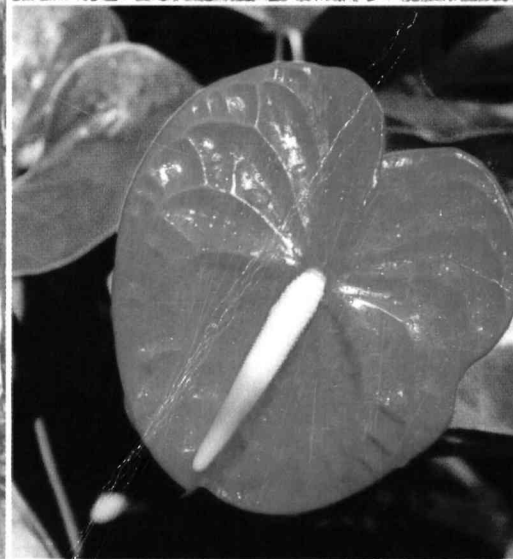
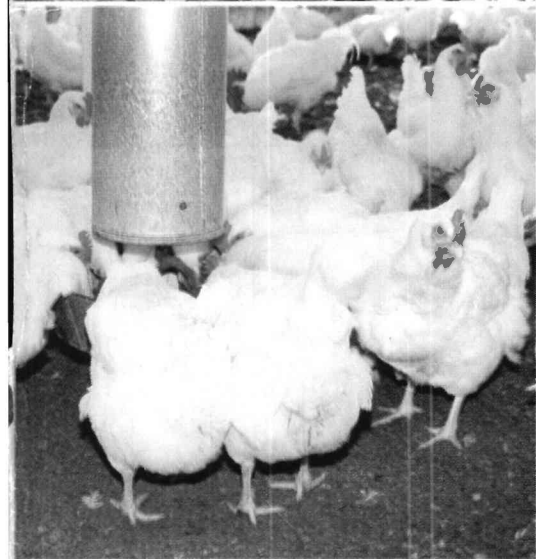
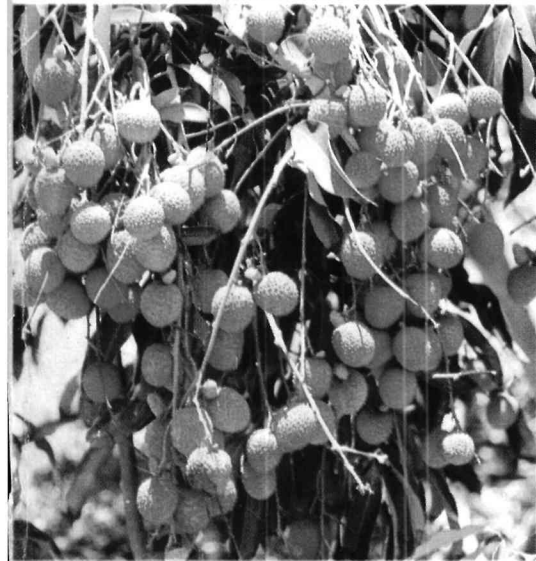




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FOREWORD

This is the nineteenth issue of a regular publication of the Central Statistics Office on Agricultural Statistics for the Republic of Mauritius.

The digest is designed to bring together in a single report as many series as possible on agricultural statistics. It thus contains information on the sugar, tea, tobacco, foodcrops, livestock and fisheries sectors. Data showing the pattern of food consumption of the population are given in the yearly "Food Balance Sheets". Agricultural price statistics are shown in the section "Producer Price Index - Agriculture (PPI-A)".

The data published cover the five-year period from 1998 to 2002 and are the latest available as at end of June 2003. Some of the figures are provisional and subject to revision in later issues. Figures in this issue supersede those appearing in previous ones.

It is hoped that the data assembled in this digest will prove useful to all users, in particular to agricultural policy makers, planners and scientists. The preparation of this digest has required the co-operation of numerous organisations, both public and private. This co-operation is gratefully acknowledged.

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TECHNICAL NOTES

1. All tables refer to Island of Mauritius unless otherwise specified.

2. Basic price

Basic price is the amount receivable by the producer, exclusive of taxes payable on products and inclusive of subsidies receivable on products

3. Producer's price

Producer's price is the amount receivable by the producer inclusive of taxes on products (except deductible value added tax) and exclusive of subsidies on products.

4. Regions (note to Table 2.5)

Regions	Corresponding Districts
North	Port Louis, Pamplemousses and Riviere du Rempart
South	Grand Port and Savanne
East	Flacq
West	Black River
Centre	Plaines Wilhems and Moka

5. Symbols and abbreviations

The following symbols and abbreviations are used throughout:

...	:	Negligible
—	:	Nil
Rs	:	Rupees (Mauritian)
'000	:	Thousand
No.	:	Number
N.A.	:	Not available
n.e.s.	:	Not elsewhere specified

6. Conversion factors

1 hectare = 2.36922 arpents

1 inch = 25.4 millimetres

To convert degrees Celsius (Centigrade) into degrees

Fahrenheit multiply by $\frac{9}{5}$ and add 32°

1 tonne = 1,000 kilograms = 0.9842 long ton



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AGRICULTURAL SECTOR

Table 1.1 - Share of agriculture in the economy - Republic of Mauritius, 1999 - 2002

	Unit	1999	2000	2001 ¹	2002 ²
Gross Domestic Product (GDP), at market prices	Rs million	107,749	119,529	131,889	142,302
Gross Domestic Product (GDP), at basic prices	Rs million	93,633	104,517	117,391	125,351
Value added - agriculture, at basic prices	Rs million	5,612	7,144	8,493	7,989
<i>of which : sugar cane</i>	Rs million	2,432	3,741	4,705	4,215
<i>government services</i>	Rs million	710	722	837	861
Share of agriculture in GDP at basic prices	%	6.0	6.8	7.2	6.4
Share of sugar in agriculture	%	43.3	52.4	55.4	52.8
Employment in agriculture	'000	55.3	55.8	54.2	47.0
Share of agriculture in total employment	%	11.5	11.5	11.0	9.6
Gross domestic fixed capital formation (GDFCF)	Rs million	29,676	28,069	29,798	31,238
GDFCF in agriculture	Rs million	864	692	648	844
Share of investment in agriculture in total GDFCF	%	2.9	2.5	2.2	2.7
Annual growth rate of GDP at basic prices	%	+2.3	+9.3	+5.8	+2.5
Annual growth rate of agriculture	%	-25.8	+33.3	+9.1	-14.4
Annual growth rate of sugar cane	%	-43.9	+64.5	+13.4	-19.3

¹ revised estimates² provisional estimates

Table 1.2 - Distribution of GDP by industrial group, Republic of Mauritius, 1998-2002

(Rs million)

Industrial group	1998		1999		2000		2001		2002	
	Value	(%)	Value	(%)	Value	(%)	Value	(%)	Value	(%)
Agriculture	7,888	9.0	5,612	6.0	7,144	6.8	8,493	7.2	7,989	6.4
Industrial ¹	22,328	25.5	23,978	25.6	26,664	25.5	29,799	25.4	31,305	25.0
Services ²	57,239	65.5	64,043	68.4	70,709	67.7	79,099	67.4	86,057	68.6
TOTAL	87,455	100.0	93,633	100.0	104,517	100.0	117,391	100.0	125,351	100.0

¹ Covers Mining & Quarrying, Manufacturing and Electricity & Water

² includes Construction

Fig. 1: Share of Agriculture in the economy, 2002

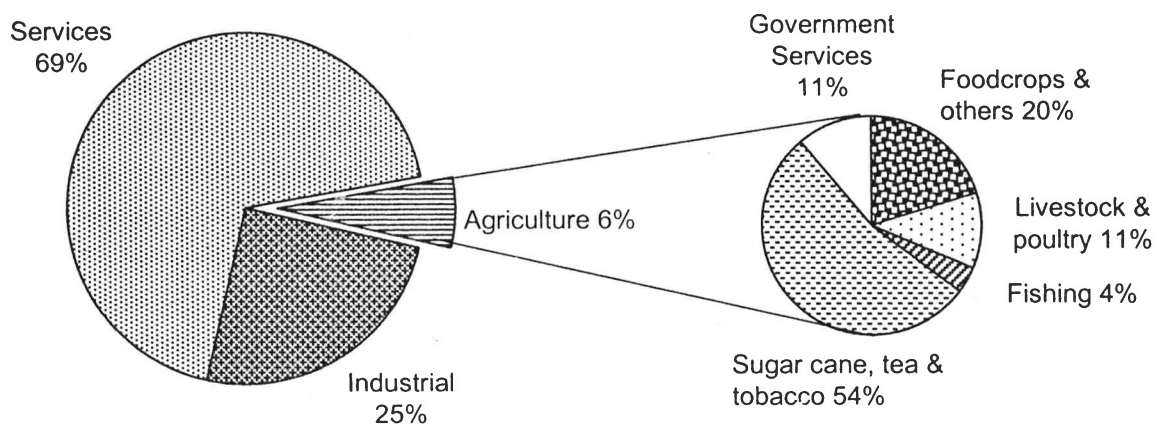


Table 1.3 - Production account of agriculture - Republic of Mauritius, 1998 - 2002

(Rs million)

	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
Gross output at basic prices	11,000.2	8,232.3	10,479.2	11,615.1	11,370.0
Intermediate consumption	3,112.5	2,620.6	3,335.2	3,121.9	3,380.9
Value added at basic prices	7,887.7	5,611.7	7,144.0	8,493.2	7,989.1
Taxes on production	-	-	-	-	-
Compensation of employees	3,957.9	4,230.0	4,470.0	4,740.0	4,980.0
Gross operating surplus	3,929.8	1,381.7	2,674.0	3,753.2	3,009.1

Table 1.4 - Value added of agriculture at basic prices by main product groups - Republic of Mauritius, 1998 - 2002

(Rs million)

Product groups	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
Industrial crops	4,940.8	2,525.7	3,823.5	4,809.6	4,303.0
<i>Sugar cane</i>	4,842.2	2,432.2	3,741.0	4,705.3	4,215.0
<i>Tea (green leaf)</i>	62.3	57.6	52.3	64.0	57.3
<i>Tobacco leaf</i>	36.3	35.9	30.2	40.3	30.7
Foodcrops	999.9	997.6	1,130.5	1,385.5	1,305.7
Fruits, flowers & forestry	230.8	232.2	272.3	281.0	269.3
Livestock and poultry products	741.1	735.9	815.6	824.6	878.6
Fishing	288.0	309.0	292.9	322.5	329.3
Government services	601.2	709.9	721.6	837.0	861.0
Other agricultural services and activities n.e.s	85.9	101.4	87.6	33.0	42.2
Total Agriculture	7,887.7	5,611.7	7,144.0	8,493.2	7,989.1

Table 1.5 - Agricultural production, growth rate (% increase over previous year) 2000 - 2002

	2000	2001	2002
Sugar cane	+64.5	+13.4	-19.3
Other Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	+9.4	+4.3	-8.4
<i>of which :</i>			
Tea and Tobacco	-9.7	+21.4	-16.6
Foodcrops, fruits and flowers	+31.8	+9.2	-13.9
Livestock, poultry and derived product	+22.3	-2.2	+1.1
Fishing	-25.8	+10.1	+0.8
Annual growth rate of Agriculture (%)	+33.3	+9.1	-14.4

Table 1.6 - Agricultural crops: Area harvested and production, 2001 - 2002

Crops	2001 ¹		2002 ²	
	Area harvested (hectares)	Production (tonnes)	Area harvested (hectares)	Production (tonnes)
Sugarcane	73,197	5,792,325	72,267	4,873,897
Tea (green leaves)	660 ³	7,440	680 ³	6,870
Tobacco ⁴	383	556	340	474
Foodcrops	7,918	129,119	7,262	103,876

¹ Revised² Provisional³ Area under cultivation⁴ Crop year**Table 1.7 - Production of agro-industrial products, 2001-2002**

Agro-Industrial Products	Unit	2001 ¹	2002 ²
Sugar	Tonnes	645,598	520,887
Tea (manufactured)	"	1,517	1,381
Beef ³	"	2,248	2,454
Local including imports from Rodrigues	"	(375)	(208)
Imported	"	(1,873)	(2,246)
Goat meat and mutton ³	"	114	141
Pork ³	"	882	756
Poultry	"	27,200	29,305
Milk	000 Litres	4,000	4,000
Fish ⁴	Tonnes	8,794	9,136
Coastal	"	(2,025)	(2,252)
Other	"	(6,769)	(6,884)

¹ Revised² Provisional³ Comprises abattoir slaughters only⁴ Fresh weight equivalent

Fig. 2 - Total domestic exports, 1993 - 2002
(f.o.b. value)

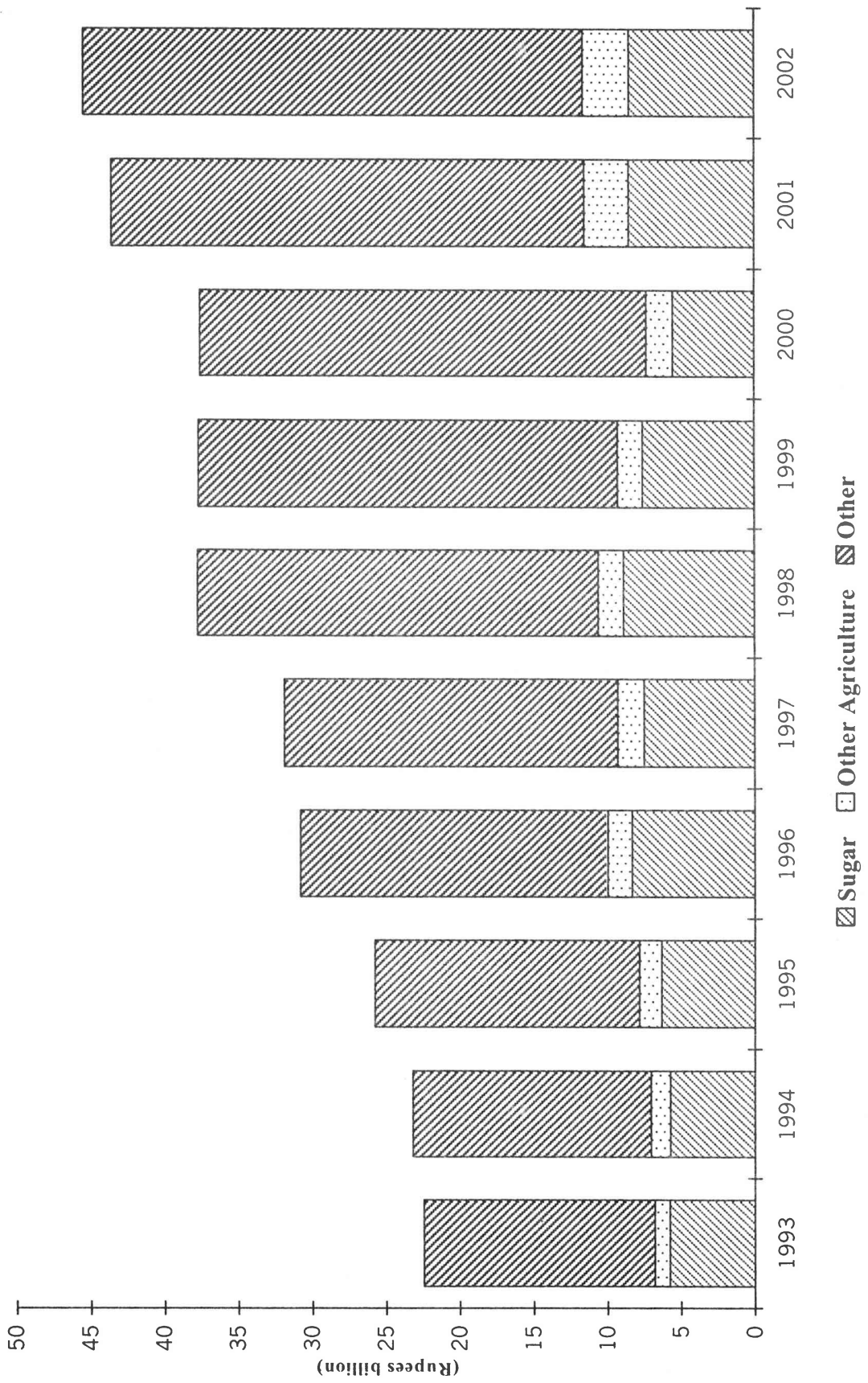


Table 1.8 - Exports of Sugar, agricultural and other products, 1998 - 2002

ITEM	(f.o.b. value in Rs million)					
	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	
Sugar	8,907.0	7,602.4	5,544.5	8,557.2	8,528.5	
Molasses	70.2	26.4	45.9	133.8	67.3	
Tea	10.4	8.0	5.0	6.0	1.5	
Fish and fish preparations	972.2	968.7	953.3	1,818.2	2,049.6	
Vegetables and fruits	44.9	42.9	30.9	55.3	44.4	
Cut flowers and foliage	136.0	124.0	132.8	138.7	119.2	
Other agricultural and food products	476.8	533.8	637.2	847.2	849.3	
Total agricultural products	10,617.5	9,306.2	7,349.6	11,556.4	11,659.8	
Total domestic exports	37,761.8	37,705.0	37,609.0	43,627.6	43,513.8	
Exports of agricultural products as % of total domestic exports	28.1	24.7	19.5	26.5	26.8	

Table 1.9 - Employment in agricultural, industrial and services sector (large establishments)¹, Republic of Mauritius, 1998 - 2002 (as at March)

Year	TOTAL	Agriculture	%	Industrial	%	Services	%
1998	292,772	30,393	10.4	123,563	42.2	138,816	47.4
1999	297,670	34,294	11.5	132,490	44.5	130,886	44.0
2000	297,025	32,663	11.0	131,714	44.3	132,648	44.7
2001	301,217	31,253	10.4	133,394	44.3	136,570	45.3
2002	294,603	25,258	8.6	127,255	43.2	142,090	48.2

¹ establishments with 10 employees or more

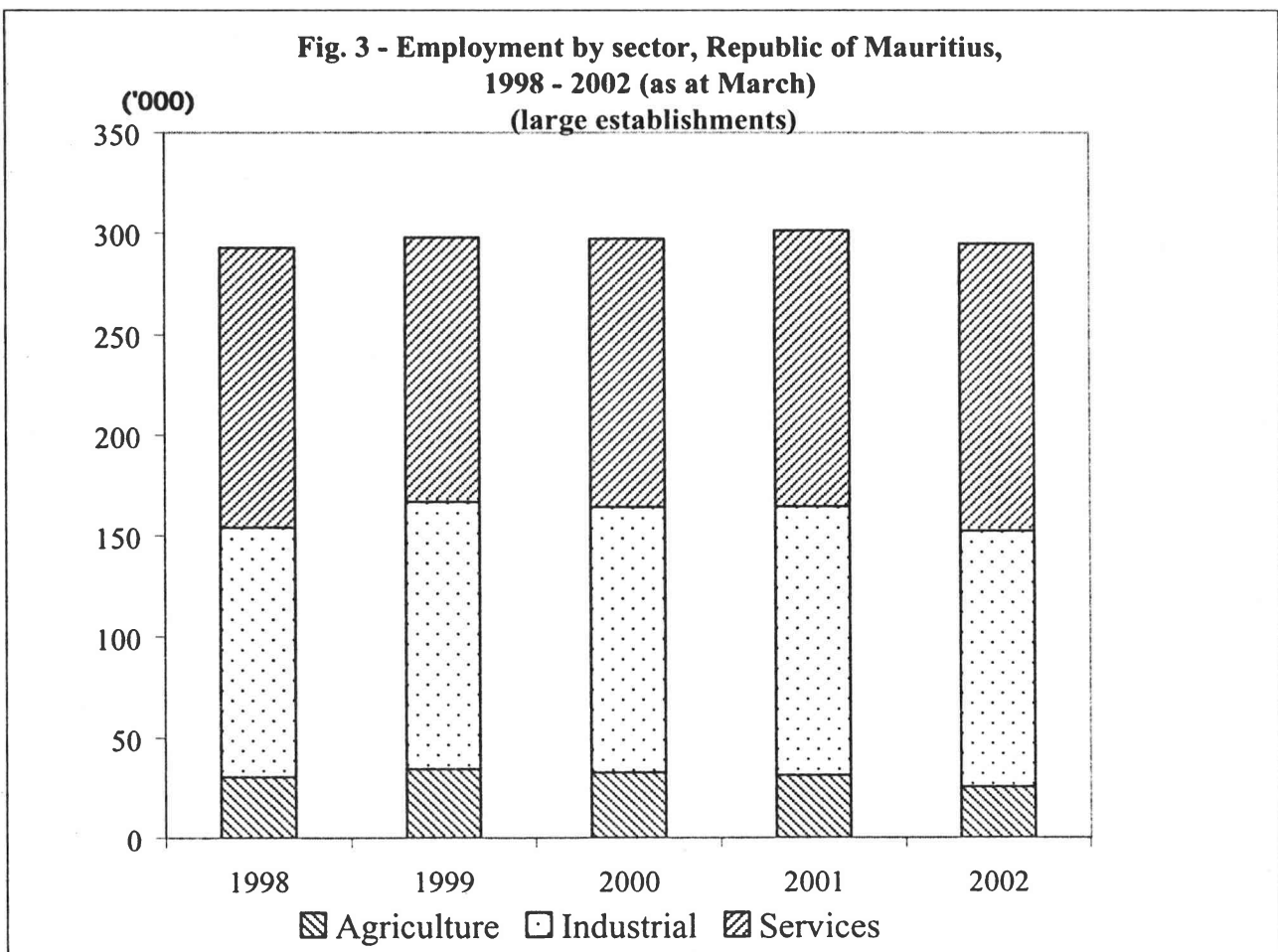


Table 1.10 - Employment in the agricultural sector (large establishments) , Republic of Mauritius, 1998-2002 (as at March)

Sector	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
Sugar Cane ¹	27,516	25,930	24,786	23,534	17,615
- Estates	(24,068)	(23,340)	(22,120)	(21,053)	(15,394)
- Planters	(3,448)	(2,590)	(2,666)	(2,481)	(2,221)
Tea ²	269	253	240	310	269
Tobacco ³	274	300	263	288	204
Fishing ⁴	348	756 ⁵	816 ⁵	728 ⁵	750 ⁵
Flowers ⁴	474	464	486	491	465
Other agricultural activities ⁴	1,512	6,561 ⁵	6,072 ⁵	5,902 ⁵	5955 ⁵
Total	30,393	34,264	32,663	31,253	25,258

¹ Sugar cane planters cultivating 10 hectares or more

² Tea planters cultivating 2 hectares or more

³ All Tobacco planters cultivating flue - cured tobacco only

⁴ Establishments with 10 employees or more

⁵ As from year 1999 fishing and agricultural services include employment in govt. sector

Table 1.11 - Employment in the agricultural sector (large and small establishments), Republic of Mauritius, 2001-2002 (as at June)

Sector	Large establishments			Small establishments			Total employment		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
June 2001									
Sugar cane	17,083	6,684	23,767	3,700	600	4,300	20,783	7,284	28,067
Tea	130	171	301	370	380	750	500	551	1,051
Fishing	650	78	728	3,440	560	4,000	4,090	638	4,728
Other agricultural activities	5,689	949	6,638	9,350	4,400	13,750	15,039	5,349	20,388
TOTAL	23,552	7,882	31,434	16,860	5,940	22,800	40,412	13,822	54,234
June 2002									
Sugar cane	13,377	3,981	17,358	3,650	600	4,250	17,027	4,581	21,608
Tea	109	153	262	370	380	750	479	533	1,012
Fishing	694	56	750	3,430	570	4,000	4,124	626	4,750
Other agricultural activities	5,440	756	6,196	9,150	4,250	13,400	14,590	5,006	19,596
TOTAL	19,620	4,946	24,566	16,600	5,800	22,400	36,220	10,746	46,966



SUGAR INDUSTRY

Table 2.1 - Production account of the sugar industry, 2000

Industrial activity	(Rs million)					
	Gross output at basic prices	Intermediate consumption	Value added at basic prices	Taxes on production	Compensation of employees	Gross Operating surplus
Agriculture - Sugar cane	5,208	1,467	3,741	-	2,765	976
Manufacturing - Sugar	7,686 ¹	6,846 ¹	840	-	535	305
Electricity - production of electricity ² (Bagasse cum coal)	914	463	451	-	31	420
Transport ³	661	195	466	-	293	173
Distribution	38	7	31	-	16	15
TOTAL	14,507	8,978	5,529	-	3,640	1,889

