

SECTION 1 - POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS

Table 1.1 - Estimated resident population¹ of Mauritius as at 31st December 2007 & 2008

Year	Island	Both sexes	Male	Female	Area (km ²)	Density (persons per km ²)
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
2008	Island of Mauritius	1,234,042	609,261	624,781	1,864.8	662
	Island of Rodrigues	37,700	18,630	19,070	104.0	363
	Other islands	289	193	96	71.2	4
	Republic of Mauritius	1,272,031	628,084	643,947	2,040.0	624

Table 1.2 - Evolution of the resident population of the Republic of Mauritius² as from the 2000 census to 1st July 2008

	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 08	+150,232	+ 76,557	+ 73,675
Minus deaths July 00 - June 08	-67,350	-37,527	-29,823
Plus arrival of residents July 00 - June 08	+1,438,103	+ 780,450	+ 657,653
Minus departure of residents July 00 - June 08	-1,439,293	-781,136	- 658,157
Estimated resident population as at 1st July 2008	1,268,565	626,556	642,009

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, 2007 & 2008

(Mid - year estimates)

Geographical district	Area (km ²)	1st July 2007				1st July 2008			
		Both sexes	Male	Female	Density P/km ²	Both sexes	Male	Female	Density P/km ²
Port Louis	42.7	130,050	64,394	65,656	3,046	129,874	64,280	65,594	3,042
Pamplemousses	178.7	134,037	66,275	67,762	750	135,394	66,903	68,491	758
Riviere du Rempart	147.6	106,782	52,907	53,875	723	107,683	53,316	54,367	730
Flacq	297.9	137,173	68,543	68,630	460	138,194	69,011	69,183	464
Grand Port	260.3	113,756	56,423	57,333	437	114,436	56,748	57,688	440
Savanne	244.8	69,870	34,662	35,208	285	70,147	34,781	35,366	287
Plaines Wilhems	203.3	379,446	185,640	193,806	1,866	381,394	186,453	194,941	1,876
Moka	230.5	80,171	39,634	40,537	348	80,596	39,823	40,773	350
Black River	259.0	71,804	36,003	35,801	277	73,277	36,677	36,600	283
Island of Mauritius	1,864.8	1,223,089	604,481	618,608	656	1,230,995	607,992	623,003	660
Island of Rodrigues	104.0	37,314	18,445	18,869	359	37,570	18,564	19,006	361
Republic of Mauritius	1,968.8	1,260,403	622,926	637,477	640	1,268,565	626,556	642,009	644

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, 2007 & 2008

(End of year estimates)

Geographical district	Area (km ²)	31st December 2007				31st December 2008			
		Both sexes	Male	Female	Density P/km ²	Both sexes	Male	Female	Density P/km ²
Port Louis	42.7	129,945	64,323	65,622	3,043	129,624	64,080	65,544	3,036
Pamplemousses	178.7	134,726	66,601	68,125	754	136,024	67,192	68,832	761
Riviere du Rempart	147.6	107,243	53,118	54,125	727	108,037	53,476	54,561	732
Flacq	297.9	137,692	68,799	68,893	462	138,585	69,195	69,390	465
Grand Port	260.3	114,106	56,594	57,512	438	114,620	56,809	57,811	440
Savanne	244.8	70,020	34,749	35,271	286	70,216	34,815	35,401	287
Plaines Wilhems	203.3	380,463	186,087	194,376	1,871	382,236	186,776	195,460	1,880
Moka	230.5	80,398	39,716	40,682	349	80,789	39,926	40,863	350
Black River	259.0	72,482	36,320	36,162	280	73,911	36,992	36,919	285
Island of Mauritius	1,864.8	1,227,075	606,307	620,768	658	1,234,042	609,261	624,781	662
Island of Rodrigues	104.0	37,499	18,530	18,969	361	37,700	18,630	19,070	363
Republic of Mauritius	1,968.8	1,264,574	624,837	639,737	642	1,271,742	627,891	643,851	646

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 1.8(a) - Estimated resident population¹ by urban/rural residence and sex - Republic of Mauritius², 2007 & 2008
(Mid - year estimates)

Country/Municipal Council Area (MCA) ³	1st July 2007			1st July 2008		
	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female
Island of Mauritius	1,223,089	604,481	618,608	1,230,995	607,992	623,003
Urban population	528,961	259,800	269,161	531,097	260,675	270,422
- <i>Port Louis</i>	(148,877)	(73,822)	(75,055)	(149,054)	(73,876)	(75,178)
- <i>Beau Bassin/Rose Hill</i>	(109,411)	(53,276)	(56,135)	(109,949)	(53,535)	(56,414)
- <i>Quatre Bornes</i>	(80,542)	(39,531)	(41,011)	(81,002)	(39,722)	(41,280)
- <i>Vacoas/Phoenix</i>	(106,574)	(52,437)	(54,137)	(107,175)	(52,694)	(54,481)
- <i>Curepipe</i>	(83,557)	(40,734)	(42,823)	(83,917)	(40,848)	(43,069)
Rural population	694,128	344,681	349,447	699,898	347,317	352,581
Island of Rodrigues	37,314	18,445	18,869	37,570	18,564	19,006
Urban population	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural population	37,314	18,445	18,869	37,570	18,564	19,006
Republic of Mauritius	1,260,403	622,926	637,477	1,268,565	626,556	642,009
Urban population	528,961	259,800	269,161	531,097	260,675	270,422
Rural population	731,442	363,126	368,316	737,468	365,881	371,587

