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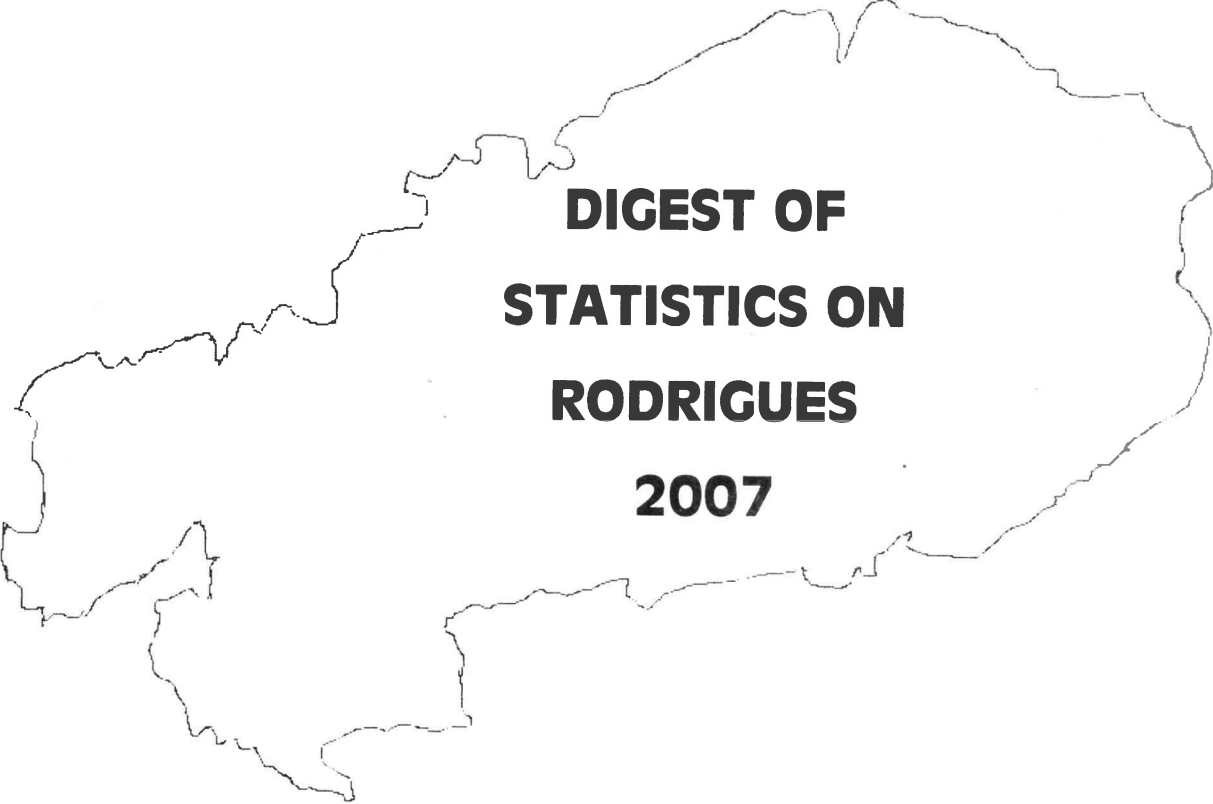
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## **FOREWORD**

This is the fourteenth issue of the Digest of Statistics relating to statistical data exclusively on the Island of Rodrigues. Some of the tables appearing in this digest have been extracted from other publications of CSO.

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

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## Explanation of symbols and abbreviations

-	Nil
n.a	Not available
No.	Number
000	Thousand
t	Tonne
m <sup>2</sup>	Square metre
Km <sup>2</sup>	Square Kilometre
MWh	Megawatt hour
<sup>0</sup> C	Degrees Celsius
mm	Millimetres
CEA	Census of Economic Activities

SECTION 1. POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS

Table 1.1 - Estimated resident population <sup>1/</sup> of the Island of Rodrigues as at 31st December 2006 & 2007<sup>2/</sup>

Year	Population			Area(sq Km)	Density persons/km <sup>2</sup>
	Both sexes	Male	Female		
2006	37,230	18,423	18,807	104	358
2007	37,499	18,530	18,969	104	361

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

<sup>2/</sup> Provisional

Table 1.2 - Population growth in intercensal periods - Island of Rodrigues, 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 <sup>1/</sup>	9,062	9,273	18,335	5,002	3.24
30 Jun. 1972 <sup>1/</sup>	12,270	12,499	24,769	6,434	3.05
2 Jul. 1983 <sup>1/</sup>	16,552	16,530	33,082	8,313	2.67
1 Jul. 1990 <sup>2/</sup>	17,084	17,120	34,204	1,122	0.48
2 Jul. 2000 <sup>2/</sup>	17,700	18,079	35,779	1,575	0.45

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

<sup>2/</sup> 'de jure' population

Table 1.3 - Age distribution of the population<sup>1</sup> of the Island of Rodrigues as enumerated at the 1990 and 2000 censuses

Age group (Years)	1 9 9 0				2 0 0 0			
	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

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

Source : 1990 and 2000 Housing and Population Census

Table 1.4 - Estimated resident population by age group and sex <sup>1</sup> - Island of Rodrigues, 1st July 2006 and 1st July 2007

Age group (Years)	1st July 2006				1st July 2007			
	Male	Female	Both Sexes		Male	Female	Both Sexes	
			Number	%			Number	%
0	420	410	830	2.24	420	440	860	2.30
1 - 4	1,740	1,630	3,370	9.09	1,740	1,670	3,410	9.14
5 - 9	1,840	1,790	3,630	9.79	1,930	1,810	3,740	10.02
10 - 14	1,760	1,850	3,610	9.74	1,740	1,810	3,550	9.51
15 - 19	2,000	1,930	3,930	10.60	1,940	1,910	3,850	10.32
20 - 24	2,000	2,070	4,070	10.98	1,920	1,940	3,860	10.35
25 - 29	1,610	1,630	3,240	8.74	1,710	1,760	3,470	9.30
30 - 34	1,000	1,110	2,110	5.69	1,040	1,160	2,200	5.90
35 - 39	940	1,000	1,940	5.23	880	980	1,860	4.99
40 - 44	990	1,040	2,030	5.47	960	1,020	1,980	5.31
45 - 49	1,040	1,010	2,050	5.53	1,010	980	1,990	5.33
50 - 54	800	730	1,530	4.13	900	780	1,680	4.50
55 - 59	600	600	1,200	3.24	620	630	1,250	3.35
60 - 64	540	570	1,110	2.99	530	580	1,110	2.97
65 - 69	480	520	1,000	2.70	470	530	1,000	2.68
70 - 74	300	360	660	1.78	320	360	680	1.82
75 - 79	150	220	370	1.00	180	240	420	1.13
80 - 84	80	130	210	0.57	70	130	200	0.54
85 +	60	130	190	0.51	60	140	200	0.54
<b>All ages</b>	<b>18,350</b>	<b>18,730</b>	<b>37,080</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>18,440</b>	<b>18,870</b>	<b>37,310</b>	<b>100.00</b>

<sup>1</sup> 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 1.5 - Distribution of the resident population by selected age group and sex - Island of Rodrigues, 1st July 2006 and 1st July 2007

Age group	1st July 2006			1st July 2007		
	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes
			Number			%
Under 5	2,168	2,040	4,208	2,165	2,106	4,271
5 - 11	2,535	2,533	5,068	2,602	2,518	5,120
12 - 19	3,060	3,042	6,102	3,009	3,010	6,019
16 - 18	1,219	1,164	2,383	1,210	1,149	2,359
Under 15	5,762	5,679	11,441	5,833	5,731	11,564
Under 18	6,981	6,847	13,828	6,982	6,842	13,824
Under 21	8,110	7,960	16,070	8,160	8,004	16,164
15 - 49	9,580	9,795	19,375	9,459	9,741	19,200
15 - 59	10,986	11,119	22,105	10,973	11,152	22,125
15 - 64	11,525	11,688	23,213	11,506	11,728	23,234
15 & over	12,586	13,052	25,638	12,612	13,138	25,750
18 & over	11,367	11,884	23,251	11,463	12,027	23,490
21 & over	10,238	10,771	21,009	10,285	10,865	21,150
60 & over	1,600	1,933	3,533	1,639	1,986	3,625
65 & over	1,061	1,364	2,425	1,106	1,410	2,516
All ages	18,348	18,731	37,079	18,445	18,869	37,314
Mean age	27.9	28.9	28.4	28.1	29.1	28.6
Median age	23.5	24.2	23.9	23.8	24.7	24.2
Dependency ratio <sup>1</sup>	592	603	597	603	609	606

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

**Table 1.6 - Mid - year and end of year estimates of the resident population<sup>1</sup> by sex -  
Island of Rodrigues, 1987 - 2007**

Year	Mid - year estimates				End of year estimates			
	Both sexes	Male	Female	Sex <sup>2/</sup> Ratio	Both sexes	Male	Female	Sex <sup>2/</sup> Ratio
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	36,085	17,853	18,232	97.9
2002	36,175	17,925	18,250	98.2	36,303	17,981	18,322	98.1
2003	36,448	18,060	18,388	98.2	36,503	18,089	18,414	98.2
2004	36,690	18,157	18,533	98.0	36,772	18,217	18,555	98.2
2005	36,907	18,288	18,619	98.2	36,994	18,308	18,686	98.0
2006	37,079	18,348	18,731	98.0	37,230	18,423	18,807	98.0
2007	37,314	18,445	18,869	97.8	37,499	18,530	18,969	97.7

<sup>1/</sup> Figures for 1987 - 1989 and 1991 - 1999 have been respectively revised in the light of the 1990 and 2000 population census data adjusted for underenumeration of young children.

<sup>2/</sup> Number of males per 100 females

Table 1.7 - Growth of the resident population and vital statistics - Island of Rodrigues, 1996 - 2007

Year	Population at beginning of year <sup>1/</sup>	Natural movement			Net migration	Total increase	% change during the year due to:			Population at end of year <sup>1/</sup>
		Live births	Deaths	Natural increase			Natural increase	Migration	Total	
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	812	222	590	-390	200	1.64	-1.09	0.55	36,085
2002	36,085	814	229	585	-367	218	1.62	-1.02	0.60	36,303
2003	36,303	825	210	615	-415	200	1.69	-1.14	0.55	36,503
2004	36,503	945	216	729	-460	269	2.00	-1.26	0.74	36,772
2005	36,772	896	224	672	-450	222	1.83	-1.22	0.60	36,994
2006	36,994	881	245	636	-400	236	1.72	-1.08	0.64	37,230
2007	37,230	844	175	669	-400	269	1.80	-1.07	0.73	37,499

<sup>1/</sup> Figures for 1996 - 1999 have been revised in the light of the 2000 population census data adjusted for underenumeration of young children



**Table 1.8 - Vital statistics by month of registration - Island of Rodrigues, 2007**

<b>Month</b>	<b>Live births</b>	<b>Deaths</b>	<b>Infant Deaths</b>	<b>Still births</b>	<b>Civil Marriages</b>
<b>January</b>	71	16	2	1	20
<b>February</b>	58	18	2	0	6
<b>March</b>	45	15	1	1	11
<b>April</b>	81	13	0	1	14
<b>May</b>	92	16	1	2	14
<b>June</b>	76	16	1	1	13
<b>July</b>	86	17	4	1	14
<b>August</b>	97	10	0	4	18
<b>September</b>	61	12	1	2	18
<b>October</b>	66	13	0	1	27
<b>November</b>	47	7	1	0	12
<b>December</b>	64	22	0	1	19
<b>Year</b>	<b>844</b>	<b>175</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>186</b>