¹ Includes gross output of sugar cane cultivation² Energy produced by firm Independent Power Producers (IPP) and sugar factories³ Transport costs of sugar estates with factories only

Table 2.2 - Production account of the sugar industry, 2001

Industrial activity	(Rs million)					
	Gross output at basic prices	Intermediate consumption	Value added at basic prices	Taxes on production	Compensation of employees	Gross Operating surplus
Agriculture - Sugar cane	6,212	1,567	4,645	-	2,815	1,830
Manufacturing - Sugar	9,124 ¹	7,653 ¹	1,471	-	542	929
Electricity - production of electricity ² (Bagasse cum coal)	1,152	584	568	-	41	527
Transport ³	668	206	462	-	250	212
Distribution	45	9	36	-	19	17
TOTAL	17,201	10,019	7,182	-	3,667	3,515

¹ Includes gross output of sugar cane cultivation

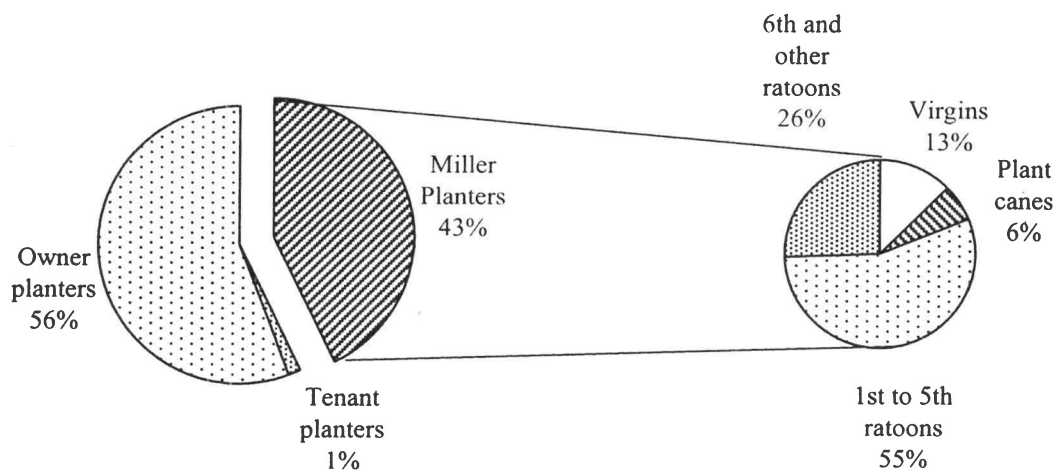
² Energy produced by firm Independent Power Producers (IPP) and sugar factories

³ Transport costs of sugar estates with factories only

Table 2.3 - Area under sugar cane cultivation, 2001- 2002 (as at 30th June)

	(Hectares)	
	2001	2002
(i) Miller - Planters	38,682	32,336
- Plant canes	2,386	2,077
- Virgins	4,769	4,064
- Ratoons		
1st to 5th ratoon	20,978	17,935
6th and other ratoons	10,549	8,261
(ii) Owner - Planters	36,687	42,086
(iii) Tenant - Planters	1,109	1,079
Total	76,478	75,501

Fig. 4 - Area under sugar cane cultivation
(as at 30th June 2002)



**Fig. 5 - Area harvested and production, 1983 - 2002
(sugar cane)**

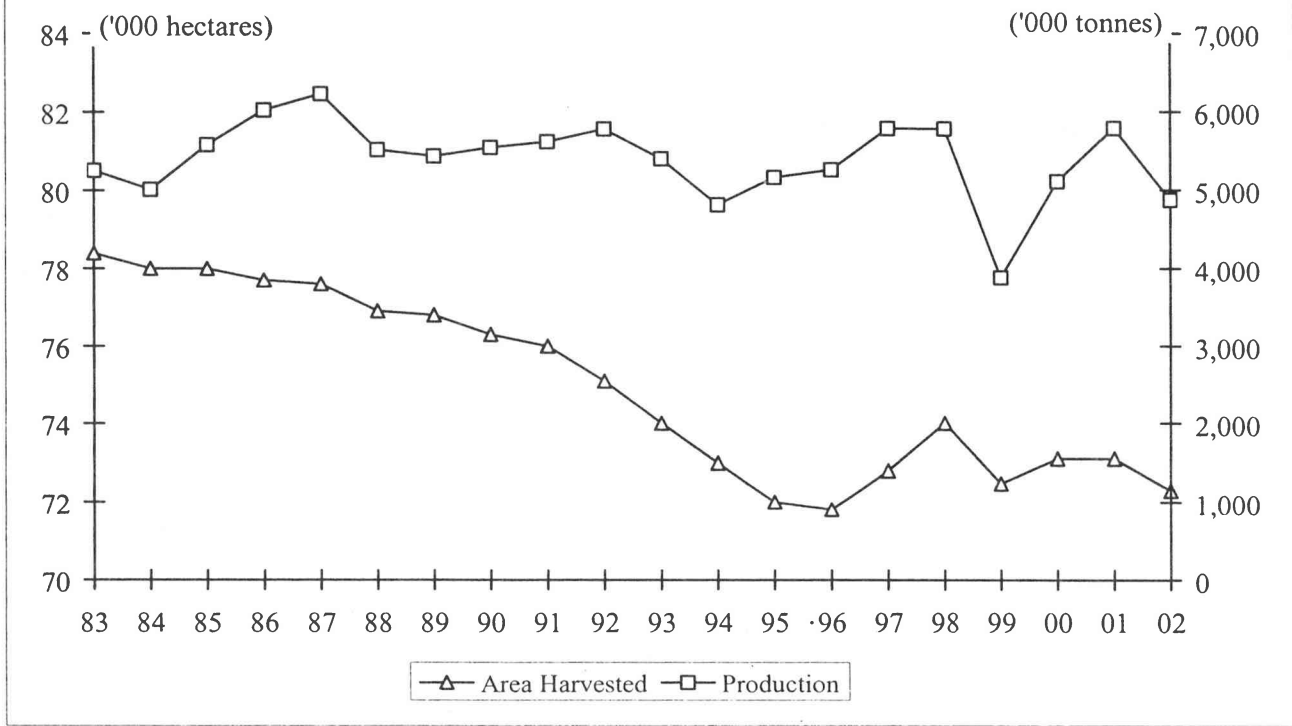


Fig. 6 - Average yield of sugar cane, 1998 - 2002

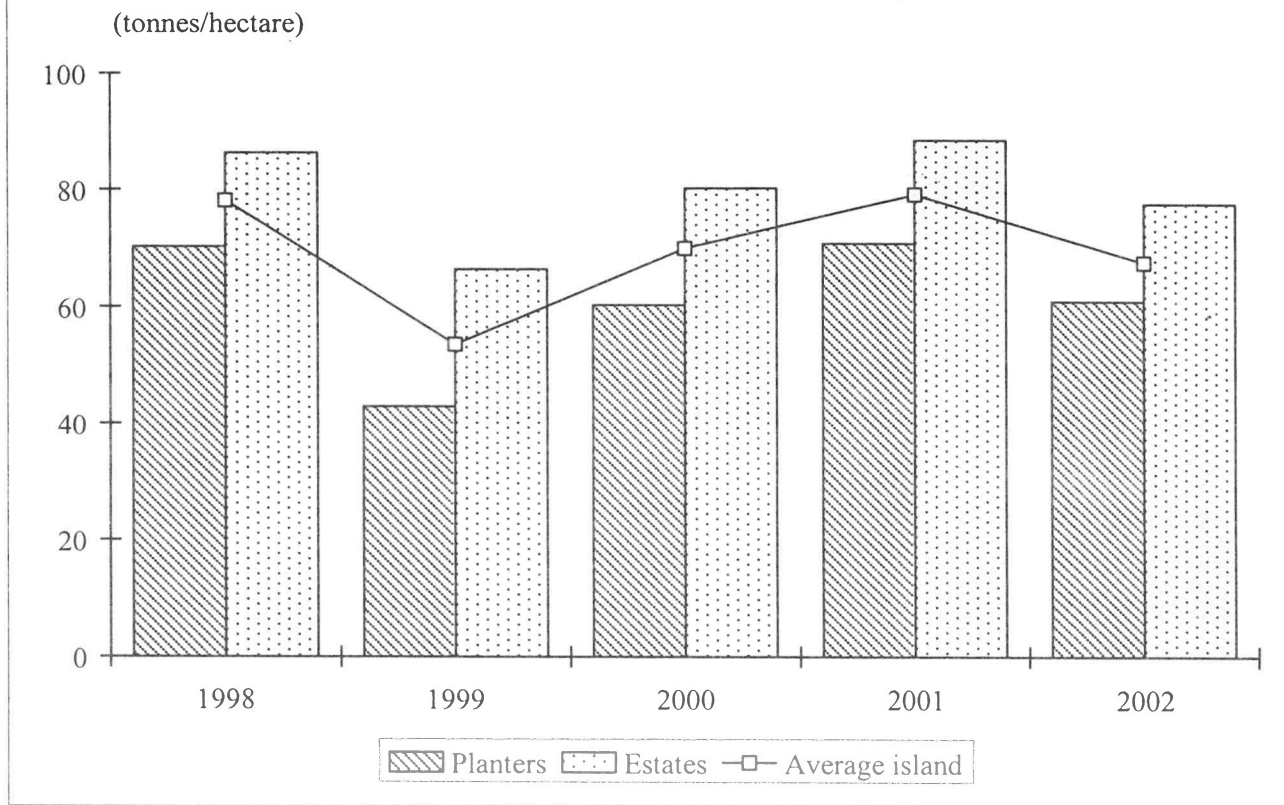


Table 2.4 - Area harvested, cane production, cane yield for estates, metayers and owner planters, 1993 - 2002

Year	Area harvested (hectares)				Cane production ('000 tonnes)				Cane yield (tonnes/hectare)			
	Estates	Metayer	Owner planters	Total	Estates	Metayer	Owner planters	Total	Estates	Metayer	Owner planters	Total
1993	39,762	1,558	32,711	74,031	3,270	75	2,057	5,402	82.2	48.1	62.9	73.0
1994	38,356	1,452	33,209	73,017	2,866	54	1,893	4,813	74.7	37.2	57.0	65.9
1995	36,362	1,231	34,416	72,010	2,900	53	2,206	5,159	79.8	43.1	64.1	71.6
1996	36,375	1,479	33,946	71,800	2,988	70	2,202	5,260	82.1	47.3	64.9	73.3
1997	38,783	1,470	32,505	72,758	3,354	74	2,359	5,787	86.5	50.7	72.6	79.5
1998	37,330	1,096	35,587	74,013	3,221	61	2,499	5,781	86.3	56.0	70.2	78.1
1999	33,227	1,089	38,161	72,476	2,203	43	1,636	3,882	66.3	39.6	42.9	53.6
2000	35,885	1,092	36,080	73,056	2,878	55	2,176	5,109	80.2	50.8	60.3	69.9
2001	35,495	1,101	36,601	73,197	3,139	64	2,589	5,792	88.4	58.0	70.7	79.1
2002	29,619	1,073	41,575	72,267	2,293	50	2,531	4,874	77.4	46.9	60.9	67.4

Table 2.5 - Area harvested, cane production, cane yield of estates, metayer and owner-planters by region, 2001-2002

	Area harvested (hectares)				Cane production (tonnes)				Cane yield (tonnes/hectare)			
	Estates	Metayer	Owner planters	Total	Estates	Metayer	Owner planters	Total	Estates	Metayer	Owner Planters	Total
2001												
North	3,095	-	13,406	16,501	245,225	-	904,901	1,150,126	79.2	-	67.5	69.7
South	15,286	677	8,028	23,990	1,367,095	33,894	563,053	1,964,042	89.4	50.1	70.1	81.9
East	8,721	424	9,525	18,670	787,665	29,912	713,112	1,530,689	90.3	70.6	74.9	82.0
West	4,132	-	1,728	5,860	380,402	-	132,645	513,047	92.1	-	76.7	87.6
Centre	4,262	-	3,913	8,175	359,045	-	275,376	634,421	84.3	-	70.4	77.6
Total	35,495	1,101	36,601	73,197	3,139,431	63,806	2,589,088	5,792,325	88.5	58.0	70.7	79.1
2002												
North	3,270	-	13,043	16,313	207,407	-	740,209	947,616	63.4	-	56.8	58.1
South	10,841	653	11,867	23,361	898,530	26,328	751,480	1,676,338	82.9	40.3	63.3	71.8
East	8,726	420	9,544	18,690	664,577	24,024	596,687	1,285,288	76.2	57.2	62.5	68.8
West	4,092	-	1,709	5,801	330,092	-	119,777	449,870	80.7	-	70.1	20.6
Centre	2,690	-	5,412	8,102	191,960	-	322,825	514,785	71.4	-	59.6	63.5
Total	29,619	1,073	41,575	72,267	2,292,567	50,352	2,530,977	4,873,897	77.4	46.9	60.9	67.4

Table 2.6 - Sugar crop 2001 (area harvested, cane produced, yield and sugar production by factory area)

Factory area	Area harvested (hectares)	Sugar cane production (tonnes)	Yield (tonnes/hectare)	Sugar production (tonnes)
North	16,501	1,150,126	69.7	128,402
Belle Vue	10,781	764,360	70.9	85,065
Mon Loisir	5,720	385,766	67.4	43,337
South	23,990	1,964,042	81.9	215,838
Britannia	2,693	218,449	81.1	25,271
Mon Tresor/Mon Desert	3,237	282,885	87.4	32,264
Riche en Eau	3,782	343,491	90.8	37,332
Rose Belle	3,294	224,605	68.2	23,645
St. Felix	3,161	224,436	71.0	24,354
Savannah	3,313	299,680	90.5	33,000
Union St. Aubin	4,511	370,496	82.1	39,971
East	18,670	1,530,690	82.0	173,700
Beau Champ	9,113	764,234	83.9	86,003
Fuel	9,556	766,456	80.2	87,697
West	5,860	513,047	87.6	58,252
Medine	5,860	513,047	87.6	58,252
Centre	8,175	634,421	77.6	69,405
Highlands	3,219	246,276	76.5	27,165
Mon Desert Alma	4,956	388,145	78.3	42,240
Total Island	73,197	5,792,325	79.1	645,597

Table 2.7 - Sugar crop 2002 (area harvested, cane produced, yield and sugar production by factory area)

Factory area	Area harvested (hectares)	Sugar cane production (tonnes)	Yield (tonnes/hectare)	Sugar production (tonnes)
North	16,313	947,616	58.1	101,796
Belle Vue	10,316	621,524	60.2	68,271
Mon Loisir	5,997	326,090	54.4	33,525
South	23,361	1,676,338	71.8	176,795
Britannia	2,666	191,695	71.9	16,118
Mon Tresor/Mon Desert	4,018	287,564	71.6	31,208
Riche en Eau	4,314	330,114	76.5	34,499
St. Felix	3,028	176,013	58.1	18,091
Savannah	4,968	375,436	75.6	39,088
Union St. Aubin	4,366	315,516	72.3	37,791
East	18,690	1,285,288	68.8	139,421
Beau Champ	9,166	637,087	69.5	68,171
Fuel	9,523	648,201	68.1	71,250
West	5,801	449,870	77.6	49,415
Medine	5,801	449,870	77.6	49,415
Centre	8,102	514,785	63.5	53,461
Mon Desert Alma	8,102	514,785	63.5	53,461
Total Island	72,267	4,873,897	67.4	520,887

Table 2.8 - Distribution of owner and tenant planters by size of plantation, 2001 - 2002

Size (Hectares)	2001						2002					
	Owner planters		Tenant planters		Total		Owner planters		Tenant planters		Total	
	Number	Hectares harvested	Number	Hectares harvested	Number	Hectares harvested	Number	Hectares harvested	Number	Hectares harvested	Number	Hectares harvested
Up to 0.250	8,823	1,298	34	8	8,857	1,306	8,934	1,286	53	9	8,987	1,295
0.251 - 0.500	6,393	2,383	96	38	6,489	2,421	6,365	2,388	91	35	6,456	2,423
0.501 - 1.000	6,810	5,079	215	157	7,025	5,236	6,667	4,981	210	151	6,877	5,132
1.001 - 2.000	3,464	4,908	211	295	3,675	5,203	3,479	4,907	202	286	3,681	5,193
2.001 - 5.000	1,700	5,508	143	417	1,843	5,925	1,765	5,188	140	401	1,905	5,589
5.001 - 10.000	329	2,257	17	107	346	2,364	327	2,238	18	109	345	2,347
10.001 - 25.000	115	1,569	6	79	121	1,648	107	1,440	6	82	113	1,522
25.001 - 50.000	25	786	-	-	25	786	19	571	-	-	19	571
50.001 - 100.000	16	1,228	-	-	16	1,228	18	1,351	-	-	18	1,351
100.001 - 200.000	10	1,465	-	-	10	1,465	12	1,607	-	-	12	1,607
200.001 and over	16	10,120	-	-	16	10,120	20	15,618	-	-	20	15,618
Total	27,701	36,601	722	1,101	28,423	37,702	27,713	41,575	720	1,073	28,433	42,648

Fig.7 - Average extraction rate of sugar, 1993 - 2002

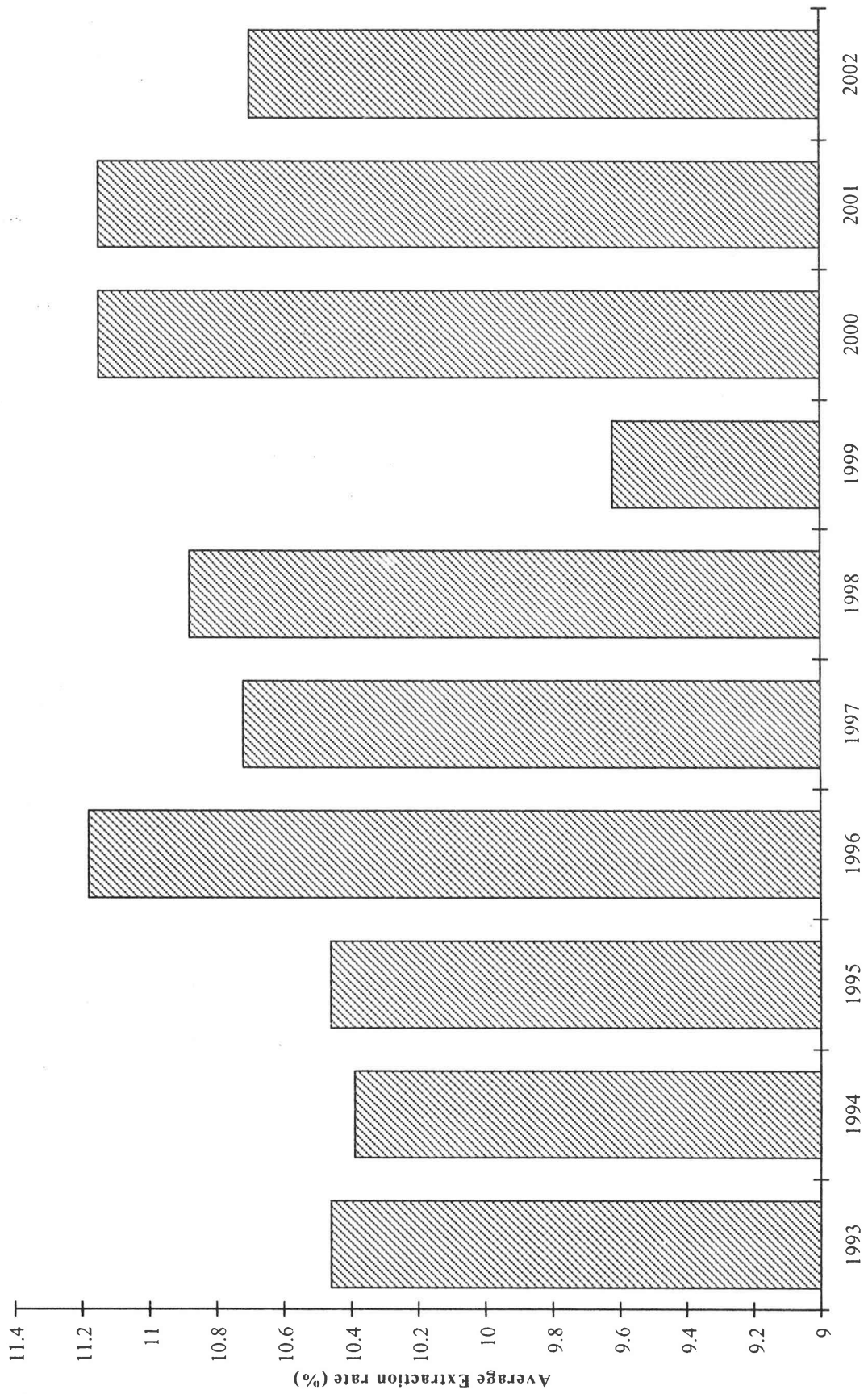


Table 2.9 - Production of sugar, molasses and scum, 1993 - 2002

Year	SUGAR										Molasses (tonnes)	Scum (tonnes)
	Production (tonnes)			Average extraction rate (%)	Average tonnes of cane per tonne of sugar	Average yield of sugar (tonnes per hectare)	Average polarisation (degrees)	Average yield of sugar (tonnes per hectare)	Average tonnes of cane per tonne of sugar	Average extraction rate (%)		
	White	Raw	Total									
1993	63,078	501,948	565,026	10.46	9.56	7.63	98.5	7.63	9.56	10.46	164,801	261,252
1994	39,691	460,518	500,209	10.39	9.62	6.85	98.5	6.85	9.62	10.39	144,510	244,640
1995	6,510	533,011	539,521	10.46	9.56	7.49	98.5	7.49	9.56	10.46	150,400	246,926
1996	7,359	581,096	588,455	11.18	8.94	8.20	98.5	8.20	8.94	11.18	151,527	245,952
1997	5,296	615,293	620,589	10.73	9.33	8.53	98.5	8.53	9.33	10.73	165,802	266,558
1998	4,346	624,242	628,588	10.88	9.26	8.43	98.5	8.43	9.26	10.88	168,518	277,028
1999	2,386	370,908	373,294	9.62	10.36	5.16	98.5	5.16	10.36	9.62	124,712	212,578
2000	3,061	566,228	569,289	11.15	8.98	7.79	98.5	7.79	8.98	11.15	144,027	254,568
2001	22,676	622,922	645,597	11.15	8.97	8.82	98.5	8.82	8.97	11.15	174,095	286,284
2002	7,091	513,796	520,887	10.70	9.35	7.21	98.5	7.21	9.35	10.70	140,814	277,367

Table 2.10 - Supply and disposal of sugar, 1993 - 2002

('000 tonnes tel. que)

Calendar year	Opening stock	Production	Imports	Available supplies	Exports	Domestic consumption	Loss or surplus in storage	Closing stock
1993	247.8	565.0	-	812.8	540.0	37.1	-1.3	234.4
1994	234.4	500.2	-	734.6	518.8	36.9	-1.2	177.7
1995	177.7	539.5	20.0	737.2	523.9	37.2	-0.6	175.5
1996	175.5	588.5	31.0	795.0	612.5	38.1	-1.3	143.1
1997	143.1	620.6	38.0	801.7	575.3	39.7	-1.0	185.7
1998	185.7	628.6	38.2	852.4	602.1	40.2	-0.4	209.6
1999	209.6	373.3	35.8	618.7	534.3	40.0	-1.1	43.3
2000	43.3	569.3	38.5	651.1	424.3	39.2	-0.3	187.3
2001	187.3	645.6	20.1	853.0	599.4	41.2	-0.3	212.1
2002	212.1	520.9	23.2	756.1	570.8	40.1	-0.4	144.9

Table 2.11 - Monthly supply and disposal of sugar, 2002

('000 tonnes tel quel)

