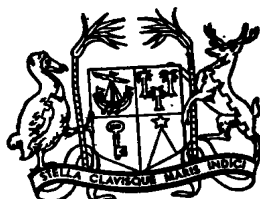


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As from January 1979, owing to the increase in the volume of passenger traffic, it has been decided to process the data on a 10% sample. Cases where the number of passengers are too small have been omitted in order to avoid large sampling errors. It is to be noted, however, that figures for official emigrants published in this report have been compiled from the Passport office register.

With the help of the computer of the Ministry of Finance it has been possible to process in more detail the information recorded on the international embarkation and disembarkation cards which passengers fill in on leaving and entering the country.

It is hoped that the results, especially those on tourism, which have been assembled in this report will be useful to all those who take an interest in the evolution of the tourist industry in this country.

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I. POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS

Table 1 - Estimated population of Mauritius as at 30th June 1979 based on the final 1972 Population Census data

| Island | Both sexes | Male | Female |
|---------------------|------------|---------|---------|
| Island of Mauritius | 911,499 | 449,086 | 462,413 |
| Island of Rodrigues | 29,203 | 14,277 | 14,926 |
| Other islands | 350 | 250 | 100 |
| Mauritius | 941,052 | 463,613 | 477,439 |

Table 2 - Population increase in intercensal periods - Island of Mauritius, 1846-1972

| Census date | Population enumerated at Census | | | Intercensal increase | Average annual rate of increase % |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------|---------|----------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | Both sexes | Male | Female | | |
| 1st Aug. 1846 | 158,462 | 104,598 | 53,864 | | |
| 20th Nov. 1851 | 180,823 | 119,341 | 61,482 | 22,361 | 2.55 |
| 8th Apr. 1861 | 310,050 | 202,961 | 107,089 | 129,227 | 5.87 |
| 11th Apr. 1871 | 316,042 | 193,575 | 122,467 | 5,992 | 0.19 |
| 4th Apr. 1881 | 359,874 | 208,655 | 151,219 | 43,832 | 1.31 |
| 6th Mar. 1891 | 370,588 | 206,038 | 164,550 | 10,714 | 0.29 |
| 1st Apr. 1901 | 371,023 | 199,552 | 171,471 | 435 | 0.01 |
| 31st Mar. 1911 | 368,791 | 194,095 | 174,696 | - 2,232 | - 0.06 |
| 21st May 1921 | 376,485 | 194,108 | 182,377 | 7,694 | 0.21 |
| 26th Apr. 1931 | 393,238 | 200,609 | 192,629 | 16,753 | 0.44 |
| 11th Jun. 1944 | 419,185 | 210,326 | 208,859 | 25,947 | 0.49 |
| 29th Jun. 1952 | 501,415 | 252,032 | 249,383 | 82,230 | 2.26 |
| 30th Jun. 1962 ^{1/} | 681,619 | 342,306 | 339,313 | 180,204 | 3.12 |
| 30th Jun. 1972 ^{1/} | 826,199 | 413,580 | 412,619 | 144,580 | 1.94 |

^{1/} de facto population - including the European members of the armed forces but excluding the passengers and crews of ships lying in the harbour.

Table 3(a) - Population enumerated at each census by population group and sex - Island of Mauritius, 1846-1952

| Year of census | General population | | | Indo-Mauritian population | | | Chinese population | | |
|----------------|--------------------|--------|--------|---------------------------|---------|---------|--------------------|--------|--------|
| | Both sexes | Male | Female | Both sexes | Male | Female | Both sexes | Male | Female |
| 1846 | 102,217 | 55,663 | 46,554 | 56,245 | 48,935 | 7,310 | - | - | - |
| 1851 | 102,827 | 55,059 | 47,768 | 77,995 | 64,282 | 13,714 | - | - | - |
| 1861 | 115,864 | 59,796 | 56,068 | 192,534 | 141,615 | 51,019 | 1,552 | 1,550 | 2 |
| 1871 | 97,497 | 49,487 | 48,010 | 216,258 | 141,804 | 74,454 | 2,287 | 2,284 | 3 |
| 1881 | 107,323 | 53,754 | 53,569 | 248,993 | 151,352 | 97,641 | 3,558 | 3,549 | 9 |
| 1891 | 111,517 | 55,397 | 56,120 | 255,920 | 147,499 | 108,421 | 3,151 | 3,142 | 9 |
| 1901 | 108,422 | 52,995 | 55,427 | 259,086 | 143,100 | 115,986 | 3,515 | 3,457 | 58 |
| 1911 | 107,432 | 51,808 | 55,624 | 257,697 | 138,974 | 118,723 | 3,662 | 3,313 | 349 |
| 1921 | 104,216 | 49,725 | 54,491 | 265,524 | 139,150 | 126,374 | 6,745 | 5,233 | 1,512 |
| 1931 | 115,666 | 54,733 | 60,933 | 263,649 | 139,533 | 129,116 | 8,923 | 6,343 | 2,580 |
| 1944 | 143,056 | 67,136 | 75,920 | 265,247 | 136,382 | 128,865 | 10,382 | 6,808 | 4,074 |
| 1952 | 148,238 | 70,370 | 77,868 | 355,327 | 171,241 | 164,086 | 17,850 | 10,421 | 7,429 |

At the 1962 Census each household was asked for the first time to state the population group to which each member of his household claimed to belong.

Prior to 1962, it is probable that, from one census to another, different criteria have been used in classifying the population by population groups. Figures are therefore not strictly comparable from one census to another, before 1962.

Table 3(b) - Population enumerated at each census by community and sex - Island of Mauritius, 1962-72

| Year of census | Total population | | | Hindu | | | Muslim | | | Sino-Mauritian | | | General population | | |
|----------------|------------------|---------|---------|------------|---------|---------|------------|--------|--------|----------------|--------|--------|--------------------|---------|---------|
| | Both sexes | Male | Female | Both sexes | Male | Female | Both sexes | Male | Female | Both sexes | Male | Female | Both sexes | Male | Female |
| 1962 | 681,619 | 342,306 | 339,313 | 344,587 | 174,698 | 169,889 | 110,322 | 55,971 | 54,351 | 23,058 | 12,654 | 10,404 | 203,652 | 98,983 | 104,669 |
| 1972 | 826,199 | 413,580 | 412,619 | 428,167 | 215,654 | 212,513 | 137,081 | 68,789 | 68,292 | 24,084 | 12,849 | 11,235 | 236,867 | 116,288 | 120,579 |

✓ de facto population, - including the European members of the armed forces but excluding the passengers and crews of ships lying in the harbour

Table 4 - Estimated population of Mauritius by geographical district and sex, 1977-79 (mid-year estimates)

| Geographical district | 30th June 1977 | | 30th June 1978 | | 30th June 1979 | |
|-----------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| | Both sexes | Male | Female | Both sexes | Male | Female |
| Port-Louis | 141,022 | 69,413 | 71,609 | 142,353 | 70,217 | 72,636 |
| Pamplemousses | 74,435 | 37,517 | 36,913 | 75,347 | 33,132 | 37,715 |
| Rivière du Rempart | 73,123 | 36,872 | 36,251 | 74,529 | 37,470 | 37,059 |
| Flacq | 97,633 | 48,970 | 48,655 | 99,653 | 49,325 | 49,333 |
| Grand Port | 86,477 | 43,315 | 43,162 | 87,957 | 43,948 | 44,009 |
| Savanne | 56,429 | 28,322 | 28,107 | 57,423 | 28,751 | 28,672 |
| P. Williams : Urban | 241,873 | 119,132 | 122,726 | 243,698 | 119,336 | 124,312 |
| Other | 30,293 | 15,159 | 15,139 | 32,593 | 16,716 | 15,882 |
| Moka | 52,010 | 25,909 | 26,109 | 52,834 | 26,300 | 26,576 |
| Black River | 28,448 | 14,307 | 14,141 | 29,021 | 14,546 | 14,478 |
| Island of Mauritius | 331,761 | 163,944 | 167,817 | 335,471 | 164,299 | 171,172 |
| Island of Rodrigues | 27,058 | 13,202 | 13,856 | 27,342 | 13,536 | 14,306 |
| Other islands | 350 | 250 | 100 | 350 | 250 | 100 |
| Mauritius | 909,169 | 452,395 | 456,773 | 924,663 | 459,085 | 465,578 |
| | | | | | 241,052 | 477,439 |
| | | | | | 911,499 | 449,086 |
| | | | | | 29,203 | 14,277 |
| | | | | | 350 | 100 |
| | | | | | 26,614 | 27,215 |
| | | | | | 14,730 | 15,004 |
| | | | | | 33,377 | 17,030 |
| | | | | | 53,329 | 26,614 |
| | | | | | 29,734 | 14,730 |

1/ based on the final 1972 Population Census data. No account has been taken of internal migration

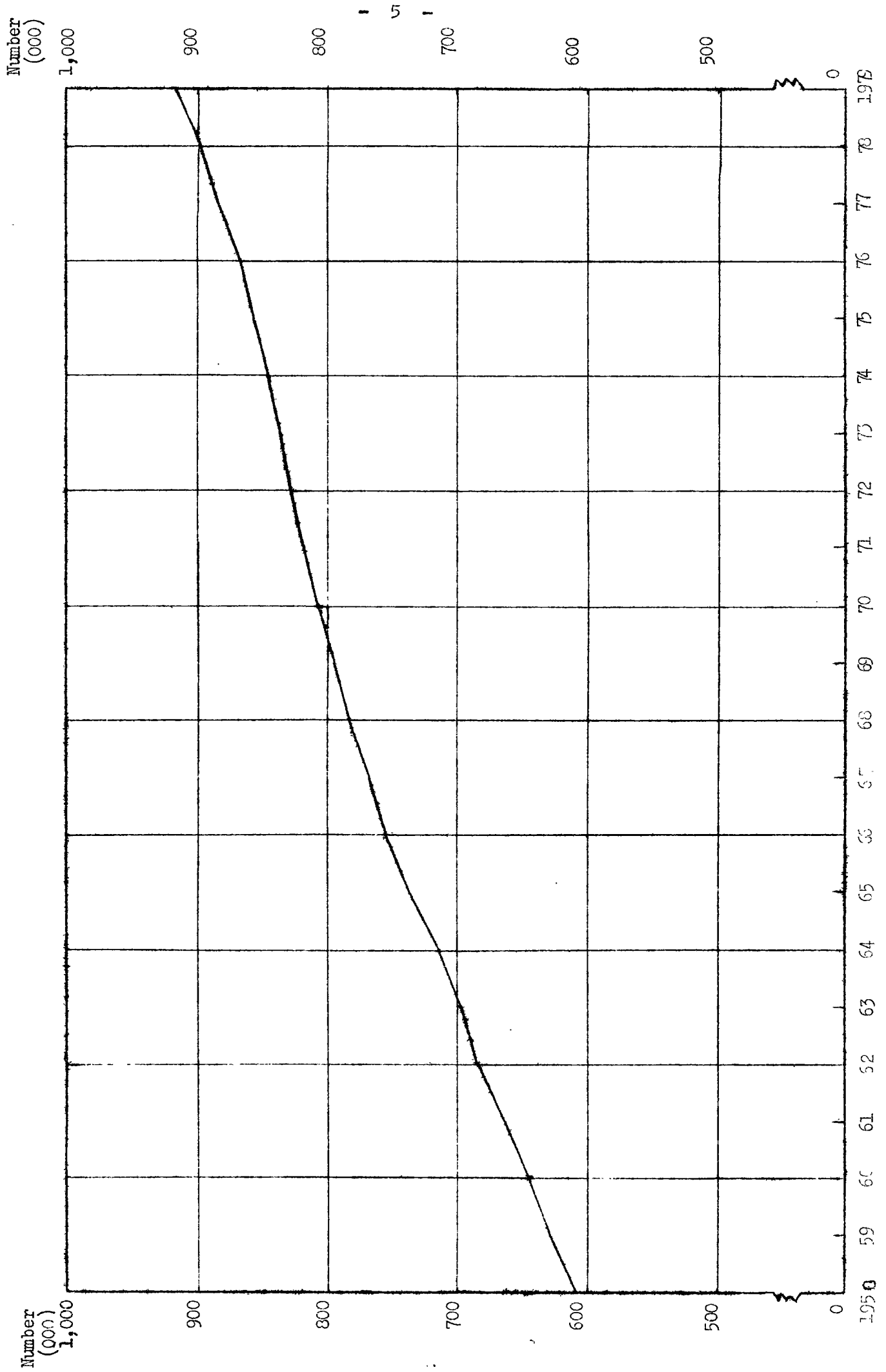
Table 5 - Population and vital statistics - Island of Mauritius, 1921-78

| Period | Population ^{1/} at mid-period | Live births | Deaths | Natural increase | Infant deaths ^{2/} | Still births | Civil marriages |
|-----------------|--|----------------|--------|---------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------|--------------------|
| 1921-25 Average | 379,636 | 14,834 | 11,758 | 3,076 | 2,104 | 1,581 | 2,062 |
| 1926-30 " | 403,248 | 14,208 | 11,614 | 2,594 | 2,002 | 1,256 | 1,455 |
| 1931-35 " | 398,647 | 12,490 | 11,889 | 601 | 1,752 | 1,216 | 1,489 |
| 1936-40 " | 412,003 | 13,621 | 11,157 | 2,464 | 2,119 | 1,240 | 2,093 |
| 1941-45 " | 417,838 | 15,027 | 11,927 | 3,100 | 2,318 | 1,240 | 3,333 |
| 1946-50 " | 438,797 | 19,595 | 9,113 | 10,482 | 2,343 | 1,348 | 3,503 |
| 1951-55 " | 522,577 | 23,176 | 7,701 | 15,475 | 1,884 | 1,472 | 3,307 |
| 1956 | 574,938 | 24,910 | 6,739 | 18,171 | 1,644 | 1,789 | 3,080 |
| 1957 | 593,070 | 25,273 | 7,603 | 17,670 | 1,897 | 1,800 | 2,903 |
| 1958 | 609,518 | 24,600 | 7,112 | 17,488 | 1,659 | 1,703 | 3,169 |
| 1959 | 627,249 | 23,923 | 6,753 | 17,170 | 1,495 | 1,759 | 3,297 |
| 1960 | 644,743 | 25,307 | 7,248 | 18,059 | 1,760 | 1,783 | 3,113 |
| 1961 | 662,368 | 26,092 | 6,505 | 19,587 | 1,618 | 1,963 | 3,484 |
| 1962 | 681,619 | 26,267 | 6,325 | 19,942 | 1,579 | 1,841 | 3,893 |
| 1963 | 695,641 | 27,978 | 6,709 | 21,269 | 1,660 | 1,519 | 3,472 |
| 1964 | 716,298 | 27,528 | 6,184 | 21,344 | 1,361 | 1,611 | 3,965 |
| 1965 | 735,245 | 26,279 | 6,337 | 19,942 | 1,685 | 1,557 | 3,976 |
| 1966 | 753,276 | 26,817 | 6,701 | 20,116 | 1,721 | 1,384 | 4,157 |
| 1967 | 767,782 | 23,499 | 6,543 | 16,956 | 1,656 | 1,074 | 3,949 |
| 1968 | 781,615 | 24,413 | 7,126 | 17,287 | 1,688 | 1,110 | 3,974 |
| 1969 | 792,893 | 21,719 | 6,428 | 15,291 | 1,528 | 951 | 3,882 |
| 1970 | 805,489 | 21,623 | 6,309 | 15,314 | 1,232 | 857 | 4,499 |
| 1971 | 816,561 | 20,834 | 6,248 | 14,586 | 1,077 | 842 | 4,346 |
| 1972 | 826,199 | 20,496 | 6,506 | 13,990 | 1,308 | 718 | 5,082 |
| 1973 | 834,781 | 18,974 | 6,525 | 12,499 | 1,201 | 678 | 5,533 |
| 1974 | 845,755 | 22,938 | 6,221 | 16,717 | 1,045 | 854 | 6,771 |
| 1975 | 856,516 | 21,492 | 6,967 | 14,525 | 1,046 | 896 | 6,888 |
| 1976 | 867,885 | 22,250 | 6,815 | 15,435 | 900 | 784 | 8,262 |
| 1977 | 881,761 | 22,730 | 6,966 | 15,764 | 1,023 | 712 | 8,421 |
| 1978 | 896,471 | 24,250 | 6,400 | 17,850 | 823 | 653 | 10,532 |

^{1/} figures for 1963-71 have been revised in the light of the final 1972 Population Census data

