

**Ministry of Finance & Economic Development**

**STATISTICS MAURITIUS**

**DIGEST  
OF  
AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS  
2015**

**October 2016**

**(Price: Rs 200.00)**

**DIGEST  
OF  
AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS  
2015**

# DIGEST OF AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS – 2015

## FOREWORD

This is the thirty second issue of a regular publication of Statistics Mauritius on agricultural statistics. It contains metadata on agricultural statistics and an overview of the main indicators of the sector.

The digest is published annually and is designed to bring together in a single report as many series as possible on agricultural statistics. It contains information on the sugar, tea, food crop, livestock and fisheries sectors. Data showing the pattern of food consumption of the population are given in the yearly "Food Balance Sheets". Agricultural price statistics are shown in the section "Producer Price Index - Agriculture (PPI-A)". All data relate to the Island of Mauritius, unless otherwise specified.

The data published cover in general the five-year period from 2011 to 2015 and are the latest available as at end of September 2016. Some of the figures are provisional and subject to revision in later issues. Figures in this issue supersede those appearing in previous ones. Historical series of main agricultural statistics can also be accessed from Statistics Mauritius website (<http://statsmauritius.govmu.org>).

It is hoped that the data assembled in this digest will meet the needs of users, in particular agricultural policy makers, planners and scientists.

The preparation of this report has necessitated the mobilisation of resources and the cooperation of numerous organizations, both public and private. Their assistance is gratefully acknowledged.

**Y. Cassimally**

**Ag. Director of Statistics**

Statistics Mauritius  
Ministry of Finance and Economic Development  
Port Louis  
**MAURITIUS**

October 2016

For further inquiries about the current or past issues of the digest, please contact:

**Mr. B. Unmar**  
Senior Statistician

**Mr. D. Chinnee**  
Ag. Statistician  
Agriculture Unit  
Statistics Mauritius  
5<sup>th</sup> Floor, L.I.C Centre  
Port Louis  
Tel: (230) 208-1800  
Fax: (230) 211-4150 / (230)213-6535  
Email: [cso\\_agriculture@govmu.org](mailto:cso_agriculture@govmu.org)  
Website: <http://statsmauritius.govmu.org>

# CONTENTS

	<b>Page</b>
<b>PART I – INTRODUCTION</b>	
1. General	9
2. Definitions	9
3. Technical notes	9
<b>PART II – SOURCES AND METHODS</b>	
1. Production Account	11
1.1 Agriculture, hunting, forestry and fishing	11
1.2 Sugar Industry	14
<b>PART III– STATISTICAL TABLES AND ANALYSIS</b>	
1. Overview of main agricultural statistics - 2015	17
<b>SECTION 1 - SUMMARY TABLES - AGRICULTURAL SECTOR</b>	
Table 1.1 - Share of agriculture in the economy - Republic of Mauritius, 2013 - 2015	23
1.2 - Distribution of gross domestic product at basic prices by industrial group - Republic of Mauritius, 2013 - 2015	24
1.3 - Production account of agriculture - Republic of Mauritius, 2013 - 2015	25
1.4 - Value added of agriculture at basic prices by main product group - Republic of Mauritius, 2013 - 2015	25
1.5 - Agricultural production, growth rate (% increase over previous year) - Republic of Mauritius, 2013 - 2015	26
1.6 - Agricultural crops: area harvested and production - Island of Mauritius, 2014 - 2015	27
1.7 - Production of agro-industrial products - Island of Mauritius, 2014 - 2015	27
1.8 - Domestic exports of agricultural products -Republic of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015	29

## CONTENTS (cont'd)

		<b>Page</b>
Table 1.9	- Employment in agricultural, industrial and services sector (large establishments) - Republic of Mauritius, March 2011 - March 2015	30
1.10	- Employment in the agricultural sector (large establishments) - Republic of Mauritius, March 2011 - 2015	31
1.11	- Employment in the agricultural sector (large and other than large establishments) - Republic of Mauritius, June 2014 & June 2015	32

### SECTION 2 - SUGAR INDUSTRY STATISTICS

2.1	- Production account of the sugar industry - Island of Mauritius, 2013	35
2.2	- Production account of the sugar industry - Island of Mauritius, 2014	36
2.3	- Area under sugar cane cultivation - Island of Mauritius, 2014 - 2015 (as at 30 June)	37
2.4	- Area harvested, cane production, cane yield of estates, metayers and owner-planters - Island of Mauritius, 2006 - 2015	39
2.5	- Area harvested, cane production, cane yield of estates, metayers and owner-planters by region - Island of Mauritius, 2014 - 2015	40
2.6	- Sugar crop 2014 (area harvested, cane produced, yield and sugar production by factory area) - Island of Mauritius	41
2.7	- Sugar crop 2015 (area harvested, cane produced, yield and sugar production by factory area) - Island of Mauritius	42

## CONTENTS (cont'd)

			<b>Page</b>
Table	2.8	- Distribution of owner and tenant planters by size of plantation - Island of Mauritius, 2014 - 2015	43
	2.9	- Production of sugar, molasses and scum - Island of Mauritius, 2006 - 2015	45
	2.10	- Supply and disposal of sugar - Republic of Mauritius, 2006 - 2015	46
	2.11	- Monthly supply and disposal of sugar - Republic of Mauritius, 2015	47
	2.12	- Sugar sales and revenue - Island of Mauritius, crop year: 2005/06 - 2015/16	49
	2.13	- Sugar exports by main markets - Island of Mauritius, crop year : 2012/13 - 2015/16	51
	2.14	- Earnings of sugar producers - Ex-syndicate, before charging sugar insurance premium - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015	52
	2.15	- Employment by sugar estates and large sugar cane planters and by sex - Island of Mauritius, March 2012 - March 2015	53

### SECTION 3 - TEA AND TOBACCO

	3.1	- Area under tea cultivation - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015	57
	3.2	- Distribution of individual tea plantations by size - Island of Mauritius, 2015	57
	3.3	- Production of green leaf of tea by type of producer - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015	58

## CONTENTS (cont'd)

			<b>Page</b>
Table	3.4	- Production of black tea by factories - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015	59
	3.5	- Exports of green and black tea (at current and constant 2007 prices) - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015	60
	3.6	- Exports of green and black tea by country of destination - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015	61
	3.7	- Tobacco: Area harvested, yield and production of leaf, Island of Mauritius: 2011 - 2015	62
	3.8	- Tobacco: Average price paid to planters and value of production - Island of Mauritius: 2011 - 2015	63

### **SECTION 4 - FOODCROPS**

	4.1	- Area harvested and production of food crops - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015	67
	4.2	- Average yield of selected food crops - Island of Mauritius, 2006 - 2015	70
	4.3	- Area harvested and production of food crops grown in interline plantations -Island of Mauritius, 2013 - 2015	71
	4.4	- Food crops: Monthly area harvested - Island of Mauritius, 2014	72
	4.5	- Food crops: Monthly area harvested - Island of Mauritius, 2015	73
	4.6	- Monthly production of food crops - Island of Mauritius, 2014	74
	4.7	- Monthly production of food crops - Island of Mauritius, 2015	75
	4.8	- Area harvested and production of food crops by district - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015	76
	4.9	- Area harvested and production of beans and peas by district - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015	77
	4.10	- Area harvested and production of potato by district - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015	78
	4.11	- Area harvested and production of maize by district - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015	79



## CONTENTS (cont'd)

		<b>Page</b>
Table	4.12 - Area harvested and production of groundnut by district - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015	80
	4.13 - Area harvested and production of onion by district - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015	81
	4.14 - Area harvested and production of tomato by district - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015	82
	4.15 - Area harvested and production of cabbage and cauliflower by district - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015	83
	4.16 - Area harvested and production of creepers by district - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015	84
	4.17 - Area harvested and production of mixed vegetables by district - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015	85
	4.18 - Area harvested and production of banana by district - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015	86
	4.19 - Area harvested and production of pineapple by district - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015	87
	4.20 - Average monthly retail prices of food crops - Island of Mauritius, 2014	88
	4.21 - Average monthly retail prices of food crops - Island of Mauritius, 2015	90

## SECTION 5 - LIVESTOCK AND FISHERIES

5.1	- Number of cattle, goats, sheep and pigs by type of breeder, as at December 2015 - Island of Mauritius	95
5.2	- Number of small breeders and number of livestock by district, as at December 2015 - Island of Mauritius	95
5.3	- Livestock slaughtered - Island of Mauritius, 2012 - 2015	96
5.4	- Production of fish (in wet weight equivalent) - Island of Mauritius, 2006 - 2015	97
5.5	- Catch from artisanal fishing by type - Island of Mauritius, 2012 - 2015	98
5.6	- Total exports and imports of fish and fish preparations - Republic of Mauritius, 2012 - 2015	98

## CONTENTS (cont'd)

		<b>Page</b>
<b>SECTION 6 - FOOD BALANCE SHEETS</b>		
	General notes	103
Table 6.1	- Per capita consumption of selected commodities - Republic of Mauritius, 2008 - 2015	105
6.2	- Per capita consumption of food commodities - Republic of Mauritius, 2014 - 2015	107
6.3	- Food Balance Sheet - Republic of Mauritius, 2014	114
6.4	- Food Balance Sheet - Republic of Mauritius, 2015	121
 <b>SECTION 7 – PRODUCER PRICE INDEX – AGRICULTURE (PPI-A)</b>		
	Methodology for the construction of PPI-A	131
7.1	- Monthly indices by commodity group and product - Island of Mauritius, January 2014 - December 2015	133
7.2	- Annual indices, annual changes (%) and net contributions of commodity group and product to the change - Island of Mauritius, 2013 - 2015	135
7.3	- Monthly and quarterly indices for the Agricultural sector, January 2009 - December 2015	136
7.4	- Monthly indices for the Agricultural sector, January 2000 - December 2015	137
 <b>SECTION 8 – MISCELLANEOUS AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS</b>		
8.1	- Land utilisation - Island of Mauritius, 2005	141
8.2	- Effective area under cultivation - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015	142
8.3	- Land under irrigation - Island of Mauritius, 2012 - 2015 (as at December)	142
8.4	- Imports of agricultural and food products - Republic of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015	143

## CONTENTS (cont'd)

		<b>Page</b>
Table 8.5	- Imports of selected items (Quantity) - Republic of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015	146
8.6	- Imports of major agricultural inputs - Republic of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015	147
8.7	- Consumption of fertilisers (Product weight) - Republic of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015	148
8.8	- Average price of fertilisers - Republic of Mauritius, 2014 - 2015	149
8.9	- Monthly average rainfall by region - Island of Mauritius, 2015	151
8.10	- Monthly average minimum temperature by region - Island of Mauritius, 2015	152
8.11	- Monthly average maximum temperature by region - Island of Mauritius, 2015	153
8.12	- Number of housing units with kitchen garden by size and district, Republic of Mauritius, 2011 Housing Census	155
8.13	- Geographical distribution of fruit trees of bearing age on residential premises by type, Republic of Mauritius, 2000 Housing Census	156
8.14	- Geographical distribution of fruit trees of bearing age on residential premises by type, Republic of Mauritius, 2011 Housing Census	157
8.15	- Area harvested and production of vegetables - Island of Mauritius, July 2013 - June 2014 (2014 Census of Agriculture)	158
8.16	- Area harvested and production of fruits and nuts - Island of Mauritius, July 2013 - June 2014 (2014 Census of Agriculture)	162
8.17	- Area harvested and production of flowers – Island of Mauritius, July 2013 - June 2014 (2014 Census of Agriculture)	163
8.18	- Number of heads by livestock type as at June 2014, Island of Mauritius (2014 Census of Agriculture)	163
Glossary		164

## ILLUSTRATIONS

		<b>Page</b>
Figure 1	- Share of Agriculture in the economy - Republic of Mauritius, 2015	24
2	- Total domestic exports - Republic of Mauritius, 2006 - 2015 (f.o.b value)	28
3	- Employment by sector - Republic of Mauritius, March 2011 - March 2015 (large establishments)	30
4	- Area under sugar cane cultivation as at June 2015 - Island of Mauritius	37
5	- Area harvested and production of sugar cane - Island of Mauritius, 1996 - 2015	38
6	- Average yield of sugar cane - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015	38
7	- Average extraction rate of sugar - Island of Mauritius, 2006 - 2015	44
8	- Value of sugar production - Island of Mauritius, 2006 - 2015 (at current and constant prices)	48
9	- Average export price of sugar - Island of Mauritius, 2008 - 2015 (by main markets)	50
10	- Average ex-syndicate price of sugar - Island of Mauritius, 2006 - 2015	52
11	- Exports of green and black tea - Island of Mauritius, 2006 - 2015 (at current and constant 2007 prices)	60
12	- Food crop production - Island of Mauritius, 2006 - 2015	69
13	- Total exports and imports of fish - Republic of Mauritius, 2006 - 2015	99
14	- Per capita consumption of selected commodities - Island of Mauritius, 2008 - 2015	106
15	- Land utilisation - Island of Mauritius, 2005	141
16	- Consumption of fertilisers (Product weight) - Republic of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015	148
17	- Monthly average rainfall - Island of Mauritius, 2014 - 2015	150
18	- Monthly average minimum temperature - Island of Mauritius, 2015	154
19	- Monthly average maximum temperature - Island of Mauritius, 2015	154

## **PART I - INTRODUCTION**

### **1. General**

All tables in this issue refer to the Island of Mauritius unless otherwise specified. The 2008 Systems of National Accounts (2008 SNA) has been used for the compilation of production accounts. Figures for section 1 (except tables 1.6 & 1.7) and section 6 (except figure 15) pertain to the Republic of Mauritius and have been adjusted to include backyard food crop production.

### **2. Definitions**

#### **2.1 Basic price**

The basic price is the amount receivable by the producer exclusive of taxes payable on products and inclusive of subsidies receivable on products. The equivalent for imported products is the c.i.f (cost, insurance and freight) value, that is, the value at the border of the importing country.

#### **2.2 Purchaser's price**

Purchaser's price is the amount payable by the purchaser. This includes trade margins realised by wholesalers and retailers as well as transport margins (that is, any transport charges paid separately by the purchaser) and non-deductible VAT.

### **3. Technical Notes**

#### **3.1 Rounding of figures**

It is to be noted that totals in some tables may not add up due to independent rounding of figures.