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(a) - Estimated resident population¹ by urban/rural residence and sex - Republic of Mauritius², 2007 & 2008
(Mid - year estimates)

Country/Municipal Council Area (MCA) ³	1st July 2007			1st July 2008		
	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female
Island of Mauritius	1,223,089	604,481	618,608	1,230,995	607,992	623,003
Urban population	528,961	259,800	269,161	531,097	260,675	270,422
- <i>Port Louis</i>	(148,877)	(73,822)	(75,055)	(149,054)	(73,876)	(75,178)
- <i>Beau Bassin/Rose Hill</i>	(109,411)	(53,276)	(56,135)	(109,949)	(53,535)	(56,414)
- <i>Quatre Bornes</i>	(80,542)	(39,531)	(41,011)	(81,002)	(39,722)	(41,280)
- <i>Vacoas/Phoenix</i>	(106,574)	(52,437)	(54,137)	(107,175)	(52,694)	(54,481)
- <i>Curepipe</i>	(83,557)	(40,734)	(42,823)	(83,917)	(40,848)	(43,069)
Rural population	694,128	344,681	349,447	699,898	347,317	352,581
Island of Rodrigues	37,314	18,445	18,869	37,570	18,564	19,006
Urban population	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural population	37,314	18,445	18,869	37,570	18,564	19,006
Republic of Mauritius	1,260,403	622,926	637,477	1,268,565	626,556	642,009
Urban population	528,961	259,800	269,161	531,097	260,675	270,422
Rural population	731,442	363,126	368,316	737,468	365,881	371,587

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, 2007 & 2008
(End of year estimates)

Country/Municipal Council Area (MCA) ³	31st December 2007			31st December 2008		
	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female
Island of Mauritius	1,227,075	606,307	620,768	1,234,042	609,261	624,781
Urban population	530,039	260,255	269,784	531,834	260,863	270,971
- Port Louis	(148,939)	(73,830)	(75,109)	(148,941)	(73,740)	(75,201)
- Beau Bassin/Rose Hill	(109,701)	(53,420)	(56,281)	(110,135)	(53,605)	(56,530)
- Quatre Bornes	(80,780)	(39,645)	(41,135)	(81,191)	(39,785)	(41,406)
- Vacoas/Phoenix	(106,865)	(52,561)	(54,304)	(107,478)	(52,828)	(54,650)
- Curepipe	(83,754)	(40,799)	(42,955)	(84,089)	(40,905)	(43,184)
Rural population	697,036	346,052	350,984	(702,208)	348,398	353,810
Island of Rodrigues	37,499	18,530	18,969	37,700	18,630	19,070
Urban population	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural population	37,499	18,530	18,969	37,700	18,630	19,070
Republic of Mauritius	1,264,574	624,837	639,737	1,271,742	627,891	643,851
Urban population	530,039	260,255	269,784	531,834	260,863	270,971
Rural population	734,535	364,582	369,953	739,908	367,028	372,880

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, 2007 & 2008
(Mid - year estimates)

Age group (Years)	1st July 2007				1st July 2008			
	Male	Female	Both sexes		Male	Female	Both sexes	
			Number	%			Number	%
0	8,727	8,255	16,982	1.3	8,303	8,194	16,497	1.3
1 - 4	38,212	36,933	75,145	6.0	37,040	35,426	72,466	5.7
5 - 9	49,883	47,912	97,795	7.7	49,806	48,033	97,839	7.7
10 - 14	52,387	51,902	104,289	8.3	51,210	50,411	101,621	8.0
15 - 19	53,496	51,658	105,154	8.3	54,815	53,150	107,965	8.5
20 - 24	47,412	46,405	93,817	7.4	47,158	46,177	93,335	7.4
25 - 29	56,477	56,741	113,218	9.0	55,337	55,152	110,489	8.7
30 - 34	48,470	49,183	97,653	7.7	50,776	51,967	102,743	8.1
35 - 39	46,420	47,054	93,474	7.4	45,007	45,404	90,411	7.1
40 - 44	51,210	50,807	102,017	8.1	50,706	50,966	101,672	8.0
45 - 49	45,673	45,877	91,550	7.3	46,988	46,950	93,938	7.4
50 - 54	39,446	39,753	79,199	6.3	40,023	40,567	80,590	6.4
55 - 59	31,005	33,025	64,030	5.1	33,083	34,773	67,856	5.4
60 - 64	19,085	22,081	41,166	3.3	20,743	24,018	44,761	3.5
65 - 69	13,118	16,084	29,202	2.3	13,091	16,192	29,283	2.3
70 - 74	10,102	13,444	23,546	1.9	10,339	13,794	24,133	1.9
75 - 79	6,048	9,220	15,268	1.2	6,154	9,288	15,442	1.2
80 - 84	4,025	6,879	10,904	0.9	4,147	7,166	11,313	0.9
85 +	1,730	4,264	5,994	0.5	1,830	4,381	6,211	0.5
All ages	622,926	637,477	1,260,403	100.0	626,556	642,009	1,268,565	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, 2007 & 2008
(Mid - year estimates)