^{2/} deaths of children under 1 year of age

GRAPH 1 - Mid-Year Population Estimates - Island of Mauritius, 1958 - 1979



II - PASSENGER TRAFFIC

Table 6 - Passenger traffic^{1/} by sex, 1933 - June 1979

| Period | Arrivals | | | Departures | | | Net overseas migration |
|--------|------------|-------|--------|------------|-------|--------|------------------------|
| | Both sexes | Male | Female | Both sexes | Male | Female | |
| 1933 | 3,444 | 2,410 | 1,034 | 4,011 | 2,862 | 1,149 | - 567 |
| 1934 | 3,969 | 2,777 | 1,192 | 4,380 | 3,056 | 1,324 | - 411 |
| 1935 | 3,988 | 2,876 | 1,112 | 4,255 | 2,899 | 1,356 | - 267 |
| 1936 | 3,807 | 2,681 | 1,126 | 3,563 | 2,451 | 1,112 | + 244 |
| 1937 | 3,472 | 2,366 | 1,106 | 3,849 | 2,736 | 1,113 | - 377 |
| 1938 | 4,554 | 3,062 | 1,492 | 4,281 | 2,896 | 1,385 | + 273 |
| 1939 | 3,171 | 1,984 | 1,187 | 3,212 | 2,127 | 1,085 | - 41 |
| 1940 | 1,518 | 1,028 | 490 | 1,851 | 1,379 | 472 | - 333 |
| 1941 | 1,209 | 950 | 259 | 4,165 | 3,859 | 306 | - 2,956 |
| 1942 | 1,083 | 893 | 190 | 1,560 | 1,398 | 162 | - 477 |
| 1943 | 1,054 | 859 | 195 | 737 | 642 | 95 | + 317 |
| 1944 | 1,034 | 798 | 236 | 1,053 | 796 | 257 | - 19 |
| 1945 | 2,061 | 1,624 | 437 | 2,247 | 1,624 | 623 | - 186 |
| 1946 | 3,298 | 2,279 | 1,019 | 3,377 | 2,160 | 1,217 | - 79 |
| 1947 | 4,698 | 3,128 | 1,570 | 4,514 | 3,100 | 1,414 | + 184 |
| 1948 | 4,294 | 2,792 | 1,502 | 4,015 | 2,684 | 1,331 | + 279 |
| 1949 | 4,093 | 2,700 | 1,393 | 4,141 | 2,794 | 1,347 | - 48 |
| 1950 | 5,253 | 3,469 | 1,784 | 4,900 | 3,352 | 1,548 | + 353 |
| 1951 | 5,243 | 3,515 | 1,728 | 5,016 | 3,536 | 1,480 | + 227 |
| 1952 | 6,046 | 3,999 | 2,047 | 5,637 | 3,854 | 1,783 | + 409 |
| 1953 | 7,252 | 4,820 | 2,432 | 7,054 | 4,732 | 2,322 | + 198 |
| 1954 | 7,251 | 4,728 | 2,523 | 7,312 | 4,824 | 2,488 | - 61 |
| 1955 | 7,216 | 4,558 | 2,658 | 7,354 | 4,722 | 2,632 | - 138 |
| 1956 | 7,747 | 4,873 | 2,874 | 8,225 | 5,219 | 3,006 | - 478 |
| 1957 | 8,095 | 5,156 | 2,939 | 8,267 | 5,309 | 2,958 | - 172 |
| 1958 | 8,703 | 5,424 | 3,279 | 8,924 | 5,596 | 3,328 | - 221 |
| 1959 | 9,637 | 5,995 | 3,642 | 9,544 | 6,058 | 3,486 | + 93 |
| 1960 | 10,412 | 6,563 | 3,849 | 10,784 | 6,938 | 3,846 | - 372 |
| 1961 | 11,854 | 7,246 | 4,608 | 13,033 | 8,165 | 4,868 | - 1,179 |
| 1962 | 15,189 | 9,283 | 5,906 | 16,075 | 9,887 | 6,188 | - 886 |

Table 6 (continued)

| Period | Arrivals | | | Departures | | | Net overseas migration |
|---------------|------------|--------|--------|------------|--------|--------|------------------------|
| | Both sexes | Male | Female | Both sexes | Male | Female | |
| 1963 | 17,974 | 10,866 | 7,108 | 18,215 | 11,024 | 7,191 | - 241 |
| 1964 | 21,221 | 12,787 | 8,434 | 22,331 | 13,349 | 8,982 | - 1,110 |
| 1965 | 22,024 | 13,571 | 8,453 | 24,150 | 14,759 | 9,391 | - 2,126 |
| 1966 | 26,456 | 16,358 | 10,098 | 29,301 | 17,930 | 11,371 | - 2,845 |
| 1967 | 29,321 | 18,177 | 11,144 | 32,925 | 20,135 | 12,790 | - 3,604 |
| 1968 | 31,403 | 19,820 | 11,583 | 35,988 | 22,181 | 13,807 | - 4,585 |
| 1969 | 35,919 | 21,552 | 14,367 | 38,929 | 23,127 | 15,802 | - 3,010 |
| 1970 | 48,819 | 29,587 | 19,232 | 51,969 | 31,033 | 20,936 | - 3,150 |
| 1971 | 60,826 | 36,005 | 24,821 | 63,997 | 37,399 | 26,598 | - 3,171 |
| 1972 | 77,174 | 45,587 | 31,587 | 81,495 | 47,837 | 33,656 | - 4,319 |
| 1973 | 101,184 | 59,215 | 41,969 | 104,697 | 61,364 | 43,333 | - 3,513 |
| 1974 | 109,044 | 65,077 | 45,967 | 113,362 | 65,649 | 47,713 | - 4,318 |
| 1975 | 117,548 | 68,654 | 48,894 | 120,703 | 70,368 | 50,335 | - 3,155 |
| 1976 | 139,503 | 80,674 | 58,529 | 141,148 | 81,718 | 59,430 | - 1,845 |
| 1977 | 153,208 | 87,417 | 65,791 | 155,653 | 89,243 | 66,410 | - 2,445 |
| 1978 | 161,638 | 93,087 | 68,601 | 163,733 | 94,850 | 68,883 | - 2,045 |
| Jan-June 1979 | 84,158 | 48,938 | 35,170 | 91,614 | 55,544 | 36,070 | - 7,456 |

1/ including seamen but excluding transit passengers who do not leave the airport

Table 7 - Passenger traffic between Island of Mauritius and Rodrigues, 1962-June 1979

| Period | Departures to Rodrigues | | | Arrivals from Rodrigues | | | Net overseas migration |
|---------------|-------------------------|-------|--------|-------------------------|-------|--------|------------------------|
| | Both sexes | Male | Female | Both sexes | Male | Female | |
| 1962 | 1,033 | 661 | 372 | 1,126 | 725 | 401 | - 93 |
| 1963 | 899 | 620 | 279 | 1,439 | 905 | 534 | - 540 |
| 1964 | 1,300 | 850 | 450 | 1,450 | 915 | 535 | - 150 |
| 1965 | 1,339 | 854 | 485 | 1,525 | 961 | 564 | - 186 |
| 1966 | 1,326 | 860 | 466 | 1,418 | 904 | 514 | - 92 |
| 1967 | 1,485 | 940 | 545 | 1,268 | 822 | 446 | + 217 |
| 1968 | 1,541 | 940 | 601 | 1,485 | 946 | 539 | + 56 |
| 1969 | 1,559 | 1,034 | 535 | 1,493 | 994 | 499 | + 76 |
| 1970 | 1,740 | 1,103 | 637 | 1,762 | 1,123 | 639 | - 22 |
| 1971 | 1,578 | 1,017 | 561 | 1,744 | 1,118 | 626 | - 166 |
| 1972 | 2,168 | 1,409 | 759 | 2,321 | 1,469 | 842 | - 143 |
| 1973 | 2,427 | 1,521 | 906 | 2,455 | 1,511 | 942 | - 26 |
| 1974 | 2,053 | 1,197 | 856 | 2,648 | 1,560 | 1,088 | - 595 |
| 1975 | 2,968 | 1,870 | 1,098 | 3,319 | 2,030 | 1,289 | - 351 |
| 1976 | 3,796 | 2,528 | 1,268 | 4,221 | 2,854 | 1,367 | - 425 |
| 1977 | 4,477 | 2,935 | 1,542 | 4,855 | 3,214 | 1,639 | - 376 |
| 1978 | 5,571 | 3,588 | 1,983 | 5,642 | 3,641 | 2,001 | - 71 |
| Jan-June 1979 | 2,756 | 1,825 | 931 | 2,352 | 1,547 | 805 | + 404 |

Graph 2 - Passenger traffic, 1963 - 1978

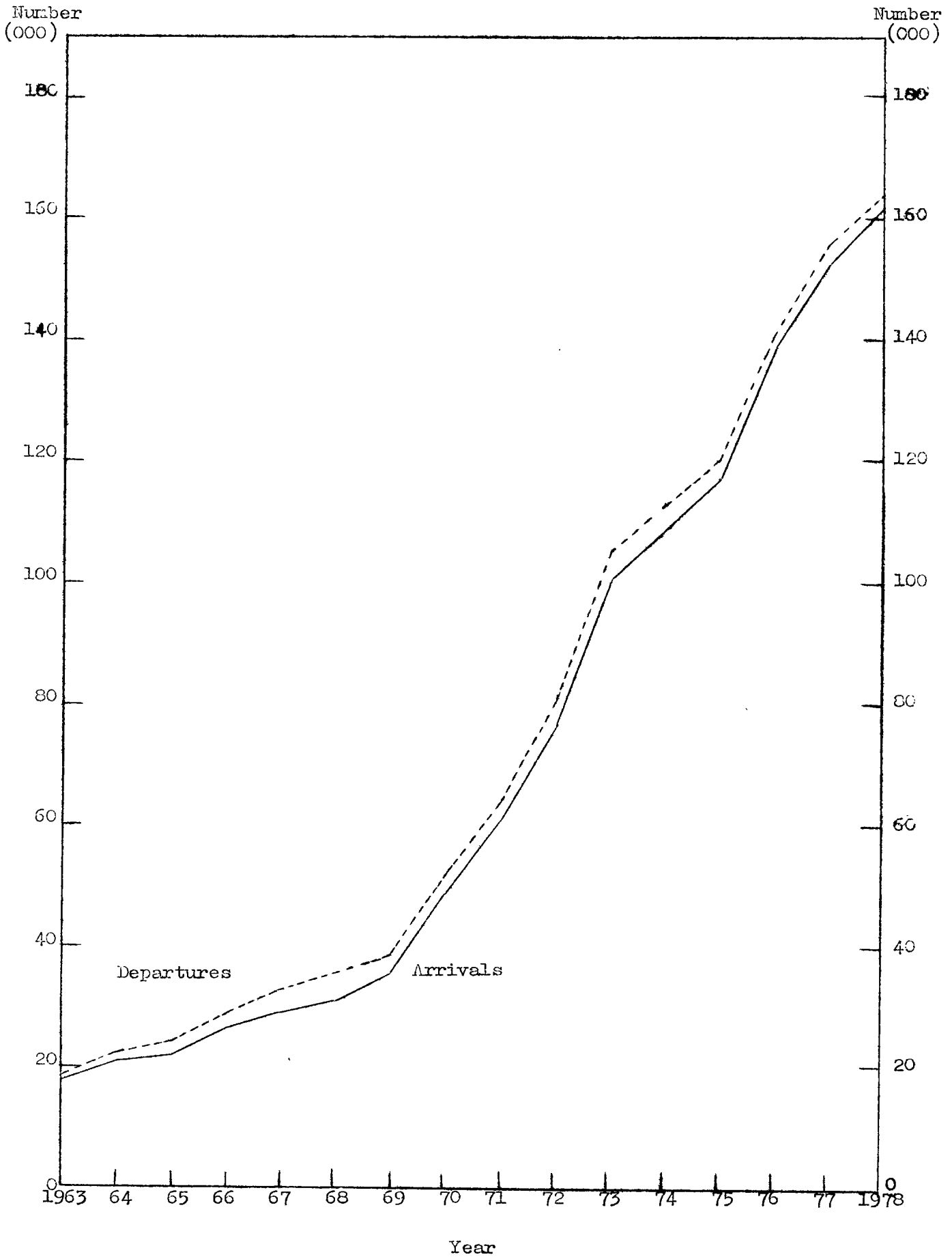


Table 8 - Passenger traffic^{1/} by mode of transport, 1962 - June 1979

| Period | Arrivals | | | Departures | | | Net overseas migration |
|----------------|----------|--------|---------|------------|--------|---------|------------------------|
| | Total | By sea | By air | Total | By sea | By air | |
| 1962 | 15,189 | 4,058 | 10,931 | 16,075 | 4,374 | 11,701 | - 886 |
| 1963 | 18,047 | 4,660 | 13,387 | 18,299 | 4,432 | 13,867 | - 252 |
| 1964 | 21,221 | 5,187 | 16,034 | 22,331 | 5,478 | 16,853 | - 1,110 |
| 1965 | 22,024 | 4,886 | 17,138 | 24,150 | 5,463 | 18,687 | - 2,126 |
| 1966 | 26,456 | 5,544 | 20,912 | 29,301 | 6,330 | 22,971 | - 2,845 |
| 1967 | 29,321 | 4,901 | 24,420 | 32,925 | 6,515 | 26,410 | - 3,604 |
| 1968 | 31,403 | 4,264 | 27,139 | 35,988 | 5,967 | 30,021 | - 4,585 |
| 1969 | 35,919 | 3,483 | 32,436 | 38,929 | 4,632 | 34,297 | - 3,010 |
| 1970 | 48,819 | 3,984 | 44,835 | 51,969 | 4,376 | 47,593 | - 3,150 |
| 1971 | 60,826 | 3,857 | 56,969 | 63,997 | 4,295 | 59,702 | - 3,171 |
| 1972 | 77,174 | 3,741 | 73,433 | 81,493 | 4,072 | 77,421 | - 4,319 |
| 1973 | 101,184 | 4,238 | 96,946 | 104,697 | 4,027 | 100,670 | - 3,513 |
| 1974 | 109,044 | 3,848 | 105,196 | 113,362 | 3,772 | 109,590 | - 4,318 |
| 1975 | 117,548 | 4,485 | 113,063 | 120,703 | 4,255 | 116,448 | - 3,155 |
| 1976 | 139,303 | 4,367 | 134,936 | 141,148 | 4,441 | 136,707 | - 1,845 |
| 1977 | 153,208 | 4,929 | 148,279 | 155,653 | 4,624 | 151,029 | - 2,445 |
| 1978 | 161,588 | 4,411 | 157,277 | 163,733 | 4,698 | 159,035 | - 2,045 |
| 1979 : 1st Qr. | 43,947 | 927 | 43,020 | 50,197 | 967 | 49,230 | - 6,250 |
| 2nd Qr. | 40,211 | 701 | 39,510 | 41,417 | 997 | 40,420 | - 1,206 |

^{1/} including seamen but excluding transit passengers who do not leave the airport

Table 9 - Passenger traffic ^{1/} by month, 1976-June 1979

| Month | Arrivals | | | | Departures | | | | Excess of arrivals over departures | | | |
|------------|----------|---------|---------|--------|------------|---------|---------|--------|------------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|
| | 1976 | 1977 | 1978 | 1979 | 1976 | 1977 | 1978 | 1979 | 1976 | 1977 | 1978 | 1979 |
| January | 14,436 | 16,034 | 15,890 | 18,078 | 17,267 | 19,383 | 19,041 | 21,033 | - 2,831 | - 3,349 | - 3,151 | - 2,955 |
| February | 9,560 | 11,445 | 11,777 | 13,008 | 12,222 | 13,120 | 13,208 | 15,406 | - 2,662 | - 1,675 | - 1,431 | - 2,398 |
| March | 9,072 | 9,947 | 10,816 | 12,861 | 9,127 | 10,564 | 11,098 | 13,758 | - 55 | - 617 | - 282 | - 897 |
| April | 9,758 | 12,013 | 11,620 | 15,014 | 10,223 | 11,851 | 11,738 | 15,927 | - 465 | + 162 | - 118 | - 913 |
| May | 10,933 | 11,728 | 11,268 | 14,359 | 11,338 | 12,827 | 12,064 | 14,587 | - 405 | - 1,099 | - 796 | - 228 |
| June | 8,056 | 9,344 | 9,003 | 10,838 | 8,280 | 9,151 | 9,474 | 10,903 | - 224 | + 193 | - 471 | - 65 |
| July | 12,798 | 13,647 | 13,824 | | 11,530 | 13,064 | 13,586 | | + 1,268 | + 583 | + 238 | |
| August | 16,970 | 17,804 | 19,256 | | 15,218 | 16,475 | 17,394 | | + 1,752 | + 1,329 | + 1,862 | |
| September | 9,661 | 10,844 | 12,369 | | 13,063 | 13,914 | 16,005 | | - 3,402 | - 3,070 | - 3,636 | |
| October | 11,128 | 11,617 | 13,181 | | 10,354 | 10,595 | 12,307 | | + 774 | + 1,022 | + 874 | |
| November | 10,824 | 11,153 | 13,555 | | 11,558 | 11,791 | 14,033 | | - 734 | - 638 | - 478 | |
| December | 16,107 | 17,632 | 19,129 | | 10,968 | 12,918 | 13,785 | | + 5,139 | + 4,714 | + 5,344 | |
| Whole year | 139,303 | 153,208 | 161,688 | | 141,148 | 155,653 | 163,733 | | - 1,845 | - 2,445 | - 2,045 | |

^{1/} including seamen but excluding transit passengers who do not leave the airport

