

**MINISTRY OF SOCIAL SECURITY - STATISTICS SECTION**

**Beneficiaries of contributory and non-contributory pensions by Island, February 2015**

	<b>Republic of Mauritius</b>	<b>Island of Mauritius</b>	<b>Island of Rodrigues</b>
<b>Retirement</b>			
Basic	<b>185,330</b> *	<b>181,000</b> *	<b>4,330</b> *
- (60-89) years	182,098 *	177,860 *	4,238 *
- 90 years and above	3,232 *	3,140 *	92 *
Of whom Severely Handicapped	(16,380)	(15,752)	(628)
Contributory	77,889	77,562	327
BRP cases drawing child allowance	230 *	220 *	10 *
Beneficiaries of child allowance	<b>249</b> *	<b>237</b> *	<b>12</b> *
- Under 10 years	8 *	7 *	1 *
- 10 years and above	241 *	230 *	11 *
Food Aid	5,464	5,368	96
Income Support	31,719	31,164	555
Centenarians	104	101	3
<b>Widows</b>			
Basic	20,122	19,701	421
Contributory( All Ages)	<b>23,773</b>	<b>23,707</b>	<b>66</b>
- Under 60 years	9,920	9,880	40
- 60 years and above	13,853	13,827	26
BWP cases drawing child allowance	4,435 *	4,295 *	140 *
Beneficiaries of child allowance	<b>6,224</b> *	<b>6,023</b> *	<b>201</b> *
- Under 10 years	1,081 *	1,041 *	40 *
- 10 years and above	5,143 *	4,982 *	161 *
Food Aid	75	72	3
Income Support	2,726	2,646	80
<b>Invalids</b>			
Basic	27,527	26,821	706
Contributory	8,710	8,678	32
BIP cases drawing child allowance	6,675 *	6,485 *	190 *
Beneficiaries of child allowance	<b>10,638</b> *	<b>10,304</b> *	<b>334</b> *
- Under 10 years	3,542 *	3,382 *	160 *
- 10 years and above	7,096 *	6,922 *	174 *
Carers Allowance (ABIP)	6,368	6,047	321
Food Aid	502	499	3
Income Support	4,084	3,831	253
<b>Orphans</b>			
Basic	385 *	340 *	45 *
Contributory	160 *	155 *	5 *
Guardians	325 *	285 *	40 *
Food Aid	-	-	-
Income Support	20 *	10 *	10 *

\* Provisional

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**Voluntary Retirement Pension (VRP), Island of Mauritius**

Retirement	11,947
Widows	182
Invalids	87
<b>Total</b>	<b>12,216</b>

**Inmates Allowance (Island of Mauritius, January 2015)**

	<b>No of beneficiaries as at January 2015</b>	<b>Amount paid January 2015 (Rs)</b>
Old Age & Invalid	552	513,737