64.2	72.9	78.1	83.0	83.7	86.4	86.7	84.8	85.1	85.2	89.5	95.2	100.0	103.5	107.9	109.5	114.7	118.9	118.9	128.8	132.5
Labour cost index (D)	24.5	28.6	34.5	41.4	47.8	50.8	56.9	62.8	67.3	72.5	82.5	92.0	100.0	107.9	112.8	117.4	123.0	126.6	130.7	148.5	168.7
Labour productivity index (A/B)	57.9	59.8	63.6	66.0	70.3	73.0	75.6	80.1	84.7	86.5	88.3	90.7	100.0	105.4	105.8	109.6	116.3	114.6	118.4	119.3	122.2
Capital productivity index (A/C)	82.3	76.1	76.4	75.0	79.3	79.8	82.7	89.5	95.1	100.5	101.5	97.4	100.0	100.8	94.4	93.0	89.3	81.4	84.8	80.0	80.2
Unit labour cost index (D/A)	46.3	51.7	57.9	66.5	72.1	73.6	79.4	82.7	83.3	84.7	90.8	99.3	100.0	103.3	110.7	115.2	119.9	130.7	129.7	144.3	158.8

**Table 15.10 - Energy & Water Indicators, 2004 - 2008**

Indicators	Unit	2004	2005	2006	2007 <sup>1/</sup>	2008 <sup>2/</sup>
<b>ENERGY</b>						
Total primary energy requirement	ktoe	1,255.8	1,293.2	1,374.9	1,379.1	1,403.7
<i>Imported</i>	ktoe	980.1	1,030.5	1,120.3	1,133.3	1,140.2
<i>Local</i>	ktoe	275.7	262.6	254.6	245.8	263.5
Total primary energy requirement index (1990 = 100)		171.8	177.0	188.1	188.7	192.1
Annual increase	%	+2.7	+3.0	+6.3	+0.4	+1.6
Import dependency	%	78.0	79.7	81.5	82.2	81.2
Energy intensity	toe per Rs.100,000 GDP	1.59	1.62	1.66	1.58	1.54
Per capita primary energy requirement	toe	1.02	1.04	1.10	1.09	1.11
Total final energy consumption	ktoe	838.1	846.1	874.4	852.9	841.2
Per capita final energy consumption	toe	0.68	0.68	0.70	0.68	0.66
Total electricity generated	GWh	2,165	2,272	2,350	2,465	2,557
Total electricity sold	GWh	1,704	1,777	1,880	1,975	2,054
Per capita consumption of electricity sold	kWh	1,382	1,429	1,501	1,567	1,619
<b>WATER</b>						
Mean annual rainfall, Island of Mauritius	Millimetres	2,270	2,372	1,914	1,954	2,382
Mean annual rainfall, Island of Rodrigues (Pte Canon)	Millimetres	1,134	1,275	1,189	1,226	1,055
Potable water produced <sup>3</sup>	Mm <sup>3</sup>	185	195	187	205	209
Potable water consumed <sup>3</sup>	Mm <sup>3</sup>	90	94	94	95	94
Potable water produced per capita per day <sup>3</sup>	litres	423	442	421	460	465
Potable water consumed per capita per day <sup>3</sup>	litres	206	213	212	213	242

<sup>1/</sup> Revised<sup>2/</sup> Provisional<sup>3/</sup> Refer to Island of Mauritius only

Table 15.11 - Energy balance, 2008\*

Flow	Source	Tonnes of oil equivalent (toe)														
		Fossil fuels						Renewables						Electricity	Total	
		Coal	Casolene	Diesel	Aviation Fuel	Kerosene	Fuel Oil	L.P.G	Total Petroleum products	Fuelwood	Charcoal	Hydro	Wind			Bagasse
Local production	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9,291	32	246,434	263,477	-	263,477
Imports	376,050	117,190	331,738	272,694	6,146	279,404	68,159	1,075,331	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Re-exports and bunkering	-	-	(118,454)	(130,543)	-	(92,347)	-	(341,344)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Stock change	27,829	(7,671)	(8,221)	(5,644)	(2,124)	26,241	(240)	2,340	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total Primary Energy Requirement</b>	<b>403,879</b>	<b>109,518</b>	<b>205,062</b>	<b>136,507</b>	<b>4,022</b>	<b>213,298</b>	<b>67,919</b>	<b>736,327</b>	<b>7,720</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>9,291</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>246,434</b>	<b>263,477</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1,403,682</b>
Public electricity generation plant	-	-	(1,596)	-	(2,179)	(160,845)	-	(164,619)	-	-	(9,291)	(32)	-	(9,323)	81,021	(92,921)
Autoproducer plants	(378,042)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(208,150)	(208,150)	138,902	(447,291)
Other transformation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(822)	400	-	-	-	(422)	-	(422)
Own use	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(3,543)	(3,543)
Losses	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(18,345)	(18,345)
<b>Total Final Consumption</b>	<b>25,837</b>	<b>109,518</b>	<b>203,467</b>	<b>136,507</b>	<b>1,843</b>	<b>52,453</b>	<b>67,919</b>	<b>571,708</b>	<b>6,897</b>	<b>400</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>38,284</b>	<b>45,582</b>	<b>198,035</b>	<b>841,161</b>
Manufacturing sector	25,837	-	46,764	-	-	52,453	5,314	104,531	542	-	-	-	38,284	38,826	78,511	247,704
Transport sector	-	109,518	154,439	136,507	-	-	5,599	406,064	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	406,064
Commercial and distributive trade sector	-	-	-	-	-	-	10,902	10,902	-	312	-	-	-	312	57,853	69,066
Household	-	-	-	-	1,843	-	45,786	47,628	6,356	88	-	-	-	6,444	56,087	110,159
Agriculture	-	-	2,263	-	-	-	-	2,263	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,222	4,485
Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	320	320	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,363	3,683