Age group (Years)	1st July 2007				1st July 2008			
	Male	Female	Both sexes		Male	Female	Both sexes	
			Number	%			Number	%
0	8,302	7,821	16,123	1.3	7,903	7,799	15,702	1.3
1 - 4	36,472	35,261	71,733	5.9	35,303	33,732	69,035	5.6
5 - 9	47,956	46,099	94,055	7.7	47,784	46,145	93,929	7.6
10 - 14	50,646	50,090	100,736	8.2	49,476	48,638	98,114	8.0
15 - 19	51,553	49,755	101,308	8.3	52,919	51,249	104,168	8.4
20 - 24	45,495	44,470	89,965	7.3	45,288	44,317	89,605	7.3
25 - 29	54,769	54,978	109,747	9.0	53,548	53,279	106,827	8.7
30 - 34	47,433	48,026	95,459	7.8	49,718	50,782	100,500	8.2
35 - 39	45,536	46,076	91,612	7.5	44,174	44,480	88,654	7.2
40 - 44	50,248	49,785	100,033	8.2	49,755	49,971	99,726	8.1
45 - 49	44,665	44,894	89,559	7.3	45,988	45,948	91,936	7.5
50 - 54	38,548	38,971	77,519	6.3	39,054	39,705	78,759	6.4
55 - 59	30,389	32,396	62,785	5.1	32,462	34,152	66,614	5.4
60 - 64	18,552	21,505	40,057	3.3	20,217	23,459	43,676	3.5
65 - 69	12,651	15,551	28,202	2.3	12,613	15,659	28,272	2.3
70 - 74	9,780	13,082	22,862	1.9	10,010	13,371	23,381	1.9
75 - 79	5,865	8,978	14,843	1.2	5,948	9,047	14,995	1.2
80 - 84	3,954	6,746	10,700	0.9	4,068	7,031	11,099	0.9
85 +	1,667	4,124	5,791	0.5	1,764	4,239	6,003	0.5
All ages	604,481	618,608	1,223,089	100.0	607,992	623,003	1,230,995	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, 2007 & 2008
(Mid - year estimates)

Age group (Years)	1st July 2007				1st July 2008			
	Male	Female	Both sexes		Male	Female	Both sexes	
			Number	%			Number	%
Under 5	46,939	45,188	92,127	7.3	45,343	43,620	88,963	7.0
5 - 11	69,885	67,696	137,581	10.9	69,681	67,500	137,181	10.8
12 - 19	85,881	83,776	169,657	13.5	86,150	84,094	170,244	13.4
16 - 18	32,250	31,173	63,423	5.0	33,388	32,034	65,422	5.2
Under 15	149,209	145,002	294,211	23.3	146,359	142,064	288,423	22.7
Under 18	182,614	177,042	359,656	28.5	180,062	174,755	354,817	28.0
Under 21	211,955	205,848	417,803	33.1	210,922	204,783	415,705	32.8
15 - 49	349,158	347,725	696,883	55.3	350,787	349,766	700,553	55.2
15 - 59	419,609	420,503	840,112	66.7	423,893	425,106	848,999	66.9
15 - 64	438,694	442,584	881,278	69.9	444,636	449,124	893,760	70.5
15 & over	473,717	492,475	966,192	76.7	480,197	499,945	980,142	77.3
18 & over	440,312	460,435	900,747	71.5	446,494	467,254	913,748	72.0
21 & over	410,971	431,629	842,600	66.9	415,634	437,226	852,860	67.2
60 & over	54,108	71,972	126,080	10.0	56,304	74,839	131,143	10.3
65 & over	35,023	49,891	84,914	6.7	35,561	50,821	86,382	6.8
All ages	622,926	637,477	1,260,403	100.0	626,556	642,009	1,268,565	100.0
Mean age	32.1	33.6	32.8		32.4	33.9	33.2	
Median age	30.5	31.9	31.2		30.9	32.4	31.7	
Dependency ratio³	420.0	440.4	430.2		409.1	429.5	419.4	

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 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, 2007 & 2008

(Mid - year estimates)

Age group (Years)	1st July 2007				1st July 2008			
	Male	Female	Both sexes		Male	Female	Both sexes	
			Number	%			Number	%
Under 5	44,774	43,082	87,856	7.2	43,206	41,531	84,737	6.9
5 - 11	67,283	65,178	132,461	10.8	66,992	64,941	131,933	10.7
12 - 19	82,872	80,766	163,638	13.4	83,187	81,091	164,278	13.3
16 - 18	31,040	30,024	61,064	5.0	32,240	30,920	63,160	5.1
Under 15	143,376	139,271	282,647	23.1	140,466	136,314	276,780	22.5
Under 18	175,632	170,200	345,832	28.3	173,093	167,866	340,959	27.7
Under 21	203,795	197,844	401,639	32.8	202,755	196,758	399,513	32.5
15 - 49	339,699	337,984	677,683	55.4	341,390	340,026	681,416	55.4
15 - 59	408,636	409,351	817,987	66.9	412,906	413,883	826,789	67.2
15 - 64	427,188	430,856	858,044	70.2	433,123	437,342	870,465	70.7
15 & over	461,105	479,337	940,442	76.9	467,526	486,689	954,215	77.5
18 & over	428,849	448,408	877,257	71.7	434,899	455,137	890,036	72.3
21 & over	400,686	420,764	821,450	67.2	405,237	426,245	831,482	67.5
60 & over	52,469	69,986	122,455	10.0	54,620	72,806	127,426	10.4
65 & over	33,917	48,481	82,398	6.7	34,403	49,347	83,750	6.8
All ages	604,481	618,608	1,223,089	100.0	607,992	623,003	1,230,995	100.0
Mean age	32.2	33.7	33.0		32.5	34.1	33.3	
Median age	30.7	32.2	31.5		31.2	32.6	31.9	
Dependency ratio²	415.0	435.8	425.4		403.7	424.5	414.2	

