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Symbols & abbreviations

- Nil
- ... Data not available
- n.a not applicable
- 000 Thousand
- 000,000 Million
- Gg Gigagram (000 Tonne)
- GWh Million kilowatt hour
- c.i.f. Cost, insurance and freight
- f.o.b. Free on board

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INTRODUCTION

The Republic of Mauritius is a group of islands in the South West of the Indian Ocean, consisting of the main island of Mauritius, Rodrigues and several outer islands located at distances greater than 350 km from the main island. Mauritius has been successively a Dutch, French and British colony. It became independent of Britain on 12th March 1968 and acceded to the status of Republic within the Commonwealth on 12th March 1992. The country has a Westminster type of Parliamentary government. The official language is English, but French is widely spoken.

The population, estimated at 1.3 million, comprises Indo-Mauritians, General population, i.e, people of mixed European and African origin and Sino-Mauritians.

The islands of Mauritius and Rodrigues, with a total area of 1,969 sq km, have an overall population density of 654 persons per sq km. About 43% of the area is allocated to agriculture, 25% is occupied by built-up areas and 2% by public roads; the remaining consists of abandoned canefields, forests, scrub land, grasslands and grazing lands, reservoirs and ponds, swamps and rocks.

Mauritius enjoys a mild tropical maritime climate throughout the year, characterized by a warm humid summer extending between November and April and a relatively cool dry winter between June and September. October and May are the transition months. Mean mid-day temperature ranges from 26^oC to around 30^oC in Summer and from 22^oC to 27^oC in winter when moving from the Centre to the coastal areas.

During the past thirty years, the Mauritian economy has diversified from a sugar-cane monocrop economy in the 1970's to one based on sugar, manufacturing (mainly textiles and garments) and tourism in the 1980's. Global business (offshore) and freeport activities have also been growing continuously since the mid 1990s.

The economy in 2011 grew by 4.0% and the Gross National Income per capita at market prices reached 253,335 rupees. Unemployment rate is estimated at about 7.9% while inflation stood at 6.5% in 2011.

CONCEPTS & DEFINITIONS

2. Population and Vital Statistics

- 2 *Median age* The age which divides the population into two equal-size groups, one of which is younger and the other older than the median.
- 2.2 *Dependency ratio* The ratio of the combined child population under 15 years and population aged 65 years and over per 1,000 population of intermediate age (15-64 years).
- 2.3 *Crude birth rate* Number of live births registered in a year per 1,000 mid-year population.
- 2.4 *Total fertility rate* Average number of children born to an average woman under certain conditions.
- 2.5 *Crude death rate* Number of deaths occurring in a year per 1,000 mid-year population.
- 2.6 *Marriage rate* Number of persons civilly married in a year per 1,000 mid-year population.
- 2.7 *Divorce rate* Number of persons granted divorce in a year per 1,000 mid-year population.

3. Health

- 3.1 *Life expectancy at birth* The average number of years that a newly born child is expected to live under certain conditions.
- 3.2 *Early neonatal mortality rate* Number of deaths in a year of infants under 7 days of age per 1,000 live births during the year.
- 3.3 *Late neonatal mortality rate* Number of deaths in a year of infants aged from 7 to 27 days per 1,000 live births during the year.
- 3.4 *Perinatal mortality rate* Combined number of deaths of infants aged under 7 days and number of still births in a year per 1,000 total births (live+still) during the year.
- 3.5 *Infant mortality rate* Number of deaths in a year of infants aged under one year per 1,000 live births during the year.

Concepts & definitions (contd.)

4. Education

- 4.1 *Gross Enrolment ratio* Number of students enrolled per 100 population aged
- 4-5 years for pre-primary level
- 6-11 years for primary level
- 12-19 years for secondary level
- 4.2 *Literacy rate* Percentage of persons aged 12+ years who can, with understanding, both read and write a simple statement.

6. Labour

- 6.1 *Labour force* Number of persons who are either working (employed) or not working, looking for work and available for work (unemployed).
- 6.2 *Activity rate* Number of persons aged 16 years and above in the labour force as a % of the total number of persons aged 16 years and above.
- 6.3 *Unemployment rate* Number of unemployed as a % of the labour force.

9. Household income and expenditure

- 9.1 *Gini Coefficient* Measures the degree of inequality in the income distribution of households. It varies between 0 for complete equality and 1 for complete inequality.
- 9.2 *Median monthly income of households* That value which divides the distribution of monthly household income into two parts such that 50% of households have an income above that value and 50% below.

10. Transport and communications

- 10.1 *Casualties* The total number of fatalities and persons injured as a result of road accidents.
- 10.2 *Fatality* Prior to 2002, fatality was defined as death occurring within seven days as a result of road accidents. From 1 January 2002, the definition changed to death occurring within 30 days as a result of road accident.

Concepts & definitions (contd.)

| | |
|---|--|
| 10.3 <i>Fatality index</i> | The number of fatalities per 100 casualties. |
| 17. National accounts | |
| 17.1 <i>Gross Domestic Product (GDP)</i> | The aggregate money value of all goods and services produced within a country out of economic activity during a specified period usually a year, before provision for the consumption of fixed capital. |
| 17.2 <i>GDP at basic prices</i> | <p>GDP at basic prices is obtained as the difference between output and intermediate consumption whereby output is valued at basic prices and intermediate consumption at purchasers' prices.</p> <p>The basic price is the amount receivable by the producer exclusive of taxes on products and inclusive of subsidies on products. The equivalent for imported products is the c.i.f. value, i.e. the value at the border of the importing country.</p> <p>The purchasers' price is the amount payable by the purchaser exclusive of deductible taxes on products (e.g. deductible value added tax).</p> |
| 17.3 <i>GDP at market prices</i> | GDP at basic prices plus taxes (net of subsidies) on products. |
| 17.4 <i>Financial Intermediation Services Indirectly Measured (FISIM)</i> | FISIM is obtained as the difference between interest received and interest paid by banks excluding those received on own funds. |

Concepts & definitions (contd.)

- 17.5 *Final Consumption Expenditure* Consumption expenditure is made up of final consumption expenditure of households and of government. Government final consumption expenditure consists of collective and individual consumption expenditure. Collective expenditure consists of the services which government provides to the community as a whole, e.g. security and defence, whereas individual expenditure is made up of expenses incurred in providing services which are mostly beneficial to individuals, e.g. health and education.
- 17.6 *Gross Domestic Fixed Capital Formation (GDFCF)* The net additions to the physical assets of the country in a year. These consist mainly of investment in buildings, plants, machinery & transport equipment, all valued at market prices.
- 17.7 *Gross National Income (GNI)* GDP at market prices plus net primary income from the rest of the world gives GNI.
- 17.8 *Gross National Disposable Income (GNDI)* The sum of GNI and net transfers from the rest of the world gives Gross National disposable Income(GNDI)
- 17.9 *Gross National Savings (GNS)* Gross Disposable Income (GNDI) less total consumption expenditure gives Gross National Savings.

19. External trade

- 19.1 *Domestic Exports* Exports of goods of national origin.
- 19.2 *Re-exports* Goods exported in the same condition as imported or after undergoing minor operations which leave them essentially unchanged.

1. CLIMATE

Mean temp. (°C) - 2011

| | Island of Mauritius | | Island of Rodrigues | |
|-----------|---------------------|------|---------------------|------|
| | Min. | Max. | Min. | Max. |
| January | 22.7 | 30.2 | 24.3 | 29.8 |
| February | 23.6 | 30.1 | 24.8 | 29.4 |
| March | 22.8 | 29.9 | 24.5 | 29.7 |
| April | 22.0 | 29.3 | 24.1 | 29.3 |
| May | 19.7 | 28.1 | 22.7 | 28.6 |
| June | 19.3 | 26.6 | 21.8 | 27.4 |
| July | 17.7 | 25.3 | 20.2 | 26.0 |
| August | 17.6 | 24.9 | 19.8 | 25.4 |
| September | 17.8 | 25.8 | 20.5 | 26.2 |
| October | 18.8 | 27.0 | 21.3 | 26.8 |
| November | 20.7 | 29.1 | 22.9 | 28.4 |
| December | 21.9 | 29.2 | 23.7 | 28.5 |

Rainfall (millimetres)

| | Island of Mauritius | | Island of Rodrigues | |
|---------------------------|---------------------|--------------|---------------------|------------|
| | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 | 2011 |
| January | 318 | 304 | 208 | 90 |
| February | 374 | 330 | 169 | 85 |
| March | 271 | 373 | 69 | 109 |
| April | 138 | 58 | 214 | 43 |
| May | 120 | 114 | 144 | 73 |
| June | 60 | 151 | 46 | 69 |
| July | 160 | 93 | 76 | 65 |
| August | 156 | 172 | 67 | 99 |
| September | 60 | 44 | 16 | 9 |
| October | 45 | 51 | 45 | 71 |
| November | 89 | 71 | 50 | 18 |
| December | 15 | 184 | 37 | 103 |
| Total for the year | 1,806 | 1,945 | 1,143 | 834 |