#### **3.2 Regions (note to Table 2.5)**

<u>Regions (Factory Area)</u>	<u>Corresponding districts</u>
North	Port Louis, Pamplemousses and Riviere du Rempart
South	Grand Port and Savanne
East	Moka, Flacq and Part of Plaines Wilhems
West	Black River and Part of Plaines Wilhems

### 3.3 Symbols and abbreviations

#### ***Symbols:***

...	:	Negligible
—	:	Nil

#### ***Abbreviations:***

Rs	:	Mauritian Rupees
'000	:	Thousand
No.	:	Number
N.A	:	Not available
N.Ap	:	Not applicable
n.e.s	:	Not elsewhere specified
c.i.f	:	Cost, insurance and freight
f.o.b	:	Free on board

### 3.4 Conversion factors

1 hectare = 2.36922 arpents

1 arpent = 100 perches

1 perche = 11 toises

1 inch = 25.4 millimetres

1 tonne = 1,000 kilograms = 0.9842 long ton

1 hectolitre = 100 litres

To convert degrees Celsius (Centigrade) into degrees Fahrenheit multiply by 9/5  
and add 32<sup>0</sup>

## Part II – SOURCES AND METHODS

### 1. Production Account

#### 1.1 Agriculture, forestry and fishing

The activities in this sector are presented in the following sub-groups:

- Industrial crops (sugar cane and tea)
- Food crops, fruits and flowers
- Plant propagation
- Livestock, poultry and related products
- Forestry and hunting
- Fishing
- Government services

#### (i) *Data sources*

- Census of Agriculture (CA)
- Ministry of Agro-Industry and Food Security
- Mauritius Cane Industry Authority (MCIA)
- Ministry of Ocean Economy, Marine Resources, Shipping, Fisheries and Outer Islands
- Mauritius Chamber of Agriculture
- Mauritius Sugar Syndicate
- Food and Agricultural Research and Extension Institute (FAREI, ex-AREU)
- Mauritius Meat Authority (MMA)
- Annual Survey of Employment and Earnings
- Household Budget Surveys
- Agricultural Cost of Production Survey (ACOPS)
- Housing Census (HC)
- Special enquiries from food crop planters, quarterly survey of livestock and poultry breeders and providers of agricultural services falling under the non-household sector

#### (ii) *Methodology*

The benchmark data used in compilation of production accounts for food crops, fruits, flowers, and livestock, poultry and related products is from the 2014 Census of Agriculture (CA2014) conducted by Statistics Mauritius. The CA2014 defines a farm (or agricultural holding) as one

producing mainly for sale. In addition, all agricultural production units producing for own consumption with at least 5 perches of land and/ or with a minimum number of fruit trees in the backyard of private households, are considered as farms. However, estimate for agricultural production falling below the threshold of 5 perches were estimated from the survey of households, which was included in the CA2014.

Based on CA2014, farms are classified in two sectors namely:

- (a) household sector; and
- (b) non-household sector (consisting mainly of private agricultural enterprises and government farms)

Separate production accounts are prepared for each of the sub-groups mentioned above in Section 1.1. Apart from sugar and tea, agricultural activities are performed mainly by small farmers and fishermen who do not keep proper records of their transactions. Because of the lack of proper accounts, a variety of methods, based essentially on the commodity flow approach is used to estimate gross output, intermediate consumption and value added.

**(a) *Industrial crops***

*Sugar cane:* Details on the sugar industry are given separately in Section 1.2.

*Tea:* Quantities and prices of tea leaves are available from the National Agricultural Products Regulatory Office (NAPRO). Intermediate inputs per hectare are computed based on benchmark ratios from Agricultural Cost of Production Survey (ACOPS) 2005. Total intermediate consumption is then obtained by applying the appropriate rates of inputs to the total area under cultivation.

**(b) *Food crops, fruits and flowers***

*Food crops:* Since July 1997, monthly data on food crops production and area harvested are obtained from FAREI which accounts for about 82% of total production. Estimates of production not covered by FAREI are made on the basis of CA2014 results and also consumption data collected through the Household Budget Surveys. Wholesale prices of some 35 food crops, collected by the Prices unit, are used to obtain basic prices in order to calculate their gross output. Regarding food crops for which wholesale prices are not collected or are not available, retail prices, collected by the same unit, are used to evaluate their gross output at basic price by deducting transport costs and retail margin from its retail price value.

Intermediate consumption expenditure is estimated by applying ratios of inputs from ACOPS 2005. Some of the inputs, for example fertilizers, pesticides, seeds are cross-checked with imports and local production figures.

*Fruits:* Monthly production of banana and pineapple and area harvested are obtained from FAREI. The latter covers around 85% of production of banana and for the remaining 15% estimates are based on CA2014. With regards to other fruits, the number of fruit trees in bearing age in the household sector is estimated based on the CA2014 and the 2011 Housing Census. Production is estimated in quantity using an average yield per tree based on CA2014, taking into account the climatic factor. This production is valued at basic prices from either wholesale or retail prices collected by the Prices unit.



*Flowers:* The main source of data for estimating production of flowers is exports data from the Foreign Trade unit and benchmark data from CA2014. Regarding flowers sold on the local market, a separate estimate is worked out based on the number of weddings, deaths, religious ceremonies, etc and also CA2014 results.

**(c) *Livestock, poultry and related products***

The Mauritius Meat Authority (MMA) forwards a monthly return on the number of heads and carcass weight of local/imported cattle, sheep, goats and pigs slaughtered at the Abattoir. To these, are added the production from off-abattoir slaughters estimated from CA2014 results and also permits issued by the Ministry of Agro Industry and Food Security. The total quantity multiplied by a weighted average retail price gives the gross output at basic prices after deducting retail margins and transport costs. Estimates of intermediate expenditure on cattle feeds, salt and water etc. are made and deducted from the gross output to obtain value added.

Poultry and egg production is calculated from data obtained through the questionnaires sent to all producers of the non-household sector. These data are supplemented with estimates made for breeders of the household sector based on CA2014 results and also on the number of broilers sold by the non-household farms and on the quantity of feed sold.

Hunting, mainly deer hunting, is undertaken during a specific period of the year. The benchmark data for production is from CA2014 and the associations of hunters provide data on the production of venison. This is valued at basic prices as for other livestock. Intermediate costs for hunting is negligible, therefore the gross output is composed essentially of value added.

Estimates of milk production are obtained from the Animal Production Division of the Ministry of Agro Industry and Food Security and the benchmark data is from CA2014.

**(d) *Government Services***

Total output is valued as the sum of production costs and is estimated as follows:

Gross output = Intermediate Consumption  
 + Compensation of employees  
 + Consumption of fixed capital

The government accounts are prepared by the Accountant General's Department. The expenditure items in the recurrent budget are carefully scrutinised and classified in categories such as compensation of employees, intermediate consumption, capital expenditure, transfers, etc. For other units, data are extracted from their financial accounts.

**(e) *Forestry and logging***

Estimates of forestry production namely, wood processed by sawmills and, to a lesser extent, firewood are made on the basis of information obtained from the Forestry Department. Intermediate costs for forestry is negligible, therefore the gross output is composed essentially of value added.

**(f) *Fishing***

Data on the quantity of fish caught are provided by the Ministry of Ocean Economy, Marine

Resources, Fisheries, Shipping and Outer Island. Separate figures are given in respect of lagoon and bank fishing. These are then valued at market prices available from the Prices unit. The transport and retail margins are estimated and deducted from the market price value to give gross output at basic prices. Intermediate inputs for lagoon fishing is very low as the fishermen who are engaged in fishing in coastal waters, use artisanal methods and the catch is usually sold fresh. Bank fishing involves higher costs as the fish are caught in high seas in larger vessels. Also, these fish are sold frozen.

## 1.2 The Sugar Industry

There are three categories of growers in the sugar industry, namely “miller”, “metayer” and “owner” planters. Millers are owners of sugar factors and large plots of land around these factories. Metayers are normally employees of the millers who are allowed to grow sugarcane on their lands.

Value added generated by the sugar industry is attributed, for national accounting purposes, to the following industrial activity groups:

**Agriculture:** the final product is sugarcane. Both millers and planters are engaged in its production.

**Manufacturing:** the final product is sugar and its by-products, molasses, scums and electricity, which excludes Independent Power Producers (IPPs). Only millers are engaged in this activity.

**Transport:** includes only the millers’ own account transport of sugarcane, sugar and other inputs

**Distribution:** includes activities of brokers, shippers and the Mauritius Sugar Syndicate:

### (i) *Methodology*

The period from the growing stage up to the marketing of all sugar produced covers eighteen months. Production is valued on an accrual basis, so that output relating to crop year, say 2014/2015 is treated as production for calendar year 2014. The sugar cane crop of a given year normally extends from July to June of the following year.

Sugar is marketed solely through the Mauritius Sugar Syndicate. This agency provides data on value and price of sugar, both local sales and exports’ proceeds. All the expenses incurred in respect of marketing are also given.

Production accounts are compiled using information from survey of sugar factories and other data made available by stake holders.

### (ii) *Production Account of Sugar Cane*

Separate accounts are prepared in respect of millers and planters.

The gross proceeds from the sales of sugar and its by-products are obtained from the Mauritius Sugar Syndicate. The gross output of sugar cane comprises 78% of the gross proceeds as the

remaining 22% accrue to millers to cover the milling cost.

**Agriculture:** Intermediate expenses in respect of sugarcane cultivation are compiled from survey of selected sugar factories.

**Manufacturing:** The end product is sugar and only millers are engaged in its production. The gross output is worked out from the gross proceeds of sugar. The main item under goods consumed is sugarcane; other inputs include milling cost which are obtained from the Mauritius Sugar Syndicate and the survey of sugar factories.

**Transport:** The sugar estates and millers have their own means of transport. Most of their canes, sugar and other inputs are transported by their own lorries. The 'Transport' activity is valued at cost. The expenditure incurred in respect of purchases of materials and services, compensation of employees and consumption of fixed capital are obtained from surveys. The total of these aggregates gives the gross output. Transport cost is then imputed, on a pro-rata basis, to the intermediate consumption expenditure of the agriculture and manufacturing sectors.

**Distribution:** The gross output is computed from the related expenditure items as given in the Mauritius Sugar Syndicate report. The cost component consists mainly of elements of value added.

## **PART III – STATISTICAL TABLES AND ANALYSIS**

### **1. Overview of main agricultural statistics – 2015**

Based on the results of the Census of Agriculture conducted by Statistics Mauritius in 2014, benchmark data on food crops, fruits, flowers, livestock, poultry and related products have been used in the compilation of production accounts. Thus this publication presents revised figures on value added and other related indicators.

#### **1.1 Value added of agriculture**

Value added of the agricultural sector for 2013 and 2014 had been subjected to an upward revision based on information gathered at the Census of Agriculture. Value added at current basic prices of the agricultural sector was Rs 12,696 million in 2015, dropped by 0.6% compared to the 2014 figure of Rs 12,778 million. In real terms, it declined by 0.3%. This is explained by the combined effect of a contraction of 6.2% in “sugar cane” and an increase of 1.6% in “other agriculture”. (Tables 1.1 & 1.5)

#### **1.2 Share of agriculture in GDP**

The share of agriculture to GDP worked out to 3.5% in 2015, lower than the figure of 3.7% in 2014. (Table 1.1)

In 2014, the share of the sugar industry in GDP was 1.5%, compared to 1.8% recorded in 2013.

#### **1.3 Employment in agriculture**

Employment in agriculture increased by 0.9% from 44,900 in 2014 to 45,300 in 2015. Employment in “large establishments<sup>1</sup>” decreased by 3.6 % from 14,000 in 2014 to 13,500 in 2015. On the other hand, employment in “other than large” establishments increased by 2.9% to reach 31,800 in 2015 compared to 30,900 in 2014. (Table 1.11)

It is to be noted that the “Voluntary Retirement Scheme” in the Sugar Industry started in 2001 following the enactment of SIE Act No.21 of 2001. In 2007, following agreement reached between Mauritius Sugar Producers Association (MSPA) and the Government, the “VRS” (Voluntary Retirement Scheme) and “ERS” (Early Retirement Scheme) were implemented as per the SIE Act amended No.3 of March 2007. Blue Print, on “Centralization of sugar milling operations in Mauritius, May 1997”, involved the closure of sugar factory and the retirement of redundant workers in line with the provisions of the SIE Act. As at December 2015, the revised figures on the number of employees who have terminated their contract of employment after the period 2007 was 7,224 for VRS, 220 for ERS and 1,132 for “Blue Print”.

#### **1.4 Sugar cane**

Figures refer to the crop year, starting in July of the reference year up to June of the following year. Sugar cane fields are classified according to agro-climatic conditions in the following four regions: North, South, East and West.

---

<sup>1</sup> Establishments with 10 or more employees

The area under sugar cane cultivation in 2015 was 56,872 hectares, which was 0.4% lower than the 57,081 hectares in 2014. (Table 2.3)

An area of 52,387 hectares under sugar cane was harvested in 2015 as compared to 50,694 hectares in 2014, showing an increase of 3.3%. (Table 2.4)

The cane yield per hectare for the whole island went down by 4.1% from 79.8 tonnes in 2014 to 76.5 tonnes in 2015. This was due to the combined effect of decreases in the cane yield in the South (-8.0%) and East (-7.7%), and increases in the North (+4.6%) and West (+4.8%). (Tables 2.4 and 2.5)

The production of cane decreased by 0.9%, from 4,044,422 tonnes in 2014 to 4,009,232 tonnes in 2015. The average extraction rate in 2015 was 9.14% compared to 9.91% in 2014, representing a decrease of 7.8%. (Tables 2.5 and 2.9)

The production of sugar was 366,070 tonnes, that is, 8.5% lower than the figure of 400,173 tonnes in 2014. Around 418,000 tonnes were exported for a total value of Rs 7,048 million, representing an increase of 5.7% over the 2014 proceeds. (Tables 2.9 and 2.12)

Some 132,244 tonnes of molasses were produced in 2015 compared to 138,441 tonnes in the previous year, representing a drop of 4.5%. The production of scum decreased by 9.6% from 145,692 tonnes in 2014 to 131,641 tonnes in 2015. (Table 2.9)

The average ex-syndicate price of sugar per tonne for 2015 was Rs 13,000 compared to Rs 12,694 in 2014, representing an increase of 2.4%. (Table 2.14)

## **1.5 Tea**

The area under tea cultivation decreased by 14.6% to reach 574 hectares in 2015 against 672 hectares in 2014. (Table 3.1)

Production of green tea leaves went down by 11.5% from 7,607 tonnes in 2014 to 6,732 tonnes in 2015. The production of black tea decreased by 13.9% from 1,504 tonnes in 2014 to 1,295 tonnes in 2015. (Tables 3.3 and 3.4)

The quantity of tea exported decreased by 21.8% from 51.9 tonnes in 2014 to 40.6 tonnes in 2015, and the earnings from the export of tea decreased by 22.0% from Rs 13.2 million to Rs 10.3 million. (Tables 3.5 and 3.6)

## **1.6 Food crops**

The area under food crops harvested decreased by 4.5% from 8,459 hectares in 2014 to 8,077 hectares in 2015. The production of food crops decreased by 9.9% from 113,957 tonnes to 102,663 tonnes in 2015, mainly explained by the combined effects of unfavourable climatic conditions and decreases of 22.5% and 15.3% in the production of tomato and potato respectively. During the same period, changes noted in the production of the other main food

crops were: brinjal (-29.4%), cucumber (-21.1%), paddy rice (-44.6%), banana (-9.8%), pineapple (+8.4%) and onion (+16.7%). (Table 4.1)

### **1.7 Livestock**

Livestock by type as at December 2015 was as follows: cattle (5,898), goat (26,809), sheep (2,752) and pigs (21,964). (Table 5.1)

The production of beef from live cattle increased by 2.9% from 1,956 tonnes in 2014 to 2,013 tonnes in 2015. Beef production from the slaughter of imported cattle increased by 1.7%, from 1,896 tonnes to 1,928 tonnes and local beef production (including live cattle from Rodrigues), which represented only 4.2% of total beef production, increased by 41.7% from 60 tonnes to 85 tonnes. (Table 5.3)

In 2015, the production of goat meat and mutton was 42 tonnes, 6.7% lower than the 2014 figure of 45 tonnes. The share of local production, inclusive of imports from Rodrigues, was 94.0%. (Table 5.3)

Production of pork increased by 0.5% from 557 tonnes in 2014 to 560 tonnes in 2015. (Table 5.3)

### **1.8 Poultry**

The production of poultry went down by 2.3% from 47,500 tonnes in 2014 to 46,400 tonnes in 2015. (Table 1.7)

### **1.9 Fish**

In 2015, total fish production was 12,650 tonnes, representing a rise of 2.2% over the previous year (12,376 tonnes). Fresh coastal fish catch was 1,559 tonnes in 2015 compared to 1,409 tonnes in 2014, representing an increase of 10.6%. Other catch (tuna, bank, ponds and barachois etc) increased by 1.1% from 10,967 tonnes in 2014 to 11,091 tonnes in 2015. (Table 5.4)

### **1.10 Producer Price Index-Agriculture (PPI-A), (Base period: year 2013 = 100)**

The PPI-A measures the average change in the selling prices which producers receive for agricultural products. In order to reflect changes in the production pattern of agricultural products, a new set of weights has been worked out with 2013 as base period, the previous one being 2007. The weights for the PPI-A have been worked out based on the results of the Census of Agriculture conducted in 2014. In 2015, the index stood at 93.2, representing a decrease of 2.8% over 2014. During the year, the producer prices of sugar cane decreased by 9.3% while those of fresh vegetables and animals and animal products increased by 2.6% and 0.3% respectively. The following main changes in price were registered: tomato (+33.4%), poultry (+1.0%), other fresh vegetables (-16.1%), pineapple (-6.6%) and eggs (-1.8%) (Table 7.2). Comparative monthly indices for the agricultural sector are given in table 7.4.