\*provisional

Note: figures in brackets represent negative quantities

Table 15.12 - Electricity Production, 2004 - 2008

	Unit	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008 <sup>3/</sup>
		13	13	15	15	15
<b>Generating stations of CEB</b>	Number	13	13	15	15	15
Hydro	"	8	8	8	8	8
Thermal	"	5	5	6	6	6
Wind	"	1	1	1	1	1
<b>Plant effective capacity</b>	MW	<b>558.92</b>	<b>587.28</b>	<b>618.78</b>	<b>669.33</b>	<b>626.73</b>
Hydro (CEB)	"	54.20	54.20	53.10	53.10	53.10
Hydro (IPP)	"	0.04	-	-	-	-
Thermal (CEB)	"	298.80	299.20	331.60	332.45	332.45
Thermal (IPP)	"	205.70	233.70	233.90	283.60	241.00
Wind (CEB)	"	0.18	0.18	0.18	0.18	0.18
<b>Electricity generated</b>	GWh	<b>2,165.2</b>	<b>2,272.1</b>	<b>2,350.2</b>	<b>2,464.6</b>	<b>2,557.2</b>
Central Electricity Board (CEB)	"	1,225.3	1,209.5	1,106.1	1,003.1	942.1
Renewable source:						
Hydro	"	122.3	114.9	76.6	83.9	108.0
Wind	"	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
Petroleum Products:	"	1,102.6	1,094.2	1,029.1	918.9	833.7
Thermal(Fuel/Diesel oil & Kerosene)	"	939.9	1,062.6	1,244.1	1,461.5	1,615.1
Independent Power Producers (IPP) -source : coal & bagasse of which : Export to CEB	"	725.1	835.4	1,015.7	1,226.7	1,365.1

Source: Central Electricity Board (CEB) and Annual Sugar Industry Energy Survey.

Table 15.13 - Electricity sold by class of consumer, 2007 - 2008

Class of consumer	No. of consumers		Consumption (GWh)	Value sold <sup>1</sup> (million Rupees)		Average sales price <sup>1</sup> per kWh (Rupees)
	2007 <sup>2</sup>	2008 <sup>3</sup>		2007 <sup>2</sup>	2008 <sup>3</sup>	
Domestic	343,142	350,627	643.0	2,443.4	3,089.1	3.80
Commercial	34,388	35,721	617.9	3,084.1	4,359.8	4.99
Industrial	7,435	7,295	673.0	1,677.8	2,164.1	2.49
of which: irrigation	(487)	(489)	(28.2)	(55.4)	(63.9)	(1.97)
Other	356	369	41.4	199.0	249.1	4.81
<b>All consumers</b>	<b>385,321</b>	<b>394,012</b>	<b>1,975.3</b>	<b>7,404.3</b>	<b>9,862.0</b>	<b>3.75</b>

<sup>1</sup> Excluding VAT & meter rent.

<sup>2</sup> Revised

<sup>3</sup> provisional

Source: Central Electricity Board (CEB)

**Table 15.14 - Average monthly potable water production (Mm<sup>3</sup>), 2004-2008 (Island of Mauritius)**

Period	Mare Aux Vacoas (Upper)		Mare Aux Vacoas (Lower)		Port-Louis		District water supply - North		District water supply - South		District water supply - East		Total production										
	Surface	Borehole	Surface	Borehole	Surface	Borehole	Surface	Borehole	Surface	Borehole	Surface	Borehole	Surface	Borehole	Total								
	Million metre cube (Mm <sup>3</sup> )																						
2004	34.0	6.0	40.0	-	27.8	27.8	18.8	11.3	30.1	18.9	21.2	40.1	8.7	15.1	23.8	8.8	14.7	23.5	89.2	95.9	185.2	48.2%	51.8%
2005	35.6	6.1	41.7	-	28.0	28.0	21.4	11.6	32.9	19.1	22.7	41.8	9.1	15.8	24.9	8.7	16.7	25.4	93.9	100.9	194.8	48.2%	51.8%
2006	36.8	5.8	42.6	-	17.8	17.8	21.0	10.4	31.4	20.2	22.3	42.4	9.3	16.0	25.2	8.8	18.5	27.3	96.0	90.8	186.8	51.4%	48.6%
2007	38.6	6.1	44.7	-	31.6	31.6	20.3	11.0	31.3	23.7	22.1	45.8	9.2	16.3	25.5	8.6	18.0	26.6	100.5	105.0	205.5	48.9%	51.1%
2008	37.9	6.6	44.5	-	28.8	28.8	21.8	12.8	34.6	22.6	25.2	47.6	9.6	16.2	25.8	10.5	17.6	28.1	102.2	107.2	209.4	48.8%	51.2%

Source: Central Water Authority

**Table 15.15 - Water consumption by class of consumer<sup>1/</sup>, 2007 - 2008 (Island of Mauritius)**

Class of consumer	No. of consumers		Consumption (Mm <sup>3</sup> )		Value sold (Rupees million)		Average sales price per m <sup>3</sup> (Rupees)	
	2007 <sup>2/</sup>	2008 <sup>3/</sup>	2007 <sup>2/</sup>	2008 <sup>3/</sup>	2007 <sup>2/</sup>	2008 <sup>3/</sup>	2007 <sup>2/</sup>	2008 <sup>3/</sup>
Domestic	278,625	284,592	73.0	72.1	549.9	509.1	7.53	7.06
Commercial	11,260	11,855	6.7	7.1	115.2	120.1	17.08	16.95
Hotels, Guests Houses	224	264	4.4	4.6	129.7	134.1	29.27	29.19
Industrial	744	716	4.8	4.0	73.0	59.8	15.12	14.96
Agricultural	3,129	3,281	1.4	1.4	11.3	11.0	7,394.00	7.86
Government	3,879	4,053	4.7	4.8	84.2	85.9	17.98	17.94
Acquired concessionary prizes	43	44	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	7.31	0.01
Non-treated water	278	286	15.5	14.8	41.1	40.3	2.65	2.07
<b>All consumers</b>	<b>298,182</b>	<b>305,091</b>	<b>110.6</b>	<b>108,774</b>	<b>1004.5</b>	<b>960.5</b>	<b>9.08</b>	<b>7.69</b>