Table 10 - Arrivals^{1/} by country of original embarkation, 1974-June 1979

| Country of original embarkation | 1974 | 1975 | 1976 | 1977 | 1978 | Jan-June 1979 |
|---------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------------|
| Australia | 4,575 | 4,537 | 4,750 | 4,354 | 4,195 | 3,010 |
| France | 9,009 | 9,814 | 12,865 | 14,798 | 20,053 | 9,820 |
| Germany, Fed. Rep. | 1,487 | 1,231 | 1,183 | 1,726 | 2,279 | 1,480 |
| Hong Kong | 595 | 858 | 1,012 | 1,016 | 1,072 | 520 |
| India | 4,108 | 5,506 | 6,564 | 7,955 | 8,048 | 6,090 |
| Italy | 1,783 | 1,406 | 1,580 | 2,380 | 3,016 | 1,380 |
| Kenya | 2,815 | 2,733 | 3,591 | 3,309 | 2,801 | 1,170 |
| Malagasy Republic | 3,211 | 2,228 | 3,694 | 6,516 | 5,460 | 2,930 |
| Malawi | 628 | 793 | 897 | 1,178 | 1,222 | 730 |
| Reunion | 37,767 | 42,569 | 49,799 | 53,024 | 53,197 | 27,620 |
| Rhodesia | 535 | 1,088 | 734 | 304 | 415 | 330 |
| Rodrigues | 2,053 | 2,968 | 3,796 | 4,853 | 5,642 | 2,352 |
| Seychelles | 2,051 | 2,061 | 3,223 | 3,250 | 3,153 | 1,870 |
| South Africa, Rep. of | 17,220 | 18,158 | 21,471 | 21,514 | 22,603 | 12,820 |
| Switzerland | 589 | 536 | 597 | 587 | 726 | 370 |
| Tanzania | 655 | 528 | 608 | 529 | 815 | 580 |
| United Kingdom | 12,410 | 13,728 | 16,641 | 17,102 | 18,497 | 7,130 |
| Zambia | 3,663 | 2,952 | 2,330 | 4,020 | 3,840 | 1,800 |
| Other countries | 7,462 | 6,078 | 5,074 | 4,165 | 4,207 | 798 |
| All countries | 112,616 | 119,772 | 140,409 | 152,580 | 161,241 | 83,800 |

^{1/} excluding transit passengers who did not leave the airport; discharged seamen numbering 464, 508, 687, 507 447 and 358 respectively for the period under review

Table 11 - Departures^{1/} by country of final destination, 1974 - June 1979

| Country of final destination | 1974 | 1975 | 1976 | 1977 | 1978 | Jan-June 1979 |
|------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------------|
| Australia | 5,568 | 5,395 | 5,469 | 4,627 | 4,144 | 2,810 |
| France | 7,008 | 8,277 | 11,044 | 15,736 | 21,256 | 11,270 |
| Germany, Fed. Rep. | 1,548 | 1,246 | 1,319 | 1,934 | 2,268 | 1,800 |
| Hong Kong | 574 | 839 | 983 | 1,048 | 1,192 | 770 |
| India | 4,790 | 5,608 | 7,055 | 8,340 | 8,753 | 4,250 |
| Italy | 1,362 | 1,276 | 1,346 | 3,072 | 3,218 | 2,440 |
| Kenya | 2,319 | 2,126 | 3,096 | 2,541 | 2,348 | 1,280 |
| Malagasy Republic | 3,888 | 2,704 | 4,371 | 4,990 | 4,433 | 2,180 |
| Malawi | 571 | 907 | 1,304 | 943 | 972 | 470 |
| Réunion | 36,959 | 43,058 | 50,538 | 53,648 | 53,418 | 29,170 |
| Rhodesia | 399 | 1,150 | 633 | 375 | 447 | 180 |
| Rodrigues | 2,648 | 3,319 | 4,221 | 4,477 | 5,571 | 2,756 |
| Seychelles | 2,429 | 2,209 | 2,591 | 4,023 | 3,544 | 2,120 |
| South Africa, Rep. of | 16,607 | 17,450 | 20,684 | 21,344 | 22,209 | 14,650 |
| Switzerland | 510 | 396 | 534 | 892 | 882 | 450 |
| Tanzania | 433 | 332 | 479 | 637 | 780 | 530 |
| United Kingdom | 10,374 | 12,192 | 15,376 | 17,757 | 18,855 | 9,990 |
| Zambia | 3,891 | 3,263 | 2,800 | 3,444 | 3,314 | 1,860 |
| Other countries | 6,658 | 5,114 | 4,953 | 4,932 | 5,149 | 2,134 |
| All countries | 108,536 | 116,861 | 138,796 | 154,760 | 162,753 | 91,110 |

^{1/} excluding transit passengers who did not leave the airport; engaged seamen numbering 535, 746, 931, 739 and 504 respectively for the period under review

Table 12 - Passenger^{1/} traffic by type of passenger and month, January - June 1979

| Type of passenger | January | February | March | April | May | June | Jan-June |
|---------------------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|
| <u>ARRIVALS</u> | | | | | | | |
| Visitors ^{2/} | <u>13,050</u> | <u>10,450</u> | <u>9,720</u> | <u>11,260</u> | <u>10,490</u> | <u>7,390</u> | <u>62,360</u> |
| On holiday | 11,990 | 8,900 | 8,300 | 10,310 | 9,340 | 6,540 | 55,380 |
| On business | 320 | 520 | 540 | 450 | 550 | 420 | 2,800 |
| In transit | 740 | 1,010 | 780 | 420 | 540 | 410 | 3,900 |
| Other and not stated | - | 20 | 100 | 80 | 60 | 20 | 280 |
| Mauritians settled abroad | <u>910</u> | <u>420</u> | <u>570</u> | <u>540</u> | <u>420</u> | <u>520</u> | <u>3,380</u> |
| Mauritian residents | <u>3,790</u> | <u>1,900</u> | <u>2,280</u> | <u>2,990</u> | <u>3,270</u> | <u>2,770</u> | <u>17,000</u> |
| Other | <u>290</u> | <u>150</u> | <u>250</u> | <u>190</u> | <u>80</u> | <u>100</u> | <u>1,060</u> |
| Total | 18,040 | 12,920 | 12,820 | 14,980 | 14,260 | 10,780 | 83,800 |
| <u>DEPARTURES</u> | | | | | | | |
| Visitors | 15,970 | 11,500 | 9,770 | 11,030 | 11,070 | 7,150 | 66,490 |
| Mauritians settled abroad | 2,050 | 1,520 | 490 | 670 | 550 | 520 | 5,800 |
| Emigrants ^{3/} | 12 | 21 | 31 | 13 | 21 | 18 | 116 |
| Mauritian residents | 2,770 | 2,090 | 3,120 | 3,820 | 2,680 | 3,020 | 17,500 |
| Other | 158 | 189 | 279 | 287 | 139 | 152 | 1,204 |
| Total | 20,960 | 15,320 | 13,690 | 15,820 | 14,460 | 10,860 | 91,110 |

^{1/} excluding seamen and transit passengers who do not leave the airport

^{2/} including non-residents (a total of 2,030) who left the airport but stayed in the country for less than a day

^{3/} figures obtained from Passport Office register

Table 13 - Arrivals ^{1/} by age and sex, July 1977 - June 1979

| Age (completed years) | July - December 1977 | | | January - June 1978 | | | July - December 1978 | | | January - June 1979 | | |
|--------------------------|----------------------|--------|--------|---------------------|--------|--------|----------------------|--------|--------|---------------------|--------|--------|
| | Both sexes | Male | Female | Both sexes | Male | Female | Both sexes | Male | Female | Both sexes | Male | Female |
| Under 1 | 533 | 301 | 232 | 415 | 234 | 179 | 593 | 345 | 248 | 490 | 280 | 210 |
| 1 - 4 | 2,968 | 1,641 | 1,327 | 2,175 | 1,227 | 946 | 3,052 | 1,785 | 1,267 | 2,540 | 1,530 | 1,010 |
| 5 - 9 | 3,649 | 1,928 | 1,721 | 2,715 | 1,538 | 1,177 | 3,853 | 2,146 | 1,707 | 2,860 | 1,640 | 1,220 |
| 10 - 14 | 3,421 | 1,800 | 1,621 | 2,390 | 1,207 | 1,183 | 3,734 | 1,989 | 1,745 | 2,660 | 1,340 | 1,320 |
| 15 - 19 | 4,128 | 1,924 | 2,204 | 3,035 | 1,412 | 1,623 | 4,441 | 2,085 | 2,356 | 3,270 | 1,470 | 1,800 |
| 20 - 24 | 8,823 | 4,131 | 4,692 | 6,998 | 3,490 | 3,508 | 9,323 | 4,518 | 4,805 | 8,070 | 4,090 | 3,980 |
| 25 - 29 | 11,640 | 6,196 | 5,444 | 9,539 | 5,297 | 4,242 | 12,632 | 6,877 | 5,755 | 11,030 | 6,210 | 4,820 |
| 30 - 34 | 10,390 | 6,031 | 4,359 | 8,898 | 5,319 | 3,579 | 11,812 | 6,876 | 4,936 | 10,770 | 6,110 | 4,660 |
| 35 - 39 | 8,291 | 5,007 | 3,284 | 7,265 | 4,590 | 2,675 | 9,286 | 5,632 | 3,654 | 9,270 | 5,860 | 3,410 |
| 40 - 44 | 6,605 | 4,127 | 2,478 | 6,054 | 3,918 | 2,136 | 7,390 | 4,631 | 2,759 | 7,590 | 4,960 | 2,630 |
| 45 - 49 | 5,410 | 3,264 | 2,146 | 5,008 | 3,145 | 1,863 | 6,235 | 3,832 | 2,403 | 6,690 | 4,090 | 2,600 |
| 50 - 54 | 4,801 | 2,790 | 2,011 | 4,302 | 2,664 | 1,638 | 5,484 | 3,225 | 2,259 | 5,260 | 3,110 | 2,150 |
| 55 - 59 | 3,497 | 2,011 | 1,486 | 3,214 | 1,990 | 1,224 | 4,136 | 2,431 | 1,705 | 4,180 | 2,690 | 1,490 |
| 60 - 64 | 2,412 | 1,318 | 1,094 | 2,187 | 1,241 | 946 | 2,669 | 1,506 | 1,163 | 2,740 | 1,610 | 1,130 |
| 65 - 69 | 1,634 | 857 | 777 | 1,511 | 847 | 664 | 1,873 | 1,031 | 842 | 1,970 | 1,050 | 920 |
| 70 & over | 1,232 | 606 | 626 | 1,100 | 581 | 519 | 1,419 | 765 | 654 | 1,540 | 750 | 790 |
| Not stated | 3,263 | 2,348 | 915 | 3,572 | 2,410 | 1,162 | 3,402 | 2,303 | 1,099 | 3,228 | 2,198 | 1,030 |
| All ages | 82,697 | 46,280 | 36,417 | 70,374 | 41,110 | 29,264 | 91,314 | 51,977 | 39,337 | 84,158 | 48,988 | 35,170 |

^{1/} including discharged seamen but excluding transit passengers who do not leave the airport

Table 14 - Departures by age and sex, July 1977 - June 1979

| Age (completed years) | July-December 1977 | | | January-June 1978 | | | July-December 1978 | | | January-June 1979 | | |
|--------------------------|--------------------|--------|--------|-------------------|--------|--------|--------------------|--------|--------|-------------------|--------|--------|
| | Both sexes | Male | Female | Both sexes | Male | Female | Both sexes | Male | Female | Both sexes | Male | Female |
| Under 1 | 514 | 305 | 209 | 461 | 275 | 186 | 555 | 355 | 200 | 680 | 400 | 280 |
| 1 - 4 | 2,715 | 1,517 | 1,198 | 2,555 | 1,471 | 1,084 | 2,697 | 1,576 | 1,121 | 2,960 | 1,740 | 1,220 |
| 5 - 9 | 3,381 | 1,871 | 1,510 | 3,138 | 1,695 | 1,443 | 3,482 | 1,983 | 1,499 | 3,380 | 2,060 | 1,320 |
| 10 - 14 | 3,338 | 1,781 | 1,557 | 2,687 | 1,395 | 1,292 | 3,569 | 1,932 | 1,637 | 3,090 | 1,780 | 1,310 |
| 15 - 19 | 4,471 | 2,176 | 2,295 | 3,440 | 1,599 | 1,841 | 4,719 | 2,340 | 2,379 | 3,840 | 1,820 | 2,020 |
| 20 - 24 | 8,877 | 4,464 | 4,413 | 7,610 | 3,720 | 3,890 | 9,635 | 4,889 | 4,746 | 9,120 | 4,700 | 4,420 |
| 25 - 29 | 10,843 | 5,848 | 4,995 | 10,273 | 5,648 | 4,625 | 11,778 | 6,538 | 5,240 | 11,740 | 7,040 | 4,700 |
| 30 - 34 | 9,540 | 5,613 | 3,927 | 9,659 | 5,717 | 3,942 | 10,987 | 6,458 | 4,529 | 11,820 | 7,310 | 4,510 |
| 35 - 39 | 7,766 | 4,728 | 3,038 | 7,792 | 4,903 | 2,889 | 8,647 | 5,312 | 3,335 | 10,670 | 7,160 | 3,510 |
| 40 - 44 | 6,114 | 3,825 | 2,289 | 6,513 | 4,201 | 2,312 | 6,905 | 4,385 | 2,520 | 7,470 | 4,850 | 2,620 |
| 45 - 49 | 5,048 | 3,109 | 1,939 | 5,431 | 3,346 | 2,085 | 5,865 | 3,646 | 2,219 | 6,850 | 4,320 | 2,530 |
| 50 - 54 | 4,518 | 2,629 | 1,889 | 4,595 | 2,745 | 1,850 | 5,229 | 3,086 | 2,143 | 5,560 | 3,350 | 2,210 |
| 55 - 59 | 3,288 | 1,902 | 1,386 | 3,544 | 2,205 | 1,339 | 3,888 | 2,325 | 1,563 | 4,210 | 2,350 | 1,860 |
| 60 - 64 | 2,266 | 1,269 | 997 | 2,369 | 1,344 | 1,025 | 2,487 | 1,398 | 1,089 | 2,710 | 1,680 | 1,030 |
| 65 - 69 | 1,493 | 780 | 713 | 1,656 | 929 | 727 | 1,677 | 933 | 744 | 2,530 | 1,460 | 870 |
| 70 & over | 1,151 | 557 | 594 | 1,222 | 654 | 568 | 1,350 | 710 | 640 | 1,650 | 930 | 720 |
| Not stated | 3,434 | 2,357 | 1,077 | 3,678 | 2,653 | 1,025 | 3,640 | 2,484 | 1,156 | 3,534 | 2,594 | 940 |
| All ages | 78,757 | 44,731 | 34,026 | 76,623 | 44,500 | 32,123 | 87,110 | 50,350 | 36,760 | 91,614 | 55,544 | 36,070 |

including engaged seamen but excluding transit passengers who do not leave the airport

Table 15 - Excess of arrivals over departures^{1/} by age and sex, July 1977 - June 1979

| Age (completed years) | July-December 1977 | | | January-June 1978 | | | July-December 1978 | | | January-June 1979 | | |
|--------------------------|--------------------|---------|---------|-------------------|---------|---------|--------------------|---------|---------|-------------------|---------|--------|
| | Both sexes | Male | Female | Both sexes | Male | Female | Both sexes | Male | Female | Both sexes | Male | Female |
| Under 1 | + 19 | - 4 | + 23 | - 48 | - 41 | - 7 | + 38 | - 10 | + 48 | - 190 | - 120 | - 70 |
| 1 - 4 | + 253 | + 124 | + 129 | - 382 | - 244 | - 138 | + 355 | + 209 | + 146 | - 420 | - 210 | - 210 |
| 5 - 9 | + 268 | + 57 | + 211 | - 423 | - 157 | - 266 | + 371 | + 163 | + 208 | - 520 | - 420 | - 100 |
| 10 - 14 | + 83 | + 19 | + 64 | - 297 | - 188 | - 109 | + 165 | + 57 | + 108 | - 430 | - 440 | + 10 |
| 15 - 19 | - 343 | - 252 | - 91 | - 405 | - 187 | - 218 | - 278 | - 255 | - 23 | - 570 | - 350 | - 220 |
| 20 - 24 | - 54 | - 333 | + 279 | - 612 | - 230 | - 382 | - 312 | - 371 | + 59 | - 1,050 | - 610 | - 440 |
| 25 - 29 | + 797 | + 348 | + 449 | - 734 | - 351 | - 383 | + 854 | + 339 | + 515 | - 710 | - 830 | + 120 |
| 30 - 34 | + 850 | + 418 | + 432 | - 761 | - 398 | - 363 | + 825 | + 418 | + 407 | - 1,050 | - 1,200 | + 150 |
| 35 - 39 | + 525 | + 279 | + 246 | - 527 | - 313 | - 214 | + 619 | + 320 | + 299 | - 1,400 | - 1,300 | - 100 |
| 40 - 44 | + 491 | + 302 | + 189 | - 459 | - 283 | - 176 | + 485 | + 246 | + 239 | + 120 | + 110 | + 10 |
| 45 - 49 | + 362 | + 155 | + 207 | - 423 | - 201 | - 222 | + 370 | + 186 | + 184 | - 160 | - 230 | + 70 |
| 50 - 54 | + 283 | + 161 | + 122 | - 293 | - 81 | - 212 | + 255 | + 139 | + 116 | - 300 | - 240 | - 60 |
| 55 - 59 | + 209 | + 109 | + 100 | - 330 | - 215 | - 115 | + 248 | + 106 | + 142 | - 30 | + 340 | - 370 |
| 60 - 64 | + 146 | + 49 | + 97 | - 182 | - 103 | - 79 | + 182 | + 108 | + 74 | + 30 | - 70 | + 100 |
| 65 - 69 | + 141 | + 77 | + 64 | - 145 | - 82 | - 63 | + 196 | + 98 | + 98 | - 360 | - 410 | + 50 |
| 70 & over | + 81 | + 49 | + 32 | - 122 | - 73 | - 49 | + 69 | + 55 | + 14 | - 110 | - 180 | + 70 |
| Not stated | - 171 | - 9 | - 162 | - 106 | - 243 | + 137 | - 238 | - 181 | - 57 | - 306 | - 396 | + 90 |
| All ages | + 3,940 | + 1,549 | + 2,391 | - 6,249 | - 3,390 | - 2,859 | + 4,204 | + 1,627 | + 2,577 | - 7,456 | - 6,556 | - 900 |