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 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, 1999 - 2008

Year	Population at beginning 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	
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
2008	1,264,574	16,372	9,004	7,368	-200	7,168	0.58	-0.02	0.56	1,271,742

1 excluding Agalega and Saint Brandon

Table 1.12(b) - Growth of the resident population and vital statistics - Island of Mauritius, 1999 - 2008

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	
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
2008	1,227,075	15,590	8,798	6,792	+175	6,967	0.55	+0.01	0.56	1,234,042

Table 1.12(c) - Growth of the resident population and vital statistics - Island of Rodrigues, 1999 - 2008

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	
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
2008	37,499	782	206	576	-375	201	1.54	-1.00	0.54	37,700

Table 1.13 - Rate of increase of the population of Mauritius compared with other countries, 2000 - 2005

Continent & Country	Annual rate of increase 2000 - 2005 (%)	Continent & Country	Annual rate of increase 2000 - 2005 (%)
AFRICA		ASIA	
Republic of Mauritius:	0.9	China	0.6
(Island of Mauritius)	(0.9)	India	1.6
(Island of Rodrigues)	(0.6)	Sri Lanka	0.3
Reunion	1.5		
Senegal	2.8		
AMERICA		EUROPE	
Canada	1.0	Belgium	0.4
Jamaica	0.5	France	0.6
U.S.A.	1.0	Hungary	0.1
		Italy	0.6
OCEANIA			
Australia	1.3		
New Zealand	1.2		

Source:

United Nations Demographic Yearbook 2005(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/}, 1974 - 2008

Period	Population at mid- year	Live births	Deaths	Infant deaths	Still births	Civil marriages	Divorces³
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
2008	1,268,565	16,372	9,004	236	165	11,197	1,569

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, 1967 - 2008

Period	Population at mid-period	Live births	Deaths	Infant deaths	Still births	Civil marriages
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
2008	1,230,995	15,590	8,798	223	159	11,012

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 1.16(a) - Population^{1/} and vital statistics rates - Republic of Mauritius^{2/}, 1974 - 2008

Period	Population at mid-year	Crude birth rate	Crude Death rate	Infant mortality rate³	Still birth rate⁴	Marriage rate⁵	Divorce rate⁶
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
2008	1,268,565	12.9	7.1	14.4	10.0	17.7	2.5

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, 1967 - 2008

Period	Population at mid-period	Crude birth rate	Crude Death rate	Infant mortality rate²	Still birth rate³	Marriage rate⁴
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
2008	1,230,995	12.7	7.1	14.3	10.1	17.9

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, 1974 - 2008

Period	Population at mid-year	Crude birth rate	Crude death rate	Infant mortality rate ³	Still birth rate ⁴	Marriage rate ⁵
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
2006	37,079	23.6	5.8	18.3	14.7	11.0
2007 ⁶	37,314	22.4	5.6	19.9	13.0	10.4
2008 ⁷	37,570	20.8	5.5	16.6	7.6	9.8

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 2008 only

Table 1.17 - Registered vital statistics by sex - Republic of Mauritius¹, 1989 - 2008

Year	Live births			Deaths			Infant deaths			Still births		
	B. sexes	Male	Female	B. sexes	Male	Female	B. sexes	Male	Female	B. sexes	Male	Female
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
2008	16,372	8,248	8,124	9,004	5,094	3,910	236	138	98	165	84	81

1 excluding Agalega and St Brandon

Table 1.18 - Registered vital statistics by geographical district - Republic of Mauritius¹, 2007 & 2008

Geographical district	2007						2008					
	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	130,050	1,878	1,132	38	23	900	129,874	1,799	1,148	30	15	907
Pamplemousses	134,037	1,894	802	22	14	1,793	135,394	1,853	892	29	14	1,685
Riviere du Rempart	106,782	1,524	680	26	11	1,353	107,683	1,450	709	17	14	1,307
Flacq	137,173	1,899	783	39	25	1,556	138,194	1,867	920	27	17	1,517
Grand Port	113,756	1,515	753	17	14	924	114,436	1,361	756	18	13	1,037
Savanne	69,870	964	483	11	10	622	70,147	896	522	15	15	591
Plaines Wilhems	379,446	4,441	2,817	73	46	2,496	381,394	4,293	2,915	59	49	2,424
Moka	80,171	1,010	480	14	7	477	80,596	948	483	10	9	489
Black River	71,804	1,065	393	8	7	1,240	73,277	1,123	453	18	13	1,055
Island of Mauritius	1,223,089	16,190	8,323	248	157	11,361	1,230,995	15,590	8,798	223	159	11,012
Island of Rodrigues	37,314	844	175	13	15	186	37,570	782	206	13	6	185
Republic of Mauritius	1,260,403	17,034	8,498	261	172	11,547	1,268,565	16,372	9,004	236	165	11,197

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, 2008

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	1,439	725	714	700	403	297	11	5	6	15	10	5	603
February	1,312	661	651	589	327	262	21	13	8	16	10	6	711
March	1,373	671	702	732	393	339	22	15	7	14	6	8	730
April	1,390	695	695	714	418	296	25	12	13	13	9	4	976
May	1,426	717	709	687	395	292	20	11	9	13	9	4	1,009
June	1,405	713	692	804	462	342	25	15	10	14	6	8	1,005
July	1,429	734	695	854	462	392	21	16	5	19	8	11	1,185
August	1,416	692	724	934	537	397	21	16	5	10	3	7	1,088
September	1,395	729	666	773	444	329	18	8	10	17	10	7	870
October	1,387	716	671	755	424	331	16	7	9	14	9	5	1,073
November	1,209	598	611	738	416	322	21	12	9	11	3	8	1,136
December	1,191	597	594	724	413	311	15	8	7	9	1	8	811
Year 2008	16,372	8,248	8,124	9,004	5,094	3,910	236	138	98	165	84	81	11,197