Month	Opening stock	Production	Imports	Available supplies	Exports	Domestic consumption	Loss or surplus in storage	Closing stock
January	212.1	-	-	212.1	32.2	2.3	-	177.5
February	177.5	-	-	177.5	57.6	3.4	-	116.4
March	116.4	-	4.1	120.5	35.3	3.2	-	82.0
April	82.0	-	4.1	86.1	7.8	3.6	-	74.7
May	74.7	-	2.0	76.7	32.5	3.5	-	40.8
June	40.8	9.5	4.8	55.1	26.0	2.8	-0.4	25.9
July	25.9	95.0	-	120.9	79.7	3.0	-	38.2
August	38.2	110.0	-	148.1	73.2	3.1	-	71.9
September	71.9	110.6	2.0	184.6	76.7	3.5	-	104.3
October	104.3	121.2	2.0	227.6	86.0	3.9	-	137.7
November	137.7	69.6	4.1	211.4	5.5	3.7	-	202.2
December	202.2	5.0	-	207.2	58.2	4.1	-	144.9
Total year	212.1	520.9	23.2	756.1	570.8	40.1	-0.4	144.9

Fig.8 - Value of sugar production, 1993 - 2002

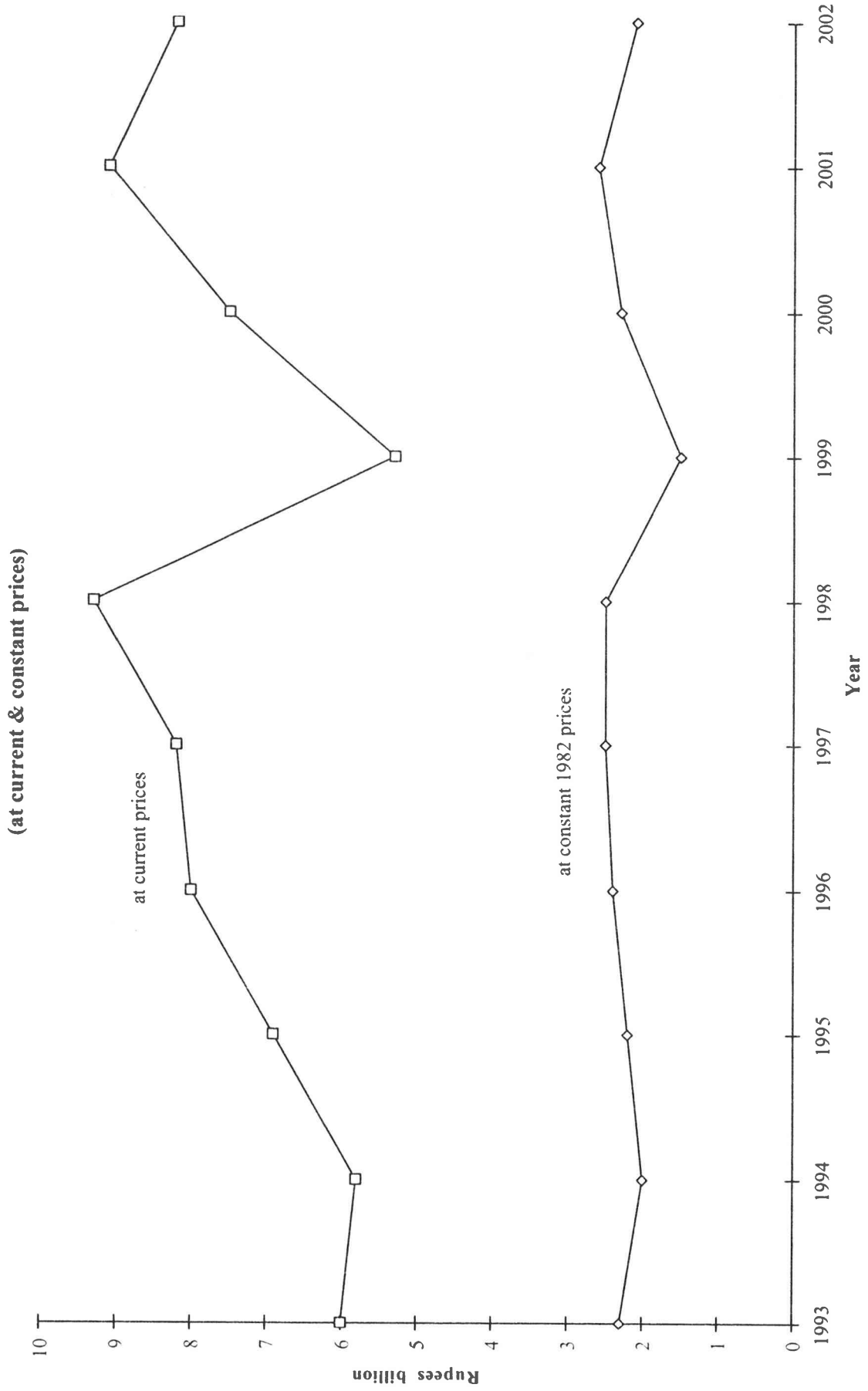


Table 2.12 - Sugar sales and revenue, crop year, 1992/93 - 2002/03

Crop year	Production		Exports		Local sales	
	Quantity (‘000 tonnes)	Value (Rs million)	Quantity (‘000 tonnes)	Value (Rs million)	Quantity (‘000 tonnes)	Value (Rs million)
1992/93	643.2	6,066.8	599.8	5,900.0	43.4	166.7
1993/94	565.0	5,990.8	526.2	5,841.1	39.1	149.7
1994/95	500.2	5,794.7	470.3	5,674.7	29.9	120.0
1995/96	539.5	6,953.2	535.5	6,937.2	2.7	16.0
1996/97	588.5	8,023.3	584.9	8,010.2	2.6	13.1
1997/98	620.1	8,248.9	616.5	8,229.0	3.6	19.9
1998/99	628.5	9,229.6	624.9	9,211.2	3.6	18.4
1999/00	373.3	5,336.8	373.3	5,336.8	-	-
2000/01	569.3	7,504.4	568.3	7,500.7	0.7	3.7
2001/02	645.6	9,201.0	620.0	9,057.0	25.6	144.0
2002/03	520.9	8,270.0	510.6	8,215.0	10.3	55.0

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

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

(3) Local sales for crop years 1995/96, 1996/97, 1997/98 do not include imports of white sugar destined for the local market.

Source: Mauritius Sugar Syndicate

Fig.9 - Average export price of sugar, 1995- 2002
(by main markets)

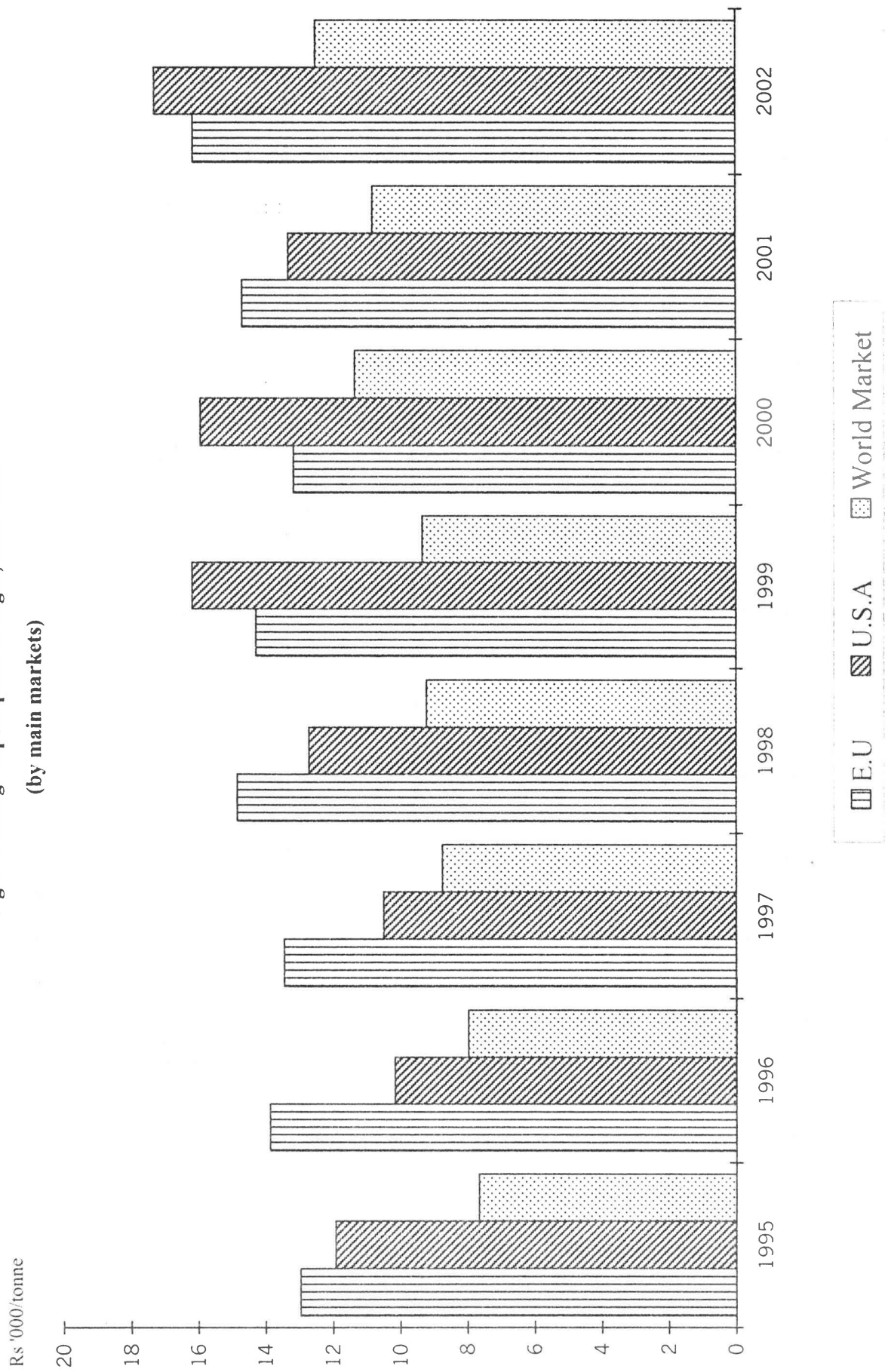


Table 2.13 - Sugar exports¹ by main markets, crop year: 1999/00 - 2002/03

Markets	1999/2000			2000/2001			2001/2002			2002/2003 ²		
	Quantity 000 tonnes	Value (Rs million)	Average price (Rs/tonne)	Quantity 000 tonnes	Value (Rs million)	Average price (Rs/tonne)	Quantity 000 tonnes	Value (Rs million)	Average price (Rs/tonne)	Quantity 000 tonnes	Value (Rs million)	Average price (Rs/tonne)
European Union	365.0	5,208.0	14,285	559.0	7,360.0	13,160	594.0	8,726.0	14,684	499.0	8,063.0	16,160
Sugar Protocol	365.0	5,208.0	14,285	545.0	7,220.0	13,251	525.0	7,805.0	14,877	498.0	8,050.0	16,160
Special Preferential Sugar	-	-	-	14.0	140.0	13,251	69.0	921.0	13,214	1.0	13.0	13,000
U.S.A	6.0	97.0	16,185	5.0	73.0	15,937	20.0	260.0	13,315	3.0	52.0	17,300
World market	3.0	32.0	9,339	6.0	68.0	11,345	6.0	71.0	10,816	8.0	100.0	12,500
Total	374.0	5,337.0	14,270	570.0	7,501.0	13,163	620.0	9,057.0	14,600	510.0	8,215.0	16,100

¹ Quantity tel quel and average price of sugar at 98.5° polarisation² Projected

Source: Mauritius Sugar Syndicate

Table 2.14 - Earnings¹ of sugar producers - Ex-syndicate, before charging sugar insurance premium, 1998 - 2002

(Rupees/tonne of sugar basis 98.5° polarisation)

	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
Price paid to all producers	13,230	12,374	11,570	12,835	14,255
Index (Base 1997 = 100)	111.1	103.9	97.2	107.8	119.6
Annual growth rate of earnings of sugar production (%)	+11.1	+6.5	+6.5	+25.9	+11.0

¹ Excludes the element of bagasse

Source: Mauritius Sugar Syndicate

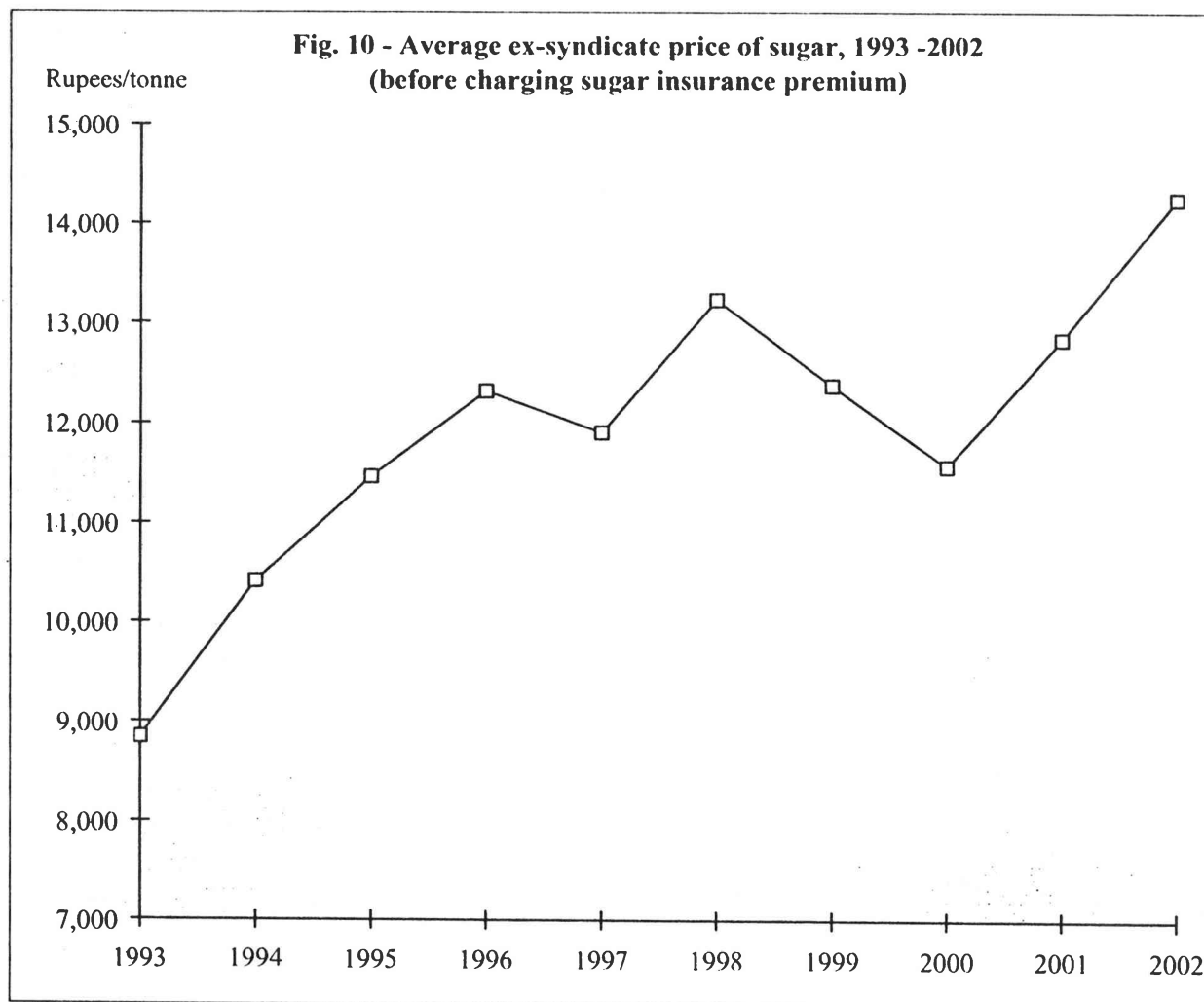


Fig. 11 - London Daily Price of sugar, f.o.b. value £ sterling/tonne, July 2000 - December 2002
 (Monthly average)

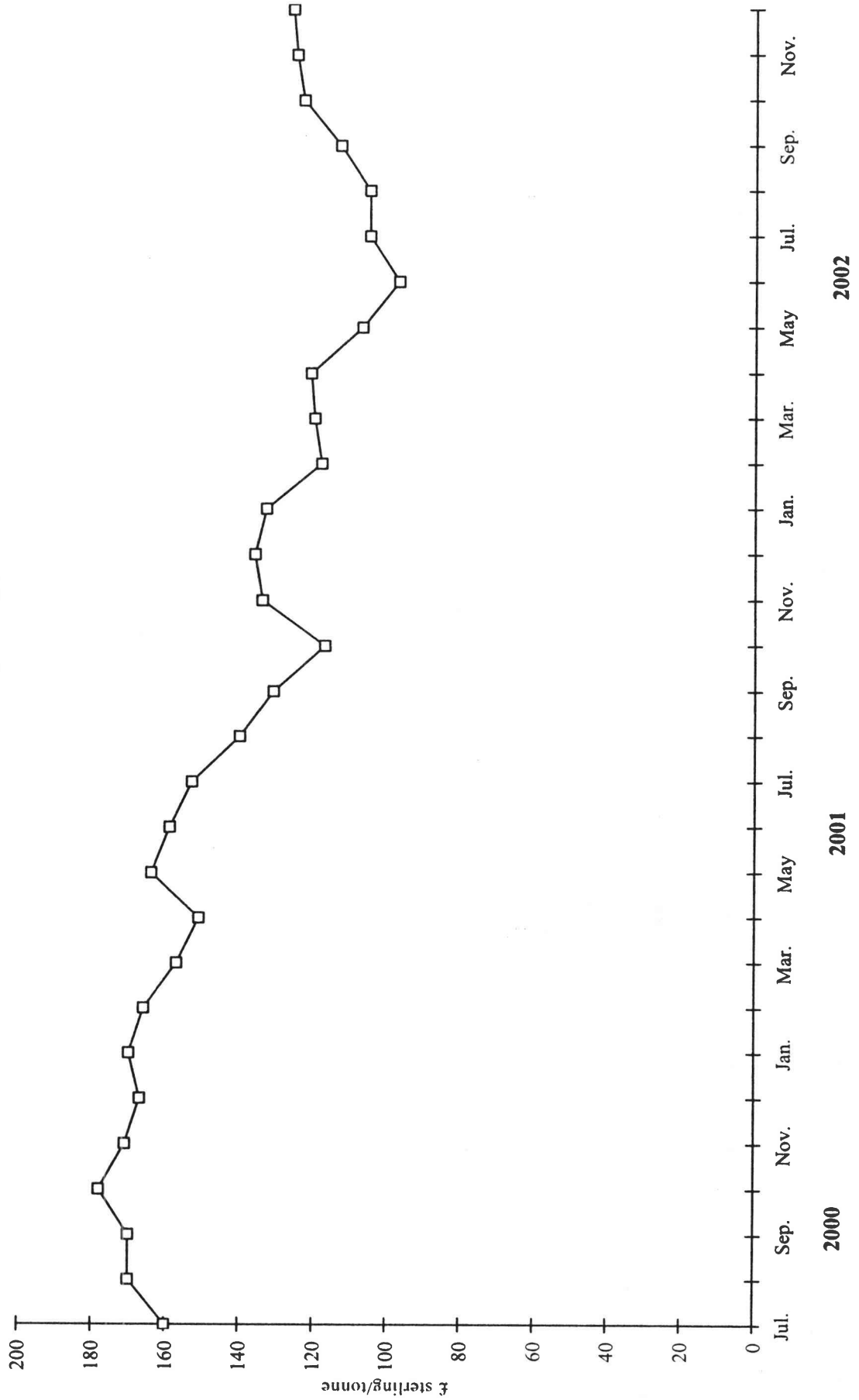


Table 2.15 - Monthly average price of sugar at f.o.b. value (London daily price), 1993 - 2002

(£ Sterling/tonne)

Year	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Average price	Index 1992 = 100
1993	119	132	163	163	169	152	142	138	138	151	150	155	148	130
1994	153	161	182	164	174	174	167	172	179	178	193	209	176	155
1995	208	201	204	191	188	195	188	193	177	167	167	173	188	164
1996	207	197	208	196	187	195	203	199	190	172	158	158	189	166
1997	158	162	170	169	166	169	164	177	172	170	172	177	169	148
1998	171	158	144	141	139	121	129	128	106	108	119	119	132	115
1999	120	104	95	88	93	97	90	93	104	104	104	98	99	86
2000	90	87	86	98	116	137	160	170	170	178	171	167	136	118
2001	170	166	157	151	164	159	153	140	135	117	134	136	148	128
2002	133	118	120	121	107	97	105	105	113	123	125	126	116	100

Source : Mauritius Sugar Syndicate

Table 2.16- Employment by sugar estates and large sugar cane planters¹ and by sex, 1999 - 2002 (as at March ²)

SEX	1999			2000			2001			2002		
	Estate	Planters	Total	Estate	Planters	Total	Estate	Planters	Total	Estate	Planters	Total
Male	17,163	1,564	18,727	16,207	1,590	17,797	15,457	1,459	16,916	12,135	1,318	13,453
Female	6,177	1,157	7,334	5,913	1,076	6,989	5,596	1,022	6,618	3,259	903	4,162
Total	23,340	2,721	26,061	22,120	2,666	24,786	21,053	2,481	23,534	15,394	2,221	17,615

¹ cultivating 10 hectares or more² Last Thursday of the month



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Table 3.1 - Area under tea cultivation, 1998 - 2002

(Hectares)

	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
Plantation cultivated by factories	191	203	190	191	192
Plantation cultivated by private planters	498	468	480	469	488
Total area cultivated	689	671	670	660	680

Table 3.2 - Distribution of individual tea plantations by size, 2002

Size (hectares)	No. of individual plantations	Aggregate area cultivated (hectares)
Less than 1	1,315	444
1 but less than 2	22	30
2 but less than 3	4	10
3 but less than 4	3	11
4 but less than 5	-	-
5 but less than 10	5	31
10 but less than 25	2	38
25 but less than 100	-	-
100 and above	1	116
Total	1,352	680

Table 3.3 - Production of green leaf of tea by type of producer, 1998 - 2002

(Tonnes)

Year	Factory estates	Metayers	Free planters	Planters in co-operative societies	Other	Total
1998	917	2,240	2,769	1,450	17	7,393
1999	793	2,357	2,672	1,312	-	7,134
2000	1,015	2,143	2,171	1,111	-	6,440
2001	1,108	2,416	2,792	1,124	-	7,440
2002	830	2,182	2,669	1,189	-	6,870

Source: Tea Board

Table 3.4 - Production of black tea by factories, 1998 - 2002

(Tonnes)

Factory	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
Dubreuil	216	-	-	-	-
Bois Cheri	723	835	698	773	622
La Chartreuse	-	-	67	109	178
La Flora	69	113	79	62	49
Corson	480	525	463	573	532
Total	1,488	1,473	1,312	1,517	1,381

Source: Tea Board

Table 3.5 - Exports of black tea (at current and constant 1982 prices), 1998 - 2002

	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
Quantity (tonnes)	212	45	35	31	5
Exports (f.o.b. value in Rs million)					
At current prices	10.4	8.0	5.0	5.0	1.0
At constant 1982 prices	3.2	0.7	0.5	0.4	0.1