^{1/} including seamen but excluding transit passengers who do not leave the airport

Table 16 - Arrivals and departures^{1/} of residents of Island of Mauritius by district of residence and sex, January - June 1979.

| Geographical district | Arrivals | | | Departures | | | Excess of arrivals over departures | | |
|-------------------------|------------|--------|--------|------------|--------|--------|------------------------------------|--------|--------|
| | Both sexes | Male | Female | Both sexes | Male | Female | Both sexes | | Female |
| | | | | | | | Male | Female | |
| Port Louis | 3,410 | 2,200 | 1,210 | 3,780 | 2,580 | 1,200 | - 370 | - 380 | + 10 |
| Pauplemousses | 590 | 450 | 140 | 450 | 310 | 140 | + 140 | + 140 | - |
| Rivière du Rempart | 500 | 350 | 170 | 650 | 450 | 220 | - 150 | - 10 | - 50 |
| Flacq | 470 | 360 | 110 | 480 | 350 | 130 | - 10 | + 10 | - 20 |
| Grand Port | 380 | 270 | 110 | 560 | 350 | 210 | - 180 | - 80 | - 100 |
| Savanne | 350 | 240 | 110 | 340 | 250 | 90 | + 10 | - 10 | + 20 |
| Plaines Wilhems : Urban | 7,320 | 4,420 | 2,900 | 6,970 | 4,210 | 2,760 | + 350 | + 210 | + 140 |
| Other | 100 | 60 | 40 | 90 | 70 | 20 | + 10 | - 10 | + 20 |
| Moka | 330 | 210 | 120 | 390 | 280 | 110 | - 60 | - 70 | + 10 |
| Black River | 270 | 160 | 110 | 200 | 80 | 120 | + 70 | + 80 | - 10 |
| Not stated | 3,280 | 2,080 | 1,200 | 3,590 | 2,400 | 1,190 | - 310 | - 320 | + 10 |
| Whole island | 17,000 | 10,780 | 6,220 | 17,500 | 11,310 | 6,190 | - 500 | - 530 | + 30 |

^{1/} excluding official long-term emigrants

Table 17 - Arrivals of residents of Island of Mauritius by age and sex, July 1977 - June 1979

| Age (completed years) | July - December 1977 | | | January - June 1978 | | | July - December 1978 | | | January - June 1979 | | |
|--------------------------|----------------------|--------|--------|---------------------|--------|--------|----------------------|--------|--------|---------------------|--------|--------|
| | Both sexes | Male | Female | Both sexes | Male | Female | Both sexes | Male | Female | Both sexes | Male | Female |
| Under 1 | 102 | 58 | 44 | 74 | 44 | 30 | 104 | 66 | 38 | 120 | 80 | 40 |
| 1 - 4 | 418 | 213 | 205 | 321 | 185 | 136 | 470 | 270 | 200 | 380 | 180 | 200 |
| 5 - 9 | 422 | 233 | 189 | 325 | 178 | 147 | 516 | 279 | 237 | 430 | 290 | 140 |
| 10 - 14 | 465 | 262 | 203 | 385 | 196 | 189 | 510 | 257 | 253 | 480 | 270 | 210 |
| 15 - 19 | 822 | 437 | 385 | 735 | 369 | 366 | 894 | 494 | 400 | 790 | 400 | 390 |
| 20 - 24 | 2,399 | 1,427 | 972 | 2,016 | 1,278 | 738 | 2,638 | 1,623 | 1,015 | 2,110 | 1,420 | 690 |
| 25 - 29 | 2,269 | 1,484 | 785 | 1,939 | 1,327 | 612 | 2,569 | 1,685 | 884 | 2,150 | 1,390 | 760 |
| 30 - 34 | 1,569 | 1,013 | 556 | 1,348 | 974 | 374 | 1,824 | 1,235 | 589 | 1,510 | 940 | 570 |
| 35 - 39 | 1,316 | 832 | 484 | 1,056 | 704 | 352 | 1,434 | 919 | 515 | 1,380 | 930 | 450 |
| 40 - 44 | 1,175 | 757 | 418 | 1,046 | 683 | 363 | 1,289 | 835 | 454 | 1,300 | 880 | 420 |
| 45 - 49 | 1,074 | 656 | 418 | 875 | 555 | 320 | 1,225 | 808 | 417 | 1,100 | 650 | 450 |
| 50 - 54 | 947 | 524 | 423 | 793 | 517 | 276 | 1,197 | 702 | 495 | 950 | 610 | 340 |
| 55 - 59 | 706 | 428 | 278 | 557 | 367 | 190 | 844 | 504 | 340 | 660 | 480 | 180 |
| 60 - 64 | 615 | 312 | 303 | 449 | 276 | 173 | 753 | 428 | 325 | 550 | 310 | 240 |
| 65 - 69 | 388 | 214 | 174 | 289 | 173 | 116 | 474 | 246 | 228 | 270 | 140 | 130 |
| 70 & over | 330 | 183 | 147 | 235 | 122 | 113 | 404 | 233 | 171 | 280 | 140 | 140 |
| Not stated | 2,783 | 1,943 | 840 | 3,154 | 2,058 | 1,096 | 2,948 | 1,926 | 1,022 | 2,540 | 1,670 | 870 |
| All ages | 17,800 | 10,976 | 6,824 | 15,597 | 10,006 | 5,591 | 20,093 | 12,510 | 7,583 | 17,000 | 10,780 | 6,220 |

Table 18 - Departures of residents of Island of Mauritius by age and sex, July 1977 - June 1979

| Age (completed years) | July - December 1977 | | | January - June 1978 | | | July - December 1978 | | | January - June 1979 | | |
|-----------------------|----------------------|--------|--------|---------------------|--------|--------|----------------------|--------|--------|---------------------|--------|--------|
| | Both sexes | Male | Female | Both sexes | Male | Female | Both sexes | Male | Female | Both sexes | Male | Female |
| Under 1 | 106 | 59 | 47 | 77 | 48 | 29 | 133 | 84 | 49 | 140 | 80 | 60 |
| 1 - 4 | 449 | 234 | 215 | 343 | 201 | 142 | 481 | 282 | 199 | 420 | 210 | 210 |
| 5 - 9 | 518 | 275 | 243 | 346 | 190 | 156 | 562 | 306 | 256 | 400 | 230 | 170 |
| 10 - 14 | 705 | 384 | 321 | 284 | 154 | 150 | 725 | 375 | 350 | 290 | 190 | 100 |
| 15 - 19 | 1,434 | 782 | 652 | 785 | 395 | 390 | 1,504 | 866 | 638 | 820 | 380 | 440 |
| 20 - 24 | 3,125 | 1,961 | 1,164 | 2,140 | 1,296 | 844 | 3,391 | 2,152 | 1,239 | 2,340 | 1,490 | 850 |
| 25 - 29 | 2,347 | 1,536 | 811 | 2,032 | 1,340 | 692 | 2,557 | 1,668 | 889 | 2,010 | 1,380 | 630 |
| 30 - 34 | 1,521 | 1,008 | 513 | 1,439 | 991 | 448 | 1,740 | 1,164 | 576 | 1,870 | 1,330 | 540 |
| 35 - 39 | 1,298 | 784 | 514 | 1,105 | 719 | 386 | 1,397 | 880 | 517 | 1,590 | 1,160 | 430 |
| 40 - 44 | 1,165 | 734 | 431 | 1,083 | 705 | 378 | 1,266 | 808 | 453 | 1,070 | 710 | 360 |
| 45 - 49 | 987 | 584 | 403 | 981 | 606 | 375 | 1,144 | 741 | 403 | 1,020 | 680 | 340 |
| 50 - 54 | 889 | 488 | 401 | 894 | 540 | 354 | 1,131 | 657 | 474 | 1,070 | 580 | 490 |
| 55 - 59 | 672 | 392 | 280 | 664 | 431 | 233 | 795 | 467 | 326 | 600 | 330 | 270 |
| 60 - 64 | 551 | 298 | 253 | 555 | 330 | 225 | 644 | 354 | 290 | 490 | 340 | 150 |
| 65 - 69 | 340 | 174 | 166 | 343 | 187 | 156 | 400 | 225 | 175 | 270 | 150 | 120 |
| 70 & over | 310 | 158 | 152 | 269 | 149 | 120 | 382 | 208 | 174 | 280 | 140 | 140 |
| Not stated | 2,763 | 1,800 | 969 | 2,867 | 1,913 | 954 | 3,058 | 1,981 | 1,077 | 2,820 | 1,950 | 890 |
| All ages | 19,186 | 11,651 | 7,535 | 16,207 | 10,175 | 6,032 | 21,310 | 13,218 | 8,092 | 17,500 | 11,310 | 6,190 |

excluding official long-term emigrants

Table 19 - Excess of arrivals over departures of residents (excluding emigrants) of Island of Mauritius by age and sex, July 1977 - June 1979

| Age (completed years) | July - December 1977 | | | January - June 1978 | | | July - December 1978 | | | January - June 1979 | | |
|--------------------------|----------------------|-------|--------|---------------------|-------|--------|----------------------|-------|--------|---------------------|-------|--------|
| | Both sexes | Male | Female | Both sexes | Male | Female | Both sexes | Male | Female | Both sexes | Male | Female |
| Under 1 | - 4 | - 1 | - 3 | - 3 | - 4 | + 1 | - 29 | - 18 | - 11 | - 20 | - | - 20 |
| 1 - 4 | - 31 | - 21 | - 10 | - 22 | - 16 | - 6 | - 11 | - 12 | + 1 | - 40 | - 30 | - 10 |
| 5 - 9 | - 96 | - 42 | - 54 | - 21 | - 12 | - 9 | - 46 | - 27 | - 19 | + 30 | + 60 | - 30 |
| 10 - 14 | - 240 | - 122 | - 118 | + 101 | + 62 | + 39 | - 215 | - 118 | - 97 | + 190 | + 80 | + 110 |
| 15 - 19 | - 612 | - 345 | - 267 | - 50 | - 26 | - 24 | - 610 | - 372 | - 238 | - 30 | + 20 | - 50 |
| 20 - 24 | - 726 | - 534 | - 192 | - 124 | - 18 | - 106 | - 753 | - 529 | - 224 | - 230 | - 70 | - 160 |
| 25 - 29 | - 78 | - 52 | - 26 | - 93 | - 13 | - 80 | + 12 | + 17 | - 5 | + 140 | + 10 | + 130 |
| 30 - 34 | + 48 | + 5 | + 43 | - 91 | - 17 | - 74 | + 84 | + 71 | + 13 | - 360 | - 390 | + 30 |
| 35 - 39 | + 18 | + 48 | - 30 | - 49 | - 15 | - 34 | + 37 | + 39 | - 2 | - 210 | - 230 | + 20 |
| 40 - 44 | + 10 | + 23 | - 13 | - 37 | - 22 | - 15 | + 23 | + 27 | - 4 | + 230 | + 170 | + 60 |
| 45 - 49 | + 87 | + 72 | + 15 | - 106 | - 51 | - 55 | + 81 | + 67 | + 14 | + 80 | - 30 | + 110 |
| 50 - 54 | + 58 | + 36 | + 22 | - 101 | - 23 | - 78 | + 66 | + 45 | + 21 | - 120 | + 30 | - 150 |
| 55 - 59 | + 34 | + 36 | - 2 | - 107 | - 64 | - 43 | + 49 | + 37 | + 12 | + 60 | + 150 | - 90 |
| 60 - 64 | + 64 | + 14 | + 50 | - 106 | - 54 | - 52 | + 109 | + 74 | + 35 | + 60 | - 30 | + 90 |
| 65 - 69 | + 48 | + 40 | + 8 | - 54 | - 14 | - 40 | + 74 | + 21 | + 53 | - | - 10 | + 10 |
| 70 & over | + 20 | + 25 | - 5 | - 34 | - 27 | - 7 | + 22 | + 25 | - 3 | - | - | - |
| Not stated | + 14 | + 143 | - 129 | + 287 | + 145 | + 142 | - 110 | - 55 | - 55 | - 280 | - 260 | - 20 |
| All ages | - 1,386 | - 675 | - 711 | - 610 | - 169 | - 441 | - 1,217 | - 708 | - 509 | - 500 | - 530 | + 30 |

Table 20 - Excess of arrivals over departures of residents (including emigrants) of Island of Mauritius by age and sex, July 1977 - June 1979

| Age (completed years) | July-December 1977 | | | January-June 1978 | | | July-December 1978 | | | January-June 1979 | | |
|--------------------------|--------------------|-------|--------|-------------------|-------|--------|--------------------|-------|--------|-------------------|-------|--------|
| | Both sexes | Male | Female | Both sexes | Male | Female | Both sexes | Male | Female | Both sexes | Male | Female |
| Under 1 | - 8 | 4 | - 4 | - 4 | - 4 | - | - 29 | - 18 | - 11 | - 23 | - | - 23 |
| 1 - 4 | - 53 | - 38 | - 15 | - 32 | - 22 | - 10 | - 19 | - 16 | - 3 | - 46 | - 32 | - 14 |
| 5 - 9 | - 113 | - 51 | - 62 | - 50 | - 29 | - 21 | - 53 | - 33 | - 20 | + 25 | + 59 | - 34 |
| 10 - 14 | - 258 | - 131 | - 127 | + 79 | + 52 | + 27 | - 233 | - 126 | - 107 | + 180 | + 74 | + 106 |
| 15 - 19 | - 634 | - 352 | - 282 | - 85 | - 37 | - 48 | - 649 | - 382 | - 267 | - 55 | + 16 | - 71 |
| 20 - 24 | - 744 | - 539 | - 205 | - 143 | - 19 | - 124 | - 786 | - 534 | - 252 | - 265 | - 75 | - 190 |
| 25 - 29 | - 89 | - 56 | - 33 | - 105 | - 14 | - 91 | - 16 | + 8 | - 24 | + 131 | + 10 | + 121 |
| 30 - 34 | + 44 | + 3 | + 41 | - 102 | - 20 | - 82 | + 74 | + 66 | + 8 | - 370 | - 392 | + 22 |
| 35 - 39 | + 13 | + 46 | - 33 | - 54 | - 16 | - 38 | + 32 | + 38 | - 6 | - 212 | - 230 | + 18 |
| 40 - 44 | + 5 | + 21 | - 16 | - 39 | - 22 | - 17 | + 20 | + 25 | - 5 | + 229 | + 169 | + 60 |
| 45 - 49 | + 86 | + 72 | + 14 | - 107 | - 51 | - 56 | + 72 | + 63 | + 9 | + 76 | - 32 | + 108 |
| 50 - 54 | + 57 | + 36 | + 21 | - 103 | - 25 | - 78 | + 65 | + 44 | + 21 | - 121 | + 30 | - 151 |
| 55 - 59 | + 34 | + 36 | - 2 | - 109 | - 64 | - 45 | + 48 | + 36 | + 12 | + 60 | + 150 | - 90 |
| 60 - 64 | + 64 | + 14 | + 50 | - 108 | - 55 | - 53 | + 106 | + 73 | + 33 | + 56 | - 32 | + 88 |
| 65 - 69 | + 47 | + 39 | + 8 | - 54 | - 14 | - 40 | + 72 | + 20 | + 52 | - | - 10 | + 10 |
| 70 & over | + 19 | + 25 | - 6 | - 34 | - 27 | - 7 | + 22 | + 25 | - 3 | - 1 | - 1 | - |
| Not stated | + 14 | + 143 | - 129 | + 287 | + 145 | + 142 | - 110 | - 55 | - 55 | - 280 | - 260 | - 20 |
| All ages | -1,516 | - 736 | - 780 | - 763 | - 222 | - 541 | -1,384 | - 766 | - 618 | - 616 | - 556 | - 60 |