Table 1.9 - Registered vital statistics by sex - Island of Rodrigues, 1987 - 2007

Year	Live births			Deaths			Infant deaths			Still births		
	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female
1987	882	426	456	172	83	89	41	15	26	19	10	9
1988	884	453	431	180	99	81	30	15	15	23	11	12
1989	867	453	414	203	111	92	46	28	18	16	10	6
1990	803	421	382	177	108	69	28	17	11	17	13	4
1991	761	366	395	212	107	105	25	11	14	14	7	7
1992	732	372	360	157	95	62	18	13	5	5	1	4
1993	662	339	323	158	80	78	14	12	2	4	2	2
1994	745	376	369	168	99	69	15	9	6	3	1	2
1995	725	357	368	167	91	76	16	8	8	2	1	1
1996	714	336	378	162	89	73	14	5	9	2	2	0
1997	681	343	338	188	107	81	13	7	6	4	3	0
1998	690	347	343	188	112	76	12	9	3	6	1	5
1999	768	384	384	153	90	63	21	8	13	7	5	2
2000	807	411	396	176	93	83	16	8	8	3	1	2
2001	812	416	396	222	122	100	19	12	7	10	7	3
2002	814	431	383	229	116	113	19	11	8	6	2	4
2003	825	433	392	210	116	94	20	6	14	15	11	4
2004	943	450	493	216	115	101	21	9	11	24	18	6
2005	896	460	436	224	130	94	11	8	5	12	4	8
2006	881	453	428	245	134	111	24	11	13	12	6	6
2007	844	412	432	175	101	74	13	8	5	15	8	7

**Table 1.10 - Population and vital statistics rates<sup>1/</sup>, Island of Rodrigues, 1977 - 2007**

Year	Population at mid-year <sup>2/</sup>	Crude birth rate	Crude death rate	Infant mortality rate	Still birth rate	Marriage rate
1977	24.936	42.5	7.2	48.1	24.8	16.3
1978	25.720	42.3	8.2	56.4	22.5	17.3
1979	27.081	42.4	8.3	51.1	23.8	17.7
1980	28.153	44.0	8.6	57.1	24.7	17.7
1981	29.677	42.9	7.7	53.1	24.5	15.1
1982	31.527	38.4	7.0	56.7	21.8	12.6
1983	33.082	34.7	6.4	51.6	17.1	11.8
1984	33.563	30.7	6.5	53.7	17.5	11.3
1985	34.008	28.5	6.1	51.9	18.2	11.8
1986	34.041	26.3	5.6	48.8	20.8	11.1
1987	34.475	26.2	5.2	42.4	23.4	11.2
1988	33.907	25.9	5.5	44.4	21.6	10.2
1989	33.953	25.1	5.5	40.7	21.5	9.8
1990	34.204	23.7	5.8	40.7	19.0	9.3
1991	34.330	22.3	5.3	30.9	15.4	9.4
1992	34.453	20.8	5.1	26.5	10.6	9.8
1993	34.519	20.7	4.7	22.0	5.6	10.8
1994	34.698	20.5	4.7	21.1	4.2	11.3
1995	34.821	20.9	4.8	20.6	3.2	11.4
1996	34.939	20.2	4.9	20.3	3.8	11.9
1997	35.140	19.8	5.1	18.7	5.7	12.9
1998	35.303	20.2	5.0	21.5	7.9	13.3
1999	35.549	21.2	4.8	21.6	7.0	13.4
2000	35.779	22.2	5.1	23.5	8.3	12.8
2001	36.006	22.5	5.8	22.2	7.7	12.9
2002	36.175	22.9	6.1	22.9	10.1	12.3
2003	36.448	23.6	6.0	22.9	17.1	13.4
2004	36.690	25.7	5.9	21.2	24.8	13.5
2005	36.907	24.3	6.1	12.3	13.2	11.8
2006	37.079	24.2	5.8	18.3	14.7	11.0
2007 <sup>3/</sup>	37.314	22.6	4.7	15.4	17.5	10.0

<sup>1/</sup>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.

<sup>2/</sup>Figures for 1977 - 1982, 1984 - 1989 and 1991 - 1999 have been revised in the light of the 1983, 1990 and 2000 population census data.

<sup>3/</sup>Rates have been calculated using 2007 data only.

**Table 1.11 - Fertility rates - Island of Rodrigues, 2006 and 2007**

	<b>2006 <sup>1</sup></b>	<b>2007 <sup>2</sup></b>
<b>Crude birth rate</b>	24.20	22.62
<b>General fertility rate</b>	87.53	87.06
<b>Total fertility rate</b>	2.85	2.86
<b>Gross reproduction rate</b>	1.42	1.48
<b>Net reproduction rate</b>	1.37	1.42
<b>Female population aged (15 - 49 ) years</b>	9,795	9,741
<b>Age specific fertility rate:</b>		
<b>Age of mother (years)</b>		
<b>15 - 19</b>	71.20	68.84
<b>20 - 24</b>	106.70	93.02
<b>25 - 29</b>	144.40	138.40
<b>30 - 34</b>	135.85	141.75
<b>35 - 39</b>	83.20	94.07
<b>40 - 44</b>	25.70	32.29
<b>45 - 49</b>	2.60	4.07

<sup>1</sup> because of the small number of events, the rates have been calculated by taking an average of events for three years in order to remove out wide fluctuations in the yearly data

<sup>2/</sup> for the year 2007 only

Table 1.12 - Deaths by age group and sex - Island of Rodrigues, 2007

Age at death (years)	Both sexes	Male	Female
Under 1	13	8	5
1 - 4	0	0	0
5 - 9	0	0	0
10 - 14	0	0	0
15 - 19	1	1	0
20 - 24	1	1	0
25 - 29	1	1	0
30 - 34	6	5	1
35 - 39	3	1	2
40 - 44	6	5	1
45 - 49	7	6	1
50 - 54	9	5	4
55 - 59	11	8	3
60 - 64	14	8	6
65 - 69	19	12	7
70 - 74	25	14	11
75 - 79	16	11	5
80 - 84	18	6	12
85 and over	25	9	16
<b>All ages</b>	<b>175</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>74</b>

Table 1.13 - Infant deaths by age - Island of Rodrigues, 1998 - 2007

Age	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
Under 1 day	4	10	5	3	4	3	7	1	6	4
1 - 6 days	4	5	6	10	8	6	8	3	7	4
7 - 27 days	3	1	3	2	2	1	3	1	5	3
1 month	-	1	1	-	3	2	1	1	1	1
2 months	-	2	-	-	-	4	2	-	-	-
3 months	-	1	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	-
4 months	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	-
5 months	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
6 months	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
7 months	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	1	-
8 months	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9 months	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
10 months	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
11 months	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
<b>Under 1 year</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>13</b>
Under 7 days	8	15	11	13	12	9	15	4	13	8
Under 28 days	11	16	14	15	14	10	18	5	18	11
1 - 11 months	1	5	2	4	5	10	3	6	6	2

Table 1.14 - Under one year mortality rates - Island of Rodrigues, 1998 - 2007

Mortality rates	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
Early neonatal mortality rate <sup>1/</sup>	11.6	19.5	13.6	16.0	14.7	10.9	15.8	4.5	14.8	9.5
Late neonatal mortality rate <sup>2/</sup>	4.3	1.3	3.7	2.5	2.5	1.2	3.2	1.1	5.7	3.6
Neonatal mortality rate <sup>3/</sup>	15.9	20.8	17.3	18.5	17.2	12.1	19.0	5.6	20.5	13.0
Post-neonatal mortality rate <sup>4/</sup>	1.4	6.5	2.5	4.9	6.1	12.1	3.2	6.7	6.8	2.4
Perinatal mortality rate <sup>5/</sup>	20.1	28.4	17.3	28.0	22.0	28.6	40.2	17.6	28.0	26.8

<sup>1/</sup>The number of deaths of infants aged under 7 days in a year per 1,000 live births during that year

<sup>2/</sup>The number of deaths of infants aged from 7 to 27 days in a year per 1,000 live births in that year

<sup>3/</sup>The number of deaths of infants aged less than 28 days in a year per 1,000 live births during that year

<sup>4/</sup>The number of deaths of infants aged from 28 days to under 1 year per 1,000 live births during that year

<sup>5/</sup>The sum of the number of deaths of infants aged under 7 days and the number of still births

in a year per 1,000 total births (live + still births ) during that year

Table 1.15 - Deaths by cause<sup>1</sup> - Island of Rodrigues, 2007

Chapter	Cause of death	Deaths							Death rate per 100,000 of population
		Under 1 year		1 to under 5 years		All ages			
		Both sexes	5 years	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes		
							Number	%	
I	Certain Infectious & parasitic diseases	-	-	-	1	4	5	2.9	13.4
II	Neoplasms	-	-	-	21	11	32	18.3	85.8
III	Diseases of the blood & blood-forming organs and certain disorders involving the immune mechanism	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
IV	Endocrine, nutritional & metabolic diseases	1	-	-	8	21	29	16.6	77.7
V	Mental & behavioural disorders	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
VI	Diseases of the nervous system	-	-	-	1	-	1	0.6	2.7
VII	Diseases of the eye & adnexa	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
VIII	Diseases of the ear & mastoid process	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
IX	Diseases of the circulatory system	-	-	-	32	30	62	35.4	166.2
X	Diseases of the respiratory system	1	-	-	11	4	15	8.6	40.2
XI	Diseases of the digestive system	-	-	-	4	-	4	2.3	10.7
XII	Diseases of the skin & subcutaneous tissue	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XIII	Diseases of the musculoskeletal system & connective tissue	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XIV	Diseases of the genito-urinary system	-	-	-	2	-	2	1.1	5.4
XV	Pregnancy, childbirth & the puerperium	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XVI	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period	9	-	-	6	3	9	5.1	24.1
XVII	Congenital malformations, deformation & chromosomal abnormalities	2	-	-	2	-	2	1.1	5.4
XVIII	Symptoms, signs & abnormal clinical & laboratory findings, not elsewhere classified	-	-	-	2	-	2	1.1	5.4
XIX	Injury, poisoning & certain other consequences of external causes	-	-	-	11	1	12	6.9	32.2
	<b>All causes</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>175</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>469.0</b>

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



Table 1.16 - Life expectancy by age and sex at each census - Island of Rodrigues, 1970 - 2002

Exact age (years)	Male				Female			
	1970 - 1974	1981 - 1985	1988 - 1992	1998 - 2002	1970 - 1974	1981 - 1985	1988 - 1992	1998 - 2002
0	62.06	64.47	66.23	70.16	64.16	68.95	72.76	76.09
1	65.89	67.02	67.85	70.71	67.93	70.98	74.21	76.59
5	64.62	64.12	64.08	66.95	67.53	68.36	70.71	73.05
10	59.98	59.31	59.18	62.17	62.85	63.56	65.87	68.12
15	55.16	54.53	54.39	57.26	58.08	58.70	60.92	63.12
20	50.43	49.85	49.60	52.40	53.32	53.93	56.01	58.23
25	45.86	45.23	45.06	47.83	48.71	49.24	51.08	53.45
30	41.28	40.64	40.23	43.13	44.41	44.55	46.16	48.74
35	36.67	36.12	35.60	38.63	40.22	39.85	41.36	43.93
40	32.05	31.68	31.08	33.82	36.01	35.17	36.71	39.10
45	27.65	27.33	26.90	29.21	31.73	30.68	32.66	34.49
50	23.31	23.03	22.73	24.79	27.55	26.25	28.09	30.07
55	19.26	18.78	19.08	20.89	23.47	21.95	23.83	25.78
60	15.49	15.27	15.52	17.18	19.37	17.86	19.87	21.58
65	12.61	11.78	12.65	13.81	15.20	14.40	15.98	17.95
70	9.63	8.63	9.70	10.57	11.14	10.87	12.67	14.51
75	7.40	6.56	7.19	7.97	7.62	7.43	9.56	11.89
80+	4.42	4.34	5.37	6.15	4.60	4.58	7.60	9.88