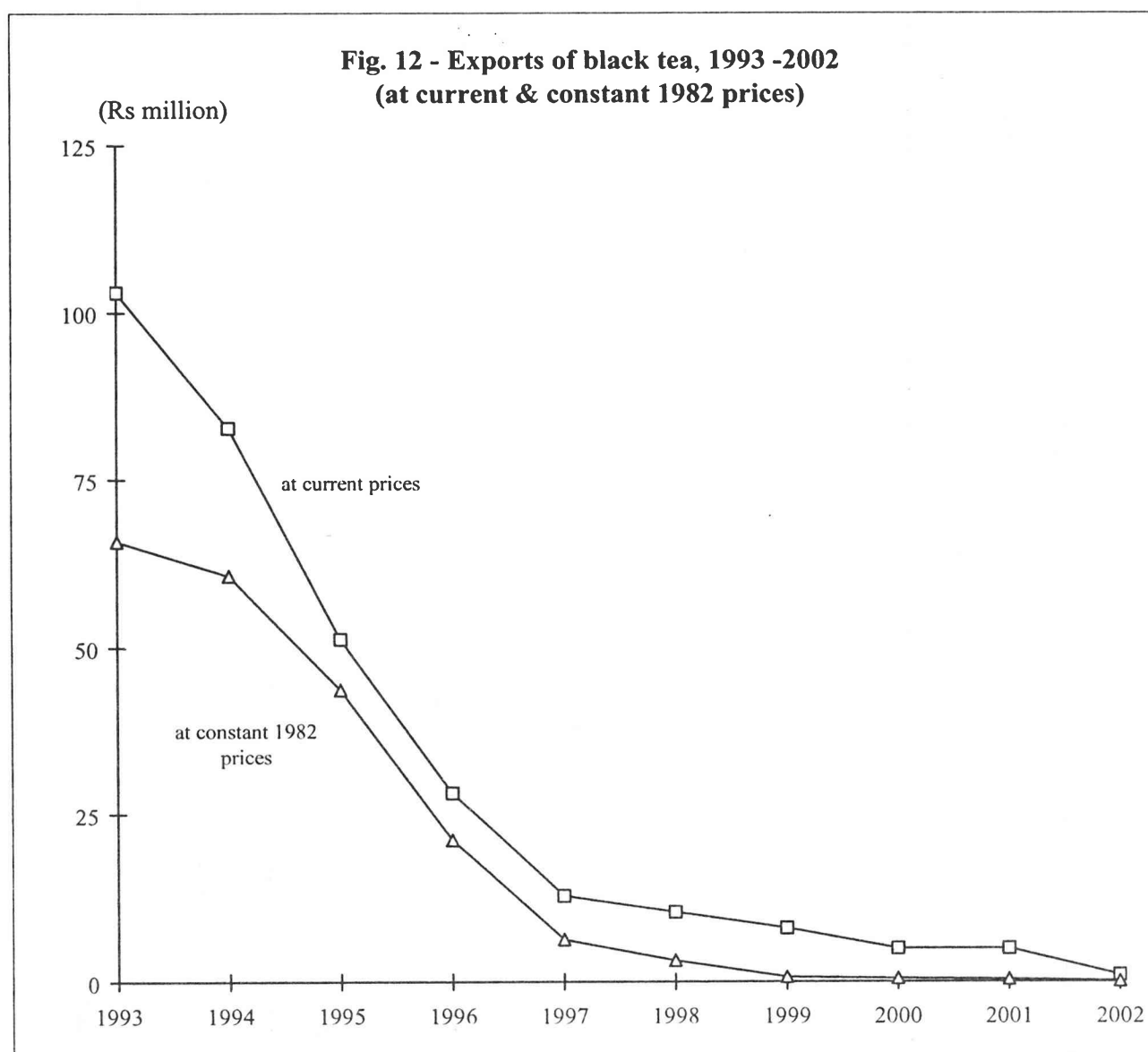


Table 3.6 - Exports of green and black tea by country of destination, 1999 - 2002

(Quantity in tonnes; f.o.b. value in Rs million)

Country of destination	1999		2000		2001		2002	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
France	15.0	2.4	12.2	1.7	17.0	3.1	3.4	0.7
Reunion	24.0	3.8	22.4	2.6	13.6	1.8	0.8	...
Japan	6.0	0.6	4.3	0.6	7.5	1.1	2.5	0.4
Other countries	2.0	0.4	0.8	0.7	0.1	...	1.7	0.2
Total Exports	47.0	7.2	39.7	5.6	38.2	6.0	8.4	1.3

Table 3.7 - Tobacco: Area harvested, yield and production of leaf, crop year¹, 1998/99 - 2002/03

	1998/1999	1999/2000	2000/2001	2001/2002	2002/2003
Number of growers	421	420	532	530	520
- Virginia Flue-cured	208	208	207	205	205
- Amarello Air-cured	213	212	325	325	315
Area harvested (hectares)	460	399	391	383	340
- Virginia Flue-cured	416	358	292	333	311
- Amarello Air-cured	44	41	99	50	29
Average Yield (tonnes/hectare)	1.52	1.67	1.44	1.45	1.39
- Virginia Flue-cured	1.54	1.69	1.58	1.51	1.42
- Amarello Air-cured	1.36	1.51	1.04	1.04	1.14
Leaf production (tonnes)	701	668	563	556	474
- Virginia Flue-cured	641	606	460	504	441
- Amarello Air-cured	60	62	103	52	33

¹ Crop year usually extends from April to March the following year

Source: Tobacco Board

Table 3.8 - Tobacco: Price paid to planters and value of production, 1998/99 - 2002/03

	1998/1999	1999/2000	2000/2001	2001/2002	2002/2003
Average Price to planters (Rs/kg)					
- Virginia Flue-cured	77.08	73.53	79.42	87.80	75.44
- Amarello Air-cured	39.61	41.21	40.96	44.20	34.01
Value of Production (Rs million)	51.8	47.1	40.7	46.8	41.8
Tobacco used in Cigarette manufacture (tonnes)	881.3	864.1	811.5	737.6	711.2
- Domestic leaf	842.9	726.9	664.2	670.2	550.4
- Imported leaf	38.4	137.2	147.3	67.4	160.8

FOODCROPS

Table 4.1 - Area harvested and production of foodcrops, 1998 - 2002

(Area in hectares; Production in tonnes)

Foodcrops	1998		1999		2000		2001		2002	
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production
Beans	403	1,885	293	1,294	351	1,708	376	2,003	394	2,240
Beet	27	332	38	658	90	1,794	87	2,304	67	1,736
Bittergourd	177	777	121	427	137	805	122	799	132	1,049
Brinjal	178	2,237	125	1,713	160	2,160	182	2,721	174	2,359
Broccoli	N.A	N.A	2	36	5	93	16	268	19	300
Cabbage	357	6,283	395	8,206	422	10,823	459	11,663	330	8,252
Calabash	280	3,713	260	3,027	357	4,586	322	4,513	331	3,990
Carrot	230	3,363	429	6,127	680	11,461	719	12,030	509	8,650
Cauliflower	227	4,260	64	1,274	102	2,045	90	1,846	85	1,796
Chillies (long+curry)	198	941	164	694	169	775	195	966	186	768
Chillies (small)	27	119	26	101	33	130	18	65	24	58
Chouchou	173	3,392	206	4,506	234	5,271	289	6,517	319	6,831
Cucumber	412	4,573	439	4,187	510	6,046	497	6,426	450	5,675
Echalotte	74	596	43	300	98	630	140	931	125	936
Eddoes (violet)	6	45	3	20	7	48	9	60	7	81
Eddoes (curry)	8	60	8	60	9	67	13	125	13	130
Garlic	19	131	5	38	7	46	6	40	4	25
Ginger	27	420	34	116	32	498	52	868	31	473
Green peas	6	11	3	7	3	7	1	3	1	2
Groundnut	186	551	117	341	123	408	123	323	116	284
Leek	5	23	9	97	23	263	28	269	17	159
Lettuce	135	1,878	90	1,223	130	1,716	179	2,399	168	2,214

Table 4.1 - Area harvested and production of foodcrops, 1998 - 2002 (Cont'd)
(Area in hectares; Production in tonnes)

Foodcrops	1998		1999		2000		2001		2002	
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production
Ladies finger	102	634	94	459	131	814	107	587	142	847
Maize	50	260	41	201	70	623	54	389	38	295
Manioc	11	165	8	111	10	151	13	186	13	140
Onion	305	6,727	315	9,066	310	11,134	333	10,950	238	7,117
<i>of which:</i> <i>hybrid</i>	<i>N.A</i>	<i>N.A</i>	<i>N.A</i>	<i>N.A</i>	<i>N.A</i>	<i>N.A</i>	282	10,123	130	5,034
Patole	88	756	48	342	79	789	78	817	84	848
Petsai	152	2,246	101	1,593	182	3,481	149	2,606	136	2,482
Pipengaille	122	1,467	60	607	103	1,231	106	1,162	126	1,220
Potato	830	14,612	639	15,322	622	13,843	779	16,350	606	13,339
Pumpkin	317	5,429	285	4,040	349	5,113	338	5,439	331	4,997
Squash	123	1,056	222	2,136	258	2,683	207	2,490	177	1,883
Sweet pepper	3	16	1	2	10	45	14	97	10	69
Sweet potato	40	475	35	400	48	651	50	675	55	620
Tomato	1,040	10,729	776	8,037	788	9,719	934	12,395	947	11,738
<i>of which:</i> <i>hybrid</i>	<i>N.A</i>	<i>N.A</i>	<i>N.A</i>	<i>N.A</i>	<i>N.A</i>	<i>N.A</i>	156	2,436	242	2,921
Voehm	191	1,248	120	751	147	911	128	821	174	1,156
Banana	464	9,343	380	7,550	489	8,500	540	11,000	600	7,200
Pineapple	76	1,462	60	1,014	79	3,416	165	6,016	83	1,917
Total foodcrops	7,069	92,215	6,059	86,083	7,357	114,484	7,918	129,119	7,262	103,876

Fig. 13 - Foodcrops Production, 1993 - 2002

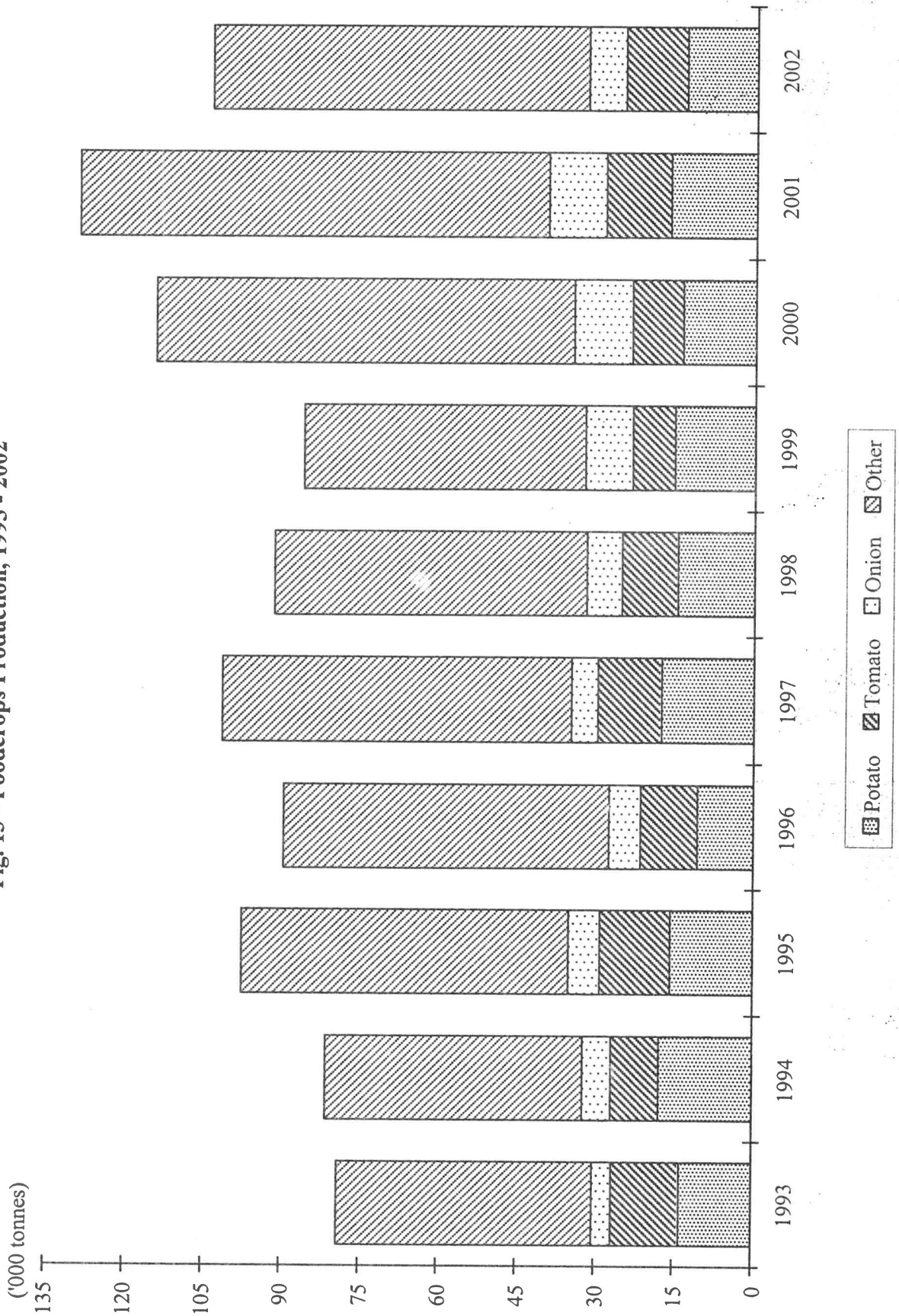


Table 4.2 - Average yield of selected foodcrops, 1993- 2002

Selected Foodcrops	(Tonnes/hectare)									
	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
Potato	20.0	17.5	19.8	19.6	21.6	17.6	24.0	22.2	21.0	22.0
Tomato	11.9	10.6	12.5	10.9	11.5	10.3	10.3	12.3	13.3	12.4
Onion	16.4	17.6	18.4	17.8	17.1	22.0	28.8	35.9	32.9	29.9
Cabbage	23.3	20.8	22.1	22.3	23.9	17.6	20.8	25.6	25.4	25.0
Cauliflower	20.3	19.1	19.7	19.4	19.1	18.7	20.0	20.1	20.5	21.1
Beans	4.1	4.2	4.8	4.7	5.0	4.7	4.4	4.9	5.3	5.7
Groundnuts	3.1	4.1	3.8	3.5	3.8	3.0	2.9	3.3	2.6	2.4
Maize	4.2	3.7	3.8	4.9	5.0	5.2	4.9	8.9	7.2	7.8

Table 4.3 - Area harvested and production of foodcrops grown in interline plantations, 2000 - 2002

Foodcrops	2000			2001			2002		
	Area (hectares)		Production (tonnes)	Area (hectares)		Production (tonnes)	Area (hectares)		Production (tonnes)
	Interline	Pure stand equivalent		Interline	Pure stand equivalent		Interline	Pure stand equivalent	
Beans	17.1	8.5	46	8.9	3.9	20	5.7	3.5	15
Peas	2.9	1.0	4	0.2	0.1	-	-	-	-
Groundnut	190.4	67.7	249	174.4	79.0	193	79.7	30.4	101
Maize	85.7	24.2	342	25.4	12.8	118	36.1	9.9	122
Potato	477.1	237.9	5,433	832.5	415.6	6,869	226.7	115.5	2,451
Tomato	48.3	13.8	172	16.9	4.4	64	30.6	9.5	58
Other	115.6	32.2	408	37.9	12.0	171	20.0	8.0	95
Total	937.1	385.3	6,654	1,096.2	527.8	7,435.0	398.8	176.8	2,842.0

Table 4.4 - Foodcrops: Monthly area harvested¹, 2001

Foodcrops	(Hectares)												
	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total
Beans & peas	24.3	27.0	23.0	30.3	28.8	27.4	34.9	33.9	29.6	37.3	52.2	27.9	376.6
Potato	24.2	-	-	-	0.2	28.0	123.6	120.3	111.4	143.4	136.7	91.1	778.9
Maize	0.2	-	0.3	0.5	1.7	7.2	11.6	0.8	2.6	6.4	17.1	5.7	54.1
Groundnut	5.6	2.5	10.5	4.4	4.6	7.4	66.6	0.9	3.9	2.3	9.0	5.4	123.1
Onion	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.6	4.2	4.2	6.6	4.5	1.2	13.1	0.2	15.7	51.0
Onion (hybrid)	0.2	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	3.3	43.8	130.0	78.0	26.0	281.6
Ginger	-	-	-	2.2	5.8	9.0	11.5	10.0	9.2	4.0	-	-	51.7
Garlic	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	0.1	-	2.2	2.6	1.0	-	6.0
Chillies	21.7	20.9	16.8	13.0	12.0	12.4	13.9	14.8	18.3	21.8	23.4	23.7	212.7
Tomato	71.2	62.5	61.4	68.3	60.9	55.5	53.1	56.5	59.7	62.0	86.9	79.6	777.6
Tomato (hybrid)	17.3	8.0	12.2	10.8	10.2	8.1	13.6	19.8	17.3	12.7	10.6	15.8	156.4
Cabbage	41.8	25.2	27.3	39.4	41.3	42.0	52.6	33.1	57.1	41.6	30.3	27.7	459.4
Cauliflower	0.1	0.2	0.1	-	13.7	14.6	16.4	20.0	14.8	7.8	2.0	0.4	90.1
Brinjal	13.7	13.8	11.1	10.4	11.5	13.2	14.6	15.4	18.3	20.3	20.2	19.6	182.1
Creepers ²	203.6	187.7	157.3	184.7	177.7	170.4	149.7	155.9	140.6	150.4	198.3	210.8	2,087.1
Mixed vegetables ³	121.9	120.9	95.2	115.9	132.1	113.9	136.5	152.0	152.5	140.3	106.2	136.6	1,524.0
Banana	38.7	39.4	40.0	45.2	46.4	45.9	46.1	46.1	46.3	46.6	47.5	51.8	540.0
Pineapple	30.9	26.2	27.9	15.5	10.7	11.7	7.5	9.1	7.5	5.5	5.1	7.5	165.1
Total foodcrops	615.6	534.7	483.3	541.2	561.8	571.2	758.9	696.4	736.3	848.1	824.7	745.3	7,917.5

¹ Includes interline plantations² Includes Bittergourd, Calabash, Chouchou, Cucumber, Patole, Pipengaille, Pumpkin, Squash, Voehm³ Includes Beet, Carrot, Eddoes, Ladies Finger, Leek, Lettuce, Manioc, Pestsai, Sweet Pepper, Sweet Potato, Broccoli, Echalotte

Table 4.5 - Foodcrops: Monthly area harvested¹, 2002

Foodcrops	(Hectares)												
	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total
Beans & peas	29.2	10.5	46.8	47.6	30.9	28.3	26.6	39.5	27.3	39.1	38.2	31.2	395.2
Potato	0.6	-	-	0.8	1.3	57.1	117.3	109.0	48.9	47.0	62.4	161.2	605.6
Maize	2.7	-	0.3	1.6	2.4	3.1	4.6	9.3	3.8	1.7	2.4	5.7	37.6
Groundnut	3.7	3.6	3.3	2.7	8.5	32.6	4.4	11.1	5.1	10.2	11.0	19.5	115.7
Onion	-	-	-	0.5	2.1	6.2	11.9	3.1	12.6	51.4	19.6	0.2	107.6
Onion (hybrid)	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	1.5	3.4	75.1	32.5	17.5	130.1
Ginger	0.1	-	-	-	0.3	1.6	4.2	4.3	12.4	8.1	-	0.1	31.1
Garlic	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	1.8	1.4	0.3	0.4	4.1
Chillies	21.8	17.0	14.0	10.9	12.9	15.0	17.7	20.1	20.3	21.8	19.9	18.7	210.1
Tomato	53.0	44.6	33.9	46.2	67.7	66.9	48.5	47.1	46.2	50.9	95.0	105.0	705.0
Tomato (hybrid)	27.9	19.7	17.4	14.0	22.5	25.2	20.2	22.5	23.0	16.4	17.7	15.5	242.0
Cabbage	23.9	22.9	22.4	24.4	31.0	32.3	45.7	32.4	27.3	23.4	20.6	24.1	330.4
Cauliflower	1.2	-	-	0.3	13.1	13.4	15.8	15.3	16.3	7.8	0.6	1.1	84.9
Brinjal	18.0	12.8	9.7	7.9	10.2	12.2	13.6	16.1	19.0	20.1	18.0	16.1	173.7
Creepers ²	216.3	154.7	151.6	195.2	219.4	202.4	171.0	148.7	157.4	157.4	153.8	196.4	2,124.3
Mixed vegetables ³	114.2	85.4	97.7	127.2	108.2	115.0	152.3	128.1	93.8	91.0	84.4	82.6	1,279.9
Banana	50.5	49.5	49.7	49.7	49.7	50.4	49.7	49.8	49.8	50.1	49.7	51.4	600.0
Pineapple	8.5	6.9	5.8	6.0	6.6	5.9	5.9	6.2	6.6	8.1	7.8	9.0	83.3
Total foodcrops	571.6	427.6	452.6	535.0	586.8	667.7	709.4	664.3	575.0	681.0	633.9	755.7	7,260.6

¹ Includes interline plantations² Includes Bittergourd, Calabash, Chouchou, Cucumber, Cucumbar, Patole, Pipengaille, Pumpkin, Squash, Voehm³ Includes Beet, Carrot, Eddoes, Ladies Finger, Leek, Lettuce, Manioc, Petai, Sweet Pepper, Sweet Potato, Broccoli, Echalotte

Table 4.6 - Monthly production of foodcrops, 2001

(Tonnes)

Foodcrops	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total
Beans & peas	115	129	114	149	144	138	187	180	161	215	308	166	2,006
Potato	389	-	-	-	2	480	3,555	3,390	2,544	2,245	2,190	1,555	16,350
Maize	1	-	2	1	16	25	143	5	19	37	94	46	389
Groundnut	15	6	26	12	10	26	151	3	9	5	42	18	323
Onion	1	3	1	5	42	47	88	53	12	221	4	350	827
Onion (hybrid)	5	-	-	-	-	3	-	59	933	4,748	3,192	1,183	10,123
Ginger	-	-	-	11	87	144	197	185	170	74	-	-	868
Garlic	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	23	12	4	-	40
Chillies	106	102	104	66	56	58	60	63	84	106	112	114	1,031
Tomato	1,085	755	733	786	696	710	642	705	784	789	1,215	1,059	9,959
Tomato (hybrid)	365	122	170	123	161	150	196	305	278	199	181	186	2,436
Cabbage	1,083	492	606	815	896	1,060	1,453	936	1,790	1,121	758	653	11,663
Cauliflower	1	3	1	-	256	301	351	446	291	143	44	9	1,846
Brinjal	213	215	168	141	147	165	189	209	281	335	341	317	2,721
Creepers	2,591	2,444	2,248	2,636	2,656	2,279	2,049	2,205	1,985	2,117	2,823	2,951	28,984
Mixed vegetables	1,901	1,699	1,262	1,306	1,670	1,628	2,197	2,523	2,630	2,293	1,559	1,869	22,537
Banana	798	820	850	884	906	907	909	912	927	936	1,026	1,125	11,000
Pineapple	1,116	981	1,034	641	403	399	250	327	255	174	180	256	6,016
Total foodcrops	9,785	7,771	7,319	7,576	8,148	8,520	12,618	12,506	13,176	15,770	14,073	11,857	129,119

Table 4.7 - Monthly production of foodcrops, 2002

(Tonnes)

Foodcrops	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total
Beans & peas	143	7	220	304	196	156	169	231	164	241	217	194	2,242
Potato	9	-	-	6	19	1,378	2,732	2,539	1,029	1,142	1,529	2,956	13,339
Maize	27	-	-	19	13	9	44	108	13	6	11	45	295
Groundnut	8	9	9	5	18	65	15	43	16	30	27	39	284
Onion	-	-	-	3	15	60	196	45	275	1,075	410	4	2,083
Onion (hybrid)	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	50	92	2,983	1,317	591	5,034
Ginger	1	-	-	-	5	23	55	68	195	124	-	2	473
Garlic	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	11	9	1	2	25
Chillies	85	35	34	34	49	60	75	87	92	94	91	90	826
Tomato	493	95	135	458	796	910	688	694	667	740	1,501	1,640	8,817
Tomato (hybrid)	319	31	70	123	314	367	286	342	359	249	267	194	2,921
Cabbage	407	297	393	487	850	923	1,425	977	745	614	530	604	8,252
Cauliflower	16	-	-	6	258	279	336	324	384	158	14	21	1,796
Brinjal	285	77	78	87	127	159	189	233	286	308	278	252	2,359
Creepers	2,269	1,226	1,778	2,598	3,266	2,823	2,456	2,212	2,232	2,127	2,027	2,635	27,649
Mixed vegetables	1,182	744	1,095	1,876	1,694	1,877	2,614	2,047	1,478	1,305	1,270	1,182	18,364
Banana	785	369	306	369	370	372	458	609	768	869	921	1,004	7,200
Pineapple	238	157	117	126	147	97	141	148	141	183	182	240	1,917
Total foodcrops	6,267	3,047	4,235	6,501	8,137	9,559	11,879	10,759	8,947	12,257	10,593	11,695	103,876

