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FOREWORD

This is the eighth issue of the digest of statistics confined exclusively to statistical data relating to the Island of Rodrigues. While a few tables appearing in this report have already been published in other reports, all the others have been compiled and are being published for the first time.

It is hoped that the statistics published in this report will be helpful to the public in general and to planners and policy makers in particular.

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SECTION 1. POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS

Table 1-1 Estimated resident population, Island of Rodrigues as at 31st December 2000 & 2001¹

| Year | Population | | | Area(sq Km) | Density persons/km ² |
|------|------------|--------|--------|-------------|---------------------------------|
| | Both sexes | Male | Female | | |
| 2000 | 35,885 | 17,758 | 18,127 | 104 | 345 |
| 2001 | 36,084 | 17,849 | 18,235 | 104 | 347 |

¹ based on the 2000 population census data adjusted for underenumeration of young children

Table 1-2 Population growth in intercensal periods, 1851-2000

| Census Date | Population enumerated at census | | | Intercensal increase | Average annual rate of increase % |
|---------------------------|---------------------------------|--------|------------|----------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | Male | Female | Both sexes | | |
| 20 Nov. 1851 | 327 | 198 | 495 | - | - |
| 8 Apr. 1861 | 464 | 229 | 693 | 198 | 3.65 |
| 11 Apr. 1871 | 693 | 415 | 1,108 | 415 | 4.80 |
| 4 Apr. 1881 | 812 | 619 | 1,431 | 323 | 2.59 |
| 6 Mar. 1891 | 1,154 | 914 | 2,068 | 637 | 3.75 |
| 1 Apr. 1901 | 1,685 | 1,477 | 3,162 | 1,094 | 4.34 |
| 31 Mar. 1911 | 2,523 | 2,306 | 4,829 | 1,667 | 4.33 |
| 21 May 1921 | 3,300 | 3,284 | 6,584 | 1,755 | 3.15 |
| 26 Apr. 1931 | 4,033 | 4,169 | 8,202 | 1,618 | 2.22 |
| 11 Jun. 1944 | 5,740 | 6,145 | 11,885 | 3,683 | 2.89 |
| 30 Jun 1952 | 5,947 | 7,386 | 13,333 | 1,448 | 1.45 |
| 30 Jun. 1962 | 9,062 | 9,273 | 18,335 | 5,002 | 3.24 |
| 30 Jun. 1972 ¹ | 12,270 | 12,499 | 24,769 | 6,434 | 3.05 |
| 2 Jul. 1983 ¹ | 16,552 | 16,530 | 33,082 | 8,313 | 2.67 |
| 1 Jul. 1990 ² | 17,084 | 17,120 | 34,204 | 1,122 | 0.48 |
| 2 Jul 2000 ² | 17,700 | 18,079 | 35,779 | 1,575 | 0.45 |

¹'de facto' population

²'de jure' population

Table 1.3 - Age distribution of the population of the Island of Rodrigues as enumerated at the 1990 and 2000 censuses

| Age group (Years) | 1990 ¹ | | | | 2000 ² | | | |
|----------------------|-------------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|-------------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|
| | Male | Female | Both sexes | | Male | Female | Both sexes | |
| | | | Number | % | | | Number | % |
| 0 | 402 | 354 | 756 | 2.2 | 411 | 376 | 787 | 2.2 |
| 1 - 4 | 1,587 | 1,598 | 3,185 | 9.3 | 1,369 | 1,412 | 2,781 | 7.8 |
| 5 - 9 | 2,490 | 2,538 | 5,028 | 14.7 | 1,808 | 1,881 | 3,689 | 10.3 |
| 10 - 14 | 2,463 | 2,418 | 4,881 | 14.3 | 1,990 | 1,902 | 3,892 | 10.9 |
| 15 - 19 | 2,007 | 1,982 | 3,989 | 11.7 | 2,224 | 2,291 | 4,515 | 12.6 |
| 20 - 24 | 1,642 | 1,544 | 3,186 | 9.3 | 1,783 | 1,791 | 3,574 | 10.0 |
| 25 - 29 | 1,238 | 1,317 | 2,555 | 7.5 | 1,359 | 1,392 | 2,751 | 7.7 |
| 30 - 34 | 1,111 | 1,075 | 2,186 | 6.4 | 1,225 | 1,244 | 2,469 | 6.9 |
| 35 - 39 | 847 | 783 | 1,630 | 4.8 | 1,118 | 1,174 | 2,292 | 6.4 |
| 40 - 44 | 669 | 620 | 1,289 | 3.8 | 1,059 | 1,040 | 2,099 | 5.9 |
| 45 - 49 | 689 | 700 | 1,389 | 4.0 | 793 | 729 | 1,522 | 4.3 |
| 50 - 54 | 570 | 602 | 1,172 | 3.4 | 622 | 593 | 1,215 | 3.4 |
| 55 - 59 | 469 | 459 | 928 | 2.7 | 605 | 616 | 1,221 | 3.4 |
| 60 - 64 | 332 | 341 | 673 | 2.0 | 493 | 548 | 1,041 | 2.9 |
| 65 - 69 | 239 | 254 | 493 | 1.4 | 354 | 408 | 762 | 2.1 |
| 70 - 74 | 173 | 229 | 402 | 1.2 | 224 | 249 | 473 | 1.3 |
| 75 - 79 | 89 | 147 | 236 | 0.7 | 142 | 182 | 324 | 0.9 |
| 80 - 84 | 52 | 100 | 152 | 0.4 | 78 | 132 | 210 | 0.6 |
| 85 + | 14 | 57 | 71 | 0.2 | 39 | 118 | 157 | 0.4 |
| Age unknown | 1 | 2 | 3 | 0.0 | 4 | 1 | 5 | 0.0 |
| All ages | 17,084 | 17,120 | 34,204 | 100.0 | 17,700 | 18,079 | 35,779 | 100.0 |

^{1,2} 'de facto' population. 'de jure' population.

Source : Housing and Population Census 1990 and 2000 respectively

Table 1.4 - Mid-year and end of year population estimates by gender, Island of Rodrigues, 1982 - 2001¹

| Year | Mid - year estimates | | | | End of year estimates | | | |
|------|----------------------|--------|--------|------------------------|-----------------------|--------|--------|------------------------|
| | Both sexes | Male | Female | Sex ratio ² | Both sexes | Male | Female | Sex ratio ² |
| 1982 | 31,527 | 15,763 | 15,764 | 100.0 | 32,521 | 16,265 | 16,256 | 100.1 |
| 1983 | 33,082 | 16,552 | 16,530 | 100.1 | 33,214 | 16,530 | 16,684 | 99.1 |
| 1984 | 33,563 | 16,734 | 16,829 | 99.4 | 33,878 | 16,881 | 16,997 | 99.3 |
| 1985 | 34,008 | 16,980 | 17,028 | 99.7 | 33,995 | 16,928 | 17,067 | 99.2 |
| 1986 | 34,041 | 16,913 | 17,128 | 98.7 | 34,310 | 17,054 | 17,256 | 98.8 |
| 1987 | 34,475 | 17,131 | 17,344 | 98.8 | 34,422 | 17,011 | 17,411 | 97.7 |
| 1988 | 33,907 | 16,733 | 17,174 | 97.4 | 33,629 | 16,553 | 17,076 | 96.9 |
| 1989 | 33,953 | 16,721 | 17,232 | 97.0 | 34,186 | 16,912 | 17,274 | 97.9 |
| 1990 | 34,204 | 17,084 | 17,120 | 99.8 | 34,292 | 17,123 | 17,169 | 99.7 |
| 1991 | 34,330 | 17,132 | 17,198 | 99.6 | 34,386 | 17,145 | 17,241 | 99.4 |
| 1992 | 34,453 | 17,170 | 17,283 | 99.3 | 34,509 | 17,189 | 17,320 | 99.2 |
| 1993 | 34,519 | 17,196 | 17,323 | 99.3 | 34,555 | 17,214 | 17,341 | 99.3 |
| 1994 | 34,698 | 17,272 | 17,426 | 99.1 | 34,707 | 17,277 | 17,430 | 99.1 |
| 1995 | 34,821 | 17,331 | 17,490 | 99.1 | 34,868 | 17,341 | 17,527 | 98.9 |
| 1996 | 34,939 | 17,356 | 17,583 | 98.7 | 35,072 | 17,419 | 17,653 | 98.7 |
| 1997 | 35,140 | 17,447 | 17,693 | 98.6 | 35,260 | 17,498 | 17,762 | 98.5 |
| 1998 | 35,303 | 17,510 | 17,793 | 98.4 | 35,411 | 17,549 | 17,862 | 98.2 |
| 1999 | 35,549 | 17,593 | 17,956 | 98.0 | 35,640 | 17,641 | 17,999 | 98.0 |
| 2000 | 35,779 | 17,700 | 18,079 | 97.9 | 35,885 | 17,758 | 18,127 | 98.0 |
| 2001 | 36,006 | 17,818 | 18,188 | 98.0 | 36,084 | 17,849 | 18,235 | 97.9 |

¹ Figures for 1982 and 1984 - 1989 have been respectively revised in the light of the 1983 and 1990 population census data adjusted for underenumeration of young children.