**SUMMARY TABLES**

**AGRICULTURAL SECTOR**

**Table 1.1 - Share of agriculture in the economy - Republic of Mauritius, 2013 - 2015**

	Unit	2013 <sup>1</sup>	2014 <sup>1</sup>	2015 <sup>2</sup>
Gross Domestic Product (GDP), at market prices	Rs million	371,047	390,692	408,308
Gross Domestic Product (GDP), at basic prices	Rs million	327,659	346,642	361,962
Value added - agriculture, at basic prices	Rs million	12,570	12,778	12,696
<i>of which sugar cane</i>	Rs million	3,544	3,162	2,912
<i>government services</i>	Rs million	1,515	1,567	1,520
Share of agriculture in GDP at basic prices	%	3.8	3.7	3.5
Share of sugar cane in agriculture	%	28.2	24.7	22.9
Employment in agriculture	'000	44.2	44.9	45.3
Share of agriculture in total employment	%	8.0	8.0	8.0
Gross domestic fixed capital formation (GDFCF)	Rs million	77,618	73,989	71,306
GDFCF in agriculture	Rs million	5,048	2,854	1,941
Share of investment in agriculture in total GDFCF	%	6.5	3.9	2.7
Annual growth rate of GDP at basic prices	%	+3.4	+3.6	+3.0
Annual growth rate of agriculture	%	+0.5	+3.7	-0.3
Annual growth rate of sugar cane	%	-2.2	-3.5	-6.2

<sup>1</sup> Revised estimates

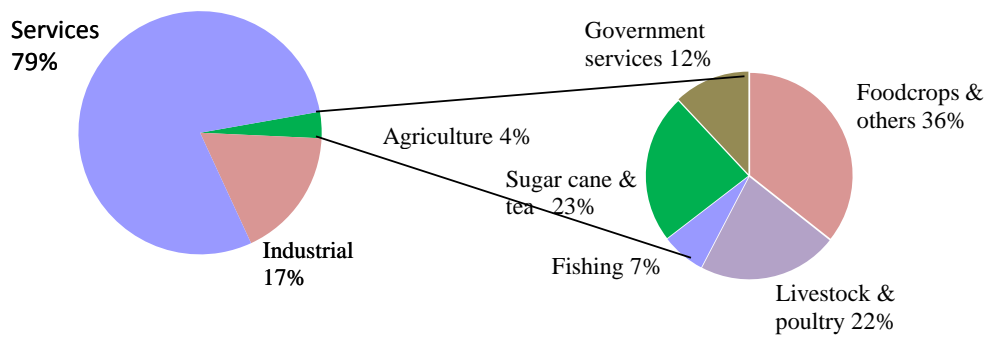
<sup>2</sup> Provisional



**Table 1.2 - Distribution of GDP at basic prices by industrial group - Republic of Mauritius, 2013 - 2015**

(Rs million)

Industrial group	2013 <sup>1</sup>		2014 <sup>1</sup>		2015 <sup>2</sup>	
	Value	%	Value	%	Value	%
Agriculture	12,570	3.8	12,778	3.7	12,696	3.5
Industrial <sup>3</sup>	58,793	17.9	61,125	17.6	62,921	17.4
Services <sup>4</sup>	256,297	78.2	272,739	78.7	286,346	79.1
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>327,659</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>346,642</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>361,962</b>	<b>100.0</b>

<sup>1</sup> Revised<sup>2</sup> Provisional<sup>3</sup> Covers mining & quarrying, manufacturing and electricity & water<sup>4</sup> Includes construction**Figure 1: Share of Agriculture in the economy - Republic of Mauritius, 2015**

**Table 1.3 - Production account of agriculture - Republic of Mauritius, 2013 - 2015**

(Rs million)

	2013 <sup>1</sup>	2014 <sup>1</sup>	2015 <sup>2</sup>
Gross output at basic prices	19,399.1	20,224.8	20,107.2
Intermediate consumption	6,829.1	7,446.8	7,411.2
Value added at basic prices	12,570.0	12,778.0	12,696.0
Taxes on production	135.1	485.8	120.1
Compensation of employees	5,199.0	5,147.0	5,290.0
Gross operating surplus	7,235.9	7,145.2	7,285.9

**Table 1.4 - Value added of agriculture at basic prices by main product group - Republic of Mauritius, 2013 - 2015**

(Rs million)

Product group	2013 <sup>1</sup>	2014 <sup>1</sup>	2015 <sup>2</sup>
Industrial crops	3,629.9	3,240.9	2,978.9
Sugar cane	(3,544.2)	(3,162.2)	(2,911.9)
Tea (green leaf)	(85.7)	(78.7)	(67.0)
Food crops	2,750.3	2,913.9	3,120.2
Fruits, flowers & forestry	1,514.8	1,423.4	1,404.1
Livestock and poultry products	2,737.2	2,839.4	2,794.8
Fishing	423.3	793.3	878.4
Government services	1,514.6	1,567.1	1,519.5
<b>Total Agriculture</b>	<b>12,570.0</b>	<b>12,778.0</b>	<b>12,696.0</b>

<sup>1</sup> Revised<sup>2</sup> Provisional

**Table 1.5 - Agricultural production, growth rate (% increase over previous year) - Republic of Mauritius, 2013 - 2015**

<b>Product group</b>	<b>2013 <sup>1</sup></b>	<b>2014 <sup>1</sup></b>	<b>2015 <sup>2</sup></b>
<b>Sugar cane</b>	<b>-2.2</b>	<b>-3.5</b>	<b>-6.2</b>
<b>Other Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing</b>	<b>+1.8</b>	<b>+6.5</b>	<b>+1.6</b>
<i>of which: Tea and Tobacco</i>	<i>-17.7</i>	<i>-5.0</i>	<i>-11.5</i>
<i>Foodcrops, fruits and flowers</i>	<i>+4.2</i>	<i>+2.4</i>	<i>+4.6</i>
<i>Livestock, poultry and derived product</i>	<i>-0.8</i>	<i>+2.5</i>	<i>0.0</i>
<i>Fishing</i>	<i>+31.6</i>	<i>+88.0</i>	<i>+8.5</i>
<b>Annual growth rate of Agriculture (%)</b>	<b>+0.5</b>	<b>+3.7</b>	<b>-0.3</b>

<sup>1</sup> Revised

<sup>2</sup> Provisional

**Table 1.6 - Agricultural crops: Area harvested and production - Island of Mauritius, 2014 - 2015**

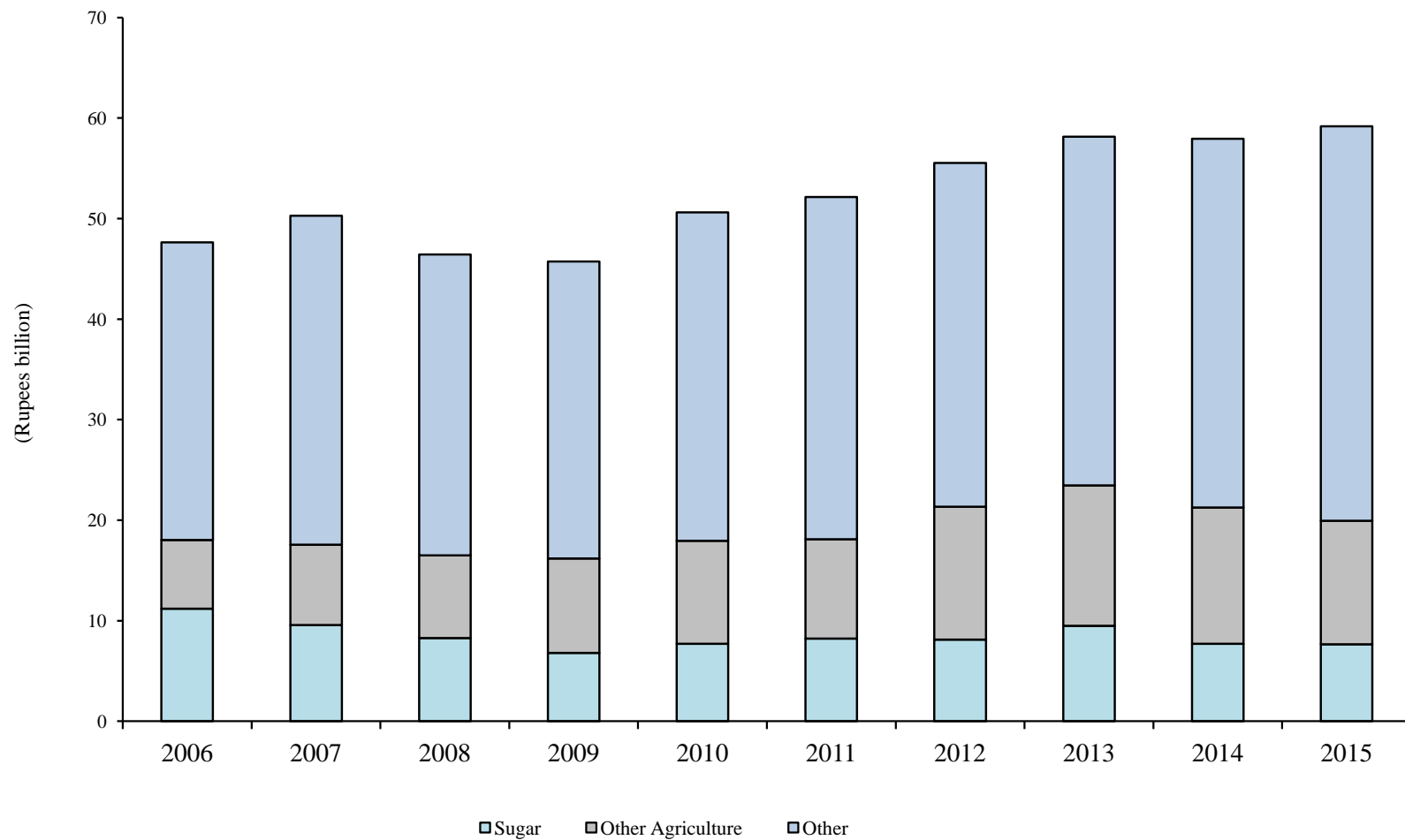
Crops	2014		2015 <sup>1</sup>	
	Area harvested (hectares)	Production (tonnes)	Area harvested (hectares)	Production (tonnes)
Sugar cane	50,694	4,044,422	52,387	4,009,232
Tea (green leaves)	672 <sup>2</sup>	7,607	574 <sup>2</sup>	6,732
Foodcrops	8,459	113,957	8,077	102,663

<sup>1</sup> Provisional<sup>2</sup> Area under cultivation**Table 1.7 - Production of agro-industrial products - Island of Mauritius, 2014 - 2015**

Agro-Industrial Products	Unit	2014 <sup>1</sup>	2015 <sup>2</sup>
Sugar	Tonnes	400,173	366,070
Tea (manufactured)	"	1,504	1,295
Beef <sup>3</sup>	"	1,956	2,013
Local including imports from Rodrigues	"	(61)	(85)
Imported	"	(1,895)	(1,928)
Goat meat and mutton <sup>3</sup>	"	45	42
Pork <sup>3</sup>	"	557	560
Poultry meat	"	47,500	46,400
Milk	'000 Litres	5,000	4,500
Fish <sup>4</sup>	Tonnes	12,376	12,650
Coastal	"	(1,409)	(1,559)
Other	"	(10,967)	(11,091)

<sup>1</sup> Revised<sup>2</sup> Provisional<sup>3</sup> Comprises abattoir slaughter only<sup>4</sup> Fresh weight equivalent

Figure 2 - Total domestic exports - Republic of Mauritius, 2006 - 2015 (f.o.b value)



**Table 1.8 - Domestic exports of agricultural products - Republic of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015**

(f.o.b value in Rs million)

ITEM	2011	2012	2013	2014 <sup>1</sup>	2015 <sup>2</sup>
Sugar	8,222.7	8,129.7	9,480.3	7,714.5	7,658.9
Molasses	153.3	333.3	171.8	182.3	112.3
Tea	9.5	8.1	15.2	3.8	0.7
Fish and fish preparations	7,651.3	10,211.0	11,336.2	10,762.9	9,480.9
Vegetables and fruits	137.3	205.0	205.0	185.7	172.4
Cut flowers and foliage	63.5	61.3	59.5	53.1	52.7
Other agricultural and food products	1,857.4	2,394.0	2,199.0	2,354.4	2,455.4
<b>Total agricultural products</b>	<b>18,095.0</b>	<b>21,342.4</b>	<b>23,467.0</b>	<b>21,256.7</b>	<b>19,933.3</b>
<b>Total domestic exports</b>	<b>52,155.5</b>	<b>55,530.4</b>	<b>58,135.6</b>	<b>57,947.7</b>	<b>59,181.1</b>
<b>Exports of agricultural products as % of total domestic exports</b>	<b>34.7</b>	<b>38.4</b>	<b>40.4</b>	<b>36.7</b>	<b>33.7</b>