Table 21 - Departures of Mauritian residents by air by country of final destination

| Country of final destination | 1977 | 1978 | Jan + June 1979 |
|------------------------------|--------|--------|-----------------|
| Australia | 350 | 379 | 400 |
| France | 1,895 | 2,480 | 1,270 |
| Germany, Fed. Rep. of | 310 | 380 | 200 |
| Hong Kong | 356 | 525 | 360 |
| India | 2,964 | 3,167 | 1,170 |
| Italy | 221 | 240 | 220 |
| Kenya | 359 | 531 | 250 |
| Rodrigues | 2,112 | 3,075 | 1,631 |
| Réunion | 10,656 | 11,478 | 5,870 |
| South Africa, Rep. of | 1,468 | 1,550 | 840 |
| U.K. | 7,093 | 7,560 | 3,060 |
| Other countries | 2,406 | 2,625 | 1,019 |
| All countries | 30,690 | 34,490 | 16,290 |

III - EMIGRATION

Table 22 - Official long-term emigrants^{1/} by sex, 1956 - June 1979

| Year | Both sexes | Male | Female |
|-----------------------------|------------|-------|--------|
| 1956 | 147 | 93 | 54 |
| 1957 | 109 | 68 | 41 |
| 1958 | 163 | 130 | 33 |
| 1959 | 170 | 128 | 42 |
| 1960 | 158 | 132 | 26 |
| 1961 | 837 | 629 | 208 |
| 1962 | 1,083 | 711 | 372 |
| 1963 | 594 | 326 | 268 |
| 1964 | 915 | 491 | 424 |
| 1965 | 1,408 | 659 | 749 |
| 1966 | 1,611 | 774 | 837 |
| 1967 | 2,225 | 1,038 | 1,187 |
| 1968 | 3,067 | 1,487 | 1,580 |
| 1969 | 2,379 | 1,119 | 1,260 |
| 1970 | 2,282 | 1,063 | 1,219 |
| 1971 | 2,351 | 1,078 | 1,273 |
| 1972 | 2,271 | 956 | 1,315 |
| 1973 | 2,037 | 844 | 1,193 |
| 1974 | 1,494 | 606 | 888 |
| 1975 | 874 | 328 | 546 |
| 1976 | 579 | 195 | 384 |
| 1977 | 290 | 120 | 170 |
| 1978 | 320 | 111 | 209 |
| Jan-June 1979 ^{2/} | 116 | 26 | 90 |

^{1/} persons who have obtained a permit to emigrate to another country

^{2/} figures obtained from Passport Office register

Table 23 - External migration, 1956 - 1978

| Year | Arrivals | Departures | | | Excess of arrivals over departures (excluding emigrants) |
|------|----------|------------|--|--------------------------------|--|
| | | Total | Official long-term emigrants ^{1/} | Departures excluding emigrants | |
| 1956 | 7,747 | 8,225 | 147 | 8,078 | - 331 |
| 1957 | 8,095 | 8,267 | 109 | 8,158 | - 63 |
| 1958 | 8,703 | 8,924 | 163 | 8,761 | - 58 |
| 1959 | 9,637 | 9,544 | 170 | 9,374 | + 263 |
| 1960 | 10,412 | 10,784 | 158 | 10,626 | - 214 |
| 1961 | 11,854 | 13,033 | 837 | 12,196 | - 342 |
| 1962 | 15,189 | 16,075 | 1,083 | 14,992 | + 197 |
| 1963 | 18,047 | 18,299 | 594 | 17,705 | + 342 |
| 1964 | 21,221 | 22,331 | 915 | 21,416 | - 195 |
| 1965 | 22,024 | 24,150 | 1,408 | 22,742 | - 718 |
| 1966 | 26,456 | 29,301 | 1,611 | 27,690 | - 1,234 |
| 1967 | 29,321 | 32,925 | 2,225 | 30,700 | - 1,379 |
| 1968 | 31,403 | 35,988 | 3,067 | 32,921 | - 1,518 |
| 1969 | 35,919 | 38,929 | 2,379 | 36,550 | - 631 |
| 1970 | 48,819 | 51,969 | 2,282 | 49,687 | - 868 |
| 1971 | 60,826 | 63,997 | 2,351 | 61,646 | - 820 |
| 1972 | 77,174 | 81,493 | 2,271 | 79,222 | - 2,048 |
| 1973 | 101,184 | 104,697 | 2,037 | 102,660 | - 1,476 |
| 1974 | 109,044 | 113,362 | 1,494 | 111,868 | - 2,824 |
| 1975 | 117,548 | 120,703 | 874 | 119,829 | - 2,281 |
| 1976 | 139,303 | 141,148 | 579 | 140,569 | - 1,266 |
| 1977 | 153,208 | 155,653 | 290 | 155,363 | - 2,155 |
| 1978 | 161,688 | 163,733 | 320 | 163,413 | - 1,725 |

^{1/} persons who have obtained a permit to emigrate to another country

Note : The number of immigrants coming to settle in Mauritius is negligible. A net negative balance over successive years in the last column indicates that a number of persons not registered as official emigrants are permanently leaving the country

Table 24 - Official long-term emigrants^{1/} by country of intended residence, 1966 - June 1979

| Country of intended residence | 1966 | 1967 | 1968 | 1969 | 1970 | 1971 | 1972 | 1973 | 1974 | 1975 | 1976 | 1977 | 1978 | Jan-June 1979 ^{2/} |
|-------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------|------|-----------------------------|
| All countries | 1,611 | 2,225 | 3,067 | 2,379 | 2,282 | 2,351 | 2,271 | 2,037 | 1,494 | 874 | 579 | 290 | 320 | 116 |
| <u>AFRICA</u> | 164 | 246 | 276 | 84 | 158 | 220 | 185 | 106 | 99 | 17 | 18 | 11 | 32 | 2 |
| Congo Brazzaville | 1 | 1 | - | 1 | 20 | 54 | - | 3 | 9 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Kenya | 1 | 1 | 20 | 3 | 11 | 9 | 5 | 12 | 7 | - | 2 | - | 2 | - |
| Malagasy Rep. | - | 3 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 6 | 4 | 7 | - | - | 1 | - | - | - |
| Malawi | 13 | 8 | 23 | 1 | 12 | 15 | 30 | 23 | 29 | 2 | 9 | 5 | 2 | - |
| Mozambique | - | 4 | - | 14 | 42 | 20 | 20 | 11 | 8 | 7 | - | - | - | - |
| Réunion | 2 | 6 | 9 | 2 | 1 | 6 | - | 8 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 6 | 21 | - |
| Rhodesia | 54 | 16 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 3 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| South Africa, Rep. | 81 | 176 | 171 | 50 | 22 | 37 | 5 | 9 | 8 | 3 | - | - | 1 | - |
| Zambia | 7 | 30 | 38 | 10 | 30 | 56 | 113 | 23 | 21 | 2 | 5 | - | - | - |
| Other African | 5 | 1 | 9 | - | 14 | 14 | 8 | 10 | 16 | 1 | - | - | 6 | 2 |
| <u>AMERICA</u> | 12 | 34 | 24 | 29 | 86 | 51 | 40 | 29 | 37 | 87 | 33 | 31 | 5 | 9 |
| Canada | 10 | 32 | 18 | 25 | 82 | 47 | 37 | 26 | 37 | 87 | 33 | 31 | 1 | 9 |
| U.S.A. | 2 | 2 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 2 | - | - | - | - | 4 | - |
| Other American | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - |

Table 24 (cont'd)

| Country of intended residence | 1966 | 1967 | 1968 | 1969 | 1970 | 1971 | 1972 | 1973 | 1974 | 1975 | 1976 | 1977 | 1978 | Jan-June 1979 ^{2/} |
|-------------------------------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------|------|-----------------------------|
| <u>ASIA</u> | - | 1 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 18 | 2 | 2 | 3 | - | - | 1 | - |
| India | - | 1 | - | 3 | 1 | - | 1 | 2 | - | 2 | - | - | 1 | - |
| Other Asian | - | - | 1 | - | 3 | 3 | 17 | - | 2 | 1 | - | - | - | - |
| <u>EUROPE</u> | 804 | 613 | 728 | 615 | 939 | 1,058 | 1,145 | 1,353 | 1,042 | 682 | 477 | 223 | 252 | 90 |
| Belgium | 94 | 35 | 22 | 7 | 22 | 44 | 32 | 38 | 54 | 30 | 17 | 1 | 2 | 7 |
| France | 41 | 53 | 58 | 93 | 435 | 566 | 554 | 684 | 546 | 237 | 137 | 88 | 105 | 39 |
| Germany, Fed. Rep. | - | - | - | 2 | 5 | 8 | 31 | 43 | 7 | 4 | 1 | 6 | 12 | - |
| Italy | - | 1 | - | 1 | 4 | 19 | 48 | 29 | 19 | 17 | 17 | 6 | 5 | 12 |
| Norway | - | - | - | - | 1 | 3 | 2 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 2 | - | 4 | - |
| Switzerland | - | 3 | 1 | - | 6 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 4 | 7 | 2 |
| United Kingdom | 667 | 519 | 646 | 510 | 463 | 415 | 460 | 543 | 402 | 385 | 302 | 113 | 113 | 29 |
| Other European | 2 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 15 | 6 | 9 | 4 | - | 5 | 4 | 1 |
| <u>OCEANIA</u> | 631 | 1,331 | 2,038 | 1,648 | 1,095 | 1,019 | 883 | 547 | 314 | 85 | 51 | 25 | 30 | 15 |
| Australia | 619 | 1,330 | 2,037 | 1,645 | 1,082 | 1,004 | 877 | 545 | 301 | 84 | 50 | 25 | 30 | 15 |
| New Zealand | 8 | - | 1 | 1 | - | - | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Other Oceanian | 4 | 1 | - | 2 | 13 | 15 | 5 | 1 | 13 | 1 | 1 | - | - | - |

^{1/} persons who have obtained a permit to emigrate to another country

^{2/} figures obtained from Passport Office register

Table 25 - Age distribution of official long-term emigrants, 1966 - June 1979

Male

| Age group (completed years) | 1966 | 1967 | 1968 | 1969 | 1970 | 1971 | 1972 | 1973 | 1974 | 1975 | 1976 | 1977 | 1978 | Jan-June 1979 |
|--------------------------------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------------------|
| 0 - 4 | 86 | 127 | 226 | 136 | 95 | 83 | 94 | 65 | 68 | 36 | 22 | 24 | 10 | 2 |
| 5 - 9 | 94 | 133 | 197 | 153 | 106 | 94 | 118 | 101 | 77 | 43 | 28 | 26 | 23 | 1 |
| 10 - 14 | 85 | 135 | 149 | 146 | 95 | 96 | 115 | 105 | 77 | 59 | 36 | 23 | 18 | 6 |
| 15 - 19 | 70 | 122 | 147 | 140 | 113 | 106 | 108 | 100 | 57 | 46 | 29 | 12 | 21 | 4 |
| 20 - 24 | 123 | 132 | 155 | 114 | 153 | 171 | 149 | 112 | 101 | 66 | 28 | 10 | 6 | 5 |
| 25 - 29 | 87 | 94 | 141 | 86 | 141 | 128 | 85 | 107 | 82 | 35 | 21 | 10 | 10 | - |
| 30 - 34 | 76 | 65 | 146 | 75 | 120 | 108 | 68 | 59 | 39 | 17 | 7 | 3 | 8 | 2 |
| 35 - 39 | 49 | 60 | 93 | 52 | 68 | 89 | 59 | 45 | 38 | 3 | 5 | 5 | 2 | - |
| 40 - 44 | 43 | 63 | 82 | 62 | 63 | 69 | 51 | 53 | 23 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 2 | 1 |
| 45 - 49 | 12 | 35 | 48 | 44 | 32 | 48 | 46 | 33 | 13 | 5 | 4 | 1 | 4 | 2 |
| 50 - 54 | 23 | 25 | 34 | 39 | 33 | 23 | 29 | 19 | 8 | 3 | 6 | - | 3 | - |
| 55 - 59 | 7 | 17 | 27 | 40 | 15 | 18 | 11 | 18 | 8 | - | 2 | - | 1 | - |
| 60 - 64 | 9 | 20 | 24 | 13 | 13 | 19 | 12 | 15 | 9 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 |
| 65 - 69 | 5 | 9 | 10 | 10 | 9 | 16 | 7 | 3 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | - |
| 70 & over | 4 | 3 | 8 | 9 | 11 | 9 | 4 | 6 | 4 | 1 | - | - | - | 1 |
| Unknown | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | - | 3 | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | - |
| All ages | 774 | 1,038 | 1,487 | 1,119 | 1,063 | 1,078 | 956 | 844 | 606 | 328 | 195 | 120 | 111 | 26 |

Table 25 - (cont'd)

Female

| Age (completed years) | 1966 | 1967 | 1968 | 1969 | 1970 | 1971 | 1972 | 1973 | 1974 | 1975 | 1976 | 1977 | 1978 | Jan-June 1979 |
|--------------------------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------|------|------|------------------|
| 0 - 4 | 90 | 138 | 215 | 121 | 99 | 90 | 89 | 48 | 50 | 46 | 24 | 11 | 9 | 7 |
| 5 - 9 | 94 | 147 | 202 | 143 | 98 | 89 | 110 | 111 | 79 | 44 | 29 | 14 | 13 | 4 |
| 10 - 14 | 81 | 123 | 168 | 151 | 94 | 89 | 140 | 104 | 70 | 42 | 38 | 19 | 22 | 4 |
| 15 - 19 | 110 | 154 | 172 | 174 | 181 | 184 | 157 | 181 | 153 | 105 | 74 | 42 | 53 | 21 |
| 20 - 24 | 142 | 171 | 184 | 150 | 237 | 241 | 267 | 263 | 212 | 142 | 102 | 41 | 46 | 30 |
| 25 - 29 | 89 | 106 | 149 | 101 | 132 | 145 | 148 | 130 | 102 | 54 | 51 | 21 | 30 | 9 |
| 30 - 34 | 64 | 74 | 133 | 87 | 81 | 106 | 100 | 84 | 72 | 33 | 22 | 6 | 13 | 8 |
| 35 - 39 | 50 | 74 | 85 | 78 | 64 | 84 | 75 | 72 | 47 | 18 | 9 | 4 | 8 | 2 |
| 40 - 44 | 29 | 58 | 74 | 58 | 61 | 58 | 65 | 63 | 24 | 12 | 6 | 5 | 3 | - |
| 45 - 49 | 23 | 44 | 54 | 49 | 50 | 60 | 47 | 51 | 27 | 8 | 8 | 1 | 6 | 2 |
| 50 - 54 | 19 | 32 | 46 | 53 | 25 | 31 | 32 | 21 | 26 | 10 | 5 | 3 | - | 1 |
| 55 - 59 | 18 | 30 | 32 | 37 | 37 | 44 | 33 | 17 | 10 | 11 | - | - | 2 | - |
| 60 - 64 | 11 | 11 | 27 | 21 | 25 | 21 | 22 | 17 | 7 | 6 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 2 |
| 65 - 69 | 9 | 11 | 19 | 12 | 17 | 10 | 16 | 10 | 4 | 6 | 7 | 1 | 1 | - |
| 70 & over | 7 | 14 | 20 | 25 | 18 | 18 | 14 | 16 | 4 | 7 | 5 | 1 | - | - |
| Unknown | 1 | - | - | - | - | 3 | - | 5 | 1 | 2 | - | - | - | - |
| All ages | 837 | 1,187 | 1,580 | 1,260 | 1,219 | 1,273 | 1,315 | 1,193 | 888 | 546 | 384 | 170 | 209 | 90 |

Table 25 (cont'd)

Both sexes

| Age group (completed years) | 1966 | 1967 | 1968 | 1969 | 1970 | 1971 | 1972 | 1973 | 1974 | 1975 | 1976 | 1977 | 1978 | Jan-June 1979 ¹ |
|--------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------|------|-------------------------------|
| 0 - 4 | 176 | 265 | 441 | 257 | 192 | 173 | 183 | 113 | 118 | 82 | 46 | 35 | 19 | 9 |
| 5 - 9 | 188 | 280 | 399 | 296 | 204 | 183 | 228 | 212 | 156 | 87 | 57 | 40 | 36 | 5 |
| 10 - 14 | 167 | 258 | 317 | 297 | 187 | 185 | 255 | 209 | 147 | 101 | 74 | 42 | 40 | 10 |
| 15 - 19 | 180 | 276 | 319 | 314 | 294 | 290 | 265 | 281 | 210 | 151 | 103 | 54 | 74 | 25 |
| 20 - 24 | 265 | 303 | 339 | 264 | 390 | 412 | 416 | 375 | 313 | 208 | 130 | 51 | 52 | 35 |
| 25 - 29 | 176 | 200 | 290 | 187 | 273 | 273 | 233 | 237 | 184 | 89 | 72 | 31 | 40 | 9 |
| 30 - 34 | 140 | 137 | 279 | 162 | 201 | 214 | 168 | 143 | 111 | 50 | 29 | 9 | 21 | 10 |
| 35 - 39 | 99 | 134 | 178 | 130 | 132 | 173 | 134 | 117 | 85 | 21 | 14 | 9 | 10 | 2 |
| 40 - 44 | 72 | 121 | 156 | 120 | 124 | 127 | 116 | 116 | 47 | 18 | 11 | 9 | 5 | 1 |
| 45 - 49 | 35 | 79 | 102 | 93 | 82 | 108 | 93 | 84 | 40 | 13 | 12 | 2 | 10 | 4 |
| 50 - 54 | 42 | 57 | 80 | 92 | 58 | 54 | 61 | 40 | 34 | 13 | 11 | 3 | 3 | 1 |
| 55 - 59 | 25 | 47 | 59 | 77 | 52 | 62 | 44 | 35 | 18 | 11 | 2 | - | 3 | - |
| 60 - 64 | 20 | 31 | 51 | 34 | 38 | 40 | 34 | 32 | 16 | 9 | 5 | 2 | 5 | 4 |
| 65 - 69 | 14 | 20 | 29 | 22 | 26 | 26 | 23 | 13 | 5 | 10 | 8 | 2 | 2 | - |
| 70 & over | 11 | 17 | 28 | 34 | 29 | 27 | 18 | 22 | 8 | 8 | 5 | 1 | - | 1 |
| Unknown | 1 | - | - | - | - | 4 | - | 8 | 2 | 3 | - | - | - | - |
| All ages | 1,611 | 2,225 | 3,067 | 2,379 | 2,282 | 2,351 | 2,271 | 2,037 | 1,494 | 874 | 579 | 290 | 320 | 116 |