² Number of males per 100 females

Table 1.5 - Vital statistics and growth of the resident population, Island of Rodrigues, 1991 - 2001

| Year | Population at beginning of year | Natural movement | | | Net migration | Total increase | % change during the year due to: | | | Population at end of year |
|------|---------------------------------|------------------|--------|------------------|---------------|----------------|----------------------------------|-----------|-------|---------------------------|
| | | Live births | Deaths | Natural increase | | | Natural increase | Migration | Total | |
| 1991 | 34,292 | 761 | 212 | 549 | -455 | 94 | 1.60 | -1.33 | 0.27 | 34,386 |
| 1992 | 34,386 | 732 | 157 | 575 | -452 | 123 | 1.67 | -1.31 | 0.36 | 34,509 |
| 1993 | 34,509 | 662 | 158 | 504 | -458 | 46 | 1.46 | -1.33 | 0.13 | 34,555 |
| 1994 | 34,555 | 745 | 168 | 577 | -425 | 152 | 1.67 | -1.23 | 0.44 | 34,707 |
| 1995 | 34,707 | 725 | 167 | 558 | -397 | 161 | 1.61 | -1.14 | 0.47 | 34,868 |
| 1996 | 34,868 | 714 | 162 | 552 | -348 | 204 | 1.58 | -1.00 | 0.58 | 35,072 |
| 1997 | 35,072 | 681 | 188 | 493 | -305 | 188 | 1.41 | -0.87 | 0.54 | 35,260 |
| 1998 | 35,260 | 690 | 188 | 502 | -351 | 151 | 1.42 | -1.00 | 0.42 | 35,411 |
| 1999 | 35,411 | 768 | 153 | 615 | -386 | 229 | 1.74 | -1.09 | 0.65 | 35,640 |
| 2000 | 35,640 | 807 | 176 | 631 | -386 | 245 | 1.77 | -1.08 | 0.69 | 35,885 |
| 2001 | 35,885 | 811 | 222 | 589 | -390 | 199 | 1.64 | -1.09 | 0.55 | 36,084 |

Table 1.6 - Estimated resident population by age group and gender, Island of Rodrigues - 1st July 2001¹

| Age group (Years) | Male | Female | Total | |
|----------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|
| | | | Number | % |
| 0 | 410 | 380 | 790 | 2.19 |
| 1 - 4 | 1,430 | 1,420 | 2,850 | 7.91 |
| 5 - 9 | 1,760 | 1,860 | 3,620 | 10.05 |
| 10 - 14 | 2,020 | 1,940 | 3,960 | 11.00 |
| 15 - 19 | 2,130 | 2,190 | 4,320 | 12.00 |
| 20 - 24 | 1,910 | 1,900 | 3,810 | 10.58 |
| 25 - 29 | 1,330 | 1,380 | 2,710 | 7.53 |
| 30 - 34 | 1,180 | 1,200 | 2,380 | 6.61 |
| 35 - 39 | 1,090 | 1,170 | 2,260 | 6.28 |
| 40 - 44 | 1,080 | 1,080 | 2,160 | 6.00 |
| 45 - 49 | 830 | 760 | 1,590 | 4.42 |
| 50 - 54 | 640 | 620 | 1,260 | 3.50 |
| 55 - 59 | 590 | 610 | 1,200 | 3.33 |
| 60 - 64 | 550 | 580 | 1,130 | 3.14 |
| 65 - 69 | 370 | 400 | 770 | 2.14 |
| 70 - 74 | 230 | 270 | 500 | 1.39 |
| 75 - 79 | 140 | 180 | 320 | 0.89 |
| 80 - 84 | 80 | 130 | 210 | 0.58 |
| 85 + | 50 | 120 | 170 | 0.47 |
| All ages | 17,820 | 18,190 | 36,010 | 100.0 |

¹ Population by age and sex for the Island of Rodrigues has been obtained as a difference between figures for the Republic of Mauritius and the Island of Mauritius. The figures have therefore been rounded to the nearest ten.

Table 1.7- Population and vital statistics rates¹, Island of Rodrigues, 1965 - 2001

| Year | Population at mid-year² | Crude birth rate | Crude death rate | Infant mortality rate | Still birth rate | Marriage rate |
|-------------------|---|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|
| 1965 | 19,438 | 51.7 | 13.4 | 96.6 | 29.0 | 14.4 |
| 1966 | 20,084 | 48.2 | 12.4 | 94.8 | 30.4 | 13.8 |
| 1967 | 20,762 | 47.9 | 11.3 | 87.5 | 29.0 | 13.9 |
| 1968 | 21,832 | 43.8 | 11.7 | 98.3 | 33.7 | 14.5 |
| 1969 | 22,434 | 45.2 | 11.5 | 96.0 | 32.5 | 14.0 |
| 1970 | 23,433 | 44.6 | 10.0 | 82.6 | 34.5 | 13.0 |
| 1971 | 24,041 | 44.8 | 9.0 | 74.2 | 31.7 | 11.5 |
| 1972 | 24,769 | 42.1 | 9.3 | 75.4 | 29.1 | 11.0 |
| 1973 | 23,245 | 44.5 | 10.1 | 75.7 | 24.8 | 11.8 |
| 1974 | 23,587 | 44.8 | 9.8 | 71.9 | 25.8 | 13.0 |
| 1975 | 24,221 | 43.4 | 8.1 | 59.6 | 26.3 | 13.9 |
| 1976 | 24,417 | 43.9 | 7.8 | 57.2 | 27.2 | 15.9 |
| 1977 | 24,936 | 42.5 | 7.2 | 48.1 | 24.8 | 16.3 |
| 1978 | 25,720 | 42.3 | 8.2 | 56.4 | 22.5 | 17.3 |
| 1979 | 27,081 | 42.4 | 8.3 | 51.1 | 23.8 | 17.7 |
| 1980 | 28,153 | 44.0 | 8.6 | 57.1 | 24.7 | 17.7 |
| 1981 | 29,677 | 42.9 | 7.7 | 53.1 | 24.5 | 15.1 |
| 1982 | 31,527 | 38.4 | 7.0 | 56.7 | 21.3 | 12.6 |
| 1983 | 33,082 | 34.7 | 6.4 | 51.6 | 17.1 | 11.8 |
| 1984 | 33,563 | 30.7 | 6.5 | 53.7 | 17.5 | 11.3 |
| 1985 | 34,008 | 28.5 | 6.1 | 51.9 | 18.2 | 11.8 |
| 1986 | 34,041 | 26.3 | 5.6 | 48.8 | 20.8 | 11.1 |
| 1987 | 34,475 | 26.2 | 5.2 | 42.4 | 23.4 | 11.2 |
| 1988 | 33,907 | 25.9 | 5.5 | 44.4 | 21.6 | 10.2 |
| 1989 | 33,953 | 25.1 | 5.5 | 40.7 | 21.5 | 9.8 |
| 1990 | 34,204 | 23.7 | 5.8 | 40.7 | 19.0 | 9.3 |
| 1991 | 34,330 | 22.3 | 5.3 | 30.9 | 15.4 | 9.4 |
| 1992 | 34,453 | 20.8 | 5.1 | 26.5 | 10.6 | 9.8 |
| 1993 | 34,519 | 20.7 | 4.7 | 22.0 | 5.6 | 10.8 |
| 1994 | 34,698 | 20.5 | 4.7 | 21.1 | 4.2 | 11.3 |
| 1995 | 34,821 | 20.9 | 4.8 | 20.6 | 3.2 | 11.4 |
| 1996 | 34,939 | 20.2 | 4.9 | 20.3 | 3.8 | 11.9 |
| 1997 | 35,140 | 19.8 | 5.1 | 18.7 | 5.7 | 12.9 |
| 1998 | 35,303 | 20.2 | 5.0 | 21.5 | 7.9 | 13.3 |
| 1999 | 35,549 | 21.2 | 4.8 | 21.6 | 7.0 | 13.4 |
| 2000 | 35,779 | 22.2 | 5.1 | 23.5 | 8.3 | 12.8 |
| 2001 ³ | 36,006 | 22.5 | 6.2 | 23.4 | 12.2 | 12.3 |

¹ because of the small number of vital events, the rates have been calculated by taking the average for three years in order to remove wide fluctuations in the yearly data.

² figures for 1973 - 1982 and 1984 - 1989 have been respectively revised in the light of the 1983 and 1990 population census data.

³ rates have been calculated using 2000 data only.

