

SECTION 1 - POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS

Table 1.1 - Estimated resident population¹ of Mauritius as at 31st December 2006 & 2007

Year	Island	Both sexes	Male	Female	Area (km ²)	Density (persons per km ²)
2006	Island of Mauritius	1,219,208	602,688	616,520	1,864.8	654
	Island of Rodrigues	37,230	18,423	18,807	104.0	358
	Other islands	289	193	96	71.2	4
	Republic of Mauritius	1,256,727	621,304	635,423	2,040.0	616
2007	Island of Mauritius	1,227,075	606,307	620,768	1,864.8	658
	Island of Rodrigues	37,499	18,530	18,969	104.0	361
	Other islands	289	193	96	71.2	4
	Republic of Mauritius	1,264,863	625,030	639,833	2,040.0	620

Table 1.2 - Evolution of the resident population of the Republic of Mauritius² as from the 2000 census to 1st July 2007

	Both sexes	Male	Female
Resident population enumerated at 2000 census	1,178,848	583,756	595,092
Plus adjustment for underenumeration of young children	+8,025	+ 4,456	+ 3,569
Plus live births July 00 - June 07	+133,517	+ 68,129	+ 65,388
Minus deaths July 00 - June 07	-58,632	-32,644	-25,988
Plus arrival of residents July 00 - June 07	+1,209,760	+ 657,466	+ 552,294
Minus departure of residents July 00 - June 07	-1,211,115	-658,237	- 552,878
Estimated resident population as at 1st July 2007	1,260,403	622,926	637,477

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

2 excluding other islands (Agalega & St. Brandon)

Table 1.3 - Population growth in intercensal periods - Republic of Mauritius¹, 1851 - 2000

Census date	Republic of Mauritius			Island of Mauritius			Island of Rodrigues		
	Population enumerated at census	Density per km ²	Average annual rate of increase(%)	Population enumerated at census	Density per km ²	Average annual rate of increase(%)	Population enumerated at census	Density per km ²	Average annual rate of increase(%)
20th November 1851	181,318	92	...	180,823	97	2.55	495	5	...
8th April 1861	310,743	158	5.91	310,050	166	5.91	693	7	3.65
11th April 1871	317,150	161	0.20	316,042	169	0.19	1,108	11	4.80
4th April 1881	361,305	184	1.31	359,874	193	1.31	1,431	14	2.59
6th March 1891	372,656	189	0.31	370,588	199	0.29	2,068	20	3.75
1st April 1901	374,185	190	0.04	371,023	199	0.01	3,162	30	4.34
31st March 1911	373,620	190	-0.02	368,791	198	-0.06	4,829	46	4.33
21st May 1921	383,069	195	0.25	376,485	202	0.21	6,584	63	3.15
26th April 1931	401,440	204	0.47	393,238	211	0.44	8,202	79	2.22
11th June 1944	431,070	219	0.55	419,185	225	0.49	11,885	114	2.89
30th June 1952	514,748	261	2.24	501,415	269	2.26	13,333	128	1.45
30th June 1962²	699,954	356	3.12	681,619	366	3.12	18,335	176	3.24
30th June 1972²	850,968	432	1.97	826,199	443	1.94	24,769	238	3.05
2nd July 1983²	999,945	508	1.48	966,863	518	1.44	33,082	318	2.67
1st July 1990³	1,056,660	537	0.79	1,022,456	548	0.80	34,204	329	0.48
1st July 2000³	1,178,848	599	1.10	1,143,069	613	1.12	35,779	344	0.45

1 excluding Agalega and St Brandon

2 "de facto" population

3 "de jure" population

Table 1.4(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	77,996	64,282	13,714	-	-	-
1861	115,864	59,796	56,068	192,634	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	268,649	139,533	129,116	8,923	6,343	2,580
1944	143,056	67,136	75,920	265,247	136,382	128,865	10,882	6,808	4,074
1952	148,238	70,370	77,868	335,327	171,241	164,086	17,850	10,421	7,429

Note: At the 1962 census each householder 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 1.4(b) - Population enumerated at each census by community and sex - Republic of Mauritius¹, 1962 - 2000

Year of census	Community	Republic of Mauritius			Island of Mauritius			Island of Rodrigues		
		Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female
1962 ²	Total Population	699,954	351,368	348,586	681,619	342,306	339,313	18,335	9,062	9,273
	Hindu	344,622	174,713	169,909	344,587	174,698	169,889	35	15	20
	Muslim	110,404	56,018	54,386	110,322	55,971	54,351	82	47	35
	Sino-Mauritian	23,436	12,864	10,572	23,058	12,654	10,404	378	210	168
	General Population	221,492	107,773	113,719	203,652	98,983	104,669	17,840	8,790	9,050
1972 ²	Total Population	850,968	425,850	425,118	826,199	413,580	412,619	24,769	12,270	12,499
	Hindu	428,345	215,752	212,593	428,167	215,654	212,513	178	98	80
	Muslim	137,171	68,834	68,337	137,081	68,789	68,292	90	45	45
	Sino-Mauritian	24,373	13,018	11,355	24,084	12,849	11,235	289	169	120
	General Population	261,079	128,246	132,833	236,867	116,288	120,579	24,212	11,958	12,254
1983 ²	Total Population	999,945	497,920	502,025	966,863	481,368	485,495	33,082	16,552	16,530
1990 ³	Total Population	1,056,660	527,760	528,900	1,022,456	510,676	511,780	34,204	17,084	17,120
2000 ³	Total Population	1,178,848	583,756	595,092	1,143,069	566,056	577,013	35,779	17,700	18,079

1 excluding Agalega and St Brandon

2 "de facto " population

3 "de jure" population

Note: No data on community was collected in 1983 , 1990 and 2000

Table 1.5 - Population by geographical district and sex at 1990 & 2000 censuses, and the intercensal increase -

Republic of Mauritius¹

Geographical district	1990 census ²			2000 census ²			Intercensal increase	
	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Number	Annual average (%)
Port Louis	133,073	66,179	66,894	127,855	63,458	64,397	-5,218	-0.40
Pamplemousses	101,666	51,212	50,454	122,252	60,533	61,719	20,586	1.86
Riviere du Rempart	86,779	43,362	43,417	98,854	49,116	49,738	12,075	1.31
Flacq	112,773	56,452	56,321	126,839	63,549	63,290	14,066	1.18
Grand Port	96,667	48,425	48,242	106,665	53,011	53,654	9,998	0.99
Savanne	60,841	30,444	30,397	66,356	32,787	33,569	5,515	0.87
Plaines Wilhems	321,713	160,252	161,461	358,182	175,852	182,330	36,469	1.08
Moka	65,176	32,378	32,798	75,479	37,275	38,204	10,303	1.48
Black River	43,768	21,972	21,796	60,587	30,475	30,112	16,819	3.31
Island of Mauritius	1,022,456	510,676	511,780	1,143,069	566,056	577,013	120,613	1.12
Island of Rodrigues	34,204	17,084	17,120	35,779	17,700	18,079	1,575	0.45
Republic of Mauritius	1,056,660	527,760	528,900	1,178,848	583,756	595,092	122,188	1.10

1 excluding Agalega and St. Brandon

2 "de jure" population; not adjusted for underenumeration of young children

Table 1.6(a) - Estimated resident population¹ by geographical district, sex and density - Republic of Mauritius², 2006 & 2007

(Mid - year estimates)

Geographical district	Area (km ²)	1st July 2006				1st July 2007			
		Both sexes	Male	Female	Density P/km ²	Both sexes	Male	Female	Density P/km ²
Port Louis	42.7	130,324	64,575	65,749	3,052	130,050	64,394	65,656	3,046
Pamplemousses	178.7	132,657	65,564	67,093	742	134,037	66,275	67,762	750
Riviere du Rempart	147.6	105,978	52,514	53,464	718	106,782	52,907	53,875	723
Flacq	297.9	136,138	68,052	68,086	457	137,173	68,543	68,630	460
Grand Port	260.3	113,176	56,143	57,033	435	113,756	56,423	57,333	437
Savanne	244.8	69,569	34,498	35,071	284	69,870	34,662	35,208	285
Plaines Wilhems	203.3	377,639	184,820	192,819	1,858	379,446	185,640	193,806	1,866
Moka	230.5	79,761	39,425	40,336	346	80,171	39,634	40,537	348
Black River	259.0	70,377	35,304	35,073	272	71,804	36,003	35,801	277
Island of Mauritius	1,864.8	1,215,619	600,895	614,724	652	1,223,089	604,481	618,608	656
Island of Rodrigues	104.0	37,079	18,348	18,731	357	37,314	18,445	18,869	359
Republic of Mauritius	1,968.8	1,252,698	619,243	633,455	636	1,260,403	622,926	637,477	640

1 based on the 2000 population census data adjusted for underenumeration of young children. Internal migration within districts is assumed to be the same as the net annual internal migration during 1995 - 2000 (obtained from the 2000 census).

2 excluding Agalega and St Brandon

Table 1.6(b) - Estimated resident population¹ by geographical district, sex and density - Republic of Mauritius², 2006 & 2007

(End of year estimates)

Geographical district	Area (km ²)	31st December 2006				31st December 2007			
		Both sexes	Male	Female	Density P/km ²	Both sexes	Male	Female	Density P/km ²
Port Louis	42.7	130,189	64,512	65,677	3,049	129,945	64,323	65,622	3,043
Pamplemousses	178.7	133,315	65,902	67,413	746	134,726	66,601	68,125	754
Riviere du Rempart	147.6	106,360	52,715	53,645	721	107,243	53,118	54,125	727
Flacq	297.9	136,649	68,310	68,339	459	137,692	68,799	68,893	462
Grand Port	260.3	113,451	56,284	57,167	436	114,106	56,594	57,512	438
Savanne	244.8	69,729	34,582	35,147	285	70,020	34,749	35,271	286
Plaines Wilhems	203.3	378,499	185,215	193,284	1,862	380,463	186,087	194,376	1,871
Moka	230.5	79,953	39,521	40,432	347	80,398	39,716	40,682	349
Black River	259.0	71,063	35,647	35,416	274	72,482	36,320	36,162	280
Island of Mauritius	1,864.8	1,219,208	602,688	616,520	654	1,227,075	606,307	620,768	658
Island of Rodrigues	104.0	37,230	18,423	18,807	358	37,499	18,530	18,969	361
Republic of Mauritius	1,968.8	1,256,438	621,111	635,327	638	1,264,574	624,837	639,737	642

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

Internal migration within districts is assumed to be the same as the net annual internal migration during 1995 - 2000 (obtained from the 2000 census).