¹ excluding Agalega and St Brandon

Table 1.20 - Age specific fertility rates¹ by age of mother and live birth order - Republic of Mauritius², 2007 & 2008³

Year	Age of mother	Live birth order						Total
		First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	Sixth & over	
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
2008	15 - 19	29.6	4.0	0.2*	0.1*	0.0*	0.0*	33.9
	20 - 24	58.7	23.9	5.0	1.0	0.1*	0.0*	88.7
	25 - 29	46.9	35.8	11.3	2.6	0.5	0.2*	97.3
	30 - 34	21.1	23.9	12.0	3.4	1.0	0.4*	61.8
	35 - 39	8.3	7.9	6.9	2.5	1.0	0.8	27.4
	40 - 44	2.2	1.4	1.7	0.9	0.2	0.7	7.1
	45 - 49	0.1*	0.0*	0.1*	0.1*	0.0*	0.0*	0.3*
G.F.R⁴	15 - 49	24.2	14.2	5.4	1.5	0.4	0.3	46.0

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 2008 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, 2007 & 2008²

Year	Age of mother	Live birth order						Total
		First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	Sixth & over	
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
2008	15 - 19	28.7	4.0	0.2*	0.0*	0.0*	0.0*	32.9
	20 - 24	58.7	23.5	5.1	1.0	0.1*	0.0*	88.4
	25 - 29	46.5	35.5	11.0	2.5	0.4*	0.2*	96.1
	30 - 34	20.6	23.7	11.8	3.1	0.9	0.4*	60.5
	35 - 39	8.2	7.8	6.6	2.3	0.9	0.7*	26.5
	40 - 44	2.2	1.3	1.7	0.9	0.2*	0.5*	6.8
	45 - 49	0.1*	0.0*	0.1*	0.1*	0.0*	0.0*	0.3*
G.F.R³	15 - 49	23.8	14.0	5.3	1.4	0.4	0.2	45.1

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 2008 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, 2007 & 2008

	2007		2008	
	Republic of Mauritius	Island of Mauritius	Republic of Mauritius	Island of Mauritius
Crude birth rate²	13.51	13.24	12.91	12.67
General fertility rate³	48.58	47.48	46.01	45.08
Total fertility rate⁴	1.66	1.63	1.58	1.56
Gross reproduction rate⁵	0.80	0.82	0.78	0.76
Net reproduction rate⁶	0.78	0.80	0.76	0.74
Mid year female population aged (15 - 49) years	347,725	337,984	349,766	340,026
Age specific fertility rate:⁷				
Age of women (years)				
15 - 19	35.4	34.2	33.9	32.9
20 - 24	94.3	94.2	88.7	88.4
25 - 29	101.7	100.4	97.3	96.1
30 - 34	64.0	62.1	61.8	60.5
35 - 39	28.7	27.4	27.4	26.5
40 - 44	8.0	7.5	7.1	6.8
45 - 49	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4

1 excluding Agalega and Saint Brandon

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

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

4 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

5 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

6 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

7 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, 2008

Type of celebration	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Year
By Civil Status Officer	591	698	718	961	993	997	1,157	1,056	866	1,055	1,107	793	10,992
- Island of Mauritius	(571)	(677)	(704)	(953)	(981)	(982)	(1,145)	(1,043)	(858)	(1,032)	(1,088)	(773)	(10,807)
- Island of Rodrigues	(20)	(21)	(14)	(8)	(12)	(15)	(12)	(13)	(8)	(23)	(19)	(20)	(185)
By unauthorised person but assisted by a civil status officer	3	7	3	3	2	1	6	5	2	2	8	5	47
- Island of Mauritius	(3)	(7)	(3)	(3)	(2)	(1)	(6)	(5)	(2)	(2)	(8)	(5)	(47)
- Island of Rodrigues	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)
By authorised person	9	6	9	12	14	7	22	27	2	16	21	13	158
Total	603	711	730	976	1,009	1,005	1,185	1,088	870	1,073	1,136	811	11,197

1 No "Past religious marriage" was registered in 2008

2 excluding Agalega and St. Brandon

Table 1.24- Marriages by type¹ of marriage celebration and district² - Republic of Mauritius³, 2008

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	898	1,664	1,283	1,476	1,015	575	2,363	479	1,054	10,807	185	10,992
By unauthorised person but assisted by a civil status officer	7	9	6	1	2	2	16	3	1	47	-	47
By authorised person	2	12	18	40	20	14	45	7	-	158	-	158
Total	907	1,685	1,307	1,517	1,037	591	2,424	489	1,055	11,012	185	11,197