SECTION 2. INTER ISLAND TRAVEL AND TOURISM

Table 2.1 - Passenger traffic¹ between the Islands of Mauritius and Rodrigues, 1980 - 2001

| Period | Arrivals in Rodrigues | | | Departures from Rodrigues | | | Arrivals less departures |
|--------|-----------------------|--------|--------|---------------------------|--------|--------|--------------------------|
| | Both sexes | Male | Female | Both sexes | Male | Female | |
| 1980 | 6,042 | 3,964 | 2,078 | 5,722 | 3,908 | 1,814 | +320 |
| 1981 | 7,099 | 4,871 | 2,228 | 6,190 | 4,256 | 1,934 | +909 |
| 1982 | 6,333 | 4,144 | 2,189 | 5,680 | 3,778 | 1,902 | +653 |
| 1983 | 6,556 | 4,182 | 2,374 | 6,520 | 4,182 | 2,338 | +36 |
| 1984 | 7,471 | 4,762 | 2,709 | 7,172 | 4,452 | 2,720 | +299 |
| 1985 | 7,277 | 4,725 | 2,552 | 7,286 | 4,603 | 2,683 | -9 |
| 1986 | 7,975 | 5,103 | 2,872 | 7,906 | 4,976 | 2,930 | +69 |
| 1987 | 8,255 | 5,135 | 3,120 | 8,337 | 5,135 | 3,202 | -82 |
| 1988 | 9,146 | 5,903 | 3,243 | 10,128 | 6,330 | 3,798 | -982 |
| 1989 | 11,501 | 7,234 | 4,267 | 11,092 | 6,831 | 4,261 | +409 |
| 1990 | 13,110 | 8,023 | 5,087 | 13,492 | 7,949 | 5,543 | -382 |
| 1991 | 15,125 | 9,594 | 5,531 | 16,178 | 10,117 | 6,061 | -1,053 |
| 1992 | 19,064 | 11,629 | 7,435 | 19,865 | 11,887 | 7,978 | -801 |
| 1993 | 22,819 | 13,973 | 8,846 | 23,476 | 14,094 | 9,382 | -657 |
| 1994 | 23,292 | 14,174 | 9,118 | 23,636 | 14,177 | 9,459 | -344 |
| 1995 | 24,150 | 14,532 | 9,618 | 24,820 | 14,603 | 10,217 | -670 |
| 1996 | 29,129 | 16,947 | 12,182 | 29,370 | 16,861 | 12,509 | -241 |
| 1997 | 37,765 | 22,120 | 15,645 | 38,014 | 22,096 | 15,918 | -249 |
| 1998 | 40,648 | 24,181 | 16,467 | 40,553 | 23,072 | 17,481 | +95 |
| 1999 | 45,117 | 28,384 | 16,733 | 45,154 | 26,961 | 18,193 | -37 |
| 2000 | 49,530 | 28,280 | 21,250 | 49,981 | 29,436 | 20,545 | -451 |
| 2001 | 52,777 | 30,320 | 22,457 | 52,307 | 30,760 | 21,547 | +470 |

¹ Includes residents and non-residents

Table 2.2-Total arrivals in the Island of Rodrigues by country of residence and mode of transport, 2001

| Country of residence \ Mode of Transport | Air | Sea | Total |
|---|---------------|--------------|---------------|
| Australia | 97 | 16 | 113 |
| Austria | 39 | 5 | 44 |
| Belgium | 183 | 11 | 194 |
| Canada | 38 | 5 | 43 |
| Denmark | 12 | 0 | 12 |
| Netherlands | 130 | 32 | 162 |
| Germany | 145 | 332 | 477 |
| India | 57 | 4 | 61 |
| Island of Mauritius | 27,023 | 1,669 | 28,692 |
| Island of Rodrigues | 8,502 | 3,736 | 12,238 |
| Italy | 195 | 5 | 200 |
| Japan | 22 | 0 | 22 |
| Reunion/France | 8,686 | 120 | 8,806 |
| S. Africa | 149 | 2 | 151 |
| Seychelles | 147 | 0 | 147 |
| Spain | 12 | 0 | 12 |
| Switzerland | 219 | 22 | 241 |
| UK | 389 | 14 | 403 |
| USA | 84 | 7 | 91 |
| Other ¹ | 596 | 72 | 668 |
| TOTAL | 46,725 | 6,052 | 52,777 |

¹ - includes foreigners working in the Island Rodrigues

Table 2.3- Monthly passenger arrivals in the Island of Rodrigues by mode of transport and gender, 2001

| Month | Air | | | Sea | | | Total | | |
|--------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| | Male | Female | Total | Male | Female | Total | Male | Female | Total |
| January | 2,277 | 1,755 | 4,032 | 368 | 345 | 713 | 2,645 | 2,100 | 4,745 |
| February | 1,464 | 1,003 | 2,467 | 171 | 131 | 302 | 1,635 | 1,134 | 2,769 |
| March | 2,015 | 1,352 | 3,367 | 349 | 371 | 720 | 2,364 | 1,723 | 4,087 |
| April | 2,380 | 1,710 | 4,090 | 120 | 101 | 221 | 2,500 | 1,811 | 4,311 |
| May | 2,265 | 1,577 | 3,842 | 247 | 209 | 456 | 2,512 | 1,786 | 4,298 |
| June | 1,698 | 1,061 | 2,759 | 347 | 228 | 575 | 2,045 | 1,289 | 3,334 |
| July | 2,130 | 1,510 | 3,640 | 210 | 216 | 426 | 2,340 | 1,726 | 4,066 |
| August | 2,898 | 2,185 | 5,083 | 255 | 227 | 482 | 3,153 | 2,412 | 5,565 |
| September | 2,088 | 1,277 | 3,365 | 211 | 206 | 417 | 2,299 | 1,483 | 3,782 |
| October | 2,196 | 1,545 | 3,741 | 284 | 207 | 491 | 2,480 | 1,752 | 4,232 |
| November | 2,654 | 1,939 | 4,593 | 212 | 258 | 470 | 2,866 | 2,197 | 5,063 |
| December | 3,116 | 2,630 | 5,746 | 365 | 414 | 779 | 3,481 | 3,044 | 6,525 |
| TOTAL | 27,181 | 19,544 | 46,725 | 3,139 | 2,913 | 6,052 | 30,320 | 22,457 | 52,777 |

Table 2.4 - Monthly passenger arrivals in the Island of Rodrigues by mode of transport and type, 2001

| Month | Air | | Sea | | Total | | | | |
|------------------|------------------------|---------------|---------------|------------------------|------------|--------------|------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| | Nationals ¹ | Foreigners | Total | Nationals ¹ | Foreigners | Total | Nationals ¹ | Foreigners | Total |
| January | 2,854 | 1,178 | 4,032 | 696 | 17 | 713 | 3,550 | 1,195 | 4,745 |
| February | 1,743 | 724 | 2,467 | 297 | 5 | 302 | 2,040 | 729 | 2,769 |
| March | 2,327 | 1,040 | 3,367 | 342 | 378 | 720 | 2,669 | 1,418 | 4,087 |
| April | 3,329 | 761 | 4,090 | 216 | 5 | 221 | 3,545 | 766 | 4,311 |
| May | 2,721 | 1,121 | 3,842 | 444 | 12 | 456 | 3,165 | 1,133 | 4,298 |
| June | 2,305 | 454 | 2,759 | 508 | 67 | 575 | 2,813 | 521 | 3,334 |
| July | 2,471 | 1,169 | 3,640 | 400 | 26 | 426 | 2,871 | 1,195 | 4,066 |
| August | 4,293 | 790 | 5,083 | 471 | 11 | 482 | 4,764 | 801 | 5,565 |
| September | 2,736 | 629 | 3,365 | 369 | 48 | 417 | 3,105 | 677 | 3,782 |
| October | 2,456 | 1,285 | 3,741 | 456 | 35 | 491 | 2,912 | 1,320 | 4,232 |
| November | 3,693 | 900 | 4,593 | 441 | 29 | 470 | 4,134 | 929 | 5,063 |
| December | 4,942 | 804 | 5,746 | 769 | 10 | 779 | 5,711 | 814 | 6,525 |
| TOTAL | 35,870 | 10,855 | 46,725 | 5,409 | 643 | 6,052 | 41,279 | 11,498 | 52,777 |

¹ Nationals include Mauritians, Rodriguans and foreigners working in Rodrigues.

Table 2.5 - Monthly passenger departures from the Island of Rodrigues by mode of transport and gender, 2001

| Month | Air | | | Sea | | | Total | | |
|--------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| | Male | Female | Both sexes | Male | Female | Both sexes | Male | Female | Both sexes |
| January | 2,638 | 2,036 | 4,674 | 391 | 368 | 759 | 3,029 | 2,404 | 5,433 |
| February | 1,528 | 940 | 2,468 | 389 | 284 | 673 | 1,917 | 1,224 | 3,141 |
| March | 1,894 | 1,314 | 3,208 | 352 | 305 | 657 | 2,246 | 1,619 | 3,865 |
| April | 2,332 | 1,584 | 3,916 | 163 | 156 | 319 | 2,495 | 1,740 | 4,235 |
| May | 2,250 | 1,584 | 3,834 | 312 | 268 | 580 | 2,562 | 1,852 | 4,414 |
| June | 1,823 | 1,049 | 2,872 | 236 | 166 | 402 | 2,059 | 1,215 | 3,274 |
| July | 2,053 | 1,407 | 3,460 | 334 | 346 | 680 | 2,387 | 1,753 | 4,140 |
| August | 2,858 | 2,156 | 5,014 | 300 | 320 | 620 | 3,158 | 2,476 | 5,634 |
| September | 2,098 | 1,086 | 3,184 | 245 | 215 | 460 | 2,343 | 1,301 | 3,644 |
| October | 2,151 | 1,289 | 3,440 | 387 | 198 | 585 | 2,538 | 1,487 | 4,025 |
| November | 2,813 | 1,951 | 4,764 | 338 | 395 | 733 | 3,151 | 2,346 | 5,497 |
| December | 2,599 | 1,855 | 4,454 | 276 | 275 | 551 | 2,875 | 2,130 | 5,005 |
| TOTAL | 27,037 | 18,251 | 45,288 | 3,723 | 3,296 | 7,019 | 30,760 | 21,547 | 52,307 |

SECTION 3 - HEALTH STATISTICS

Table 3.1-Health Services, Island of Rodrigues, 1999-2001

(end of period)

| INSTITUTION | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| | Number of units | Number of units | Number of units |
| Hospital*(Queen Elizabeth at Creve Coeur) | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Health Centre* (La Ferme and Mont Lubin) | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| Community Health Centre | 13 | 13 | 13 |
| Health Office (Port Mathurin) | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Dental Clinic (Hospital and Health Centres) | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| Expanded Programme on Immunization: | | | |
| Main Centre (Hospital and Health Centres) | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| Sub-Centre, Community Health Centres | 14 | 14 | 11 |

* also functioning as Area Health Centres

Source:Statistical Division, Ministry of Health.