2 excluding Agalega and St. Brandon

Table 1.7- Population¹ by urban/rural residence and sex at 1990 and 2000 censuses and the intercensal increase - Republic of Mauritius²

Country/Municipal Council Area (MCA) ³	1990 census ⁴			2000 census ⁴			Intercensal increase	
	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Number	Annual average(%)
Island of Mauritius	1,022,456	510,676	511,780	1,143,069	566,056	577,013	120,613	1.12
Urban population	414,242	206,104	208,138	503,045	247,844	255,201	88,803	1.96
- Port Louis	(132,460)	(65,873)	(66,587)	(144,303)	(71,720)	(72,583)	(11,843)	(0.86)
- Beau Bassin/Rose Hill	(91,518)	(45,497)	(46,021)	(103,872)	(50,730)	(53,142)	(12,354)	(1.27)
- Quatre Bornes	(68,398)	(33,875)	(34,523)	(75,884)	(37,306)	(38,578)	(7,486)	(1.04)
- Vacoas/Phoenix	(56,452)	(28,235)	(28,217)	(100,066)	(49,452)	(50,614)	(43,614)	(5.89)
- Curepipe	(65,414)	(32,624)	(32,790)	(78,920)	(38,636)	(40,284)	(13,506)	(1.89)
Rural population	608,214	304,572	303,642	640,024	318,212	321,812	31,810	0.51
Island of Rodrigues	34,204	17,084	17,120	35,779	17,700	18,079	1,575	0.45
Urban population	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural population	34,204	17,084	17,120	35,779	17,700	18,079	1,575	0.45
Republic of Mauritius	1,056,660	527,760	528,900	1,178,848	583,756	595,092	122,188	1.10
Urban population	414,242	206,104	208,138	503,045	247,844	255,201	88,803	1.96
Rural population	642,418	321,656	320,762	675,803	335,912	339,891	33,385	0.51

1 not adjusted for underenumeration of young children

2 excluding Agalega and St Brandon

3 according to proclaimed boundaries, altered in 1963 (Proclamation No. 12 and 13) and subsequently enlarged in 1965 - (Proclamation No. 23)

and in 1967 (Proclamation No. 2). Urban population refers to the population in Municipal Council Areas.

4 "de jure" population

Table 1.8(a) - Estimated resident population¹ by urban/rural residence and sex - Republic of Mauritius², 2006 & 2007
(Mid - year estimates)

Country/Municipal Council Area (MCA) ³	1st July 2006			1st July 2007		
	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female
Island of Mauritius	1,215,619	600,895	614,724	1,223,089	604,481	618,608
Urban population	527,138	259,028	268,110	528,961	259,800	269,161
- Port Louis	(148,872)	(73,870)	(75,002)	(148,877)	(73,822)	(75,055)
- Beau Bassin/Rose Hill	(108,921)	(53,071)	(55,850)	(109,411)	(53,276)	(56,135)
- Quatre Bornes	(80,136)	(39,339)	(40,797)	(80,542)	(39,531)	(41,011)
- Vacoas/Phoenix	(106,011)	(52,188)	(53,823)	(106,574)	(52,437)	(54,137)
- Curepipe	(83,198)	(40,560)	(42,638)	(83,557)	(40,734)	(42,823)
Rural population	688,481	341,867	346,614	694,128	344,681	349,447
Island of Rodrigues	37,079	18,348	18,731	37,314	18,445	18,869
Urban population	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural population	37,079	18,348	18,731	37,314	18,445	18,869
Republic of Mauritius	1,252,698	619,243	633,455	1,260,403	622,926	637,477
Urban population	527,138	259,028	268,110	528,961	259,800	269,161
Rural population	725,560	360,215	365,345	731,442	363,126	368,316

1 based on 2000 population census data adjusted for underenumeration of young children. Internal migration within towns is assumed to be the same as the net annual migration during 1995 - 2000 (obtained from the 2000 census).

2 excluding Agalega and St Brandon

3 according to proclaimed boundaries altered in 1963 (Procl. No. 12,13), 1965 (Procl. No. 23), 1967 (Procl. No. 2), 1990 (Procl. No. 8).

Table 1.8(b) - Estimated resident population¹ by urban/rural residence and sex - Republic of Mauritius², 2006 & 2007
(End of year estimates)

Country/Municipal Council Area (MCA) ³	31st December 2006			31st December 2007		
	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female
Island of Mauritius	1,219,208	602,688	616,520	1,227,075	606,307	620,768
Urban population	528,015	259,433	268,582	530,039	260,255	269,784
- <i>Port Louis</i>	(148,878)	(73,877)	(75,001)	(148,939)	(73,830)	(75,109)
- <i>Beau Bassin/Rose Hill</i>	(109,182)	(53,184)	(55,998)	(109,701)	(53,420)	(56,281)
- <i>Quatre Bornes</i>	(80,325)	(39,430)	(40,895)	(80,780)	(39,645)	(41,135)
- <i>Vacoas/Phoenix</i>	(106,255)	(52,290)	(53,965)	(106,865)	(52,561)	(54,304)
- <i>Curepipe</i>	(83,375)	(40,652)	(42,723)	(83,754)	(40,799)	(42,955)
Rural population	691,193	343,255	347,938	697,036	346,052	350,984
Island of Rodrigues	37,230	18,423	18,807	37,499	18,530	18,969
Urban population	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural population	37,230	18,423	18,807	37,499	18,530	18,969
Republic of Mauritius	1,256,438	621,111	635,327	1,264,574	624,837	639,737
Urban population	528,015	259,433	268,582	530,039	260,255	269,784
Rural population	728,423	361,678	366,745	734,535	364,582	369,953

1 based on 2000 census data adjusted for underenumeration of young children. Internal migration within towns is assumed to be the same as the net annual internal migration during 1995 - 2000 (obtained from the 2000 census).

2 excluding Agalega and St. Brandon

3 according to proclaimed boundaries altered in 1963 (Procl. No. 12,13), 1965 (Procl. No. 23), 1967 (Procl. No. 2), 1990 (Procl. No. 8).

Table 1.9(a) - Age distribution of the population as enumerated at the 1990 and 2000 censuses - Republic of Mauritius¹

Age group (Years)	1990 ²				2000 ²			
	Male	Female	Both sexes		Male	Female	Both sexes	
			Number	%			Number	%
0	10,490	10,262	20,752	2.0	9,574	9,341	18,915	1.6
1 - 4	38,330	37,637	75,967	7.2	38,066	37,322	75,388	6.4
5 - 9	52,501	50,981	103,482	9.8	53,037	52,152	105,189	8.9
10 - 14	57,171	56,102	113,273	10.7	49,428	48,312	97,740	8.3
15 - 19	49,238	47,964	97,202	9.2	51,671	50,417	102,088	8.7
20 - 24	52,426	50,238	102,664	9.7	55,108	55,784	110,892	9.4
25 - 29	53,689	51,893	105,582	10.0	46,749	47,048	93,797	8.0
30 - 34	47,714	45,875	93,589	8.9	49,964	49,551	99,515	8.4
35 - 39	41,284	39,925	81,209	7.7	51,621	50,325	101,946	8.6
40 - 44	30,126	30,309	60,435	5.7	45,798	44,608	90,406	7.7
45 - 49	21,908	22,802	44,710	4.2	39,133	38,798	77,931	6.6
50 - 54	18,462	19,576	38,038	3.6	27,790	29,149	56,939	4.8
55 - 59	15,688	16,475	32,163	3.0	19,228	21,263	40,491	3.4
60 - 64	14,758	16,088	30,846	2.9	15,301	17,796	33,097	2.8
65 - 69	11,301	12,952	24,253	2.3	11,758	14,010	25,768	2.2
70 - 74	6,480	8,269	14,749	1.4	9,491	12,203	21,694	1.9
75 - 79	3,904	6,071	9,975	0.9	6,047	8,863	14,910	1.3
80 - 84	1,566	3,210	4,776	0.5	2,584	4,548	7,132	0.6
85 +	694	2,229	2,923	0.3	1,363	3,528	4,891	0.4
Age unknown	30	42	72	0.0	45	74	119	0.0
All ages	527,760	528,900	1,056,660	100.0	583,756	595,092	1,178,848	100.0

1 excluding Agalega and St Brandon

2 'de jure' population; not adjusted for underenumeration of young children

Table 1.9(b) - Age distribution of the population as enumerated at the 1990 and 2000 censuses - Island of Mauritius

Age group (Years)	1990 ¹				2000 ¹			
	Male	Female	Both sexes		Male	Female	Both sexes	
			Number	%			Number	%
0	10,088	9,908	19,996	2.0	9,163	8,965	18,128	1.6
1 - 4	36,743	36,039	72,782	7.1	36,697	35,910	72,607	6.3
5 - 9	50,011	48,443	98,454	9.6	51,229	50,271	101,500	8.9
10 - 14	54,708	53,684	108,392	10.6	47,438	46,410	93,848	8.2
15 - 19	47,231	45,982	93,213	9.1	49,447	48,126	97,573	8.5
20 - 24	50,784	48,694	99,478	9.7	53,325	53,993	107,318	9.4
25 - 29	52,451	50,576	103,027	10.1	45,390	45,656	91,046	8.0
30 - 34	46,603	44,800	91,403	8.9	48,739	48,307	97,046	8.5
35 - 39	40,437	39,142	79,579	7.8	50,503	49,151	99,654	8.7
40 - 44	29,457	29,689	59,146	5.8	44,739	43,568	88,307	7.7
45 - 49	21,219	22,102	43,321	4.2	38,340	38,069	76,409	6.7
50 - 54	17,892	18,974	36,866	3.6	27,168	28,556	55,724	4.9
55 - 59	15,219	16,016	31,235	3.1	18,623	20,647	39,270	3.4
60 - 64	14,426	15,747	30,173	3.0	14,808	17,248	32,056	2.8
65 - 69	11,062	12,698	23,760	2.3	11,404	13,602	25,006	2.2
70 - 74	6,307	8,040	14,347	1.4	9,267	11,954	21,221	1.9
75 - 79	3,815	5,924	9,739	1.0	5,905	8,681	14,586	1.3
80 - 84	1,514	3,110	4,624	0.4	2,506	4,416	6,922	0.6
85 +	680	2,172	2,852	0.3	1,324	3,410	4,734	0.4
Age unknown	29	40	69	0.0	41	73	114	0.0
All ages	510,676	511,780	1,022,456	100.0	566,056	577,013	1,143,069	100.0