¹/ persons who have obtained a permit to emigrate to another country

²/ figures obtained from Passport Office register

Table 26 - Official long-term emigrants^{1/} by Major Occupational Group, 1974 - June 1979

| Major Occupational Group ^{2/} | 1974 | 1975 | 1976 | 1977 | 1978 | Jan-June 1979 ^{3/} |
|--|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-----------------------------|
| Total number of emigrants | 1,494 | 874 | 579 | 290 | 320 | 116 |
| <u>Emigrants reporting an occupation</u> | <u>518</u> | <u>253</u> | <u>136</u> | <u>41</u> | <u>45</u> | <u>27</u> |
| 0/1. Professional, Technical and Related Workers | 97 | 62 | 20 | 10 | 8 | 2 |
| 2. Administrative and Managerial Workers | 14 | 8 | 6 | 2 | - | - |
| 3. Clerical and Related Workers | 52 | 42 | 30 | 7 | 6 | 2 |
| 4. Sales Workers | 11 | 7 | 5 | 7 | 1 | - |
| 5. Service Workers | 151 | 83 | 28 | 3 | 8 | 10 |
| 6. Agricultural, Animal Husbandry and Forestry Workers, Fishermen and Hunters | 2 | 1 | 1 | - | - | - |
| 7/8/9. Production and Related Workers, Transport Equipment Operators and Labourers | 182 | 48 | 42 | 11 | 19 | 13 |
| X. Workers not classifiable by Occupation | 9 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 3 | - |
| <u>Emigrants not reporting any occupation (including housewives and children)</u> | <u>976</u> | <u>621</u> | <u>443</u> | <u>249</u> | <u>275</u> | <u>89</u> |

^{1/} persons who have obtained a permit to emigrate to another country

^{2/} International Standard Classification of Occupations, Revised Edition, 1968

^{3/} figures obtained from Passport Office register

Table 27 - Official long-term emigrants ^{1/} by Major Occupational Group ^{2/}, age and sex, January - June 1979 ^{3/}

| Major Occupational Group ^{2/} | Age (completed years) | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|-----------------------|------|--------|------|---------|------|---------|------|---------|------|---------|------|--------|---|
| | All ages | | 20 | | 20 - 24 | | 25 - 34 | | 35 - 44 | | 45 - 54 | | 55 + | |
| | Both sexes | Male | Female | Male | Female | Male | Female | Male | Female | Male | Female | Male | Female | |
| Total number of emigrants | 116 | 26 | 90 | 13 | 35 | 5 | 31 | 2 | 18 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 2 |
| <u>Emigrants reporting an occupation</u> | 27 | 8 | 19 | - | 1 | 4 | 9 | 2 | 7 | - | - | 1 | 2 | - |
| 0/1 Professional, Technical and Related Workers | 2 | 2 | - | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 2 Administrative and Managerial Workers | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 3 Clerical and Related Workers | 2 | - | 2 | - | - | - | 1 | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - |
| 4 Sales Workers | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 5 Service Workers | 10 | 2 | 8 | - | 1 | 2 | 3 | - | 3 | - | - | - | 1 | - |
| 6 Agriculture, Animal Husbandry and Forestry Workers, Fishermen and Hunters | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 7/8/9 Production and Related Workers, Transport Equipment Operators and Labourers | 13 | 4 | 9 | - | - | 1 | 5 | 2 | 3 | - | - | 1 | 1 | - |
| X Workers not classifiable by Occupation | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| <u>Emigrants not reporting any occupation (including housewives and children)</u> | 89 | 18 | 71 | 13 | 34 | 1 | 22 | - | 11 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 |

^{1/} persons who have obtained a permit to emigrate to another country

^{2/} International Standard Classification of Occupations, Revised Edition, 1968

^{3/} figures obtained from Passport Office register.

Table 28 - Official long-term emigrants^{1/} by occupation, 1977 - June 1979

| Occupation | 1977 | 1978 | Jan-June 1979 ^{2/} |
|---|------------|------------|-----------------------------|
| Accountants | - | - | - |
| Cabinet makers | 1 | - | 1 |
| Carpenters | 1 | 1 | - |
| Clerks | 5 | 2 | 1 |
| Cooks | - | 2 | - |
| Doctors | 1 | - | - |
| Drivers | - | 1 | - |
| Electricians (see also fitters) | 2 | - | - |
| Fitters (see also electricians) | - | - | 1 |
| Maids (domestic servants) | 2 | 5 | 7 |
| Managers | - | - | - |
| Masons | - | 1 | - |
| Mechanics | 1 | - | - |
| Nurses | 2 | 4 | - |
| Policemen | - | 1 | - |
| Salesmen | 3 | - | - |
| Seamstresses and tailors | 3 | 11 | 9 |
| Stenographers and typists | 1 | 3 | 1 |
| Storekeepers | - | - | - |
| Teachers | 4 | 3 | 1 |
| Waiters | - | - | 2 |
| Welders | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Other | 13 | 10 | 3 |
| Occupation not stated or not applicable ^{2/} | 249 | 275 | 89 |
| Total number of emigrants | 290 | 320 | 116 |

^{1/} persons who have obtained a permit to emigrate to another country

^{2/} emigrants not reporting any occupation (including housewives and children)

^{3/} figures obtained from Passport Office register

Table 29 - Official long-term emigrant ^{1/} by district of last residence and sex, July 1977 - June 1979

| Geographical district | July - December 1977 | | | January - June 1978 | | | July - December 1978 | | | January - June 1979 ^{2/} | | |
|-------------------------|----------------------|------|--------|---------------------|------|--------|----------------------|------|--------|-----------------------------------|------|--------|
| | Both sexes | Male | Female | Both sexes | Male | Female | Both sexes | Male | Female | Both sexes | Male | Female |
| Port Louis | 34 | 17 | 17 | 13 | 6 | 12 | 57 | 24 | 33 | 22 | 3 | 19 |
| Pamplemousses | 5 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 2 | - | 2 | 8 | - | 8 |
| Rivière du Rempart | 1 | - | 1 | 1 | 1 | - | 3 | - | 3 | 11 | 5 | 6 |
| Flacq | - | - | - | 1 | - | 1 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 7 | 1 | 6 |
| Grand Port | 7 | 4 | 3 | 9 | 4 | 5 | 12 | 1 | 11 | 10 | 1 | 9 |
| Savanne | 7 | 4 | 3 | - | - | - | 1 | 1 | - | 3 | - | 3 |
| Plaines Wilhems : Urban | 57 | 30 | 27 | 64 | 24 | 40 | 70 | 25 | 45 | 51 | 16 | 35 |
| Other | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 | - | 1 | 1 | - | 1 | 3 | - | 3 |
| Moka | 1 | - | 1 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 1 | - | 1 |
| Black River | - | - | - | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 | - | 1 | - | - | - |
| Not stated | 15 | 2 | 13 | 49 | 14 | 35 | 14 | 4 | 10 | - | - | - |
| Whole island | 130 | 61 | 69 | 153 | 53 | 100 | 167 | 58 | 109 | 116 | 26 | 90 |

^{1/} persons who have obtained a permit to emigrate to another country.

^{2/} figures obtained from Passport Office register.

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IV - TOURISM

Definition and notes

1. Definition of tourist:

- (a) Prior to 1964, a tourist has been defined as a non-resident staying in Mauritius for more than 24 hours but less than 6 months;
- (b) As from 1964, a tourist is defined as a non-resident staying in the island for more than 24 hours but less than a year.

The figures for the two periods are nevertheless comparable because of the small number of tourists staying for more than 6 months.

2. Visitors include the following:

- (i) tourists as defined above; and
- (ii) non-residents who stay in the country for less than a day, other than those who do not leave the airport.

3. Method of compilation:

Certain data on tourism (such as type of visitor, tourist arrivals by month of arrival, tourist arrivals by country of residence and mode of transport) are compiled from disembarkation cards which visitors fill in when they arrive in this country. However, information on duration of stay of visitors can be compiled only from the embarkation cards which they fill in when they leave the country.

As from January 1979, figures are based on a 10% sample. Data on 'visitor arrivals' are compiled both from embarkation and disembarkation cards. Since the compilation has been done on a sample basis the figures of 'visitor arrivals' obtained when working with records of arrivals do not tally with those obtained when working with records of departures. The figures in the latter case have been pro-rated to the totals obtained when working with records of arrivals.

4. Tourist nights:

Tables 30, 35 and 36 show the number of nights spent by tourists who were on visit in the country during the period under review. The figures therefore include nights spent during the reference period by tourists who arrived before the beginning of the period. On the other hand, nights spent after the end of the reference period by tourists who arrived during the period are excluded.

5. Visitor nights:

In tables 38 - 41 an analysis is made of nights spent by visitors who arrive during the period under review and who have left by a given date after the end of the period. Figures for January - June 1979 thus show the total number of nights spent by visitors who arrived in January - June 1979 and left before 1.11.79.

6. Mauritians settled abroad are excluded from figures of tourists and visitors. Data referring to them are shown separately in tables 42 - 44. Table 42 shows the total nights spent by Mauritians settled abroad who arrive during the period under review and who have left by a given date after the end of the period. Thus the figures for January - June 1979 include nights spent in July - October 1979 by Mauritians settled abroad who arrived in January - June 1979. Table 44 shows the nights spent during the period under review only. Thus the figures for January - June 1979 include nights spent in January - June 1979 by Mauritians settled abroad who arrived in 1978, but exclude nights spent in July - October 1979 by those who arrived in January - June 1979.

Table 30 - Tourist^{1/} arrivals by mode of transport and total nights spent during period, 1963 - June 1979

| Period | Tourist arriving during period | | | Total nights spent during period ^{2/} |
|---------------|--------------------------------|---------|---------|--|
| | Sea | Air | Total | |
| 1963 | 1,003 | 6,719 | 7,727 | 99,400 |
| 1964 | 1,010 | 9,023 | 10,033 | 144,600 |
| 1965 | 746 | 9,312 | 10,058 | 144,900 |
| 1966 | 1,320 | 11,712 | 13,040 | 162,300 |
| 1967 | 937 | 13,877 | 14,814 | 172,000 |
| 1968 | 647 | 14,906 | 15,553 | 149,500 |
| 1969 | 455 | 20,132 | 20,587 | 220,600 |
| 1970 | 365 | 27,285 | 27,650 | 237,600 |
| 1971 | 153 | 36,230 | 36,383 | 399,700 |
| 1972 | 143 | 43,654 | 43,797 | 454,300 |
| 1973 | 1,293 ^{3/} | 66,701 | 67,994 | 733,100 |
| 1974 | 472 | 72,443 | 72,915 | 772,200 |
| 1975 | 554 | 74,043 | 74,597 | 746,900 |
| 1976 | 778 | 91,783 | 92,561 | 892,200 |
| 1977 | 1,035 | 101,475 | 102,510 | 994,800 |
| 1978 | 696 | 107,626 | 108,322 | 1,051,600 |
| Jan-June 1979 | 250 | 60,080 | 60,330 | 604,700 |

^{1/} see notes on page 34

^{2/} include nights spent during reference period by tourists arriving prior to the period

^{3/} includes about 700 persons who came for a religious conference

Table 31 - Tourist arrivals by month of arrival, 1969 - June 1979

| Month of arrival | 1969 | 1970 | 1971 | 1972 | 1973 | 1974 | 1975 | 1976 | 1977 | 1978 | Jan-June 1979 |
|------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------|---------|---------------|
| January | 1,892 | 2,718 | 3,669 | 4,701 | 6,874 | 8,495 | 8,401 | 10,055 | 11,507 | 10,808 | 12,640 |
| February | 1,556 | 2,013 | 2,494 | 3,335 | 4,863 | 5,954 | 4,017 | 7,035 | 8,435 | 8,452 | 9,930 |
| March | 1,370 | 1,876 | 2,191 | 3,046 | 4,152 | 5,272 | 4,383 | 6,149 | 6,974 | 7,715 | 9,410 |
| April | 1,449 | 1,493 | 2,419 | 2,875 | 5,091 | 5,299 | 4,477 | 6,753 | 8,045 | 7,830 | 10,000 |
| May | 1,208 | 2,281 | 2,905 | 3,261 | 5,060 | 5,203 | 5,235 | 7,385 | 7,974 | 7,337 | 10,300 |
| June | 985 | 1,722 | 1,890 | 2,639 | 4,501 | 4,661 | 3,740 | 4,849 | 5,432 | 5,244 | 7,100 |
| July | 2,334 | 1,981 | 2,918 | 3,986 | 4,726 | 5,379 | 5,739 | 7,551 | 8,832 | 8,599 | |
| August | 2,761 | 3,909 | 5,297 | 7,038 | 9,595 | 9,026 | 10,844 | 11,851 | 11,927 | 13,477 | |
| September | 1,816 | 2,232 | 2,845 | 3,911 | 5,105 | 5,183 | 5,706 | 6,004 | 6,463 | 7,616 | |
| October | 1,222 | 1,889 | 2,522 | 3,334 | 4,893 | 5,202 | 5,586 | 7,757 | 7,982 | 9,130 | |
| November | 1,564 | 2,049 | 2,615 | 3,873 | 4,398 | 5,650 | 6,634 | 7,157 | 7,859 | 9,719 | |
| December | 2,430 | 3,487 | 4,633 | 6,798 | 8,736 | 7,591 | 9,835 | 10,015 | 10,882 | 12,389 | |
| Whole year | 20,587 | 27,650 | 36,398 | 48,797 | 67,994 | 72,915 | 74,597 | 92,561 | 102,510 | 108,322 | |