Table 1.17 - Projections of the resident population by sex - Island of Rodrigues, 2007 - 2047

Age	2007			2012			2017			2022			2027		
	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female
	0-4	4,271	2,165	2,106	3,878	1,966	1,912	3,580	1,815	1,765	3,314	1,680	1,634	3,249	1,647
5-9	3,740	1,927	1,813	4,257	2,157	2,100	3,868	1,960	1,908	3,572	1,810	1,762	3,309	1,677	1,632
10-14	3,553	1,741	1,812	3,700	1,915	1,785	4,226	2,147	2,079	3,846	1,953	1,893	3,562	1,807	1,755
15-19	3,846	1,943	1,903	3,296	1,609	1,687	3,506	1,814	1,692	4,095	2,079	2,016	3,780	1,919	1,861
20-24	3,852	1,917	1,935	3,198	1,622	1,576	2,810	1,368	1,442	3,180	1,653	1,527	3,930	1,996	1,934
25-29	3,471	1,708	1,763	3,230	1,605	1,625	2,731	1,388	1,343	2,499	1,212	1,287	3,019	1,572	1,447
30-34	2,194	1,037	1,157	3,106	1,502	1,604	2,954	1,449	1,505	2,545	1,282	1,263	2,400	1,155	1,245
35-39	1,862	884	978	2,060	977	1,083	2,995	1,449	1,546	2,875	1,410	1,465	2,498	1,257	1,241
40-44	1,984	962	1,022	1,824	863	961	2,027	958	1,069	2,961	1,428	1,533	2,848	1,393	1,455
45-49	1,991	1,008	983	1,958	948	1,010	1,804	853	951	2,004	946	1,058	2,932	1,412	1,520
50-54	1,680	898	782	1,940	978	962	1,911	922	989	1,764	831	933	1,964	924	1,040
55-59	1,245	616	629	1,601	847	754	1,855	925	930	1,834	875	959	1,697	791	906
60-64	1,109	533	576	1,149	560	589	1,482	773	709	1,723	847	876	1,710	804	906
65-69	1,000	467	533	993	466	527	1,034	492	542	1,338	683	655	1,566	753	813
70-74	684	322	362	858	387	471	859	390	469	900	416	484	1,169	581	588
75-79	425	183	242	519	227	292	662	280	382	670	288	382	708	312	396
80+	407	134	273	484	165	319	590	210	380	745	268	477	833	305	528
All ages	37,314	18,445	18,869	38,051	18,794	19,257	38,894	19,193	19,701	39,865	19,661	20,204	41,174	20,305	20,869

Table 1.17 - Projections of the resident population by sex - Island of Rodrigues, 2007 - 2047 (cont'd)

Age	2 0 3 2			2 0 3 7			2 0 4 2			2 0 4 7		
	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female
0-4	3,386	1,716	1,670	3,526	1,787	1,739	3,619	1,834	1,785	3,585	1,817	1,768
5-9	3,244	1,644	1,600	3,383	1,714	1,669	3,524	1,786	1,738	3,617	1,833	1,784
10-14	3,306	1,675	1,631	3,243	1,643	1,600	3,381	1,713	1,668	3,523	1,785	1,738
15-19	3,559	1,805	1,754	3,304	1,674	1,630	3,241	1,642	1,599	3,380	1,712	1,668
20-24	3,775	1,915	1,860	3,555	1,802	1,753	3,301	1,671	1,630	3,238	1,639	1,599
25-29	3,918	1,989	1,929	3,765	1,909	1,856	3,548	1,798	1,750	3,296	1,668	1,628
30-34	3,003	1,560	1,443	3,901	1,977	1,924	3,752	1,899	1,853	3,536	1,789	1,747
35-39	2,386	1,145	1,241	2,987	1,548	1,439	3,883	1,963	1,920	3,736	1,887	1,849
40-44	2,481	1,244	1,237	2,373	1,135	1,238	2,971	1,536	1,435	3,865	1,950	1,915
45-49	2,823	1,378	1,445	2,461	1,232	1,229	2,356	1,125	1,231	2,951	1,523	1,428
50-54	2,880	1,383	1,497	2,778	1,353	1,425	2,426	1,212	1,214	2,326	1,108	1,218
55-59	1,895	882	1,013	2,783	1,323	1,460	2,692	1,298	1,394	2,356	1,166	1,190
60-64	1,588	729	859	1,779	816	963	2,622	1,229	1,393	2,546	1,212	1,334
65-69	1,563	718	845	1,460	655	805	1,645	738	907	2,438	1,119	1,319
70-74	1,376	644	732	1,380	617	763	1,293	565	728	1,458	637	821
75-79	923	441	482	1,095	493	602	1,104	476	628	1,037	437	600
80+	907	343	564	1,093	447	646	1,311	535	776	1,429	566	863
All ages	43,013	21,211	21,802	44,866	22,125	22,741	46,669	23,020	23,649	48,317	23,848	24,469

## SECTION 2. TRAVEL AND TOURISM

Table 2.1 - Passenger traffic<sup>1</sup> - Island of Rodrigues, 1985 - 2007

Year	Arrivals in Rodrigues			Departures from Rodrigues			Arrivals less departures
	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	
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	-1053
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
2002	60,355	34,647	25,708	59,984	34,004	25,980	+371
2003	63,649	37,203	26,446	63,937	37,673	26,264	-288
2004	60,862	34,467	26,395	60,830	34,314	26,516	+32
2005	53,534	29,805	23,729	53,987	29,447	24,540	-453
2006	55,368	31,395	23,973	56,015	31,822	24,193	-647
2007	61,617	33,991	27,626	61,595	33,735	27,860	22

<sup>1</sup> Includes residents and non-residents

Note: From December 2003 to March 2006, there were direct flights between Reunion and Rodrigues

Source: Passport and Immigration Office, Rodrigues

Table 2.2 - Total arrivals in the Island of Rodrigues by country of residence and mode of transport, 2007

Country of residence \ Mode of Transport	Air	Sea	Total
Australia	177	6	183
Austria	62	1	63
Belgium	192	3	195
Canada	55	1	56
Denmark	54	0	54
France / Reunion	11,906	44	11,950
Germany	203	1	204
India	94	5	99
Italy	397	0	397
Japan	1	0	1
Mauritius	31,105	2,193	33,298
Netherlands	61	3	64
Portugals	12	0	12
Rodrigues	8,805	4,323	13,128
Seychelles	88	0	88
South Africa	139	3	142
Spain	37	0	37
Switzerland	284	8	292
United Kingdom	520	7	527
U. S. America	99	10	109
Others <sup>1</sup>	710	8	718
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>55,001</b>	<b>6,616</b>	<b>61,617</b>

<sup>1</sup> includes foreigners working in the Island of Rodrigues  
 Source: Passport and Immigration Office, Rodrigues

**Table 2.3 - Monthly passenger arrivals in the Island of Rodrigues by mode of transport and sex, 2007**

Month	Air			Sea			Total		
	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes
January	2,725	2,301	5,026	487	482	969	3,212	2,783	5,995
February	1,577	1,168	2,745	162	126	288	1,739	1,294	3,033
March	2,277	1,538	3,815	314	253	567	2,591	1,791	4,382
April	2,835	2,280	5,115	240	198	438	3,075	2,478	5,553
May	2,541	1,691	4,232	181	141	322	2,722	1,832	4,554
June	1,890	1,309	3,199	210	184	394	2,100	1,493	3,593
July	2,622	2,150	4,782	346	281	627	2,978	2,431	5,409
August	2,872	2,562	5,434	347	295	642	3,219	2,857	6,076
September	1,773	1,399	3,172	254	207	461	2,027	1,606	3,633
October	2,263	1,728	3,991	249	199	448	2,512	1,927	4,439
November	3,061	2,669	5,730	322	346	668	3,383	3,015	6,398
December	4,035	3,725	7,760	398	394	792	4,433	4,119	8,552
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>30,481</b>	<b>24,520</b>	<b>55,001</b>	<b>3,510</b>	<b>3,106</b>	<b>6,616</b>	<b>33,991</b>	<b>27,626</b>	<b>61,617</b>

Source: Passport and Immigration Office, Rodrigues



Table 2.5 - Monthly passenger departures from the Island of Rodrigues by mode of transport and sex, 2007

Month	Air			Sea			Total		
	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes
January	3,341	2,992	6,333	270	282	552	3,611	3,274	6,885
February	1,618	1,242	2,860	419	370	789	2,037	1,612	3,649
March	1,952	1,271	3,223	293	220	513	2,245	1,491	3,736
April	2,827	2,267	5,094	408	373	781	3,235	2,640	5,875
May	2,515	1,881	4,396	180	135	315	2,695	2,016	4,711
June	1,893	1,241	3,134	315	247	562	2,208	1,488	3,696
July	2,451	1,987	4,438	407	358	765	2,858	2,345	5,203
August	3,033	2,724	5,757	364	404	768	3,397	3,128	6,525
September	1,696	1,368	3,064	355	284	639	2,051	1,652	3,703
October	1,942	1,462	3,404	233	279	512	2,175	1,741	3,916
November	3,189	2,787	5,976	325	304	629	3,514	3,091	6,605
December	3,261	2,874	6,135	448	508	956	3,709	3,382	7,091
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>29,718</b>	<b>24,096</b>	<b>53,814</b>	<b>4,017</b>	<b>3,764</b>	<b>7,781</b>	<b>33,735</b>	<b>27,860</b>	<b>61,595</b>

Source: Passport and Immigration Office, Rodrigues



**SECTION 3 - HEALTH STATISTICS**

**Table 3.1 - Health Services - Island of Rodrigues, 2004-2007 (as at 31 December)**

INSTITUTION	2004	2005	2006	2007
	Number of units	Number of units	Number of units	Number of units
<b>Hospital</b> <sup>1</sup> (Queen Elizabeth at Creve Coeur)	1	1	1	1
<b>Health Centre</b> <sup>1</sup> (La Ferme and Mont Lubin)	2	2	2	2
<b>Community Health Centre</b>	14	14	14	14
<b>Health Office</b> (Port Mathurin)	1	1	1	1
<b>Dental Clinic</b> (Hospital and Health Centres)	3	3	3	3
<b>Expanded Programme on Immunization:</b>				
Main Centre (Hospital and Health Centres)	3	3	3	3
Sub-Centre, Community Health Centres	12	12	12	12

<sup>1</sup> also functioning as Area Health Centres

Source: Commission for Health, Rodrigues Regional Assembly

**Table 3.2 - Distribution of operational beds - Island of Rodrigues, 2007 (as at 31 December)**

INSTITUTION	General Medicine	General Surgery	Maternity	Gynaecology	Orthopaedics	Psychiatry	Paediatric	ICU	Dialysis	TOTAL
Queen Elizabeth II Hospital	40	11	20	7	5	2	29	3	4	121
Mont Lubin Health Centre	17	-	7	-	-	-	4	-	-	28
La Ferme Health Centre	18	-	6	-	-	-	3	-	-	27
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>176</b>

Source: Commission for Health, Rodrigues Regional Assembly

Table 3.3 - Distribution of certain notifiable diseases reported to sanitary authorities - Island of Rodrigues, 1997-2007