1 'de jure' population; not adjusted for underenumeration of young children

Table 1.9(c) - Age distribution of the population as enumerated at the 1990 and 2000 censuses - Island of Rodrigues

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

¹ 'de jure' population

Table 1.10(a) - Estimated resident population¹ by age-group and sex - Republic of Mauritius², 2006 & 2007
(Mid - year estimates)

Age group (Years)	1st July 2006				1st July 2007			
	Male	Female	Both sexes		Male	Female	Both sexes	
			Number	%			Number	%
0	9,257	8,759	18,016	1.4	8,727	8,255	16,982	1.3
1 - 4	38,806	37,704	76,510	6.1	38,212	36,933	75,145	6.0
5 - 9	50,040	48,311	98,351	7.9	49,883	47,912	97,795	7.7
10 - 14	53,960	52,957	106,917	8.5	52,387	51,902	104,289	8.3
15 - 19	51,333	50,006	101,339	8.1	53,496	51,658	105,154	8.3
20 - 24	49,199	48,142	97,341	7.8	47,412	46,405	93,817	7.4
25 - 29	56,466	56,771	113,237	9.0	56,477	56,741	113,218	9.0
30 - 34	46,965	47,869	94,834	7.6	48,470	49,183	97,653	7.7
35 - 39	47,521	47,657	95,178	7.6	46,420	47,054	93,474	7.4
40 - 44	51,671	51,420	103,091	8.2	51,210	50,807	102,017	8.1
45 - 49	44,985	44,650	89,635	7.2	45,673	45,877	91,550	7.3
50 - 54	37,770	38,353	76,123	6.1	39,446	39,753	79,199	6.3
55 - 59	29,177	31,179	60,356	4.8	31,005	33,025	64,030	5.1
60 - 64	17,793	20,834	38,627	3.1	19,085	22,081	41,166	3.3
65 - 69	13,068	16,033	29,101	2.3	13,118	16,084	29,202	2.3
70 - 74	9,547	12,653	22,200	1.8	10,102	13,444	23,546	1.9
75 - 79	6,223	9,443	15,666	1.2	6,048	9,220	15,268	1.2
80 - 84	3,873	6,646	10,519	0.8	4,025	6,879	10,904	0.9
85 +	1,589	4,068	5,657	0.5	1,730	4,264	5,994	0.5
All ages	619,243	633,455	1,252,698	100.0	622,926	637,477	1,260,403	100.0

1 based on 2000 population census data adjusted for underenumeration of young children (4,456 males and 3,569 females at ages 0 - 9 years)

2 excluding Agalega and St Brandon

Table 1.10(b) - Estimated resident population¹ by age group and sex - Island of Mauritius, 2006 & 2007
(Mid - year estimates)

Age group (Years)	1st July 2006				1st July 2007			
	Male	Female	Both sexes		Male	Female	Both sexes	
			Number	%			Number	%
0	8,834	8,345	17,179	1.4	8,302	7,821	16,123	1.3
1 - 4	37,061	36,078	73,139	6.0	36,472	35,261	71,733	5.9
5 - 9	48,204	46,526	94,730	7.8	47,956	46,099	94,055	7.7
10 - 14	52,202	51,103	103,305	8.5	50,646	50,090	100,736	8.2
15 - 19	49,332	48,070	97,402	8.0	51,553	49,755	101,308	8.3
20 - 24	47,198	46,070	93,268	7.7	45,495	44,470	89,965	7.3
25 - 29	54,858	55,142	110,000	9.0	54,769	54,978	109,747	9.0
30 - 34	45,969	46,761	92,730	7.6	47,433	48,026	95,459	7.8
35 - 39	46,582	46,656	93,238	7.7	45,536	46,076	91,612	7.5
40 - 44	50,682	50,378	101,060	8.3	50,248	49,785	100,033	8.2
45 - 49	43,939	43,643	87,582	7.2	44,665	44,894	89,559	7.3
50 - 54	36,966	37,625	74,591	6.1	38,548	38,971	77,519	6.3
55 - 59	28,575	30,583	59,158	4.9	30,389	32,396	62,785	5.1
60 - 64	17,254	20,265	37,519	3.1	18,552	21,505	40,057	3.3
65 - 69	12,592	15,510	28,102	2.3	12,651	15,551	28,202	2.3
70 - 74	9,249	12,297	21,546	1.8	9,780	13,082	22,862	1.9
75 - 79	6,071	9,224	15,295	1.3	5,865	8,978	14,843	1.2
80 - 84	3,795	6,514	10,309	0.8	3,954	6,746	10,700	0.9
85 +	1,532	3,934	5,466	0.5	1,667	4,124	5,791	0.5
All ages	600,895	614,724	1,215,619	100.0	604,481	618,608	1,223,089	100.0

¹ based on 2000 population census data adjusted for underenumeration of young children (4,456 males and 3,569 females at ages 0-9 years)

Table 1.11(a) - Distribution of the resident population¹ by selected age group and sex - Republic of Mauritius², 2006 & 2007
(Mid - year estimates)

Age group (Years)	1st July 2006				1st July 2007			
	Male	Female	Both sexes		Male	Female	Both sexes	
			Number	%			Number	%
Under 5	48,063	46,463	94,526	7.5	46,939	45,188	92,127	7.3
5 - 11	70,700	68,739	139,439	11.1	69,885	67,696	137,581	10.9
12 - 19	84,633	82,535	167,168	13.3	85,881	83,776	169,657	13.5
16 - 18	30,926	30,080	61,006	4.9	32,250	31,173	63,423	5.0
Under 15	152,063	147,731	299,794	23.9	149,209	145,002	294,211	23.3
Under 18	184,348	178,936	363,284	29.0	182,614	177,042	359,656	28.5
Under 21	212,481	206,669	419,150	33.5	211,955	205,848	417,803	33.1
15 - 49	348,140	346,515	694,655	55.5	349,158	347,725	696,883	55.3
15 - 59	415,087	416,047	831,134	66.3	419,609	420,503	840,112	66.7
15 - 64	432,880	436,881	869,761	69.4	438,694	442,584	881,278	69.9
15 & over	467,180	485,724	952,904	76.1	473,717	492,475	966,192	76.7
18 & over	434,895	454,519	889,414	71.0	440,312	460,435	900,747	71.5
21 & over	406,762	426,786	833,548	66.5	410,971	431,629	842,600	66.9
60 & over	52,093	69,677	121,770	9.7	54,108	71,972	126,080	10.0
65 & over	34,300	48,843	83,143	6.6	35,023	49,891	84,914	6.7
All ages	619,243	633,455	1,252,698	100.0	622,926	637,477	1,260,403	100.0
Mean age	31.7	33.2	32.5		32.1	33.6	32.8	
Median age	30.0	31.5	30.8		30.5	31.9	31.2	
Dependency ratio³	430.5	449.9	440.3		420.0	440.4	430.2	

1 based on 2000 population census data adjusted for underenumeration of young children (4,456 males and 3,569 females at ages 0-9 years)

2 excluding Agalega and St Brandon

3 the combined child population (under 15 years) and population aged 65 years and over per 1,000 population of intermediate age (15-64 years)

Table 1.11(b) - Distribution of the resident population¹ by selected age group and sex - Island of Mauritius, 2006 & 2007
(Mid - year estimates)

Age group (Years)	1st July 2006				1st July 2007			
	Male	Female	Both sexes		Male	Female	Both sexes	
			Number	%			Number	%
Under 5	45,895	44,423	90,318	7.4	44,774	43,082	87,856	7.2
5 - 11	68,165	66,206	134,371	11.1	67,283	65,178	132,461	10.8
12 - 19	81,573	79,493	161,066	13.2	82,872	80,766	163,638	13.4
16 - 18	29,707	28,916	58,623	4.8	31,040	30,024	61,064	5.0
Under 15	146,301	142,052	288,353	23.7	143,376	139,271	282,647	23.1
Under 18	177,367	172,089	349,456	28.7	175,632	170,200	345,832	28.3
Under 21	204,371	198,709	403,080	33.2	203,795	197,844	401,639	32.8
15 - 49	338,560	336,720	675,280	55.6	339,699	337,984	677,683	55.4
15 - 59	404,101	404,928	809,029	66.6	408,636	409,351	817,987	66.9
15 - 64	421,355	425,193	846,548	69.6	427,188	430,856	858,044	70.2
15 & over	454,594	472,672	927,266	76.3	461,105	479,337	940,442	76.9
18 & over	423,528	442,635	866,163	71.3	428,849	448,408	877,257	71.7
21 & over	396,524	416,015	812,539	66.8	400,686	420,764	821,450	67.2
60 & over	50,493	67,744	118,237	9.7	52,469	69,986	122,455	10.0
65 & over	33,239	47,479	80,718	6.6	33,917	48,481	82,398	6.7
All ages	600,895	614,724	1,215,619	100.0	604,481	618,608	1,223,089	100.0
Mean age	31.9	33.4	32.6		32.2	33.7	33.0	
Median age	30.3	31.7	31.0		30.7	32.2	31.5	
Dependency ratio²	426.1	445.8	436.0		415.0	435.8	425.4	

1 based on 2000 population census data adjusted for underenumeration of young children (4,456 males and 3,569 females at ages 0-9 years)

2 the combined child population (under 15 years) and population aged 65 years and over per 1,000 population of intermediate age (15-64 years)

Table 1.12(a) - Growth of the resident population and vital statistics - Republic of Mauritius¹, 1998 - 2007

Year	Population of year	Natural movement			Net international migration	Total increase	% change during the year due to:			Population at end of year
		Live births	Deaths	Natural increase			Natural increase	International migration	Total	
1998	1,155,344	19,434	7,839	11,595	-37	11,558	1.00	0.00	1.00	1,166,902
1999	1,166,902	20,311	7,944	12,367	+1092	13,459	1.06	+0.09	1.15	1,180,361
2000	1,180,361	20,205	7,982	12,223	+591	12,814	1.04	+0.05	1.09	1,193,175
2001	1,193,175	19,696	7,983	11,713	+500	12,213	0.98	+0.04	1.02	1,205,388
2002	1,205,388	19,983	8,310	11,673	-569	11,104	0.97	-0.05	0.92	1,216,492
2003	1,216,492	19,343	8,520	10,823	+524	11,347	0.89	+0.04	0.93	1,227,839
2004	1,227,839	19,230	8,475	10,755	-822	9,933	0.88	-0.07	0.81	1,237,772
2005	1,237,772	18,820	8,646	10,174	+350	10,524	0.82	+0.03	0.85	1,248,296
2006	1,248,296	17,604	9,162	8,442	-300	8,142	0.68	-0.02	0.66	1,256,438
2007	1,256,438	17,034	8,498	8,536	-400	8,136	0.68	-0.03	0.65	1,264,574