Table 4.8 - Area harvested and production of foodcrops by district, 1998 - 2002

District	(Area in hectares; Production in tonnes)									
	1998		1999		2000		2001		2002	
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production
Riviere du Rempart	1,019.2	9,580	692.1	5,573	790.7	7,753	768.3	7,872	967.0	9,242
Pamplemousses	996.0	11,186	840.5	8,156	1061.5	12,058	1167.0	13,653	1,034.9	10,870
Moka	898.3	13,271	663.2	10,942	648.9	12,054	703.6	12,378	599.3	10,038
Flacq	879.4	9,379	627.6	7,832	780.6	12,811	841.1	15,379	814.2	11,948
Black River	193.4	3,174	117.0	2,456	209.4	4,403	561.8	11,698	455.9	8,394
Plaines Wilhems	1,848.1	28,491	2,036.9	33,881	2,734.8	50,193	2,475.0	47,348	1,949.8	35,183
Grand Port	461.2	4,587	444.5	4,115	499.3	5,040	596.6	8,213	701.6	8,667
Savanne	772.2	12,547	637.6	13,128	631.8	10,172	804.3	12,578	737.9	9,534
Whole Island	7,067.8	92,215	6,059.4	86,083	7,357.0	114,484	7,917.7	129,119	7,260.6	103,876

Table 4.9 - Area harvested and production of beans and peas by district, 1998 - 2002

District	(Area in hectares; Production in tonnes)									
	1998		1999		2000		2001		2002	
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production
Riviere du Rempart	80.7	454	58.6	329	61.1	375	50.0	284	80.2	490
Pamplemousses	39.0	253	43.1	203	48.8	272	50.3	278	51.9	312
Moka	56.0	221	45.7	178	55.8	242	61.4	259	61.0	230
Flacq	55.0	217	41.3	157	45.6	166	39.5	158	46.5	176
Black River	10.6	42	9.3	38	19.6	99	13.0	75	14.5	124
Plaines Wilhems	107.7	484	55.6	264	68.7	328	76.7	443	52.6	381
Grand Port	51.8	183	33.7	80	40.9	143	49.0	272	57.5	338
Savanne	8.3	42	8.8	52	13.4	90	36.9	237	31.0	191
Whole Island	409.1	1,896	296.1	1,301	353.9	1,715	376.8	2,006	395.2	2,242

Table 4.10 - Area harvested and production of potato by district, 1998 - 2002

District	1998		1999		2000		2001		2002	
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production
Riviere du Rempart	43.7	826	20.1	318	21.2	473	31.4	779	28.0	605
Pamplemousses	92.3	1,533	34.8	886	94.7	2,099	107.5	2,487	80.4	1,487
Moka	293.1	4,986	181.0	3,656	151.6	3,496	177.7	3,146	124.2	2,630
Flacq	40.5	713	33.4	952	28.3	628	44.4	426	50.4	1,052
Black River	41.5	658	4.1	99	7.3	133	32.8	959	55.3	1,428
Plaines Wilhems	113.3	1,755	112.5	2,817	109.6	2,668	138.0	4,126	125.2	2,997
Grand Port	65.3	1,308	11.7	241	12.6	271	36.6	701	48.7	1,106
Savanne	140.0	2,833	241.9	6,353	196.8	4,075	210.5	3,726	93.4	2,034
Whole Island	829.7	14,612	639.5	15,322	622.1	13,843	778.9	16,350	605.6	13,339

(Area in hectares; Production in tonnes)

Table 4.11 - Area harvested and production of maize by district, 1998 - 2002

(Area in hectares; Production in tonnes)

District	1998		1999		2000		2001		2002	
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production
Riviere du Rempart	2.7	14	-	-	1.1	2	3.9	28	5.7	12
Pamplemousses	0.2	-	0.7	1	1.7	9	4.6	39	5.3	16
Moka	-	-	12.1	129	11.2	157	1.9	24	5.7	34
Flacq	31.7	198	20.4	51	18.7	255	28.0	196	15.5	211
Plaines Wilhems	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	18	0.3	2
Grand Port	15.6	47	8.0	20	37.3	199	7.6	46	3.9	14
Savanne	-	-	-	-	0.1	1	6.8	38	1.2	6
Whole Island	50.2	259	41.2	201	70.1	623	54.1	389	37.6	295

Table 4.12 - Area harvested and production of groundnut by district, 1998 - 2002

(Area in hectares; Production in tonnes)

District	1998		1999		2000		2001		2002	
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production
Riviere du Rempart	59.0	88	31.8	68	29.4	92	13.9	29	40.4	105
Pamplemousses	101.2	384	37.8	124	30.0	88	62.2	127	36.0	72
Moka	0.1	1	14.3	59	17.3	73	1.8	7	0.9	3
Flacq	20.0	61	16.0	55	28.7	119	21.8	90	10.7	44
Black River	4.0	13	0.3	1	1.8	3	4.4	9	1.9	4
Plaines Wilhems	-	-	0.5	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grand Port	1.0	2	6.1	12	5.9	14	8.5	36	16.9	38
Savanne	0.6	2	10.0	20	9.5	19	10.5	25	8.9	18
Whole Island	185.9	551	116.8	341	122.6	408	123.1	323	115.7	284

Table 4.13 - Area harvested and production of onion by district, 1998 - 2002

District	1998		1999		2000		2001		2002	
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production
Riviere du Rempart	3.7	42	13.3	156	-	-	3.0	32	3.5	31
Pamplemousses	2.3	25	1.8	10	2.3	111	9.6	140	15.1	411
Moka	2.4	41	1.6	31	0.4	11	1.0	20	0.6	14
Flacq	107.5	1,197	89.6	1,546	88.5	1,628	79.4	1,414	88.9	1,784
Black River	35.9	903	27.0	924	34.7	1,513	70.3	2,697	18.0	528
Plaines Wilhems	135.0	4,364	164.6	6,232	180.6	7,822	160.5	6,540	102.4	4,216
Grand Port	15.7	131	13.9	133	1.2	16	6.8	74	6.5	76
Savanne	2.7	24	3.3	34	2.1	33	2.0	33	2.7	57
Whole Island	305.2	6,727	315.1	9,066	309.8	11,134	332.6	10,950	237.7	7,117

(Area in hectares; Production in tonnes)

Table 4.14 - Area harvested and production of tomato by district, 1998 - 2002

(Area in hectares; Production in tonnes)

District	1998		1999		2000		2001		2002	
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production
Riviere du Rempart	247.2	2,367	186.9	1,722	190.8	2,046	217.0	2,140	265.0	2,470
Pamplemousses	213.9	2,105	178.1	1,679	191.5	2,242	210.1	2,325	153.5	1,721
Moka	67.3	843	40.3	458	29.5	476	41.8	587	24.6	317
Flacq	92.4	905	68.8	778	79.2	1,116	69.2	1,015	78.2	1,123
Black River	28.6	402	22.2	439	28.6	578	29.1	638	29.4	482
Plaines Wilhems	52.5	829	64.9	875	45.3	683	57.8	1,045	65.7	892
Grand Port	137.8	1,283	146.1	1,352	144.2	1,717	173.9	2,470	224.9	3,224
Savanne	200.1	1,995	69.5	734	78.9	861	135	2,175	105.7	1,509
Whole Island	1,039.8	10,729	776.8	8,037	788.0	9,719	934.0	12,395	947.0	11,738

Table 4.15 - Area harvested and production of cabbage and cauliflower by district, 1998 - 2002

(Area in hectares; Production in tonnes)

District	1998		1999		2000		2001		2002	
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production
Riviere du Rempart	2.3	33	5.7	72	4.8	69	4.1	62	6.8	106
Pamplemousses	16.2	398	4.7	122	7.8	135	11.0	195	7.0	92
Moka	81.3	1,170	47.9	942	72.9	1,961	78.3	1,962	58.2	1,447
Flacq	46.2	561	28.2	610	21.7	579	25.4	746	25.7	709
Black River	17.1	424	13.2	378	18.4	539	51.5	1,376	48.0	1,301
Plaines Wilhems	412.2	7,820	346.5	7,219	385.7	9,408	367.6	9,015	245.5	5,926
Grand Port	3.3	55	6.1	69	7.3	105	6.1	89	13.2	241
Savanne	6.1	82	6.2	68	5.0	72	5.5	64	10.9	226
Whole Island	584.7	10,543	458.5	9,480	523.6	12,868	549.5	13,509	415.3	10,048

Table 4.16 - Area harvested and production of creepers by district, 1998 - 2002

(Area in hectares; Production in tonnes)

District	1998		1999		2000		2001		2002	
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production
Riviere du Rempart	454.0	4,673	279.1	2,218	353.0	3,810	330.8	3,592	405.6	4,489
Pamplemousses	219.8	2,469	266.1	2,729	348.4	3,759	325.4	3,948	321.7	3,406
Moka	298.0	4,805	232.2	4,200	212.5	3,968	244.0	4,622	237.1	4,243
Flacq	181.5	1,720	117.3	1,317	162.2	1,845	106.9	1,252	136.8	1,476
Black River	28.8	420	13.0	170	36.2	536	138.1	2,167	117.7	1,731
Plaines Wilhems	499.5	6,497	661.3	7,649	853.6	11,498	671.5	10,186	574.3	8,245
Grand Port	123.1	1,049	140.4	1,214	158.9	1,474	173.1	1,918	197.0	2,251
Savanne	78.0	778	52.6	526	51.6	545	97.3	1,299	134.1	1,808
Whole Island	1,882.7	22,411	1,762.0	20,023	2,176.4	27,435	2,087.1	28,984	2,124.3	27,649

Table 4.17 - Area harvested and production of other vegetables¹ by district, 1998 - 2002

(Area in hectares; Production in tonnes)

District	1998		1999		2000		2001		2002	
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production
Riviere du Rempart	119.1	984	37.9	191	53.2	302	45.2	303	65.6	471
Pamplemousses	276.2	3,145	115.7	1,060	180.4	1,710	222.0	2,048	217.1	1,853
Moka	79.6	837	35.3	533	39.2	565	41.2	600	40.2	565
Flacq	162.0	1,248	28.1	352	30.8	484	27.8	455	26.7	414
Black River	25.7	298	20.7	298	40.0	631	184.0	3,151	130.3	2,307
Plaines Wilhems	461.0	6,259	609.3	8,590	1061.0	17,364	975.9	15,762	751.9	12,267
Grand Port	21.4	165	9.7	46	12.3	94	23.0	154	33.6	284
Savanne	21.9	148	2.5	16	4.8	64	4.9	64	14.5	203
Whole Island	1,166.9	13,084	859.2	11,086	1,421.7	21,214	1,524.0	22,537	1,279.9	18,364

¹ Includes beet, carrot, eddoes, ladies finger, leek, lettuce, manioc, petsai, sweet potato, broccoli and echalotte

Table 4.18 - Area harvested and production of banana by district, 1998 - 2002

(Area in hectares; Production in tonnes)

District	1998		1999		2000		2001		2002	
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production
Riviere du Rempart	6.8	99	4.7	48	3.1	21	2.9	37	2.2	16
Pamplemousses	1.9	35	2.7	23	3.2	30	4.2	52	6.8	52
Moka	14.9	276	26.7	436	36.0	668	31.2	675	29.9	383
Flacq	99.1	1,913	44.7	752	90.3	1,910	115.0	3,384	130.5	2,079
Black River	0.4	8	2.5	58	19.4	335	29.7	528	35.1	438
Plaines Wilhems	0.3	5	7.1	125	15.0	298	3.1	67	4.8	88
Grand Port	26.2	364	54.1	822	59.1	871	68.9	1,411	69.1	815
Savanne	314.5	6,643	237.1	5,286	262.9	4,367	285.0	4,846	321.6	3,329
Whole Island	464.1	9,343	379.6	7,550	489.0	8,500	540.0	11,000	600.0	7,200

Table 4.19 - Area harvested and production of pineapple by district, 1998 - 2002

(Area in hectares; Production in tonnes)

District	1998		1999		2000		2001		2002	
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production
Riviere du Rempart	-	-	2.2	18	0.2	4	-	-	0.2	3
Pamplemousses	26.7	725	18.8	397	16.5	395	17.6	401	19.8	417
Moka	5.6	91	13.4	252	6.4	310	7.4	342	2.8	71
Flacq	43.5	646	20.0	269	56.0	2,707	114.3	4,354	54.6	1,290
Black River	-	-	0.2	2	-	-	2.0	27	-	-
Grand Port	-	-	5.4	74	-	-	23.8	892	5.9	136
Savanne	-	-	0.2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Whole Island	75.8	1,462	60.2	1,014	79.1	3,416	165.1	6,016	83.3	1,917

Table 4.20 - Average retail prices of foodcrops, 2001

Foodcrops	Unit	(Rupees)											
		January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
Beans	Kg	26.71	55.94	31.64	31.55	36.71	38.94	35.14	36.82	31.51	23.87	15.38	31.73
Béet	Unit	5.71	7.60	8.24	11.32	9.29	8.01	6.01	6.90	5.79	5.78	5.15	7.28
Bittergourd	Kg	24.64	29.29	24.34	28.39	30.18	35.20	38.96	39.72	35.61	36.30	23.96	32.61
Brinjal	Kg	13.64	15.07	10.11	19.29	19.32	24.61	65.90	22.91	21.69	18.39	14.35	23.39
Cabbage	Unit	13.98	19.04	18.44	18.16	18.00	19.14	15.62	12.24	8.91	10.01	13.87	19.33
Calabash	Kg	11.32	11.32	9.69	11.88	16.07	19.56	23.78	20.51	15.32	14.46	11.76	19.14
Carrot	Kg	18.79	23.32	27.46	35.37	43.57	34.84	18.29	15.18	12.44	16.48	20.25	29.17
Cauliflower	Unit	-	-	-	-	43.06	40.46	20.09	21.55	25.79	31.55	32.15	31.29
Chillies(long)	Kg	41.43	44.29	34.09	47.74	46.57	67.69	114.69	112.93	78.14	44.31	41.54	59.03
Chillies(small)	Kg	59.14	75.00	69.14	66.91	64.86	94.09	182.20	255.86	158.89	96.74	98.91	103.03
Chouchou	Kg	21.50	28.61	15.12	10.94	15.11	10.04	9.96	12.68	14.82	15.39	10.96	23.04
Cucumber	Unit	9.96	8.86	9.68	9.88	11.45	15.36	15.32	12.81	10.79	12.70	10.47	14.04
Eddoes(violet)	Kg	67.50	67.08	62.58	67.36	71.07	68.58	68.04	76.07	76.82	77.32	65.63	73.25
Eddoes(curry)	Kg	54.03	52.74	54.35	50.61	50.71	51.93	50.35	53.63	56.17	57.94	49.40	54.60
Ginger	Kg	67.14	65.43	61.11	64.23	64.71	61.09	46.77	40.70	38.66	32.17	41.49	41.60
Green peas	Kg	-	-	100.00	-	-	-	-	60.00	-	-	-	-

Table 4.20 - Average retail prices of foodcrops, 2001 (Cont'd)

Foodcrops	Unit	(Rupees)											
		January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
Groundnut (fresh)	Kg	32.00	34.25	37.19	38.94	38.29	34.82	32.16	35.00	34.89	37.03	37.35	33.16
Leek	Unit	5.89	6.86	7.88	8.29	7.61	6.80	6.52	7.05	5.91	5.86	6.31	6.92
Lettuce	Unit	6.34	8.46	8.16	8.07	7.80	6.65	5.44	5.91	5.64	6.07	5.35	6.89
Ladies finger	Kg	54.68	52.86	30.95	23.27	19.21	33.73	45.71	62.39	64.67	67.27	57.14	55.81
Maize (grain)	Kg	-	7.90	8.20	7.20	7.70	7.30	7.10	6.70	7.10	6.70	7.00	7.50
Manioc	Kg	17.87	19.32	20.13	20.47	20.37	20.81	20.31	20.13	19.14	19.56	18.29	19.17
Onion (local)	Kg	18.79	18.55	19.50	21.00	-	24.00	18.60	18.88	17.06	18.42	18.86	19.18
Patole	Kg	15.64	20.82	13.72	18.29	19.96	25.97	23.89	24.71	22.82	22.31	18.71	22.46
Petsai	Unit	9.64	12.40	10.54	9.78	9.64	10.48	11.22	9.01	8.29	9.01	8.85	11.86
Pipengaille	Kg	21.77	29.85	14.60	19.09	20.71	22.34	22.75	28.24	25.96	27.09	23.64	26.86
Potato	Kg	14.11	14.25	14.50	14.00	-	17.90	15.37	14.08	14.07	14.00	14.00	14.00
Pumpkin	Kg	10.43	10.11	9.49	9.82	10.46	12.43	16.89	24.95	18.30	13.91	10.77	9.76
Squash	Unit	8.04	14.83	18.35	16.88	13.30	12.58	12.37	10.76	9.64	9.38	8.94	11.27
Sweet pepper	Unit	11.50	12.83	14.72	14.52	10.83	11.29	11.03	10.83	9.06	9.72	9.44	9.25
Sweet potato	Kg	15.01	16.12	15.44	16.66	17.39	20.61	19.87	19.12	19.79	19.62	16.76	18.70
Tomato	Kg	26.11	49.36	48.20	52.68	57.61	52.76	42.95	26.66	14.90	27.36	40.57	45.27
Voehm	Kg	23.07	26.00	20.40	20.40	30.32	34.49	43.86	34.43	40.31	33.41	19.99	29.62

Table 4.21 - Average retail prices of foodcrops, 2002

Foodcrops	Unit	(Rupees)											
		January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
Beans	Kg	51.14	88.00	44.97	25.06	29.07	34.57	29.34	24.67	31.26	31.69	22.93	24.42
Beet	Unit	7.95	9.79	12.97	8.58	7.22	7.31	5.99	6.10	6.21	6.54	6.24	5.76
Bittergourd	Kg	40.64	47.07	37.37	26.14	23.86	32.73	35.52	39.83	38.49	34.96	28.73	30.54
Brinjal	Kg	22.43	46.88	28.59	23.74	16.64	17.12	12.25	14.71	16.43	18.07	14.65	15.21
Cabbage	Unit	22.71	28.30	38.14	24.67	10.67	10.63	10.42	12.15	12.95	13.54	11.70	11.58
Calabash	Kg	26.93	33.57	21.51	15.16	11.83	16.76	18.10	18.56	18.31	17.06	15.29	14.32
Carrot	Kg	29.46	31.89	33.64	30.14	23.88	19.89	18.66	20.50	19.16	17.43	18.39	17.72
Cauliflower	Unit	50.00	-	-	-	36.70	38.84	31.07	30.58	31.09	31.64	37.01	-
Chillies(long)	Kg	156.71	242.14	252.29	109.34	56.26	56.46	41.53	37.19	42.53	64.92	73.56	63.40
Chillies(small)	Kg	194.29	335.60	362.29	161.76	95.20	110.23	99.71	102.46	107.60	123.81	122.95	102.48
Chouchou	Kg	31.14	48.68	35.78	16.30	9.74	10.36	8.89	9.08	9.81	12.70	14.23	18.58
Cucumber	Unit	15.05	22.56	20.49	8.36	10.80	14.74	14.19	13.32	17.16	16.91	11.23	11.61
Eddoes(violet)	Kg	73.75	72.29	66.68	74.04	74.35	74.58	73.39	74.67	76.96	69.38	71.48	70.85
Eddoes(curry)	Kg	54.52	56.43	53.38	48.99	45.04	47.79	45.75	49.43	51.34	48.56	50.71	47.92
Ginger	Kg	52.71	62.07	67.34	68.97	80.46	73.37	66.89	68.89	70.29	64.86	61.75	65.80
Green peas	Kg	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	97.78	90.00	-	90.00	-

Table 4.21 - Average retail prices of foodcrops, 2002 (Cont'd)

Foodcrops	Unit	(Rupees)											
		January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
Groundnut (fresh)	Kg	31.51	32.79	38.04	42.49	33.79	30.61	30.96	35.37	43.64	40.71	38.28	36.05
Leek	Unit	7.89	8.26	8.04	6.72	6.73	7.18	6.60	6.55	6.32	6.10	5.90	6.47
Lettuce	Unit	9.11	10.99	10.29	8.09	6.14	6.59	6.61	6.39	6.47	5.99	5.97	6.44
Ladies finger	Kg	65.79	70.68	49.70	29.04	22.04	33.34	40.68	52.96	64.37	67.62	60.83	55.79
Maize (grain)	Kg	7.24	6.86	6.67	7.22	6.88	7.00	6.97	6.70	7.40	7.33	7.27	7.63
Manioc	Kg	19.92	20.29	20.50	20.34	20.60	21.20	20.44	20.31	19.93	19.40	19.10	19.50
Onion (local)	Kg	19.39	19.01	18.73	16.00	-	19.78	18.81	19.43	19.01	17.04	17.91	18.58
Patole	Kg	29.57	36.83	26.44	14.51	14.56	19.59	21.21	22.71	21.65	22.23	22.86	19.52
Petsai	Unit	16.13	17.29	12.49	10.60	9.25	10.72	8.93	9.04	9.54	9.89	8.85	9.43
Pipengaille	Kg	37.07	37.81	25.71	12.83	12.47	20.24	23.41	25.69	25.74	26.61	25.93	26.40
Potato	Kg	14.21	14.00	14.06	14.00	14.00	16.39	16.02	15.17	14.78	14.89	15.45	15.37
Pumpkin	Kg	13.18	18.59	20.46	18.54	12.51	12.24	16.36	16.86	15.27	14.03	13.81	11.61
Squash	Unit	15.31	15.30	24.30	12.23	11.40	12.21	14.23	14.27	12.38	11.49	9.77	10.52
Sweet pepper	Unit	10.08	10.96	12.04	9.60	9.25	10.22	11.78	13.34	10.95	10.56	9.41	9.85
Sweet potato	Kg	19.00	19.83	19.57	20.82	21.31	20.46	19.92	19.40	18.76	16.85	16.62	17.06
Tomato	Kg	48.64	65.21	127.57	101.32	29.21	18.24	20.63	25.90	34.09	32.51	31.24	35.21
Voehm	Kg	33.82	45.19	30.89	20.33	25.65	35.74	34.67	36.09	33.97	35.73	27.98	26.83



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Table 5.1 - Livestock slaughtered ¹, 1998 - 2002

Type of Livestock	1998		1999		2000		2001		2002	
	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)
Cattle	11,765	2,515.5	11,834	2,575.3	11,869	2,537.7	11,907	2,247.7	11,482	2,428.4
Local	1,438	276.9	1,218	206.3	927	153.1	843	132.6	353	62.1
Milchbreed:										
- Bulls & calves	317	56.3	345	58.1	388	64.4	412	57.8	171	30.2
- Cows ²	48	4.8	46	7.2	97	15.1	27	5.0	16	2.4
Other breed	1,073	215.8	827	141.0	442	73.6	404	69.8	166	29.5
Rodrigues	416	63.4	541	72.8	722	86.9	1,897	242.0	923	145.6
Imported	9,911	2,175.2	10,075	2,296.2	10,220	2,297.7	9,167	1,873.1	10,206	2,220.7
Goats	11,168	111.9	11,213	115.5	9,545	86.2	8,969	73.7	8,398	100.2
Local and Rodrigues	5,333	33.6	6,038	40.2	7,319	56.0	7,187	47.6	4,348	28.9
Imported	5,835	78.3	5,175	75.3	2,226	30.2	1,782	26.1	4,050	71.3
Sheep	534	6.2	750	9.4	1,271	15.8	2,573	39.9	590	13.8
Pigs	11,261	752.1	10,042	677.9	12,146	890.7	12,493	881.8	10,772	756.2

¹ Abattoir slaughterers only² Including Heifers

Source: Mauritius Meat Authority

Table 5.2 - Production of fish (in wet weight equivalent), 1993 - 2002

(Tonnes)