2. POPULATION & VITAL STATISTICS

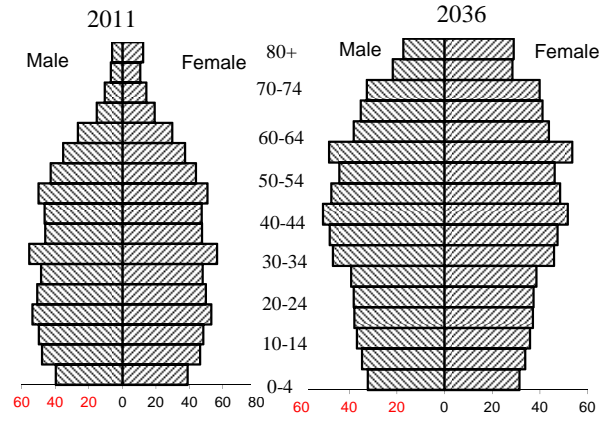
| | 2000 | 2010 ¹ | 2011 ² |
|--|----------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Total mid-year resident population ('000) | 1,186.9 | 1,280.9 | 1,286.0 |
| Male | 588.2 | 631.7 | 633.7 |
| Female | 598.7 | 649.2 | 652.3 |
| Age composition (%) | | | |
| under 15 years | 25.7 | 21.6 | 21.1 |
| (15-59) years | 65.2 | 67.2 | 67.1 |
| (60-64) years | 2.8 | 3.9 | 4.4 |
| 65 years and over | 6.3 | 7.3 | 7.4 |
| Median age (years) | 29.0 | 32.6 | 33 |
| Dependency ratio | 470.4 | 405.6 | 398.5 |
| Population density (per km²) | 585 | 629 | 632 |
| Mid-year geographical distribution ('000) | | | |
| Port Louis | 128.8 | 128.9 | 128.3 |
| Pamplemousses | 123.1 | 137.9 | 138.9 |
| Riv. du Rempart | 99.6 | 109.0 | 109.5 |
| Flacq | 127.8 | 140.0 | 140.7 |
| Grand Port | 107.5 | 115.4 | 115.8 |
| Savanne | 66.8 | 70.4 | 70.5 |
| Plaine Wilhems | 360.5 | 384.4 | 385.8 |
| Moka | 76.0 | 81.1 | 81.4 |
| Black River | 61.0 | 76.0 | 77.2 |
| Rodrigues | 35.8 | 37.8 | 37.9 |
| Vital statistics | | | |
| Live births | 20,205 | 15,005 | 14,701 |
| Deaths | 7,982 | 9,131 | 9,170 |
| Marriages | 10,963 | 10,555 | 10,499 |
| Divorces | 1,191 | 1,837 | 1,788 |

¹ Revised

² Provisional

| | 2000 | 2010 ¹ | 2011 ² |
|------------------------------------|----------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Vital statistics (contd.) | | | |
| Crude birth rate | 17.0 | 11.7 | 11.4 |
| Total fertility rate | 2.0 | 1.5 | 1.4 |
| Crude death rate | 6.7 | 7.1 | 7.1 |
| Marriage rate | 18.5 | 16.5 | 16.3 |
| Divorce rate | 2.0 | 2.9 | 2.8 |
| | 2016 | 2026 | 2036 |
| Projected population ('000) | 1,311.6 | 1,346.1 | 1,338.8 |
| Male | 644.3 | 657.3 | 650.7 |
| Female | 667.3 | 688.8 | 688.1 |
| Age composition (%) | | | |
| under 15 years | 18.9 | 16.6 | 15.3 |
| 15-59 years | 66.7 | 62.9 | 60.3 |
| 60-64 years | 5.2 | 6.6 | 6.1 |
| 65 years and over | 9.2 | 13.9 | 18.3 |

Population pyramid ('000)



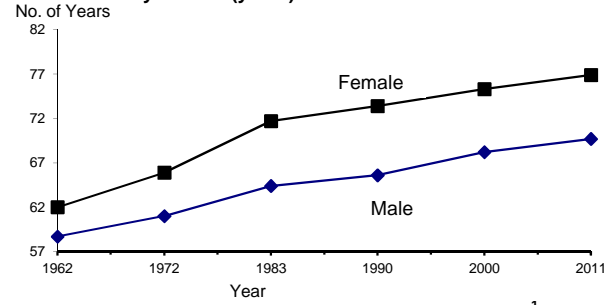
¹ Revised

² Provisional

3. HEALTH

| | 2000 | 2010 ¹ | 2011 ² |
|-------------------------------------|-------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Life expectancy at birth (years) | | | |
| <i>Male</i> | 68.2 | 69.6 ² | 69.7 |
| <i>Female</i> | 75.3 | 76.8 ² | 76.9 |
| Early neonatal mortality rate | 9.0 | 6.5 | 6.5 |
| Late neonatal mortality rate | 3.6 | 2.1 | 3.3 |
| Perinatal mortality rate | 21.9 | 13.3 | 15.8 |
| Infant mortality rate | 15.9 | 12.5 | 12.9 |
| Deaths per 100,000 of 45-64 yrs old | | | |
| <i>Male</i> | 1,314 | 1,234 | 1,244 |
| <i>Female</i> | 744 | 628 | 599 |

Life expectancy at birth (years)



| | 2000 | 2010 ¹ | 2011 ² |
|----------------------------------|-------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Health facilities | | | |
| Hospitals ³ | 15 | 15 | 15 |
| Hospital beds | 3,990 | 3,606 | 3,594 |
| Area health centres ⁴ | 27 | 26 | 26 |
| Mediclinics | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| Community health centres | 121 | 127 | 127 |
| Private clinics | 13 | 17 | 17 |

¹ Revised. ² Provisional. ³ Including two health centres with beds in Rodrigues.

⁴ Including Y. Cantin and Long Mountain Community Hospitals.

| | 2000 | 2010 ¹ | 2011 ² |
|---|------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Health facilities (contd.) | | | |
| Medical practitioners | 1,080 | 1,500 | 1,500 |
| Dentists | 146 | 260 | 275 |
| Nurses & midwives | 2,957 | 3,600 | 3,600 |
| Pharmacists | 247 | 400 | 400 |
| Doctor per 10,000 population | 9.1 | 11.7 | 11.7 |
| Dentist per 10,000 population | 1.2 | 2.1 | 2.1 |
| Deaths (per 100,000 population) | | | |
| Circulatory system ³ | 258 | 231 | 223 |
| Respiratory system | 62 | 59 | 55 |
| Neoplasms | 63 | 82 | 81 |
| Injury & poisoning | 42 | 45 | 46 |
| Diabetes mellitus ³ | 100 | 168 | 181 |
| Renal failure | 21 | 12 | 14 |
| % Deaths | | | |
| Circulatory system ³ | 37 | 32 | 31 |
| Respiratory system | 9 | 8 | 8 |
| Neoplasms | 9 | 12 | 11 |
| Injury & poisoning | 6 | 6 | 6 |
| Diabetes mellitus ³ | 15 | 24 | 25 |
| Renal failure | 3 | 2 | 2 |
| Public expenditure on health as % of | | | |
| Total public expenditure | 8.4 | 10.4 | 9.2 |
| GDP at market prices | 2.0 | 2.7 | 2.4 |

¹ Revised ² Provisional

³ Revised in the light of 2005 data following application of the new revision (10th) of the International Classification of Diseases (ICD 10) for the coding of underlying causes of death

4. EDUCATION

| | 2000 | 2010 | 2011 |
|-------------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|
| Pre-primary | | | |
| Schools | 1,087 | 1,042 | 1,018 |
| Enrolment | 39,232 | 35,139 | 33,901 |
| <i>Male</i> | 19,677 | 17,991 | 17,282 |
| <i>Female</i> | 19,555 | 17,148 | 16,619 |
| Gross enrolment ratio | 95 | 96 | 97 |
| <i>Male</i> | 95 | 96 | 96 |
| <i>Female</i> | 96 | 96 | 98 |
| Teaching staff | 2,448 | 2,538 | 2,550 |
| Pupil/teacher ratio | 16 | 14 | 13 |
| | | | |
| Primary | | | |
| Schools | 291 | 305 | 305 |
| Enrolment | 135,237 | 117,432 | 116,068 |
| <i>Male</i> | 68,711 | 59,672 | 58,935 |
| <i>Female</i> | 66,526 | 57,760 | 57,133 |
| Gross enrolment ratio | 104 | 101 | 100 |
| <i>Male</i> | 105 | 100 | 100 |
| <i>Female</i> | 104 | 101 | 100 |
| | | | |
| Teaching staff | 5,178 | 5,472 | 5,701 |
| <i>Male</i> | 2,326 | 1,650 | 1,655 |
| <i>Female</i> | 2,852 | 3,822 | 4,046 |
| Pupil/teacher ratio ¹ | 36 | 28 | 27 |
| Cert. of Primary Education (% pass) | 66.4 | 68.5 | 68.6 |
| <i>Male</i> | 61.2 | 63.1 | 62.7 |
| <i>Female</i> | 71.8 | 74.4 | 74.9 |

| | 2000 | 2010 | 2011 |
|------------------------------------|--------|---------|---------|
| Secondary - Academic | | | |
| Schools | 134 | 182 | 180 |
| Enrolment | 95,448 | 115,003 | 115,289 |
| <i>Male</i> | 46,399 | 54,855 | 55,188 |
| <i>Female</i> | 49,049 | 60,148 | 60,101 |
| Gross enrolment ratio | 60 | 69 | 70 |
| <i>Male</i> | 58 | 65 | 66 |
| <i>Female</i> | 63 | 73 | 74 |
| Teaching staff | 5,140 | 7,695 | 7,873 |
| <i>Male</i> | 2,658 | 3,269 | 3,258 |
| <i>Female</i> | 2,482 | 4,426 | 4,615 |
| Pupil/teacher ratio | 19 | 15 | 15 |
| School Certificate (% pass) | 76.6 | 77.8 | 76.7 |
| <i>Male</i> | 74.7 | 73.3 | 71.8 |
| <i>Female</i> | 78.3 | 81.8 | 81.2 |
| Higher School Certificate (% pass) | 72.3 | 78.5 | 79.3 |
| <i>Male</i> | 67.4 | 73.9 | 75.3 |
| <i>Female</i> | 76.9 | 81.8 | 82.3 |
| Secondary - Pre-vocational | | | |
| Schools | 25 | 124 | 126 |
| Enrolment | 4,695 | 7,442 | 7,270 |
| <i>Male</i> | 3,344 | 4,764 | 4,635 |
| <i>Female</i> | 1,351 | 2,678 | 2,635 |
| Teaching staff | 296 | 628 | 634 |
| <i>Male</i> | 157 | 225 | 227 |
| <i>Female</i> | 139 | 403 | 407 |
| Pupil/teacher ratio | 16 | 12 | 11 |

| Vocational & Technical Training ² | 2000 | 2010 ³ | 2011 |
|---|--------------|--------------------------|--------------|
| Schools | 12 | 15 | 15 |
| Enrolment | 5,450 | 9,337 | 9,333 |
| <i>Male</i> | 4,684 | 7,118 | 7,283 |
| <i>Female</i> | 766 | 2,219 | 2,050 |
| Post-secondary ⁴ | 00/01 | 10/11 | 11/12 |
| Schools | 3 | 5 | 5 |
| Enrolment | 10,041 | 24,264 | 21,974 |
| <i>Male</i> | 4,422 | 9,324 | 8,793 |
| <i>Female</i> | 5,619 | 14,940 | 13,181 |
| Polytechnics | | | |
| Enrolment | 997 | 1,077 | 704 |
| <i>Male</i> | 761 | 666 | 308 |
| <i>Female</i> | 236 | 411 | 396 |
| Mauritius College of the Air | | | |
| Distance Education Courses | | | |
| Enrolment | 1,444 | 878 | 890 |
| <i>Male</i> | 191 | 258 | 289 |
| <i>Female</i> | 1,253 | 620 | 601 |
| Literacy rate | 2000 | 2010 | 2011 |
| Total | 85.0 | ... | ... |
| <i>Male</i> | 88.7 | ... | ... |
| <i>Female</i> | 81.5 | ... | ... |
| Public expenditure on education | | | |
| as a % of | 00/01 | 2010 ³ | 2011 |
| Total public expenditure | 15.0 | 13.7 | 12.5 |
| GDP at market prices | 3.5 | 3.7 | 3.6 |