1 excluding Agalega and Saint Brandon

Table 1.12(b) - Growth of the resident population and vital statistics - Island of Mauritius, 1998 - 2007

Year	Population at beginning of year	Natural movement			Net migration	Total increase	% change during the year due to:			Population at end of year
		Live births	Deaths	Natural increase			Natural increase	Migration	Total	
1998	1,120,084	18,744	7,651	11,093	+314	11,407	0.99	+0.03	1.02	1,131,491
1999	1,131,491	19,543	7,791	11,752	+1478	13,230	1.04	+0.13	1.17	1,144,721
2000	1,144,721	19,398	7,806	11,592	+977	12,569	1.01	+0.09	1.10	1,157,290
2001	1,157,290	18,884	7,761	11,123	+890	12,013	0.96	+0.08	1.04	1,169,303
2002	1,169,303	19,169	8,081	11,088	-202	10,886	0.95	-0.02	0.93	1,180,189
2003	1,180,189	18,518	8,310	10,208	+939	11,147	0.86	+0.08	0.94	1,191,336
2004	1,191,336	18,285	8,259	10,026	-362	9,664	0.84	-0.03	0.81	1,201,000
2005	1,201,000	17,924	8,422	9,502	+800	10,302	0.79	+0.07	0.86	1,211,302
2006	1,211,302	16,723	8,917	7,806	+100	7,906	0.64	+0.01	0.65	1,219,208
2007	1,219,208	16,190	8,323	7,867	0	7,867	0.65	0.00	0.65	1,227,075

Table 1.12(c) - Growth of the resident population and vital statistics - Island of Rodrigues, 1998 - 2007

Year	Population at beginning of year	Natural movement			Net migration	Total increase	% change during the year due to:			Population at end of year
		Live births	Deaths	Natural increase			Natural increase	Migration	Total	
1998	35,260	690	188	502	-351	151	1.42	-1.00	0.42	35,411
1999	35,411	768	153	615	-386	229	1.74	-1.09	0.65	35,640
2000	35,640	807	176	631	-386	245	1.77	-1.08	0.69	35,885
2001	35,885	812	222	590	-390	200	1.64	-1.09	0.55	36,085
2002	36,085	814	229	585	-367	218	1.62	-1.02	0.60	36,303
2003	36,303	825	210	615	-415	200	1.69	-1.14	0.55	36,503
2004	36,503	945	216	729	-460	269	2.00	-1.26	0.74	36,772
2005	36,772	896	224	672	-450	222	1.83	-1.22	0.61	36,994
2006	36,994	881	245	636	-400	236	1.72	-1.08	0.64	37,230
2007	37,230	844	175	669	-400	269	1.80	-1.07	0.73	37,499

Table 1.13 - Rate of increase of the population of Mauritius compared with other countries, 2000 - 2004

Continent & Country	Annual rate of increase 2000 - 2004 (%)	Continent & Country	Annual rate of increase 2000 - 2004 (%)
AFRICA		ASIA	
Republic of Mauritius:	1.0	China	0.7
(Island of Mauritius)	(1.0)	India	1.6
(Island of Rodrigues)	(0.6)	Sri Lanka	0.1
Reunion	1.6		
Senegal	2.8		
AMERICA		EUROPE	
Canada	1.0	Belgium	0.4
Jamaica	0.2	France	0.6
U.S.A.	1.0	Hungary	0.2
		Italy	0.5
OCEANIA			
Australia	1.2		
New Zealand	1.3		

Source:

United Nations Demographic Yearbook 2004(except for the Republic of Mauritius and its constituent islands).

Table 1.14 - Expectation of life in years at selected ages at each census, Republic of Mauritius, 1971 - 2001

Exact age (Years)	Male				Female			
	1971 - 1973 ¹	1982 - 1984	July 89- June 91	July 99 - June 01	1971 - 1973 ¹	1982 - 1984	July 89 - June 91	July 99 - June 01
0	61.0	64.4	65.6	68.2	65.9	71.7	73.4	75.3
10	56.7	56.8	57.5	59.7	61.5	63.9	65.0	66.5
20	47.3	47.2	47.8	50.0	52.0	54.3	55.3	56.7
30	37.9	37.8	38.3	40.6	42.9	44.9	45.8	47.1
40	28.8	28.8	29.4	31.5	34.0	35.5	36.3	37.5
50	20.5	20.7	21.4	23.3	25.3	26.5	27.3	28.4
60	13.5	13.8	14.8	16.1	17.5	18.4	19.1	20.3
70	8.5	8.5	9.6	10.6	10.9	11.6	12.3	13.3
80	5.7	4.8	5.8	6.5	6.6	6.9	7.4	8.1

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Table 1.15(a) - Population^{1/} and vital statistics - Republic of Mauritius^{2/}, 1973 - 2007

Period	Population at mid- year	Live births	Deaths	Infant deaths	Still births	Civil marriages	Divorces³
1973	869,334	20,015	6,779	1,277	701	5,679	147
1974	880,650	24,002	6,424	1,113	879	6,905	117
1975	892,045	22,557	7,201	1,130	932	7,069	110
1976	903,610	23,274	6,968	936	808	8,451	98
1977	918,005	23,859	7,154	1,087	742	8,632	197
1978	933,499	25,278	6,596	876	680	10,741	255
1979	949,888	26,163	6,871	891	668	9,327	265
1980	966,039	26,294	6,919	864	662	8,894	351
1981	980,462	24,967	6,653	884	590	8,406	305
1982	992,521	22,459	6,584	682	458	10,768	312
1983	1,001,691	21,073	6,532	570	403	10,255	361
1984	1,012,221	20,332	6,646	505	404	10,865	471
1985	1,020,528	19,376	6,906	487	383	11,245	460
1986	1,028,360	19,170	6,805	524	365	10,556	616
1987	1,036,082	20,033	6,753	504	363	11,392	842
1988	1,043,239	20,941	6,879	471	374	11,453	740
1989	1,051,260	21,822	7,149	498	415	11,197	711
1990	1,058,775	22,602	7,031	462	365	11,425	549
1991	1,070,266	22,197	7,027	413	400	11,295	707
1992	1,084,441	22,902	7,023	426	291	11,408	781
1993	1,097,374	22,329	7,433	438	337	11,576	762
1994	1,112,846	21,795	7,402	394	274	11,414	733
1995	1,122,457	20,549	7,465	404	299	10,624	801
1996	1,133,996	20,763	7,670	459	266	10,700	792
1997	1,148,284	20,012	7,986	406	257	10,887	891
1998	1,160,421	19,434	7,839	376	227	10,898	1,012
1999	1,175,267	20,311	7,944	396	226	11,295	1,150
2000	1,186,873	20,205	7,982	322	266	10,963	1,191
2001	1,199,881	19,696	7,983	282	244	10,635	1,512
2002	1,210,196	19,983	8,310	297	203	10,484	1,291
2003	1,222,811	19,343	8,520	250	220	10,812	1,190
2004	1,233,386	19,230	8,475	277	191	11,385	1,162
2005	1,243,253	18,820	8,646	248	185	11,294	1,133
2006	1,252,698	17,604	9,162	249	147	11,471	1,379
2007	1,260,403	17,034	8,498	261	172	11,547	1,302

1 Figures for 1991 - 1999 have been revised in the light of the 2000 census data

2 excluding Agalega & Saint Brandon

3 Source: Judicial Department

Note: The increase in the number of civil marriages as from 1982 is due largely to improved registration of religious marriages with the coming into force of a new Civil Status Act as from January, 1982.

Table 1.15(b) - Population^{1/} and vital statistics - Island of Mauritius, 1966 - 2007

Period	Population at mid-period	Live births	Deaths	Infant deaths	Still births	Civil marriages
1966	753,276	26,817	6,701	1,721	1,384	4,157
1967	767,782	23,499	6,543	1,656	1,074	3,949
1968	781,615	24,413	7,126	1,688	1,110	3,974
1969	792,893	21,719	6,428	1,528	951	3,882
1970	805,489	21,623	6,309	1,232	857	4,499
1971	816,561	20,834	6,248	1,077	842	4,346
1972	826,199	20,496	6,506	1,308	718	5,082
1973	846,089	18,974	6,525	1,201	678	5,533
1974	857,063	22,938	6,221	1,045	854	6,771
1975	867,824	21,492	6,967	1,046	896	6,888
1976	879,193	22,250	6,815	900	784	8,262
1977	893,069	22,730	6,966	1,023	712	8,421
1978	907,779	24,250	6,400	823	653	10,532
1979	922,807	25,056	6,625	824	650	9,080
1980	937,886	24,983	6,685	808	623	8,629
1981	950,785	23,670	6,404	795	553	8,169
1982	960,994	21,247	6,385	624	438	10,597
1983	968,609	19,948	6,322	511	379	10,067
1984	978,658	19,222	6,417	444	388	10,638
1985	986,520	18,520	6,691	441	368	11,088
1986	994,319	18,225	6,622	480	342	10,337
1987	1,001,607	19,151	6,581	463	344	11,201
1988	1,009,332	20,057	6,699	441	351	11,283
1989	1,017,307	20,955	6,946	452	399	11,040
1990	1,024,571	21,799	6,854	434	348	11,252
1991	1,035,936	21,436	6,815	388	386	11,146
1992	1,049,988	22,170	6,866	408	286	11,246
1993	1,062,855	21,667	7,275	424	333	11,383
1994	1,078,148	21,050	7,234	379	271	11,212
1995	1,087,636	19,824	7,298	388	297	10,430
1996	1,099,057	20,049	7,508	445	264	10,502
1997	1,113,144	19,331	7,798	393	253	10,654
1998	1,125,118	18,744	7,651	364	221	10,650
1999	1,139,718	19,543	7,791	375	219	11,072
2000	1,151,094	19,398	7,806	306	263	10,720
2001	1,163,875	18,884	7,761	263	234	10,414
2002	1,174,021	19,169	8,081	278	197	10,253
2003	1,186,363	18,518	8,310	230	205	10,556
2004	1,196,696	18,285	8,259	256	167	11,138
2005	1,206,346	17,924	8,422	237	173	11,076
2006	1,215,619	16,723	8,917	225	135	11,262
2007	1,223,089	16,190	8,323	248	157	11,361

1/ figures for 1991 - 1999 have been revised in the light of the 2000 Population Census data

Note: The increase in the number of civil marriages as from 1982 is due largely to improved registration of religious marriages with the coming into force of a new Civil Status Act as from January 1982.