Table 3.2-Distribution of operational beds, Island of Rodrigues, 2001

(end of period)

| INSTITUTION | General Medicine | General Surgery | Maternity | Gynaecology | Orthopaedics | Psychiatry | Paediatric | TOTAL |
|-----------------------------|------------------|-----------------|-----------|-------------|--------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Queen Elizabeth II Hospital | 40 | 12 | 20 | 7 | 4 | 2 | 30 | 115 |
| Mont Lubin Health Centre | 16 | - | 10 | - | - | - | 5 | 31 |
| La Ferme Health Centre | 18 | - | 9 | - | - | - | 5 | 32 |
| TOTAL | 74 | 12 | 39 | 7 | 4 | 2 | 40 | 178 |

Source:Statistical Division, Ministry of Health.

Table 3.3- Distribution of certain notifiable diseases reported to sanitary authorities, Island of Rodrigues, 1991-2001

| Disease Year | Amoebiasis | Food poisoning | Gonorrhoea | Infective Hepatitis | Leprosy | Malaria (imported) | Syphilis | Tuberculosis Pulmonary | Typhoid Fever | Whooping cough (pertussis) |
|-----------------|------------|----------------|------------|---------------------|---------|--------------------|----------|------------------------|---------------|----------------------------|
| 1991 | 1 | 3 | 8 | 2 | 6 | - | 1 | 7 | 11 | - |
| 1992 | - | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | - |
| 1993 | - | - | - | 173 | 1 | - | - | 5 | - | - |
| 1994 | - | - | - | 6 | - | - | - | 4 | - | - |
| 1995 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 1996 | - | 21 | - | 2 | - | - | - | 1 | - | - |
| 1997 | - | 1 | - | - | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | - |
| 1998 | - | 16 | - | 1 | - | 1 | - | 3 | - | - |
| 1999 | - | - | 3 | - | - | - | - | 1 | - | - |
| 2000 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | - | - |
| 2001 | - | 15 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |

Source: Statistical Division, Ministry of Health.

SECTION 4. PUBLIC FINANCE

Table 4.1 - Functional classification of Government recurrent expenditure, Island of Rodrigues, 1997/98 - 2001/02

Million Rupees

| Functional categories | 1997/98 | 1998/99 | 1999/00 | 2000/01 ¹ | 2001/02 ² |
|--|--------------|--------------|--------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| General public services | 209.1 | 234.2 | 238.6 | 252.6 | 256.1 |
| Public order and safety | 22.0 | 31.6 | 31.8 | 32.4 | 35.0 |
| Education | 32.7 | 37.4 | 39.8 | 41.5 | 43.2 |
| Health | 46.5 | 55.2 | 59.0 | 63.6 | 67.7 |
| Social security and welfare | 93.6 | 120.9 | 127.8 | 144.9 | 158.5 |
| Housing and community amenities | 14.2 | 17.5 | 18.0 | 18.4 | 20.3 |
| Recreational, cultural and religious | 2.8 | 3.9 | 3.7 | 4.9 | 5.5 |
| Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting | 19.6 | 23.0 | 23.9 | 24.6 | 29.4 |
| Transportation and communication | 10.4 | 8.5 | 8.5 | 9.5 | 11.7 |
| Other economic affairs and services | 2.4 | 3.2 | 3.3 | 4.1 | 4.7 |
| Total current expenditure | 453.3 | 535.4 | 554.4 | 596.5 | 632.1 |

¹Revised

²Budget Estimates

Table 4.2 - Functional classification of Government capital expenditure, Island of Rodrigues, 1997/98-2001/02

Million Rupees

| Functional categories | 1997/98 | 1998/99 | 1999/00 | 2000/01 ¹ | 2001/02 ² |
|---|--------------|--------------|-------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| General public services | 3.8 | 3.1 | 4.4 | 5.8 | 8.2 |
| Public order and safety | 1.5 | 2.7 | 0.3 | 1.2 | 4.0 |
| Education | 12.0 | 11.6 | 9.9 | 30.7 | 212.0 |
| Health | 7.5 | 4.3 | 2.8 | 3.8 | 5.5 |
| Housing and community amenities | 26.0 | 25.0 | 29.4 | 16.0 | 117.6 |
| Recreational, cultural and religious affairs and services | 6.2 | 18.3 | 3.3 | 2.1 | 17.0 |
| Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting | 10.5 | 4.1 | 1.4 | 3.6 | 11.0 |
| Transportation and communication | 34.2 | 38.4 | 29.8 | 56.0 | 98.9 |
| Other economic affairs and services | 2.5 | 3.0 | 4.0 | 0.6 | 4.0 |
| Total capital expenditure | 104.2 | 110.5 | 85.3 | 119.8 | 478.2 |

¹Revised

²Budget Estimates

SECTION 5. TRADE
Table 5.1 Export of selected commodities (quantities) to the Island of Mauritius, 1992-2001

| Commodity | Unit | 1992 | 1993 | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 |
|-----------------|---------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Cattle | unit | 1,016 | 647 | 747 | 1,855 | 1,692 | 988 | 1,209 | 1,277 | 1,755 | 2,919 |
| Pigs | unit | 1,877 | 2,235 | 2,160 | 1,637 | 836 | 444 | 65 | 23 | 8 | 1,458 |
| Goats | unit | 1,259 | 1,250 | 938 | 1,177 | 830 | 1,061 | 1,247 | 1,486 | 1,490 | 1,867 |
| Sheep | unit | 1,924 | 2,112 | 1,428 | 1,481 | 916 | 1,168 | 1,132 | 1,163 | 1,111 | 1,467 |
| Fowls | basket ¹ | 597 | 513 | 567 | 507 | 489 | 465 | 571 | 518 | 530 | 490 |
| Salted fish | Kg | 1,250 | 75 | 140 | 20 | n.a | n.a | n.a | n.a | 100 | 40 |
| Dry Octopus | Kg | n.a | n.a | 324 | n.a | n.a | n.a | n.a | n.a | n.a | 145 |
| Red beans | Kg | n.a | 1,580 | 230 | 570 | 235 | 75 | n.a | 215 | n.a | 600 |
| Lemon | Tonnes | 145 | 118 | 97 | 93 | 81 | 92 | 82 | 86 | 152 | 151 |
| Onions | Tonnes | 370 | 356 | 242 | 290 | 414 | 463 | 368 | 374 | 340 | 165 |
| Garlic | Tonnes | 44 | 73 | 62 | 30 | 52 | 45 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Groundnuts | Kg | 152 | 735 | 5,484 | 772 | 50 | n.a | n.a | n.a | n.a | n.a |
| Frozen Octopus | Tonnes | 411 | 418 | 397 | 306 | 318 | 230 | 207 | 141 | 188 | 162 |
| Coconuts | Tonnes | 1 | 2 | 6 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 27 | 20 | 16 |
| Honey | Kg | 25 | 113 | 991 | 1,940 | 1,330 | n.a | 1,045 | 1,425 | 1,085 | 2,258 |
| Chillies(small) | Kg | 1,780 | 7,352 | 7,697 | 4,950 | 235 | 1,585 | 1,250 | 645 | 820 | 924 |

(Source: Customs and excise department, Rodrigues)

¹ Each basket contains an average of 50 fowls
n.a = figures not available

Note: These figures have been compiled from cargo manifest available at the Customs and Excise Department

Table 5.2 - Export of selected commodities (quantities) to the Island of Mauritius by month, 2001

| Commodity | Unit | Jan | Feb | Mar | Apr | May | Jun | Jul | Aug | Sep | Oct | Nov | Dec | Whole Year |
|-----------------|---------------------|-----|-----|-----|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|------------|
| Cattle | unit | 117 | 170 | 183 | 71 | 379 | 265 | 383 | 400 | 381 | 249 | 249 | 72 | 2,919 |
| Pigs | unit | 10 | 1 | 22 | 64 | 128 | 258 | 194 | 145 | 83 | 164 | 188 | 201 | 1,458 |
| Goats | unit | 74 | 184 | 277 | 113 | 297 | 110 | 138 | 83 | 93 | 151 | 228 | 119 | 1,867 |
| Sheep | unit | 64 | 108 | 222 | 152 | 145 | 162 | 124 | 89 | 89 | 44 | 170 | 98 | 1,467 |
| Fowls | basket ¹ | 42 | 37 | 72 | 13 | 67 | 53 | 62 | 24 | 29 | 30 | 47 | 14 | 490 |
| Frozen Octopus | Tonnes | 7 | 17 | 17 | 15 | 8 | 21 | 22 | 16 | 17 | 5 | 10 | 6 | 161 |
| Lemon | Tonnes | 10 | 6 | 6 | 5 | 6 | 13 | 24 | 16 | 22 | 14 | 16 | 13 | 151 |
| Onions | Tonnes | 0 | 38 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 89 | 38 | 0 | 165 |
| Grapefruit | kg | 0 | 0 | 490 | 200 | 280 | 1,085 | 1,950 | 932 | 515 | 50 | 0 | 0 | 5,502 |
| Coconuts | Kg | 440 | 410 | 530 | 1,445 | 1,235 | 3,450 | 6,420 | 1,820 | 335 | 0 | 120 | 80 | 16,285 |
| Honey | Kg | 525 | 405 | 115 | 120 | 0 | 546 | 115 | 38 | 0 | 15 | 280 | 100 | 2,259 |
| Chillies(small) | Kg | 215 | 0 | 160 | 0 | 15 | 20 | 344 | 66 | 15 | 0 | 90 | 0 | 925 |