¹ Pupils per general purpose teacher

² Mauritius Institute of Training and Development

³ Revised

⁴ Public Funded Institution (excluding Polytechnics and Mauritius College of the Air)

5. ENVIRONMENT

| | 2000 | 2010 ¹ | 2011 ² |
|---|----------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Greenhouse gas | | | |
| (Gg or thousand tonnes) | | | |
| Emissions | | | |
| Carbon dioxide | 2,456.8 | 3,583.2 | ... |
| Oxides of nitrogen | 13.8 | 18.8 | ... |
| Carbon monoxide | 66.3 | 68.4 | ... |
| Sulphur dioxide | 28.9 | 34.0 | ... |
| Removals | | | |
| Carbon dioxide | 229.2 | 293.0 | ... |
| Net emissions | | | |
| Carbon dioxide | 2,227.6 | 3,290.2 | ... |
| Carbon dioxide emissions from fossil fuels (Gg or thousand tonnes) | 2,454 | 3,581.0 | ... |
| Energy industries | 1,185.4 | 2,158.3 | ... |
| Manufacturing industries | 357.4 | 360.4 | ... |
| Transport | 735.8 | 887.0 | ... |
| Residential | 141.7 | 135.6 | ... |
| Other (Agriculture and Commerce) | 33.7 | 39.7 | ... |
| Solid Waste landfilled (tonne) | 265,815 | 425,999 | 414,543 |
| Number of E.I.A.³ licenses issued | 92 | 44 | 30 |
| Land parcelling (morcellement) | 31 | 5 | 5 |
| Poultry rearing | 26 | - | - |
| Industrial development | 7 | 5 | 8 |
| Coastal hotels and related works | 11 | 12 | 8 |
| Housing | 4 | 1 | 1 |
| Other | 13 | 21 | 8 |

¹ Revised

² Provisional

³ Environment Impact Assessment (EIA)

| | 2000 | 2010 ¹ | 2011 ² |
|--|--------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Number of PER³ licenses issued | .... | 19 | 24 |
| Land parcelling (morcellement) | ... | - | 1 |
| Poultry rearing | ... | 3 | 11 |
| Industrial development | ... | 5 | 6 |
| Coastal hotels and related works | ... | - | - |
| Livestock | ... | ... | 4 |
| Housing | ... | - | - |
| Other | ... | 11 | 2 |
| Number of complaints received at the Dept. of Environment | 1,906 | 622 | 731 |
| Noise | 555 | 160 | 170 |
| Solid waste | 586 | 118 | 127 |
| Air pollution | 71 | 76 | 96 |
| Waste water | 150 | 77 | 84 |
| Odour | 251 | 128 | 77 |
| Other | 293 | 63 | 177 |
| Water | | | |
| Fresh water abstraction,(Mm ³)(Excl of hydropower) | 681 | 637 | ... |
| Water utilisation,(Mm ³) | 982 | 935 | ... |
| Domestic,industrial and tourism | 209 | 233 | ... |
| Agricultural (irrigation) | 468 | 404 | ... |
| Hydropower | 305 | 298 | ... |
| Daily domestic per capita consumption,(litres) | 154.9 | 160.1 | 162.0 |
| Waste water:total volume treated in public treatment plants,(Mm ³) | 20.5 | 34.9 | 40.2 |

¹ Revised

² Provisional

³ Preliminary Environmental Report (PER)

6. LABOUR

| | 2010 | 2011 |
|---|--------------|--------------|
| Labour Force- Mauritians ('000)¹ | 581.3 | 582.3 |
| Male | 362.4 | 363.6 |
| Female | 218.9 | 219.2 |
| Activity rate (%)¹ | 59.8 | 59.3 |
| Male | 76.1 | 75.5 |
| Female | 44.2 | 43.7 |
| Employment- Mauritians ('000)¹ | 536.1 | 536.7 |
| Male | 345.7 | 344.8 |
| Female | 190.4 | 191.9 |
| Unemployment ('000)¹ | 45.2 | 46.1 |
| Male | 16.7 | 18.8 |
| Female | 28.5 | 27.3 |
| Unemployment rate¹ | 7.8 | 7.9 |
| Male | 4.6 | 5.2 |
| Female | 13.0 | 12.5 |
| Employment- Foreigners ('000)² | 22.0 | 23.0 |
| Male | 13.1 | 13.4 |
| Female | 8.9 | 9.6 |
| Total Employment by sector ('000)³ | 558.1 | 559.7 |
| Primary sector | 45.1 | 44.6 |
| Secondary sector | 171.8 | 170.6 |
| Manufacturing | 114.5 | 112.3 |
| Electricity and water supply | 3.3 | 3.3 |
| Construction | 54.0 | 55.0 |
| Tertiary sector | 341.2 | 344.5 |
| Trade, hotels & restaurants | 126.1 | 127.7 |
| Transport, storage & communications | 40.4 | 40.2 |
| Financial intermediation, real estate, renting and business activities | 48.1 | 49.3 |
| Other services | 126.6 | 127.3 |

Average earnings & Wage rate index

| | 2000 | 2010⁴ | 2011⁵ |
|---|---------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Average monthly earnings (rupees) | 8,178 | 18,268 | 20,050 |
| Primary sector | 6,585 | 13,956 | 14,667 |
| Sugar cane | 6,159 | 12,670 | 13,852 |
| Secondary sector | 6,131 | 13,028 | 14,409 |
| Manufacturing | 5,544 | 10,906 | 11,919 |
| <i>Sugar</i> | 8,417 | 16,023 | 17,703 |
| <i>Food(excluding sugar)</i> | 6,630 | 11,323 | 12,361 |
| <i>Textiles</i> | 4,716 | 8,647 | 9,479 |
| <i>Other</i> | 5,192 | 13,198 | 14,286 |
| Electricity & water supply | 13,515 | 29,527 | 30,978 |
| Construction | 8,746 | 18,260 | 20,757 |
| Tertiary sector | 10,328 | 20,795 | 22,724 |
| Trade, hotels & restaurants | 8,562 | 15,882 | 17,437 |
| Transport, storage & communications | 11,502 | 21,527 | 24,391 |
| Financial intermediation, real estate, renting and business activities | 11,974 | 23,549 | 26,266 |
| Other services | 10,466 | 22,150 | 23,799 |
| Wage Rate Index (base:2000=100) | 100.0 | | |
| (base:2006=100) | | 140.1 | 144.5 |

¹ The Continuous Multi-Purpose Household Survey is used, as from 2004, as the instrument to measure labour force, employment and unemployment. Estimates refer to the Mauritian population aged 16 years and above, and exclude foreign workers

² Data on foreigners are obtained from surveys of employment and earnings

³ Including foreigners

⁴ Revised

⁵ Provisional

7. PRICE INDICES

| | Weight | Dec 10 | Dec 11 |
|--|---------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Consumer Price Index | 1,000 | 120.2 | 128.1 |
| (base: July 2006-June 2007=100) | | | |
| Food & non-alcoholic beverages | 286 | 133.9 | 141.7 |
| Alcoholic beverages & tobacco | 92 | 119.8 | 141.8 |
| Clothing & footwear | 51 | 123.6 | 130.5 |
| Housing, water, electricity, gas & other fuels | 131 | 105.4 | 107.8 |
| Furnishings, hhold.equip.& hhold. maintenance | 64 | 119.3 | 122.6 |
| Health | 30 | 121.6 | 128.4 |
| Transport | 147 | 116 | 127.3 |
| Communication | 36 | 95.5 | 93.4 |
| Recreation and culture | 48 | 104.7 | 106.1 |
| Education | 32 | 112.2 | 118.1 |
| Restaurants and hotels | 43 | 128.7 | 141.2 |
| Miscellaneous goods and services | 40 | 121.7 | 124.9 |
| Inflation rate(%) - calendar year | | 2.9 | 6.5 |
| | Weight | 2010¹ | 2011² |
| Export Price Index | 10,000 | 93.7 | 97.2 |
| (base: 2007=100) | | | |
| Food & live animals | 3,445 | 88.6 | 95.7 |
| - <i>Sugar</i> | 1,904 | 84.6 | 94.6 |
| Manufactured goods classified chiefly by materials | 759 | 129.2 | 131.3 |
| Misc. manufactured goods | 5,517 | 91.8 | 93.8 |
| - <i>Apparel & clothing accessories</i> | 5,389 | 90.8 | 91.9 |

| | Weight | 2010 ¹ | 2011 ² |
|--|---------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| Import Price Index (base 2007 =100) | 10,000 | 110.6 | 117.6 |
| Food & live animals | 1,808 | 115.5 | 122.8 |
| Mineral fuel,lubricants and related materials | 2,004 | 112.1 | 135.2 |
| <i>Petroleum,Petroleum products and related materials</i> | 1,725 | 110.0 | 135.0 |
| Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material | 2,141 | 105.2 | 109.4 |
| <i>-Textile yarn,fabrics,made-up articles,n.e.s</i> | 813 | 105.4 | 110.9 |
| Machinery and transport equipment | 1,800 | 104.4 | 102.3 |
| Producer Price Index-Manufacturing (Base year 2007 = 100) | | | |
| Manufacturing | 1,000 | 115.1 | 123.1 |
| Food | 360 | 112.3 | 122.6 |
| Beverages & tobacco | 154 | 117.4 | 123.5 |
| Other | 486 | 113.7 | 122.3 |
| Construction Price Index Residential: base:2nd Qr.2009=100 | 1,000 | 101.3 | 104.6 |
| Labour | 282 | 101.2 | 103.3 |
| Hire of plant | 33 | 100.0 | 100.7 |
| Materials | 642 | 100.0 | 105.1 |
| Transport | 43 | 100.0 | 109.1 |

¹ Revised.