<sup>1</sup> Revised

<sup>2</sup> Provisional

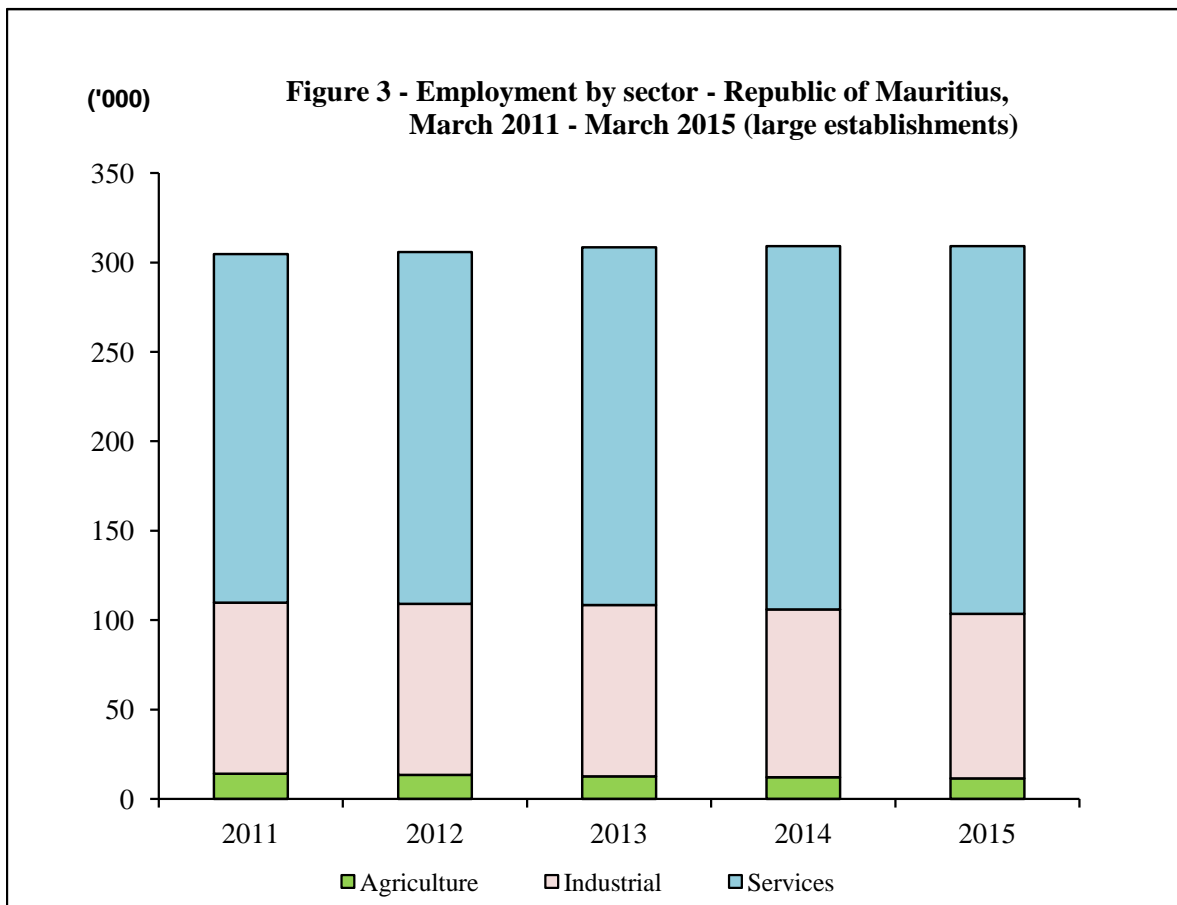
**Table 1.9 - Employment in agricultural, industrial and services sector (large establishments)<sup>1</sup>  
Republic of Mauritius, March 2011 - March 2015**

Year	TOTAL	Agriculture	%	Industrial	%	Services	%
2011	304,706	14,156	4.6	95,610	31.4	194,940	64.0
2012	305,914	13,502	4.4	95,537	31.2	196,875	64.4
2013 <sup>2</sup>	308,535	12,582	4.1	95,854	31.1	200,099	64.9
2014 <sup>2</sup>	309,128	12,133	3.9	93,905	30.4	203,090	65.7
2015 <sup>3</sup>	309,212	11,486	3.7	92,084	29.8	205,642	66.5

<sup>1</sup> establishments with 10 or more employees

<sup>2</sup> revised

<sup>3</sup> provisional



**Table 1.10 - Employment in the agricultural sector (large establishments) <sup>1</sup> - Republic of Mauritius, March 2011 - 2015**

Sector	2011	2012	2013 <sup>2</sup>	2014 <sup>2</sup>	2015 <sup>3</sup>
Sugar Cane <sup>4</sup>	7,759	7,234	6,929	6,576	6,400
Estates	(6,790)	(6,356)	(6,085)	(5,914)	N.A.
Planters	(969)	(878)	(883)	(830)	N.A.
Tea <sup>5</sup>	309	300	257	273	185
Tobacco <sup>6</sup>	99	88	-	-	-
Fishing	665	658	646	737	657
Flowers	156	139	152	71	84
Other agricultural activities	5,168	5,083	4,586	4,464	4,148
<b>Total</b>	<b>14,156</b>	<b>13,502</b>	<b>12,582</b>	<b>12,133</b>	<b>11,486</b>

<sup>1</sup> Establishments with 10 or more employees

<sup>2</sup> Revised

<sup>3</sup> Provisional

<sup>4</sup> Sugar cane planters cultivating 10 hectares or more

<sup>5</sup> Tea planters cultivating 2 hectares or more

<sup>6</sup> All tobacco planters cultivating flue-cured variety only



**Table 1.11 - Employment in the agricultural sector (large and other than large establishments) - Republic of Mauritius, June 2014 & June 2015**

Sector	Large establishments			Other than large establishments			Total employment		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
<b>2014</b>									
Sugar cane	6,100	1,300	<b>7,400</b>	3,600	2,200	<b>5,800</b>	9,700	3,500	<b>13,200</b>
Tea	150	170	<b>320</b>	120	630	<b>750</b>	270	800	<b>1,070</b>
Fishing	700	100	<b>800</b>	3,000	1,400	<b>4,400</b>	3,700	1,500	<b>5,200</b>
Other agricultural activities	4,350	1,130	<b>5,480</b>	9,180	10,770	<b>19,950</b>	13,530	11,900	<b>25,430</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>11,300</b>	<b>2,700</b>	<b>14,000</b>	<b>15,900</b>	<b>15,000</b>	<b>30,900</b>	<b>27,200</b>	<b>17,700</b>	<b>44,900</b>
<b>2015 <sup>1</sup></b>									
Sugar cane	5,900	1,300	<b>7,200</b>	3,700	2,200	<b>5,900</b>	9,600	3,500	<b>13,100</b>
Tea	80	120	<b>200</b>	120	480	<b>600</b>	200	600	<b>800</b>
Fishing	600	100	<b>700</b>	3,200	1,400	<b>4,600</b>	3,800	1,500	<b>5,300</b>
Other agricultural activities	4,320	1,080	<b>5,400</b>	9,480	11,220	<b>20,700</b>	13,800	12,300	<b>26,100</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>10,900</b>	<b>2,600</b>	<b>13,500</b>	<b>16,500</b>	<b>15,300</b>	<b>31,800</b>	<b>27,400</b>	<b>17,900</b>	<b>45,300</b>

Note: Employment figures have been adjusted in line with Population Census 2011

<sup>1</sup> Provisional

# **SUGAR INDUSTRY**

**Table 2.1 - Production account of the sugar industry - Island of Mauritius, 2013**

(Rs million)

Industrial activity	Gross output at basic prices	Intermediate consumption	Value added at basic prices	Taxes on production	Compensation of employees	Gross operating surplus
Agriculture - Sugar cane	5,396.0	1,851.8	3,544.2	38.1	1,320.0	2,186.1
Manufacturing - Sugar Milling <sup>1</sup>	7,201.0	6,391.0	810.0	-	315.0	495.0
Electricity - production of electricity <sup>2</sup> (Bagasse cum coal)	4,512.4	3,337.8	1,174.6	-	101.2	1,073.4
Transport <sup>3</sup>	596.8	179.8	417.0	-	417.0	-
Distribution <sup>4</sup>	204.5	161.8	42.7	-	42.7	-
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>17,910.7</b>	<b>11,922.2</b>	<b>5,988.5</b>	<b>38.1</b>	<b>2,195.9</b>	<b>3,754.5</b>

<sup>1</sup> Includes gross output of sugar cane cultivation

<sup>2</sup> Energy produced by firm Independent Power Producers (IPP)

<sup>3</sup> Transport costs of sugar estates with factories only

<sup>4</sup> Based on the Census of Economic Activities (CEA) 2013

**Table 2.2 - Production account of the sugar industry - Island of Mauritius, 2014**

(Rs million)

Industrial activity	Gross output at basic prices	Intermediate consumption	Value added at basic prices	Taxes on production	Compensation of employees	Gross operating surplus
Agriculture - Sugar cane	5,206.0	2,043.8	3,162.2	35.0	1,292.0	1,835.2
Manufacturing - Sugar Milling <sup>1</sup>	6,895.0	6,254.0	641.0	-	318.0	323.0
Electricity - production of electricity <sup>2</sup> (Bagasse cum coal)	4,052.1	2,978.1	1,074.0	-	102.0	972.0
Transport <sup>3</sup>	620.9	187.0	433.9	-	433.9	-
Distribution <sup>4</sup>	331.0	299.1	31.9	-	31.9	-
<b>TOTAL</b>	17,105.0	11,762.0	5,343.0	35.0	2,177.8	3,130.2

<sup>1</sup> Includes gross output of sugar cane cultivation

<sup>2</sup> Energy produced by firm Independent Power Producers (IPP)

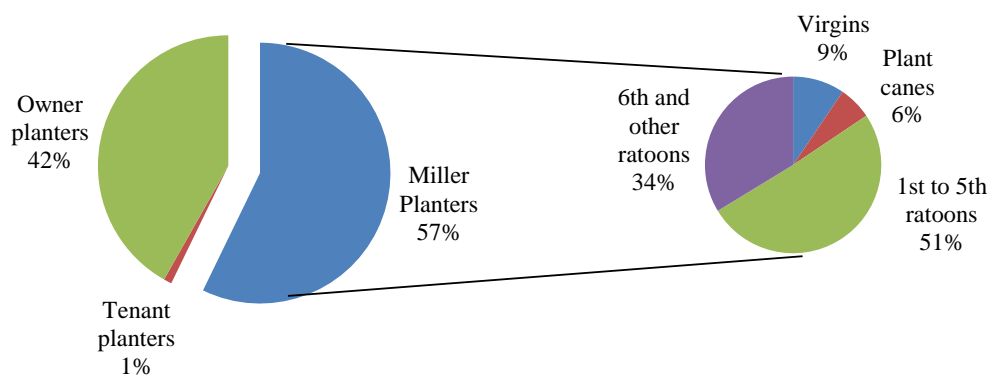
<sup>3</sup> Transport costs of sugar estates with factories only

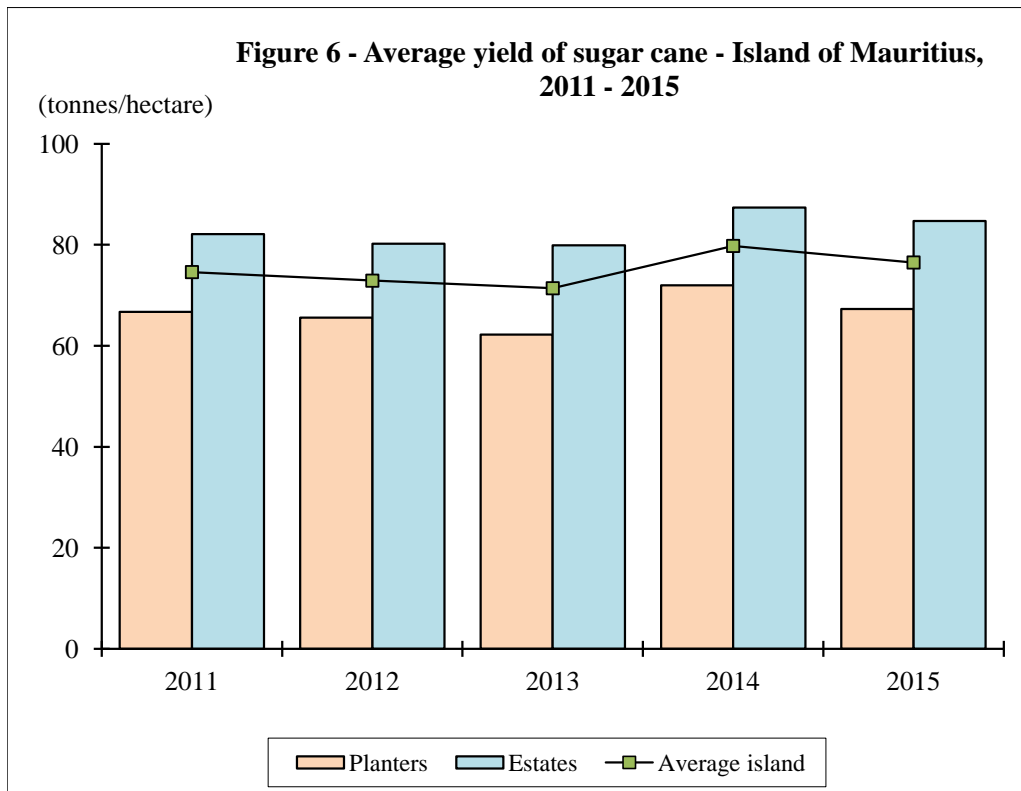
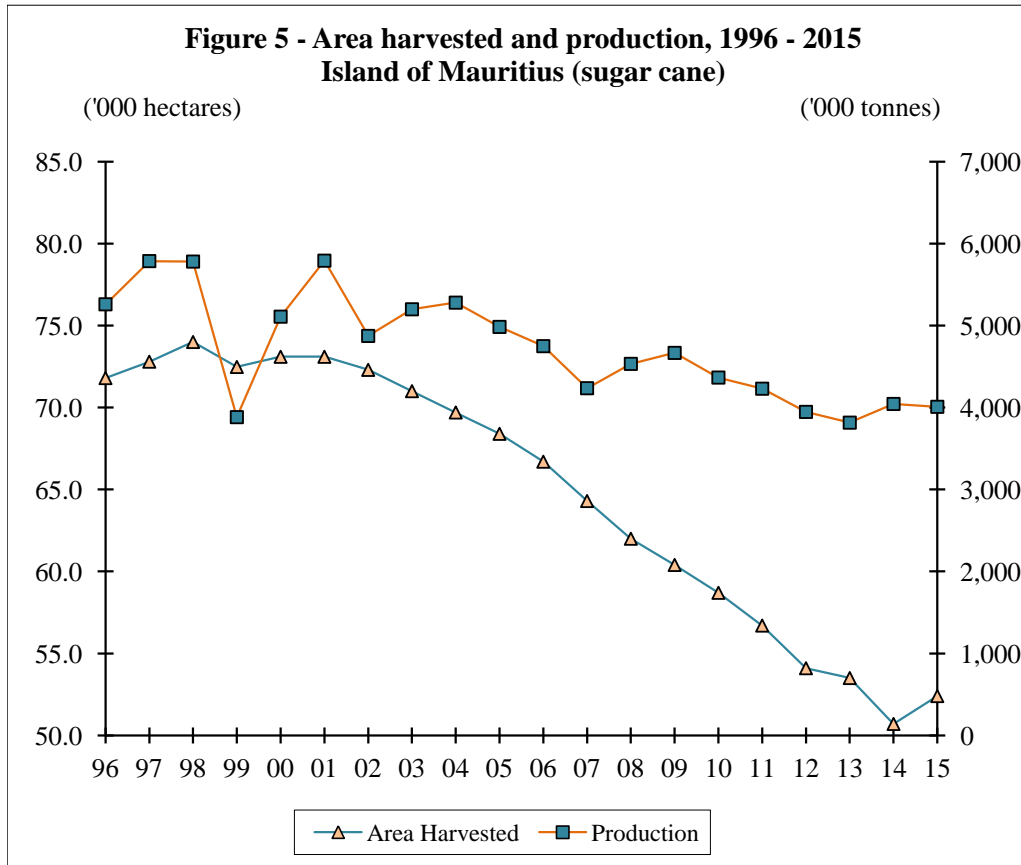
<sup>4</sup> Based on the Census of Economic Activities (CEA) 2013

**Table 2.3 - Area under sugar cane cultivation - Island of Mauritius, 2014 - 2015 (as at 30 June)**  
(Hectares)

	2014	2015
<b>(i) Miller - Planters</b>	<b>32,809</b>	<b>32,529</b>
- Plant canes	2,670	1,984
- Virgins	2,982	3,085
- Ratoons:		
1st to 5th ratoon	17,014	16,496
6th and other ratoons	10,144	10,963
<b>(ii) Owner - Planters</b>	<b>23,648</b>	<b>23,777</b>
<b>(iii) Tenant - Planters</b>	<b>623</b>	<b>566</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>57,081</b>	<b>56,872</b>

**Figure 4 - Area under sugar cane cultivation as at June 2015**  
**Island of Mauritius**





**Table 2.4 - Area harvested, cane production, cane yield of estates, metayers and owner-planters - Island of Mauritius, 2006 - 2015**