¹ - each basket contains an average of 50 fowls

n.a = figures not available

Note: These figures have been compiled from cargo manifest available at the Customs and Excise Department

SECTION 6. EMPLOYMENT

Table 6.1- Employed population by industry and gender, Island of Rodrigues, 2000-2001

| Industrial Activity NSIC (Rev 3) ² | 2000 ¹ | | | 2001 | | |
|--|-------------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|
| | Male | Female | Both sexes | Male | Female | Both sexes |
| Agriculture, Forestry & fishing | 2,670 | 1,330 | 4,000 | 2,600 | 1,310 | 3,910 |
| Mining & quarrying | 100 | 0 | 100 | 100 | 0 | 100 |
| Manufacturing | 535 | 527 | 1,062 | 556 | 528 | 1,084 |
| Electricity, gas and water | 49 | 4 | 53 | 56 | 4 | 60 |
| Construction | 830 | 10 | 840 | 892 | 7 | 899 |
| Trade & Repair | 757 | 449 | 1,206 | 805 | 452 | 1,257 |
| Hotels and restaurants | 329 | 202 | 531 | 347 | 204 | 551 |
| Transport , storage and communications | 653 | 60 | 713 | 705 | 70 | 775 |
| Financial intermediation | 50 | 63 | 113 | 46 | 59 | 105 |
| Real Estate | 35 | 15 | 50 | 35 | 15 | 50 |
| Public admin & defence, compulsory soc | 2,831 | 427 | 3,258 | 2,807 | 487 | 3,294 |
| Education | 201 | 218 | 419 | 203 | 225 | 428 |
| Health and social work | 15 | 35 | 50 | 17 | 38 | 55 |
| Other services | 144 | 501 | 645 | 157 | 507 | 664 |
| TOTAL | 9,199 | 3,841 | 13,040 | 9,326 | 3,906 | 13,232 |

¹ Revised

² National Standard Industrial Classification (revision 3)

Table 6.2 - Employment in small establishments by employment status and gender, Island of Rodrigues, 1997

| Industrial activity NSIC Rev 3 | Number of units | Employer | | Own account and contributing family worker | | | Employee | | | Total | | | |
|---|--------------------|------------|------------|---|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|--------------|------------|--------------|
| | | Male | Female | Total | Male | Female | Total | Male | Female | Total | | | |
| TOTAL | 808 | 369 | 107 | 476 | 298 | 267 | 565 | 633 | 252 | 885 | 1,300 | 626 | 1,926 |
| Manufacturing | 68 | 36 | 2 | 38 | 39 | 13 | 52 | 75 | 5 | 80 | 150 | 20 | 170 |
| Food and beverages | 8 | 6 | - | 6 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 12 | - | 12 | 20 | 2 | 22 |
| Wearing apparel (tailoring) | 16 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 8 | 7 | 15 | 4 | 2 | 6 | 14 | 11 | 25 |
| Rubber products (tyre retreading) | 5 | 3 | - | 3 | 3 | - | 3 | 11 | - | 11 | 17 | - | 17 |
| Fabricated metal product, except machinery | 14 | 15 | - | 15 | 2 | - | 2 | 19 | - | 19 | 36 | - | 36 |
| Furniture | 16 | 9 | - | 9 | 16 | - | 16 | 19 | 1 | 20 | 44 | 1 | 45 |
| Other (incl. footwear, printing etc.) | 9 | 1 | - | 1 | 8 | 4 | 12 | 10 | 2 | 12 | 19 | 6 | 25 |
| Wholesale and retail trade, repair of motor vehicles and household goods | 478 | 165 | 55 | 220 | 229 | 209 | 438 | 165 | 159 | 324 | 559 | 423 | 982 |
| Repair and maintenance of motor vehicles | 8 | 3 | - | 3 | 7 | - | 7 | 2 | - | 2 | 12 | - | 12 |
| Sale of motor vehicles and spare parts | 9 | 3 | - | 3 | 3 | 3 | 6 | 6 | 3 | 9 | 12 | 6 | 18 |
| Groceries | 248 | 54 | 30 | 84 | 168 | 141 | 309 | 117 | 52 | 169 | 339 | 223 | 562 |
| Tobacco shop (tabagie) | 72 | 10 | - | 10 | 30 | 40 | 71 | 10 | 10 | 20 | 50 | 50 | 100 |
| Textile, clothing and footwear | 18 | 11 | - | 11 | 8 | 11 | 19 | 15 | 17 | 32 | 34 | 28 | 62 |
| Hardware and timber (quincaillerie) | 10 | 8 | - | 8 | 4 | 4 | 8 | 12 | - | 12 | 24 | 4 | 28 |
| Household appliances and furniture | 8 | - | - | - | 8 | 8 | 16 | - | - | - | 8 | 8 | 16 |
| Other ¹ | 105 | 76 | 25 | 101 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 77 | 80 | 80 | 104 | 184 |
| Hotels and restaurants | 46 | 12 | 9 | 21 | 18 | 12 | 30 | 32 | 26 | 58 | 62 | 47 | 109 |
| Boarding house | 6 | 2 | 2 | 4 | - | - | - | 9 | 5 | 14 | 11 | 7 | 18 |
| Bars, restaurants and other eating places | 40 | 10 | 7 | 17 | 18 | 12 | 30 | 23 | 21 | 44 | 51 | 40 | 91 |
| Transport, storage and communication | 152 | 152 | - | 152 | - | - | - | 306 | 2 | 308 | 458 | 2 | 460 |
| Education | 36 | 0 | 41 | 41 | - | 27 | 27 | 14 | 41 | 54 | 14 | 109 | 123 |
| Other community, social and personal service activities | 28 | 4 | - | 4 | 12 | 6 | 18 | 41 | 19 | 60 | 57 | 25 | 82 |

¹ include 100 itinerant units within wholesale and retail trade

Source: Census of Economic Activities, 1997

SECTION 7. SOCIAL SECURITY

Table 7-1 Social Benefits¹, Island of Rodrigues (1996/1997-2000/2001)

| | 1996/97 | 1997/98 | 1998/99 | 1999/00 | 2000/01 |
|--|---------|---------|------------------|---------|---------|
| 1. Retirement Pension | | | | | |
| No. of beneficiaries | | | | | |
| Basic | 2,584 | 2,780 | 2,921 | 3,045 | 3,188 |
| <i>Of whom Severely Handicapped</i> | (338) | (448) | (478) | (552) | (533) |
| Contributory | 53 | 70 | 79 | 86 | 91 |
| Amount paid (Rs 000) | | | | | |
| Basic | 41,000 | 46,520 | 54,820 | 61,200 | 67,984 |
| Contributory | 140 | 200 | 230 [*] | 260 | 281 |
| 2. Widow's Pension & Child's Allowance | | | | | |
| No. of beneficiaries | | | | | |
| Basic | 316 | 336 | 340 | 350 | 343 |
| Contributory <i>All ages</i> | 15 | 18 | 21 | 23 | 25 |
| <i>of whom Under 60 years</i> | 15 | 16 | 16 | 18 | 19 |
| <i>60 years + above</i> | - | 2 | 5 | 5 | 6 |
| Amount paid (Rs 000) | | | | | |
| Basic | 5,500 | 5,820 | 6,570 | 6,750 | 6,714 |
| Contributory | 30 | 40 | 50 | 70 | 59 |
| 3. Invalidity Pension & Child's Allowance | | | | | |
| No. of beneficiaries | | | | | |
| Basic | 417 | 475 | 470 | 477 | 499 |
| <i>of whom Severely Handicapped</i> | (106) | (153) | (188) | (185) | (174) |
| Contributory | 9 | 3 | 5 | 5 | 7 |
| Amount paid (Rs 000) | | | | | |
| Basic | 6,960 | 9,790 | 12,050 | 12,480 | 13,241 |
| Contributory | 10 | 30 | 10 | 10 | 21 |
| 4. Orphans' Pension and Guardian's Allowance | | | | | |
| No. of orphans | | | | | |
| Basic ² | 181 | 160 | 156 | 140 | 136 |
| Contributory | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| No. of guardians | | | | | |
| Basic | 137 | 123 | 119 | 107 | 106 |
| Amount paid (Rs 000) | | | | | |
| Basic | 1,520 | 1,570 | 2,100 | 2,140 | 2,103 |
| 5. Industrial Injury Allowance | | | | | |
| Amount paid (Rs 000) | 10 | 10 | 20 | 20 | 36 |
| 6. Social Aid | | | | | |
| No of beneficiaries | 897 | 903 | 1,010 | 1,004 | 1,073 |
| Amount paid (Rs 000) | 20,962 | 25,921 | 41,041 | 40,693 | 49,835 |

¹ Figures for number of beneficiaries are as at June (Last month of financial year), whilst the amount paid is for the whole financial year. Beneficiaries of basic and contributory pensions are shown separately. However, since beneficiaries of contributory pension are also eligible for the corresponding basic pension, the number drawing the pension includes those receiving contributory pension as well.