Disease Year	HIV/AIDS	Amoebiasis	Food poisoning	Gonorrhoea	Infective Hepatitis	Leprosy	Malaria (imported)	Measles	Tuberculosis Pulmonary
1997	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-
1998	1	-	16	-	1	-	1	-	3
1999	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	1
2000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
2001	-	-	15	-	-	-	1	-	-
2002	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	1
2003	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	27	-
2004	1	1	3	-	-	-	-	6	2
2005	3	5	-	-	-	-	-	6	1
2006	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2007	9	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1

Source: Commission for Health, Rodrigues Regional Assembly

SECTION 4 - PUBLIC FINANCE

Table 4.1 - Functional classification of Government expenditure - Island of Rodrigues, 2002/2003 - 2007/2008

Functional categories	2002/2003			2003/2004			2004/2005		
	Current	Capital	Total	Current	Capital	Total	Current	Capital	Total
			%			%			%
<b>General Government Services</b>	<b>204.3</b>	<b>13.1</b>	<b>217.4</b>	<b>188.7</b>	<b>15.1</b>	<b>203.8</b>	<b>212.1</b>	<b>47.1</b>	<b>259.2</b>
General public services <sup>1</sup>	160.0	10.0	170.0	134.7	13.5	148.2	153.7	42.5	196.2
Defence	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Public order and safety	44.3	3.1	47.4	54.0	1.6	55.6	58.4	4.6	63.0
<b>Community and Social Services</b>	<b>404.8</b>	<b>208.3</b>	<b>613.1</b>	<b>496.3</b>	<b>241.5</b>	<b>737.8</b>	<b>481.2</b>	<b>241.0</b>	<b>722.2</b>
Education	58.0	110.0	168.0	75.6	86.1	161.7	82.6	59.3	141.9
Health	91.6	3.5	95.1	124.9	5.3	130.2	134.5	5.5	140.0
Social security and welfare	185.1	-	185.1	193.9	-	193.9	156.8	0.9	157.7
Housing and community amenities	55.3	93.5	148.8	74.1	128.0	202.1	75.2	105.7	180.9
Recreational, cultural and religious services	14.8	1.3	16.1	27.8	22.1	49.9	32.1	69.6	101.7
<b>Economic Services</b>	<b>99.9</b>	<b>99.5</b>	<b>199.4</b>	<b>120.1</b>	<b>140.1</b>	<b>260.2</b>	<b>170.3</b>	<b>135.3</b>	<b>305.6</b>
Fuel and energy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	71.7	0.9	72.6	90.1	12.9	103.0	141.5	16.5	158.0
Mining and mineral resources, manufacturing and construction	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transportation and communication	20.2	83.1	103.3	17.9	126.0	143.9	16.1	117.8	133.9
Other economic services	8.0	15.5	23.5	12.1	1.2	13.3	12.7	1.0	13.7
<b>Other functions</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>709.0</b>	<b>320.9</b>	<b>1,029.9</b>	<b>805.1</b>	<b>396.7</b>	<b>1,201.8</b>	<b>863.6</b>	<b>423.4</b>	<b>1,287.0</b>
			<b>100.0</b>			<b>100.0</b>			<b>100.0</b>

<sup>1</sup> Certain expenditures included here have been attributed to other functional categories as from October 2002 when Rodrigues became a Regional Assembly

Table 4.1 - Functional classification of Government expenditure - Island of Rodrigues, 2002/2003 - 2007/2008 (cont'd)

Million Rupees

Functional categories	2005/2006			2006/2007 <sup>2</sup>			2007/2008 <sup>3</sup>					
	Current	Capital	Total	%	Current	Capital	Total	%	Current	Capital	Total	%
<b>General Government Services</b>	<b>224.6</b>	<b>15.2</b>	<b>239.8</b>	<b>18.6</b>	<b>229.0</b>	<b>35.1</b>	<b>264.1</b>	<b>22.1</b>	<b>246.9</b>	<b>39.4</b>	<b>286.3</b>	<b>22.4</b>
General public services <sup>3</sup>	156.0	12.9	168.9	13.1	154.8	9.0	163.8	13.7	169.9	10.0	179.9	14.1
Defence	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Public order and safety	68.6	2.3	70.9	5.5	74.2	26.1	100.3	8.4	77.0	29.4	106.4	8.3
<b>Community and Social Services</b>	<b>527.5</b>	<b>171.5</b>	<b>699.0</b>	<b>54.1</b>	<b>520.3</b>	<b>175.3</b>	<b>695.6</b>	<b>58.3</b>	<b>579.6</b>	<b>125.8</b>	<b>705.4</b>	<b>55.1</b>
Education	86.6	38.6	125.2	9.7	87.4	29.3	116.7	9.8	87.9	29.0	116.9	9.1
Health	137.3	19.6	156.9	12.2	133.6	23.0	156.6	13.1	140.5	28.5	169.0	13.2
Social security and welfare	184.8	0.2	185.0	14.3	176.9	1.0	177.9	14.9	215.1	2.6	217.7	17.0
Housing and community amenities	80.3	60.2	140.5	10.9	87.8	76.0	163.8	13.7	100.5	54.5	155.0	12.1
Recreational, cultural and religious services	38.5	52.9	91.4	7.1	34.6	46.0	80.6	6.8	35.6	11.2	46.8	3.7
<b>Economic Services</b>	<b>188.4</b>	<b>164.1</b>	<b>352.5</b>	<b>27.3</b>	<b>163.9</b>	<b>69.6</b>	<b>233.5</b>	<b>19.6</b>	<b>174.6</b>	<b>112.8</b>	<b>287.4</b>	<b>22.5</b>
Fuel and energy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	148.7	20.4	169.1	13.1	124.9	12.0	136.9	11.5	127.4	20.6	148.0	11.6
Mining and mineral resources, manufacturing and construction	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transportation and communication	20.5	143.3	163.8	12.7	18.0	56.1	74.1	6.2	19.0	91.7	110.7	8.7
Other economic services	19.2	0.4	19.6	1.5	21.0	1.5	22.5	1.9	28.2	0.5	28.7	2.2
<b>Other functions</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>940.5</b>	<b>350.8</b>	<b>1,291.3</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>913.2</b>	<b>280.0</b>	<b>1,193.2</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1,001.1</b>	<b>278.0</b>	<b>1,279.1</b>	<b>100.0</b>

<sup>2</sup> Revised    <sup>3</sup> Budget Estimates

Table 4.2 - Economic classification of Government expenditure - Island of Rodrigues, 2002/2003 - 2007/2008

Economic categories	Million Rupees											
	2002/2003		2003/2004		2004/2005		2005/2006		2006/2007 <sup>1</sup>		2007/2008 <sup>2</sup>	
	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%
<b>Current expenditure</b>	709.0	68.8	805.1	67.0	863.6	67.1	940.5	72.8	913.2	76.5	100.1	78.3
Wages and salaries	418.7	40.7	478.4	39.8	515.5	40.1	535.2	41.4	545.4	45.7	556.0	43.5
Employer contributions to pension schemes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other purchases of goods and services	109.7	10.7	105.5	8.8	111.7	8.7	133.0	10.3	131.6	11.0	171.2	13.4
Interest payments	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subsidies and other current transfers	180.6	17.5	221.2	18.4	236.4	18.4	272.3	21.1	236.2	19.8	273.9	21.4
Subsidies	-	-	2.1	0.2	3.1	0.2	4.6	0.4	4.3	0.4	4.3	0.3
Transfer to nonprofit institutions and households	180.6	17.5	219.1	18.2	233.3	18.1	267.7	20.7	231.9	19.4	269.6	21.1
Transfer abroad	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Capital expenditure</b>	320.9	31.2	396.7	33.0	423.4	32.9	350.8	27.2	280.0	23.5	278.0	21.1
Acquisition of fixed capital assets	306.0	29.7	396.7	33.0	412.8	32.1	350.8	27.2	278.0	23.3	277.0	21.7
Purchase of land	-	-	-	-	10.6	0.8	-	-	1.0	0.1	1.0	0.1
Capital transfers	14.9	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	0.1	-	-
To nonfinancial public enterprises	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	0.1	-	-
To public financial institutions	14.9	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other domestic transfers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Abroad	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total expenditure</b>	<b>1,029.9</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1,201.8</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1,287.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1,291.3</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1,193.2</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1,279.1</b>	<b>100.0</b>

<sup>1</sup> Revised

<sup>2</sup> Budget Estimates

SECTION 5. TRADE

Table 5.1 - Export of selected commodities (quantities) to the Island of Mauritius, 1998 -2007

Commodity	Unit	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
Cattle	Unit	1,209	1,277	1,755	2,919	1,156	1,135	959	1,041	1,379	1,502
Pigs	Unit	65	23	8	1,458	1,711	638	93	44	19	133
Goats	Unit	1,247	1,486	1,490	1,867	1,371	1,581	1,434	1,695	2,216	2,253
Sheep	Unit	1,132	1,163	1,111	1,467	1,019	1,128	1,261	1,003	1,092	1,284
Fowls	Basket <sup>1</sup>	571	518	530	490	409	409	389	337	236	290
Salted fish	Kg	n.a	n.a	100	40	230	2,255	1,465	695	870	913
Dry Octopus	Kg	n.a	n.a	n.a	145	n.a	240	4,507	8,495	9,120	7,865
Frozen Octopus	Tonnes	207	141	188	162	145	175	191	244	124	179
Red beans	Kg	n.a	215	n.a	600	n.a	n.a	n.a	1,855	4,140	355
Lemon	Tonnes	82	86	152	151	287	62	97	232	171	110
Onions	Tonnes	368	374	340	165	258	163	176	143	188	64
Garlic	Tonnes	2	1	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a
Grapefruits	Tonnes	n.a	n.a	6	6	2	2	52	31	37	10
Coconuts	Tonnes	3	27	20	16	25	14	20	6	14	18
Honey	Kg	1,045	1,425	1,085	2,258	2,887	3,920	1,625	1,562	1,492	2,398
Chillies (small)	Kg	1,250	645	820	924	1,765	945	1,350	1,860	3,450	6,265
Pumpkin	Tonnes	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	37	-	8
Handicraft	Tonnes	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	10	6	2
Sea Cucumber	Tonnes	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	28	40
Frozen Fish	Kg	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	1,170	300
Peanuts	Kg	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	1,520	1,330
Spices	Kg	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	385	240
Banana	Kg	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	1,130	13,982

<sup>1</sup> Each basket contains an average of 50 fowls

Note:- These figures have been compiled from Cargo Manifest available at the Customs and Excise Department, Rodrigues

Table 5.2 - Export of selected commodities (quantities) to the Island of Mauritius by month, 2007