² Provisional

8. HOUSING & HOUSEHOLDS

| | 1990* | 2000* | 2011* |
|---|-------------------------|-------------------------|--------------|
| Buildings ('000) | 209.9 | 268.3 | 311.5 |
| <i>of which: - % wholly residential</i> | <i>85.0¹</i> | <i>84.8¹</i> | <i>83.7</i> |
| - % partly residential | 3.3 ¹ | 4.3 ¹ | 5.5 |
| Residential & partly residential buildings | | | |
| Year of construction (%) | | | |
| Before 1985 | 70.6 | 38.9 | 28.4 |
| 1985 - 1989 | 20.1 | 14.8 | 11.0 |
| 1990 - 1994 | 1.1 ² | 17.5 | 12.2 |
| 1995 - 1999 | - | 23.3 | 12.4 |
| 2000 - 2004 | - | 1.0 ³ | 12.3 |
| 2005 - 2009 | - | - | 11.1 |
| 2010 - 2011 | - | - | 3.5 |
| Not completed but inhabited | 4.9 | 2.0 | 1.8 |
| Not known | 3.3 | 2.5 | 7.3 |
| Construction materials (%) | | | |
| Concrete walls & roof | 70.6 | 86.3 | 92.0 |
| Concrete walls & iron or tin roof | 7.3 | 3.9 | 2.7 |
| Iron or tin walls and roof | 18.2 | 8.1 | 4.5 |
| Wood walls & iron or tin or shingle roof | 2.3 | 0.9 | 0.4 |
| Other | 1.6 | 0.8 | 0.4 |
| Average no. of housing units per building | 1.21 | 1.24 | 1.29 |
| Housing units ('000) | 223.8 | 297.7 | 359.0 |
| Ownership (%) | | | |
| Private | 98.6 | 99.1 | 99.1 |
| Public | 1.3 | 0.4 | 0.3 |
| Not stated | 0.1 | 0.5 | 0.6 |
| Occupancy (%) | | | |
| Occupied | 97.5 | 94.8 | 92.2 |
| Vacant | 2.5 | 5.2 | 3.1 |
| Not Stated | - | - | 4.7 |

* Census figures

¹ Revised

² Buildings constructed from January to April 1990

³ Buildings constructed from January to April 2000

| | 1990* | 2000* | 2011* |
|--|--------------|--------------------------|--------------|
| Average no. of rooms per Occupied housing unit | 3.9 | 4.6 | 4.8 |
| Average no. of persons per room | 1.2 | 0.9 | 0.8 |
| Average no. of households per housing unit | 1.10 | 1.07 | 1.10 |
| Households ('000) | 236.1 | 297.9¹ | 342.3 |
| Tenure (%) | | | |
| Owner | 75.9 | 86.5 | 88.9 |
| Tenant | 14.8 | 9.4 | 7.9 |
| Subtenant | 0.4 | - | - |
| Free | 8.8 | 4.1 | 3.0 |
| Other | 0.1 | - | 0.2 |
| Amenities (%) | | | |
| Piped water | 95.2 | 98.7 | 99.5 |
| Electricity | 96.9 | 99.0 | 99.5 |
| Toilet | 99.3 | 99.8 | 99.8 |
| <i>of which: flush toilet</i> | <i>62.8</i> | <i>88.8</i> | <i>96.4</i> |
| Bathroom | 94.5 | 99.0 | 99.6 |
| Kitchen | 97.5 | 99.2 | 99.7 |
| Acceptable refuse disposal | 68.4 | 97.0 | 99.1 |
| Fuel used for cooking (%) | | | |
| Wood & charcoal | 26.3 | 4.5 | 1.9 |
| Kerosene | 21.7 | 3.4 | 0.1 |
| Electricity | 1.5 | 0.5 | 0.3 |
| Gas | 50.3 | 91.5 | 97.6 |
| Other | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.1 |
| Availability of ICT devices | | | |
| Television | - | - | 96.0 |
| Fixed Telephone | - | - | 69.1 |
| Mobile Phone | - | - | 88.1 |
| Computer | - | - | 37.5 |
| Internet Access | - | - | 27.9 |
| % female-headed | 17.6 | 17.5 | - |
| % one-parent | 8.1 | 7.7 | - |
| % 60+ years living alone | 2.8 | 3.0 | - |
| Average household size | 4.5 | 3.9 | 3.6 |

* Census figures

¹ Revised

9. HOUSEHOLD INCOME & EXPENDITURE

Household Budget Survey

| | 96/97 | 01/02 ¹ | 06/07 |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Average household size | 4.1 | 3.9 | 3.7 |
| Income earners per household | 1.9 | 1.9 | 1.8 |
| Average monthly income (rupees) | 10,179 | 14,232 | 19,083 |
| Median monthly income (rupees) | 7,870 | 11,150 | 14,640 |
| 1/2 median monthly income (rupees) | 3,935 | 5,575 | 7,320 |
| % hholds with < 1/2 med. mthly income | 14.2 | 13.1 | 14.3 |
| Gini coefficient | 0.387 | 0.371 | 0.388 |

Income share

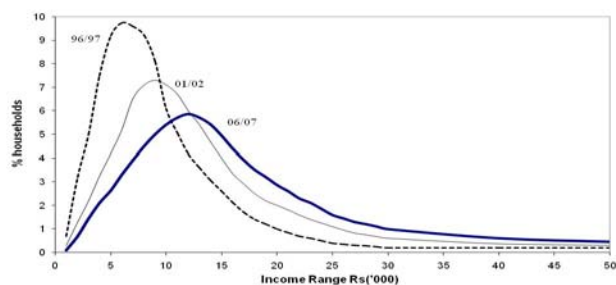
% of total income going to:

| | | | |
|------------------------------------|------|------|------|
| Lowest 20% of households | 5.9 | 6.4 | 6.1 |
| Highest 20% of households | 46.2 | 44.0 | 45.6 |
| Ratio of highest 20% to lowest 20% | 7.8 | 6.9 | 7.4 |

Household consumption expenditure¹

| | | | |
|--|-------|--------|--------|
| Average monthly expenditure (rupees) | 7,846 | 11,390 | 15,188 |
| Median monthly expenditure (rupees) | 6,136 | 8,154 | 10,850 |
| 1/2 median monthly expend. (rupees) | 3,068 | 4,077 | 5,425 |
| % hholds with < 1/2 med. mthly expend. | 13.3 | 12.3 | 12.0 |

Trends in monthly household income ditribution



¹ Unadjusted for under reporting.

Household Budget Survey

96/97 01/02 06/07

Consumption patternMonthly household consumption¹ expenditure² (%)

| | | | |
|---|------|------|------|
| Food & non-alcoholic beverages | 33.7 | 31.6 | 29.7 |
| Alcoholic beverages & tobacco | 8.9 | 9.1 | 9.5 |
| Clothing & footwear | 7.7 | 6.4 | 5.3 |
| Housing, water, electricity, gas & other fuels | 9.6 | 9.3 | 9.8 |
| Furnishing, household equipment & routine household maintenance | 7.8 | 6.0 | 6.7 |
| Health | 3.4 | 2.5 | 3.1 |
| Transport | 11.5 | 12.6 | 15.2 |
| Communication | 2.1 | 3.3 | 3.7 |
| Recreation and culture | 4.0 | 4.6 | 5.0 |
| Education | 2.6 | 3.7 | 3.4 |
| Restaurants and hotels | 4.7 | 6.1 | 4.5 |
| Miscellaneous goods and services | 3.8 | 4.8 | 4.2 |

Per capita consumption (kg/year)³**2000 2010⁴ 2011****Selected food items**

| | | | |
|--------------------------|------|------|------|
| Wheat flour | 76.5 | 82.8 | .... |
| Milled rice | 55.9 | 57.1 | .... |
| Potatoes | 18.2 | 19.6 | .... |
| Sugar | 34.0 | 28.1 | .... |
| Fresh vegetables | 82.2 | 77.3 | .... |
| Oils & fats | 26.3 | 24.4 | .... |
| Fresh milk (litres) | 6.2 | 5.2 | .... |
| Powdered milk | 13.6 | 10.3 | .... |
| Pulses | 10.1 | 10.2 | .... |
| Eggs | 9.4 | 6.7 | .... |
| Meat & meat preparations | 39.0 | 50.2 | .... |
| Banana | 7.2 | 8.9 | .... |
| Other fresh fruits | 16.4 | 18.5 | .... |
| Fish & fish preparations | 23.1 | 21.7 | .... |

¹ Classification of Individual Consumption According to Purpose² Adjusted for under reporting ³ Source: Food balance sheet⁴ Provisional

10. TRANSPORT & COMMUNICATIONS

| | 2000 | 2010 ² | 2011 ³ |
|--|---------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Road transport | | | |
| Motor-vehicles registered ('000) | 244.0 | 384.1 | 400.9 |
| Private cars | 49.9 | 120.4 | 129.3 |
| Taxi cars | 5.0 | 6.9 | 6.9 |
| Vans | 18.8 | 25.9 | 26.1 |
| Dual purpose vehicles | 34.9 | 48.7 | 49.1 |
| Lorries & trucks | 10.5 | 13.2 | 13.5 |
| Buses | 2.4 | 2.8 | 2.9 |
| Motor cycle | 24.5 | 48.7 | 53.4 |
| Autocycle | 92.0 | 110.7 | 112.3 |
| Other vehicles | 6.0 | 6.8 | 7.4 |
| Road traffic accidents | | | |
| Number of accidents | 18,278 | 21,243 | 22,536 |
| Rate (per 100,000 population) | 1,588 | 1,709 | 1,806 |
| Rate (per 1,000 reg. motor-vehicles) | 77 | 57 | 58 |
| Motor-vehicles involved | | | |
| Number | 33,537 | 41,084 | 41,294 |
| Rate (per 1,000 reg. motor-vehicles) | 142 | 110 | 106 |
| Casualties | | | |
| Number | 3,291 | 3,640 | 3,541 |
| Fatal ¹ | 163 | 158 | 152 |
| Seriously injured | 266 | 569 | 549 |
| Slightly injured | 2,862 | 2,913 | 2,840 |
| Fatality | | | |
| Rate (per 100,000 population) | 14.16 | 12.71 | 12.18 |
| Rate (per 1,000 reg. motor-vehicles) | 0.69 | 0.42 | 0.39 |
| Index | 4.95 | 4.34 | 4.29 |
| Private cars per 1,000 households | 169 | 350 | 371 |
| Length of roads (kilometres) | 1,926 | 2,080 | 2,112 |
| Vehicles per kilometre of road | 127 | 185 | 190 |

¹ For year 2000, figures were based on definition of fatal accidents whereby deaths were caused within 7 days of road accidents but for years 2002 onwards figures are based on new definition of fatal accidents whereby deaths are caused within 30 days of road accidents.