² Revised

SECTION 8. EDUCATION

Table 8.1 - Pre-Primary education, Island of Rodrigues, 1998-2001

| | | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 |
|------------------------------|------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Number of schools | | 33 | 33 | 32 | 31 |
| Enrolment | Male | 590 | 580 | 543 | 533 |
| | Female | 548 | 601 | 578 | 585 |
| | Both sexes | 1,138 | 1,181 | 1,121 | 1,118 |
| Number of teachers | | 65 | 64 | 65 | 64 |
| Pupil / Teacher Ratio | | 18 | 18 | 17 | 17 |

Table 8.2 - Primary education, Island of Rodrigues, 1998-2001

| | | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 |
|--|-----------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Number of schools | | 13 | 13 | 13 | 13 |
| Enrolment | Male | 2,433 | 2,403 | 2,408 | 2,359 |
| | Female | 2,391 | 2,341 | 2,365 | 2,376 |
| | Both sexes | 4,824 | 4,744 | 4,773 | 4,735 |
| Number of teachers | | 175 | 175 | 184 | 177 |
| Pupil / Teacher Ratio | | 28 | 27 | 26 | 27 |
| Certificate of Primary Education(CPE) | | | | | |
| | Number examined | 989 | 1,052 | 1,072 | 1,063 |
| | Number passed | 579 | 577 | 596 | 595 |
| | % passed | 58.5 | 54.8 | 55.6 | 56.0 |

Table 8.3 - Post primary Education, Island of Rodrigues, 1998- 2001

| | | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 |
|--|-----------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| SECONDARY SCHOOLS | | | | | |
| Number of schools | | 3 | 3 | 3 | 4 |
| Enrolment | Male | 1,462 | 1,551 | 1,539 | 1,603 |
| | Female | 1,662 | 1,674 | 1,701 | 1,709 |
| | Both sexes | 3,124 | 3,225 | 3,240 | 3,312 |
| Number of teachers | | 140 | 140 | 141 | 148 |
| Pupil / Teacher Ratio | | 22 | 23 | 23 | 22 |
| School Certificate (SC) | | | | | |
| | Number examined | 492 | 531 | 599 | 641 |
| | Number passed | 319 | 323 | 347 | 349 |
| | % passed | 64.8 | 60.8 | 57.9 | 54.4 |
| Higher School Certificate (HSC) | | | | | |
| | Number examined | 80 | 105 | 136 | 148 |
| | Number passed | 29 | 29 | 89 | 92 |
| | % passed | 36.3 | 27.6 | 65.4 | 62.2 |
| VOCATIONAL SCHOOLS | | | | | |
| No of schools | | 2 | 1 | 1 | 3 |
| Enrolement | Male | 98 | 111 | 97 | 137 |
| | Female | 39 | 39 | 36 | 51 |
| | Both sexes | 137 | 150 | 133 | 188 |
| Number of teachers | | 9 | 8 | 9 | 13 |
| Pupil/Teacher Ratio | | 15 | 19 | 15 | 14 |

Table 8.4 -Enrolment in primary schools by gender,age and grade, Island of Rodrigues, 2001

| Age (in years) | Grade | | | | | | | All Grades |
|-------------------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|---------------------------|---------------|
| | I | II | III | IV | V | VI | VI (repeaters only) | |
| Total | | | | | | | | |
| 5 | 547 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 547 |
| 6 | 183 | 576 | - | - | - | - | - | 759 |
| 7 | - | 198 | 542 | - | - | - | - | 740 |
| 8 | - | - | 168 | 555 | - | - | - | 723 |
| 9 | - | - | - | 170 | 553 | - | - | 723 |
| 10 | - | - | - | - | 194 | 576 | - | 770 |
| 11 | - | - | - | - | - | 189 | 199 | 388 |
| 12 | - | - | - | - | - | 11 | 74 | 85 |
| Total | 730 | 774 | 710 | 725 | 747 | 776 | 273 | 4,735 |
| Male | | | | | | | | |
| 5 | 257 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 257 |
| 6 | 100 | 301 | - | - | - | - | - | 401 |
| 7 | - | 85 | 288 | - | - | - | - | 373 |
| 8 | - | - | 69 | 271 | - | - | - | 340 |
| 9 | - | - | - | 88 | 249 | - | - | 337 |
| 10 | - | - | - | - | 100 | 279 | - | 379 |
| 11 | - | - | - | - | - | 96 | 115 | 211 |
| 12 | - | - | - | - | - | 8 | 53 | 61 |
| Total | 357 | 386 | 357 | 359 | 349 | 383 | 168 | 2,359 |
| Female | | | | | | | | |
| 5 | 290 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 290 |
| 6 | 83 | 275 | - | - | - | - | - | 358 |
| 7 | - | 113 | 254 | - | - | - | - | 367 |
| 8 | - | - | 99 | 284 | - | - | - | 383 |
| 9 | - | - | - | 82 | 304 | - | - | 386 |
| 10 | - | - | - | - | 94 | 297 | - | 391 |
| 11 | - | - | - | - | - | 93 | 84 | 177 |
| 12 | - | - | - | - | - | 3 | 21 | 24 |
| Total | 373 | 388 | 353 | 366 | 398 | 393 | 105 | 2,376 |

**Table 8.5 - Enrolment in secondary schools by gender, age and grade,
Island of Rodrigues, 2001**

| Age (in years) | Grade | | | | | | | All Grades |
|-------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|---------------|
| | I | II | III | IV | V | Lower VI | Upper VI | |
| Total | | | | | | | | |
| 11 | 315 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 315 |
| 12 | 213 | 308 | 1 | - | - | - | - | 522 |
| 13 | 23 | 222 | 224 | - | - | - | - | 469 |
| 14 | 6 | 72 | 253 | 159 | - | - | - | 490 |
| 15 | - | 17 | 103 | 144 | 137 | - | - | 401 |
| 16 | - | 1 | 27 | 133 | 224 | 39 | - | 424 |
| 17 | - | - | 14 | 53 | 200 | 49 | 32 | 348 |
| 18 | - | - | - | 10 | 106 | 52 | 64 | 232 |
| 19 | - | - | - | - | 39 | 7 | 46 | 92 |
| 20 | - | - | - | - | 7 | - | 12 | 19 |
| Total | 557 | 620 | 622 | 499 | 713 | 147 | 154 | 3,312 |
| Male | | | | | | | | |
| 11 | 149 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 149 |
| 12 | 107 | 137 | - | - | - | - | - | 244 |
| 13 | 15 | 103 | 88 | - | - | - | - | 206 |
| 14 | 5 | 46 | 135 | 51 | - | - | - | 237 |
| 15 | - | 12 | 63 | 66 | 67 | - | - | 208 |
| 16 | - | - | 18 | 74 | 94 | 17 | - | 203 |
| 17 | - | - | 8 | 23 | 89 | 25 | 16 | 161 |
| 18 | - | - | - | 6 | 58 | 35 | 36 | 135 |
| 19 | - | - | - | - | 21 | 2 | 24 | 47 |
| 20 | - | - | - | - | 6 | - | 7 | 13 |
| Total | 276 | 298 | 312 | 220 | 335 | 79 | 83 | 1,603 |
| Female | | | | | | | | |
| 11 | 166 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 166 |
| 12 | 106 | 171 | 1 | - | - | - | - | 278 |
| 13 | 8 | 119 | 136 | - | - | - | - | 263 |
| 14 | 1 | 26 | 118 | 108 | - | - | - | 253 |
| 15 | - | 5 | 40 | 78 | 70 | - | - | 193 |
| 16 | - | 1 | 9 | 59 | 130 | 22 | - | 221 |
| 17 | - | - | 6 | 30 | 111 | 24 | 16 | 187 |
| 18 | - | - | - | 4 | 48 | 17 | 28 | 97 |
| 19 | - | - | - | - | 18 | 5 | 22 | 45 |
| 20 | - | - | - | - | 1 | - | 5 | 6 |
| Total | 281 | 322 | 310 | 279 | 378 | 68 | 71 | 1,709 |

Table 8.6 - Enrolment in schools offering pre-vocational education by gender, age and year of study, Island of Rodrigues, 2001

| Age (in years) | Year of study | | | |
|-------------------|---------------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| | I | II | III | Total |
| 11 | - | - | - | 0 |
| 12 | 56 | - | - | 56 |
| 13 | 52 | - | - | 52 |
| 14 | 2 | 9 | 5 | 16 |
| 15 | - | 31 | 32 | 63 |
| 16 | - | - | 1 | 1 |
| 17 & Over | - | - | - | 0 |
| Total | 110 | 40 | 38 | 188 |
| Male | | | | |
| 11 | - | - | - | 0 |
| 12 | 42 | - | - | 42 |
| 13 | 35 | - | - | 35 |
| 14 | 1 | 8 | 2 | 11 |
| 15 | - | 22 | 26 | 48 |
| 16 | - | - | 1 | 1 |
| 17 & Over | - | - | - | 0 |
| Total | 78 | 30 | 29 | 137 |
| Female | | | | |
| 11 | - | - | - | 0 |
| 12 | 14 | - | - | 14 |
| 13 | 17 | - | - | 17 |
| 14 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 5 |
| 15 | - | 9 | 6 | 15 |
| 16 | - | - | - | 0 |
| 17 & Over | - | - | - | 0 |
| Total | 32 | 10 | 9 | 51 |

SECTION 9. TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION

Table 9.1 - Motor vehicles registered, Island of Rodrigues, 1998 -2001 (as at 31 December)

| Type of vehicle | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 |
|-------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Autocycle | 477 | 505 | 538 | 564 |
| Motorcycle | 1,071 | 1,170 | 1,266 | 1,577 |
| Car and Dual Purpose Vehicles | 292 | 325 | 345 | 376 |
| Goods Vehicle | 316 | 340 | 381 | 434 |
| Bus | 68 | 68 | 70 | 72 |
| Tractor & Dumper | 42 | 42 | 44 | 45 |
| Other ¹ | 19 | 19 | 21 | 23 |
| TOTAL | 2,285 | 2,469 | 2,665 | 3,091 |

¹ includes interalia excavator, trailer and other heavy vehicles n.e.c.