<sup>1/</sup> consumers metered by CWA

<sup>2/</sup> revised

<sup>3/</sup> provisional

Source: Central Water Authority



SECTION 16 - CONSTRUCTION

Table 16.1 - Total<sup>1</sup> number of permits and floor area by type of building, 2005 - 2008

Type of building	2005		2006		2007		2008	
	No. of permits issued	Floor area (m <sup>2</sup> )	No. of permits issued	Floor area (m <sup>2</sup> )	No. of permits issued	Floor area (m <sup>2</sup> )	No. of permits issued	Floor area (m <sup>2</sup> )
<b>Residential building</b>	<b>7,538</b>	<b>1,127,378</b>	<b>8,122</b>	<b>1,250,115</b>	<b>8,133</b>	<b>1,292,860</b>	<b>7,010</b>	<b>1,124,110</b>
New buildings	4,207	776,608	4,611	884,513	4,740	932,465	3,915	802,112
Additions	3,331	350,770	3,511	365,602	3,393	360,395	3,095	321,998
<b>Non-residential building</b>	<b>452</b>	<b>289,660</b>	<b>568</b>	<b>318,566</b>	<b>967</b>	<b>666,733</b>	<b>633</b>	<b>442,773</b>
Agriculture, hunting, forestry and fishing	31	10,815	23	16,184	62	47,372	39	24,932
Mining and quarrying	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Manufacturing	47	87,551	31	37,857	98	191,190	64	66,895
of which EPZ	2	48,457	4	18,255	13	169,638	6	31,722
Electricity, gas and water	1	1,547	2	877	-	877	3	2,157
Construction	-	-	-	-	4	11,360	2	3,908
Wholesale & retail trade; repair of motor vehicles, motor cycles, personal and household goods	227	84,877	377	111,050	541	200,144	364	93,930
of which Wholesale and retail trade	220	83,871	355	107,128	502	195,559	336	87,410
Hotels and restaurants	62	42,264	9	61,021	34	25,131	21	37,478
Transport, storage and communication	3	4,150	14	13,170	32	15,316	39	29,294
Financial intermediation	4	6,569	1	167	-	-	2	11,229
Real estate, renting and business activities	22	20,808	37	49,806	67	112,226	40	128,260
Public administration and defence; compulsory social security	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Education	17	18,493	9	6,675	24	16,488	13	24,508
Health and social work	-	-	4	5,250	5	25,798	3	2,614
Other services	38	12,586	61	16,509	100	21,708	43	17,568
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>7,990</b>	<b>1,417,038</b>	<b>8,690</b>	<b>1,568,681</b>	<b>9,100</b>	<b>1,959,593</b>	<b>7,643</b>	<b>1,566,883</b>

<sup>1</sup> Includes new buildings and additions for which permits have been issued by Municipalities and District Councils

**Table 16.2 - Total<sup>1</sup> number of permits and floor area by region, 2005 - 2008**

Region	2005		2006		2007		2008	
	No. of permits issued	Floor area (m <sup>2</sup> )	No. of permits issued	Floor area (m <sup>2</sup> )	No. of permits issued	Floor area (m <sup>2</sup> )	No. of permits issued	Floor area (m <sup>2</sup> )
<b>Urban areas</b>	<b>2,902</b>	<b>550,974</b>	<b>3,560</b>	<b>650,202</b>	<b>3,048</b>	<b>639,398</b>	<b>2,617</b>	<b>571,730</b>
Port Louis	642	162,633	894	172,647	746	140,920	577	109,089
Beau Bassin - Rose Hill	505	87,932	440	76,880	454	69,200	414	66,918
Curepipe	486	69,360	534	82,975	463	66,081	340	41,808
Quatre Bornes	570	114,620	569	157,931	466	175,162	479	220,144
Vacoas - Phoenix	699	122,429	1,123	159,769	919	188,035	807	133,771
<b>Rural areas</b>	<b>5,088</b>	<b>866,064</b>	<b>5,130</b>	<b>918,479</b>	<b>6,052</b>	<b>1,320,195</b>	<b>5,026</b>	<b>995,153</b>
Pamplemousses	914	159,098	866	142,443	808	154,881	575	94,899
Riviere du Rempart	773	142,013	781	131,390	1,041	242,050	692	166,758
Flacq	1,007	137,560	986	173,616	1,181	205,193	908	148,582
Grand Port	576	76,560	708	120,150	697	135,810	720	99,518
• Savanne	548	85,765	664	93,563	801	124,666	645	92,095
Plaines Wilhems	40	5,287	63	10,513	35	6,613	53	6,525
Moka	571	71,606	632	117,818	611	138,233	441	81,634
Black River	659	188,175	430	128,986	878	312,749	992	305,142
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>7,990</b>	<b>1,417,038</b>	<b>8,690</b>	<b>1,568,681</b>	<b>9,100</b>	<b>1,959,593</b>	<b>7,643</b>	<b>1,566,883</b>

<sup>1</sup> Includes new buildings and additions for which permits have been issued by Municipalities and District Councils