² Revised ³ Provisional

| | 2000 | 2010 ¹ | 2011 ² |
|---|--------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Air transport | | | |
| Landings, aircraft (number) | 8,349 | 10,160 | 10,121 |
| Freight ('000 tonnes) | 41.3 | 48.3 | 45.1 |
| Loaded | 21.2 | 24.3 | 23.4 |
| Unloaded | 20.1 | 24.0 | 21.7 |
| Sea transport | | | |
| Arrivals, vessel (number) | 1,658 | 2,172 | 2,654 |
| Freight ('000 tonnes) | 5,191 | 6,230 | 6,477 |
| Loaded | 1,514 | 1,130 | 1,091 |
| Unloaded | 3,677 | 5,100 | 5,386 |
| Communication | | | |
| Radio operators (number) | 1 | 4 | 4 |
| Television operators (number) | 4 | 4 | 4 |
| Television sets licensed ('000) | 223.9 | 315.0 | 316.4 |
| Fixed telephone | | | |
| Lines ('000) | 262.0 | 387.7 | 374.6 |
| National calls registered ³ ('000,000) | 506.6 | 444.6 | 318.0 |
| Mobile cellular subscribers ('000) | 174.5 | 1,190.9 | 1,294.1 |
| International outgoing telephone | 34.6 | 132.3 | 134.2 |
| Internet subscribers ('000) | 35 | 284.2 | 370.0 |
| Fixed | 35 | 106.7 | 133.2 |
| Mobile | n.a | 177.5 | 236.8 |
| Local press (number) | 41 | 68 | 68 |
| Dailies | 6 | 12 | 11 |
| <i>English & French</i> | 4 | 9 | 8 |
| <i>Other</i> | 2 | 3 | 3 |
| Weeklies | 29 | 26 | 27 |
| <i>English & French</i> | 23 | 25 | 26 |
| <i>Other</i> | 6 | 1 | 1 |
| Others | 6 | 30 | 30 |
| <i>English & French</i> | 6 | 23 | 23 |
| <i>Other</i> | - | 7 | 7 |

¹ Revised

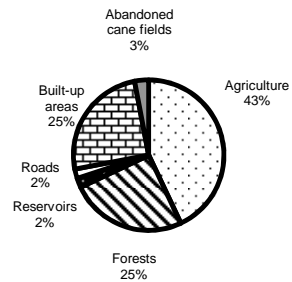
² Provisional

³ Calls irrespective of duration from fixed telephone

11. LAND UTILIZATION

2005 *
Area
(Hectares)

| | |
|--------------------------------------|----------------|
| Whole island | 186,500 |
| Agriculture | 80,674 |
| <i>Sugarcane</i> | 72,000 |
| <i>Other agricultural activities</i> | 8,674 |
| Forests scrubs & grazing lands | 47,200 |
| Reservoirs, ponds, swamps & rocks | 2,900 |
| Roads & footpaths | 4,500 |
| Built-up areas | 46,500 |
| Abandoned cane fields | 4,726 |



Source: Final Draft Report-Stocktaking & Stakeholders Consultation Exercise on Climate

Change Activities, March 2006. Ministry of Environment and National Development Unit

* Estimate

| | 2000 | 2010 ¹ | 2011 ² |
|----------------------------------|---------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Effective area cultivated | | | |
| Sugar cane | 76,962 | 58,709 | 56,639 |
| Tea | 670 | 698 | 651 |
| Tobacco | 397 | 213 | 222 |
| Land under irrigation | 19,506 | 19,847 | 19,885 |
| Overhead | 15,951 | 17,023 | 16,864 |
| Surface | 2,020 | 714 | 889 |
| Drip | 1,535 | 2,110 | 2,132 |

¹ Revised

² Provisional

12. AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION

| | 2000 ¹ | 2010 ¹ | 2011 ² |
|---|-------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| PRODUCTION ('000 tonnes) | | | |
| Crop products | | | |
| Sugarcane | 5,109.5 | 4365.9 | 4230.2 |
| Foodcrops | 102.6 ¹ | 114.8 | 115.6 |
| Tea leaf | 6.4 | 7.4 | 8.9 |
| Fruits | 21.5 | 26.0 | 29.0 |
| Tobacco leaf ³ | 0.5 | 0.3 | 0.3 |
| Products from slaughtered and live animals | 45.1 | 63.0 | 64.0 |
| Poultry meat ('000 tonnes) | 25.6 | 46.6 | 47.0 |
| Milk (mn litres) | 4.0 | 3.6 | 4.0 |
| Eggs ('000 tonnes) | 12.0 | 9.7 | 10.2 |
| Fishing ('000 tonnes) | 7.8 | 5.6 | 5.4 |
| | (Million rupees) | | |
| VALUE ADDED | 5,868.9 | 8051.3 | 8816.3 |
| Crop products | 4,804.0 | 5330.1 | 6154.3 |
| <i>of which</i> | | | |
| Sugarcane | 3,499.0 | 3050.0 | 3545.0 |
| Foodcrops | 1,073.0 | 2192.5 | 2211.9 |
| Tea leaf | 44.6 | 69.1 | 97.1 |
| Fruits | 163.8 | 195.3 | 270.2 |
| Tobacco leaf ³ | 23.6 | 23.2 | 30.1 |
| Animals & animal products | 776.0 | 2179.6 | 2322.3 |
| Fishing | 288.9 | 341.6 | 339.7 |

¹ Revised

³ crop year: April-March

² Provisional

13. INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION

| | 2000 | 2010 ¹ | 2011 ² |
|---|---------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Quantity produced (selected commodities) | | | |
| Sugar ('000 tonnes) | 569.3 | 452.5 | 435.3 |
| Molasses " | 144.0 | 143.5 | 137.9 |
| Tea (Black) " | 1.3 | 1.5 | 1.8 |
| Iron bars & steel tubes " | 46.0 | 35.0 | 35.0 |
| Fertilizers " | 83.7 | 24.3 | 27.0 |
| Denatured spirit ('000 H. Litres) | 6.4 | 3.5 | 6.4 |
| Beer and stout " | 375.0 | 367.6 | 373.7 |
| Wine (country liquor) " | 41.2 | 48.9 | 51.8 |
| Electricity generated (GWh) | 1,757.9 | 2,656.6 | 2,697.3 |
| Manufacturing | | | |
| Growth rate | | | |
| EOE ³ | +5.6 | +6.5 | +8.4 |
| Manufacturing | +7.5 | +2.1 | +2.7 |
| Sugar | +64.5 | -4.0 | +3.8 |
| Food (excluding Sugar) | +6.0 | +4.4 | -0.2 |
| Textiles | +6.0 | +0.0 | +8.0 |
| Other | +6.1 | +2.1 | +1.1 |
| Labour Productivity Index⁴ (2000=100) | | | |
| Manufacturing | 100.0 | 143.5 | 150.3 |
| EOE ³ | 100.0 | 166.6 | 185.4 |
| Capital Productivity Index (2000=100) | | | |
| Manufacturing | 100.0 | 95.0 | 99.0 |
| EOE ³ | 100.0 | 97.2 | 113.5 |
| Unit Labour Cost Index⁴ (2000=100) | | | |
| Manufacturing | 100.0 | 153.4 | 163.8 |
| EOE ³ | 100.0 | 139.0 | 137.4 |

¹ Revised

² Provisional

³ Export Oriented Enterprises(EOE) as from October 2006, consist of all those enterprises previously operating with an EPZ Certificate and those enterprises manufacturing goods for exports and holding a registration certificate issued by the Board of Investment.

⁴ The indices are for the whole manufacturing sector.

14. ENERGY

| | 2000 | 2010 ¹ | 2011 ² |
|--|----------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Imports of energy sources ('000 tonnes) | | | |
| Gasolene | 89.8 | 120.9 | 116.7 |
| Diesel oil | 339.7 | 310.4 | 310.0 |
| Dual purpose kerosene | 217.4 | 241.6 | 230.3 |
| -Aviation fuel | 190.0 | 234.9 | 226.0 |
| Fuel oil | 218.8 | 341.5 | 434.8 |
| LPG | 47.3 | 62.7 | 66.3 |
| Coal | 222.4 | 660.6 | 660.2 |
| Re-export and Bunkering³ ('000 tonnes) | | | |
| Aviation fuel | 87.5 | 115.0 | 118.7 |
| Diesel oil | 160.0 | 113.2 | 100.2 |
| Fuel oil | 57.6 | 123.4 | 185.0 |
| Electricity generated⁴ (GWh) | 1,777.2 | 2,688.7 | 2,727.7 |
| Hydro | 95.3 | 100.7 | 56.5 |
| Wind | ... | 2.5 | 2.8 |
| Landfill gas | ... | ... | 3.1 |
| Thermal | 1681.9 | 2,585.5 | 2,665.3 |
| Peak demand(MW), Mauritius | 283.9 | 404.1 | 412.5 |
| Rodrigues | 3.8 | 6.1 | 6.4 |
| Electricity sales (GWh) | 1,374.0 | 2,173.9 | 2,228.2 |
| Domestic | 491.9 | 710.7 | 725.3 |
| Commercial | 374.8 | 748.0 | 792.6 |
| Industrial (general) | 458.6 | 653.8 | 656.9 |
| Industrial (irrigation) | 27.2 | 23.8 | 22.5 |
| No. of electricity consumers ('000) | 323.7 | 408.9 | 417.3 |
| Domestic | 288.5 | 364.5 | 372.3 |
| Commercial | 27.8 | 37.0 | 37.7 |
| Industrial (general) | 6.6 | 6.5 | 6.3 |
| Industrial (irrigation) | 0.4 | 0.5 | 0.5 |