	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
High seas ¹	16,307	14,678	12,618	8,389	10,051	7,550	8,339	5,468	6,711	6,843
Local vessels	16,307	14,678	12,618	8,389	10,051	7,550	8,339	5,468	6,711	6,843
Coastal Fishing	2,533	2,613	2,393	2,566	2,196	2,179	2,175	2,310	2,025	2,252
Lagoon and off lagoon	1,583	1,663	1,443	1,616	1,246	1,229	1,225	1,360	1,075	1,302
Sport fishing	650	650	650	650	650	650	650	650	650	650
Amateur fishing	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300
Ponds and Barachois	83	135	170	165	115	106	58	64	58	41
Total production	18,923	17,426	15,181	11,120	12,362	9,835	10,572	7,842	8,794	9,136

¹ includes fish caught for the canning industry

Source: Ministry of Fisheries

Table 5.3 - Catch from artisanal fishing by type, 1998 - 2002

(Tonnes)

	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
Fin fish	1,087	1,090	1,222	940	1,110
<i>Bony</i>	1,086	1,089	1,210	938	1,104
<i>Cartilaginous</i>	1	1	12	2	6
Shell fish	19	15	14	14	23
Molluscs	123	120	124	121	169
Total	1,229	1,225	1,360	1,075	1,302

Source: Ministry of Fisheries

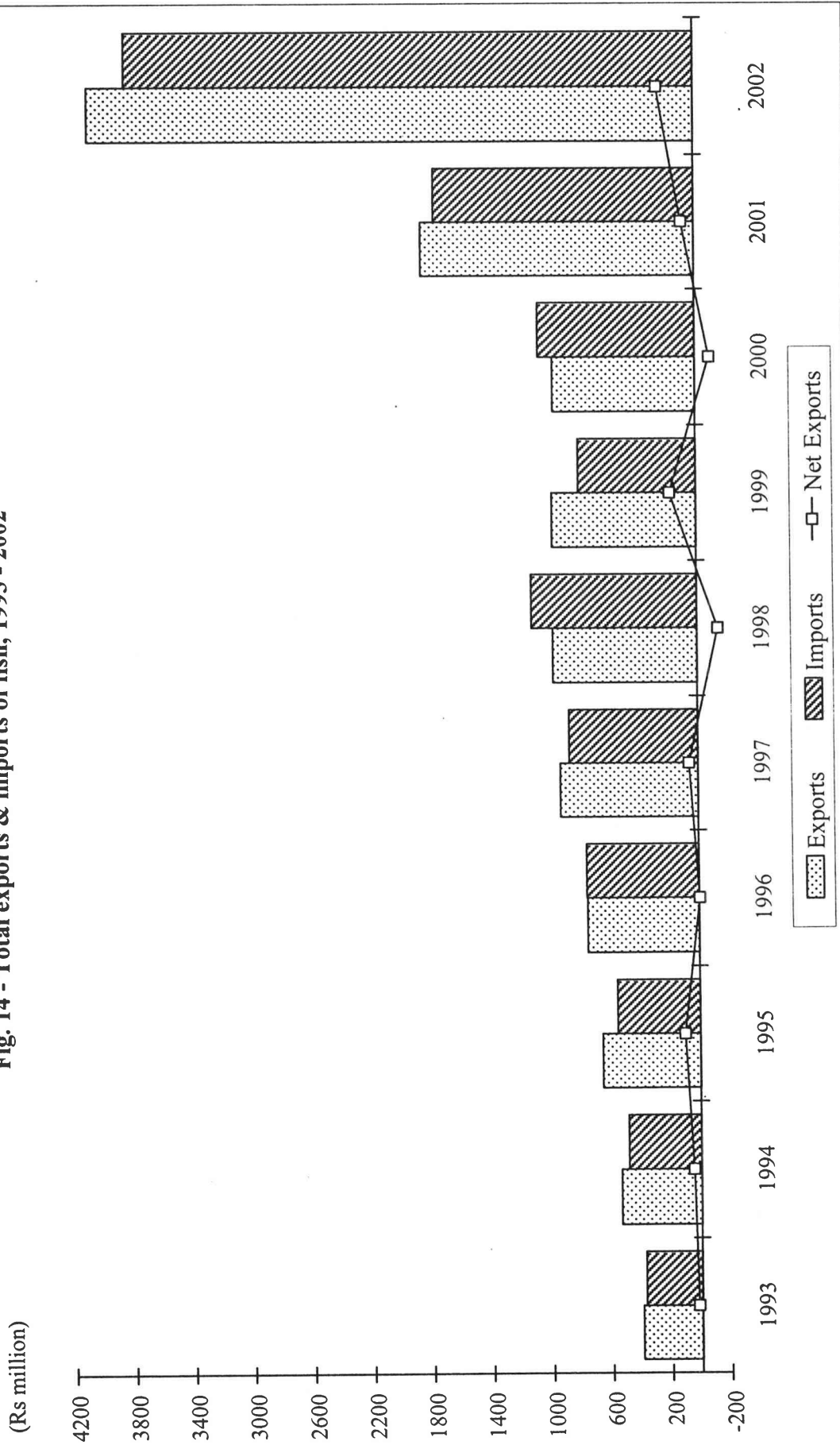
Table 5.4 - Total exports and imports of fish and fish preparations, 1998 - 2002

(Rs million)

	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002 ¹
Exports (f.o.b. Value)	972.6	971.2	961.5	1,840.8	4,080.8
Imports (c.i.f. Value)	1,113.2	793.1	1,057.9	1,754.3	3,832.0
Net exports	- 140.6	+178.1	- 96.4	+86.5	+248.8

¹ Data for 2002 includes Freeport transactions

Fig. 14 - Total exports & imports of fish, 1993 - 2002



Data for 2002 includes Freeport transactions

FOOD BALANCE SHEET

Food Balance Sheet

General Notes

1. All data relate to the residents (i.e. excluding tourists) of the Island of Mauritius only (not its dependencies).
2. Quantity is in tonnes unless otherwise specified.
3. (a) Gross imports include imports from dependencies.
(b) Gross exports include exports to dependencies.
4. Estimated changes in stock:

A plus sign indicates that there has been a decrease in stock, that is, an increase in supply. A negative sign would mean the converse.
5. Data on production of foodcrops may not tally with production data published in other sections since allowance has been made here for backyard production.
6. Local production of meat include imported live animals slaughtered in Mauritius. Estimates for off-abattoir slaughters have been included.
7. Data on fish and crustaceans are given in terms of wet-weight equivalent.
8. As from 1989 onward, population includes Mauritian residents and Mauritians residing abroad.

Table 6.1 - Per Capita consumption of selected commodities, 1995 - 2002

Selected Commodities	(Kg/year)									
	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002		
Wheat flour	65.42	67.60	69.02	73.24	71.99	76.50	69.73	70.81		
Milled rice	61.05	62.56	54.06	54.76	57.57	55.90	56.30	51.60		
Potatoes	19.37	18.58	22.69	18.36	19.82	18.20	19.02	18.42		
Sugar	31.96	32.41	33.48	33.58	34.09	34.02	34.18	32.81		
Fresh vegetables ¹	70.23	63.58	71.22	62.43	57.63	82.22	91.88	73.78		
Oils and fats	27.31	26.62	27.10	26.47	28.06	28.36	26.93	28.40		
Milk fresh (litres)	9.21	8.31	7.97	7.50	6.96	6.18	5.87	6.23		
Milk (powdered) ²	11.62	10.48	10.52	10.31	11.23	13.56	10.74	11.31		
Pulses ²	9.45	9.65	11.49	9.60	10.26	10.08	10.57	10.10		
Eggs	7.10	7.58	7.64	7.93	8.30	9.44	9.24	9.57		
Meat and meat preparations ²	32.35	33.28	32.93	32.74	34.33	38.96	39.19	40.48		
Banana	8.39	8.26	7.78	8.02	6.43	7.16	8.71	6.61		
Other fresh fruits	12.52	11.92	13.88	13.48	14.99	16.43	17.39	16.40		
Fish and fish preparations ³	18.70	18.25	20.01	19.99	16.38	23.11	19.58	20.04		

¹ includes: beans,beet,brinjal,cabbage,carrot,cauliflower,green peas,leek,lettuce, ladies finger,petsai,tomato and creepers

² no adjustment has been made for changes in stock

³ wet weight equivalent

Fig. 15 - Per capita consumption of selected commodities, 1995 - 2002



Table 6.2 - Per capita consumption of food commodities, 1999 - 2002

Commodity	1999		2000		2001		2002	
	Kg per year	Grams per day	Kg per year	Grams per day	Kg per year	Grams per day	Kg per year	Grams per day
CEREALS								
Wheat/flour	71.99	197.23	76.50	209.58	69.73	191.04	70.81	194.00
Paddy/milled rice	57.57	157.72	55.90	153.16	56.30	154.25	51.60	141.38
Maize	1.76	4.81	1.74	4.76	1.72	4.71	1.70	4.67
Oats	0.07	0.18	0.04	0.11	0.06	0.16	0.06	0.15
Barley	0.01	0.02	0.01	0.02	0.01	0.02	0.01	0.02
Malt	0.04	0.12	0.04	0.12	0.04	0.12	0.04	0.12
Other cereals (unmilled) ¹	0.13	0.35	0.08	0.23	0.15	0.42	0.06	0.18
Other cereals (flour)	0.86	2.35	0.05	0.14	0.72	1.97	0.75	2.05
Cereals preparations ²	7.33	20.08	7.59	20.80	7.19	19.70	7.33	20.07
STARCHY-FOODS								
Potatoes	19.82	54.29	18.20	49.87	19.02	52.12	18.42	50.48
Sweet potatoes	0.35	0.96	0.57	1.55	0.40	1.11	0.53	1.45
Cassava (Manioc)	0.10	0.27	0.13	0.36	0.14	0.39	0.12	0.33
Tapioca & Sago	0.27	0.75	0.16	0.43	0.11	0.31	0.11	0.31
Taro (Eddoes)	0.07	0.19	0.10	0.27	0.15	0.41	0.18	0.49

¹ includes wheat unmilled

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

Table 6.2 - Per capita consumption of food commodities, 1999 - 2002 (Cont'd)

Commodity	1999		2000		2001		2002	
	Kg per year	Grams per day	Kg per year	Grams per day	Kg per year	Grams per day	Kg per year	Grams per day
SUGARS								
Cane sugar ¹	34.09	93.41	34.02	93.19	34.18	93.65	32.81	89.89
Other sugars	0.43	1.18	0.89	2.43	0.48	1.32	0.59	1.60
Sugar preparations	0.94	2.58	0.64	1.76	0.87	2.37	0.98	2.67
Honey	0.08	0.23	0.12	0.34	0.15	0.42	0.08	0.21
PULSES,NUTS & SEEDS								
Pulses ²	10.26	28.11	10.08	27.61	10.57	28.96	10.10	27.66
Groundnut (in shells or not)	1.57	4.30	1.65	4.51	1.27	3.49	1.56	4.28
Coconuts ³	2.58	7.08	2.99	8.19	2.83	7.75	2.92	7.99
Other edible nuts	0.10	0.29	0.10	0.28	0.01	0.04	0.12	0.34
VEGETABLES								
Tomatoes	6.89	18.89	8.25	22.61	10.37	28.42	7.26	19.89
Other (fresh) ⁴	50.74	139.02	73.97	202.67	81.51	223.33	66.52	182.25
Onion	14.71	40.31	16.98	46.52	15.94	43.68	14.48	39.68
Vegetables prepared or preserved	3.96	10.86	5.01	13.73	4.93	13.50	6.32	17.31

¹ includes raw and white sugar

² green peas and beans are accounted for as vegetables

³ includes green and dried coconuts and copra for manufacturing

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

Table 6.2 - Per capita consumption of food commodities, 1999 - 2002 (Cont'd)

Commodity	1999		2000		2001		2002	
	Kg per year	Grams per day	Kg per year	Grams per day	Kg per year	Grams per day	Kg per year	Grams per day
FRUITS								
Fresh bananas	6.43	17.62	7.16	19.63	8.71	23.87	6.61	18.11
Fresh citrus	5.92	16.21	5.52	15.14	5.07	13.89	6.21	17.01
Fresh apples	4.96	13.60	4.43	12.12	4.25	11.63	4.86	13.30
Fresh pineapples	0.22	0.61	2.56	7.00	4.72	12.93	1.21	3.31
Fresh other ¹	2.39	6.56	2.39	6.55	1.75	4.78	2.33	6.37
Fresh grapes	1.50	4.10	1.53	4.20	1.60	4.39	1.79	4.92
Dried grapes	0.16	0.44	0.18	0.50	0.25	0.67	0.16	0.43
Dried other	0.48	1.31	0.68	1.85	0.53	1.45	0.60	1.64
Preserved fruits	2.12	5.80	2.35	6.44	2.24	6.15	1.09	2.98
Fruit & vegetable juices	3.84	10.53	4.35	11.93	4.41	12.09	4.72	12.92
MISCELLANEOUS								
Ginger	0.10	0.26	0.39	1.06	0.73	2.00	0.39	1.07
Pepper, chillies, etc.	1.03	2.82	1.03	2.82	0.77	2.11	1.06	2.90
Garlic	1.05	2.88	1.11	3.05	1.06	2.91	1.15	3.16
Other spices	1.25	3.44	1.21	3.31	1.30	3.56	1.27	3.47
Cocoa/chocolate ²	1.12	3.08	1.28	3.50	1.22	3.34	1.37	3.77

¹ no estimate of local fruits production and consumption is available

² including food preparations containing cocoa

Table 6.2 - Per capita consumption of food commodities, 1999 - 2002 (Cont'd)

Commodity	1999		2000		2001		2002	
	Kg per year	Grams per day	Kg per year	Grams per day	Kg per year	Grams per day	Kg per year	Grams per day
MEAT								
Cattle/meat	5.97	16.37	6.18	16.94	5.40	14.81	5.72	15.67
Goat & Sheep/meat	4.56	12.49	4.77	13.05	4.71	12.90	3.96	10.84
Pig/meat	0.84	2.29	1.02	2.79	1.02	2.80	1.05	2.87
Edible offals for the above 4 items	2.17	5.95	2.12	5.81	2.12	5.80	2.25	6.15
Poultry meat	17.98	49.25	21.88	59.95	22.84	62.59	24.39	66.83
Rabbit	0.02	0.06	0.02	0.06	0.02	0.06	0.02	0.06
Game meat	0.44	1.20	0.43	1.19	0.52	1.41	0.51	1.40
Bacon,ham and sausages	0.80	2.19	0.88	2.41	0.84	2.31	0.91	2.49
Meat preparations	1.36	3.74	1.49	4.08	1.54	4.22	1.50	4.10
Other offals	0.19	0.51	0.17	0.48	0.18	0.49	0.17	0.48
EGGS								
Hen/eggs	8.30	22.73	9.44	25.86	9.24	25.32	9.57	26.23
MILK								
Fresh milk & cream	6.96	19.06	6.18	16.92	5.87	16.08	6.23	17.08
Dried milk exceeding 1.5 % by weight of fat	8.09	22.17	8.33	22.81	4.40	12.06	4.52	12.39
Dried milk not exceeding 1.5 % by weight of fat	3.14	8.60	5.23	14.33	6.34	17.38	6.71	18.38
Condensed milk	0.88	2.41	0.69	1.90	1.36	3.73	0.97	2.65
Milk/cheese	1.96	5.38	2.11	5.79	2.62	7.17	2.28	6.24

Table 6.2 - Per capita consumption of food commodities, 1999 - 2002 (Cont'd)

Commodity	1999		2000		2001		2002	
	Kg per year	Grams per day	Kg per year	Grams per day	Kg per year	Grams per day	Kg per year	Grams per day
FISH								
Fresh or frozen	6.14	16.81	11.90	32.59	8.90	24.39	9.59	26.27
Other	7.55	20.67	7.85	21.51	6.79	18.61	7.01	19.19
CRUSTACEANS & MOLLUSCS								
Fresh or frozen	2.49	6.82	3.12	8.55	3.51	9.60	2.98	8.16
Other	0.20	0.54	0.24	0.65	0.38	1.05	0.46	1.25
OILS AND FATS	28.06	76.87	28.36	77.70	26.93	73.77	28.40	77.80
BEVERAGE CROPS								
Tea	1.20	3.30	1.08	2.95	1.23	3.37	1.12	3.06
Coffee	0.27	0.74	0.50	0.50	0.35	0.95	0.36	1.00
ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES								
Beer, cider and wine	38.39 (Litres)	105.17 (c.c)	39.22 (Litres)	107.45 (c.c)	38.62 (Litres)	105.81 (c.c)	37.80 (Litres)	103.55 (c.c)

Table 6.3 - Food Balance Sheet, 2001
Population as at 01.07.01 = 1,163,875

(Figures in tonnes unless otherwise specified)

Commodity	Production		Estimated changes in stock	Gross Imports	Supply	Gross Exports	Domestic Utilization									
	Input	Output					Total	Feed	Seed	Manu- facture	Waste	Food				
CEREALS																
Wheat	-	-	-4,122	118,367	114,245	-	-	-	-	-	114,245	-	-	-	-	-
Wheaten flour	114,245	86,144	-3,806	33,669	116,007	34,032	-	-	-	-	-	820	-	-	81,155	-
Paddy/ Milled Rice	-	-	+8,000	62,253	70,253	4,064	-	-	-	-	-	662	-	-	65,527	-
Maize	-	361	+7,175	69,765	77,301	1	-	-	75,000	-	-	300	-	-	2,000	-
Oats	-	-	-	366	366	-	-	-	300	-	-	-	-	-	66	-
Barley	-	-	-	7	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	-
Malt	-	-	+14	5,509	5,523	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	-
Other cereals (unmilled)	-	-	-	179	179	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	179	-
Other cereals	-	-	-	846	846	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	839	-
Cereals preparations ¹	-	-	-	9,214	9,214	847	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8,367	-
STARCHY FOODS																
Potatoes	-	17,495	-2,121	10,060	25,434	516	-	-	-	-	-	2,030	-	-	22,140	-
Sweet potatoes	-	471	-	-	471	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	471	-
Cassava (Manioc)	-	166	-	-	166	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	166	-
Tapioca & Sago ²	-	-	-	134	134	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	130	-
Taro (Eddoes)	-	176	-	-	176	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	176	-

¹ refers to prepared breakfast foods, macaroni and spaghetti, bakery products and other

² new item, formerly included in preserved and prepared vegetables

Table 6.3 - Food Balance Sheet, 2001 (Cont'd)

(Figures in tonnes unless otherwise specified)

Commodity	Production		Estimated changes in stock	Gross Imports	Supply	Gross Exports	Domestic Utilization								
	Input	Output					Total	Feed	Seed	Manu- facture	Waste	Food			
SUGARS															
Cane /sugar ¹	-	645,597	-24,743	20,054	640,908	600,722	40,186	-	-	-	-	402	39,784		
Other sugars	-	-	-	562	562	3	559	-	-	-	-	-	559		
Sugar preparations	-	-	-	1,101	1,101	94	1,007	-	-	-	-	-	1,007		
Honey	-	50	-	129	179	1	178	-	-	-	-	-	178		
PULSES, NUTS & SEEDS															
Pulses ²	-	180	-	12,497	12,677	250	12,427	-	-	-	-	124	12,303		
Groundnuts (in shells or not)	-	319	-	1,206	1,525	38	1,487	-	5	-	-	-	1,482		
Coconuts ³	-	1,500	-	1,861	3,361	-	3,361	-	-	-	-	67	3,294		
Other edible nuts	-	-	-	16	16	1	15	-	-	-	-	-	15		
VEGETABLES															
Tomatoes	-	12,358	-	-	12,358	-	12,358	-	40	-	-	245	12,073		
Other (fresh) ⁴	-	96,271	-	602	96,873	66	96,807	-	-	-	-	1,935	94,872		
Onions	-	10,952	-72	8,765	19,645	517	19,128	-	-	-	-	574	18,554		
Vegetables prepared or preserved	-	800	-	5,036	5,836	103	5,733	-	-	-	-	-	5,733		

¹ brown sugar and white sugar combined² green peas and beans are accounted for as vegetables³ includes green and dried coconuts and copra for manufacturing⁴ excludes potatoes, tomatoes, onion, ginger, groundnuts, pineapples, garlic, manioc, sweet pepper, chillies, sweet potatoes, eddoes, rice and maize which are given separately

Table 6.3 - Food Balance Sheet, 2001 (Cont'd)

(Figures in tonnes unless otherwise specified)

Commodity	Production		Estimated changes in stock	Gross Imports	Supply	Gross Exports	Domestic Utilization								
	Input	Output					Total	Feed	Seed	Manu- facture	Waste	Food			
FRUITS															
Fresh bananas	-	10,453	-	-	10,453	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	313	10,140	
Fresh citrus	-	450	-	5,690	6,140	178	-	-	-	-	-	-	60	5,902	
Fresh apples	-	-	-	5,174	5,174	183	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	4,941	
Fresh pineapples	-	6,064	-	-	6,064	505	-	-	-	-	-	-	65	5,494	
Fresh other ¹	-	N.A.	-	2,180	2,180	128	-	-	-	-	-	-	21	2,031	
Fresh grapes	-	25	-	1,885	1,910	27	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	1,865	
Dried grapes	-	-	-	291	291	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	286	
Dried other	-	-	-	632	632	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	618	
Preserved fruits	-	350	-	2,373	2,723	112	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,611	
Fruit & Vegetable juices	-	600	-	4,703	5,303	167	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,136	
MISCELLANEOUS															
Ginger	-	868	-	1	869	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	849	
Pepper, chillies, etc. ²	-	531	-	394	925	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	895	
Garlic	-	39	-	1,287	1,326	88	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,236	
Other spices	-	200	-	1,334	1,534	22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,512	
Cocoa/chocolate ³	-	-	-	1,449	1,449	31	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,418	

¹ no estimate of local fruits production and consumption is available² includes green chillies and sweet pepper³ including food preparations containing cocoa

Table 6.3 - Food Balance Sheet, 2001 (Cont'd)

(Figures in tonnes unless otherwise specified)

Commodity	Production		Estimated changes in stock	Gross Imports	Supply	Gross Exports	Domestic Utilization							
	Input	Output					Total	Feed	Seed	Manu- facture	Waste	Food		
MEAT														
Cattle/meat	(H)12,250 ¹	2,315	-	4,239	6,554	200	6,354	-	-	-	-	64	6,290	
Goat & Sheep/meat	(H)16,242 ¹	162	-	5,423	5,585	50	5,535	-	-	-	-	55	5,480	
Pig/meat	(H)13,118 ¹	926	-	466	1,392	20	1,372	-	-	169	-	13	1,190	
Edible offals for the above 4 items		680	-	1,887	2,567	80	2,487	-	-	-	-	25	2,462	
Poultry meat	-	27,200	-	171	27,371	514	26,857	-	-	-	-	269	26,588	
Rabbit	-	25	-	-	25	-	25	-	-	-	-	-	25	
Game meat	-	600	-	-	600	-	600	-	-	-	-	-	600	
Bacon,ham and sausages	194	194	-	807	1,001	20	981	-	-	-	-	-	981	
Meat preparations	-	-	-	1,933	1,933	139	1,794	-	-	-	-	-	1,794	
Other offals	-	200	-	7	207	-	207	-	-	-	-	-	207	
EGGS														
Hen/eggs	-	12,000	-	30	12,030	78	11,952	-	-	1075 ²	-	120	10,757	
MILK														
Fresh milk & cream	-	4,000	-	3,268	7,268	75	7,193	-	-	-	-	360	6,833	
Dried milk exceeding 1.5 % by weight of fat	-	-	-	5,310	5,310	160	5,150	-	-	-	-	27	5,123	
Dried milk not exceeding 1.5 % by weight of fat	-	-	-	7,691	7,691	270	7,421	-	-	-	-	37	7,384	
Condensed milk	-	-	-	1,596	1,596	10	1,586	-	-	-	-	-	1,586	
Milk/cheese	-	-	-	3,191	3,191	145	3,046	-	-	-	-	-	3,046	

¹ (H) No. of heads¹ includes imported live animals slaughtered in Mauritius² for hatching purposes

Table 6.3 - Food Balance Sheet, 2001 (Cont'd)

(Figures in tonnes unless otherwise specified)

