

**LOW BIRTH WEIGHT \* (as a percentage of live births with known birthweight) 1990 - 2008**

<u>YEAR</u>	<u>ISLAND OF MAURITIUS</u>	<u>ISLAND OF RODRIGUES</u>	<u>REPUBLIC OF MAURITIUS<sup>@</sup></u>
1990	7.9	5.6	7.8
1991	9.0	6.6	8.9
1992	10.4	5.6	10.3
1993	12.4	4.7	12.2
1994	11.5	8.3	11.4
1995	12.9	5.9	12.7
1996	14.1	7.6	13.9
1997	13.6	9.7	13.5
1998	12.8	9.1	12.7
1999	13.1	9.5	12.9
2000	13.0	10.6	12.9
2001	13.0	9.5	12.9
2002	13.3	7.7	13.0
2003	13.9	11.3	13.8
2004	14.6	8.4	14.3
2005	16.0	11.5	15.8
2006	14.3	14.3	14.3
2007	15.9	11.4	15.7
<b>2008</b>	15.0	12.7	14.9

@ - excluding the outer islands

\* - less than 2,500 grammes