Commodity	Unit	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Whole Year
Cattle	Unit	80	173	32	224	83	131	116	133	127	212	124	127	1,562
Pigs	Unit	0	0	0	2	0	0	3	0	30	37	0	61	133
Goats	Unit	131	184	42	370	189	178	292	44	138	235	123	327	2,253
Sheep	Unit	88	131	53	209	118	92	105	44	93	169	19	163	1,284
Fowls	Basket <sup>1</sup>	20	31	3	56	26	20	25	16	30	37	7	19	290
Salted fish	Kg	0	0	85	120	40	8	180	40	280	0	160	0	913
Dry Octopus	Kg	830	275	355	1,200	830	245	650	460	820	960	800	440	7,865
Frozen Octopus	Tonnes	11	15	9	23	11	13	17	18	11	10	16	24	179
Lemon	Tonnes	10	5	5	18	10	30	20	1	1	1	4	4	110
Onions	Tonnes	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	60	0	0	64
Grapefruits	Tonnes	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	1	2	1	0	0	10
Honey	Kg	672	20	0	252	144	192	84	120	124	240	30	520	2,398
Chillies (small)	Kg	435	540	0	1,700	80	120	400	400	760	1,485	225	120	6,265
Sea Cucumber	Tonnes	7	1	2	9	7	0	0	0	0	2	4	8	40
Frozen Fish	Kg	0	0	0	0	0	0	200	100	0	0	0	0	300
Coconuts	Tonnes	1	0	0	1	1	0	10	1	1	2	0	0	18
Pumpkin	Tonnes	0	0	0	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8
Handicraft	Kg	0	0	0	0	0	0	480	120	900	0	0	0	1,501
Peanuts	Kg	0	0	0	0	1,050	280	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,330
Spices	Kg	0	0	0	0	0	40	0	0	200	0	0	0	240
Banana	Kg	315	2,775	50	200	315	0	0	50	800	7,140	2,137	200	13,982
Red Beans	Kg	0	0	15	0	0	0	120	120	100	0	0	0	355

<sup>1</sup> Each basket contains an average of 50 fowls

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

**Table 6.1 - Employment by industrial group and sex - Island of Rodrigues, 2006 - 2007**

Industrial group NSIC <sup>1</sup>	2006 <sup>2</sup>			2007		
	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	2,750	2,300	5,050	3,130	2,615	5,745
Mining and quarrying	40	-	40	40	-	40
Manufacturing	525	505	1,030	500	610	1,110
Electricity, gas and water	65	5	70	65	5	70
Construction	1,460	5	1,465	1,395	5	1,400
Wholesale & retail trade; repair of m/vehicles, motorcycles, personal & household goods	770	610	1,380	800	630	1,430
Hotels and restaurants	420	365	785	450	375	825
Transport, storage and communications	850	70	920	790	60	850
Financial intermediation	50	40	90	50	40	90
Real Estate	100	80	180	115	85	200
Public administration & defence; compulsory social security	2,380	600	2,980	2,290	610	2,900
Education	200	235	435	205	245	450
Health and social work	40	25	65	45	30	75
Other services	220	705	925	225	725	950
<b>Total</b>	<b>9,870</b>	<b>5,545</b>	<b>15,415</b>	<b>10,100</b>	<b>6,035</b>	<b>16,135</b>

<sup>1</sup> National Standard Industrial Classification - an adapted version of International Standard Industrial Classification Rev.3

<sup>2</sup> Revised

Note : (i) Estimates are based on the Continuous Multi-Purpose Household Survey and refer to the population aged 16 years and above.

(ii) All departments of the Rodrigues Regional Assembly are classified under 'Public Administration & defence'.



Table 6.2 - Employment in large establishments as at March - Island of Rodrigues, 2003 - 2007

Industrial group	2003			2004			2005			2006			2007		
	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes
	All sectors	4,044	808	4,852	3,747	850	4,597	3,706	979	4,685	3,550	994	4,544	3,387	1,000
<i>of which</i>															
Manufacturing	126	9	135	125	9	134	129	13	142	132	13	145	120	12	132
Construction	376	8	384	236	5	241	140	4	144	218	5	223	218	5	223
Wholesale & retail trade; repair of m/vehicles, motorcycles, personal & household goods	157	9	166	127	9	136	168	32	200	101	19	120	104	20	124
Hotels and restaurants	181	94	275	147	84	231	247	157	404	216	149	365	182	144	326
Public administration & defence, compulsory social security (Rodrigues Regional Assembly)	2,778	533	3,311	2,663	570	3,233	2,504	571	3,075	2,378	599	2,977	2,287	607	2,894
Education	137	97	234	149	115	264	164	140	304	159	148	307	160	156	316

Source: Survey of Employment and Earnings in large (employing 10 or more persons) establishments.

Table 6.3 - Average monthly earnings<sup>1</sup> by industrial group as at March - Island of Rodrigues, 2003 - 2007

Industrial group	Rupees					
	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	
All sectors	9,189	10,505	10,924	11,454	12,118	
<i>of which</i>						
Manufacturing	5,741	6,000 <sup>2</sup>	7,226	8,197	8,322	
Construction	8,114	6,601	7,814	8,244	8,079	
Wholesale & retail trade; repair of m/vehicles, motorcycles, personal & household goods	14,957	12,396	9,233 <sup>3</sup>	9,700	10,587	
Hotels and restaurants	5,854	6,476	7,272	8,268	8,404	
Public administration & defence; compulsory social security (Rodrigues Regional Assembly)	8,968	10,524	11,000	11,526	12,309	
Education	10,360	11,810	13,407	14,154	15,905	

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

<sup>2</sup> revised

<sup>3</sup> decrease is due to new establishment with low wages in 'Retail trade'

Source: Survey of Employment and Earnings in large (employing 10 or more persons) establishments.

Table 6.4 - Distribution of small establishments by industrial activity, employment status and sex - Island of Rodrigues, CEA' 2002

Industrial Activity NSIC <sup>1</sup>	No. of units	Employer			Own account worker			Employee			Unpaid family worker			Other			Number		
		Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
		446	132	578	457	573	1,030	1,300	342	1,642	193	264	457	20	6	26	2,416	1,317	3,733
<b>D. Manufacturing</b>	<b>1,691</b>	<b>446</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>578</b>	<b>457</b>	<b>573</b>	<b>1,030</b>	<b>1,300</b>	<b>342</b>	<b>1,642</b>	<b>193</b>	<b>264</b>	<b>457</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>2,416</b>	<b>1,317</b>	<b>3,733</b>
Food and beverages	532	46	59	105	108	307	415	98	68	166	49	76	125	-	1	1	301	511	812
Bread, pastries and other bakery products	23	2	13	15	2	6	8	15	-	15	9	2	11	-	-	-	28	21	49
Other food products	9	-	9	-	-	-	-	9	-	9	-	-	9	-	-	-	78	9	27
Wearing apparel (tailoring)	14	2	4	6	2	6	8	6	-	6	-	2	2	-	-	-	10	12	22
Wood and wood products, except furniture	137	-	46	46	23	68	91	-	68	68	-	-	-	-	1	1	23	183	206
Fabricated metal product, except machinery	10	-	-	-	5	6	11	-	-	-	6	2	8	-	-	-	11	8	19
Furniture	36	13	-	13	13	-	13	52	-	52	-	-	-	-	-	-	78	-	78
Jewellery	62	31	-	31	31	-	31	31	-	31	-	-	-	-	-	-	93	-	93
Other	34	-	-	-	34	-	34	-	-	-	34	34	68	-	-	-	68	34	102
	227	-	-	-	-	227	227	-	-	-	-	38	38	-	-	-	-	265	265
<b>F. Construction</b>	<b>270</b>	<b>162</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>162</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>648</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>648</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>864</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>918</b>
<b>G. Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles, motorcycles, personal and household goods</b>	<b>567</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>158</b>	<b>211</b>	<b>148</b>	<b>359</b>	<b>277</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>372</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>133</b>	<b>239</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>712</b>	<b>416</b>	<b>1,128</b>
Repair and maintenance of motor vehicles	35	26	-	26	-	-	-	96	17	113	-	-	-	-	-	-	122	17	139
Sale of motor vehicles and spare parts	12	6	-	6	6	-	6	-	6	6	6	-	6	-	-	-	18	6	24
Wholesale (commission agent, auctioneer, etc.)	39	7	6	13	6	18	24	26	8	34	7	-	7	-	-	-	46	32	78
General Retailer: Foodstuffs and non-foodstuffs	267	24	24	48	112	95	207	42	36	78	42	89	131	-	-	-	220	244	464
Retailer: foodstuffs only	34	7	-	7	17	5	22	27	-	27	20	5	25	-	-	-	71	10	81
Retailer non-foodstuffs only	36	5	4	9	14	14	28	4	13	17	4	-	4	-	-	-	27	31	58
Tobacco shop	30	-	-	-	20	10	30	-	-	-	10	20	30	-	-	-	30	30	60
Textiles, clothing and footwear	61	37	-	37	14	6	20	41	8	49	5	13	18	-	-	-	97	27	124
Hardware and Timber (quincaillerie)	24	6	6	12	-	-	-	41	-	41	12	6	18	-	-	-	59	12	71
Bookshops	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	7
Repair of personal and household goods	9	-	-	-	9	-	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	-	9
Fruits and vegetables	13	-	-	-	13	-	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	-	13

<sup>1</sup> Census of Economic Activities<sup>2</sup> National Standard Industrial Classification - an adapted version of International Standard Industrial Classification Rev.3

**Table 6.4 - Distribution of small establishments by industrial activity, employment status and sex - Island of Rodrigues, CEA' 2002 (cont'd)**

Industrial Activity NSIC <sup>2</sup>	No. of units	Employer			Own account worker			Employee			Unpaid family worker			Other			Total		
		Male		Female	Male		Female	Male		Female	Male		Female	Male		Female	Male		Female
		Total	Total	Total	Total	Total	Total	Total	Total	Total	Total	Total	Total	Total	Total	Total	Total	Total	Total
<b>H. Hotels and restaurants</b>	116	36	10	46	45	33	78	38	57	95	20	40	60	1	3	4	140	143	283
Boarding house	14	8	-	8	-	5	5	5	18	23	5	14	19	-	-	-	18	37	55
Restaurants (small)	32	16	-	16	24	-	24	24	24	48	-	-	-	1	-	1	65	24	89
Bars	7	-	-	-	-	7	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	7
Victualler, selling cooked food on and off premises	11	4	4	8	4	-	4	3	4	7	-	4	4	-	3	3	11	15	26
Caterer, other	52	8	6	14	17	21	38	6	11	17	15	22	37	-	-	-	46	60	106
<b>I. Transport, storage and communications</b>	87	52	-	52	26	-	26	171	26	197	6	-	6	-	-	-	255	26	281
Taxi car	12	6	-	6	6	-	6	6	-	6	6	-	6	-	-	-	24	-	24
Public bus	25	21	-	21	-	-	-	72	-	72	-	-	-	-	-	-	93	-	93
Lorry	17	12	-	12	-	-	-	61	-	61	-	-	-	-	-	-	73	-	73
Van	13	-	-	-	13	-	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	-	13
Tour operator	20	13	-	13	7	-	7	32	26	58	-	-	-	-	-	-	52	26	78
<b>J. Financial intermediation</b>	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	27	27	-	-	-	13	-	13	13	27	40
<b>K. Real estate, renting and business activities</b>	16	10	-	10	5	-	5	10	-	10	12	-	12	1	-	1	38	-	38
Renting of contract car without driver	6	-	-	-	5	-	5	-	-	-	12	-	12	-	-	-	17	-	17
Photographic services	10	10	-	10	-	-	-	10	-	10	-	-	-	1	-	1	21	-	21
<b>M. Education</b>	39	-	23	23	-	31	31	-	35	35	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	90	90
<b>O. Other services</b>	51	22	-	22	8	-	8	58	34	92	-	15	15	5	1	6	93	50	143
Recreational, cultural and sporting activities	28	14	-	14	-	-	-	41	7	48	-	7	7	-	-	-	55	14	69
Hairdressing and beauty parlour	17	8	-	8	8	-	8	17	25	42	-	8	8	1	1	2	34	34	68
Other service activities	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	4	-	4	4	2	6

<sup>1</sup> Census of Economic Activities

<sup>2</sup> National Standard Industrial Classification - an adapted version of International Standard Industrial Classification Rev.3