Commodity	Production		Estimated changes in stock	Gross Imports	Supply	Gross Exports	Domestic Utilization								
	Input	Output					Total	Feed	Seed	Manu- facture	Waste	Food			
FISH															
Fresh or frozen	-	8,907	-762	45,562	53,707	2,650	-	-	40,697	-	-	-	-	10,360	
Other	40,697	40,845	+990	5,376	47,211	39,305	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,906	
CRUSTACEANS & MOLLUSCS															
Fresh or frozen	-	324	-	3,756	4,080	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,080	
Other	-	25	-	419	444	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	444	
OILS AND FATS															
Crude	-	-	-1,962	32,881	30,919	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Refined	30,919	29,402	-66	7,912	37,248	4,043	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,865	31,340	
TEA	7,440	1,517	-	10	1,527	94	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,433	
COFFEE	-	5	-	408	413	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	404	
ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES (Hectolitres)															
Molasses/Spirits	-	N.A	N.A	4,256	N.A	436	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	N.A	
Beer,Cider and Wine	-	467,419	+1,520	17,343	486,282	36,759	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	449,523	

Table 6.4 - Food Balance Sheet, 2002
Population as at 01.07.02 = 1,174,021

(Figures in tonnes unless otherwise specified)

Commodity	Production		Estimated changes in stock	Gross Imports	Supply	Gross Exports	Domestic Utilization												
	Input	Output					Total	Feed	Seed	Manu- facture	Waste	Food							
CEREALS																			
Wheat	-	-	-5,974	146,730	140,756	-	140,756	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Wheaten flour	140,756	112,581	-5,399	7,090	114,272	30,298	83,974	-	-	-	-	-	840	-	-	-	-	83,134	
Paddy/ Milled Rice	-	-	-1,737	68,793	67,056	5,862	61,194	-	-	-	-	-	612	-	-	-	-	-	60,582
Maize	-	294	+175	81,524	81,993	1,638	80,355	-	-	5	-	-	78,000	-	-	-	-	-	2,000
Oats	-	-	-	316	316	-	316	250	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	66
Barley	-	-	-	8	8	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8
Malt	-	-	+502	5,048	5,550	-	5,550	-	-	-	-	-	5,500	-	-	-	-	-	50
Other cereals (unmilled)	-	-	-	76	76	-	76	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	76
Other cereals	-	-	-	883	883	6	877	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	877
Cereals preparations ¹	-	-	-	9,500	9,500	900	8,600	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8,600
STARCHY FOODS																			
Potatoes	-	15,212	-	9,366	24,578	511	24,067	-	-	1,714	-	-	-	722	-	-	-	-	21,631
Sweet potatoes	-	620	-	-	620	-	620	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	620
Cassava (Manioc)	-	140	-	-	140	-	140	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	140
Tapioca & Sago ²	-	-	-	155	155	23	132	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	132
Taro (Eddoes)	-	211	-	-	211	-	211	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	211

¹ refers to prepared breakfast foods, macaroni and spaghetti, bakery products and other

² new item, formerly included in preserved and prepared vegetables

Table 6.4 - Food Balance Sheet, 2002 (Cont'd)

(Figures in tonnes unless otherwise specified)

Commodity	Production		Estimated changes in stock	Gross Imports	Supply	Gross Exports	Domestic Utilization								
	Input	Output					Total	Feed	Seed	Manu- facture	Waste	Food			
SUGARS															
Cane /sugar ¹	-	520,678	+67,038	23,180	610,896	571,989	38,907	-	-	-	-	389	38,518		
Other sugars	-	-	-	692	692	5	687	-	-	-	-	-	687		
Sugar preparations	-	-	-	1,379	1,379	233	1,146	-	-	-	-	-	1,146		
Honey	-	10	-	82	92	2	90	-	-	-	-	-	90		
PULSES, NUTS & SEEDS															
Pulses ²	-	175	-	12,079	12,254	282	11,972	-	-	-	-	120	11,852		
Groundnuts (in shells or not)	-	275	-	1,576	1,851	12	1,839	-	5	-	-	-	1,834		
Coconuts ³	-	1500	-	1,929	3,429	4	3,425	-	-	-	-	-	3,425		
Other edible nuts	-	-	-	173	173	27	146	-	-	-	-	-	146		
VEGETABLES															
Tomatoes	-	8,737	-	-	8,737	-	8,737	-	40	-	-	175	8,522		
Other (fresh) ⁴	-	78,354	-	1,541	79,895	204	79,691	-	-	-	-	1,595	78,096		
Onions	-	7,125	-	10,655	17,780	250	17,530	-	-	-	-	526	17,004		
Vegetables prepared or preserved	-	900	-	6,628	7,528	109	7,419	-	-	-	-	-	7,419		

¹ brown sugar and white sugar combined

² green peas and beans are accounted for as vegetables

³ includes green and dried coconuts and copra for manufacturing

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

Table 6.4 - Food Balance Sheet, 2002 (Cont'd)

(Figures in tonnes unless otherwise specified)

Commodity	Production		Estimated changes in stock	Gross Imports	Supply	Gross Exports	Domestic Utilization											
	Input	Output					Total	Feed	Seed	Manu- facture	Waste	Food						
FRUITS																		
Fresh bananas	-	8,000	-	-	8,000	-	8,000	-	-	-	-	-	240	7,760				
Fresh citrus	-	400	-	7,057	7,457	92	7,365	-	-	-	-	74	7,291					
Fresh apples	-	-	-	5,940	5,940	183	5,757	-	-	-	-	57	5,700					
Fresh pineapples	-	1,917	-	-	1,917	483	1,434	-	-	-	-	14	1,420					
Fresh other ¹	-	N.A.	-	2,983	2,983	225	2,758	-	-	-	-	28	2,730					
Fresh grapes	-	25	-	2,128	2,153	25	2,128	-	-	-	-	21	2,107					
Dried grapes	-	-	-	190	190	5	185	-	-	-	-	-	185					
Dried other	-	-	-	704	704	3	701	-	-	-	-	-	701					
Preserved fruits	-	-	-	1,953	1,953	675	1,278	-	-	-	-	-	1,278					
Fruit & Vegetable juices	-	600	-	5,062	5,662	125	5,537	-	-	-	-	-	5,537					
MISCELLANEOUS																		
Ginger	-	473	-	3	476	1	475	-	-	15	-	-	-	460				
Pepper, chillies, etc. ²	-	826	-	460	1,286	45	1,241	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,241				
Garlic	-	25	-	1,376	1,401	46	1,355	-	-	1	-	-	-	1,354				
Other spices	-	200	-	1,585	1,785	296	1,489	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,489				
Cocoa/chocolate ³	-	-	-	1,657	1,657	43	1,614	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,614				

¹ no estimate of local fruits production and consumption is available² includes green chillies and sweet pepper³ including food preparations containing cocoa

Table 6.4 - Food Balance Sheet, 2002(Cont'd)

(Figures in tonnes unless otherwise specified)

Commodity	Production		Estimated changes in stock	Gross Imports	Supply	Gross Exports	Domestic Utilization										
	Input	Output					Total	Feed	Seed	Manu- facture	Waste	Food					
MEAT																	
Cattle/meat	(H) 11,827 ¹	2,500	-	4,521	7,021	236	6,785	-	-	-	-	68	6,717				
Goat & Sheep/meat	(H) 13,488 ¹	170	-	4,573	4,743	50	4,693	-	-	-	-	47	4,646				
Pig/meat	(H) 11,372 ¹	800	-	638	1,438	20	1,418	-	-	175	-	14	1,229				
Edible offals for the above 4 items	-	694	-	2,074	2,768	80	2,688	-	-	25	-	26	2,637				
Poultry meat	-	29,305	-	121	29,426	500	28,926	-	-	-	-	290	28,636				
Rabbit	-	25	-	-	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25				
Game meat	-	600	-	-	600	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	600				
Bacon,ham and sausages	200	200	-	869	1,069	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,069				
Meat preparations	-	-	-	1,865	1,865	108	1,757	-	-	-	-	-	1,757				
Other offals	-	200	-	4	204	-	204	-	-	-	-	-	204				
EGGS																	
Hen/eggs	-	12,500	-	66	12,566	100	12,466	-	-	1,100 ²	-	125	11,241				
MILK																	
Fresh milk & cream	-	4,000	-	4,507	8,507	803	7,704	-	-	-	-	385	7,319				
Dried milk exceeding 1.5 % by weight of fat	-	-	-	5,723	5,723	132	5,591	-	-	-	-	280	5,311				
Dried milk not exceeding 1.5 % by weight of fat	-	-	-	8,688	8,688	397	8,291	-	-	-	-	415	7,876				
Condensed milk	-	-	-	1,149	1,149	15	1,134	-	-	-	-	-	1,134				
Milk/cheese	-	-	-	2,835	2,835	159	2,676	-	-	-	-	-	2,676				

(H) No. of heads

¹ includes imported live animals slaughtered in Mauritius² for hatching purposes

Table 6.4 - Food Balance Sheet, 2002 (Cont'd)

(Figures in tonnes unless otherwise specified)

Commodity	Production		Estimated changes in stock	Gross Imports	Supply	Gross Exports	Domestic Utilization								
	Input	Output					Total	Feed	Seed	Manu- facture	Waste	Food			
FISH															
Fresh or frozen	-	9,195	-4,414	53,688	58,469	1,565	56,904	-	-	-	45,645	-	-	11,259	
Other	45,645	45,756	-1,378	5,718	50,096	41,871	8,225	-	-	-	-	-	-	8,225	
CRUSTACEANS & MOLLUSCS															
Fresh or frozen	-	382	-	3,116	3,498	-	3,498	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,498	
Other	-	25	-	510	535	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	535	
OILS AND FATS															
Crude	-	-	-1,080	31,842	30,762	-	30,762	-	-	-	30,762	-	-	-	
Refined	30,762	29,687	-	9,478	39,165	4,025	35,140	-	-	-	-	1,800	-	33,340	
TEA															
	-	1,381	-	15	1,396	85	1,311	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,311	
COFFEE															
	-	-	-	436	436	8	428	-	-	-	-	-	-	428	
ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES (Hectolitres)															
Molasses/Spirits	-	N.A	N.A	5,030	N.A	474	N.A	-	-	-	-	-	-	N.A	
Beer,Cider and Wine	-	464,274	-1,481	18,795	481,588	37,849	443,739	-	-	-	-	-	-	443,739	

**PRODUCER PRICE INDEX –
AGRICULTURE**

(PPI – A)

(Base Year 1997 = 100)

PRODUCER PRICE INDEX - AGRICULTURE (PPI-A)

Methodology for the construction of the PPI-A

Weighting scheme

The weights are derived by multiplying the average of production during 1996, 1997 and 1998 by the average of unit prices in 1997, the reference period. The weight is assigned to each commodity group on the basis of total production (as a proxy for sales) pertaining to the particular group. At commodity level, the weights are apportioned within the commodity group on the basis of production of each product.

Quarterly and annual indices have been computed using a weighting system based on the production value for the base period.

Price collection

In principle, prices collected should refer to farm-gate prices, but it is extremely difficult to obtain such prices for vegetables, not only because of the enormous resources to be mobilised but also because of the unavailability of a list of planters. Hence, in lieu of the farm-gate price, the wholesale price of the produce is recorded at the two auction markets (Vacoas and Port-Louis) once a week.

In the case of commodities for which prices are fairly stable, data suppliers are visited on a quarterly basis, but prices are collected for each month of the quarter.

Prices of the main commercial crops like sugarcane, tea leaf and tobacco leaf, which are normally fixed for the crop year, are supplied by the respective marketing agencies.

Index calculation

The PPI-A is calculated according to a modified Laspeyres formula:

$$I_t = \frac{\sum W_i (P_{ti}/P_{oi})}{\sum W_i} \times 100$$

where :

I_t is the index for the current period t

P_{ti} is the price of commodity i in the current period t

P_{oi} is the price of the commodity i in the reference period o (1997)

w_i is the weight associated with commodity i

Monthly Producer Price Index -Agriculture (PPI-A)
(Base period: Year 1997=100)

Table 7.1 Monthly indices by commodity groups and products, January 2002-December 2002

Commodity Group	Weight	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Crop Products	846.2	116.8	124.6	127.8	116.8	111.4	113.1	120.0	120.8	122.2	122.1	121.1	123.4
Sugar cane	695.9	107.8	107.8	107.8	107.8	107.8	107.8	119.7	119.7	119.7	119.7	119.7	119.7
Other crop products	150.3	158.2	202.5	220.4	158.4	127.8	137.9	121.5	125.9	133.9	133.5	127.8	140.4
Root Crops	13.2	139.7	164.2	179.2	142.2	170.2	160.0	157.3	155.9	157.7	156.2	154.5	157.0
Fruits	18.7	156.8	137.1	125.5	135.9	134.5	138.1	146.0	153.2	143.9	122.1	220.3	280.5
Fresh vegetables	89.4	171.3	246.3	277.8	177.4	121.7	139.2	109.6	115.4	130.4	133.9	106.2	113.4
Flowers, Ornamental plants	14.2	114.2	113.7	106.7	102.5	105.4	106.8	109.9	111.1	112.5	116.0	101.9	109.2
Tea	8.8	137.3	137.3	137.3	137.3	137.3	137.3	141.0	141.0	141.0	141.0	141.0	141.0
Tobacco	6.0	143.3	143.3	143.3	143.3	143.3	143.3	143.3	143.3	143.3	143.3	143.3	143.3
Animals & Animal Products	153.8	109.7	112.2	112.3	113.2	115.2	115.9	116.7	116.5	113.7	108.6	106.4	108.7
Cattle	4.2	84.8	84.8	84.8	84.8	84.8	84.8	84.8	84.8	84.8	84.8	84.8	84.8
Pigs	6.2	106.8	117.3	117.3	117.3	117.3	129.8	129.8	129.8	129.8	129.8	129.8	129.8
Goat	1.4	112.2	112.2	112.2	112.2	112.2	112.2	112.2	112.2	112.2	112.2	112.2	112.2
Deer	6.2	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	130.3	130.3	130.3	130.3	132.9	133.2	133.2
Poultry	86.2	106.5	106.7	106.7	106.7	106.7	106.3	106.3	106.3	106.3	106.3	106.3	106.3
Eggs	43.2	117.5	124.5	125.0	128.0	135.1	136.6	139.3	138.8	128.5	110.3	102.1	110.3
Milk	6.4	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Overall Index	1,000.0	115.7	122.7	125.4	116.2	111.9	113.5	119.5	120.1	120.9	120.0	118.8	121.1

Annual Producer Price Index -Agriculture (PPI-A)

(Base period: Year 1997=100)

Table 7.2 : Annual indices, Annual changes (%) and Net contributions of commodity groups and products to the change, 2000-2002

Commodity Group	Weight	Annual index ¹		Percentage Changes from		Net Contributions from		
		2000	2001	2002	2000 to 2001	2001 to 2002	2000 to 2001	2001 to 2002
Crop Products	846.2	102.7	106.1	119.7	3.3	12.8	2.93	11.44
Sugar cane	695.9	100.6	102.5	113.8	1.9	11.0	1.32	7.86
Other crop products	150.3	112.3	123.0	146.8	9.5	19.3	1.61	3.58
Root Crops	13.2	123.4	138.9	156.0	12.6	12.3	0.20	0.23
Fruits	18.7	120.1	116.4	190.4	-3.1	63.6	-0.07	1.38
Fresh vegetables	89.4	106.1	121.2	143.3	14.2	18.2	1.35	1.98
Flowers, Ornamental plants	14.2	108.2	111.1	109.2	2.7	-1.7	0.04	-0.03
Tea	8.8	136.3	137.3	139.2	0.7	1.4	0.01	0.02
Tobacco	6.0	130.0	143.0	143.3	10.0	0.2	0.08	0.00
Animals & Animal Products	153.8	104.6	114.2	112.5	9.2	-1.5	1.48	-0.27
Cattle	4.2	82.1	84.0	84.8	2.3	1.0	0.01	0.00
Pigs	6.2	78.7	106.3	123.9	35.1	16.6	0.17	0.11
Goat	1.4	112.2	112.2	112.2	0.0	0.0	0.00	0.00
Deer	6.2	117.9	124.9	130.4	5.9	4.4	0.04	0.03
Poultry	86.2	105.3	106.3	106.5	0.9	0.2	0.09	0.02
Eggs	43.2	107.6	134.6	124.7	25.1	-7.4	1.17	-0.43
Milk	6.4	100.0	100.0	100.0	0.0	0.0	0.00	0.00
Total	1,000.0	103.0	107.3	118.6	4.2	10.5	4.41	11.17

¹ using data for base period as weights, and not a simple average of the monthly indices



MISCELLANEOUS

Table 8.1 - Total land area classified by utilisation, 1995

	Area (hectares)	%
Agriculture	86,500	46.4
<i>Sugar cane</i>	<i>76,840</i>	<i>41.2</i>
<i>Other agricultural activities</i>	<i>9,660</i>	<i>5.2</i>
Forest, scrubs and grazing lands	57,000	30.6
Reservoirs, ponds, swamps & rocks	2,600	1.4
Roads and footpaths	4,000	2.1
Built-up areas	36,400	19.5
Whole Island	186,500	100.0

Source: Initial National Communication under the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change, April 1999

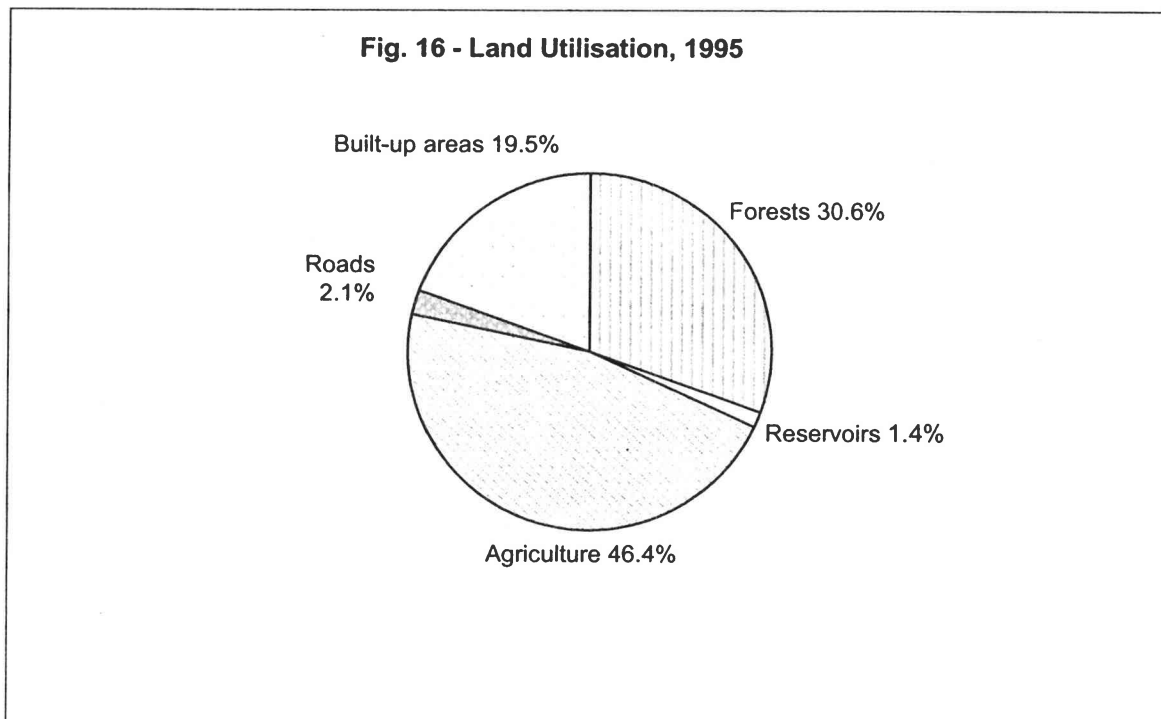


Table 8.2 - Effective area under cultivation, 1998 - 2002

(Hectares)

Crops	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
Sugar cane	78,020	78,981	76,962	76,478	75,501
Tea	689	671	670	660	680
Tobacco	463	403	397	383	340

Table 8.3 - Land under irrigation, 1999 - 2002 (as at December)

(Hectares)

Region	Overhead	Surface	Drip	Total
North	4,949	760	962	6,671
East	3,015	-	158	3,173
Centre	692	85	-	777
West	3,679	1,506	173	5,358
South	4,693	21	529	5,243
Total 2002	17,028	2,372	1,822	21,222
Total 2001	17,119	2,723	1,789	21,631
Total 2000	15,951	2,020	1,535	19,506
Total 1999	15,455	2,066	1,355	18,876

Source: Irrigation Authority

Table 8.4 - Imports of agricultural and food products, 1998 - 2002

(c.i.f. value in Rs million)

Description of product	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
1. Live animals	193.7	273.2	227.4	213.9	256.7
<i>of which:</i>					
Cattle	161.7	240.0	196.5	181.9	218.2
2. Meat and meat preparations	733.1	629.0	696.8	741.2	813.2
<i>of which:</i>					
Meat and edible meat offals, fresh, chilled or frozen	593.5	488.8	538.2	565.4	608.9
Meat and edible meat offals prepared or preserved	139.6	140.1	158.6	175.8	204.3
3. Dairy products and eggs	1,037.7	1,092.2	1,072.2	1,318.1	1,409.4
<i>of which:</i>					
Milk and cream	790.2	799.6	773.6	986.5	1,015.4
Butter, ghee, cheese and curd	247.2	280.3	297.5	330.8	392.7
4. Fish, crustaceans, molluscs and preparation thereof	1,113.2	793.0	1,057.9	1,754.3	3,832.0
<i>of which:</i>					
Fish - fresh, chilled and frozen	866.6	559.1	710.9	1,319.3	3,406.9
Fish - dried, salted, smoked	4.4	3.9	4.5	6.6	8.8
Fish, crustaceans and molluscs - prepared and otherwise preserved	144.6	143.7	163.3	180.7	216.9

Table 8.4 - Imports of agricultural and food products, 1998 - 2002 (Cont'd)

(c.i.f. value in Rs million)

Description of product	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
5. Cereals and Cereal preparations	1,633.6	1,756.6	1,638.0	1,890.6	2,090.5
<i>of which:</i>					
Rice	555.7	764.0	660.5	619.7	688.3
Maize	215.3	245.4	210.0	237.6	302.8
Wheat Flour	114.1	0.8	0.6	198.0	45.4
Cereal preparations	235.4	247.9	260.6	298.9	330.1
6. Vegetables and fruits	850.5	951.1	932.4	990.5	1,122.3
<i>of which:</i>					
Potatoes	102.6	75.9	77.5	93.3	102.9
Pulses	121.6	134.8	130.0	146.6	144.7
Fruits and nuts, fresh or dried	328.2	386.3	368.5	363.4	432.7
Fruits preserved and fruit preparations	48.7	64.6	66.0	65.6	55.4
7. Sugar, sugar preparations and honey	397.2	325.7	367.4	257.1	322.1

Table 8.4 - Imports of agricultural and food products, 1998 - 2002 (Cont'd)

Description of product	(c.i.f. value in Rs million)				
	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
8. Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactured thereof	158.2	184.5	192.1	196.7	280.4
<i>of which:</i>					
Chocolate and food preparations containing cocoa	76.1	98.2	95.7	101.5	137.4
Spices	46.7	50.8	56.8	60.6	102.4
9. Feeding stuff for animals	212.7	240.1	222.2	265.2	283.0
10. Miscellaneous food preparations	416.4	424.6	459.6	576.1	649.2
11. Beverages and tobacco	312.2	527.1	368.7	362.3	491.5
<i>of which:</i>					
Non-alcoholic beverages n.e.s	38.4	36.3	34.7	46.1	64.4
Alcoholic beverages	236.6	401.1	264.9	221.7	306.1
Tobacco, manufactured	27.1	68.9	65.6	93.0	111.5
Tobacco, unmanufactured	10.1	20.8	3.4	1.4	9.6
12. Vegetable oils and fats	616.5	594.5	499.9	531.2	673.1
Total agricultural and food products	7,675.5	7,791.6	7,734.6	9,097.2	12,223.4
Total Imports	49,742.2	56,629.3	54,928.4	57,940.2	64,888.2
Total imports of agriculture and food products as a % of Total Imports	15.4	13.8	14.1	15.7	18.8

Table 8.5 - Imports of selected items (Quantity), 1998 - 2002

(Tonnes)