**Table 16.3 - Total<sup>1</sup> number of permits and floor area by region for residential buildings, 2005 - 2008**

Region	2005		2006		2007		2008	
	No. of permits issued	Floor area (m <sup>2</sup> )	No. of permits issued	Floor area (m <sup>2</sup> )	No. of permits issued	Floor area (m <sup>2</sup> )	No. of permits issued	Floor area (m <sup>2</sup> )
<b>Urban areas</b>	<b>2,765</b>	<b>423,026</b>	<b>3,320</b>	<b>503,594</b>	<b>2,732</b>	<b>401,301</b>	<b>2,364</b>	<b>334,606</b>
Port Louis	591	100,516	822	115,206	649	90,041	534	67,225
Beau Bassin - Rose Hill	483	72,510	370	66,597	387	57,807	345	49,385
Curepipe	475	66,194	510	75,440	420	56,268	318	38,060
Quatre Bornes	546	94,115	533	103,217	418	77,596	409	70,961
Vacoas - Phoenix	670	89,691	1,085	143,134	858	119,589	758	108,975
<b>Rural areas</b>	<b>4,773</b>	<b>704,352</b>	<b>4,802</b>	<b>746,521</b>	<b>5,401</b>	<b>891,559</b>	<b>4,646</b>	<b>789,504</b>
Pamplemousses	859	138,727	839	127,670	727	114,514	514	74,341
Riviere du Rempart	731	127,116	743	122,568	956	196,191	642	141,160
Flacq	980	120,265	894	118,763	978	133,187	836	112,590
Grand Port	524	63,551	673	104,862	647	77,880	686	94,292
Savanne	492	61,273	616	81,769	770	117,437	601	76,271
Plaines Wilhems	39	5,257	58	7,991	27	3,889	47	5,854
Moka	554	68,193	586	94,972	480	73,573	408	66,284
Black River	594	119,970	393	87,926	816	174,888	912	218,712
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>7,538</b>	<b>1,127,378</b>	<b>8,122</b>	<b>1,250,115</b>	<b>8,133</b>	<b>1,292,860</b>	<b>7,010</b>	<b>1,124,110</b>

<sup>1</sup> Includes new buildings and additions for which permits have been issued by Municipalities and District Councils

**Table 16.4 - Total<sup>1</sup> number of permits and floor area by region for non - residential buildings, 2005-2008**

Region	2005		2006		2007		2008	
	No. of permits issued	Floor area (m <sup>2</sup> )	No. of permits issued	Floor area (m <sup>2</sup> )	No. of permits issued	Floor area (m <sup>2</sup> )	No. of permits issued	Floor area (m <sup>2</sup> )
<b>Urban areas</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>127,948</b>	<b>240</b>	<b>146,608</b>	<b>316</b>	<b>238,097</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>237,124</b>
Port Louis	51	62,117	72	57,441	97	50,879	43	41,864
Beau Bassin - Rose Hill	22	9,422	70	10,283	67	11,393	69	17,533
Curepipe	11	366	24	7,535	43	9,813	22	3,748
Quatre Bornes	24	20,505	36	54,714	48	97,566	70	149,183
Vacoas - Phoenix	29	32,738	38	16,635	61	68,446	49	24,796
<b>Rural areas</b>	<b>315</b>	<b>161,712</b>	<b>328</b>	<b>171,958</b>	<b>651</b>	<b>428,636</b>	<b>380</b>	<b>205,649</b>
Pamplemousses	55	20,371	27	14,773	81	40,367	61	20,558
Riviere du Rempart	42	14,897	38	8,822	85	45,859	50	25,598
Flacq	27	17,295	92	54,853	203	72,006	72	35,992
Grand Port	52	13,009	35	15,288	50	57,930	34	5,226
Savanne	56	24,492	48	11,794	31	7,229	44	15,824
Plaines Wilhems	1	30	5	2,522	8	2,724	6	671
Moka	* 117	3,413	46	22,846	131	64,660	33	15,350
Black River	65	68,205	37	41,060	62	137,861	80	86,430
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>452</b>	<b>289,660</b>	<b>568</b>	<b>318,566</b>	<b>967</b>	<b>666,733</b>	<b>633</b>	<b>442,773</b>

<sup>1</sup> Includes new buildings and additions for which permits have been issued by Municipalities and District Councils

**Table 16.5 - Number of permits for residential buildings<sup>1</sup> by range of floor area, 2006 - 2008**

Range of floor area (sq mts)	2006				2007				2008			
	Urban	Rural	Total		Urban	Rural	Total		Urban	Rural	Total	
	Number	Number	Number	%	Number	Number	Number	%	Number	Number	Number	%
Less than 65	577	409	986	12	483	543	1,026	13	403	391	794	11
65-139	1,506	2,558	4,064	50	1,278	2,694	3,972	49	1,126	2,395	3,521	50
140-299	1,088	1,606	2,694	33	832	1,825	2,657	33	700	1,430	2,130	30
300-499	103	163	266	3	108	237	345	3	118	365	483	7
500 & over	46	66	112	2	31	102	133	2	17	65	82	2
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3,320</b>	<b>4,802</b>	<b>8,122</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>2,732</b>	<b>5,401</b>	<b>8,133</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>2,364</b>	<b>4,646</b>	<b>7,010</b>	<b>100</b>

<sup>1</sup> Includes new buildings and additions

**Table 16.6 - Monthly Construction Price Index by input categories, January 2008 to December 2008**  
(Base: 4th Quarter 2001 = 100)