¹ Revised. ² Provisional ³ Pertaining to sales of fuel to foreign vessels

⁴ Includes electricity generated for own use by Independent Power Producers

15. GOVERNMENT FINANCE

| | Jul 08 - Jun 09 | Jan 10 - Dec 10 | Jan 11 - Dec 11 Provisional Actual |
|---|--------------------|--------------------|---|
| Budgetary Central Government | | | |
| (Million rupees) | | | |
| Total Revenue | 62,216.1 | 65,479.5 | 69,223.1 |
| Taxes | 52,332.6 | 55,209.1 | 59,180.3 |
| <i>Taxes on income, profits, and capital gains</i> | 15,295.8 | 13,976.3 | 13,619.7 |
| <i>Taxes on property</i> | 3,939.7 | 3,904.3 | 3,939.6 |
| <i>Taxes on goods and services</i> | 31,001.9 | 34,633.4 | 38,817.9 |
| <i>Taxes on international trade and transactions</i> | 1,501.2 | 1,525.2 | 1,560.2 |
| <i>Other taxes</i> | 594.0 | 1,169.9 | 1,242.9 |
| Social contributions | 959.9 | 1,008.2 | 1,020.4 |
| Grants | 2,781.1 | 1,991.0 | 2,344.4 |
| Other revenue | 6,142.5 | 7,271.2 | 6,678.0 |
| Total Expenses | 65,102.4 | 66,983.1 | 70,975.4 |
| Compensation of employees | 16,247.4 | 17,541.0 | 18,001.4 |
| Use of goods and services | 5,124.4 | 6,149.6 | 6,194.6 |
| Interest | 10,687.4 | 10,261.9 | 9,667.1 |
| Subsidies | 916.9 | 979.1 | 1,141.9 |
| Grants | 25,227.9 | 24,112.7 | 28,523.2 |
| <i>of which amount transferred to NPF and paid as Social Benefits</i> | 7,572.0 | 8,684.0 | 9,239.0 |
| Social benefits | 4,120.2 | 4,855.8 | 5,125.4 |
| Other expenses | 2,778.2 | 3,083.0 | 2,321.8 |
| Net acquisition of non financial assets | 5,545.8 | 8,076.2 | 8,632.5 |
| Net lending/Borrowing (Budget balance) | -8,432.1 | -9,579.9 | -10,384.8 |
| Net acquisition of financial assets | 1,424.7 | 127.9 | 2,558.8 |
| Domestic | 1,424.7 | 21.9 | 2,458.1 |
| Foreign | - | 106.0 | 100.7 |
| Monetary gold and SDRs | - | - | - |
| Net incurrence of Liabilities | 9,856.8 | 9,707.7 | 12,714.5 |
| Domestic | 6,342.5 | 4,271.7 | 7,187.9 |
| Foreign | 3,514.3 | 5,436.0 | 5,526.6 |

Data are compiled according to Government Statistics Manual 2001 of the IMF

| | Jul 08-Jun 09 | Jan 10- Dec 10 | Jan 11- Dec11 Provisional Actual |
|---|------------------|-------------------|---|
| Budgetary Central Government | | | |
| TOTAL OUTLAYS | 70,648.2 | 75,059.8 | 79,607.9 |
| General public services | 19,991.1 | 19,753.6 | 19,219.6 |
| <i>Public debt transactions</i> | 10,687.5 | 10,261.9 | 9,667.1 |
| <i>Transfers of general character between levels of govt.</i> | 3,142.0 | 3,448.0 | 3,881.7 |
| Public order and safety | 5,577.8 | 6,173.2 | 7,441.6 |
| Economic affairs | 10,426.3 | 10,723.4 | 11,462.5 |
| <i>Agriculture, forestry, fishing, and hunting</i> | 2,679.5 | 2,911.0 | 2,019.0 |
| <i>Fuel and energy</i> | 28.1 | 37.4 | 55.0 |
| <i>Mining, manufacturing, and construction</i> | 3,449.3 | 400.7 | 263.0 |
| <i>Transport</i> | 3,261.7 | 4,280.1 | 3,909.0 |
| <i>Communication</i> | - | - | - |
| Environmental protection | 2,081.8 | 2,616.2 | 2,563.3 |
| Housing and community amenities | 2,391.8 | 1,587.0 | 3,718.7 |
| Health | 5,823.7 | 7,726.3 | 7,326.6 |
| Recreation, culture and religion | 691.7 | 649.2 | 721.8 |
| Education | 9,658.6 | 10,091.9 | 10,329.3 |
| Social protection | 14,005.4 | 15,739.0 | 16,824.5 |

Data are compiled according to Government Statistics Manual 2001 of the IMF

16. MONEY & BANKING

(as at end of period)

| | Jun-11 | Sep-11 | Dec-11 |
|--|------------------|------------------|------------------|
| | (Million rupees) | | |
| Components of Monetary Base | | | |
| 1 Currency with Public | 17,517 | 17,958 | 20,308 |
| 2 Currency with Other Depository Corporations | 2,937 | 3,199 | 4,162 |
| 3 Deposits with BOM | 21,887 | 21,257 | 23,844 |
| <i>Other Depository Corporations</i> | 21,557 | 20,965 | 23,668 |
| <i>Other</i> | 330 | 292 | 176 |
| Monetary Base(1+2+3) | 42,341 | 42,413 | 48,314 |
| Sources of Monetary base | | | |
| 1 Net Foreign assets | 76,240 | 74,983 | 76,432 |
| 2 Net Claims on Budgetary Central Govt | -4,415 | -4,691 | -2,085 |
| 3 Claims on other Depository Corporations | 232 | 720 | 1,138 |
| 4 Claims on Private Sector | 130 | 132 | 133 |
| 5 Net Non-Monetary Liabilities | 29,847 | 28,732 | 27,304 |
| Monetary Base (1+2+3+4-5) | 42,341 | 42,413 | 48,314 |
| Gross Official International reserves¹ | 81,507 | 80,060 | 81,474 |
| Gross Foreign Assets of Bank of Mauritius | 80,254 | 78,694 | 80,054 |
| Others ² | 1,253 | 1,366 | 1,420 |
| Foreign exchange rates (selling - Rs) | | | |
| Euro Zone (Euro) | 41.93 | 40.05 | 38.89 |
| India (INR 100) | 65.07 | 60.93 | 56.98 |
| Japan (JPY 100) | 36.12 | 38.85 | 38.92 |
| South Africa, Rep. of (SAR 1) | 4.30 | 3.74 | 3.72 |
| United States (USD 1) | 28.90 | 29.59 | 30.04 |
| United Kingdom (GBP 1) | 46.55 | 46.21 | 46.29 |
| Electronic Banking Transactions | | | |
| No of ATMs in Operations | 416 | 421 | 428 |
| No of Transactions | 4,139,159 | 4,271,325 | 5,751,277 |
| Value of Transactions ³ : (Rs mn) | 7712 | 8,104 | 13,066 |
| No of Cards in Circulation | | | |
| <i>Credit Cards</i> | 210,572 | 213,247 | 217,135 |
| <i>Debit Cards and others</i> | 1,065,766 | 1,089,251 | 1,117,370 |
| Total | 1,276,338 | 1,302,498 | 1,334,505 |
| Outstanding Advances on Credit Cards (Rs mn) | 1673.4 | 1756.8 | 1863.3 |

¹ The definition of GIR meets the IMF's BPM6 definition of reserves. Reserves are defined as external assets that are readily available to and controlled by monetary authorities. Hence GIR excludes the Bank's foreign equity participation in international organisations as this does not meet the criteria of readily available reserves.

² Comprises Foreign Assets of the Government and the country's Reserve Position in the IMF

³ Involving the use of credit cards, debit cards, ATMs and Merchant Points of Sale

Note 1: Data on Net International Reserves are no longer available at the Bank of Mauritius.

Note 2: Figures may not add up to totals due to rounding

Source: Bank of Mauritius

17. NATIONAL ACCOUNTS

| | 2000 ¹ | 2010 ¹ | 2011 |
|--|-------------------|-------------------|----------------|
| Gross Domestic Product (GDP) | | | |
| at current prices | | | |
| (i) Value added by sector (million rupees) | | | |
| Primary | 7,147 | 9,784 | 10,504 |
| <i>Agriculture, hunting, forestry & fishing</i> | 6,984 | 9,677 | 10,395 |
| <i>Mining & quarrying</i> | 163 | 107 | 109 |
| Secondary | 31,646 | 71,396 | 74,474 |
| <i>Manufacturing</i> | 24,171 | 47,764 | 50,519 |
| <i>Electricity, gas & water supply</i> | 1,760 | 5,401 | 5,358 |
| <i>Construction</i> | 5,715 | 18,231 | 18,597 |
| Tertiary | 68,532 | 183,648 | 200,750 |
| <i>Wholesale & retail trade; repair of motor vehicles, motorcycles, personal & household goods</i> | 12,317 | 31,178 | 33,800 |
| <i>Hotels and restaurants</i> | 6,383 | 18,514 | 20,268 |
| <i>Transport, storage & communication</i> | 13,608 | 25,257 | 26,650 |
| <i>Financial intermediation</i> | 9,409 | 26,465 | 28,806 |
| <i>Real estate, renting & business activities</i> | 9,011 | 32,645 | 36,995 |
| <i>Public administration & defence; compulsory social security</i> | 6,693 | 16,159 | 16,981 |
| <i>Education</i> | 4,637 | 11,686 | 12,596 |
| <i>Health and social work</i> | 2,990 | 9,694 | 10,808 |
| <i>Other services</i> | 3,484 | 12,050 | 13,846 |
| GDP at basic prices | 107,325 | 264,828 | 285,728 |
| Taxes on products (net of subsidies) | 15,085 | 33,956 | 37,731 |
| GDP at market prices | 122,410 | 298,784 | 323,459 |