Graph 3 - Tourist arrivals by month of arrival, January 1972-June 1979

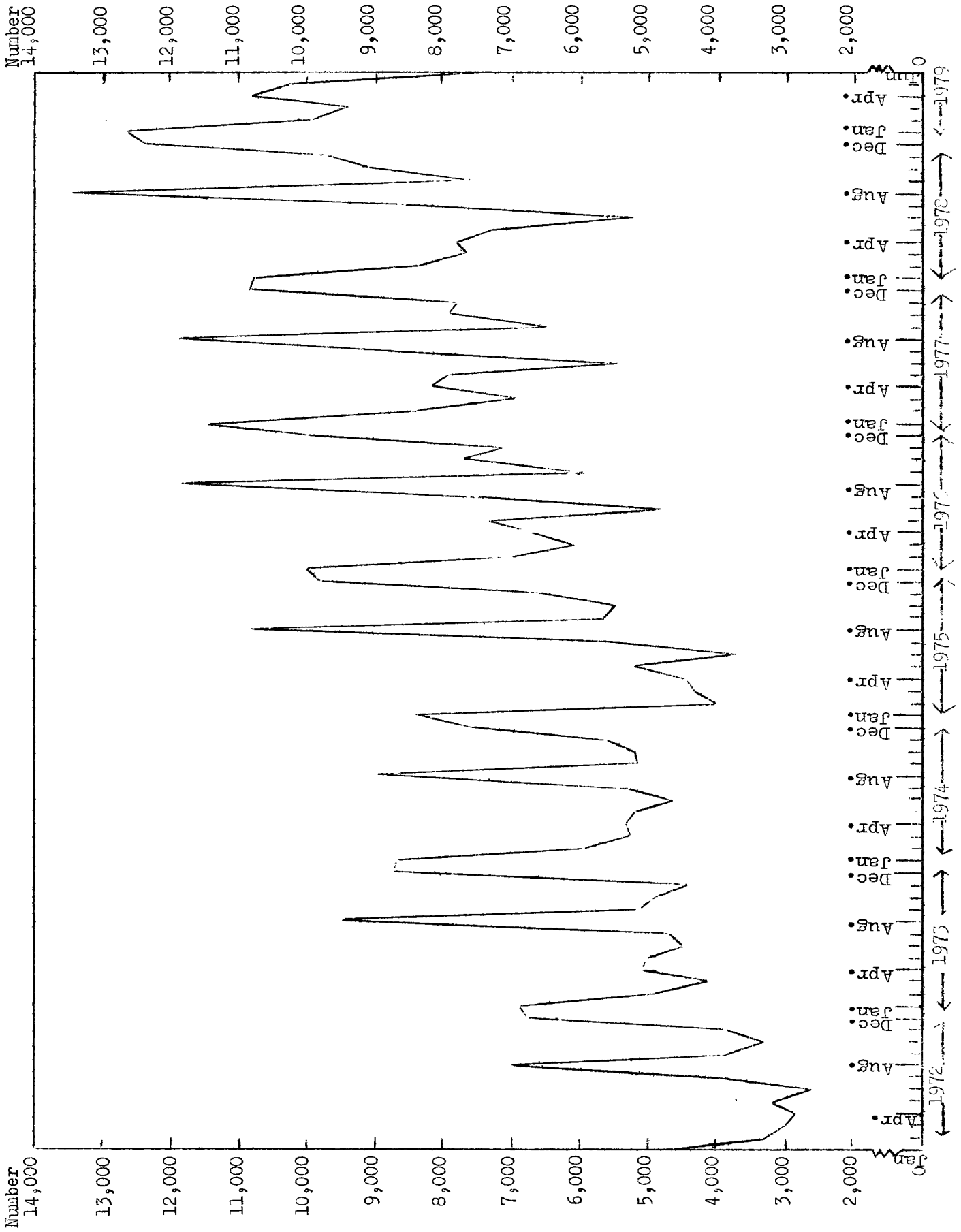


Table 33 - Tourist arrivals by country of residence, 1969 - June 1979

| Country of residence | 1969 | 1970 | 1971 | 1972 | 1973 | 1974 | 1975 | 1976 | 1977 | 1978 | Jan-June 1979 |
|-----------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------|---------|---------------|
| Australia | 1,162 | 1,571 | 1,700 | 2,171 | 3,060 | 3,351 | 3,417 | 3,559 | 2,812 | 2,730 | 2,040 |
| France | 767 | 1,437 | 2,540 | 3,771 | 7,281 | 7,874 | 8,929 | 13,885 | 17,628 | 21,240 | 11,670 |
| Germany, Fed. Rep. | 124 | 481 | 824 | 1,406 | 1,996 | 1,951 | 1,533 | 1,532 | 2,535 | 2,811 | 1,930 |
| Hong Kong | 70 | 51 | 115 | 226 | 230 | 154 | 215 | 173 | 188 | 141 | 50 |
| India | 272 | 479 | 554 | 879 | 2,235 | 1,308 | 1,944 | 2,676 | 2,704 | 2,913 | 1,650 |
| Italy | 146 | 190 | 428 | 775 | 2,136 | 1,937 | 1,712 | 2,115 | 3,302 | 3,498 | 1,580 |
| Kenya | 574 | 681 | 634 | 684 | 824 | 898 | 707 | 1,057 | 909 | 826 | 480 |
| Malagasy Republic | 2,050 | 1,985 | 2,287 | 2,747 | 3,563 | 2,679 | 1,976 | 3,035 | 5,273 | 4,891 | 2,720 |
| Malawi | 27 | 67 | 66 | 135 | 166 | 243 | 267 | 399 | 431 | 343 | 230 |
| Réunion | 8,905 | 11,405 | 15,161 | 19,230 | 22,542 | 23,232 | 24,853 | 30,032 | 29,926 | 29,717 | 15,410 |
| Rhodesia | 22 | 88 | 191 | 435 | 380 | 591 | 1,232 | 920 | 440 | 683 | 630 |
| Seychelles | 21 | 45 | 63 | 256 | 563 | 431 | 405 | 428 | 505 | 545 | 290 |
| South Africa, Rep. of | 2,680 | 3,637 | 4,939 | 7,088 | 9,985 | 14,193 | 14,740 | 17,823 | 18,205 | 18,956 | 11,460 |
| Switzerland | 77 | 110 | 159 | 303 | 537 | 840 | 876 | 1,014 | 1,189 | 1,449 | 860 |
| Tanzania | 194 | 186 | 216 | 200 | 308 | 282 | 125 | 254 | 439 | 459 | 300 |
| United Kingdom | 1,524 | 1,740 | 2,252 | 2,848 | 3,822 | 3,452 | 3,598 | 4,852 | 6,024 | 7,133 | 3,640 |
| Zambia | 332 | 1,314 | 1,224 | 1,825 | 2,375 | 3,332 | 2,406 | 1,884 | 2,865 | 2,549 | 1,210 |
| Other countries | 1,640 | 2,183 | 3,045 | 3,818 | 5,991 | 6,167 | 5,662 | 6,923 | 7,135 | 7,433 | 4,180 |
| All countries | 20,587 | 27,650 | 36,398 | 48,797 | 67,994 | 72,915 | 74,597 | 92,561 | 102,510 | 108,322 | 60,330 |

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Graph 4 - Percentage distribution of tourist arrivals by country of residence,
January - June 1979

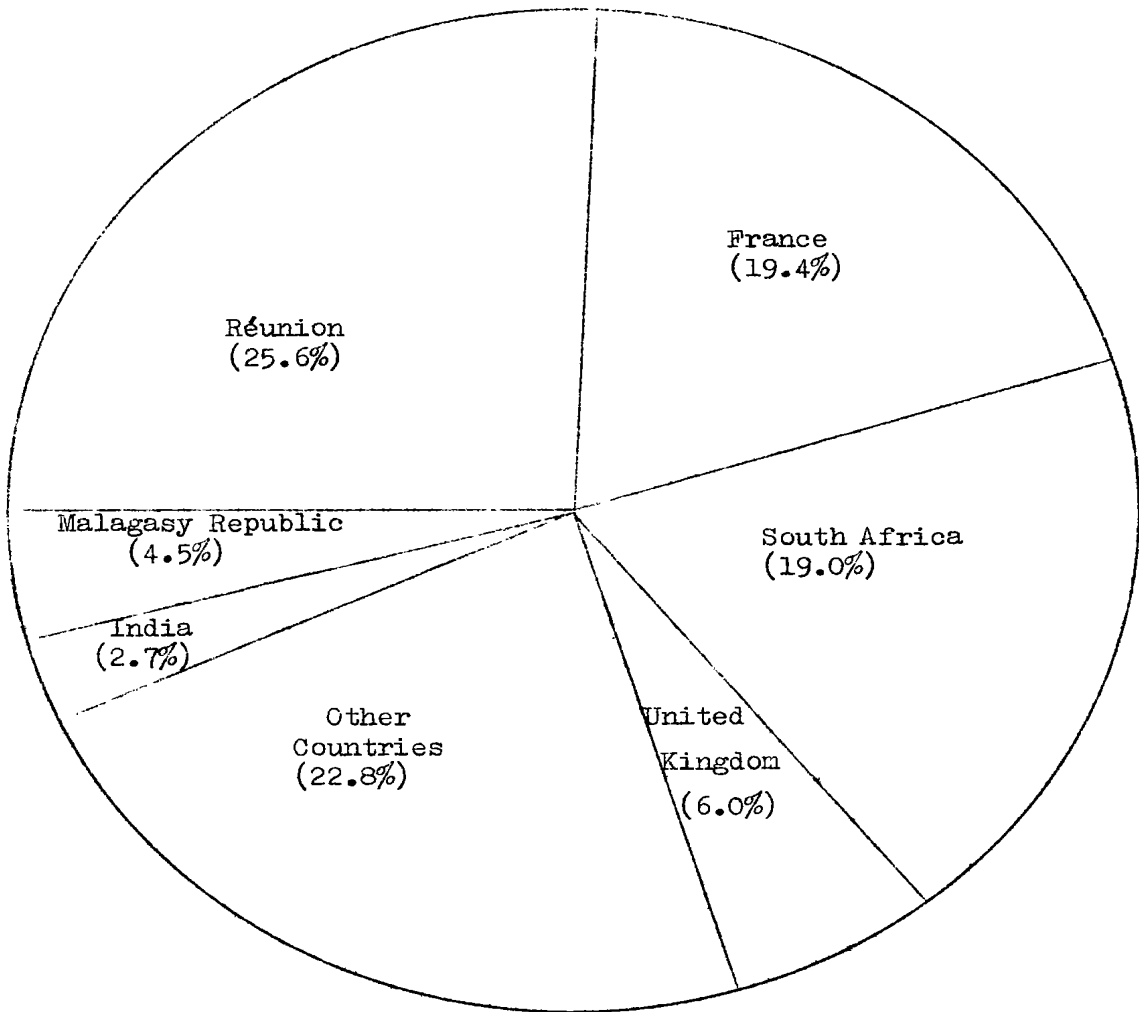


Table 35 - Tourist^{1/} nights by country of residence of tourist, 1969 - June 1979

| Country of residence | 1969 | 1970 | 1971 | 1972 | 1973 | 1974 | 1975 | 1976 | 1977 | 1978 | Jan-June 1979 |
|-----------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|-----------|---------------|
| Australia | 7,377 | 7,520 | 11,431 | 9,757 | 21,032 | 26,011 | 26,000 | 26,437 | 23,193 | 25,947 | 15,370 |
| France | 6,531 | 15,335 | 26,373 | 39,043 | 94,403 | 100,673 | 99,347 | 151,971 | 133,961 | 219,947 | 112,430 |
| Germany, Fed. Rep. | 1,200 | 4,374 | 10,532 | 14,306 | 25,016 | 27,796 | 23,063 | 21,123 | 32,015 | 40,450 | 31,930 |
| India | 5,482 | 7,492 | 3,793 | 3,032 | 16,599 | 15,237 | 17,235 | 22,501 | 22,769 | 26,377 | 16,270 |
| Italy | 1,049 | 1,216 | 3,716 | 5,567 | 19,563 | 20,376 | 15,703 | 21,217 | 33,424 | 29,398 | 23,480 |
| Kenya | 4,555 | 5,130 | 5,197 | 4,493 | 6,471 | 6,371 | 5,532 | 7,492 | 7,474 | 5,746 | 3,360 |
| Malagasy Rep. | 24,236 | 19,553 | 27,613 | 25,376 | 39,927 | 26,965 | 17,735 | 29,031 | 42,440 | 33,597 | 22,400 |
| Malawi | 235 | 505 | 360 | 1,074 | 1,710 | 2,910 | 2,407 | 3,420 | 3,715 | 2,361 | 1,230 |
| Reunion | 105,013 | 130,052 | 172,147 | 193,333 | 236,462 | 227,129 | 220,203 | 244,391 | 243,402 | 237,919 | 126,310 |
| Rhodesia | 141 | 340 | 2,064 | 4,952 | 5,103 | 7,174 | 14,133 | 10,513 | 5,527 | 10,913 | 4,870 |
| Seychelles | 353 | 1,700 | 1,505 | 2,213 | 6,095 | 4,239 | 4,060 | 4,367 | 6,254 | 6,513 | 2,230 |
| South Africa, Rep. of | 23,792 | 33,630 | 50,066 | 52,333 | 37,575 | 138,173 | 145,596 | 172,365 | 169,522 | 179,566 | 105,370 |
| Switzerland | 694 | 1,013 | 1,716 | 2,693 | 5,295 | 10,770 | 10,522 | 13,653 | 17,164 | 17,625 | 9,430 |
| Tanzania | 1,054 | 1,360 | 2,543 | 1,673 | 2,761 | 2,563 | 1,512 | 2,392 | 3,532 | 4,035 | 2,770 |
| United Kingdom | 19,609 | 23,577 | 31,131 | 36,125 | 71,275 | 56,923 | 61,943 | 71,336 | 36,055 | 107,921 | 62,360 |
| Zambia | 3,130 | 14,052 | 13,175 | 13,972 | 22,567 | 34,943 | 22,394 | 17,005 | 23,779 | 23,457 | 10,590 |
| Other countries | 15,261 | 19,137 | 30,425 | 29,214 | 70,936 | 63,367 | 53,353 | 71,402 | 36,635 | 73,733 | 54,650 |
| ALL countries | 220,572 | 237,591 | 399,739 | 454,271 | 733,065 | 772,133 | 746,393 | 892,222 | 994,766 | 1,051,610 | 604,700 |

^{1/} see notes on page 34

Graph 5 - Total arrivals, tourist arrivals and tourist nights spent during period, 1968 - 78

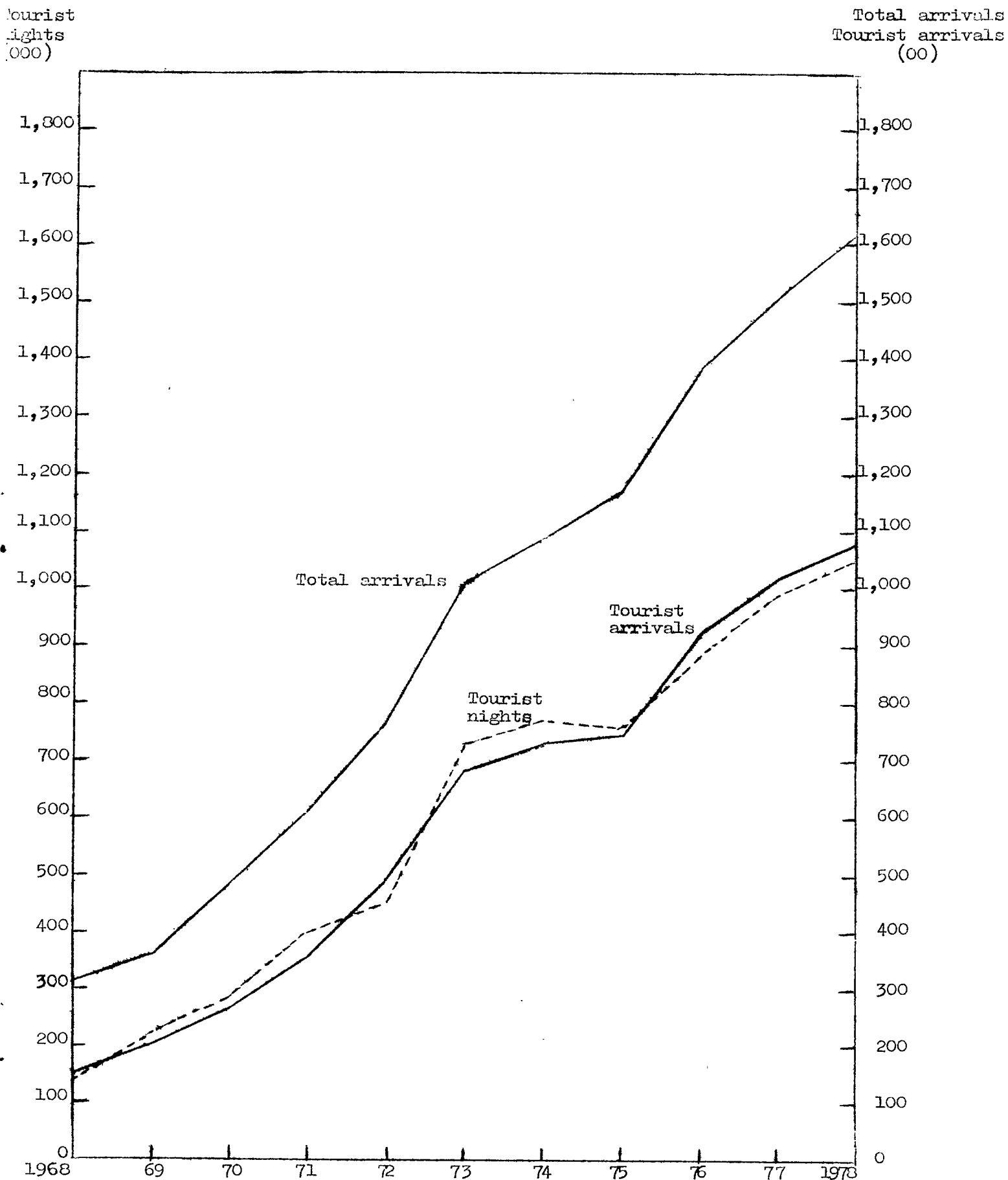


Table 36 -- Tourist arrivals and tourist nights^{1/} by country of residence, January - June 1979

| Country of residence | Tourist arrivals | Tourist nights spent during period |
|-----------------------|------------------|------------------------------------|
| Australia | 2,040 | 15,370 |
| France | 11,670 | 112,480 |
| Germany, Fed. Rep. | 1,930 | 31,980 |
| India | 1,650 | 16,270 |
| Italy | 1,580 | 23,480 |
| Kenya | 480 | 3,360 |
| Malagasy Republic | 2,720 | 20,400 |
| Malawi | 230 | 1,230 |
| Reunion | 15,410 | 126,310 |
| Rhodesia | 630 | 4,870 |
| Seychelles | 290 | 2,230 |
| South Africa, Rep. of | 11,460 | 105,370 |
| Switzerland | 860 | 9,480 |
| Tanzania | 300 | 2,770 |
| United Kingdom | 5,640 | 63,860 |
| Zambia | 1,210 | 10,590 |
| Other Countries | 4,230 | 54,650 |
| All Countries | 60,330 | 604,700 |

^{1/} see notes on page 34

Table 37 - ^{1/}Visitor arrivals by age and sex, 1978 - June 1979

| Age (completed years) | 1978 ^{2/} | | | | January - June 1979 ^{3/} | | | |
|--------------------------|--------------------|--------|--------|--------|-----------------------------------|--------|------|--------|
| | Both sexes | | Male | Female | Both sexes | | Male | Female |
| | Under 1 | 620 | 388 | 232 | 320 | 190 | 130 | |
| 1 - 4 | 3,379 | 1,993 | 1,386 | 1,730 | 1,050 | 680 | | |
| 5 - 9 | 4,898 | 2,742 | 2,156 | 2,290 | 1,380 | 910 | | |
| 10 - 14 | 4,666 | 2,533 | 2,133 | 2,240 | 1,260 | 980 | | |
| 15 - 19 | 5,279 | 2,395 | 2,884 | 2,560 | 1,270 | 1,290 | | |
| 20 - 24 | 10,409 | 4,606 | 5,803 | 5,720 | 2,740 | 2,980 | | |
| 25 - 29 | 15,192 | 8,040 | 7,152 | 8,090 | 4,750 | 3,340 | | |
| 30 - 34 | 15,450 | 8,861 | 6,589 | 8,480 | 5,130 | 3,350 | | |
| 35 - 39 | 12,651 | 7,808 | 4,843 | 7,650 | 5,180 | 2,470 | | |
| 40 - 44 | 9,984 | 6,393 | 3,591 | 5,500 | 3,650 | 1,850 | | |
| 45 - 49 | 8,438 | 5,227 | 3,211 | 5,180 | 3,250 | 1,930 | | |
| 50 - 54 | 7,122 | 4,248 | 2,874 | 4,010 | 2,450 | 1,560 | | |
| 55 - 59 | 5,574 | 3,385 | 2,189 | 3,370 | 1,870 | 1,500 | | |
| 60 - 64 | 3,354 | 1,910 | 1,444 | 2,060 | 1,210 | 850 | | |
| 65 - 69 | 2,394 | 1,338 | 1,056 | 1,710 | 1,070 | 640 | | |
| 70 & over | 1,744 | 911 | 833 | 1,220 | 710 | 510 | | |
| Not stated | 442 | 269 | 173 | 230 | 180 | 50 | | |
| All ages | 111,596 | 63,047 | 48,549 | 62,360 | 37,340 | 25,020 | | |

^{1/} see notes on page 34

^{2/} visitors arriving in 1978 and leaving before 1.2.79

^{3/} visitors arriving in January-June 1979 and leaving before 1.11.79.