## SECTION 7. SOCIAL SECURITY

Table 7.1 - Social Benefits<sup>1</sup> - Island of Rodrigues, 2002/2003 - 2006/2007

	2002/03	2003/04	2004/05	2005/06	2006/07
<b>1. Retirement Pension</b>					
<b>No. of beneficiaries</b>					
Basic	3,358	3,401	3,483	3,621	3,706
<i>Of whom Severely Handicapped</i>	441	496	482	475	497
Contributory	110	114	124	161	181
<b>Amount paid (Rs 000)</b>					
Basic <sup>2</sup>	77,179	83,157	89,499	117,350	124,842
Contributory	403	407	416	1,089	1,263
<b>2. Widow's Pension &amp; Child's Allowance</b>					
<b>No. of beneficiaries</b>					
Basic	357	358	366	384	398
Contributory All ages	30	37	39	49	52
<i>of whom Under 60 years</i>	22	26	26	36	38
<i>60 years and above</i>	8	11	13	13	14
<b>Amount paid (Rs 000)</b>					
Basic <sup>3</sup>	7,116	7,480	7,410	11,877	12,714
Contributory	94	119	170	232	275
<b>3. Invalidity Pension &amp; Child's Allowance</b>					
<b>No. of beneficiaries</b>					
Basic	538	594	645	718	745
<i>of whom Severely Handicapped</i>	162	205	277	329	354
Contributory	8	11	11	16	23
<b>Amount paid (Rs 000)</b>					
Basic <sup>4</sup>	15,677	18,008	21,552	26,760	29,883
Contributory	25	33	38	41	81
<b>4. Orphans' Pension and Guardian's Allowance</b>					
<b>No. of orphans</b>					
Basic	113	101	87	85	67
Contributory	1	1	1	1	-
<b>No. of guardians</b>					
Basic	97	90	79	76	59
<b>Amount paid (Rs 000)</b>					
Basic <sup>5</sup>	2,200	2,091	1,932	1,858 <sup>6</sup>	1,761
<b>5. Industrial Injury Allowance</b>					
Amount paid (Rs 000)	56	95	101	83	203
<b>6. Social Aid</b>					
No of beneficiaries	1,527	1,788	1,828	1,841	1,611
Amount paid (Rs 000) <sup>7</sup>	74,591	74,559	71,348	79,261	58,674
<b>7. Unemployment Hardship Relief</b>					
No of beneficiaries	189	238	260	271	257
Amount paid (Rs 000)	877	1,519	1,852	2,366	2,699

<sup>1</sup> 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.

<sup>2</sup> Including Enhanced Basic Retirement Pension and Child's allowance

<sup>3</sup> Including Child's allowance

<sup>4</sup> Including Carer's and Child's allowance

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

<sup>6</sup> Revised

<sup>7</sup> Including assistance given to professional fishermen

**SECTION 8. EDUCATION**

**Table 8.1 - Pre-Primary education - Island of Rodrigues, 2003-2007**

		2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
<b>Number of schools</b>		31	31	33	32	32
<b>Enrolment</b>	Male	608	691	706	689	646
	Female	598	668	686	654	691
	Total	1,206	1,359	1,392	1,343	1,337
<b>Number of teachers</b>		63	73	75	74	75
<b>Pupil / Teacher Ratio</b>		19	19	19	18	18

**Table 8.2 - Primary education - Island of Rodrigues, 2003-2007**

		2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
<b>Number of schools</b>		13	13	13	13	13
<b>Enrolment</b>	Male	2,304	2,353	2,394	2,458	2,504
	Female	2,379	2,347	2,431	2,416	2,402
	Total	4,683	4,700	4,825	4,874	4,906
<b>Number of teachers</b>		189	191	209	203	197
<b>Pupil / Teacher Ratio</b>		25	25	23	24	25
<b>Certificate of Primary Education(CPE)</b>						
Number examined		1,019	1,014	1,079	1,021	972
Number passed		533	536	603	563	484
% passed		52.3	52.9	55.9	55.1	49.8

**Table 8.3 - Primary Education - Number of schools, pupils, personnel and pupil/teacher ratio - Island of Rodrigues, March 2003 - March 2007**

Period	Total number of schools <sup>1</sup>	Pupils			Personnel				Pupil/ Teacher Ratio <sup>2</sup>
		Govt.	Aided	Total	Head Teacher/ Deputy HT	Teachers General Purpose	School clerk	Other	
Mar-03	13	2,627	2,056	4,683	40	189	11	137	25
Mar-04	13	2,642	2,058	4,700	35	191	12	136	25
Mar-05	13	2,729	2,096	4,825	42	209	13	140	23
Mar-06	13	2,792	2,082	4,874	39	203	13	131	24
Mar-07	13	2,824	2,082	4,906	38	197	13	129	25

<sup>1</sup> Excluding schools which provide only a partial stream for primary education

<sup>2</sup> Total number of pupils over total number of General Purpose Teachers

Table 8.4 - Enrolment in primary schools by sex, age and grade - Island of Rodrigues, 2007

Age (in years)	Grade							Total
	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VI (repeaters only)	
<b>Both Sexes</b>								
5	691	-	-	-	-	-	-	691
6	137	700	-	-	-	-	-	837
7	-	132	707	-	-	-	-	839
8	-	-	116	569	-	-	-	685
9	-	-	-	134	622	-	-	756
10	-	-	-	-	113	554	-	667
11	-	-	-	-	-	167	222	389
12	-	-	-	-	-	-	42	42
<b>Total</b>	828	832	823	703	735	721	264	4,906
<b>Male</b>								
5	366	-	-	-	-	-	-	366
6	63	354	-	-	-	-	-	417
7	-	69	365	-	-	-	-	434
8	-	-	56	297	-	-	-	353
9	-	-	-	71	313	-	-	384
10	-	-	-	-	53	263	-	316
11	-	-	-	-	-	77	127	204
12	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	30
<b>Total</b>	429	423	421	368	366	340	157	2,504
<b>Female</b>								
5	325	-	-	-	-	-	-	325
6	74	346	-	-	-	-	-	420
7	-	63	342	-	-	-	-	405
8	-	-	60	272	-	-	-	332
9	-	-	-	63	309	-	-	372
10	-	-	-	-	60	291	-	351
11	-	-	-	-	-	90	95	185
12	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	12
<b>Total</b>	399	409	402	335	369	381	107	2,402



Table 8.5 - Certificate of Primary Education (CPE) examination results, school candidates only - Islands of Rodrigues, 1998 - 2007

Year	Number examined			Number passed			% passed		
	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female
1998	989	480	509	579	257	322	58.5	53.5	63.3
1999	1,052	545	507	577	268	309	54.8	49.2	60.9
2000	1,072	582	490	596	283	313	55.6	48.6	63.9
2001	1,063	554	509	595	269	326	56.0	48.6	64.0
2002	996	488	508	549	231	318	55.1	47.3	62.6
2003	1,019	509	510	533	216	317	52.3	42.4	62.2
2004	1,014	536	478	536	257	279	52.9	47.9	58.4
2005	1,079	543	536	603	274	329	55.9	50.5	61.4
2006	1,021	516	505	563	241	322	55.1	46.7	63.8
2007	972	491	481	484	206	278	49.8	42.0	57.8

Source: Mauritius Examinations Syndicate

**Table 8.6 - Secondary Education (academic stream) - Island of Rodrigues, 2003 - 2007**

	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
<b>SECONDARY SCHOOLS</b>					
<b>Number of schools</b>	6	6	6	6	5
<b>Enrolment</b> Male	1,559	1,594	1,625	1,685	1,713
Female	1,841	1,862	1,857	1,945	2,012
Total	3,400	3,456	3,482	3,630	3,725
<b>Number of teachers</b>	152	169	177	203	210
<b>Pupil / Teacher Ratio</b>	22	20	20	18	18
<b>School Certificate (SC)</b>					
Number examined	524	512	550	577	582
Number passed	308	314	335	406	432
% passed	58.8	61.3	60.9	70.4	74.2
<b>Higher School Certificate (HSC)</b>					
Number examined	181	200	168	191	227
Number passed	101	109	131	142	166
% passed	55.8	54.5	78.0	74.3	73.1
<b>PRE-VOCATIONAL SCHOOLS</b>					
<b>No of schools</b>	5	5	5	5	5
<b>Enrolment</b> Male	218	277	301	304	302
Female	113	163	178	217	200
Total	331	440	479	521	502
<b>Number of teachers</b>	19	27	27	31	38
<b>Pupil/Teacher Ratio</b>	17	16	18	17	13

**Table 8.7 - Secondary Education (academic stream) : Number of schools, pupils, personnel and pupil/teacher ratio, Island of Rodrigues, March 2003 - March 2007**

Period	Total number of schools	Pupils	Personnel		Pupil/Teacher Ratio <sup>1</sup>
			Teachers	Non-Teaching staff	
Mar-03	6	3,400	152	84	22
Mar-04	6	3,456	169	87	20
Mar-05	6	3,482	177	87	20
Mar-06	6	3,630	203	99	18
Mar-07	5	3,725	210	104	18

<sup>1</sup> Total number of pupils over total number of Teachers

Table 8.8 - Enrolment in secondary schools (academic stream) by grade and sex - Island of Rodrigues, 2003 - 2007

Grade	2003			2004			2005			2006			2007		
	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female
I	644	280	364	582	253	329	571	299	272	666	316	350	645	284	361
II	606	289	317	662	289	373	633	277	356	607	308	299	698	346	352
III	693	341	352	688	335	353	684	317	367	668	293	375	635	307	328
IV	557	243	314	588	277	311	612	282	330	648	301	347	660	286	374
V	567	249	318	579	270	309	634	295	339	657	298	359	652	296	356
Lower VI	185	86	99	148	62	86	172	74	98	193	89	104	206	94	112
Upper VI	148	71	77	209	108	101	176	81	95	191	80	111	229	100	129
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,400</b>	<b>1,559</b>	<b>1,841</b>	<b>3,456</b>	<b>1,594</b>	<b>1,862</b>	<b>3,482</b>	<b>1,625</b>	<b>1,857</b>	<b>3,630</b>	<b>1,685</b>	<b>1,945</b>	<b>3,725</b>	<b>1,713</b>	<b>2,012</b>

**Table 8.9 - Enrolment in secondary schools (academic stream) by sex, age and grade,  
Island of Rodrigues - 2007**

Age (in years)	Grade							All Grades
	I	II	III	IV	V	Lower VI	Upper VI	
<b>Both Sexes</b>								
11	461	-	-	-	-	-	-	461
12	157	412	-	-	-	-	-	569
13	25	201	301	-	-	-	-	527
14	2	72	185	268	-	-	-	527
15	-	13	106	195	198	-	-	512
16	-	-	36	121	216	77	-	450
17	-	-	7	66	145	91	72	381
18	-	-	-	9	79	37	87	212
19	-	-	-	1	14	1	66	82
20	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	4
<b>Total</b>	645	698	635	660	652	206	229	3,725
<b>Male</b>								
11	192	-	-	-	-	-	-	192
12	77	176	-	-	-	-	-	253
13	14	117	122	-	-	-	-	253
14	1	42	94	89	-	-	-	226
15	-	11	64	83	65	-	-	223
16	-	-	21	65	99	34	-	219
17	-	-	6	40	69	40	26	181
18	-	-	-	8	49	19	39	115
19	-	-	-	1	14	1	34	50
20	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
<b>Total</b>	284	346	307	286	296	94	100	1,713
<b>Female</b>								
11	269	-	-	-	-	-	-	269
12	80	236	-	-	-	-	-	316
13	11	84	179	-	-	-	-	274
14	1	30	91	179	-	-	-	301
15	-	2	42	112	133	-	-	289
16	-	-	15	56	117	43	-	231
17	-	-	1	26	76	51	46	200
18	-	-	-	1	30	18	48	97
19	-	-	-	-	-	-	32	32
20	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3
<b>Total</b>	361	352	328	374	356	112	129	2,012