¹ Revised

| | 2000 ¹ | 2010 ¹ | 2011 |
|---|-------------------|-------------------|----------------|
| Per capita GDP at market prices (rupees) | 103,112 | 233,204 | 251,457 |
| Sectoral contribution to GDP at basic prices (%) | | | |
| Primary | 6.6 | 3.7 | 3.7 |
| Secondary | 29.5 | 27.0 | 26.1 |
| Tertiary | 63.9 | 69.3 | 70.3 |
| (ii) By expenditure component (million rupees) | | | |
| Final consumption expenditure on goods and services | 90,757 | 261,930 | 280,595 |
| <i>Households</i> | 73,311 | 220,305 | 237,148 |
| <i>General government :</i> | 17,446 | 41,625 | 43,447 |
| <i>Individual</i> | 7,298 | 17,656 | 17,923 |
| <i>Collective</i> | 10,148 | 23,969 | 25,524 |
| Gross Domestic Fixed Capital Formation (GDFCF) | 27,595 | 74,395 | 76,692 |
| <i>Private sector</i> | 19,866 | 56,145 | 58,824 |
| <i>Public sector</i> | 7,729 | 18,250 | 17,868 |
| Increase in inventories ² | 4,209 | -3,745 | 5,775 |
| Exports of goods & services | 74,786 | 156,939 | 174,962 |
| Less imports of goods & services | 74,938 | 190,734 | 214,566 |
| GDP at market prices | 122,410 | 298,784 | 323,459 |

¹ Revised

² Includes all statistical discrepancies

| | 2000 ¹ | 2010 ¹ | 2011 |
|---|-------------------|-------------------|----------------|
| Gross National Income (GNI), | | | |
| disposable income and savings | | | |
| Net primary income from the rest of the world (R.o.w) | -1,303 | +3656 | +2416.0 |
| GNI at market prices | 121,107 | 302,440 | 325,875 |
| Net transfer from r.o.w | 1,662 | 5,630 | 3,795 |
| Gross National Disposable Income | 122,769 | 308,070 | 329,670 |
| Less final consumption expenditure | 90,757 | 261,930 | 280,595 |
| Gross national savings | 32,012 | 46,140 | 49,075 |
| Per capita GNI at market prices(rupees) | 102,014 | 236,057 | 253,335 |
| Annual real growth rate (%) | | | |
| GDP at basic prices | +10.2 | +4.2 | +4.0 |
| Final consumption expenditure | +5.2 | +2.7 | +2.5 |
| <i>Households</i> | +3.9 | +2.6 | +2.5 |
| <i>General government</i> | +9.8 | +3.4 | +2.3 |
| GDFCF(including aircraft & vessels) | -8.3 | -0.7 | 0.0 |
| GDFCF(excluding aircraft & vessels) | +1.0 | +3.7 | 0.0 |

¹ Revised

18. CONSTRUCTION

| | 2000 | 2010 ¹ | 2011 ² |
|--|--------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Building permits² | | | |
| Number issued | 8,867 | 7,353 | 6,215 |
| <i>of which: Residential</i> | 8,331 | 6,871 | 5,808 |
| Floor area covered ('000 m²) | 1,510 | 1,422 | 1,210 |
| <i>of which: Residential</i> | 1,170 | 1,190 | 895 |
| Employment¹ in construction sector ('000) | 45.1 | 54.0 | 55.0 |
| Investment in construction | | | |
| Value (million rupees) | 15,341 | 52,167 | 53,135 |
| as a % of GDP at market prices | 12.8 | 17.4 | 16.4 |
| Investment in the construction of residential buildings | | | |
| Value (million rupees) | 6,368 | 18,769 | 22,298 |
| as a % of GDP at market prices | 5.3 | 6.3 | 6.9 |
| Share of construction in GDFCF(%) | 55.6 | 70.1 | 69.3 |
| All construction works | | | |
| Residential buildings | 23.1 | 25.2 | 29.1 |
| Non residential buildings | 20.7 | 28.9 | 23.8 |
| Other construction works | 12.1 | 16.0 | 16.4 |

¹ Revised ² Provisional

19. EXTERNAL TRADE

| | 2000 | 2010 ¹ | 2011 ² |
|---|------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Total value of trade (Million rupees) | 95,810 | 204,432 | 223,997 |
| Total Exports (f.o.b. value) | 40,882 | 69,550 | 75,916 |
| Domestic exports | 37,609 | 50,621 | 54,437 |
| Re-exports | 1,463 | 11,369 | 10,251 |
| Ship's stores & bunkers | 1,810 | 7,560 | 11,228 |
| Total Imports (c.i.f. value) | 54,928 | 134,882 | 148,081 |
| Balance of visible trade | -14,046 | -65,332 | -72,165 |
| EOE³ exports | - | 41,622 | 44,985 |
| EOE³ imports | - | 23,007 | 26,979 |
| Trade Indices (base: 2007=100) | - | - | - |
| Export index (total) | - | 93.7 | 97.2 |
| Import index | - | 110.6 | 117.6 |
| Terms of trade | - | 84.8 | 82.7 |
| (ratio of export to import index) | | | |
| | (Million rupees) | | |
| Domestic Exports (f.o.b.) | 37,609 | 50,621 | 54,437 |
| By commodity | | | |
| Food and live animals | 7,154 | 17,800 | 18,421 |
| <i>of which: Sugar</i> | 5,544 | 7,708 | 8,574 |
| Beverages & tobacco | 34 | 221 | 209 |
| Crude materials, inedible except fuels | 263 | 447 | 622 |
| <i>of which: Cut flowers and foliage</i> | 133 | 85 | 64 |
| Animal & vegetable oils & fats | - | 29 | 54 |
| Chemicals | 311 | 444 | 551 |
| Manufactured goods classified by materials | 3,046 | 4,627 | 5,386 |
| <i>of which: Textile yarns, fabrics, made up articles</i> | 1,823 | 1,889 | 2,528 |
| Machinery & transport equipment | 79 | 111 | 133 |
| Miscellaneous manufactured goods | 26,718 | 26,933 | 29,058 |
| <i>of which: Articles of apparel & clothing</i> | 24,755 | 22,854 | 24,977 |
| Other | 4 | 9 | 4 |

Note: As from 2002, data include transactions of the freeport

¹ Revised

² Provisional

³ Export Oriented Enterprises (EOE) as from October 2006, consist of all those enterprises previously operating with an EPZ Certificate and those enterprises manufacturing goods for exports and holding a registration certificate issued by the Board of Investment.

| | 2000 | 2010 ¹ | 2011 ² |
|--|------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Domestic Exports (f.o.b.) (contd.) | | | |
| By country of destination | | | |
| | (Million rupees) | | |
| - United Kingdom | 11,276 | 13,209 | 13,642 |
| - France | 7,743 | 9,592 | 8,300 |
| - U.S.A. | 7,873 | 5,993 | 6,510 |
| - Germany | 1,414 | 986 | 1,012 |
| - Italy | 1,515 | 4,331 | 5,152 |
| - Netherlands | 652 | 808 | 975 |
| - Malagasy Republic | 1,580 | 1,861 | 1,996 |
| - Belgium | 897 | 1,294 | 1,417 |
| - Reunion | 509 | 877 | 796 |
| - Spain | 869 | 2,948 | 3,698 |
| - Portugal | 381 | 284 | 160 |
| Re-Exports (f.o.b.) | 1,463 | 11,369 | 10,251 |
| By commodity | | | |
| Food and live animals | 47 | 3,054 | 2,417 |
| Beverages & tobacco | 5 | 278 | 516 |
| Crude materials, inedible except fuels | 21 | 641 | 544 |
| Chemicals | 50 | 1,774 | 1,622 |
| Manufactured goods classified by materials | 509 | 1,216 | 1,182 |
| Machinery & transport equipment | 424 | 1,576 | 1,313 |
| Miscellaneous manufactured goods | 386 | 2,496 | 2,225 |
| Other | 21 | 92 | 298 |
| By country of destination | | | |
| U.A.E | 37 | 365 | 222 |
| - Malagasy Republic | 422 | 1,701 | 2,021 |
| - France | 193 | 925 | 911 |
| - Reunion | 80 | 1,104 | 1,218 |
| - Italy | 21 | 278 | 69 |
| - India | 27 | 380 | 206 |
| - Spain | 12 | 973 | 912 |
| - Republic of South Africa | 75 | 360 | 394 |
| - United Kingdom | 86 | 164 | 148 |
| - China | 14 | 127 | 98 |

Note: As from 2002, data include transactions of the freeport

¹ Revised

² Provisional

| | 2000 | 2010 ¹ | 2011 ² |
|--|------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| | (Million rupees) | | |
| Total Imports (c.i.f.) | 54,928 | 134,882 | 148,081 |
| Food and live animals | 6,948 | 24,610 | 26,926 |
| - Dairy products & birds' eggs | 1,072 | 3,064 | 3281 |
| - Fish & fish preparations | 1,058 | 7,869 | 9,213 |
| Beverages & tobacco | 369 | 2,472 | 2,677 |
| Crude materials, inedible except fuels | 1,654 | 3,288 | 4,930 |
| Mineral fuels, lubricants, etc. | 6,450 | 25,630 | 31,940 |
| - Refined petroleum products | 5,634 | 21,302 | 26,977 |
| Animal & vegetable oils & fats | 455 | 1,176 | 1,788 |
| Chemicals | 4,260 | 12,462 | 12,113 |
| - Medical & pharmaceutical products | 795 | 3,918 | 2,941 |
| Manufactured goods classified by materials | 17,570 | 25,087 | 27,633 |
| - Paper, paperboard & articles thereof | 1,056 | 1,870 | 1,956 |
| - Textile yarns, fabrics, made up articles | 10,843 | 7,267 | 8,169 |
| - Iron & steel | 1,041 | 3,451 | 3,430 |
| - Manufactures of metals, n.e.s. | 1,193 | 3,570 | 4,936 |
| Machinery & transport equipment | 12,427 | 27,239 | 26,644 |
| - Specialised & gen. industrial machinery | 4,023 | 6,696 | 6,602 |
| - Road vehicles | 2,916 | 6,824 | 7,156 |
| - Aircraft, marine vessels & parts | 135 | 586 | 858 |
| Miscellaneous manufactured goods | 4,710 | 12,202 | 12,964 |
| - Articles of apparel & clothing | 507 | 1,850 | 2,246 |
| - Watches, clocks & opticals goods | 451 | 710 | 1,021 |
| Other | 85 | 716 | 466 |