1 No " Past religious Marriage" was registered in 2008

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, 2008

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	236	138	98	223	134	89	13	4	9
1 - 4	35	20	15	33	20	13	2	-	2
5 - 9	23	14	9	23	14	9	-	-	-
10 - 14	28	16	12	26	15	11	2	1	1
15 - 19	59	32	27	57	31	26	2	1	1
20 - 24	68	52	16	66	51	15	2	1	1
25 - 29	117	91	26	114	88	26	3	3	-
30 - 34	132	99	33	128	97	31	4	2	2
35 - 39	205	141	64	203	140	63	2	1	1
40 - 44	333	225	108	329	222	107	4	3	1
45 - 49	486	355	131	478	350	128	8	5	3
50 - 54	668	468	200	659	462	197	9	6	3
55 - 59	820	516	304	805	504	301	15	12	3
60 - 64	860	543	317	841	532	309	19	11	8
65 - 69	754	455	299	742	446	296	12	9	3
70 - 74	958	563	395	929	548	381	29	15	14
75 - 79	956	507	449	929	495	434	27	12	15
80 - 84	1,087	466	621	1,067	456	611	20	10	10
85 and over	1,179	393	786	1,146	384	762	33	9	24
All ages	9,004	5,094	3,910	8,798	4,989	3,809	206	105	101

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, 2008

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	30	19	11	30	19	11	-	-	-
1 - 6 days	82	47	35	76	46	30	6	1	5
7 - 27 days	40	25	15	37	24	13	3	1	2
1 month	22	13	9	21	12	9	1	1	-
2 months	17	8	9	15	8	7	2	-	2
3 months	9	4	5	9	4	5	-	-	-
4 months	5	1	4	5	1	4	-	-	-
5 months	8	4	4	8	4	-	-	-	-
6 months	3	2	1	3	2	1	-	-	-
7 months	7	6	1	7	6	1	-	-	-
8 months	3	2	1	2	1	1	1	1	-
9 months	3	2	1	3	2	1	-	-	-
10 months	3	2	1	3	2	1	-	-	-
11 months	4	3	1	4	3	1	-	-	-
Under 1 year	236	138	98	223	134	89	13	4	9
Under 7 days	112	66	46	106	65	41	6	1	5
Under 28 days	152	91	61	143	89	54	9	2	7
1 - 11 months	84	47	37	80	45	35	4	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, 1999- 2008

	Mortality rates	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Republic of Mauritius	Early neonatal mortality rate ¹	10.6	9.0	8.1	8.8	6.8	7.9	6.7	7.1	8.2	6.8
	Late neonatal mortality rate ²	3.7	3.6	2.5	1.8	2.3	2.9	3.1	3.5	2.8	2.4
	Neonatal mortality rate ³	14.3	12.6	10.6	10.6	9.1	10.8	9.8	10.6	11.0	9.2
	Post-neonatal mortality rate ⁴	5.2	3.3	3.7	4.3	3.8	3.6	3.3	3.6	4.3	5.1
	Perinatal mortality rate ⁵	21.5	21.9	20.2	18.9	18.0	17.7	16.4	15.3	18.1	16.8
Island of Mauritius	Early neonatal mortality rate ¹	10.2	8.8	7.7	8.6	6.6	7.5	6.9	6.7	8.2	6.8
	Late neonatal mortality rate ²	3.9	3.6	2.5	1.7	2.4	2.8	3.2	3.3	2.7	2.4
	Neonatal mortality rate ³	14.1	12.4	10.2	10.3	9.0	10.3	10.1	10.0	10.9	9.2
	Post-neonatal mortality rate ⁴	5.1	3.4	3.7	4.2	3.4	3.7	3.1	3.4	4.4	5.1
	Perinatal mortality rate ⁵	21.2	22.1	19.9	18.6	17.5	16.5	16.4	14.7	17.7	16.8
Island of Rodrigues	Early neonatal mortality rate ¹	19.5	13.6	16.0	14.7	10.9	15.8	4.5	14.8	9.5	7.7
	Late neonatal mortality rate ²	1.3	3.7	2.5	2.5	1.2	3.2	1.1	5.7	3.6	3.8
	Neonatal mortality rate ³	20.8	17.3	18.5	17.2	12.1	19.0	5.6	20.5	13.0	11.5
	Post-neonatal mortality rate ⁴	6.5	2.5	4.9	6.1	12.1	3.2	6.7	6.8	2.4	5.1
	Perinatal mortality rate ⁵	28.4	17.3	28.0	22.0	28.6	40.2	17.6	28.0	26.8	15.2

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, 2008

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		
						Number	%	
Both sexes	Both sexes							
I	Certain Infectious & parasitic diseases	8	6	133	74	207	2.3	16.3
II	Neoplasms	2	3	552	538	1,090	12.1	85.9
III	Diseases of the blood & blood-forming organs and certain disorders involving the immune mechanism	4	-	19	27	46	0.5	3.6
IV	Endocrine, nutritional & metabolic diseases	3	-	1,089	1,025	2,114	23.5	166.6
V	Mental & behavioural disorders	-	-	80	9	89	1.0	7.0
VI	Diseases of the nervous system	9	4	71	59	130	1.4	10.2
VII	Diseases of the eye & adnexa	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
VIII	Diseases of the ear & mastoid process	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
IX	Diseases of the circulatory system	-	-	1,745	1,405	3,150	35.0	248.3
X	Diseases of the respiratory system	11	6	328	246	574	6.4	45.2
XI	Diseases of the digestive system	1	-	353	98	451	5.0	35.6
XII	Diseases of the skin & subcutaneous tissue	-	-	8	11	19	0.2	1.5
XIII	Diseases of the musculoskeletal system & connective tissue	-	2	6	26	32	0.3	2.5
XIV	Diseases of the genito-urinary system	-	-	74	66	140	1.6	11.0
XV	Pregnancy, childbirth & the puerperium	-	-	-	6	6	0.1	0.5
XVI	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period	139	-	82	57	139	1.5	11.0
XVII	Congenital malformations, deformation & chromosomal abnormalities	47	8	36	28	64	0.7	5.0
XVIII	Symptoms, signs & abnormal clinical & laboratory findings, not elsewhere classified	7	-	91	122	213	2.4	16.8
XIX	Injury, poisoning & certain other consequences of external causes	5	6	427	113	540	6.0	42.6
	All causes	236	35	5,094	3,910	9,004	100.0	709.8