**Table 8.10 - Cambridge School Certificate (SC) examination results, School candidates only - Island of Rodrigues, 1998 - 2007**

Year	Number Examined			Number Passed			% Passed		
	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female
1998	492	226	266	319	142	177	64.8	62.8	66.5
1999	531	265	266	323	156	167	60.8	58.9	62.8
2000	599	306	293	347	189	158	57.9	61.8	53.9
2001	641	287	354	349	168	181	54.4	58.5	51.1
2002	530	221	309	317	132	185	59.8	59.7	59.9
2003	524	217	307	308	124	184	58.8	57.1	59.9
2004	512	235	277	314	146	168	61.3	62.1	60.6
2005	550	247	303	335	145	190	60.9	58.7	62.7
2006	577	259	318	406	190	216	70.4	73.4	67.9
2007	582	265	317	432	185	247	74.2	69.8	77.9

Source: Mauritius Examinations Syndicate

Table 8.11 - Cambridge Higher School Certificate (HSC) examination results, School candidates only - Island of Rodrigues, 1998 - 2007

Year	Number Examined			Number Passed			% Passed		
	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female
	1998	80	41	39	29	16	13	36.3	39.0
1999	105	52	53	29	14	15	27.6	26.9	28.3
2000	136	74	62	89	51	38	65.4	68.9	61.3
2001	148	77	71	92	52	40	62.2	67.5	56.3
2002	177	86	91	104	51	53	58.8	59.3	58.2
2003	181	91	90	101	50	51	55.8	54.9	56.7
2004	200	102	98	109	60	49	54.5	58.8	50.0
2005	168	76	92	131	55	76	78.0	72.4	82.6
2006	191	80	111	142	60	82	74.3	75.0	73.9
2007	227	100	127	166	78	88	73.1	78.0	69.3

Source: Mauritius Examinations Syndicate

Table 8.12 - Pre-vocational Education - Number of schools, pupils, teaching staff and pupil/teacher ratio, Island of Rodrigues, March 2003 - March 2007

Period	Total number of schools <sup>1</sup>	Pupils			Teaching Staff	Pupil/Teacher ratio
		Both Sexes	Male	Female		
Mar-03	5	331	218	113	19	17
Mar-04	5	440	277	163	27	16
Mar-05	5	479	301	178	27	18
Mar-06	5	521	304	217	31	17
Mar-07	5	502	302	200	38	13

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



**Table 8.13 - Enrolment in schools offering pre-vocational education by year of study and sex, Island of Rodrigues , 2004 - 2007**

Year of study	2004			2005			2006			2007		
	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female
I	174	99	75	193	129	64	187	100	87	185	112	73
II	141	90	51	163	92	71	180	117	63	169	88	81
III	125	88	37	123	80	43	154	87	67	148	102	46
<b>Total</b>	<b>440</b>	<b>277</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>479</b>	<b>301</b>	<b>178</b>	<b>521</b>	<b>304</b>	<b>217</b>	<b>502</b>	<b>302</b>	<b>200</b>

Table 8.14 - Enrolment in schools offering pre-vocational education by age, sex and year of study - Island of Rodrigues, 2007

Age (in years)	Year of study											
	Both Sexes				Male			Female				
	I	II	III	Total	I	II	III	Total	I	II	III	Total
Under 13	171	-	-	171	105	-	-	105	66	-	-	66
13	13	162	1	176	6	86	1	93	7	76	-	83
14	1	7	140	148	1	2	95	98	-	5	45	50
15	-	-	6	6	-	-	5	5	-	-	1	1
16	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
17 & Over	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	185	169	148	502	112	88	102	302	73	81	46	200

SECTION 9. TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION

**Table 9.1 - Motor vehicles registered - Island of Rodrigues, 2003 - 2007 (as at 31 December)**

Type of vehicle	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
Autocycle	616	621	627	636	639
Motorcycle	2284	2815	3254	3571	3830
Car and Dual Purpose Vehicles	567	660	740	861	977
Goods Vehicle	528	581	615	652	669
Bus	76	77	80	86	99
Tractor & Dumper	50	52	53	53	53
Other <sup>1</sup>	30	31	31	37	39
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>4151</b>	<b>4837</b>	<b>5400</b>	<b>5896</b>	<b>6306</b>

<sup>1</sup> includes interalia excavator, trailer and other heavy vehicles n.e.c.

Source: National Transport Authority

**Table 9.2 - Road traffic accidents - Island of Rodrigues, 2003 - 2007 (as at 31 December)**

	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
<b>Road traffic accidents</b>					
Number of accidents <sup>1</sup>	252	226	203	191	174
Rate per 100.000 population	690.4	614.6	550.0	515.1	466.3
Rate per 1,000 registered motor vehicles	60.7	46.7	37.6	32.4	27.6
<b>Motor vehicles involved</b>					
Number of motor vehicles involved <sup>1</sup>	319	265	237	220	228
Rate per 1,000 registered motor vehicles	76.8	54.8	43.9	37.3	36.2
<b>Casualties <sup>1</sup></b>					
<b>Total number of casualties</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>82</b>
<b>Nature of casualty</b>					
Fatal	6	5	2	4	3
Seriously injured	20	17	11	9	18
Slightly injured	100	89	69	74	61
<b>Casualties by class of road users</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>82</b>
Pedestrians	29	16	16	27	16
Pedal cyclists	4	7	3	3	0
Passengers	8	10	4	8	4
Drivers or riders of motor vehicles	85	78	59	49	62

<sup>1</sup> Source: Police Headquarters, Rodrigues

**Table 9.3 - Broadcasting services - Island of Rodrigues, 2003 - 2007**

	Unit	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
<b>Sound</b>						
Stations	No.	1	1	1	1	1
Transmitters	No.	3	3	3	4	4
<b>Aerial Output</b>						
Medium Wave	Mhz	1,206	1,206	1,206	1,206	1,206
Daily Transmission time	Hour	24	24	24	24	24
Frequency Modulation	Mhz	97.3	97.3	97.3	97.3	97.3
Daily Transmission time	Hour	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	24
<b>Television</b>						
Transmitters	No.	5	5	5	6	6
Aerial output (ERP)	Kw	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4
Weekly transmission time	Hour	168	168	168	168	168
Television sets licensed	No.	6224 <sup>1</sup>	6,300	6880 <sup>1</sup>	8,228	9,255

<sup>1</sup> Revised

Source: Mauritius Broadcasting Corporation, Rodrigues

**Table 9.4 - Telephone services - Island of Rodrigues , 2003 - 2007 (as at 31 December)**

	Unit	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
No of lines in service	No.	6,800	7,294	7,730	7,970	7,864
Capacity in terms of lines	No.	8,575	8,806	8,792	9,044	8,974

Source: Mauritius Telecoms, Rodrigues

## SECTION 10. LOCAL PRODUCTION

Table 10.1 - Area harvested and production of foodcrops - Island of Rodrigues, 2003 -2007

Foodcrops	2003		2004		2005		2006		2007	
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production
Beans and peas	16.7	26.8	29.6	42.6	53.3	111.5	34.5	65.5	20.7	40.0
Brinjal	0.2	1.1	0.7	9.4	0.1	1.0	0.5	4.7	2.6	63.2
Cabbage	3.2	69.2	3.0	47.5	4.1	53.5	4.3	59.8	5.7	85.4
Cauliflower	0.9	11.0	1.3	14.6	1.4	10.8	1.8	21.2	0.6	8.8
Chillies	0.9	0.2	1.3	4.7	0.5	1.3	1.4	5.3	1.3	7.3
Creepers <sup>1</sup>	15.3	244.9	24.8	366.1	34.0	413.5	41.3	520.8	43.7	817.3
Garlic	2.5	17.6	5.4	35.1	3.4	21.7	2.7	7.9	2.8	18.6
Groundnuts	0.9	2.9	18.0	64.7	14.0	66.6	19.3	64.1	16.3	57.5
Maize	101.8	195.0	169.8	464.4	153.5	447.8	184.5	603.4	185.4	639.9
Manioc(cassava)	1.3	18.4	0.9	14.0	1.3	23.6	1.7	32.8	n.a.	n.a
Mixed vegetables <sup>2</sup>	13.7	196.0	19.5	129.8	25.7	246.3	26.3	258.6	22.3	456.9
Onion	20.0	341.0	48.0	436.7	24.1	339.8	23.1	312.0	19.5	385.6
Potatoes	0.6	13.2	1.1	17.3	0.4	7.3	0.5	9.2	2.3	33.2
Sweet Potatoes	4.0	47.5	3.6	55.9	3.6	60.8	5.2	85.8	10.1	114.3
Tomatoes	6.3	90.7	2.5	32.4	8.5	87.2	10.8	118.1	14.7	123.4
<b>Total foodcrops</b>	<b>188.3</b>	<b>1,275.5</b>	<b>329.5</b>	<b>1,735.2</b>	<b>327.9</b>	<b>1,892.7</b>	<b>357.9</b>	<b>2,169.2</b>	<b>348.1</b>	<b>2,980.0</b>

<sup>1</sup> includes bittergourd, calabash, cucumber, patolle, pipengaille, pumpkin, squash, voehm, watermelon, melon apple, gourgette.

<sup>2</sup> includes beet, carrot, ladies finger, lettuce, petsai, brede de Chine, brede Malbar, brede cresson, sweet pepper, brocoli, onion green, kotachee, fave, thym, turmeric.

Source: Agricultural services, Rodrigues Regional Assembly

**Table 10.2 - Average yield of foodcrops - Island of Rodrigues, 2003 - 2007**  
(Tonnes/hectares)

Foodcrops	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
Beans and peas	1.6	1.4	2.1	1.9	1.9
Brinjal	5.2	13.4	7.3	8.7	24.3
Cabbage	21.4	15.8	13.1	13.8	14.8
Cauliflower	11.8	11.2	7.6	11.6	14.9
Chillies	0.2	3.6	2.8	3.7	5.7
Creepers <sup>1</sup>	16.0	14.8	12.2	12.6	18.7
Garlic	7.0	6.5	6.3	2.9	6.7
Groundnut	3.3	3.6	4.8	3.3	3.5
Maize	1.9	2.7	2.9	3.3	3.5
Manioc(cassava)	14.4	15.6	18.1	19.4	n.a
Mixed vegetables <sup>2</sup>	14.3	6.7	9.6	9.8	20.5
Onion	17.0	9.1	14.1	13.5	19.7
Potatoes	21.5	15.7	19.7	17.0	14.1
Sweet potato	11.9	15.5	16.9	16.5	11.4
Tomatoes	14.4	13.0	10.3	11.0	8.4

<sup>1</sup> includes bittergourd, calabash, cucumber, patolle, pipengaille, pumpkin, squash, voehm, watermelon, melon apple, gourgette.

<sup>2</sup> includes beet, carrot, ladies finger, lettuce, petsai, brede de Chine, brede Malbar, brede cresson, sweet pepper, brocoli, onion green, kotachee, rave, thym, turmeric.