Table 1.15(c) - Population^{1/} and vital statistics - Island of Rodrigues, 1973 - 2007

Period	Population at mid- year	Live births	Deaths	Infant deaths	Still births	Civil marriages
1973	23,245	1,041	254	76	23	146
1974	23,587	1,064	203	68	25	134
1975	24,221	1,065	234	84	36	181
1976	24,417	1,024	153	36	24	189
1977	24,936	1,129	188	64	30	211
1978	25,720	1,028	196	53	27	209
1979	27,081	1,107	246	67	18	247
1980	28,153	1,311	234	56	39	265
1981	29,677	1,297	249	89	37	237
1982	31,527	1,212	199	58	20	171
1983	33,082	1,125	210	59	24	188
1984	33,563	1,110	229	61	16	227
1985	34,008	856	215	46	15	157
1986	34,041	945	183	44	23	219
1987	34,475	882	172	41	19	191
1988	33,907	884	180	30	23	170
1989	33,953	867	203	46	16	157
1990	34,204	803	177	28	17	173
1991	34,330	761	212	25	14	149
1992	34,453	732	157	18	5	162
1993	34,519	662	158	14	4	193
1994	34,698	745	168	15	3	202
1995	34,821	725	167	16	2	194
1996	34,939	714	162	14	2	198
1997	35,140	681	188	13	4	233
1998	35,303	690	188	12	6	248
1999	35,549	768	153	21	7	223
2000	35,779	807	176	16	3	243
2001	36,006	812	222	19	10	221
2002	36,175	814	229	19	6	231
2003	36,448	825	210	20	15	256
2004	36,690	945	216	21	24	247
2005	36,907	896	224	11	12	218
2006	37,079	881	245	24	12	209
2007	37,314	844	175	13	15	186

1/ figures for 1991 -1999 have been revised in the light of the 2000 Population Census data

Table 1.16(a) - Population^{1/} and vital statistics rates - Republic of Mauritius^{2/}, 1973 - 2007

Period	Population at mid-year	Crude birth rate	Crude Death rate	Infant mortality rate³	Still birth rate⁴	Marriage rate⁵	Divorce rate⁶
1973	869,334	23.0	7.8	63.8	33.8	13.1	0.3
1974	880,650	27.3	7.3	46.4	35.3	15.7	0.3
1975	892,045	25.3	8.1	50.1	39.7	15.8	0.2
1976	903,610	25.8	7.7	40.2	33.6	18.7	0.2
1977	918,005	26.0	7.8	45.6	30.2	18.8	0.4
1978	933,499	27.1	7.1	34.7	26.2	23.0	0.5
1979	949,888	27.5	7.2	34.1	24.9	19.6	0.6
1980	966,039	27.2	7.2	32.9	24.6	18.4	0.7
1981	980,462	25.5	6.8	35.4	23.1	17.1	0.6
1982	992,521	22.6	6.6	30.4	20.0	21.7	0.6
1983	1,001,691	21.0	6.5	27.0	18.8	20.5	0.7
1984	1,012,221	20.1	6.6	24.8	19.5	21.5	0.9
1985	1,020,528	19.0	6.8	25.1	19.4	22.0	0.9
1986	1,028,360	18.6	6.6	27.3	18.7	20.5	1.2
1987	1,036,082	19.3	6.5	25.2	17.8	22.0	1.6
1988	1,043,239	20.1	6.6	22.5	17.5	22.0	1.4
1989	1,051,260	20.8	6.8	22.8	18.7	21.3	1.4
1990	1,058,775	21.3	6.6	20.4	15.9	21.6	1.0
1991	1,070,266	20.7	6.6	18.6	17.7	21.1	1.3
1992	1,084,441	21.1	6.5	18.6	12.5	21.0	1.4
1993	1,097,374	20.3	6.8	19.6	14.9	21.1	1.4
1994	1,112,846	19.6	6.7	18.1	12.4	20.5	1.3
1995	1,122,457	18.3	6.7	19.7	14.3	18.9	1.4
1996	1,133,996	18.3	6.8	22.1	12.6	18.9	1.4
1997	1,148,284	17.4	7.0	20.3	12.7	19.0	1.6
1998	1,160,421	16.7	6.8	19.3	11.5	18.8	1.7
1999	1,175,267	17.3	6.8	19.5	11.0	19.2	2.0
2000	1,186,873	17.0	6.7	15.9	13.0	18.5	2.0
2001	1,199,881	16.4	6.7	14.3	12.2	17.7	2.5
2002	1,210,196	16.5	6.9	14.9	10.1	17.3	2.1
2003	1,222,811	15.8	7.0	12.9	11.2	17.7	1.9
2004	1,233,386	15.6	6.9	14.4	9.8	18.5	1.9
2005	1,243,253	15.1	7.0	13.2	9.7	18.2	1.8
2006	1,252,698	14.1	7.3	14.1	8.3	18.3	2.2
2007	1,260,403	13.5	6.7	15.3	10.0	18.3	2.1

1 figures for 1991 - 1999 have been revised in the light of the 2000 Population Census data

2 excluding Agalega and Saint Brandon

3 deaths of children under 1 year of age per 1,000 live births

4 still births per 1,000 total births (live births and still births)

5 the number of persons civilly married in a year per 1,000 mid-year population

6 the number of persons divorced in a year per 1,000 mid-year population

Table 1.16(b) - Population^{1/} and vital statistics rates - Island of Mauritius, 1966 - 2007

Period	Population at mid- period	Crude birth rate	Crude Death rate	Infant mortality rate²	Still birth rate³	Marriage rate⁴
1966	753,276	35.6	8.9	64.2	49.1	11.0
1967	767,782	30.6	8.5	70.5	43.7	10.3
1968	781,615	31.2	9.1	69.1	43.5	10.2
1969	792,893	27.4	8.1	70.4	41.9	9.8
1970	805,489	26.8	7.8	57.0	38.1	11.2
1971	816,561	25.5	7.7	51.7	38.8	10.6
1972	826,199	24.8	7.9	63.8	33.8	12.3
1973	846,089	22.4	7.7	63.3	34.5	13.1
1974	857,063	26.8	7.3	45.6	35.9	15.8
1975	867,824	24.8	8.0	48.7	40.0	15.9
1976	879,193	25.3	7.8	40.4	34.0	18.8
1977	893,069	25.5	7.8	45.0	30.4	18.9
1978	907,779	26.7	7.1	33.9	26.2	23.2
1979	922,807	27.2	7.2	32.9	25.3	19.7
1980	937,886	26.6	7.1	32.3	24.3	18.4
1981	950,785	24.9	6.7	33.6	22.8	17.2
1982	960,994	22.1	6.6	29.4	20.2	22.1
1983	968,609	20.6	6.5	25.6	18.6	20.8
1984	978,658	19.6	6.6	23.1	19.8	21.7
1985	986,520	18.8	6.8	23.8	19.5	22.5
1986	994,319	18.3	6.7	26.3	18.4	20.8
1987	1,001,607	19.1	6.6	24.2	17.6	22.4
1988	1,009,332	19.9	6.6	22.0	17.2	22.4
1989	1,017,307	20.6	6.8	21.6	18.7	21.7
1990	1,024,571	21.3	6.7	19.9	15.7	22.0
1991	1,035,936	20.7	6.6	18.1	17.7	21.5
1992	1,049,988	21.1	6.5	18.4	12.7	21.4
1993	1,062,855	20.4	6.8	19.6	15.1	21.4
1994	1,078,148	19.5	6.7	18.0	12.7	20.8
1995	1,087,636	18.2	6.7	19.6	14.8	19.2
1996	1,099,057	18.2	6.8	22.2	13.0	19.1
1997	1,113,144	17.4	7.0	20.3	12.9	19.1
1998	1,125,118	16.7	6.8	19.4	11.7	18.9
1999	1,139,718	17.1	6.8	19.2	11.1	19.4
2000	1,151,094	16.9	6.8	15.8	13.4	18.6
2001	1,163,875	16.2	6.7	13.9	12.2	17.9
2002	1,174,021	16.3	6.9	14.5	10.2	17.5
2003	1,186,363	15.6	7.0	12.4	10.9	17.8
2004	1,196,696	15.3	6.9	14.0	9.0	18.6
2005	1,206,346	14.9	7.0	13.2	9.6	18.4
2006	1,215,619	13.8	7.3	13.5	8.0	18.5
2007	1,223,089	13.2	6.8	15.3	9.6	18.6

1 figures have been revised in the light of the 2000 Population Census data

2 deaths of children under 1 year of age per 1,000 live births

3 still births per 1,000 total births (live births and still births)

4 the number of persons civilly married in a year per 1,000 mid-period population

Table 1.16(c) - Population¹ and vital statistics rates² - Island of Rodrigues, 1973 - 2007

Period	Population at mid- year	Crude birth rate	Crude death rate	Infant mortality rate³	Still birth rate⁴	Marriage rate⁵
1973	23,245	44.5	10.1	75.7	24.8	11.8
1974	23,587	44.8	9.8	71.9	25.8	13.0
1975	24,221	43.4	8.1	59.6	26.3	13.9
1976	24,417	43.9	7.8	57.2	27.2	15.9
1977	24,936	42.5	7.2	48.1	24.8	16.3
1978	25,720	42.3	8.2	56.4	22.5	17.3
1979	27,081	42.4	8.3	51.1	23.8	17.7
1980	28,153	44.0	8.6	57.1	24.7	17.7
1981	29,677	42.9	7.7	53.1	24.5	15.1
1982	31,527	38.4	7.0	56.7	21.8	12.6
1983	33,082	34.7	6.4	51.6	17.1	11.8
1984	33,563	30.7	6.5	53.7	17.5	11.3
1985	34,008	28.5	6.1	51.9	18.2	11.8
1986	34,041	26.3	5.6	48.8	20.8	11.1
1987	34,475	26.2	5.2	42.4	23.4	11.2
1988	33,907	25.9	5.5	44.4	21.6	10.2
1989	33,953	25.1	5.5	40.7	21.5	9.8
1990	34,204	23.7	5.8	40.7	19.0	9.3
1991	34,330	22.3	5.3	30.9	15.4	9.4
1992	34,453	20.8	5.1	26.5	10.6	9.8
1993	34,519	20.7	4.7	22.0	5.6	10.8
1994	34,698	20.5	4.7	21.1	4.2	11.3
1995	34,821	20.9	4.8	20.6	3.2	11.4
1996	34,939	20.2	4.9	20.3	3.8	11.9
1997	35,140	19.8	5.1	18.7	5.7	12.9
1998	35,303	20.2	5.0	21.5	7.9	13.3
1999	35,549	21.2	4.8	21.6	7.0	13.4
2000	35,779	22.2	5.1	23.5	8.3	12.8
2001	36,006	22.5	5.8	22.6	7.7	12.9
2002	36,175	22.6	6.1	23.7	12.5	13.0
2003	36,448	23.6	6.0	23.2	17.1	13.4
2004	36,690	24.2	5.9	19.5	18.8	13.1
2005	36,907	24.6	6.2	20.6	17.3	12.2
2006⁶	37,079	23.6	5.8	18.3	14.7	11.0
2007⁷	37,314	22.6	4.7	15.4	17.5	10.0