Year	Area harvested (hectares)				Cane production ('000 tonnes)				Cane yield (tonnes/hectare)			
	Estates	Metayer	Owner planters	Total	Estates	Metayer	Owner planters	Total	Estates	Metayer	Owner planters	Total
<b>2006</b>	26,614	965	39,153	<b>66,732</b>	2,124	44	2,581	<b>4,749</b>	79.8	45.6	65.9	<b>71.2</b>
<b>2007</b>	24,360	964	38,936	<b>64,260</b>	1,783	40	2,412	<b>4,236</b>	73.2	41.8	62.0	<b>65.9</b>
<b>2008</b>	26,573	907	34,544	<b>62,024</b>	2,227	45	2,261	<b>4,533</b>	83.8	49.3	65.5	<b>73.1</b>
<b>2009</b>	29,500	807	30,073	<b>60,380</b>	2,527	40	2,100	<b>4,667</b>	85.7	49.6	69.8	<b>77.3</b>
<b>2010</b>	28,834	812	29,063	<b>58,709</b>	2,365	35	1,966	<b>4,366</b>	82.0	43.2	67.6	<b>74.4</b>
<b>2011</b>	30,200	672	25,797	<b>56,668</b>	2,479	30	1,721	<b>4,230</b>	82.1	44.6	66.7	<b>74.6</b>
<b>2012</b>	27,999	573	25,569	<b>54,140</b>	2,244	26	1,677	<b>3,947</b>	80.2	45.7	65.6	<b>72.9</b>
<b>2013</b>	28,003	456	25,005	<b>53,464</b>	2,237	22	1,556	<b>3,816</b>	79.9	49.0	62.2	<b>71.4</b>
<b>2014</b>	26,422	623	23,648	<b>50,694</b>	2,309	32	1,703	<b>4,044</b>	87.4	52.0	72.0	<b>79.8</b>
<b>2015</b>	28,315	567	23,505	<b>52,387</b>	2,399	29	1,581	<b>4,009</b>	84.7	50.8	67.3	<b>76.5</b>

**Table 2.5 - Area harvested, cane production, cane yield of estates, metayer and owner-planters by region - Island of Mauritius, 2014 - 2015**

Year	Area harvested (hectares)				Cane production ( tonnes)				Cane yield (tonnes/hectare)			
	Estates	Metayer	Owner planters	Total	Estates	Metayer	Owner planters	Total	Estates	Metayer	Owner planters	Total
<b><u>2014</u></b>												
North	4,856	-	6,724	<b>11,580</b>	375,345	-	488,830	<b>864,175</b>	77.3	-	72.7	<b>74.6</b>
South	11,027	133	4,718	<b>15,878</b>	972,949	5,056	330,512	<b>1,308,517</b>	88.2	38.0	70.1	<b>82.4</b>
East	7,165	490	10,849	<b>18,504</b>	653,580	27,324	792,794	<b>1,473,698</b>	91.2	55.8	73.1	<b>79.6</b>
West	3,374	-	1,357	<b>4,731</b>	307,316	-	90,716	<b>398,032</b>	91.1	-	66.9	<b>84.1</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>26,422</b>	<b>623</b>	<b>23,648</b>	<b>50,694</b>	<b>2,309,190</b>	<b>32,380</b>	<b>1,702,852</b>	<b>4,044,422</b>	<b>87.4</b>	<b>52.0</b>	<b>72.0</b>	<b>79.8</b>
<b><u>2015</u></b>												
North	4,985	-	6,407	<b>11,392</b>	391,116	-	497,127	<b>888,243</b>	78.5	-	77.6	<b>78.0</b>
South	11,453	75	4,490	<b>16,018</b>	932,623	3,181	278,986	<b>1,214,789</b>	81.4	42.6	62.1	<b>75.8</b>
East	8,456	492	11,226	<b>20,173</b>	733,944	25,599	723,251	<b>1,482,794</b>	86.8	52.1	64.4	<b>73.5</b>
West	3,421	-	1,383	<b>4,804</b>	341,768	-	81,638	<b>423,406</b>	99.9	-	59.0	<b>88.1</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>28,315</b>	<b>566</b>	<b>23,506</b>	<b>52,387</b>	<b>2,399,451</b>	<b>28,780</b>	<b>1,581,001</b>	<b>4,009,232</b>	<b>84.7</b>	<b>50.8</b>	<b>67.3</b>	<b>76.5</b>



**Table 2.6 - Sugar crop 2014 (area harvested, cane produced, yield and sugar production by factory area) - Island of Mauritius**

<b>Factory area</b>	<b>Area harvested (hectares)</b>	<b>Sugar cane production (tonnes)</b>	<b>Yield (tonnes/hectare)</b>	<b>Sugar production (tonnes)</b>
<b>North</b>	<b>11,580</b>	<b>864,175</b>	<b>74.6</b>	<b>90,972</b>
Terra	11,580	864,175	74.6	90,972
<b>South</b>	<b>15,878</b>	<b>1,308,517</b>	<b>82.4</b>	<b>130,967</b>
Omnicanne	15,878	1,308,517	82.4	130,967
<b>East</b>	<b>18,504</b>	<b>1,473,698</b>	<b>79.6</b>	<b>133,672</b>
Alteo	18,504	1,473,698	79.6	133,672
<b>West</b>	<b>4,731</b>	<b>398,032</b>	<b>84.1</b>	<b>44,563</b>
Medine	4,731	398,032	84.1	44,563
<b>Total Island</b>	<b>50,694</b>	<b>4,044,422</b>	<b>79.8</b>	<b>400,173</b>

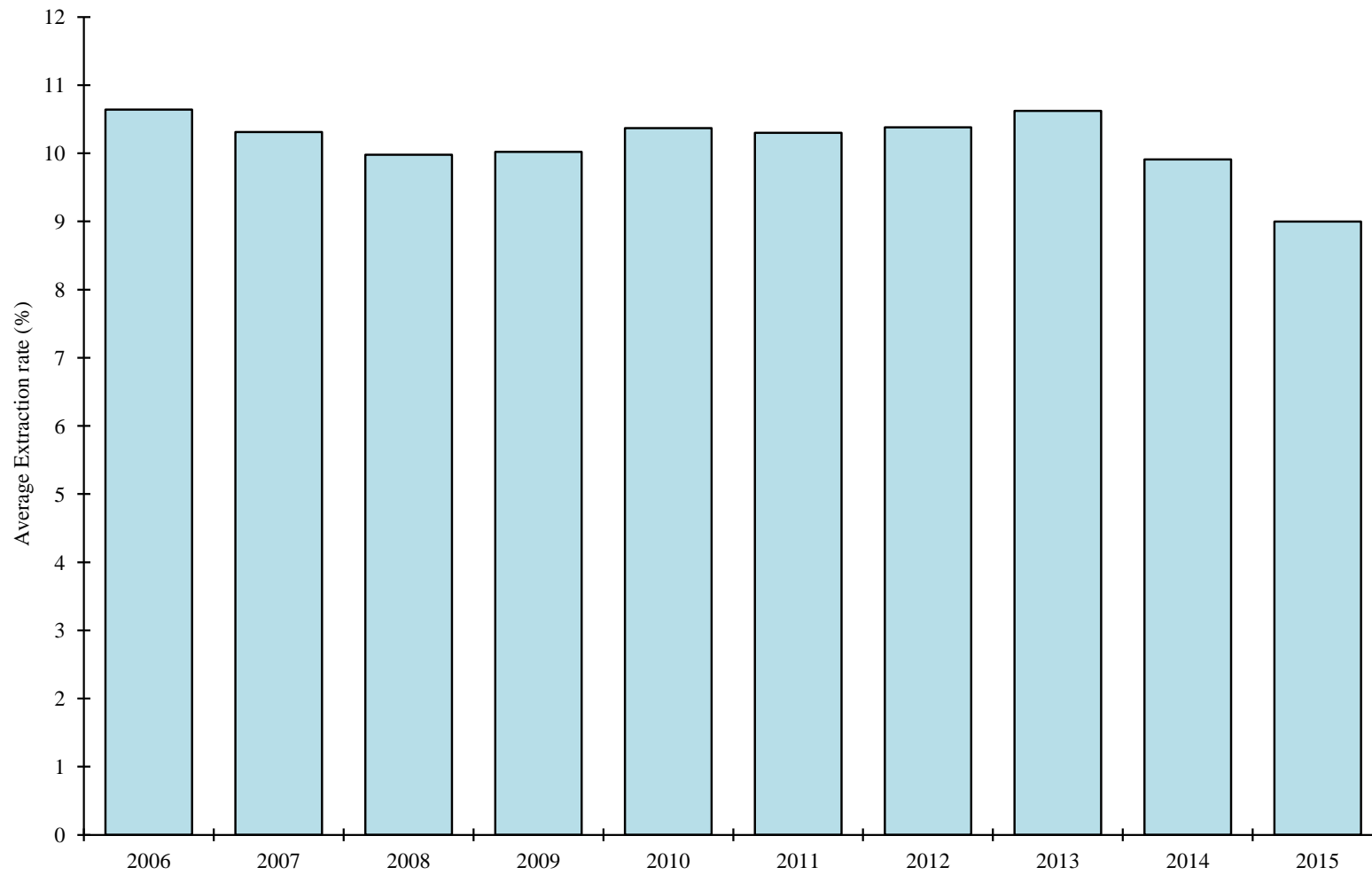
**Table 2.7 - Sugar crop 2015 (area harvested, cane produced, yield and sugar production by factory area) - Island of Mauritius**

<b>Factory area</b>	<b>Area harvested (hectares)</b>	<b>Sugar cane production (tonnes)</b>	<b>Yield (tonnes/hectare)</b>	<b>Sugar production (tonnes)</b>
<b>North</b>	<b>11,392</b>	<b>888,243</b>	<b>78.0</b>	<b>91,878</b>
Terra	11,392	888,243	78.0	91,878
<b>South</b>	<b>16,018</b>	<b>1,214,789</b>	<b>75.8</b>	<b>115,866</b>
Omicane	16,018	1,214,789	75.8	115,866
<b>East</b>	<b>20,173</b>	<b>1,482,794</b>	<b>73.5</b>	<b>121,755</b>
Alteo	20,173	1,482,794	73.5	121,755
<b>West</b>	<b>4,804</b>	<b>423,406</b>	<b>88.1</b>	<b>36,571</b>
Medine	4,804	423,406	88.1	36,571
<b>Total Island</b>	<b>52,387</b>	<b>4,009,232</b>	<b>76.5</b>	<b>366,070</b>

**Table 2.8 - Distribution of owner and tenant planters by size of plantation - Island of Mauritius, 2014 - 2015**

Size (Hectares)	2014						2015					
	Owner planters		Tenant planters		Total		Owner planters		Tenant planters		Total	
	Number	Hectares harvested	Number	Hectares harvested	Number	Hectares harvested	Number	Hectares harvested	Number	Hectares harvested	Number	Hectares harvested
Up to 0.250	5,737	1,231	52	17	5,789	1,248	3,463	566	13	2	3,476	568
0.251 - 0.500	4,214	2,292	79	54	4,293	2,346	3,680	1,518	46	17	3,726	1,536
0.501 - 1.000	2,884	2,640	91	123	2,975	2,763	3,656	2,792	85	61	3,741	2,853
1.001 - 2.000	1,559	2,798	87	227	1,646	3,025	2,052	2,904	97	139	2,149	3,044
2.001 - 5.000	651	2,265	17	86	668	2,351	1,040	3,055	81	244	1,121	3,299
5.001 - 10.000	155	1,269	5	60	160	1,329	235	1,633	14	92	249	1,725
10.001 - 25.000	35	602	3	57	38	659	54	890	1	10	55	901
25.001 - 50.000	8	317	-	-	8	317	7	263	-	-	7	263
50.001 - 100.000	1	84	-	-	1	84	2	155	-	-	2	155
100.001 - 200.000	5	760	-	-	5	760	7	1,387	-	-	7	1,387
200.001 and over	11	9,390	-	-	11	9,390	10	8,342	-	-	10	8,342
<b>Total</b>	<b>15,260</b>	<b>23,648</b>	<b>334</b>	<b>623</b>	<b>15,594</b>	<b>24,271</b>	<b>14,206</b>	<b>23,506</b>	<b>337</b>	<b>566</b>	<b>14,543</b>	<b>24,072</b>

Figure 7 - Average extraction rate of sugar - Island of Mauritius, 2006 - 2015



**Table 2.9 - Production of sugar, molasses and scum - Island of Mauritius, 2006 - 2015**

Year	SUGAR							Molasses (tonnes)	Scum (tonnes)
	Production (tonnes)			Average extraction rate (%)	Average tonnes of cane per tonne of sugar	Average yield of sugar (tonnes per hectare)	Average polarisation (degrees)		
	White	Raw/ Special	Total						
<b>2006</b>	-	504,857	504,857	10.64	9.40	7.57	98.5	139,621	261,850
<b>2007</b>	-	435,972	435,972	10.31	9.72	6.68	98.5	130,917	170,841
<b>2008</b>	2,852	449,210	452,062	9.98	10.03	7.29	98.5	145,113	167,934
<b>2009</b>	8,565	458,669	467,234	10.02	9.98	7.74	98.5	147,568	171,273
<b>2010</b>	-	452,473 <sup>1</sup>	452,473	10.37	9.64	7.71	98.5	143,515	160,345
<b>2011</b>	-	435,310 <sup>1</sup>	435,310	10.30	9.70	7.68	98.5	138,579	144,801
<b>2012</b>	-	409,200 <sup>1</sup>	409,200	10.38	9.63	7.56	98.5	125,131	150,232
<b>2013</b>	-	404,713 <sup>1</sup>	404,713	10.62	9.42	7.57	98.5	126,601	148,235
<b>2014</b>	-	400,173 <sup>1</sup>	400,173	9.91	10.09	7.89	98.5	138,441	145,692
<b>2015</b>	-	366,070 <sup>1</sup>	366,070	9.14	10.94	6.99	98.5	132,244	131,641

<sup>1</sup> As from 2010, comprises of plantation white and special sugars; plantation white sugar is a processed raw sugar used to manufacture refined white sugar

**Table 2.10 - Supply and disposal of sugar - Republic of Mauritius, 2006 - 2015**

(000 tonnes tel quel)

Calendar year	Opening stock	Production	Imports	Available supplies	Exports	Domestic consumption	Loss or surplus in storage	Closing stock
2006	165.1	504.9	40.9	710.9	542.1	39.5	- 0.1	129.2
2007	129.2	436.0	35.6	600.7	442.2	39.6	- 0.1	118.9
2008	118.9	452.1	44.8	615.8	427.2	39.9	- 0.5	148.2
2009	148.2	467.2	33.3	648.7	343.5	37.9	- 0.4	266.0
2010	266.0	452.5	26.9	745.4	435.1	36.8	- 3.5	270.9
2011	270.9	435.3	17.7	723.9	410.9	32.9	+7.9	288.1
2012	288.1	409.2	18.6	715.9	357.7	37.3	- 8.9	312.0
2013	312.0	404.7	29.8	746.5	420.9	37.6	- 12.0	276.0
2014	276.0	400.2	46.4	722.6	420.6	37.5	- 12.7	251.8
2015	251.8	366.1	92.5	710.4	438.3	38.1	- 14.8	219.2

**Table 2.11 - Monthly supply and disposal of sugar - Republic of Mauritius, 2015**

(000 tonnes tel quel)