Source: Agricultural Services, Rodrigues Regional Assembly

Table 10.3 - Fisheries Statistics - Island of Rodrigues, 2001 - 2007

	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
<b>Number of registered fishing boats</b>	1,323	1,368	1,457	1,577	1,654	1,714	1,728
<b>Registered fishermen</b>	1,978	1,985	1,996	1,971	1,978	2,024	1,981
Professional fisherwomen	784	786	778	771	758	747	730
Fishermen (large net)	103	97	72	71	67	64	61
Fishermen (Other)	1,091	1,102	1,146	1,129	1,153	1,213	1,190
<b>Fish caught (metric tonnes)</b>							
(i) Lagoon	328.7	382.8	580.2	323.8	285.0	266.4	254.1
(b) Other fish	1,120.7	840.7	948.9	836.3	563.6	640.7	886.1
(ii) Off lagoon	487.7	180.5	142.4	44.2	191.3	160.3	383.7
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,937.1</b>	<b>1,404.0</b>	<b>1,671.5</b>	<b>1,204.3</b>	<b>1,039.9</b>	<b>1,067.4</b>	<b>1,523.9</b>

Source: Fisheries department

Table 10.4 - Slaughter Statistics - Island of Rodrigues, Quarterly Series, 2003 - 2007

(Number)

	Bull	Sheep	Goat	Pig
2003 1st Quarter	56	10	23	396
2nd Quarter	40	9	21	502
3rd Quarter	41	7	20	495
4th Quarter	26	5	12	434
<b>YEAR</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>1,827</b>
2004 1st Quarter	32	5	21	263
2nd Quarter	19	-	23	473
3rd Quarter	39	2	45	609
4th Quarter	55	14	79	728
<b>YEAR</b>	<b>145</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>168</b>	<b>2,073</b>
2005 1st Quarter	38	2	50	504
2nd Quarter	42	12	43	615
3rd Quarter	47	8	50	683
4th Quarter	60	48	59	778
<b>YEAR</b>	<b>187</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>202</b>	<b>2,580</b>
2006 1st Quarter	57	16	31	496
2nd Quarter	50	8	54	693
3rd Quarter	52	5	61	716
4th Quarter	55	13	77	497
<b>YEAR</b>	<b>214</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>223</b>	<b>2,402</b>
2007 1st Quarter	37	5	33	410
2nd Quarter	32	2	36	496
3rd Quarter	34	-	42	483
4th Quarter	35	2	41	552
<b>YEAR</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>1,941</b>



Table 10.5 - Electricity consumption by class of consumer - Island of Rodrigues, 2003-2007

Class of consumer	2003		2004		2005		2006		2007	
	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	9,136	11,957	9,347	12,639	9,651	14,255	9,986	14,443	10,242	14,562
Commercial	982	6,222	989	7,067	1,025	8,206	1,029	7,723	1,079	7,815
Industrial & Others	167	1,670	180	2,194	191	2,779	195	2,486	197	2,359
<b>All consumers</b>	<b>10,285</b>	<b>19,849</b>	<b>10,516</b>	<b>21,900</b>	<b>10,867</b>	<b>25,240</b>	<b>11,210</b>	<b>24,652</b>	<b>11,518</b>	<b>24,737</b>

Table 10.6 - Production account of small establishments by industrial activity - Island of Rodrigues, CEA<sup>1</sup> 2002

Industrial Activity NSIC <sup>2</sup> Rev 3	No. of units	Gross output	Intermediate Consumption	Value Added at basic prices	Compensation of Employees	Rupees Million	
						Gross Operating Surplus	Gross Operating Surplus
<b>Total</b>	<b>1691</b>	<b>533.6</b>	<b>225.1</b>	<b>308.5</b>	<b>54.1</b>	<b>254.4</b>	
<b>D. Manufacturing</b>	<b>532</b>	<b>93.8</b>	<b>43.6</b>	<b>50.2</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>45.9</b>	
Food and beverages	23	5.2	3.4	1.8	0.5	1.3	
<i>Bread, pastries and other bakery products</i>	9	2.7	2.0	0.7	0.3	0.4	
<i>Other food products</i>	14	2.5	1.4	1.1	0.2	0.9	
Wearing apparels ( tailoring)	137	17.8	8.4	9.4	1.0	8.4	
Wood and wood products, except furniture	10	0.2	0.1	0.1	-	0.1	
Fabricated metal product, except machinery	39	30.3	14.6	15.7	1.9	13.8	
Furniture	62	27.0	11.0	16.0	0.9	15.1	
Jewellery	34	6.8	3.5	3.3	-	3.3	
Other	227	6.5	2.6	3.9	-	3.9	
<b>F. Construction</b>	<b>270</b>	<b>128.7</b>	<b>109.4</b>	<b>19.3</b>	<b>17.0</b>	<b>2.3</b>	
<b>G. Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles, motorcycles, personal and household goods</b>	<b>567</b>	<b>160.1</b>	<b>28.2</b>	<b>131.9</b>	<b>12.2</b>	<b>119.7</b>	
Repair and maintenance of motor vehicles	35	15.9	6.8	9.1	4.3	4.8	
Sale of motor vehicles and spare parts	12	10.5	1.2	9.3	0.2	9.1	
Wholesale (commission agent, auctioneer, etc.)	39	28.9	7.7	21.2	1.4	19.8	
General Retailer-Foodstuff and non-foodstuff	267	47.9	4.9	43.0	2.9	40.1	
Retailer foodstuffs only	34	2.5	0.3	2.2	0.1	2.1	
Retailer non-foodstuffs only	36	5.0	1.2	3.8	0.5	3.3	
Tobacco shop	30	4.6	0.7	3.9	-	3.9	
Textiles, clothing and footwear	61	10.8	1.5	9.3	0.8	8.5	
Hardware and Timber (quincaillerie)	24	29.9	2.2	27.7	1.6	26.1	
Bookshops	7	1.5	0.3	1.2	0.4	0.8	
Repair of personal and household goods	9	1.6	1.2	0.4	-	0.4	
Fruits and vegetables	13	1.0	0.2	0.8	-	0.8	

<sup>1</sup> Census of Economic Activities

<sup>2</sup> National Standard Industrial Classification - an adapted version of International Standard Industrial Classification Rev.3

Table 10.6 - Production account of small establishments by industrial activity - Island of Rodrigues, CEA' 2002 (cont'd)

Industrial Activity NSIC <sup>2</sup> Rev 3	No. of units	Gross output	Intermediate Consumption	Value Added at basic prices	Compensation of Employees	Rupees Million	
						Gross Operating Surplus	Gross Operating Surplus
<b>H. Hotels and restaurants</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>45.0</b>	<b>20.4</b>	<b>24.6</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>20.2</b>	
Boarding house	14	6.9	2.6	4.3	0.7	3.6	
Restaurants (small)	32	22.3	9.4	12.9	3.1	9.8	
Bars	7	0.1	-	0.1	-	0.1	
Victualler, selling cooked food on and off premises	11	2.7	1.3	1.4	0.2	1.2	
Caterer, other	52	13.0	7.1	5.9	0.4	5.5	
<b>I. Transport, storage and communications</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>51.3</b>	<b>16.7</b>	<b>34.6</b>	<b>9.2</b>	<b>25.4</b>	
Taxi car	12	12.3	1.8	10.5	0.1	10.4	
Public bus	25	18.8	7.8	11.0	4.2	6.8	
Lorry	17	7.3	2.0	5.3	2.1	3.2	
Van	13	1.3	0.5	0.8	-	0.8	
Tour operator	20	11.6	4.6	7.0	2.8	4.2	
<b>J. Financial intermediation</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>33.0</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>32.8</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>30.8</b>	
<b>K. Real estate, renting and business activities</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>2.8</b>	
Renting of contract car without driver	6	2.4	0.5	1.9	-	1.9	
Photographic services	10	2.9	1.7	1.2	0.3	0.9	
<b>M. Education</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.6</b>	
<b>O. Other service</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>12.5</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>8.4</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>5.7</b>	
Recreational, cultural and sporting activities <sup>1</sup>	28	6.2	2.5	3.7	0.9	2.8	
Hairdressing and beauty parlour	17	5.7	1.3	4.4	1.5	2.9	
Other service activities	6	0.6	0.3	0.3	0.3	-	

<sup>1</sup> Census of Economic Activities<sup>2</sup> National Standard Industrial Classification - an adapted version of International Standard Industrial Classification Rev.3

## SECTION II. CONSTRUCTION

Table 11.1 - Number of Permits issued and floor area by type of building - Island of Rodrigues, 2003 - 2007

Type of building	2003		2004		2005		2006		2007	
	No. of permits issued	Floor area (m <sup>2</sup> )	No. of permits issued	Floor area (m <sup>2</sup> )	No. of permits issued	Floor area (m <sup>2</sup> )	No. of permits issued	Floor area (m <sup>2</sup> )	No. of permits issued	Floor area (m <sup>2</sup> )
<b>Residential</b>	<b>380</b>	<b>33,396</b>	<b>511</b>	<b>51,824</b>	<b>376</b>	<b>34,718</b>	<b>619</b>	<b>56,650</b>	<b>438</b>	<b>44,623</b>
New buildings	297	27,214	391	40,647	157	18,907	234	30,244	208	27,080
Additions	83	6,182	120	11,177	219	15,811	168	11,469	104	6,825
Slab	Na	Na	Na	Na	Na	Na	217	14,937	126	10,718
<b>Non Residential</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>10,895</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>12,260</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>4,844</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>4,043</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>3,194</b>
Manufacturing	1	45	5	567	6	1,079	2	91	2	290
Wholesale and retail trade, restaurants & hotels	22	10,020	24	9,883	10	1,339	7	1,672	17	2,237
Transport, storage & communication	-	-	2	105	2	464	11	662	2	172
Services	3	830	9	1,705	4	1,962	6	1,618	4	495
<b>Total</b>	<b>406</b>	<b>44,291</b>	<b>551</b>	<b>64,084</b>	<b>398</b>	<b>39,562</b>	<b>645</b>	<b>60,693</b>	<b>463</b>	<b>47,817</b>

Source: Commission for Public Infrastructure &amp; others, Rodrigues Regional Assembly

# CLIMATE

**Table 12.1 - Temperature and Rainfall - Island of Rodrigues, 2007**

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	29.9	+0.7	24.3	+0.7	72.8	-77.2	31.4	+1.1	23.8	0.0	158.4	+37.2
February	28.9	-0.4	23.9	+0.1	314.6	+129.9	29.9	-0.2	23.8	-0.2	255.5	+87.3
March	29.3	-0.1	23.5	-0.2	54.3	-76.9	30.3	+0.5	23.0	-0.9	73.0	-47.0
April	28.6	-0.1	23.1	+0.1	47.2	-69.8	29.4	+0.5	22.5	-0.6	63.1	-37.9
May	27.8	+0.3	22.1	+0.5	34.5	-43.8	28.4	+1.0	21.1	-0.5	39.4	-29.3
June	26.1	+0.1	20.0	-0.1	30.0	-47.6	26.9	+0.9	19.4	-0.7	16.6	-45.1
July	25.6	+0.6	19.8	+0.7	75.0	-5.8	26.1	+1.0	19.4	+0.3	67.4	+14.0
August	25.4	+0.6	19.2	+0.4	42.6	-16.8	26.3	+1.2	18.9	0.0	23.6	-22.5
September	25.8	+0.4	19.4	+0.1	45.7	+1.9	27.0	+1.1	19.4	+0.1	35.8	+4.0
October	26.2	-0.1	19.8	-0.3	38.1	-2.6	27.7	+0.6	19.8	-0.4	37.8	+5.8
November	28.0	+0.6	21.6	+0.3	7.1	-62.9	29.6	+1.3	22.0	+0.7	8.8	-55.3
December	28.6	-0.1	22.7	-0.1	181.6	-110.6	30.4	+0.7	23.0	+0.1	137.2	+66.9

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