Source: National Transport Authority

Table 9-2 Road traffic accidents, Island of Rodrigues, 1998-2001 (as at 31 December)

| | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 |
|--|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| (i) Road traffic accidents | | | | |
| Number of accidents * | 107 | 91 | 142 | 151 |
| Rate per 100,000 population | 302.8 | 256.0 | 398.2 | 419.4 |
| Rate per 1,000 registered motor vehicles | 43.3 | 34.1 | 45.9 | 48.9 |
| (ii) Motor vehicles involved | | | | |
| Number of motor vehicles involved | 140 | 131 | 187 | 196 |
| Rate per 1,000 registered motor vehicles | 56.7 | 49.2 | 60.5 | 63.4 |
| (iii) Casualties * | | | | |
| Total number of casualties | 53 | 54 | 85 | 77 |
| Nature of casualty | | | | |
| Fatal | 3 | 5 | 2 | 2 |
| Seriously injured | 4 | 3 | 7 | 9 |
| Slightly injured | 46 | 46 | 76 | 66 |
| Casualties by class of road users | 53 | 54 | 85 | 77 |
| Pedestrians | 15 | 14 | 18 | 19 |
| Pedal cyclists | 5 | 6 | 1 | 5 |
| Passengers | 3 | 6 | 16 | 6 |
| Drivers or riders of motor vehicles | 30 | 28 | 50 | 47 |

* Source: Police Headquarters, Rodrigues

Table 9.3 - Broadcasting services, Island of Rodrigues 1997 - 2001

| | Unit | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 |
|--------------------------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Sound | | | | | | |
| Stations ^{1/} | No. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Transmitters | No. | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 3 |
| Aerial Output | | | | | | |
| Medium Wave | Kw | 1,206 | 1,206 | 1,206 | 1,206 | 1,206 |
| Daily Transmission time | Hour | 24 | 24 | 24 | 24 | 24 |
| Television | | | | | | |
| Stations | No. | 3 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 |
| Transmitters | " | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 |
| Aerial output (ERP) | Kw | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Weekly transmission time | Hour | 84 | 84 | 90 | 168 | 168 |
| Television sets licensed | No. | 3,600 | 4,100 | 4,420 | 4,575 | 4,575 |

Table 9.4 - Telephone services, Island of Rodrigues , 1997 - 2001

(as at 31 December)

| | Unit | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 |
|----------------------------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| No of lines in service | No. | 2,173 | 2,862 | 3,061 | 3,719 | 4,365 |
| Capacity in terms of lines | No. | 2,388 | 3,274 | 3,282 | 5,037 | 5,981 |

^{1/} provisional

SECTION 10. LOCAL PRODUCTION

Table 10.1-Foodcrop Production, Island of Rodrigues, 2001

| Foodcrop | Area under cultivation (hectares) | Production (tonnes) | Yield (tonnes/hectare) |
|-------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|
| Banana | 27.3 | 545.0 | 20.0 |
| Beans and peas | 25.2 | 34.4 | 1.4 |
| Brinjal | 0.9 | 6.4 | 7.1 |
| Cabbage | 2.8 | 77.5 | 28.0 |
| Cauliflower | 1.0 | 10.2 | 10.4 |
| Chillies | 0.0 | 0.4 | 9.1 |
| Creepers ¹ | 17.3 | 216.0 | 12.5 |
| Garlic | 5.3 | 8.0 | 1.5 |
| Groundnut | 13.4 | 41.8 | 3.1 |
| Maize | 195.0 | 445.0 | 2.3 |
| Manioc (cassava) | 0.9 | 15.6 | 17.0 |
| Mixed vegetables ² | 9.8 | 117.3 | 12.0 |
| Onion | 38.7 | 412.4 | 10.7 |
| Pomme D'amour | 7.9 | 91.1 | 11.6 |
| Potatoes | 1.3 | 18.7 | 14.5 |
| Sweet potato | 3.8 | 43.1 | 11.3 |
| TOTAL | 350.6 | 2082.9 | 5.9 |

¹ includes bittergourd, calabash, cucumber, patolle, pipengaille, pumpkin, squash, voehm, watermelon, melon apple

² includes beet, carrot, ladies finger, lettuce, petsai, brede de Chine, brede Malbar, brede cresson, sweet pepper, brocco onion green, kotachee, rave, thym, turmeric.

Table 10.2 - Area harvested by foodcrops, Island of Rodrigues 1993 - 2001

(Hectares)

| Food crop | 1993 | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 |
|------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Maize | 603 | 521 | 288 | 314 | 291 | 196 | 301 | 327 | 195 |
| Onion | 68 | 46 | 44 | 55 | 44 | 45 | 39 | 42 | 39 |
| Sweet Potato | 82 | 10 | 11 | 14 | 11 | 8 | 10 | 10 | 4 |
| Cassava | 47 | 10 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 5 | 1 |
| Beans | 29 | 29 | 34 | 43 | 50 | 31 | 24 | 20 | 25 |
| Groundnut | 24 | 31 | 28 | 19 | 12 | 12 | 18 | 20 | 13 |
| Garlic | 71 | 72 | 46 | 58 | 44 | 24 | 13 | 5 | 5 |
| Potato | 1 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 3 | 4 | 1 |
| Banana | n.a | n.a | n.a | n.a | n.a | n.a | 51 | 21 | 27 |
| Other food crops | 50 | 74 | 70 | 67 | 47 | 46 | 50 | 59 | 40 |
| TOTAL | 975 | 796 | 527 | 573 | 503 | 367 | 514 | 512 | 350 |

Source : Agricultural services
n.a : not available

Table 10.3 - Fisheries Statistics, Island of Rodrigues, 1996 - 2001

| | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 |
|--|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| 1. Number of registered fishing boats | 1,028 | 1,027 | 1,061 | 1,130 | 1,243 | 1,323 |
| 2. Registered fishermen | 1,892 | 1,899 | 1,914 | 1,999 | 1,909 | 1,978 |
| Professional fisherwomen | 767 | 778 | 786 | 800 | 775 | 784 |
| Fishermen (large net) | 292 | 225 | 116 | 97 | 110 | 103 |
| Fishermen (Other) | 833 | 896 | 1,012 | 1,102 | 1,024 | 1,091 |
| Fish caught (metric tons) | | | | | | |
| (i) Lagoon | 677.4 | 707.6 | 560.3 | 476.0 | 475.2 | 329.0 |
| (b) Other fish | 881.9 | 875.7 | 1,010.5 | 1,239.5 | 1,232.3 | 1,121.0 |
| (ii) Off lagoon | n.a | n.a | 186.0 | 293.2 | 309.4 | 488.0 |
| TOTAL | 1,559.3 | 1,583.3 | 1,570.8 | 1,715.5 | 2,016.9 | 1,938.0 |

n.a : not available

* Source: Fisheries department

Table 10.4 - Slaughter Statistics, Island of Rodrigues, 1997 - 2001

(Number)

| | Bull | Sheep | Goat | Pig |
|-------------------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| 1997 1st Quarter | 68 | - | 36 | 384 |
| 2nd Quarter | 73 | 9 | 33 | 494 |
| 3rd Quarter | 78 | 15 | 28 | 525 |
| 4th Quarter | 84 | 19 | 37 | 575 |
| YEAR | 303 | 43 | 134 | 1,978 |
| 1998 1st Quarter | 75 | 7 | 23 | 353 |
| 2nd Quarter | 84 | 16 | 35 | 522 |
| 3rd Quarter | 86 | 24 | 55 | 570 |
| 4th Quarter | 98 | 17 | 80 | 627 |
| YEAR | 343 | 64 | 193 | 2,072 |
| 1999 1st Quarter | 60 | 19 | 67 | 464 |
| 2nd Quarter | 82 | 35 | 92 | 529 |
| 3rd Quarter | 78 | 25 | 105 | 554 |
| 4th Quarter | 97 | 11 | 101 | 494 |
| YEAR | 317 | 90 | 365 | 2,041 |
| 2000 1st Quarter | 80 | 14 | 34 | 339 |
| 2nd Quarter | 83 | 2 | 96 | 378 |
| 3rd Quarter | 88 | - | 81 | 496 |
| 4th Quarter | 86 | - | 87 | 459 |
| YEAR | 337 | 16 | 298 | 1,672 |
| 2001 1st Quarter | 83 | 22 | 45 | 383 |
| 2nd Quarter | 88 | - | 66 | 421 |
| 3rd Quarter | 118 | - | 57 | 602 |
| 4th Quarter | 107 | - | 42 | 583 |
| YEAR | 396 | 22 | 210 | 1,989 |