Table 33 - Visitor arrivals and visitor nights^{1/} by country of residence,
1978 - June 1979

| Country of residence | 1978 ^{2/} | | | January - June, 1979 ^{3/} | | |
|-----------------------|--------------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------|------------------------|
| | Visitor arrivals | Visitor nights | Average length of stay | Visitor arrivals | Visitor nights | Average length of stay |
| Australia | 2,819 | 24,395 | 8.3 | 2,020 | 14,850 | 7.4 |
| France | 21,012 | 216,966 | 9.9 | 11,720 | 106,760 | 9.1 |
| Germany, Fed. Rep. | 2,885 | 41,331 | 14.3 | 2,000 | 29,290 | 14.6 |
| India | 2,946 | 25,736 | 8.5 | 1,630 | 13,020 | 10.7 |
| Italy | 3,479 | 31,640 | 9.1 | 1,620 | 13,300 | 8.2 |
| Kenya | 865 | 6,562 | 7.6 | 540 | 3,520 | 6.5 |
| Malagasy Republic | 4,883 | 32,603 | 6.7 | 2,730 | 13,310 | 6.6 |
| Malawi | 391 | 2,765 | 7.1 | 200 | 1,280 | 6.4 |
| Reunion | 31,600 | 231,721 | 7.3 | 16,350 | 116,710 | 7.1 |
| Rhodesia | 733 | 10,636 | 14.5 | 430 | 4,730 | 11.0 |
| Seychelles | 602 | 6,412 | 10.6 | 220 | 1,490 | 6.8 |
| South Africa, Rep. of | 19,305 | 177,079 | 9.2 | 11,920 | 102,630 | 8.6 |
| Switzerland | 1,460 | 17,261 | 11.8 | 730 | 3,350 | 11.4 |
| Tanzania | 437 | 3,853 | 7.9 | 270 | 2,560 | 9.5 |
| United Kingdom | 7,013 | 104,740 | 14.9 | 4,040 | 55,750 | 13.8 |
| Zambia | 2,641 | 23,617 | 3.9 | 1,230 | 3,230 | 6.7 |
| Other countries | 7,662 | 76,522 | 10.0 | 4,610 | 49,370 | 10.7 |
| All countries | 111,596 | 1,034,394 | 9.3 | 62,360 | 555,150 | 8.9 |

1/ see notes on page 34

2/ figures refer to visitors arriving in 1978 and leaving before 1.2.79 and to the nights spent by them.

3/ figures refer to visitors arriving in January-June 1979 and leaving before 1.11.79 and to the nights spent by them.

Table 39 - Visitor^{1/} arrivals by duration of stay, 1978-June 1979

| Duration of stay | 1978 ^{2/} | | Jan. - June 1979 ^{3/} | |
|---------------------------|--------------------|------------|--------------------------------|------------|
| | Number | Percentage | Number | Percentage |
| Less than 1 day | 3,717 | 3.3 | 2,030 | 3.3 |
| 1 day | 6,108 | 5.5 | 3,560 | 5.7 |
| 2 days | 6,333 | 5.7 | 4,200 | 6.7 |
| 3 " | 10,514 | 9.4 | 6,470 | 10.4 |
| 4 " | 9,926 | 8.9 | 5,300 | 8.5 |
| 5 " | 6,947 | 6.2 | 3,800 | 6.1 |
| 6 " | 6,104 | 5.5 | 3,580 | 5.7 |
| 7 " | 20,265 | 18.2 | 11,490 | 18.4 |
| 8 " | 4,944 | 4.4 | 3,290 | 5.3 |
| 9 " | 3,005 | 2.7 | 1,850 | 3.0 |
| 10 " | 4,164 | 3.7 | 2,080 | 3.3 |
| 11 " | 3,473 | 3.1 | 1,770 | 2.8 |
| 12 " | 1,365 | 1.7 | 990 | 1.6 |
| 13 " | 1,630 | 1.5 | 780 | 1.3 |
| 14 " | 7,704 | 6.9 | 4,190 | 6.7 |
| 15 " | 1,750 | 1.6 | 750 | 1.2 |
| 16 " | 1,132 | 1.0 | 380 | 0.6 |
| 17 " | 713 | 0.6 | 280 | 0.5 |
| 18 " | 760 | 0.7 | 350 | 0.6 |
| 19 " | 634 | 0.6 | 220 | 0.4 |
| 20 - 24 " | 3,854 | 3.4 | 2,010 | 3.2 |
| 25 - 29 " | 2,389 | 2.1 | 890 | 1.4 |
| 1 month - under 2 months | 2,768 | 2.5 | 1,520 | 2.4 |
| 2 months - under 3 months | 466 | 0.4 | 260 | 0.4 |
| 3 months and over | 400 | 0.4 | 320 | 0.5 |
| Not stated | 31 | - | - | - |
| Total | 111,596 | 100.0 | 62,360 | 100.0 |

^{1/} see notes on page 34

^{2/} visitors arriving in 1978 and leaving before 1.2.79.

^{3/} visitors arriving in January-June 1979 and leaving before 1.11.79

Table 40 - Visitor/ arrivals by country of residence and duration of stay, January - June 1979

| Country of residence | Duration of stay in days | | | | | | | | | | | Total visitors | |
|----------------------|--------------------------|-------|--------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|----------------|--------|
| | 0 | 1 & 2 | 3 & 4 | 5 & 6 | 7 & 8 | 9&10 | 11&12 | 13&14 | 15-19 | 20-24 | 25-29 | | 30+ |
| Australia | 70 | 530 | 450 | 290 | 210 | 100 | 30 | 110 | - | 40 | 30 | 120 | 2,030 |
| France | 130 | 760 | 2,350 | 2,050 | 2,520 | 910 | 430 | 1,260 | 420 | 300 | 110 | 360 | 11,700 |
| India | 30 | 520 | 350 | 210 | 30 | 100 | 20 | 30 | 60 | 60 | 10 | 120 | 1,690 |
| Kenya | - | 110 | 130 | 70 | 70 | 20 | 30 | 10 | 50 | - | - | 10 | 550 |
| Malagasy Rep. | 30 | 300 | 530 | 440 | 1,020 | 130 | 60 | 60 | 40 | 20 | 40 | 30 | 2,300 |
| Reunion | 340 | 2,270 | 4,390 | 2,410 | 2,340 | 790 | 470 | 450 | 440 | 230 | 200 | 500 | 16,340 |
| S. Africa, Rep. | 420 | 1,310 | 1,240 | 330 | 4,580 | 1,130 | 1,020 | 360 | 340 | 230 | 90 | 220 | 11,370 |
| United Kingdom | 50 | 240 | 490 | 320 | 1,030 | 140 | 210 | 610 | 80 | 460 | 100 | 310 | 4,040 |
| Zambia | 20 | 400 | 140 | 60 | 340 | 40 | 20 | 130 | - | 20 | - | 20 | 1,240 |
| Other countries | 290 | 1,270 | 1,100 | 1,150 | 2,090 | 520 | 420 | 1,340 | 550 | 650 | 310 | 410 | 10,100 |
| All countries | 2,030 | 7,760 | 11,770 | 7,330 | 14,730 | 3,930 | 2,760 | 4,970 | 1,930 | 2,010 | 390 | 2,100 | 62,360 |

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Table 41 - Visitor arrivals and visitor nights ^{1/} by country of nationality, January - June 1979

| Country of nationality | Visitor arrivals ^{2/} | Visitor nights ^{3/} | Average length of stay |
|------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------|
| Australia | 1,730 | 13,320 | 7.7 |
| France | 28,490 | 226,540 | 8.0 |
| Germany, Fed. Rep. | 2,290 | 31,970 | 14.0 |
| India | 2,460 | 21,150 | 8.6 |
| Italy | 1,710 | 14,080 | 8.2 |
| Kenya | 170 | 1,270 | 7.5 |
| Malagasy Republic | 2,200 | 14,420 | 6.6 |
| Malawi | 40 | 240 | 6.0 |
| Rhodesia | 290 | 2,990 | 10.3 |
| South Africa, Rep. of | 10,690 | 90,310 | 8.4 |
| Switzerland | 720 | 7,740 | 10.8 |
| Tanzania | 110 | 1,510 | 13.7 |
| United Kingdom | 5,840 | 71,880 | 12.3 |
| Zambia | 170 | 1,840 | 10.8 |
| Other countries | 5,450 | 55,890 | 10.2 |
| All countries | 62,360 | 555,150 | 8.9 |

^{1/} see notes on page 34

^{2/} figures refer to visitors arriving in January-June 1979 and leaving before 1.11.79.

^{3/} figures refer to nights spent by visitors arriving in January-June 1979 and leaving before 1.11.79.

Table 42 - Arrivals of Mauritians settled abroad (excluding students) and nights spent by them by country of residence, 1978 - June 1979

| Country of residence | 1978 ^{1/} | | | January - June 1979 ^{2/} | | |
|-----------------------|--------------------|---------|------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------|------------------------|
| | Arrivals | Nights | Average length of stay | Arrivals | Nights | Average length of stay |
| Australia | 755 | 23,687 | 31.4 | 240 | 4,950 | 20.6 |
| Belgium | 136 | 4,133 | 30.4 | 40 | 1,240 | 31.0 |
| Canada | 176 | 6,125 | 34.8 | 70 | 1,490 | 21.3 |
| France | 1,928 | 63,330 | 32.8 | 490 | 12,760 | 26.0 |
| Germany, Fed. Rep. of | 113 | 3,379 | 29.9 | 30 | 520 | 17.3 |
| India | 21 | 467 | 22.2 | 20 | 960 | 48.0 |
| Malagasy Republic | 93 | 2,139 | 23.0 | 30 | 1,930 | 64.3 |
| Malawi | 85 | 2,172 | 25.6 | 20 | 250 | 12.5 |
| Reunion | 1,542 | 26,321 | 17.1 | 680 | 8,650 | 12.7 |
| Rhodesia | 57 | 1,157 | 20.3 | 30 | 350 | 11.7 |
| Switzerland | 78 | 2,037 | 26.1 | 30 | 860 | 28.7 |
| South Africa, Rep. of | 619 | 14,772 | 23.9 | 200 | 3,300 | 16.5 |
| United Kingdom | 3,435 | 119,472 | 34.8 | 1,300 | 44,190 | 34.0 |
| Zambia | 58 | 1,756 | 30.3 | 30 | 440 | 14.7 |
| Other Countries | 418 | 11,855 | 28.4 | 170 | 3,310 | 19.5 |
| All Countries | 9,514 | 282,802 | 29.7 | 3,380 | 85,200 | 25.2 |

^{1/} figures refer to Mauritians settled abroad arriving in 1978 and leaving before 1.2.79, and to the total nights spent by them in 1978 and 1979

^{2/} figures refer to Mauritians settled abroad arriving in January - June 1979 and leaving before 1.11.79 and to the total nights spent by them in 1979

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Table 43 - Arrivals of Mauritians settled abroad (excluding students) by duration of stay, 1978 - June 1979

| Duration of stay | 1978 ^{1/} | Jan.-June 1979 ^{2/} |
|---------------------------|--------------------|------------------------------|
| Less than 1 day | 85 | 60 |
| 1 day | 131 | 50 |
| 2 days | 131 | 50 |
| 3 days | 179 | 120 |
| 4 days | 146 | 90 |
| 5 days | 93 | 100 |
| 6 days | 128 | 70 |
| 7 days | 245 | 180 |
| 8 days | 155 | 60 |
| 9 days | 125 | 50 |
| 10 days | 107 | 60 |
| 11 days | 95 | 90 |
| 12 days | 93 | 60 |
| 13 days | 91 | 40 |
| 14 days | 226 | 130 |
| 15 days | 113 | 20 |
| 16 days | 113 | 70 |
| 17 days | 108 | 50 |
| 18 days | 124 | 100 |
| 19 days | 135 | 50 |
| 20 - 24 days | 926 | 440 |
| 25 - 29 days | 1,653 | 350 |
| 1 month - under 2 months | 3,795 | 900 |
| 2 months - under 3 months | 358 | 140 |
| 3 months and over | 159 | 50 |
| Not stated | - | - |
| Total | 9,514 | 3,380 |

^{1/} figures refer to Mauritians settled abroad arriving in 1978 and leaving before 1.2.79.

^{2/} figures refer to Mauritians settled abroad arriving in 1979 and leaving before 1.11.79.

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Table 44 - Total nights spent by Mauritians settled abroad
(excluding students) by country of residence,
1978 - June 1979

| Country of residence | 1978 ^{1/} | Jan.-June 1979 ^{2/} |
|-----------------------|--------------------|---------------------------------|
| Australia | 24,474 | 18,150 |
| Belgium | 4,267 | 1,720 |
| Canada | 7,561 | 2,360 |
| France | 69,253 | 23,280 |
| Germany, Fed. Rep. of | 3,342 | 800 |
| India | 456 | 1,080 |
| Malagasy Republic | 2,287 | 2,180 |
| Malawi | 3,588 | 410 |
| Réunion | 29,052 | 14,960 |
| Rhodesia | 1,217 | 390 |
| Switzerland | 2,180 | 660 |
| South Africa, Rep. of | 15,983 | 6,310 |
| United Kingdom | 132,736 | 74,700 |
| Zambia | 3,484 | 720 |
| Other countries | 13,554 | 4,770 |
| All countries | 313,434 | 152,490 |

^{1/} figures refer to nights spent during 1978 by Mauritians settled abroad arriving in 1978 or before and leaving before 1.2.1979

^{2/} figures refer to nights spent during Jan.-June 1979 by Mauritians settled abroad arriving in Jan.-June 1979 or before and leaving before 1.11.1979

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INTERNATIONAL EMBARKATION AND DISEMBARKATION CARD

Carte International d'Embarquement et de Débarquement

- 1. Mr/M.)
 Mrs/Mme.)
 Miss/Mlle)
 Surname/Nom

-
 Given names/Prénoms

- 2. Date and Place of birth
 Date et lieu de naissance

- 3. Nationality
 Nationalité

- 4. Occupation
 Profession

- 5. Permanent address
 Domicile

FOR PASSENGERS LEAVING / POUR LES PASSAGERS AU DEPART

- 6. Port of final destination
 Lieu de destination finale

FOR ARRIVING PASSENGERS / POUR LES PASSAGERS A L'ARRIVEE

- 7. Port of original embarkation
 Lieu d'embarquement d'origine

- 8. Purpose of journey to Mauritius
 Motif du voyage à l'Ile Maurice

- 9. Intended length of stay in Mauritius
 Durée probable du séjour à l'Ile Maurice

- 10. Intended address during stay in Mauritius
 Adresse prévue pendant le séjour à Maurice

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- 11. Passport No. Place and Date of issue
 Numero du passport, lieu et date d'émission

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