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, 2008

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	8	6	132	72	204	2.3	16.6
II	Neoplasms	2	2	531	518	1,049	11.9	85.2
III	Diseases of the blood & blood-forming organs and certain disorders involving the immune mechanism	3	-	18	27	45	0.5	3.7
IV	Endocrine, nutritional & metabolic diseases	3	-	1,071	1,004	2,075	23.6	168.6
V	Mental & behavioural disorders	-	-	79	8	87	1.0	7.1
VI	Diseases of the nervous system	9	4	70	59	129	1.5	10.5
VII	Diseases of the eye & adnexa	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
VIII	Diseases of the ear & mastoid process	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
IX	Diseases of the circulatory system	-	-	1,709	1,367	3,076	35.0	249.9
X	Diseases of the respiratory system	11	6	324	241	565	6.4	45.9
XI	Diseases of the digestive system	1	-	347	97	444	5.0	36.1
XII	Diseases of the skin & subcutaneous tissue	-	-	8	11	19	0.2	1.5
XIII	Diseases of the musculoskeletal system & connective tissue	-	2	6	26	32	0.3	2.6
XIV	Diseases of the genito-urinary system	-	-	72	66	138	1.6	11.2
XV	Pregnancy, childbirth & the puerperium	-	-	-	6	6	0.1	0.5
XVI	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period	130	-	79	51	130	1.5	10.6
XVII	Congenital malformations, deformation & chromosomal abnormalities	44	7	36	24	60	0.7	4.9
XVIII	Symptoms, signs & abnormal clinical & laboratory findings, not elsewhere classified	7	-	89	121	210	2.4	17.1
XIX	Injury, poisoning & certain other consequences of external causes	5	6	418	111	529	6.0	43.0
	All causes	223	33	4,989	3,809	8,798	100.0	714.7

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, 2008

Chapter	Cause of death	Deaths						Death rate per 100,000 of population
		Under	1 to under	All ages				
		1 year	5 years	Male	Female	Both sexes		
		Both sexes	Both sexes			Number	%	
I	Certain Infectious & parasitic diseases	-	-	1	2	3	1.5	8.0
II	Neoplasms	-	1	21	20	41	19.9	109.1
III	Diseases of the blood & blood-forming organs and certain disorders involving the immune mechanism	1	-	1	-	1	0.5	2.7
IV	Endocrine, nutritional & metabolic diseases	-	-	18	21	39	18.9	103.8
V	Mental & behavioural disorders	-	-	1	1	2	1.0	5.3
VI	Diseases of the nervous system	-	-	1	-	1	0.5	2.7
VII	Diseases of the eye & adnexa	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
VIII	Diseases of the ear & mastoid process	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
IX	Diseases of the circulatory system	-	-	36	38	74	35.9	197.0
X	Diseases of the respiratory system	-	-	4	5	9	4.4	24.0
XI	Diseases of the digestive system	-	-	6	1	7	3.3	18.6
XII	Diseases of the skin & subcutaneous tissue	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XIII	Diseases of the musculoskeletal system & connective tissue	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XIV	Diseases of the genito-urinary system	-	-	2	-	2	1.0	5.3
XV	Pregnancy, childbirth & the puerperium	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XVI	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period	9	-	3	6	9	4.4	24.0
XVII	Congenital malformations, deformation & chromosomal abnormalities	3	1	-	4	4	1.9	10.6
XVIII	Symptoms, signs & abnormal clinical & laboratory findings, not elsewhere classified	-	-	2	1	3	1.5	8.0
XIX	Injury, poisoning & certain other consequences of external causes	-	-	9	2	11	5.3	29.3
	All causes	13	2	105	101	206	100.0	548.3