Input Categories	Weight	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Yearly Average
LABOUR	34.5	119.5	119.5	119.5	119.5	119.5	119.5	123.4	123.4	123.4	123.4	123.4	123.4	121.5
HIRE OF PLANT	3.0	135.5	135.5	135.5	135.5	135.5	135.5	135.5	135.5	135.5	135.5	135.5	135.5	135.5
MATERIALS :	57.2	185.3	185.3	183.3	183.3	183.3	189.1	193.6	197.6	200.7	201.4	199.8	197.3	191.7
Hardcore (rempissage)	1.0	110.5	110.5	110.5	110.5	110.5	110.5	110.5	110.5	110.5	110.5	110.5	110.5	110.5
Cement	10.0	245.0	245.0	222.2	222.2	222.2	222.2	222.2	222.2	222.2	222.2	222.2	222.2	226.0
Sand	6.1	145.9	145.9	145.9	145.9	145.9	145.9	159.8	159.8	159.8	168.0	162.9	161.0	153.9
Aggregate	2.9	162.7	162.7	162.7	162.7	162.7	162.7	182.9	182.9	182.9	200.3	188.8	186.8	175.1
Block	4.4	169.9	169.9	169.9	169.9	169.9	169.9	178.9	178.9	178.9	188.3	183.3	182.4	175.8
Steel bars (armature)	5.8	254.8	254.8	269.9	269.9	269.9	307.4	318.1	352.3	357.2	339.7	339.7	320.8	304.5
Galvanised corrugated cast iron sheeting	1.2	181.3	181.3	181.3	181.3	181.3	185.7	185.7	185.7	185.7	187.1	187.1	187.1	184.2
Timber: (a) Carpentry	3.9	144.2	144.2	144.6	144.6	144.6	156.0	156.0	156.0	156.0	156.0	156.0	156.0	151.2
(b) Joinery	4.2	187.4	187.4	194.0	194.0	194.0	200.0	202.5	202.8	203.4	203.4	203.4	203.4	198.0
Metal openings	6.1	189.0	189.0	189.0	189.0	189.0	193.7	194.6	199.0	218.7	218.7	218.7	218.7	200.6
Ceramic tiles	1.3	114.6	114.6	114.6	114.6	114.6	114.6	114.6	119.2	119.2	119.2	119.2	119.2	116.5
Glass and putty	0.7	135.5	135.5	135.5	135.5	135.5	137.7	137.7	137.7	139.7	139.7	139.7	139.7	137.4
Paint	2.0	155.9	155.9	155.0	155.0	155.0	155.0	155.0	155.0	167.1	167.1	167.1	167.1	159.2
Plumbing	1.5	156.3	156.3	156.3	156.3	156.3	156.9	157.7	157.7	159.7	160.5	160.5	160.5	157.9
Sanitary installation	2.3	129.3	129.3	129.3	129.3	129.3	130.1	130.3	128.1	127.4	127.4	127.4	127.4	128.7
Electrical installation	2.6	178.6	178.6	178.6	178.6	178.6	177.0	171.9	171.9	171.9	169.8	169.8	163.5	174.1
Other	1.2	152.6	152.6	152.1	152.1	152.1	162.3	167.4	168.2	169.2	169.2	169.2	169.2	161.4
TRANSPORT	5.3	146.2	146.2	146.2	146.2	146.2	146.2	146.2	146.2	146.2	154.0	145.4	145.4	146.7
OVERALL INDEX	100.0	159.0	159.0	157.9	157.9	157.9	161.2	165.2	167.5	169.2	170.0	168.7	167.2	163.4

**Table 16.7 - Monthly Construction Price Index by work categories, January 2008 - December 2008**  
(Base: 4th Quarter 2001 = 100)

Work Categories	Weight	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Yearly Average
1. Setting up	2.3	164.6	164.6	163.3	163.3	163.3	167.6	169.7	169.7	169.8	172.0	170.6	170.4	167.4
2. Setting out	0.5	116.0	116.0	116.0	116.0	116.0	122.6	124.9	124.9	124.9	124.9	124.9	124.9	121.0
3. Temporary works	0.5	129.3	129.3	129.8	129.8	129.8	138.2	140.1	140.1	140.2	140.3	140.1	140.1	135.6
4. Site preparation, excavation & disposal, hardcore filling	5.8	127.0	127.0	127.0	127.0	127.0	127.0	131.2	131.2	131.2	131.9	131.3	131.2	129.2
5. Concrete	20.2	170.4	170.4	163.8	163.8	163.8	163.8	170.0	170.0	170.0	173.8	170.8	170.2	168.4
6. Reinforcement	9.2	205.4	205.4	214.9	214.9	214.9	238.4	243.7	265.2	268.3	257.4	257.1	245.3	235.9
7. Formwork (coffrage)	7.8	133.7	133.7	133.5	133.5	133.5	138.8	141.1	141.1	141.2	141.3	141.1	141.1	137.8
8. Blockwork	8.5	157.2	157.2	155.7	155.7	155.7	155.7	161.9	161.9	161.9	169.0	165.6	165.1	160.2
9. Softwood joinery	4.5	183.2	183.2	189.4	189.4	189.4	195.0	197.5	197.9	198.4	198.4	198.3	198.3	193.2
10. Ironmongery	0.5	124.4	124.4	126.1	126.1	126.1	132.7	134.5	136.5	135.8	135.8	135.8	135.8	131.2
11. Metal openings	6.5	184.8	184.8	184.8	184.8	184.8	189.2	190.3	194.4	212.9	212.8	212.7	212.7	195.8
12. Rendering to wall/ceiling (crépiassage)	9.9	140.3	140.3	137.0	137.0	137.0	137.0	141.6	141.6	141.6	142.8	141.8	141.6	140.0
13. Bed & screed to floor/roof	4.2	176.8	176.8	168.0	168.0	168.0	168.0	172.8	172.8	172.8	176.1	173.3	172.9	172.2
14. Tiling	2.1	117.5	117.5	117.5	117.5	117.5	117.5	119.1	121.9	121.9	122.0	121.9	121.9	119.5
15. Glazing	1.0	134.2	134.2	134.2	134.2	134.2	135.8	136.4	136.4	137.8	138.4	137.3	137.3	135.9
16. Painting	5.2	133.5	133.5	133.1	133.1	133.1	133.0	135.3	135.3	140.1	140.3	140.1	140.1	135.9
17. Plumbing/sanitary installation	5.0	134.1	134.1	134.1	134.1	134.1	134.7	136.0	134.9	135.1	135.2	134.6	134.7	134.7
18. Electrical installation	4.2	155.4	155.4	155.4	155.4	155.4	154.4	153.0	153.0	153.0	151.8	151.7	147.9	153.5
19. Drainage	2.1	158.7	158.7	156.4	156.4	156.4	157.7	163.7	164.5	164.5	167.5	165.8	165.0	161.3
<b>OVERALL INDEX</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>159.0</b>	<b>159.0</b>	<b>157.9</b>	<b>157.9</b>	<b>157.9</b>	<b>161.2</b>	<b>165.2</b>	<b>167.5</b>	<b>169.2</b>	<b>170.0</b>	<b>168.7</b>	<b>167.2</b>	<b>163.4</b>

**SECTION - 17: CLIMATE AND ENVIRONMENT**

**Table 17.1 - Monthly average minimum temperature by region, 2008**

(Degrees Celcius)