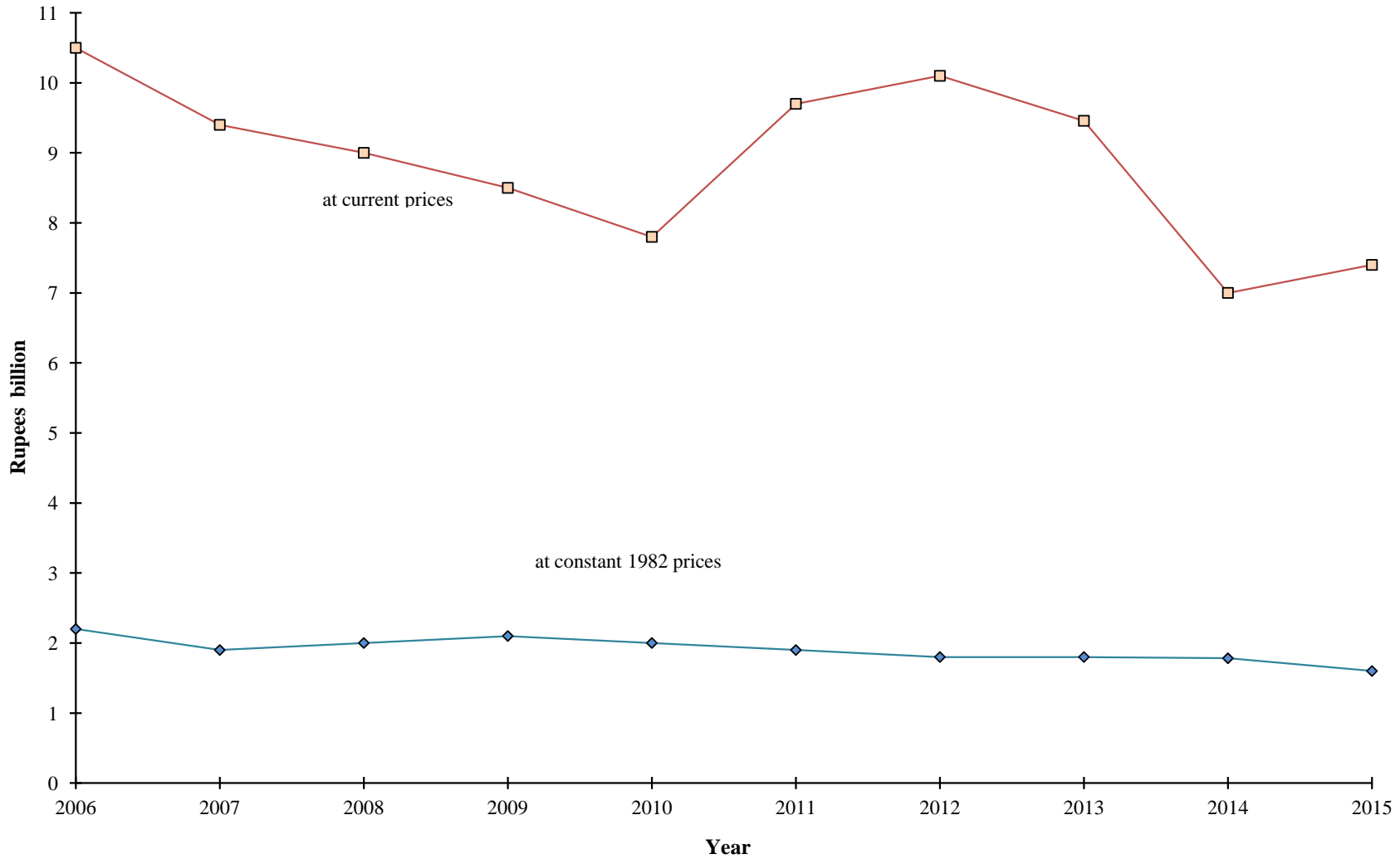
Month	Opening stock	Production	Imports	Available supplies	Exports	Domestic consumption	Loss or surplus in storage	Closing stock
January	251.8	-	0.2	252.0	23.1	3.1	-	225.8
February	225.8	-	1.8	227.6	44.5	2.4	-	180.7
March	180.7	-	2.2	182.9	44.4	3.4	-	135.1
April	135.1	-	30.2	165.3	39.6	2.4	-	123.3
May	123.3	1.3	2.1	126.7	39.6	3.1	-	84.0
June	84.0	29.9	1.2	115.1	29.7	2.4	- 14.8	68.2
July	68.2	46.4	3.8	118.4	34.7	4.0	-	79.7
August	79.7	54.3	1.9	135.9	34.3	3.8	-	97.8
September	97.8	66.7	1.3	165.8	29.0	4.1	-	132.7
October	132.7	65.7	1.5	199.9	44.4	4.0	-	151.5
November	151.5	53.8	44.9	250.2	38.6	2.8	-	208.8
December <sup>1</sup>	208.8	48.0	1.4	258.2	36.4	2.6	-	219.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>251.8</b>	<b>366.1</b>	<b>92.5</b>	<b>710.4</b>	<b>438.3</b>	<b>38.1</b>	<b>-14.8</b>	<b>219.2</b>

<sup>1</sup> Includes production of sugar for January and February 2016 due to delayed harvest which exceptionally extended to the first week of February 2016

Source : Mauritius Chamber of Agriculture and Statistics Mauritius

**Figure 8 - Value of sugar production - Island of Mauritius, 2006 - 2015**

**(at current & constant prices)**





**Table 2.12 - Sugar sales and revenue - Island of Mauritius, crop year : 2005/06 - 2015/16**

Crop year	Production		Exports		Local sales	
	Quantity (000 tonnes)	Value (Rs million)	Quantity (000 tonnes)	Value (Rs million)	Quantity (000 tonnes)	Value (Rs million)
<b>2005/06</b>	519.8	10,466.1	519.4	10,464.4	0.2	1.7
<b>2006/07</b>	504.9	10,496.4	504.9	10,495.5	0.1	0.2
<b>2007/08</b>	436.0	9,393.0	435.4	9,393.0	0.1	0.2
<b>2008/09</b>	452.1	9,000.0	452.1	9,000.0	-	-
<b>2009/10</b>	467.2	8,504.0	457.7	8,289.0	9.5	215.0
<b>2010/11</b>	452.0	7,832.0	432.0	7,487.0	12.0	345.0
<b>2011/12</b>	435.0	9,685.3	445.0	9,446.0	8.0	239.3
<b>2012/13</b>	409.0	10,149.0	410.0	9,724.0	18.0	425.0
<b>2013/14</b>	404.0	9,458.0	429.0	9,136.0	15.0	322.0
<b>2014/15</b> <sup>1</sup>	400.0	6,954.0	412.0	6,669.0	13.0	285.0
<b>2015/16</b> <sup>2</sup>	367.0	7,435.0	418.0	7,048.0	18.0	387.0

<sup>1</sup> Revised<sup>2</sup> Provisional

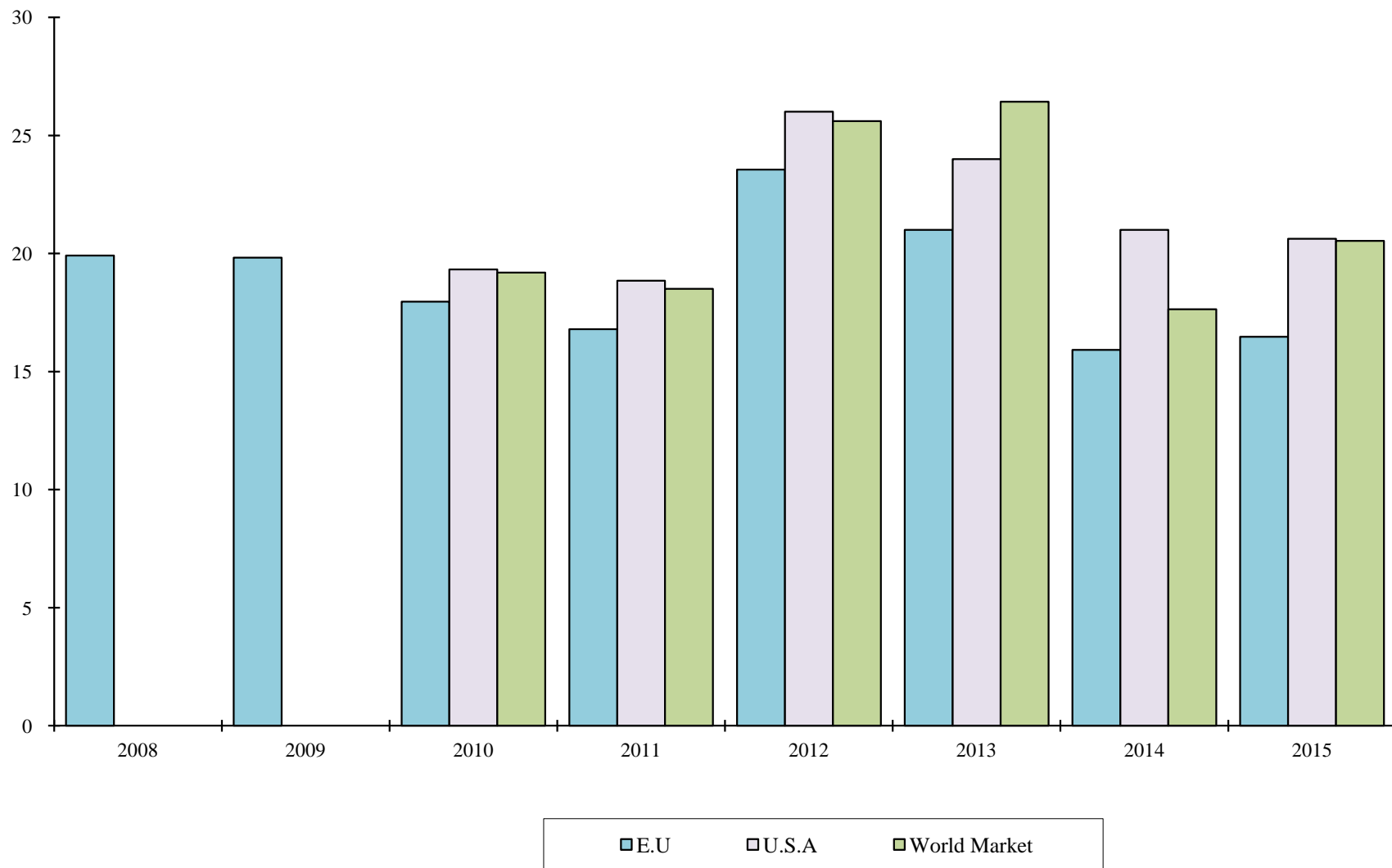
## Notes:

1. Harvesting generally extends from June to December, while export and local sales are spread over the period 1st July to 30th June the following year.
2. Production may not tally with exports and local sales due to loss or surplus in storage.
3. Data do not include imported sugar destined for local market

Source: Mauritius Sugar Syndicate

**Figure 9 - Average export price of sugar - Island of Mauritius, 2008 - 2015**  
(by main markets)

Rs '000/tonne



**Table 2.13 - Sugar exports <sup>1</sup> by main markets - Island of Mauritius, crop year : 2012/2013 - 2015/2016**

Markets	2012/2013			2013/2014			2014/2015 <sup>2</sup>			2015/2016 <sup>3</sup>		
	Quantity (000 tonnes)	Value (Rs million)	Average price (Rs/tonne)	Quantity (000 tonnes)	Value (Rs million)	Average price (Rs/tonne)	Quantity (000 tonnes)	Value (Rs million)	Average price (Rs/tonne)	Quantity (000 tonnes)	Value (Rs million)	Average price (Rs/tonne)
European Union	380	8,952	23,550	403	8,461	20,995	357	5,682	15,915	378	6,226	16,470
U.S.A	10	260	26,000	5	120	24,000	5	105	21,000	8	165	20,625
World market	20	512	25,600	21	555	26,428	50	882	17,640	32	657	20,530
<b>Total</b>	<b>410</b>	<b>9,724</b>	<b>23,717</b>	<b>429</b>	<b>9,136</b>	<b>21,296</b>	<b>412</b>	<b>6,669</b>	<b>16,186</b>	<b>418</b>	<b>7,048</b>	<b>16,861</b>

<sup>1</sup> Quantity tel quel and average price of sugar at 98.5° polarisation

<sup>2</sup> Revised

<sup>3</sup> Projected

Source: Mauritius Sugar Syndicate

**Table 2.14 - Earnings <sup>1</sup> of sugar producers - Ex-syndicate, before charging sugar insurance premium - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015**

(Rupees/tonne of sugar basis 98.5° polarisation)

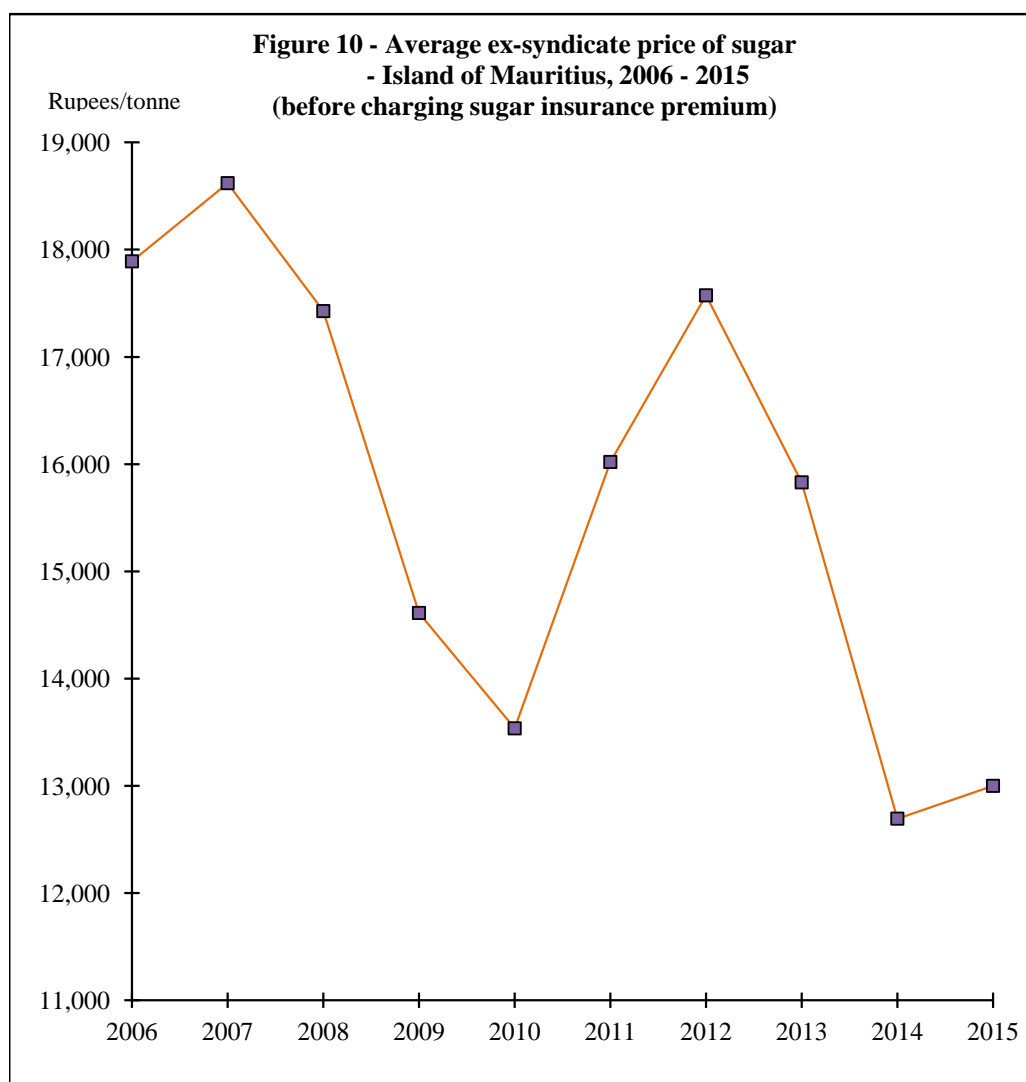
	2011	2012	2013	2014 <sup>2</sup>	2015 <sup>3</sup>
<b>Price paid to all producers</b>	<b>16,020</b>	<b>17,574</b>	<b>15,830</b>	<b>12,694</b>	<b>13,000</b>
<b>Index (Base 1997 = 100)</b>	<b>134.6</b>	<b>147.7</b>	<b>133.0</b>	<b>106.7</b>	<b>109.3</b>
<b>Annual growth rate of earnings of sugar production (%)</b>	<b>+18.9</b>	<b>+9.7</b>	<b>-9.9</b>	<b>-19.8</b>	<b>+2.4</b>

