

Table A - Social Benefits^{1/}, Republic of Mauritius, 1998/1999 - 2002/2003

	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01	2001/02	2002/03
1 Retirement Pension					
No. of beneficiaries: Basic	109,571	111,885	113,131	114,792	116,324
Of whom: <i>Severely handicapped</i>	11,879	13,287	14,020	14,905	15,599
<i>Contributory</i>	29,797	31,453	32,767	33,957	34,775
Amount paid (Rs Mn): Basic ^{2/}	2,047.79	2,208.45	2,484.42	2,592.89	2,840.90
Contributory	178.61	212.31	244.99	274.47	310.18
2 Widow's Pension					
No. of beneficiaries: Basic	21,153	21,323	22,140	22,484	22,861
Of whom: <i>Contributory-All Ages</i>	9,080	9,748	10,741	11,548	12,403
- <i>Under 60 years</i>	(6,155)	(6,398)	(6,962)	(7,291)	(7,672)
- <i>60 years & above</i>	(2,925)	(3,350)	(3,779)	(4,257)	(4,731)
Amount paid (Rs Mn): Basic ^{3/}	421.96	451.16	499.41	521.25	577.37
Contributory	34.50	40.80	48.69	56.43	66.97
3 Invalid's Pension					
No. of beneficiaries: Basic	18,860	19,958	21,970	23,005	23,627
Of whom: <i>Severely handicapped</i>	4,976	5,461	5,875	6,234	6,533
<i>Contributory</i>	3,124	3,443	4,166	4,530	4,766
Amount paid (Rs Mn): Basic ^{4/}	430.14	484.93	568.35	615.72	701.88
Contributory	10.19	11.70	13.73	15.54	18.15
4 Orphans' Pension					
No. of beneficiaries: Basic	719	686	651	602	553
Of whom: <i>Contributory</i>	104	99	82	78	81
No. of guardians: Basic	590	545	522	491	456
Amount paid (Rs Mn): Basic ^{5/}	10.91	10.22	13.01	11.04	12.21
Contributory	0.15	0.14	0.15	0.13 ^{6/}	0.14
5 Industrial Injury Benefits					
Amount paid (Rs Mn)	21.83	24.03	21.15	24.21 ^{6/}	25.94
6 Social Aid					
No of cases: Total	11,865	12,622	14,242	17,026	15,521
- <i>Regular</i>	(10,364)	(10,881)	(12,199)	(13,513)	(13,472)
- <i>Immediate</i>	(1,501)	(1,741)	(2,043)	(3,513)	(2,049)
Amount paid (Rs Mn)	150.78	176.74	203.66	234.46	276.41
7 Unemployment Hardship Relief (UHR)					
No. of beneficiaries	212	233	276	202	336
Amount paid (Rs Mn)	0.88	0.93	1.21	1.53	1.73

^{1/} The number relates to beneficiaries as at June and the amount to the indicated financial year

^{2/} Including Enhanced Basic Retirement Pension & Child's allowance

^{3/} Including Child's allowance

^{4/} Including Carer's and Child's allowances

^{5/} Including Guardian's allowance

Table B - Social Benefits^{1/}, Island of Mauritius, 1998/1999 - 2002/2003

	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01	2001/02	2002/03
1 Retirement Pension					
No. of beneficiaries: Basic	106,650	108,840	109,938	111,541	112,966
Of whom: <i>Severely Handicapped</i>	11,401	12,735	13,485	14,425	15,158
<i>Contributory</i>	29,718	31,367	32,674	33,859	34,665
Amount paid (Rs Mn) : Basic ^{2/}	1,992.97	2,147.25	2,416.44	2,521.95	2,763.72
Contributory	178.38	212.05	244.71	274.14	309.78
2 Widow's Pension					
No. of beneficiaries: Basic	20,813	20,973	21,794	22,134	22,504
Of whom: <i>Contributory-All Ages</i>	9,059	9,725	10,713	11,518	12,373
- <i>Under 60 years</i>	(6,139)	(6,380)	(6,941)	(7,270)	(7,650)
- <i>60 years & above</i>	(2,920)	(3,345)	(3,772)	(4,248)	(4,723)
Amount paid (Rs Mn) : Basic ^{3/}	415.39	444.41	492.70	514.48	570.26
Contributory	34.45	40.73	48.63	56.36	66.87
3 Invalid's Pension					
No. of beneficiaries: Basic	18,390	19,481	21,456	22,463	23,089
Of whom: <i>Severely Handicapped</i>	4,788	5,276	5,691	6,059	6,371
<i>Contributory</i>	3,119	3,438	4,159	4,520	4,758
Amount paid (Rs Mn) : Basic ^{4/}	418.09	472.45	555.11	600.97	686.20
Contributory	10.18	11.69	13.71	15.50	18.12
4 Orphans' Pension					
No. of beneficiaries: Basic	563	546	512	469	440
Of whom: <i>Contributory</i>	102	97	80	77	80
No. of guardians : Basic	471	438	415	386	359
Amount paid (Rs Mn) : Basic ^{5/}	8.81	8.08	10.91	8.86	10.01
Contributory	0.15	0.14	0.14	0.13	0.14
5 Industrial Injury Benefits					
Amount paid (Rs Mn) :	21.81	24.01	21.11	24.17 ^{6/}	25.89
6 Social Aid					
No of cases: Total	10,855	11,618	13,169	15,830	13,994
- <i>Regular</i>	(9,381)	(9,889)	(11,141)	(12,331)	(12,004)
- <i>Immediate</i>	(1,474)	(1,729)	(2,028)	(3,499)	(1,990)
Amount paid (Rs Mn)	109.74	136.05	153.82	176.94	201.82
7 Unemployment Hardship Relief (UHR)					
No of beneficiaries	99	121	145	121	147
Amount paid (Rs Mn)	0.37	0.39	0.60	0.78	0.85