Items	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
1. Rice	62,509	83,262	75,689	62,253	68,793
2. Maize	55,473	64,069	61,239	69,768	81,524
3. Wheat Flour	18,754	34	23	33,670	7,091
4. Pulses	11,074	11,663	11,817	12,497	12,079
5. Fruits and nuts (fresh & dried)	16,580	19,374	19,288	18,309	21,087
6. Coffee	310	345	591	438	435
7. Cocoa/Chocolate	1,179	1,301	1,512	1,452	1,657
8. Vegetable oils & fats	32,463	36,979	37,254	38,019	40,932
9. Cattle * (Live)	12,460	12,020	12,211	10,789	12,233
10. Meat & Edible meat offals (prepared or preserved)	2,483	2,465	2,734	2,740	2,734
11. Meat & Edible meat offals (fresh, chilled or frozen)	15,062	12,586	13,078	12,170	11,932
12. Milk and cream	15,829	16,732	17,294	17,870	20,170
13. Butter, ghee, cheese & curd	2,984	3,265	3,792	4,222	4,011
14. Fish, crustaceans & molluscs (fresh, chilled and frozen)	29,854	26,515	37,771	47,785	78,003
15. Fish, crustaceans & molluscs (dried, salted and smoked)	428	386	401	387	733
16. Fish, crustaceans & molluscs (prepared or otherwise preserved)	3,584	3,439	3,974	3,961	4,653

* Number of heads

Table 8.6 - Imports of major agricultural inputs, 1998 - 2002

(Quantity in tonnes, c.i.f. value in Rs '000)

Commodities	1998		1999		2000		2001		2002	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Fertilizers	43,160	170,087	42,789	174,910	56,617	225,444	68,966	285,632	43,877	202,316
Insecticides	428	59,355	530	64,786	439	63,121	605	72,103	743	82,867
Fungicides	175	17,005	120	13,321	163	17,817	177	20,837	199	22,412
Weedkillers	949	127,644	872	113,180	947	127,624	1,042	137,373	1,005	144,745

Table 8.7 - Consumption of fertilizers, 1996 - 2002

(Tonnes)

Year	Product weight	Nutrients contents		
		N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O
1996	70,092	11,634	4,506	14,550
1997	73,740	12,294	4,644	15,326
1998	69,486	11,681	4,342	14,444
1999	62,721	10,941	3,684	11,351
2000	67,044	11,550	3,940	13,464
2001	65,527	11,428	4,059	12,911
2002	64,739	11,028	4,011	13,296

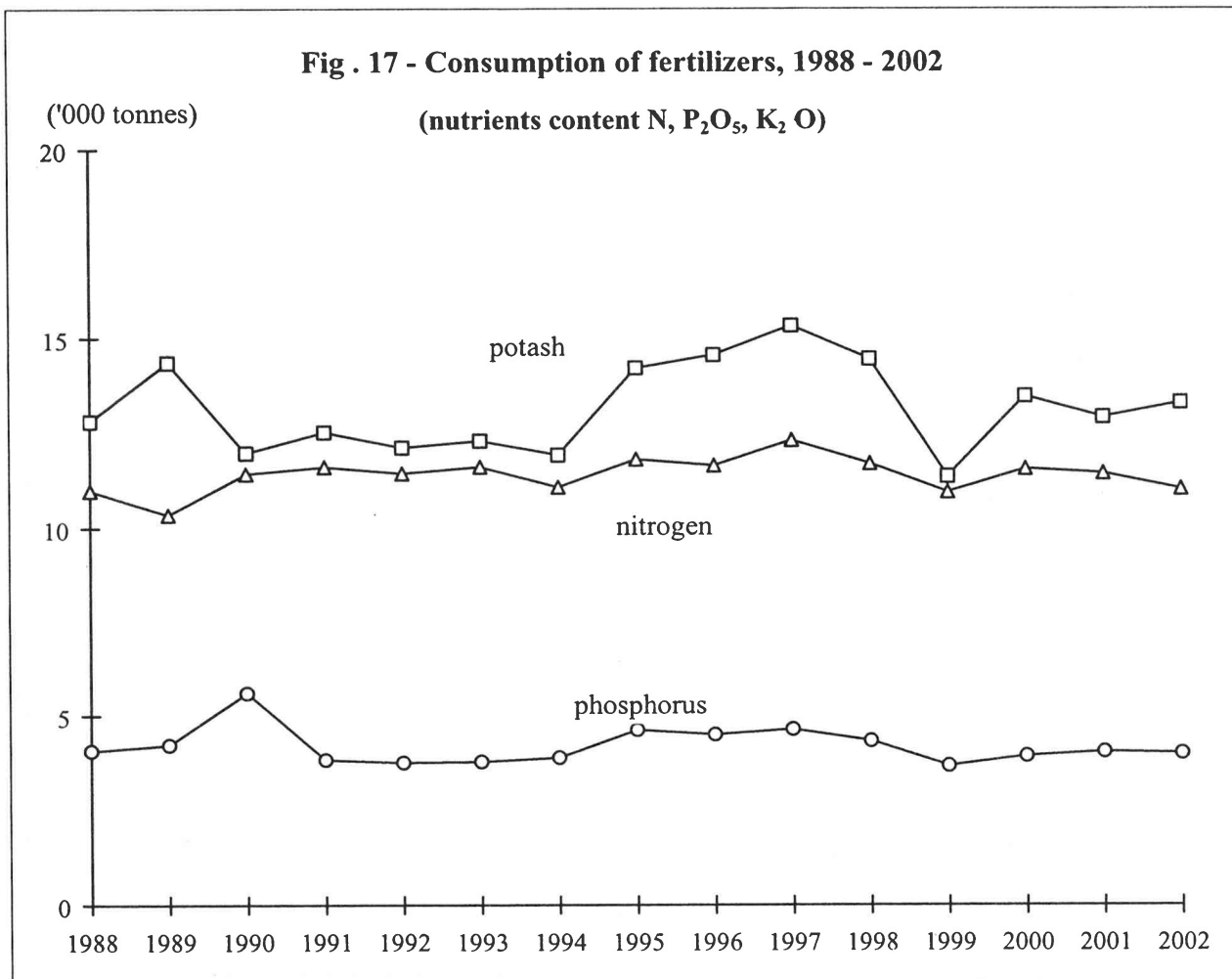
Fig . 17 - Consumption of fertilizers, 1988 - 2002

Table 8.8 - Average price¹ of fertilizers, 1998 - 2002

(Rupees/tonne)					
Fertilizers	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
Straight fertilizers					
Di-Ammonium Phosphate	10,125	10,125	10,125	10,630	11,160
Triple Superphosphate	6,930	6,930	6,930	7,280	7,645
Muriate of Potash	4,745	4,745	4,745	4,980	5,230
Ammonium Sulphate	3,525	3,525	3,525	3,700	3,885
Sulphate of Potash	8,080	8,080	8,080	8,485	8,910
Potassium Nitrate	14,225	14,225	16,850	17,695	18,580
Calcium Ammonium Nitrate	4,570	4,570	4,570	4,800	5,040
Complex Fertilizers					
17-8-25	5,980	5,980	5,980	6,280	6,595
17-2-27	5,480	5,480	5,480	5,755	6,040
13-13-20 + 2MgO	5,890	5,890	5,890	6,185	6,495
22.5-7.5-7.5	5,730	5,730	5,730	6,015	6,315
Price Index (1990 = 100)	149.7	149.8	149.8	157.3	165.0

¹ actual price paid by farmers

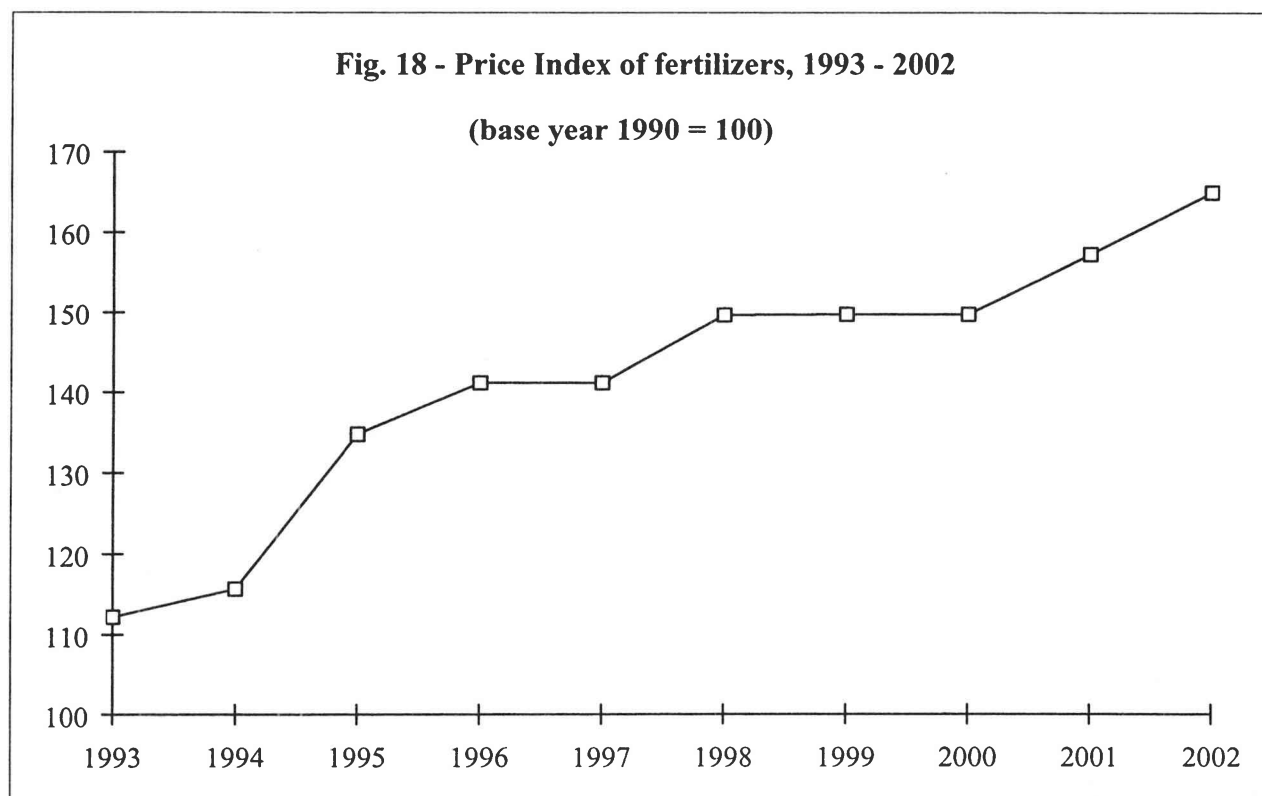


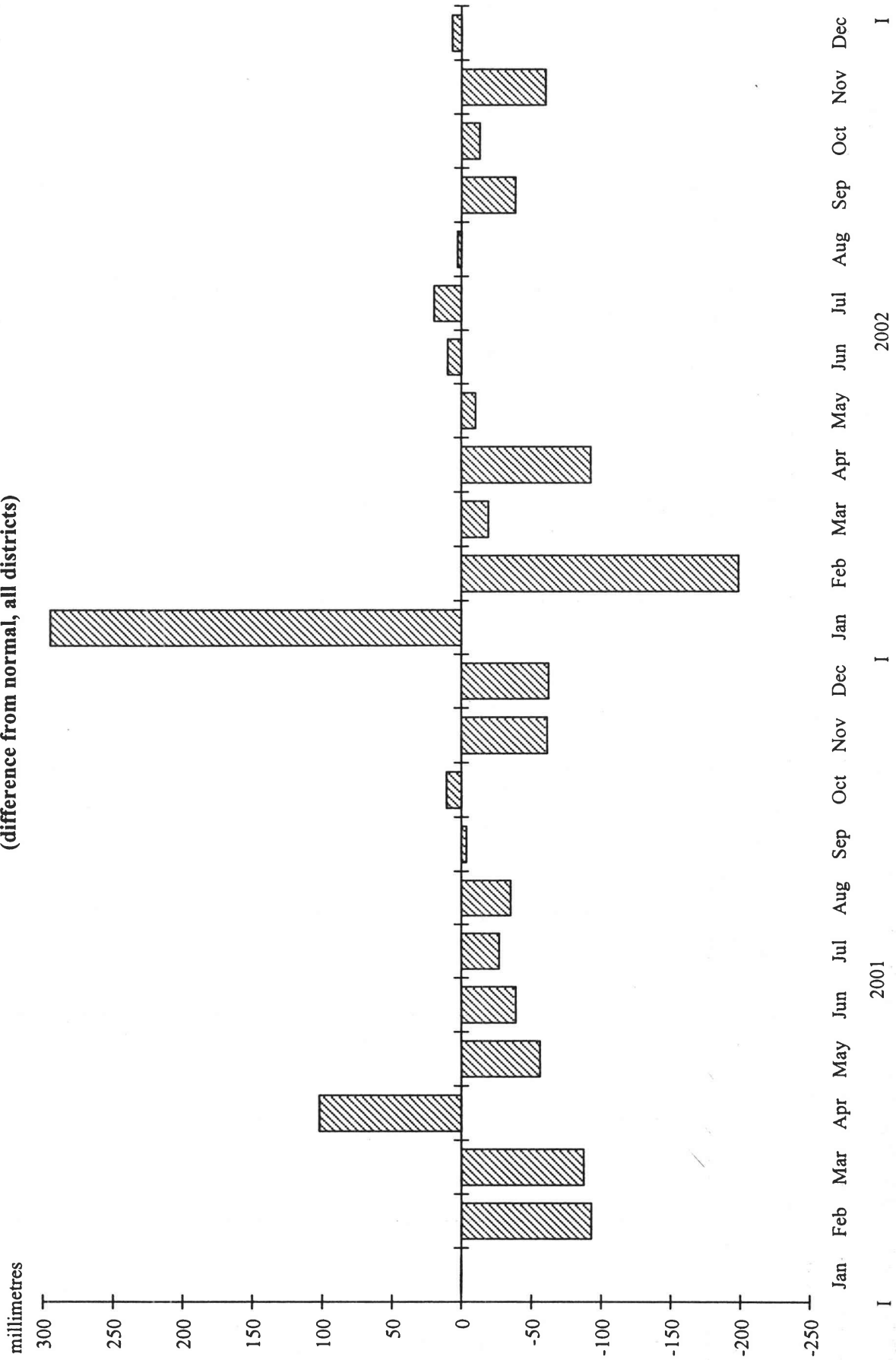
Table 8.9 - Monthly average rainfall by region, 2002

(Millimetres)

Month	North		South		East		West		Centre		Island	
	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	331.8	113.4	556.9	255.0	633.9	319.9	820.0	646.8	828.9	495.2	573.1	295.0
February	42.4	-187.6	95.1	-221.8	143.0	-200.7	87.6	-98.2	141.9	-224.3	99.0	-198.7
March	182.8	3.3	264.8	-12.4	255.6	-35.0	86.9	-31.3	222.8	-42.5	224.0	-19.1
April	46.6	-120.1	212.3	-66.8	176.1	-95.0	25.8	-68.8	92.8	-118.4	135.4	-92.5
May	75.2	-19.9	170.1	-28.0	207.3	11.0	20.0	-16.2	138.3	20.3	141.1	-10.1
June	67.7	-14.4	179.0	34.5	147.7	-1.3	60.2	28.6	112.4	3.2	127.6	9.9
July	80.4	5.1	182.7	23.3	196.5	50.2	27.2	5.3	98.5	-17.3	139.9	19.7
August	44.5	-23.6	162.7	20.8	142.7	11.9	7.3	-13.0	117.1	-1.3	111.9	2.8
September	14.0	-32.3	53.8	-42.7	55.5	-38.9	2.7	-14.6	22.3	-53.9	37.1	-38.2
October	38.0	-4.0	72.0	-21.7	79.3	-15.7	27.9	7.4	56.1	-13.9	60.4	-12.8
November	15.7	-41.9	44.0	-75.8	39.8	-76.7	2.2	-37.1	58.2	-32.1	34.4	-60.0
December	100.9	-47.9	320.6	75.5	226.5	-33.3	189.9	60.5	216.3	-21.6	222.4	6.8
Total Year	1,040.0	-369.9	2,314.0	-60.1	2,303.9	-103.6	1,357.7	469.4	2,105.6	-6.6	1,906.3	-97.2

Source: Meteorological Services

Fig. 19 - Monthly average rainfall, 2001 - 2002
(difference from normal, all districts)



2001

2002

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Table 8.10 - Monthly average minimum temperature by region, 2002

(Degrees Celcius)

Region Month	North		South		East		West		Centre		Island	
	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	21.3	-0.7	23.2	0.5	22.0	0.2	20.6	-1.6	21.3	1.0	21.7	-0.1
February	21.7	-0.6	23.7	0.8	22.3	0.2	20.7	-1.7	21.7	1.1	22.0	0.0
March	22.2	0.1	23.5	0.9	22.3	0.4	22.2	0.0	21.6	1.2	22.4	0.5
April	20.5	-0.4	21.8	0.3	20.6	-0.4	21.3	0.1	20.0	0.6	20.8	0.0
May	20.1	1.4	21.3	1.5	19.8	0.8	20.7	1.5	19.1	1.6	20.2	1.4
June	17.5	0.8	19.3	1.0	17.5	-0.1	17.9	0.3	16.7	0.8	17.8	0.6
July	17.6	1.4	19.0	1.2	17.6	0.4	18.3	1.4	16.9	1.7	17.9	1.2
August	16.5	0.3	18.7	1.1	16.9	0.2	17.5	0.9	16.0	1.1	17.1	0.7
September	16.8	0.1	18.4	0.6	16.7	-0.3	17.9	0.6	16.1	0.8	17.2	0.4
October	18.2	0.1	19.9	1.0	18.3	0.5	19.5	1.2	17.5	1.1	18.7	0.8
November	19.9	0.1	21.6	1.4	19.8	0.6	21.3	1.3	19.0	1.2	20.3	0.9
December	21.8	0.5	23.2	1.4	21.7	0.9	23.1	1.5	20.9	1.5	22.1	1.2

Source: Meteorological Services

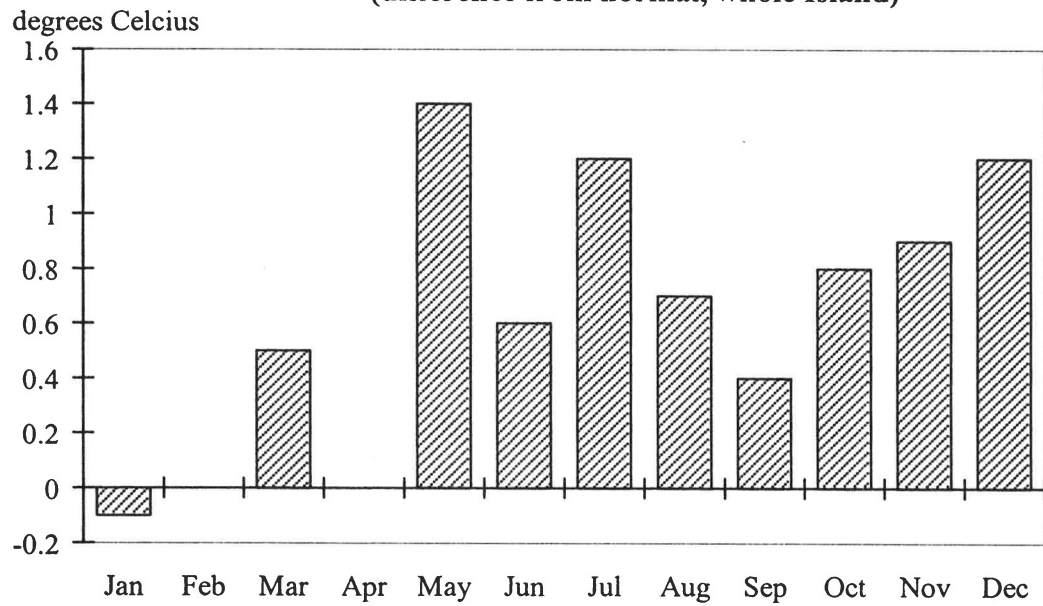
Table 8.11 - Monthly average maximum temperature by region, 2002

(Degrees Celcius)

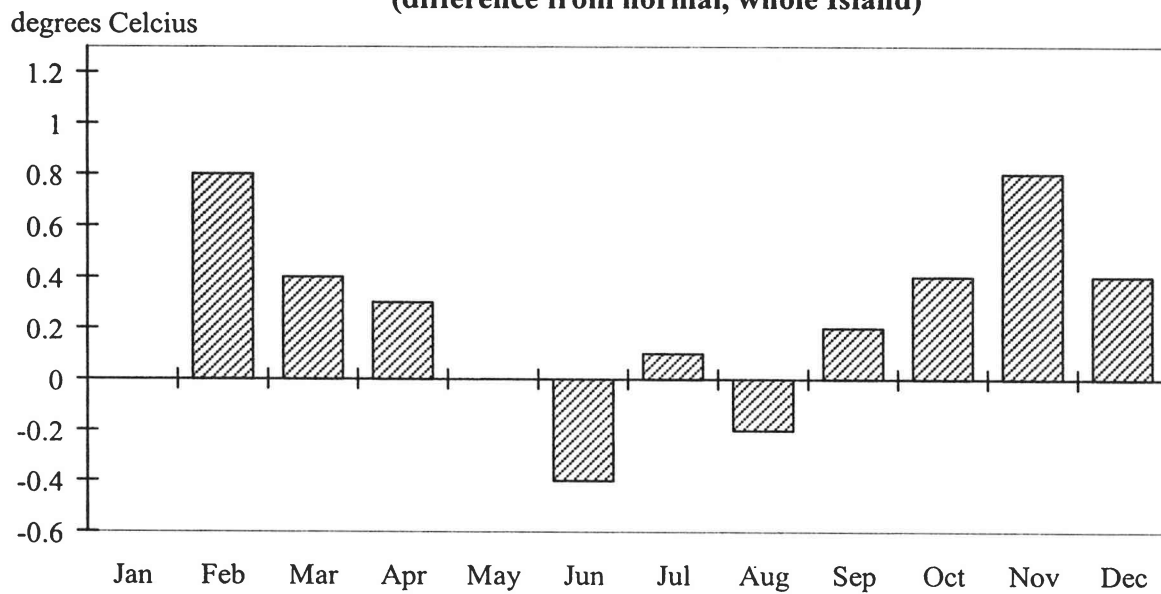
Region Month	North		South		East		West		Centre		Island	
	Mean Amount	Difference from normal	Mean Amount	Difference from normal	Mean Amount	Difference from normal	Mean Amount	Difference from normal	Mean Amount	Difference from normal	Mean Amount	Difference from normal
January	30.1	-0.7	29.5	0.1	28.5	0.1	30.5	0.1	27.7	0.4	29.3	0.0
February	31.3	0.7	30.1	0.7	29.4	0.7	31.5	1.1	28.5	1.0	30.2	0.8
March	30.0	-0.3	29.7	0.6	28.8	0.4	31.2	1.1	27.6	0.2	29.5	0.4
April	29.3	-0.2	28.7	0.6	27.5	-0.1	30.4	1.0	26.6	0.3	28.5	0.3
May	27.5	-0.5	27.0	0.4	25.5	-0.6	28.9	1.0	24.2	-0.4	26.6	0.0
June	25.4	-0.9	25.2	0.1	23.8	-0.7	26.4	0.0	22.4	-0.4	24.6	-0.4
July	24.7	-0.9	24.9	0.7	23.6	0.0	25.9	0.3	22.2	0.3	24.3	0.1
August	24.5	-1.2	24.3	0.3	23.1	-0.5	26.0	0.5	21.4	-0.2	23.9	-0.2
September	26.1	-0.7	25.5	0.8	24.2	0.0	27.3	0.8	22.9	0.3	25.2	0.2
October	27.8	-0.2	27.1	1.0	25.7	0.4	28.3	0.6	24.0	0.1	26.6	0.4
November	29.2	-0.3	29.3	1.6	27.6	0.9	30.1	1.1	26.4	0.6	28.5	0.8
December	30.6	0.5	29.2	0.2	28.6	0.5	30.2	0.4	27.4	0.4	29.2	0.4

Source: Meteorological Services

**Fig. 20 - Monthly average minimum temperature, 2002
(difference from normal, whole Island)**



**Fig. 21 - Monthly average maximum temperature, 2002
(difference from normal, whole Island)**



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