<sup>1</sup> Excludes the element of bagasse

<sup>2</sup> Revised

<sup>3</sup> Provisional

Source: Mauritius Sugar Syndicate



**Table 2.15- Employment by sugar estates and large sugar cane planters<sup>1</sup> and by sex-Island of Mauritius, March 2012 - March 2015**

SEX	March 2012			March 2013 <sup>2</sup>			March 2014 <sup>2</sup>			March 2015 <sup>3</sup>		
	Estate	Planters	Total	Estate	Planters	Total	Estate	Planters	Total	Estate	Planters	Total
Male	5,741	498	<b>6,239</b>	N.A	N.A	<b>6,041</b>	N.A	N.A	<b>5,712</b>	N.A	N.A	<b>5,578</b>
Female	615	380	<b>995</b>	N.A	N.A	<b>888</b>	N.A	N.A	<b>864</b>	N.A	N.A	<b>822</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>6,356</b>	<b>878</b>	<b>7,234</b>	N.A	N.A	<b>6,929</b>	N.A	N.A	<b>6,576</b>	N.A	N.A	<b>6,400</b>

<sup>1</sup> cultivating 10 hectares or more

<sup>2</sup> Revised

<sup>3</sup> Provisional

# **TEA AND TOBACCO**

**Table 3.1 - Area under tea cultivation - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015**

(Hectares)					
	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Plantation cultivated by factories	171	175	180	180	169
Plantation cultivated by private planters	480	494	492	492	405
<b>Total area cultivated</b>	<b>651</b>	<b>669</b>	<b>672</b>	<b>672</b>	<b>574</b>

Source: NAPRO

**Table 3.2 - Distribution of individual tea plantations by size - Island of Mauritius, 2015**

Size (hectares)	No. of individual plantations	Aggregate area cultivated (hectares)
Less than 1	1,180	368
1 but less than 2	17	24
2 but less than 3	2	4
3 but less than 4	-	-
4 but less than 5	-	-
5 but less than 10	1	9
10 but less than 25	-	-
25 but less than 100	-	-
100 and above	1	169
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,201</b>	<b>574</b>

Source: NAPRO

**Table 3.3 - Production of green leaf of tea by type of producer - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015**

(Tonnes)

<b>Year</b>	<b>Factory estates</b>	<b>Metayers</b>	<b>Free planters</b>	<b>Planters in co-operative societies</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>2011</b>	1,807	2,494	3,390	1,284	<b>8,975</b>
<b>2012</b>	1,397	2,090	3,246	1,214	<b>7,947</b>
<b>2013</b>	1,103	2,055	3,519	1,305	<b>7,981</b>
<b>2014</b>	1,137	2,111	3,232	1,127	<b>7,607</b>
<b>2015</b>	1,001	1,691	2,922	1,118	<b>6,732</b>

Source: NAPRO



**Table 3.4 - Production of black tea by factories - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015**

(Tonnes)

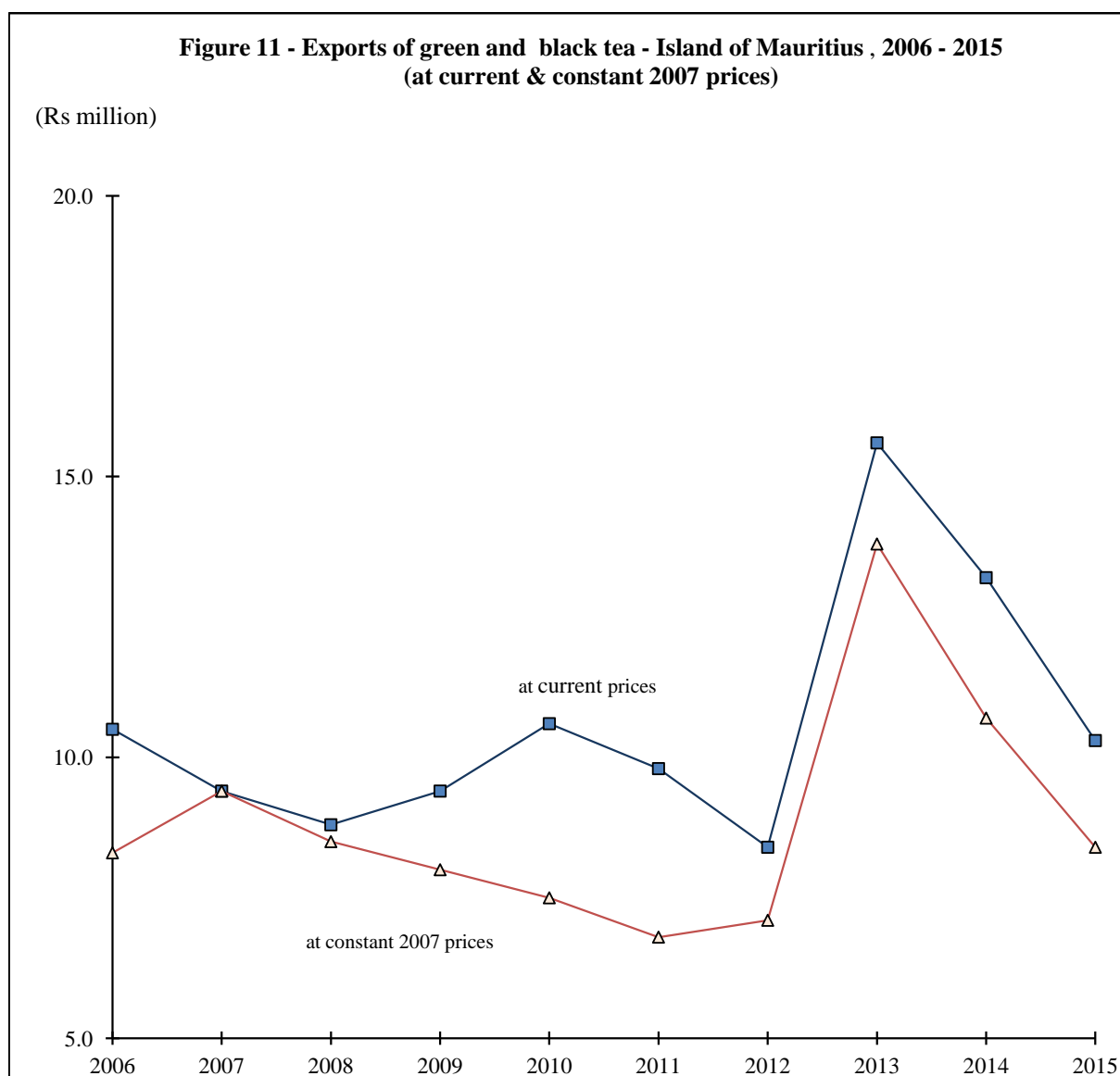
<b>Factory</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>2015</b>
Bois Cheri	782	620	589	595	482
La Chartreuse	693	633	670	594	529
Corson	312	324	304	316	285
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,787</b>	<b>1,577</b>	<b>1,563</b>	<b>1,504</b>	<b>1,295</b>

**Table 3.5 - Exports of green and black tea (at current and constant 2007 prices) - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015**

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015 <sup>1</sup>
Quantity (tonnes)	33.2	34.5	66.9	51.9	40.6
<b>Exports (f.o.b value in Rs million)</b>					
At current prices	9.8	8.4	15.6	13.2	10.3
At constant 2007 prices	6.8	7.1	13.8	10.7	8.4

<sup>1</sup> Provisional

Source: NAPRO



**Table 3.6 - Exports of green and black tea by country of destination - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015**

(Quantity in tonnes; f.o.b value in Rs million)

Country of destination	2011		2012		2013		2014		2015 <sup>1</sup>	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Reunion	16.1	3.8	15.7	3.8	18.6	4.7	18.5	5.1	14.4	4.2
France	13.8	4.9	14.8	3.3	21.2	5.4	14.8	4.5	22.8	5.4
Japan	0.5	0.1	0.5	0.1	0.5	0.1	-	-	0.5	0.1
Other countries	2.8	1.0	3.5	1.2	26.6	5.4	18.6	3.6	2.9	0.6
<i>of which</i>										
China	N.A	N.A	0.2	0.1	16.0	3.5	14.4	2.6	1.0	0.2
Hong Kong	N.A	N.A	0.1	....	5.0	0.8	-	-	-	-
<b>Total Exports</b>	<b>33.2</b>	<b>9.8</b>	<b>34.5</b>	<b>8.4</b>	<b>66.9</b>	<b>15.6</b>	<b>51.9</b>	<b>13.2</b>	<b>40.6</b>	<b>10.3</b>

<sup>1</sup> Provisional

**Table 3.7 - Tobacco: Area harvested, yield and production of leaf, Island of Mauritius: 2011 - 2015**

	2011	2012	2013	2014 <sup>1</sup>	2015 <sup>1</sup>
<b>Number of growers</b>	<b>184</b>	<b>171</b>	<b>2</b>	-	-
- Virginia Flue-cured	110	110	-	-	-
- Amarello Air-cured	74	61	2	-	-
<b>Area harvested (hectares)</b>	<b>222</b>	<b>173</b>	<b>2</b>	-	-
- Virginia Flue-cured	214	164	-	-	-
- Amarello Air-cured	8	9	2	-	-
<b>Average yield (tonnes/hectare)</b>	<b>1.55</b>	<b>1.42</b>	<b>0.50</b>	-	-
- Virginia Flue-cured	1.54	1.41	-	-	-
- Amarello Air-cured	2.00	1.44	0.50	-	-
<b>Leaf production (tonnes)</b>	<b>345</b>	<b>245</b>	<b>1</b>	-	-
- Virginia Flue-cured	329	232	-	-	-
- Amarello Air-cured	16	13	1	-	-

<sup>1</sup> No production

Source: NAPRO

**Table 3.8 - Tobacco: Average price paid to planters and value of production - Island of Mauritius : 2011 - 2015**

	2011	2012	2013	2014 <sup>1</sup>	2015 <sup>1</sup>
<b>Average price to planters (Rs/kg)</b>					
- Virginia Flue-cured	152.49	161.72	-	-	-
- Amarello Air-cured	82.47	80.07	80.07	-	-
<b>Value of production (Rs million)</b>	<b>51.5</b>	<b>38.6</b>	<b>0.1</b>	-	-
<b>Tobacco used in cigarette manufacture (tonnes)</b>	<b>N.Ap</b>	<b>N.Ap</b>	<b>N.Ap</b>	-	-
- Domestic leaf	N.Ap	N.Ap	N.Ap	-	-
- Imported leaf	N.Ap	N.Ap	N.Ap	-	-

<sup>1</sup> No production

Source: NAPRO

# **FOODCROPS**

**Table 4.1 - Area harvested and production of food crops - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015**

(Area in hectares; Production in tonnes)

Food crops	2011		2012		2013		2014		2015	
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production
Beans	276	1,690	301	1,609	296	1,511	301	1,430	264	1,232
Beet	46	877	41	668	40	646	46	638	40	556
Bittergourd	196	1,027	199	1,010	215	1,288	217	1,434	206	1,387
Brinjal	231	3,202	244	3,227	258	3,378	288	3,549	270	2,504
Broccoli	11	209	14	266	15	203	23	287	12	179
Cabbage	245	5,119	220	4,539	229	4,863	229	4,279	240	3,870
Calabash	366	5,301	377	5,487	398	5,401	397	5,957	394	5,153
Carrot	322	5,291	325	4,504	358	4,972	319	4,430	309	4,184
Cauliflower	81	1,648	80	1,520	105	2,016	115	2,105	106	1,921
Chillies (long+curry)	202	1,226	215	1,306	232	1,338	257	1,514	246	1,415
Chillies (small)	44	157	49	160	43	150	49	156	27	76
Chouchou	259	4,177	268	3,803	268	3,206	317	3,784	506	4,590
Cucumber	410	5,430	446	5,615	420	5,485	494	6,652	439	5,251
Echalotte	91	1,145	121	1,312	113	1,181	146	1,460	148	1,162
Eddoes (violet)	21	160	35	180	16	231	27	340	34	436
Eddoes (curry)	16	160	23	250	28	286	34	390	28	330
Garlic	5	34	16	98	16	107	27	163	13	85
Ginger	43	748	71	1,156	59	991	34	535	52	553
Gourgette	30	271	33	300	38	315	43	395	39	258
Green peas	2	6	1	5	1	2	1	6	5	15
Groundnut	163	499	266	723	182	431	240	618	99	189
Leek	19	228	19	173	17	166	19	188	18	134
Ladies finger	154	909	155	1,001	181	1,098	217	1,381	221	1,396

**Table 4.1 (cont'd) - Area harvested and production of food crops - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015**

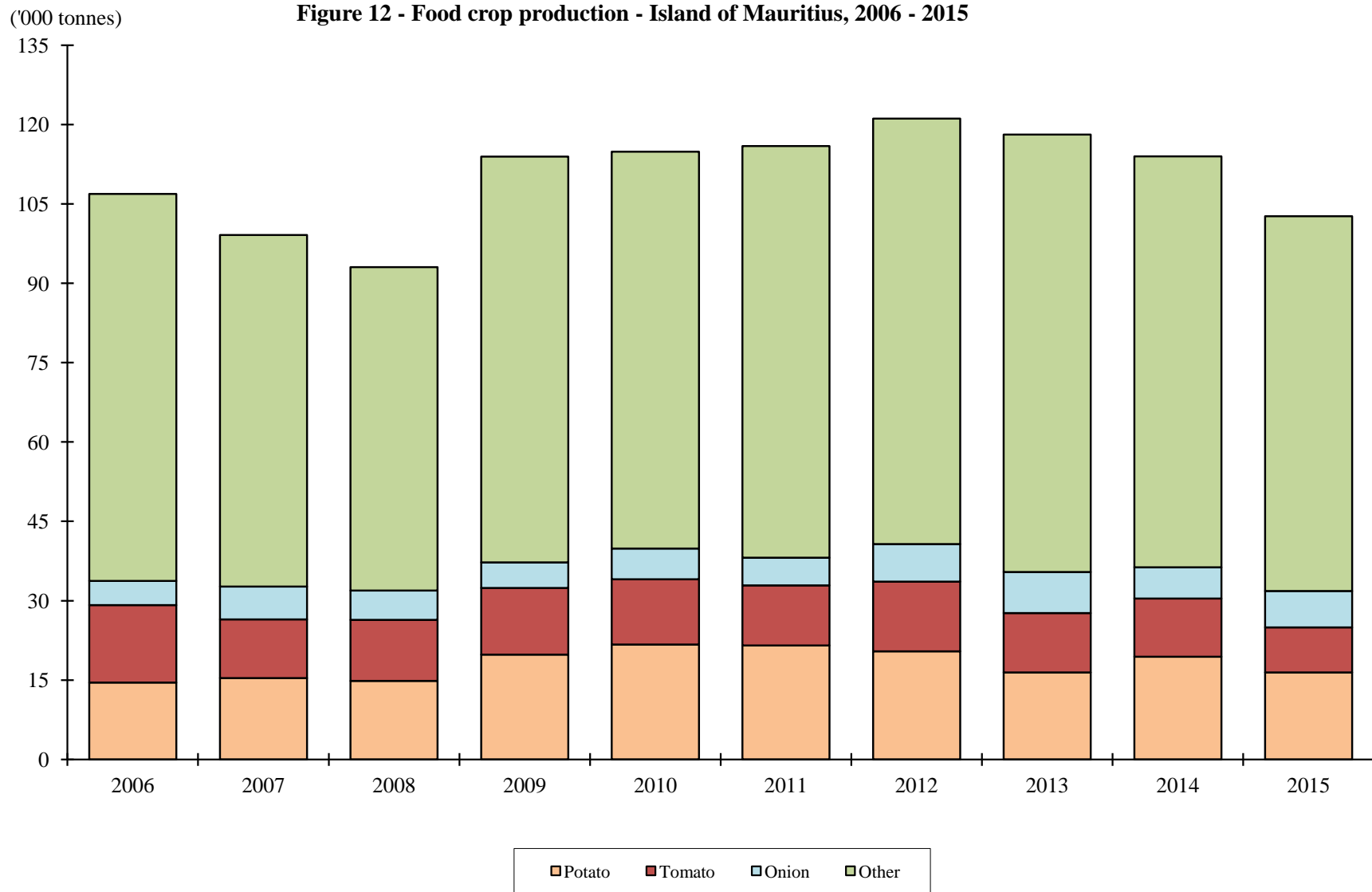
(Area in hectares; Production in tonnes)