Region Mont	North		South		East		West		Centre		All sugar zones	
	Mean Amount	Difference from normal	Mean Amount	Difference from normal	Mean Amount	Difference from normal	Mean Amount	Difference from normal	Mean Amount	Difference from normal	Mean Amount	Difference from normal
January	22.3	+0.4	23.9	+1.0	22.8	+0.9	22.8	+0.2	21.2	+0.7	22.6	+0.6
February	22.3	+0.1	24.0	+0.9	23.1	+0.8	23.3	+0.5	21.3	+0.6	22.8	+0.6
March	21.5	-0.3	23.2	+0.5	22.2	+0.1	22.4	+0.1	20.3	-0.1	21.9	+0.1
April	20.4	-0.4	22.0	+0.1	20.9	-0.3	21.7	+0.3	19.7	+0.1	20.9	+0.0
May	18.5	-0.1	20.5	+0.3	19.5	+0.2	20.1	+0.6	18.0	+0.3	19.3	+0.3
June	17.6	+1.0	19.3	+0.5	18.3	+0.5	18.1	+0.4	16.6	+0.5	18.0	+0.6
July	15.9	-0.1	18.2	+0.1	17.0	-0.3	17.3	+0.3	15.7	+0.4	16.8	+0.1
August	17.0	+0.7	19.4	+1.5	17.9	+0.9	18.4	+1.5	16.4	+1.2	17.8	+1.2
September	18.1	+1.6	20.1	+2.1	18.9	-1.9	19.3	+1.8	17.5	+2.0	18.8	+1.9
October	18.7	+0.8	21.2	+2.1	19.7	+1.7	20.0	+1.5	18.0	+1.5	19.5	+1.5
November	20.1	+1.0	21.9	+1.5	20.6	+1.3	21.5	+1.5	19.1	+1.3	20.6	+1.3
December	21.5	+0.6	23.1	+1.2	21.6	+0.6	22.6	+1.1	20.4	+1.1	21.8	+0.9
<b>Year</b>	<b>19.5</b>	<b>+0.4</b>	<b>21.4</b>	<b>+1.0</b>	<b>20.2</b>	<b>+0.4</b>	<b>20.6</b>	<b>+0.8</b>	<b>18.7</b>	<b>+0.8</b>	<b>18.2</b>	<b>0.8</b>

Source: Meteorological Services



**Table 17.2 - Monthly average maximum temperature by region, 2008**  
(Degrees Celcius)

Region Month	North		South		East		West		Centre		All sugar zones	
	Mean Amount	Difference from normal	Mean Amount	Difference from normal	Mean Amount	Difference from normal	Mean Amount	Difference from normal	Mean Amount	Difference from normal	Mean Amount	Difference from normal
January	30.9	- 0.2	29.4	- 0.4	28.6	- 0.3	31.0	+ 0.5	27.8	+ 0.2	29.5	+ 0.0
February	30.5	- 0.3	29.3	- 0.2	28.6	- 0.3	31.3	+ 1.0	27.3	- 0.2	29.4	+ 0.0
March	30.0	- 0.7	28.4	- 0.7	27.8	- 0.7	30.6	+ 0.3	26.7	- 0.7	28.7	- 0.5
April	30.4	+ 0.7	28.8	+ 0.5	28.1	+ 0.4	30.8	+ 1.4	27.1	+ 0.8	29.0	+ 0.8
May	28.7	+ 0.4	27.0	+ 0.2	26.1	- 0.1	28.5	+ 0.4	24.8	+ 0.0	27.0	+ 0.2
June	25.8	- 0.7	24.7	- 0.5	24.0	- 0.5	25.9	- 0.6	22.5	- 0.5	24.6	- 0.6
July	25.1	- 0.6	24.1	- 0.1	23.5	- 0.2	25.7	+ 0.0	21.8	- 0.2	24.0	- 0.2
August	25.9	+ 0.0	24.5	+ 0.3	23.6	- 0.1	26.9	+ 1.0	22.6	+ 0.8	24.7	+ 0.4
September	26.7	- 0.2	25.5	+ 0.4	24.3	+ 0.0	27.7	+ 1.0	23.3	+ 0.6	25.5	+ 0.4
October	28.0	- 0.3	26.7	+ 0.4	25.3	- 0.1	28.5	+ 0.6	24.4	+ 0.3	26.6	+ 0.2
November	30.3	+ 0.2	28.6	+ 0.7	27.4	+ 0.4	30.4	+ 1.3	26.8	+ 1.0	28.7	+ 0.7
December	31.7	+ 0.9	29.9	+ 0.7	29.0	+ 0.8	31.3	+ 1.5	27.9	+ 0.7	29.9	+ 0.9
<b>Year</b>	<b>28.7</b>	<b>- 0.1</b>	<b>27.2</b>	<b>+ 0.1</b>	<b>26.4</b>	<b>- 0.1</b>	<b>29.1</b>	<b>+ 0.7</b>	<b>25.3</b>	<b>+ 0.2</b>	<b>27.3</b>	<b>+ 0.2</b>