1 figures for 1991 - 1999 have been revised in the light of the 2000 Population Census data

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

3 deaths of children under 1 year of age per 1,000 live births

4 still births per 1,000 total births (live births and still births)

5 the number of persons civilly married in a year per 1,000 mid-year population

6 revised

7 based on vital events for the year 2007 only

Table 1.17 - Registered vital statistics by sex - Republic of Mauritius¹, 1988 - 2007

Year	Live births			Deaths			Infant deaths			Still births		
	B. sexes	Male	Female	B. sexes	Male	Female	B. sexes	Male	Female	B. sexes	Male	Female
1988	20,941	10,590	10,351	6,879	3,986	2,893	471	281	190	374	199	175
1989	21,822	11,182	10,640	7,149	4,141	3,008	498	291	207	415	218	197
1990	22,602	11,543	11,059	7,031	4,092	2,939	462	269	193	365	204	161
1991	22,197	11,354	10,843	7,027	4,036	2,991	413	241	172	400	212	188
1992	22,902	11,682	11,220	7,023	4,044	2,979	426	244	182	291	169	122
1993	22,329	11,152	11,177	7,433	4,252	3,181	438	247	191	337	178	159
1994	21,795	11,088	10,707	7,402	4,225	3,177	394	244	150	274	145	129
1995	20,549	10,319	10,230	7,465	4,310	3,155	404	228	176	299	165	134
1996	20,763	10,448	10,315	7,670	4,424	3,246	459	271	188	266	143	123
1997	20,012	10,175	9,837	7,986	4,646	3,340	406	241	165	257	136	121
1998	19,434	9,948	9,486	7,839	4,496	3,343	376	209	167	227	118	109
1999	20,311	10,407	9,904	7,944	4,506	3,438	396	229	167	226	113	113
2000	20,205	10,357	9,848	7,982	4,489	3,493	322	206	116	266	135	131
2001	19,696	9,997	9,699	7,983	4,448	3,535	282	165	117	244	126	118
2002	19,983	10,163	9,820	8,310	4,671	3,639	297	163	134	203	105	98
2003	19,343	9,881	9,462	8,520	4,754	3,766	250	133	117	220	121	99
2004	19,230	9,789	9,441	8,475	4,716	3,759	277	157	120	191	114	77
2005	18,820	9,554	9,266	8,646	4,863	3,783	248	146	102	185	92	93
2006	17,604	9,081	8,523	9,162	5,036	4,126	249	138	111	147	85	62
2007	17,034	8,676	8,358	8,498	4,749	3,749	261	138	123	172	100	72

1 excluding Agalega and St Brandon

Table 1.18 - Registered vital statistics by geographical district - Republic of Mauritius¹, 2006 & 2007

Geographical district	2006						2007					
	Mid-year population ²	Live births	Deaths	Infant deaths ³	Still births	Civil marriages	Mid-year population ²	Live births	Deaths	Infant deaths ³	Still births	Civil marriages
Port Louis	130,324	1,937	1,189	26	21	828	130,050	1,878	1,132	38	23	900
Pamplemousses	132,657	1,973	977	40	12	1,581	134,037	1,894	802	22	14	1,793
Riviere du Rempart	105,978	1,514	794	22	8	1,300	106,782	1,524	680	26	11	1,353
Flacq	136,138	1,966	903	22	23	1,598	137,173	1,899	783	39	25	1,556
Grand Port	113,176	1,533	817	23	14	926	113,756	1,515	753	17	14	924
Savanne	69,569	970	449	10	9	646	69,870	964	483	11	10	622
Plaines Wilhems	377,639	4,558	2,848	54	29	2,520	379,446	4,441	2,817	73	46	2,496
Moka	79,761	1,101	505	13	10	609	80,171	1,010	480	14	7	477
Black River	70,377	1,171	435	15	9	1,254	71,804	1,065	393	8	7	1,240
Island of Mauritius	1,215,619	16,723	8,917	225	135	11,262	1,223,089	16,190	8,323	248	157	11,361
Island of Rodrigues	37,079	881	245	24	12	209	37,314	844	175	13	15	186
Republic of Mauritius	1,252,698	17,604	9,162	249	147	11,471	1,260,403	17,034	8,498	261	172	11,547

1 excluding Agalega and St Brandon

2 based on 2000 census data adjusted for underenumeration of young children

3 deaths of children under 1 year

Table 1.19 - Vital statistics by month of registration - Republic of Mauritius¹, 2007

Month of registration	Live births			Deaths			Infant deaths			Still births			Civil Marriages
	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	
January	1,387	707	680	691	392	299	23	11	12	13	6	7	677
February	1,040	543	497	670	360	310	19	8	11	9	6	3	743
March	1,448	751	697	664	362	302	19	9	10	15	9	6	723
April	1,568	809	759	605	347	258	32	21	11	13	8	5	1,002
May	1,694	868	826	647	391	256	28	17	11	11	6	5	1,033
June	1,527	752	775	729	412	317	26	9	17	7	3	4	940
July	1,543	753	790	833	459	374	27	17	10	17	8	9	1,241
August	1,538	803	735	849	458	391	22	11	11	13	8	5	1,121
September	1,420	739	681	715	404	311	23	12	11	17	9	8	915
October	1,474	737	737	697	385	312	12	7	5	16	10	6	1,088
November	1,227	619	608	729	409	320	15	7	8	17	9	8	1,169
December	1,168	595	573	669	370	299	15	9	6	24	18	6	895
Year 2007	17,034	8,676	8,358	8,498	4,749	3,749	261	138	123	172	100	72	11,547

¹ excluding Agalega and St Brandon

Table 1.20 - Age specific fertility rates¹ by age of mother and live birth order - Republic of Mauritius², 2006 & 2007³

Year	Age of mother	Live birth order						Total
		First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	Sixth & over	
2006	15 - 19	29.3	4.0	0.5*	0.1*	0.0*	0.0*	33.9
	20 - 24	65.7	25.3	5.1	0.8	0.2*	0.0*	97.1
	25 - 29	50.6	39.8	12.1	2.5	0.6	0.2*	105.8
	30 - 34	22.1	24.4	13.0	3.6	1.0	0.6	64.7
	35 - 39	8.4	8.6	7.7	2.8	1.3	1.1	29.9
	40 - 44	2.7	1.5	1.5	1.2	0.4*	0.4*	7.7
	45 - 49	0.3*	0.1*	0.1*	0.1*	0.0*	0.0*	0.6*
G.F.R⁴	15 - 49	26.3	15.4	5.9	1.6	0.5	0.3	50.0
2007	15 - 19	30.4	4.5	0.5*	0.0*	0.0*	0.0*	35.4
	20 - 24	62.6	25.9	4.9	0.8	0.1*	0.0*	94.3
	25 - 29	46.6	39.6	12.1	2.5	0.7	0.2*	101.7
	30 - 34	20.2	26.4	12.0	3.7	1.2	0.5*	64.0
	35 - 39	8.3	7.6	7.2	3.3	1.3	1.0	28.7
	40 - 44	2.3	1.9	1.7	0.8	0.6*	0.7	8.0
	45 - 49	0.1*	0.0*	0.1*	0.1*	0.0*	0.1*	0.4*
G.F.R⁴	15 - 49	24.8	15.7	5.6	1.6	0.6	0.3	48.6

1 live births occurred per 1,000 females in each age group. In calculating the above rates, live births occurring to mothers aged less than 15 years have been included in the age group (15-19) whilst those occurring to mothers aged 50 years and above in the age group (45- 49). Births occurring to mothers of unknown age and unknown birth order have been prorated.

2 excluding Agalega and St Brandon

3 rates for the year 2007 are provisional

4 General Fertility Rate - Live births occurred per 1,000 women aged (15-49) years

* rates based on a small number of events (<30)

Table 1.21 - Age specific fertility rates¹ by age of mother and live birth order - Island of Mauritius, 2006 & 2007²

Year	Age of mother	Live birth order						Total
		First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	Sixth & over	
2006	15 - 19	28.1	3.7	0.5*	0.1*	0.0*	0.0*	32.4
	20 - 24	65.4	25.3	4.9	0.8	0.2*	0.0*	96.6
	25 - 29	50.2	39.2	11.7	2.4	0.6	0.2*	104.3
	30 - 34	21.9	24.2	12.7	3.3	0.9	0.5*	63.5
	35 - 39	8.1	8.5	7.4	2.6	1.1	1.0	28.7
	40 - 44	2.7	1.4	1.5	1.1	0.4*	0.3*	7.4
	45 - 49	0.2*	0.1*	0.1*	0.1*	0.0*	0.1*	0.6*
G.F.R³	15 - 49	25.8	15.2	5.7	1.5	0.4	0.3	48.9
2007	15 - 19	29.4	4.3	0.5*	0.0*	0.0*	0.0*	34.2
	20 - 24	62.8	25.8	4.8	0.8	0.0*	0.0*	94.2
	25 - 29	46.3	39.3	11.5	2.4	0.7	0.2*	100.4
	30 - 34	20.0	25.9	11.3	3.3	1.1	0.5*	62.1
	35 - 39	8.4	7.4	6.9	2.9	1.0	0.7	27.3
	40 - 44	2.2	1.9	1.6	0.8	0.4*	0.6*	7.5
	45 - 49	0.2*	0.0*	0.1*	0.1*	0.0*	0.0*	0.4*
G.F.R³	15 - 49	24.4	15.4	5.4	1.5	0.5	0.3	47.5

1 live births occurred per 1,000 females in each age group. In calculating the above rates, live births occurring to mothers aged less than 15 years have been included in the age group (15-19) whilst those occurring to mothers aged 50 years and above in the age group (45- 49). Births occurring to mothers of unknown age and unknown birth order have been prorated.