Table 10.5 Electricity consumption by class of consumer, Island of Rodrigues, 1997-2001

| Class of consumer | 1997 | | 1998 | | 1999 | | 2000 | | 2001 | |
|----------------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| | No. of consumers | Consumption (Mwh) | No. of consumers | Consumption (Mwh) | No. of consumers | Consumption (Mwh) | No. of consumers | Consumption (Mwh) | No. of consumers | Consumption (Mwh) |
| Domestic | 7,686 | 7,492 | 8,010 | 8,527 | 8,371 | 9,288 | 8,634 | 9,820 | 8,727 | 10,847 |
| Commercial | 811 | 3,138 | 844 | 3,742 | 912 | 3,890 | 916 | 4,191 | 939 | 4,575 |
| Industrial & Others | 111 | 1,596 | 110 | 1,651 | 133 | 1,703 | 139 | 1,540 | 149 | 1,417 |
| All consumers | 8,608 | 12,226 | 8,964 | 13,920 | 9,416 | 14,881 | 9,689 | 15,551 | 9,815 | 16,839 |

Table 10.6 - Production account of small establishments, Island of Rodrigues, 1997

| Industrial activity NSIC Rev 3 | Number of units covered | Gross output | Intermediate consumption | Value added at factor cost | Compensation | Rs. million | |
|---|----------------------------|--------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| | | | | | | Gross operating surplus | Gross operating surplus |
| TOTAL | 808 | 155.6 | 47.9 | 107.7 | 28.1 | 79.6 | |
| Manufacturing | 68 | 23.0 | 11.5 | 11.5 | 3.3 | 8.2 | |
| Food and beverages | 8 | 3.7 | 1.1 | 2.6 | 0.3 | 2.3 | |
| Wearing apparel (tailoring) | 16 | 2.2 | 1.3 | 0.9 | 0.1 | 0.8 | |
| Rubber products (tyre retreading) | 5 | 5.0 | 2.8 | 2.2 | 0.5 | 1.7 | |
| Fabricated metal product, except machinery | 14 | 4.5 | 2.7 | 1.8 | 0.5 | 1.3 | |
| Furniture | 16 | 4.8 | 2.3 | 2.5 | 0.8 | 1.7 | |
| Other (incl. footwear, printing etc.) | 9 | 2.8 | 1.3 | 1.5 | 1.1 | 0.4 | |
| Wholesale and retail trade, repair of motor vehicles and household goods | 478 | 53.0 | 12.5 | 40.5 | 7.9 | 32.6 | |
| Repair and maintenance of motor vehicles | 8 | 0.5 | 0.2 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 0.2 | |
| Sale of motor vehicles and spare parts | 9 | 1.4 | 0.3 | 1.1 | 0.4 | 0.7 | |
| Groceries | 248 | 33.2 | 7.1 | 26.1 | 3.7 | 22.4 | |
| Tobacco shop (tabagie) | 72 | 2.6 | 0.3 | 2.3 | 0.5 | 1.8 | |
| Textile, clothing and footwear | 18 | 2.1 | 1.0 | 1.1 | 0.9 | 0.2 | |
| Hardware and timber (quincaillerie) | 10 | 0.8 | 0.7 | 0.1 | 0.5 | -0.4 | |
| Household appliances and furniture | 8 | 0.4 | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.3 | |
| Other ^{1/} | 105 | 12.0 | 2.8 | 9.2 | 1.8 | 7.4 | |
| Hotels and restaurants | 46 | 14.9 | 7.1 | 7.8 | 1.3 | 6.5 | |
| Boarding house | 6 | 1.5 | 0.4 | 1.1 | 0.5 | 0.6 | |
| Bars, restaurants and other eating places | 40 | 13.4 | 6.7 | 6.7 | 0.8 | 5.9 | |
| Transport, storage and communication | 152 | 55.5 | 14.8 | 40.7 | 11.1 | 29.6 | |
| Education | 36 | 4.5 | 0.4 | 4.1 | 3.9 | 0.2 | |
| Other community, social and personal service activities | 28 | 4.7 | 1.6 | 3.1 | 0.6 | 2.5 | |

Note: Due to confidentiality, all activities with less than three units have been grouped under "other" in the respective sector

^{1/}Includes 100 itinerant units within wholesale and retail sector

Source : Census of Economic Activities, 1997

SECTION 11. CONSTRUCTION
Table 11.1 - Number of Permits issued and floor area by type of building, Island of Rodrigues, 1997- 2001

| Type of building | 1997 | | 1998 | | 1999 | | 2000 | | 2001 | |
|--|-----------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------|
| | No. of permits issued | Floor area (m ²) | No. of permits issued | Floor area (m ²) | No. of permits issued | Floor area (m ²) | No. of permits issued | Floor area (m ²) | No. of permits issued | Floor area (m ²) |
| Residential | 88 | 9,948 | 155 | 16,587 | 215 | 20,925 | 234 | 19,753 | 365 | 28,559 |
| New buildings | 67 | 8,624 | 124 | 12,151 | 170 | 16,720 | 178 | 15,635 | 300 | 23,681 |
| Additions | 21 | 1,324 | 31 | 4,436 | 45 | 4,205 | 56 | 4,118 | 65 | 4,878 |
| Non Residential | 18 | 3,817 | 11 | 2,835 | 17 | 3,475 | 18 | 4,718 | 24 | 2,528 |
| Manufacturing | 6 | 1,034 | 3 | 315 | 5 | 710 | 4 | 440 | 5 | 665 |
| Wholesale and retail trade, restaurants & hotels | 10 | 2,143 | 7 | 2,380 | 7 | 1,625 | 6 | 780 | 12 | 1,113 |
| Transport, storage & communication | - | - | 1 | 140 | - | - | 2 | 618 | 2 | 305 |
| Services | 2 | 640 | - | - | 5 | 1,140 | 6 | 2,880 | 5 | 445 |
| Total | 106 | 13,765 | 166 | 19,422 | 232 | 24,400 | 252 | 24,471 | 389 | 31,087 |

SECTION 12. CLIMATE

Table 12.1 - Temperature and Rainfall, Island of Rodrigues, 2001

| Month | POINTE CANON | | | | | | PLAINE CORAIL | | | | | |
|-----------|-------------------|------------------------|--------------|------------------------|-------|------------------------|-------------------|------------------------|--------------|------------------------|-------|------------------------|
| | Temperature (°c) | | | Rainfall (mm) | | | Temperature (°c) | | | Rainfall (mm) | | |
| | Mean Maximum | Difference from Normal | Mean Minimum | Difference from Normal | Total | Difference from Normal | Mean Maximum | Difference from Normal | Mean Minimum | Difference from Normal | Total | Difference from Normal |
| January | 30.5 | + 1.5 | 23.9 | + 0.4 | 60.8 | -71.1 | 31.0 | + 0.7 | 24.2 | + 0.4 | 46.1 | - 55.7 |
| February | 30.7 | + 1.5 | 23.8 | 0.0 | 72.0 | -95.8 | 31.2 | + 1.1 | 24.2 | + 0.2 | 59.7 | - 89.0 |
| March | 31.0 | + 1.7 | 24.0 | + 0.3 | 34.9 | -115.3 | 31.9 | + 2.1 | 24.4 | + 0.5 | 17.4 | - 89.0 |
| April | 30.0 | + 1.5 | 23.3 | + 0.3 | 101.3 | -27.6 | 29.9 | + 1.0 | 23.5 | + 0.4 | 110.7 | + 4.0 |
| May | 28.9 | + 1.8 | 21.9 | + 0.3 | 102.0 | + 16.0 | 29.2 | + 1.8 | 22.5 | + 0.9 | 67.3 | - 10.0 |
| June | 25.9 | + 0.2 | 19.2 | -0.8 | 103.3 | + 29.7 | 26.3 | + 0.3 | 20.0 | - 0.1 | 59.8 | 0.0 |
| July | 25.4 | + 0.6 | 18.6 | -0.5 | 111.2 | + 26.3 | 26.4 | + 1.3 | 19.0 | - 0.1 | 66.0 | 11.0 |
| August | 25.9 | + 1.4 | 18.9 | + 0.4 | 29.7 | - 31.1 | 26.8 | + 1.7 | 19.6 | + 0.7 | 40.3 | - 3.7 |
| September | 26.3 | + 1.1 | 19.1 | 0.0 | 131.5 | + 90.6 | 26.8 | + 0.9 | 20.0 | + 0.7 | 164.7 | 137.0 |
| October | 26.9 | + 0.8 | 19.0 | -1.0 | 65.4 | + 27.2 | 27.3 | + 0.2 | 20.0 | - 0.2 | 64.4 | 35.0 |
| November | 28.1 | + 0.9 | 19.9 | -1.5 | 60.8 | - 1.7 | 29.2 | + 0.9 | 21.7 | + 0.4 | 18.1 | - 51.0 |
| December | 29.7 | + 1.3 | 20.9 | -1.8 | 11.0 | - 80.4 | 31.0 | + 1.3 | 22.5 | - 0.4 | 2.2 | - 65.0 |

Source : Meteorological Services, Vacoas