Source: Meteorological Services

Table 17.3 - Mean rainfall 2005-2008

Period	Millimetres																	
	2005		2006		2007		2008		2005		2006		2007		2008			
	Long Term Mean (1971-2000)	Mean	% of Long Term Mean	Mean	% of Long Term Mean	Mean	% of Long Term Mean	Mean	% of Long Term Mean	Mean	% of Long Term Mean	Mean	% of Long Term Mean	Mean	% of Long Term Mean			
	<b>Island of Mauritius</b>																	
Year	2,006	2,372	118	1,914	95	1,954	97	2,382	119	1,105	1,275	115	1,189	108	1,226	111	1,055	95
Jan	261	148	57	372	142	347	133	241	92	150	68	45	43	29	145	96	134	89
Feb	336	407	121	331	99	572	170	251	75	185	179	97	207	112	383	207	147	80
Mar	242	727	300	459	189	165	68	508	209	131	143	109	377	287	85	65	77	59
Apr	226	117	52	83	37	119	53	53	24	117	230	197	91	78	88	75	21	18
May	159	126	79	53	33	139	88	299	188	78	105	134	67	85	48	62	157	201
Jun	115	139	121	100	87	142	124	165	144	78	135	174	78	101	32	42	88	113
Jul	120	174	145	177	147	123	102	135	113	81	130	161	159	196	89	110	41	51
Aug	122	106	87	80	66	63	51	72	59	59	76	128	55	93	46	79	88	148
Sep	81	233	288	72	89	71	88	348	429	44	96	219	29	67	65	147	50	113
Oct	70	64	91	56	80	105	150	61	87	41	23	56	48	118	50	122	65	161
Nov	80	48	60	85	106	45	56	152	190	70	43	61	12	17	8	11	134	192
Dec	199	83	42	46	23	63	32	97	49	71	47	66	23	32	187	264	53	74
	<b>Island of Rodrigues</b>																	

Table 17.4 - Forest area by category, 1999 - 2008

Category	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
<b>State - owned</b>	<b>22,492</b>	<b>22,089</b>	<b>22,089</b>	<b>22,089</b>	<b>22,068</b>	<b>22,200</b>	<b>22,185</b>	<b>22,181</b>	<b>22,176</b>	<b>22,159</b>
Plantations	12,608	12,359	12,362	12,418	12,256	11,816	11,828	11,848	11,878	11,855
Nature reserves	799	799	799	799	799	799	799	799	799	799
<i>on mainland</i>	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<i>islets</i>	599	599	599	599	599	599	599	599	599	599
National Park <sup>1</sup>	6,574	6,574	6,574	6,574	6,574	6,574	6,574	6,574	6,574	6,574
Islet National Park <sup>2</sup>						134	134	134	134	134
Bras D'Eau & Poste La Fayette Reserves <sup>3</sup>						472	472	472	472	472
Other forest lands	1,859	1,705	1,702	1,646	1,804	1,770	1,743	1,719	1,688	1,419
Pas Geometriques	652	652	652	652	635	635	635	635	631	631
Plantations	225	224	230	243	226	226	226	226	227	222
<i>Leased for grazing and tree planting</i>	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230
<i>Unplanted, protective or to be planted</i>	197	198	192	179	179	179	179	179	179	179
<i>Vallee d' Osterlog Endemic Garden</i>										275
<b>Privately - owned lands</b>	<b>34,540</b>	<b>34,540</b>	<b>34,540</b>	<b>34,540</b>	<b>34,540</b>	<b>25,000</b>	<b>25,000</b>	<b>25,000</b>	<b>25,000</b>	<b>25,000</b>
Reserves	6,553	6,553	6,553	6,553	6,553	6,553	6,553	6,553	6,553	6,553
<i>Mountain reserves</i>	3,800	3,800	3,800	3,800	3,800	3,800	3,800	3,800	3,800	3,800
<i>River reserves</i>	2,740	2,740	2,740	2,740	2,740	2,740	2,740	2,740	2,740	2,740
<i>Nature reserves</i>	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13
Other <sup>4</sup>	27,987	27,987	27,987	27,987	27,987	18,447	18,447	18,447	18,447	18,447
<b>Total</b>	<b>57,032</b>	<b>56,629</b>	<b>56,629</b>	<b>56,629</b>	<b>56,608</b>	<b>47,200</b>	<b>47,185</b>	<b>47,181</b>	<b>47,176</b>	<b>47,159</b>

Source : Forestry Service, Ministry of Agro Industry and Fisheries

<sup>1</sup> Black River Gorges National Park was proclaimed in 1994 and data on the area enclosed by the boundaries of the park were not available until 1997.<sup>2</sup> Islet National Park was proclaimed in 1994.<sup>3</sup> Bras D'Eau & Poste La Fayette Reserves were proclaimed in 2002 and data of the area is included as from the year 2004.<sup>4</sup> Includes Plantations, forest lands, scrub and grazing lands. Forest area was decreasing gradually. New estimates in private lands worked out in 2004.

Table 17.5 - Ambient air quality monitoring by mobile stations, Island of Mauritius, 2006

Pollutant	Aapravasi Ghat, port Louis				Terre rouge, Richfield Textile				Valentina, Phoenix				Cassis			
	Unit	Minimum	Maximum	24 hour Average for the year	Minimum	Maximum	24 hour Average for the year	Ambient air quality standard <sup>2</sup>	Minimum	Maximum	24 hour Average for the year	Ambient air quality standard <sup>2</sup>	Minimum	Maximum	24 hour Average for the year	Ambient air quality standard <sup>2</sup>
Dust ( PM <sub>10</sub> )	µg/m <sup>3</sup>	43.0	59.0	52.0	13.0	27.0	18.0	100.0	11.0	69.0	25.8	100.0	43.0	59.0	52.0	100.0
Ozone ( O <sub>3</sub> )	ppb	1.0	3.0	1.8	7.0	23.0	14.8	46.7	1.0	9.0	2.6	46.7	1.0	3.0	1.8	46.7
Sulphur dioxide ( SO <sub>2</sub> )	ppb	0.3	1.4	0.7	0.1	3.2	1.1	70.0	0.1	89.4	18.0	70.0	0.3	1.4	0.7	70.0
Nitrogen dioxide ( NO <sub>2</sub> )	ppb	26.0	27.0	28.0	1.0	4.0	1.8	-	-	-	-	-	26.0	27.0	28.0	28.0
Carbon monoxide ( CO )	ppm	0.2	0.7	0.4	0.0	0.4	0.3	8.0	0.1	0.6	0.3	8.0	0.2	0.7	0.4	8.0

Table 17.6 - Consumption of controlled ozone-depleting substances by type of substances, 1998 - 2008