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^{5/} Including Guardian's Allowance

^{6/} Revised

Table C - Social Benefits^{1/}, Island of Rodrigues, 1998/1999 - 2002/2003

	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01	2001/02	2002/03
1 Retirement Pension					
No. of beneficiaries Basic	2,921	3,045	3,193	3,251	3,358
Of whom: <i>Severely Handicapped</i>	478	552	535	480	441
<i>Contributory</i>	79	86	93	98	110
Amount paid (RsMn): Basic ^{2/}	54.82	61.20	67.98	70.94	77.18
Contributory	0.23	0.26	0.28	0.33	0.40
2 Widow's Pension					
No. of beneficiaries Basic	340	350	346	350	357
Of whom: <i>Contributory -All Ages</i>	21	23	28	30	30
<i>-Under 60 years</i>	(16)	(18)	(21)	(21)	(22)
<i>- 60 years & above</i>	(5)	(5)	(7)	(9)	(8)
Amount paid (RsMn): Basic ^{3/}	6.57	6.75	6.71	6.77	7.11
Contributory	0.05	0.07	0.06	0.07	0.10
3 Invalidity Pension					
No. of beneficiaries Basic	470	477	514	542	538
Of whom: <i>Severely Handicapped</i>	188	185	184	175	162
<i>Contributory</i>	5	5	7	10	8
Amount paid (RsMn): Basic ^{4/}	12.05	12.48	13.24	14.75	15.68
Contributory	0.01	0.01	0.02	0.04	0.03
4 Orphans' Pension					
No. of beneficiaries Basic	156	140	139	133	113
Of whom: <i>Contributory</i>	2	2	2	1	1
No. of guardians: Basic	119	107	107	105	97
Amount paid (RsMn): Basic ^{5/}	2.10	2.14	2.10	2.18	2.20
Contributory	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.00 ^{6/}	0.00
5 Industrial Injury Benefits					
Amount paid (Rs Mn):	0.02	0.02	0.04	0.04	0.05
6 Social Aid					
No. of cases:	1,010	1,004	1,073	1,196	1,527
- <i>Regular</i>	(983)	(992)	(1,058)	(1,182)	(1,468)
- <i>Intermediate</i>	(27)	(12)	(15)	(14)	(59)
Amount paid (RsMn)	41.04	40.69	49.84	57.52	74.59
7 Unemployment Hardship Relief (UHR)					
No. of beneficiaries	113	112	131	81	189
Amount paid (RsMn)	0.51	0.54	0.61	0.75	0.88

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^{6/} Revised

Table D - Charitable Institutions^{1/}, Island of Mauritius, 1998/1999 - 2002/2003

	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01	2001/02	2002/03
<i>Capitation grant</i>					
No. of inmates:					
In infirmaries	600	618	639	643	650
In orphanages	207	211	208	209	207
Amount paid (Rs Mn)	18.85	21.06	22.89	24.15	28.13
<i>Inmate allowance</i>					
No. of inmates:					
In infirmaries/orphanages	540	547	560	554	556
In Brown Sequard Hospital	398	387	379	371	394
Amount paid (Rs Mn)	3.23	3.62	3.88	4.06	4.83

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Table E - Lump Sum paid under NPF, Island of Mauritius, 1998/1999 - 2002/2003

	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01	2001/02	2002/03
Amount paid (RsMn) :	12.60	13.27	13.75	20.46	73.72
of whom : <i>Ex SIPF members</i>	11.53	12.61	11.65	18.78	72.16
<i>Other</i>	1.07	0.66	2.10	1.68	1.56

Table F - Lump Sum paid under NSF, Island of Mauritius, 1998/1999 - 2002/2003

	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01	2001/02	2002/03
Amount paid (RsMn) :	26.53	28.03	35.60	85.31 ^{1/}	93.16

^{1/} Revised. Including R37.41mn paid under Voluntary Retirement Scheme (VRS) as per Sugar Industry Efficiency Act 2001

Table G - Government Expenditure on Social Security & Welfare^{1/} - Republic of Mauritius, 1998/1999 - 2002/2003

Government expenditure on Social Security & Welfare	1998/99	1999/2000	2000/01	2001/02	2002/03
Amount (Rs Mn)	5,448.2	5,953.2	6,647.2	7,268.3	7,795.3
% of total government expenditure	21.1	21.7	21.4	21.8	20.3

^{1/} Revised