Note: As from 2002, data include transactions of the freeport

¹ Revised

² Provisional

| | 2000 | 2010 ¹ | 2011 ² |
|--|------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Total Imports (c.i.f.) (contd.) | | | |
| By country of origin | (Million rupees) | | |
| - France | 5,248 | 11,787 | 13,117 |
| - Republic of South Africa | 8,198 | 11,433 | 10,484 |
| - India | 4,821 | 29,629 | 34,671 |
| - United Kingdom | 2,378 | 2,992 | 3,445 |
| - Japan | 2,255 | 4,520 | 3,705 |
| - Hong Kong | 1,881 | 533 | 544 |
| - Germany | 2,113 | 3,256 | 3,548 |
| - Malaysia | 1,681 | 3,474 | 3,326 |
| - Australia | 1,897 | 4,250 | 3,858 |
| - Italy | 1,815 | 2,980 | 3,145 |
| - China | 4,152 | 18,033 | 20,790 |
| - Singapore | 1,080 | 1,044 | 1,025 |
| - U.S.A. | 1,601 | 3,142 | 2,828 |
| - Switzerland | 875 | 1,366 | 1,561 |
| - Kuwait | - | 8 | 18 |
| - Belgium | 965 | 1,256 | 1,820 |
| Regional trade | | | |
| COMESA | | | |
| Exports to member states ³ | 2,521 | 4,967 | 5,633 |
| Imports from member states | 1,535 | 3,966 | 4,567 |
| SADC | | | |
| Exports to member states ³ | 701 | 8,217 | 10,179 |
| Imports from member states | 8,690 | 13,517 | 13,561 |

Note: As from 2002, data include transactions of the freeport

¹ Revised

² Provisional

³ Excluding ship's stores and bunkers

20. BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

| | 2009 | 2010 ¹ | 2011 ² |
|---|----------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| CURRENT ACCOUNT | -20,836 | -24,533 | -40,680 |
| Goods and services | -29,423 | -36,365 | -42,522 |
| Goods | -49,473 | -58,313 | -65,488 |
| Merchandise | -49,121 | -57,609 | -65,030 |
| Non-monetary gold | -352 | -704 | -458 |
| Services | 20,050 | 21,948 | 22,966 |
| Transportation | -5,553 | -5,348 | -5,677 |
| Travel | 24,386 | 27,222 | 31,362 |
| Other services | 1,217 | 74 | -2,719 |
| <i>Private</i> | 1,466 | -270 | -2,833 |
| <i>Government</i> | -249 | 344 | 114 |
| Income | 1,678 | 6,203 | -1,953 |
| Direct investment income | -5,473 | -1,954 | -18,487 |
| Other investment income | 8,344 | 10,091 | 14,784 |
| Portfolio investment income | -886 | -1,699 | 2,007 |
| Compensation of employees | -307 | -235 | -256 |
| Current transfers | 6,909 | 5,629 | 3,795 |
| Private | 3,860 | 3,930 | 1,332 |
| Government | 3,049 | 1,699 | 2,463 |
| CAPITAL AND FINANCIAL ACCOUNT | 11,926 | 19,663 | 34,971 |
| Capital account | -59 | -148 | -53 |
| Migrants' transfers | -59 | -148 | -53 |
| Financial account | 11,985 | 19,811 | 35,024 |
| Financial account (excluding reserve assets) | 24,088 | 25,988 | 40,271 |
| Direct investment | 7,024 | 9,274 | 384,490 |
| Portfolio investment | -1,837 | -5,729 | -308,586 |
| Other investment | 18,901 | 22,443 | -35,633 |
| Reserve assets | -12,103 | -6,177 | -5,247 |
| NET ERRORS AND OMISSIONS | 8,910 | 4,870 | 5,709 |

Source: Bank of Mauritius

¹ Revised estimates

² Provisional estimates

Note: Figures may not add up to totals due to rounding.

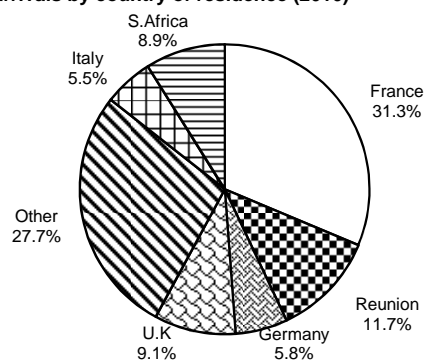
21. INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL & TOURISM

| | 2000 | 2010 | 2011 ¹ |
|---------------------------------------|---------------|----------------|-------------------|
| Passenger traffic ('000) | | | |
| Arrivals | 915.2 | 1,312.7 | 1,359.0 |
| (i) By gender | | | |
| Male | 480.9 | 677.1 | 703.1 |
| Female | 434.3 | 635.6 | 655.9 |
| (ii) By type of passenger | | | |
| Visitors | 678.5 | 956.3 | 982.6 |
| <i>of which: on holiday</i> | <i>602.6</i> | <i>865.6</i> | <i>897.8</i> |
| <i>on business</i> | <i>27.0</i> | <i>36.1</i> | <i>40.7</i> |
| Residents | 216.7 | 279.0 | 292.0 |
| Other | 20.0 | 77.4 | 84.4 |
| Departures | 895.6 | 1,317.6 | 1,358.6 |
| (i) By gender | | | |
| Male | 469.9 | 679.4 | 702.0 |
| Female | 425.7 | 638.2 | 656.6 |
| (ii) By type of passenger | | | |
| Visitors | 667.2 | 1,017.6 | 1,045.8 |
| Residents | 212.9 | 272.1 | 284.5 |
| Other | 15.5 | 27.9 | 28.3 |
| Inter-island passenger traffic | | | |
| From Mauritius to Rodrigues | 49,530 | 60,573 | 65,423 |
| By gender | | | |
| <i>Male</i> | <i>28,280</i> | <i>31,624</i> | <i>34,417</i> |
| <i>Female</i> | <i>21,250</i> | <i>28,949</i> | <i>31,006</i> |
| From Rodrigues to Mauritius | 49,981 | 60,662 | 64,564 |
| By gender | | | |
| <i>Male</i> | <i>29,436</i> | <i>31,101</i> | <i>33,938</i> |
| <i>Female</i> | <i>20,545</i> | <i>28,561</i> | <i>30,626</i> |

¹ Provisional

| | 2000 | 2010 | 2011 ² |
|--------------------------------|--------------|--------------|-------------------|
| Tourist arrivals ('000) | 656.5 | 934.8 | 964.6 |
| France | 198.4 | 302.2 | 302.0 |
| Germany | 52.9 | 52.9 | 56.3 |
| Italy | 39.0 | 56.6 | 52.7 |
| Reunion | 86.9 | 114.9 | 113.0 |
| Republic of South Africa | 48.7 | 81.4 | 86.2 |
| United Kingdom | 74.5 | 97.5 | 88.2 |
| Other countries | 156.1 | 229.3 | 266.2 |

Tourist arrivals by country of residence (2010)



| | 2000 | 2010 | 2011 ² |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Number of licensed hotels | 95 | 112 | 109 |
| Number of rooms | 8,657 | 12,075 | 11,925 |
| Number of bed places | 17,776 | 24,698 | 24,242 |
| Room occupancy rate (%) | 70 | 65 | 65 |
| Bed occupancy rate (%) | 62 | 57 | 57 |
| Tourist nights ('000) | 6,413 | 9554 ¹ | 9,730 |
| Tourist receipts (Million rupees) | 14,234 | 39,456 | 42,845 |
| Average length of stay (nights) | 10.4 | 9.6 ¹ | 9.6 |
| Average expend. per tourist (rupees) | 21,683 | 42,207 | 44,415 |

¹ Revised

² Provisional

22. SOCIAL SECURITY

| | 99/00 | 08/09 ¹ | 2010 ² |
|--|---------|--------------------|-------------------|
| Non-contributory benefits | | | |
| No. of beneficiaries ('000) | 166.5 | 209.0 | 223.2 |
| Total amount paid (R Mn) | 3,331.4 | 8,222.6 | 9,374.1 |
| Contributory benefits³ (National Pensions Fund) | | | |
| No. of employees contributing ('000) | 277.5 | 301.9 | 302.2 |
| Contributions collected ⁴ (R Mn) | 979.0 | 1,842.1 | 2,108.2 |
| Surcharge collected (R Mn) | 6.9 | 2.5 | 4.3 |
| No. of beneficiaries ('000) | 45.7 | 73.2 | 83.0 |
| Total amount paid (R Mn) | 288.9 | 891.1 | 1,077.9 |
| Public expenditure on social security and welfare as a % of | | | |
| Total public expenditure | 21.7 | 26.0 | 26.4 |
| GDP at market prices | 5.3 | 6.3 | 6.9 |

Benefits by type⁵, 2008/09

| | Beneficiaries (000) as at Dec 2010 | Amount Paid in 2010 (R Mn) |
|----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Non-contributory benefits | 223.2 | 9,374.1 |
| - Retirement pension | 153.9 | 6,612.3 |
| - Widows pension (All ages) | 21.8 | 885.5 |
| - Invalids pension | 27.7 | 1,312.3 |
| - Orphans pension | 0.4 | 23.4 |
| - Social Aid | 19.4 | 540.6 |
| Contributory benefits | 83.0 | 1077.9 |
| - Retirement pension | 54.9 | 783.5 |
| - Widows pension (All ages) | 19.7 | 222.0 |
| - Invalids pension | 7.4 | 37.5 |
| - Orphans pension | 0.1 | 0.3 |
| - Industrial injury benefits | 0.9 | 34.7 |

Note: As from 2010 data are reported on a calendar year basis

¹ Revised. ² Provisional. ³ Excludes public and parastatal sectors.

⁴ Ratio of contribution is 2/3 from employers & 1/3 from employees. Excludes surcharge paid by employers.

⁵ A person receiving several benefits is counted several times.

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