2 rates for the year 2007 are provisional

3 General Fertility Rate - Live births occurred per 1,000 women aged (15-49) years.

* rates based on a small number of events (<30).

Table 1.22 - Fertility rates - Republic of Mauritius¹ and Island of Mauritius, 2006 & 2007²

	2006		2007	
	Republic of Mauritius	Island of Mauritius	Republic of Mauritius	Island of Mauritius
Crude birth rate³	14.05	13.76	13.51	13.24
General fertility rate⁴	49.98	48.90	48.58	47.48
Total fertility rate⁵	1.70	1.67	1.66	1.63
Gross reproduction rate⁶	0.83	0.81	0.80	0.82
Net reproduction rate⁷	0.81	0.79	0.78	0.80
Mid year female population				
aged (15 - 49) years	346,515	336,720	347,725	337,984
Age specific fertility rate:⁸				
Age of women (years)				
15 - 19	33.9	32.4	35.4	34.2
20 - 24	97.1	96.6	94.3	94.2
25 - 29	105.8	104.3	101.7	100.4
30 - 34	64.7	63.5	64.0	62.1
35 - 39	29.9	28.7	28.7	27.4
40 - 44	7.7	7.4	8.0	7.5
45 - 49	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.4

1 excluding Agalega and Saint Brandon

2 rates for the year 2007 are provisional

3 registered live births per 1,000 mid-year population

4 live births occurred per 1,000 women aged (15 - 49) years

5 the average number of children born to an average woman assuming that she survives to the end of her childbearing age and is subjected to a fixed schedule of age-specific fertility rates

6 the average number of daughters born to an average woman assuming that she survives to the end of her childbearing age and is subjected to a fixed schedule of age-specific fertility rates

7 the extent to which the average woman will replace herself, assuming a fixed schedule of age-specific mortality rates to prevail through her reproductive span of life

8 live births occurred per 1,000 women in each age-group

Table 1.23- Marriages by type¹ of marriage celebration and month - Republic of Mauritius², 2007

Type of celebration	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Year
By Civil Status Officer	661	735	713	988	1,023	929	1,204	1,100	907	1,080	1,134	859	11,333
- Island of Mauritius	(641)	(729)	(702)	(974)	(1,009)	(916)	(1,190)	(1,082)	(889)	(1,053)	(1,122)	(840)	(11,147)
- Island of Rodrigues	(20)	(6)	(11)	(14)	(14)	(13)	(14)	(18)	(18)	(27)	(12)	(19)	(186)
By unauthorised person but assisted by a civil status officer	5	0	2	1	3	1	11	5	0	2	3	13	46
- Island of Mauritius	(5)	(0)	(2)	(1)	(3)	(1)	(11)	(5)	(0)	(2)	(3)	(13)	(46)
- Island of Rodrigues	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)
By authorised person	11	8	8	13	7	10	26	16	8	6	32	23	168
Total	677	743	723	1,002	1,033	940	1,241	1,121	915	1,088	1,169	895	11,547

1 No "Past religious marriage" was registered in 2007

2 excluding Agalega and St. Brandon

Table 1.24- Marriages by type¹ of marriage celebration and district² - Republic of Mauritius³, 2007

Type of celebration	Port Louis	Pample- mousses	Riviere du Rempart	Flacq	Grand Port	Savanne	Plaines Wilhems	Moka	Black River	Island of Mauritius	Island of Rodrigues	Republic of Mauritius
By civil status officer	887	1,777	1,321	1,514	889	603	2,449	468	1,239	11,147	186	11,333
By unauthorised person but assisted by a civil status officer	8	5	10	4	4	2	10	3	0	46	0	46
By authorised person	5	11	22	38	31	17	36	6	2	168	0	168
Total	900	1,793	1,353	1,556	924	622	2,495	477	1,241	11,361	186	11,547

1 No " Past religious Marriage" was registered in 2007

2 refers to district of residence of husband

3 excluding Agalega and St. Brandon

Table 1.25 - Deaths by age and sex - Republic of Mauritius¹, Island of Mauritius and Island of Rodrigues, 2007

Age at death (years)	Republic of Mauritius			Island of Mauritius			Island of Rodrigues		
	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female
Under 1	261	138	123	248	130	118	13	8	5
1 - 4	31	18	13	31	18	13	0	0	0
5 - 9	18	11	7	18	11	7	0	0	0
10 - 14	25	16	9	25	16	9	0	0	0
15 - 19	47	31	16	46	30	16	1	1	0
20 - 24	84	60	24	83	59	24	1	1	0
25 - 29	128	94	34	127	93	34	1	1	0
30 - 34	152	111	41	146	106	40	6	5	1
35 - 39	207	140	67	204	139	65	3	1	2
40 - 44	350	246	104	344	241	103	6	5	1
45 - 49	483	347	136	476	341	135	7	6	1
50 - 54	565	398	167	556	393	163	9	5	4
55 - 59	757	471	286	746	463	283	11	8	3
60 - 64	749	452	297	735	444	291	14	8	6
65 - 69	760	446	314	741	434	307	19	12	7
70 - 74	941	520	421	916	506	410	25	14	11
75 - 79	935	466	469	919	455	464	16	11	5
80 - 84	972	428	544	954	422	532	18	6	12
85 and over	1,033	356	677	1,008	347	661	25	9	16
All ages	8,498	4,749	3,749	8,323	4,648	3,675	175	101	74

¹ excluding agalega and St Brandon

Table 1.26 - Infant deaths by age and sex - Republic of Mauritius¹, Island of Mauritius and Island of Rodrigues, 2007

Age at death	Republic of Mauritius			Island of Mauritius			Island of Rodrigues		
	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female
Under 1 day	46	26	20	42	23	19	4	3	1
1 - 6 days	94	47	47	90	44	46	4	3	1
7 - 27 days	47	28	19	44	26	18	3	2	1
1 month	24	12	12	23	12	11	1	-	1
2 months	11	6	5	11	6	5	-	-	-
3 months	10	6	4	10	6	4	-	-	-
4 months	7	4	3	7	4	3	-	-	-
5 months	3	3	-	3	3	-	-	-	-
6 months	7	3	4	6	3	3	1	-	1
7 months	2	1	1	2	1	1	-	-	-
8 months	2	-	2	2	-	2	-	-	-
9 months	1	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-
10 months	3	1	2	3	1	2	-	-	-
11 months	4	1	3	4	1	3	-	-	-
Under 1 year	261	138	123	248	130	118	13	8	5
Under 7 days	140	73	67	132	67	65	8	6	2
Under 28 days	187	101	86	176	93	83	11	8	3
1 - 11 months	74	37	37	72	37	35	2	-	2

1 excluding Agalega and St Brandon

Table 1.27 - Under one year mortality rates - Republic of Mauritius*, Island of Mauritius & Island of Rodrigues, 1998- 2007

	Mortality rates	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
Republic of Mauritius	Early neonatal mortality rate ¹	12.0	10.6	9.0	8.1	8.8	6.8	7.9	6.7	7.1	8.2
	Late neonatal mortality rate ²	2.8	3.7	3.6	2.5	1.8	2.3	2.9	3.1	3.5	2.8
	Neonatal mortality rate ³	14.8	14.3	12.6	10.6	10.6	9.1	10.8	9.8	10.6	11.0
	Post-neonatal mortality rate ⁴	4.5	5.2	3.3	3.7	4.3	3.8	3.6	3.3	3.6	4.3
	Perinatal mortality rate ⁵	23.4	21.5	21.9	20.2	18.9	18.0	17.7	16.4	15.3	18.1
Island of Mauritius	Early neonatal mortality rate ¹	12.0	10.2	8.8	7.7	8.6	6.6	7.5	6.9	6.7	8.2
	Late neonatal mortality rate ²	2.8	3.9	3.6	2.5	1.7	2.4	2.8	3.2	3.3	2.7
	Neonatal mortality rate ³	14.8	14.1	12.4	10.2	10.3	9.0	10.3	10.1	10.0	10.9
	Post-neonatal mortality rate ⁴	4.6	5.1	3.4	3.7	4.2	3.4	3.7	3.1	3.4	4.4
	Perinatal mortality rate ⁵	23.5	21.2	22.1	19.9	18.6	17.5	16.5	16.4	14.7	17.7
Island of Rodrigues	Early neonatal mortality rate ¹	11.6	19.5	13.6	16.0	14.7	10.9	15.8	4.5	14.8	9.5
	Late neonatal mortality rate ²	4.3	1.3	3.7	2.5	2.5	1.2	3.2	1.1	5.7	3.6
	Neonatal mortality rate ³	15.9	20.8	17.3	18.5	17.2	12.1	19.0	5.6	20.5	13.0
	Post-neonatal mortality rate ⁴	1.4	6.5	2.5	4.9	6.1	12.1	3.2	6.7	6.8	2.4
	Perinatal mortality rate ⁵	20.1	28.4	17.3	28.0	22.0	28.6	40.2	17.6	28.0	26.8

1 the number of deaths of infants aged under 7 days in a year per 1,000 live births during that year

2 the number of deaths of infants aged from 7 to 27 days in a year per 1,000 live births in that year

3 the number of deaths of infants aged less than 28 days in a year per 1,000 live births during that year

4 the number of deaths of infants aged from 28 days to under 1 year per 1,000 live births during that year

5 the sum of the number of deaths of infants aged under 7 days and the number of still births in a year per 1,000 total births (live + still births) during that year