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, 2008 -2048

Age	2 0 0 8			2 0 1 3			2 0 1 8			2 0 2 3			2 0 2 8		
	B. sexes	Male	Female	B. sexes	Male	Female	B. sexes	Male	Female	B. sexes	Male	Female	B. sexes	Male	Female
0-4	88,963	45,343	43,620	91,078	46,424	44,654	92,837	47,327	45,510	91,077	46,435	44,642	87,869	44,803	43,066
5-9	97,839	49,806	48,033	88,787	45,244	43,543	90,922	46,334	44,588	92,701	47,247	45,454	90,961	46,365	44,596
10-14	101,621	51,210	50,411	97,711	49,745	47,966	88,686	45,194	43,492	90,841	46,293	44,548	92,634	47,210	45,424
15-19	107,965	54,815	53,150	101,195	50,971	50,224	97,376	49,553	47,823	88,454	45,061	43,393	90,684	46,198	44,486
20-24	93,335	47,158	46,177	106,968	54,245	52,723	100,419	50,519	49,900	96,850	49,253	47,597	88,133	44,867	43,266
25-29	110,489	55,337	55,152	92,272	46,501	45,771	106,055	53,661	52,394	99,808	50,141	49,667	96,441	48,987	47,454
30-34	102,743	50,776	51,967	109,476	54,630	54,846	91,499	45,951	45,548	105,432	53,219	52,213	99,353	49,810	49,543
35-39	90,411	45,007	45,404	101,722	50,063	51,659	108,517	53,935	54,582	90,815	45,450	45,365	104,761	52,709	52,052
40-44	101,672	50,706	50,966	89,213	44,137	45,076	100,508	49,160	51,348	107,353	53,044	54,309	89,935	44,759	45,176
45-49	93,938	46,988	46,950	99,702	49,303	50,399	87,653	43,008	44,645	98,944	48,019	50,925	105,863	51,942	53,921
50-54	80,590	40,023	40,567	91,320	45,239	46,081	97,320	47,743	49,577	85,854	41,853	44,001	97,191	46,921	50,270
55-59	67,856	33,083	34,773	76,994	37,717	39,277	87,615	42,900	44,715	93,736	45,517	48,219	82,976	40,081	42,895
60-64	44,761	20,743	24,018	63,052	30,137	32,915	71,943	34,648	37,295	82,287	39,693	42,594	88,450	42,366	46,084
65-69	29,283	13,091	16,192	40,077	18,039	22,038	56,859	26,522	30,337	65,341	30,800	34,541	75,224	35,582	39,642
70-74	24,133	10,339	13,794	24,803	10,556	14,247	34,235	14,717	19,518	48,876	21,856	27,020	56,503	25,595	30,908
75-79	15,442	6,154	9,288	18,612	7,403	11,209	19,268	7,653	11,615	26,734	10,777	15,957	38,281	16,140	22,141
80+	17,524	5,977	11,547	18,013	6,009	12,004	20,451	6,863	13,588	22,024	7,408	14,616	27,832	9,641	18,191
All ages	1,268,565	626,556	642,009	1,310,995	646,363	664,632	1,352,163	665,688	686,475	1,387,127	682,066	705,061	1,413,091	693,976	719,115

Base: 2008 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 1.80 for the period 2003 - 2008 and reaches 1.82 in the period 2008 - 2013. It thereafter stabilizes to 1.86 as from 2013.
- (ii) Mortality: (a) The life expectancy at birth for males improves from 69.04 in the period 2003 - 2008 to 72.83 in the period 2023 - 2028 and then to 74.93 in the period 2043 - 2048.
(b) The life expectancy at birth for females improves from 75.77 in the period 2003 - 2008 to 78.23 in the period 2023 - 2028 and then to 79.67 in the period 2043 - 2048.
- (iii) Migration: A net yearly outmigration of 250 males and 200 females during 2008- 2013; 200 males and 150 females during 2013 - 2018; 100 males and 100 females during 2018 - 2023 and 50 males and 50 females in the period 2023 - 2028 and then none afterwards

Table 1.29 - Projections of the resident population by sex - Republic of Mauritius, 2008 - 2048 (cont'd)

Age	2033			2038			2043			2048		
	B.sexes	Male	Female	B.sexes	Male	Female	B.sexes	Male	Female	B. sexes	Male	Female
0-4	84,758	43,220	41,538	83,066	42,359	40,707	82,449	42,046	40,403	81,601	41,617	39,984
5-9	87,771	44,743	43,028	84,673	43,166	41,507	82,988	42,309	40,679	82,374	41,997	40,377
10-14	90,911	46,335	44,576	87,727	44,716	43,011	84,634	43,141	41,493	82,950	42,285	40,665
15-19	92,552	47,154	45,398	90,839	46,284	44,555	87,661	44,668	42,993	84,573	43,097	41,476
20-24	90,537	46,092	44,445	92,419	47,055	45,364	90,720	46,194	44,526	87,550	44,585	42,965
25-29	87,936	44,723	43,213	90,365	45,967	44,398	92,271	46,951	45,320	90,585	46,102	44,483
30-34	96,125	48,743	47,382	87,684	44,529	43,155	90,145	45,801	44,344	92,076	46,810	45,266
35-39	98,819	49,392	49,427	95,665	48,379	47,286	87,316	44,239	43,077	89,805	45,541	44,264
40-44	103,847	51,976	51,871	98,045	48,765	49,280	94,989	47,828	47,161	86,752	43,789	42,963
45-49	88,830	43,937	44,893	102,724	51,143	51,581	97,122	48,097	49,025	94,197	47,280	46,917
50-54	104,217	50,921	53,296	87,596	43,180	44,416	101,410	50,344	51,066	95,925	47,386	48,539
55-59	94,213	45,093	49,120	101,263	49,066	52,197	85,282	41,682	43,600	98,888	48,645	50,243
60-64	78,618	37,484	41,134	89,584	42,322	47,262	96,545	46,156	50,389	81,492	39,258	42,234
65-69	81,334	38,234	43,100	72,668	33,998	38,670	83,175	38,515	44,660	89,938	42,076	47,862
70-74	65,372	29,766	35,606	70,963	32,143	38,820	63,570	28,676	34,894	72,840	32,539	40,301
75-79	44,408	19,032	25,376	51,516	22,242	29,274	56,044	24,097	31,947	50,249	21,533	28,716
80+	38,208	13,948	24,260	46,896	17,512	29,384	55,546	21,000	34,546	62,424	23,571	38,853
All ages	1,428,456	700,793	727,663	1,433,693	702,826	730,867	1,431,867	701,744	730,123	1,424,219	698,111	726,108