Type of substances	Metric Tonnes										
	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008 <sup>1</sup>
Chlorofluorocarbon (CFC's)	39.69	19.47	19.26	14.71	7.4	4.07	3.4	-	1.0	-	-
Hydrochlorofluorocarbon (HCFC's)	59.83	89.54	63	100.49	128.9	222.73	168.45	165.64	138.13	156.62	122.48
Carbon tetrachloride	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.02	0.03	0.02	0.03	-	-	-
Methyl chloroform	1.1	1.01	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Methyl bromide	0.7	0.7	...	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5
Others	1.82	1.72	1.11	0.71	0.02	0.03	0.02	0.03	-	-	-
Total	101.34	110.73	83.37	115.91	136.32	226.83	171.87	165.67	139.13	156.62	122.98

<sup>1</sup> Provisional

Table 17.7 - Solid waste input by type at Mare Chicose landfill site, 2003 - 2008

Waste type	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008 <sup>1</sup>
Commercial	-	-	-	-	-	-
Construction	7,199	6,097	3,756	1,109	502	2,065
Domestic	352,915	365,528	363,776	387,751	365,824	373,860
Industrial ( inc. textile )	4,421	3,097	2,340	2,619	2,157	1,798
Tuna/Sludge	120	189	5,913	8,056	13,077	12,148
Poultry	3,236	3,962	3,930	3,752	3,387	6,867
Rubber tyres	378	423	394	465	223	347
Asbestos	71	36	85	14	260	32
Condemned goods	2,754	1,770	2,114	3,265	2,036	2,361
Difficult and hazardous	...	12	22	8	4	5
Others	...	...	...	...	6,648	1,330
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>371,094</b>	<b>381,114</b>	<b>382,330</b>	<b>407,039</b>	<b>394,118</b>	<b>400,813</b>

Source: Ministry for Local Government

<sup>1</sup> Provisional

**Table 17.8 - Main environment indicators, Republic of Mauritius, 1999 and 2008**

Indicator	Units	1999	2008 <sup>1</sup>
1. Total land area	000 ha	186.5	186.5
2. Irrigated land	ha	18,876.0	21,457.0
3. Total forest area (as a % of total land area)	%	30.6	25.3
4. Land Protected Areas	ha	13,973.0	14,854.0
5. Marine Protected Areas (MPA's)	ha	7,190.0	7,190.0
6. Threatened plant species (IUCN Red List)	Number	...	88
7. Threatened animal species (IUCN Red List)	Number	...	65
8. Total fish catch	tons	10,586.0	6,006.0
9. Mean catch per fisherman day	kg	5.3	5.6
10. Total Carbon dioxide emission	000 tons	...	...
11. Per capita carbon dioxide emission	tons	...	...
12. Mean annual rainfall	millimetres	1,102.4	2,381.0
13. Annual fresh water abstraction	Mm <sup>3</sup>	516.0	...
14. Daily per capita domestic water consumption	litres	149.0	160.1
15. Daily per capita solid waste generated ( <i>estimate</i> )	Kg	0.7	0.9
16. Total electricity generated	GWh	1,555.0	2,557.0
17. Per capita primary energy requirement	toe	0.9	1.1
18. Per capita final energy consumption	toe	0.6	0.7
19. Energy intensity	toe per Rs 100,000 GDP	1.6	1.5

**Table 17.9 - Main socio-economic indicators, Republic of Mauritius, 1999 and 2008**

Indicator	Units	1999	2008 <sup>1</sup>
1. Gross Domestic Product (GDP) at market prices	Rs mn	108,076	264,854
2. Sectoral contribution to GDP			
<i>Agriculture</i>	%	6.1	4.3
<i>Manufacturing</i>	%	23.9	20.1
<i>Construction</i>	%	5.7	6.9
<i>Wholesale and retail trade</i>	%	13.1	12.3
<i>Hotels and restaurants</i>	%	6.9	8.6
<i>Transport and communications</i>	%	12.2	11.2
<i>Financial intermediation and business services</i>	%	8.4	10.9
<i>Other</i>	%	23.7	25.7
3. GDP annual growth rate (basic prices)	%	2.1	5.3
4. Per capita GDP at market prices	Rs	91,945	208,570
5. Per capita GDP in US dollars	US\$	3,656	7,354
6. Investment (GDFCF)	Rs mn	29,457	64,893
7. Exports (f.o.b) (include ship's stores and bunkers)	Rs mn	40,025	68,409
8. Imports (c.i.f)	Rs mn	56,629	132,564
9. Population (mid year)	000	1,175,267	1,268,565
10. Population annual growth rate	%	1.1	0.6
11. Population density (per kilometre square)	Number	597	644
12. Total labour force <sup>2</sup>	000	519.5	583.4
13. Total employment <sup>2</sup>	000	480.5	543.0
<i>Agriculture (as a % of total)</i>	%	12.0	8.6
<i>Manufacturing (as a % of total)</i>	%	29.6	22.5
14. Unemployment rate <sup>2</sup>	%	7.7	7.2
15. Inflation rate	%	6.9	9.7
16. Tourist arrivals	000	578.1	930.5

<sup>1</sup> Provisional<sup>2</sup> Labour force, employment and unemployment, 16 years and over.

Table 17.10 - Total emissions and removals of greenhouse gases, 2003 - 2007

Greenhouse gas	Gg or thousand tonne				
	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
<b>Emissions</b>					
Carbon Dioxide	2,783.5	2,795.7	2,996.0	3,348.9	3,450.0
Methane	12.0	12.3	12.5	13.0	12.6
Oxide of Nitrogen	15.1	15.2	15.4	16.6	16.8
Nitrous Oxide	1.5	1.5	1.3	1.2	1.3
Carbon Monoxide	65.7	66.9	66.4	64.8	65.1
NMVOC <sup>2</sup>	17.5	16.5	18.3	17.7	18.6
Sulphur Dioxide	32.1	32.7	33.0	33.0	33.0
<b>Removals</b>					
Carbon Dioxide	237.9	223.7	223.7	193.2	195.0
<b>Net emissions</b>					
Carbon Dioxide	2,545.6	2,572.0	2,772.3	3,155.6	3,255.0





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