* excluding Agalega and St. Brandon

Table 1.28 (a) - Deaths by cause¹ - Republic of Mauritius, 2007

Chapter	Cause of death	Deaths						Death rate per 100,000 of population
		Under 1 year	1 to under 5 years	All ages				
				Male	Female	Both sexes		
		Both sexes	Both sexes			Number	%	
I	Certain Infectious & parasitic diseases	9	2	108	55	163	1.9	12.9
II	Neoplasms	1	2	511	457	968	11.4	76.8
III	Diseases of the blood & blood-forming organs and certain disorders involving the immune mechanism	5	1	12	29	41	0.5	3.3
IV	Endocrine, nutritional & metabolic diseases	1	1	921	1,030	1,951	23.0	154.8
V	Mental & behavioural disorders	-	-	57	8	65	0.8	5.2
VI	Diseases of the nervous system	4	3	65	43	108	1.3	8.6
VII	Diseases of the eye & adnexa	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
VIII	Diseases of the ear & mastoid process	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
IX	Diseases of the circulatory system	3	-	1,679	1,413	3,092	36.4	245.3
X	Diseases of the respiratory system	11	8	363	221	584	6.9	46.3
XI	Diseases of the digestive system	1	-	335	99	434	5.1	34.4
XII	Diseases of the skin & subcutaneous tissue	-	-	6	9	15	0.2	1.2
XIII	Diseases of the musculoskeletal system & connective tissue	-	-	7	18	25	0.3	2.0
XIV	Diseases of the genito-urinary system	-	-	81	55	136	1.6	10.8
XV	Pregnancy, childbirth & the puerperium	-	-	-	6	6	0.1	0.5
XVI	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period	161	-	86	75	161	1.9	12.8
XVII	Congenital malformations, deformation & chromosomal abnormalities	51	2	35	25	60	0.7	4.8
XVIII	Symptoms, signs & abnormal clinical & laboratory findings, not elsewhere classified	3	-	72	79	151	1.8	12.0
XIX	Injury, poisoning & certain other consequences of external causes	11	12	411	127	538	6.3	42.7
	All causes	261	31	4,749	3,749	8,498	100.0	674.2

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

2 excluding Agalega and St Brandon

Table 1.28 (b) - Deaths by cause¹ - Island of Mauritius, 2007

Chapter	Cause of death	Deaths						Death rate per 100,000 of population
		Under 1 year	1 to under 5 years	All ages				
				Male	Female	Both sexes		
		Both sexes	Both sexes			Number	%	
I	Certain Infectious & parasitic diseases	9	2	107	51	158	1.9	12.9
II	Neoplasms	1	2	490	446	936	11.2	76.5
III	Diseases of the blood & blood-forming organs and certain disorders involving the immune mechanism	5	1	12	29	41	0.5	3.4
IV	Endocrine, nutritional & metabolic diseases	-	1	913	1,009	1,922	23.1	157.1
V	Mental & behavioural disorders	-	-	57	8	65	0.8	5.3
VI	Diseases of the nervous system	4	3	64	43	107	1.3	8.7
VII	Diseases of the eye & adnexa	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
VIII	Diseases of the ear & mastoid process	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
IX	Diseases of the circulatory system	3	-	1,647	1,383	3,030	36.4	247.7
X	Diseases of the respiratory system	10	8	352	217	569	6.8	46.5
XI	Diseases of the digestive system	1	-	331	99	430	5.2	35.2
XII	Diseases of the skin & subcutaneous tissue	-	-	6	9	15	0.2	1.2
XIII	Diseases of the musculoskeletal system & connective tissue	-	-	7	18	25	0.3	2.0
XIV	Diseases of the genito-urinary system	-	-	79	55	134	1.6	11.0
XV	Pregnancy, childbirth & the puerperium	-	-	-	6	6	0.1	0.5
XVI	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period	152	-	80	72	152	1.8	12.4
XVII	Congenital malformations, deformation & chromosomal abnormalities	49	2	33	25	58	0.7	4.7
XVIII	Symptoms, signs & abnormal clinical & laboratory findings, not elsewhere classified	3	-	70	79	149	1.8	12.2
XIX	Injury, poisoning & certain other consequences of external causes	11	12	400	126	526	6.3	43.0
	All causes	248	31	4,648	3,675	8,323	100.0	680.5

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

Table 1.28 (c) - Deaths by cause¹ - Island of Rodrigues, 2007

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

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

Table 1.29 - Projections of the resident population by sex - Republic of Mauritius, 2007-2047

Age	2 0 0 7			2 0 1 2			2 0 1 7			2 0 2 2			2 0 2 7		
	B. sexes	Male	Female	B. sexes	Male	Female	B. sexes	Male	Female	B. sexes	Male	Female	B. sexes	Male	Female
0-4	92,127	46,939	45,188	91,008	46,322	44,686	92,870	47,271	45,599	91,575	46,613	44,962	88,843	45,223	43,620
5-9	97,795	49,883	47,912	91,946	46,841	45,105	90,862	46,241	44,621	92,748	47,202	45,546	91,479	46,557	44,922
10-14	104,289	52,387	51,902	97,665	49,821	47,844	91,843	46,790	45,053	90,780	46,198	44,582	92,685	47,165	45,520
15-19	105,154	53,496	51,658	103,847	52,133	51,714	97,332	49,628	47,704	91,601	46,646	44,955	90,620	46,097	44,523
20-24	93,817	47,412	46,405	104,133	52,895	51,238	103,082	51,689	51,393	96,776	49,293	47,483	91,247	46,415	44,832
25-29	113,218	56,477	56,741	92,705	46,704	46,001	103,262	52,344	50,918	102,419	51,253	51,166	96,323	48,974	47,349
30-34	97,653	48,470	49,183	112,138	55,712	56,426	91,946	46,170	45,776	102,602	51,861	50,741	101,908	50,864	51,044
35-39	93,474	46,420	47,054	96,641	47,752	48,889	111,163	55,008	56,155	91,229	45,634	45,595	101,919	51,330	50,589
40-44	102,017	51,210	50,807	92,211	45,503	46,708	95,457	46,881	48,576	109,929	54,079	55,850	90,308	44,921	45,387
45-49	91,550	45,673	45,877	99,940	49,751	50,189	90,501	44,304	46,197	93,850	45,748	48,102	108,278	52,905	55,373
50-54	79,199	39,446	39,753	88,893	43,946	44,947	97,422	48,169	49,253	88,536	43,125	45,411	92,091	44,728	47,363
55-59	64,030	31,005	33,025	75,616	37,182	38,434	85,314	41,760	43,554	93,926	46,091	47,835	85,708	41,502	44,206
60-64	41,166	19,085	22,081	59,447	28,266	31,181	70,675	34,271	36,404	80,234	38,852	41,382	88,812	43,217	45,595
65-69	29,202	13,118	16,084	36,748	16,575	20,173	53,513	24,899	28,614	64,109	30,554	33,555	73,315	34,985	38,330
70-74	23,546	10,102	13,444	24,706	10,594	14,112	31,452	13,613	17,839	46,218	20,745	25,473	55,802	25,761	30,041
75-79	15,268	6,048	9,220	18,187	7,284	10,903	19,265	7,777	11,488	24,717	10,147	14,570	36,518	15,656	20,862
80+	16,898	5,755	11,143	17,740	5,900	11,840	20,219	6,842	13,377	22,158	7,633	14,525	26,850	9,573	17,277
All ages	1,260,403	622,926	637,477	1,303,571	643,181	660,390	1,346,178	663,657	682,521	1,383,407	681,674	701,733	1,412,706	695,873	716,833

Base: 2007 resident population estimated by adding the balance of births, deaths, and migration to the 2000 census population adjusted for underenumeration of young children.

Assumptions:

- (i) Fertility: The Total Fertility rate is 1.81 for the period 2002 - 2007 and reaches 1.82 in the period 2007 - 2012. It thereafter stabilizes to 1.86 as from 2012.
- (ii) Mortality: (a) The life expectancy at birth for males improves from 68.91 in the period 2002 - 2007 to 73.50 in the period 2022 - 2027 and then to 76.01 in the period 2042 - 2047.
(b) The life expectancy at birth for females improves from 75.62 in the period 2002 - 2007 to 78.15 in the period 2022 - 2027 and then to 79.92 in the period 2042 - 2047.
- (iii) Migration: A net yearly outmigration of 300 males and 200 females during 2007- 2012; 200 males and 150 females during 2012 - 2017; 100 males and 100 females during 2017 - 2022 and 50 males and 50 females in the period 2022 - 2027 and then none afterwards

Table 1.29 - Projections of the resident population by sex - Republic of Mauritius, 2007 - 2047 (cont'd)

Age	2 0 3 2			2 0 3 7			2 0 4 2			2 0 4 7		
	B.sexes	Male	Female	B.sexes	Male	Female	B.sexes	Male	Female	B. sexes	Male	Female
0-4	85,940	43,745	42,195	84,077	42,796	41,281	83,240	42,370	40,870	82,402	41,944	40,458
5-9	88,766	45,176	43,590	85,881	43,707	42,174	84,027	42,763	41,264	83,194	42,339	40,855
10-14	91,430	46,524	44,906	88,726	45,148	43,578	85,845	43,681	42,164	83,995	42,739	41,256
15-19	92,598	47,101	45,497	91,355	46,467	44,888	88,659	45,095	43,564	85,783	43,631	42,152
20-24	90,448	45,959	44,489	92,441	46,972	45,469	91,211	46,346	44,865	88,523	44,979	43,544
25-29	90,987	46,203	44,784	90,222	45,772	44,450	92,241	46,807	45,434	91,021	46,187	44,834
30-34	95,960	48,677	47,283	90,682	45,951	44,731	89,958	45,553	44,405	92,000	46,609	45,391
35-39	101,338	50,404	50,934	95,487	48,282	47,205	90,285	45,619	44,666	89,600	45,260	44,340
40-44	100,993	50,594	50,399	100,525	49,746	50,779	94,797	47,711	47,086	89,691	45,137	44,554
45-49	89,104	44,054	45,050	99,814	49,736	50,078	99,526	49,019	50,507	93,979	47,124	46,855
50-54	106,356	51,743	54,613	87,676	43,175	44,501	98,389	48,843	49,546	98,404	48,354	50,050
55-59	89,455	43,241	46,214	103,600	50,190	53,410	85,594	41,973	43,621	96,222	47,544	48,678
60-64	81,432	39,154	42,278	85,327	40,982	44,345	99,129	47,709	51,420	82,098	39,960	42,138
65-69	81,664	39,226	42,438	75,292	35,749	39,543	79,259	37,568	41,691	92,416	43,821	48,595
70-74	64,244	29,775	34,469	71,910	33,619	38,291	66,540	30,783	35,757	70,165	32,423	37,742
75-79	44,288	19,632	24,656	51,192	22,856	28,336	57,443	25,932	31,511	53,243	23,801	29,442
80+	37,103	14,029	23,074	47,061	18,540	28,521	56,319	22,596	33,723	64,790	26,339	38,451
All ages	1,432,106	705,237	726,869	1,441,268	709,688	731,580	1,442,462	710,368	732,094	1,437,526	708,191	729,335