Food crops	2011		2012		2013		2014		2015	
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production
Lettuce	90	906	98	931	93	1,016	135	1,398	114	919
Maize	43	320	58	413	93	632	69	625	71	451
Manioc	24	300	40	500	37	507	31	466	53	894
Onion	237	5,241	291	7,098	354	7,772	282	5,912	283	6,898
<i>of which hybrid</i>	148	3,850	165	4,525	248	5,896	158	3,808	254	6,398
Patole	103	801	115	882	117	882	119	951	125	865
Petsai	73	1,224	66	1,051	57	803	52	716	45	500
Pipengaille	120	1,339	149	1,603	149	1,368	151	1,451	179	1,855
Potato	1,011	21,561	876	20,442	697	16,451	821	19,404	707	16,427
Pumpkin	476	8,115	441	7,573	497	8,471	477	6,980	423	5,713
Rice (paddy)	120	316	309	831	304	646	412	1,186	340	657
Squash	84	787	75	736	75	607	79	659	92	702
Sweet pepper	-	3	1	5	1	4	1	4	-	-
Sweet potato	65	1,136	80	1,220	82	1,091	59	780	52	686
Tomato	761	11,354	827	13,150	816	11,201	857	10,997	740	8,525
<i>of which hybrid</i>	709	10,761	782	12,590	792	10,919	822	10,629	682	8,054
Voehm	170	1,551	176	1,444	178	1,267	159	1,114	145	1,038
Banana	497	10,544	510	10,196	501	10,181	464	8,833	470	7,965
Pineapple	377	10,922	493	14,120	610	15,957	450	10,788	523	11,693
<b>Total food crops</b>	<b>7,484</b>	<b>115,934</b>	<b>8,124</b>	<b>121,106</b>	<b>8,189</b>	<b>118,121</b>	<b>8,459</b>	<b>113,957</b>	<b>8,077</b>	<b>102,663</b>

Source: FAREI and Statistics Mauritius



**Figure 12 - Food crop production - Island of Mauritius, 2006 - 2015**



**Table 4.2 - Average yield of selected food crops - Island of Mauritius, 2006 - 2015**

(Tonnes/hectare)

Selected food crops	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Beans	4.4	4.8	4.4	4.8	5.2	6.1	5.3	5.1	4.7	4.7
Cabbage	19.3	19.6	18.5	20.6	20.0	20.9	20.6	21.2	18.7	16.1
Cauliflower	19.1	19.9	19.5	23.3	21.7	20.4	19.0	19.2	18.3	18.1
Groundnuts	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.4	2.7	3.1	2.7	2.4	2.6	1.9
Maize	7.8	9.5	7.5	8.0	6.8	7.4	7.1	6.8	9.1	6.4
Onion	26.8	25.6	24.7	23.2	24.1	22.1	24.4	22.0	20.9	24.4
Potato	24.7	25.2	22.9	23.1	20.4	21.3	23.3	23.6	23.6	23.2
Tomato	15.7	15.1	15.5	16.1	14.9	14.9	15.9	13.7	12.8	11.5

Source: FAREI and Statistics Mauritius

**Table 4.3 - Area harvested and production of food crops grown in interline plantations - Island of Mauritius, 2013 - 2015**

Food crops	2013			2014			2015		
	Area (hectares)		Production (tonnes)	Area (hectares)		Production (tonnes)	Area (hectares)		Production (tonnes)
	Interline	Pure stand equivalent		Interline	Pure stand equivalent		Interline	Pure stand equivalent	
Bean	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.9	1.9	8
Courgette	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.9	1.9	17
Groundnut	22.3	12.1	28	-	-	-	5.9	3.9	12
Potato	5.6	2.8	52	-	-	-	-	-	-
Squash	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.2	3.4	41
Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	2.2	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>27.9</b>	<b>14.9</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>20.2</b>	<b>13.3</b>	<b>83</b>

Source: FAREI and Statistics Mauritius

**Table 4.4 - Food crops: Monthly area harvested <sup>1</sup> - Island of Mauritius, 2014**

(Hectares)

Food crops	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total
Beans & peas	26.7	25.4	19.8	16.9	15.5	26.6	19.7	31.9	28.3	36.2	27.0	29.0	<b>302.8</b>
Brinjal	27.7	24.1	24.3	21.6	21.1	21.4	21.5	24.6	23.5	26.5	27.0	24.3	<b>287.6</b>
Cabbage	18.8	19.6	25.0	19.3	18.2	18.8	15.2	19.3	21.9	17.8	16.7	18.1	<b>228.8</b>
Cauliflower	2.2	4.6	6.0	7.3	6.5	13.3	11.4	16.9	14.1	15.7	9.0	8.2	<b>115.1</b>
Chillies	28.4	29.2	25.5	23.8	23.4	21.8	28.1	23.0	25.7	25.8	25.6	26.0	<b>306.4</b>
Creepers <sup>2</sup>	234.5	208.3	220.1	196.7	209.5	206.7	211.8	174.8	183.6	207.4	195.6	204.6	<b>2,453.6</b>
Garlic	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	1.1	4.8	19.4	1.5	0.4	<b>27.3</b>
Ginger	2.6	-	-	0.2	0.2	1.5	5.2	6.3	9.9	3.8	4.7	-	<b>34.3</b>
Groundnut	34.5	9.0	7.1	17.0	8.9	30.8	9.9	8.1	26.3	17.6	48.5	22.4	<b>240.2</b>
Maize	3.1	5.2	3.3	5.4	4.8	7.7	4.6	4.7	6.4	11.9	8.3	3.7	<b>69.0</b>
Onion Other	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	1.4	1.1	10.8	80.5	29.8	-	<b>124.0</b>
Onion (hybrid)	5.6	0.5	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.7	18.4	46.9	72.0	14.2	<b>158.5</b>
Potato	8.3	-	-	-	-	14.9	71.4	124.8	149.4	231.4	194.1	26.4	<b>820.8</b>
Rice (paddy)	-	-	20.9	92.6	207.9	81.3	8.9	-	-	-	-	-	<b>411.6</b>
Tomato Other	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.3	5.8	7.3	3.7	4.9	3.2	3.2	0.3	0.1	<b>34.1</b>
Tomato (hybrid)	75.5	79.0	84.6	79.0	62.6	54.4	51.8	53.4	57.9	74.1	77.0	73.2	<b>822.5</b>
Mixed vegetables <sup>3</sup>	88.6	83.9	90.9	89.9	83.9	93.8	102.0	104.3	89.2	102.0	92.3	87.5	<b>1,108.3</b>
Banana	39.6	39.6	39.5	39.1	39.3	39.5	40.2	35.6	37.3	37.5	38.8	38.2	<b>464.0</b>
Pineapple	47.4	43.3	34.8	28.7	28.7	29.2	36.1	35.3	45.9	46.0	48.9	25.8	<b>450.1</b>
<b>Total food crops</b>	<b>644.8</b>	<b>573.3</b>	<b>603.2</b>	<b>638.8</b>	<b>736.4</b>	<b>669.3</b>	<b>643.2</b>	<b>670.7</b>	<b>756.5</b>	<b>1,003.6</b>	<b>916.9</b>	<b>602.1</b>	<b>8,458.8</b>

<sup>1</sup> Includes interline plantations.

<sup>2</sup> Includes bittergourd, calabash, chouchou, cucumber, gourgette, patole, pipengaille, pumpkin, squash and voehm.

<sup>3</sup> Includes beet, broccoli, carrot, echalotte, eddoes, ladies finger, leek, lettuce, manioc, petsai, sweet pepper and sweet potato.

Source: FAREI and Statistics Mauritius

**Table 4.5 - Food crops: Monthly area harvested - Island of Mauritius, 2015**

(Hectares)

Food crops	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total
Beans & peas	20.0	23.0	14.0	10.5	17.4	22.2	30.2	29.2	26.3	24.6	25.3	27.0	<b>269.7</b>
Brinjal	24.9	22.0	20.8	17.1	16.4	16.7	18.1	22.0	25.0	26.5	29.6	31.0	<b>270.0</b>
Cabbage	16.8	19.5	14.8	16.0	15.7	22.9	25.9	24.2	25.0	18.4	22.3	18.6	<b>240.1</b>
Cauliflower	8.4	2.3	2.3	1.3	2.8	11.5	21.7	17.3	12.9	8.9	8.2	8.8	<b>106.3</b>
Chillies	26.2	22.2	21.0	15.1	17.3	17.4	20.3	22.7	25.0	26.9	28.7	29.8	<b>272.5</b>
Creepers <sup>1</sup>	252.0	220.3	245.6	215.9	204.3	161.8	194.1	215.8	211.7	204.0	208.7	215.3	<b>2,549.6</b>
Garlic	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	3.7	7.8	1.6	0.1	<b>13.3</b>
Ginger	0.2	0.2	0.4	2.4	2.1	4.7	3.6	6.9	7.7	20.1	3.4	-	<b>51.8</b>
Groundnut	10.4	20.0	17.4	2.7	3.5	6.9	15.6	5.3	5.5	2.0	3.7	5.7	<b>98.6</b>
Maize	2.3	2.8	2.7	6.4	8.2	5.6	6.6	9.9	9.9	5.8	7.2	3.7	<b>70.9</b>
Onion Other	-	-	-	-	1.9	0.6	1.3	1.1	3.0	2.7	17.5	-	<b>28.1</b>
Onion (hybrid)	2.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	10.7	154.2	72.7	13.8	<b>254.5</b>
Potato	-	-	-	-	-	5.5	73.0	79.8	152.0	212.8	139.8	43.9	<b>706.9</b>
Rice (paddy)	-	-	6.4	104.9	117.4	17.8	93.2	-	-	-	-	-	<b>340.0</b>
Tomato Other	12.4	7.4	9.2	11.6	14.5	0.3	0.5	0.2	-	-	-	1.5	<b>57.8</b>
Tomato (hybrid)	46.1	42.6	36.6	32.7	39.4	69.6	73.4	72.1	64.9	61.3	70.0	73.2	<b>681.9</b>
Mixed vegetables <sup>2</sup>	85.8	81.3	70.4	61.0	64.7	90.3	117.7	100.1	106.2	99.4	100.4	95.7	<b>1,072.8</b>
Banana	37.7	38.4	44.8	38.0	42.0	37.3	37.4	37.4	38.6	39.5	39.3	39.3	<b>469.8</b>
Pineapple	46.0	41.5	36.5	29.1	31.8	33.0	43.3	62.3	64.9	58.8	38.3	37.5	<b>523.0</b>
<b>Total food crops</b>	<b>228.1</b>	<b>211.3</b>	<b>197.5</b>	<b>172.5</b>	<b>192.3</b>	<b>230.5</b>	<b>272.3</b>	<b>272.0</b>	<b>274.5</b>	<b>258.9</b>	<b>248.0</b>	<b>247.3</b>	<b>8,077.3</b>

<sup>1</sup> Includes bittergourd, calabash, chouchou, cucumber, gourgette, patole, pipengaille, pumpkin, squash and voehm.

<sup>2</sup> Includes beet, broccoli, carrot, echalotte, eddoes, ladies finger, leek, lettuce, manioc, petsai, sweet pepper and sweet potato.

Source: FAREI and Statistics Mauritius

**Table 4.6 - Monthly production<sup>1</sup> of food crops - Island of Mauritius, 2014**

(Tonnes)

Food crops	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total
Beans & peas	126	107	77	74	75	128	96	145	144	189	136	137	<b>1,436</b>
Brinjal	372	324	339	278	272	271	256	268	246	304	304	315	<b>3,549</b>
Cabbage	342	339	420	343	321	327	276	374	469	382	338	351	<b>4,279</b>
Cauliflower	29	45	80	115	103	309	168	376	296	288	165	131	<b>2,105</b>
Chillies	148	154	140	140	142	129	167	106	113	136	141	154	<b>1,670</b>
Creepers <sup>2</sup>	2,347	2,298	2,769	2,630	2,806	2,703	2,503	2,020	2,094	2,434	2,346	2,426	<b>29,376</b>
Garlic	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	1	34	114	9	3	<b>163</b>
Ginger	46	-	-	4	3	15	77	98	159	58	76	-	<b>535</b>
Groundnut	77	22	18	48	32	84	26	21	63	65	109	53	<b>618</b>
Maize	31	60	22	46	39	60	48	32	71	102	70	43	<b>625</b>
Onion Other	-	-	-	-	-	4	16	16	158	1,306	605	-	<b>2,105</b>
Onion (hybrid)	105	15	-	-	-	-	3	17	577	1,242	1,501	347	<b>3,808</b>
Potato	150	-	-	-	-	235	1,652	2,595	3,574	5,746	4,894	558	<b>19,404</b>
Rice (paddy)	-	-	49	340	565	192	39	-	-	-	-	-	<b>1,186</b>
Tomato Other	17	14	12	11	55	66	38	54	48	49	4	1	<b>368</b>
Tomato (hybrid)	953	688	792	768	753	672	733	756	888	1,253	1,299	1,075	<b>10,629</b>
Mixed vegetables <sup>3</sup>	868	810	870	885	840	1,109	1,185	1,336	1,223	1,257	1,113	982	<b>12,480</b>
Banana	760	738	716	759	732	777	811	643	700	731	731	735	<b>8,833</b>
Pineapple	1,138	930	752	776	576	648	867	877	1,092	1,226	1,256	650	<b>10,788</b>
<b>Total food crops</b>	<b>7,509</b>	<b>6,546</b>	<b>7,057</b>	<b>7,218</b>	<b>7,314</b>	<b>7,731</b>	<b>8,962</b>	<b>9,734</b>	<b>11,947</b>	<b>16,881</b>	<b>15,096</b>	<b>7,962</b>	<b>113,957</b>

<sup>1</sup> Includes interline plantations.

<sup>2</sup> Includes bittergourd, calabash, chouchou, cucumber, gourgette, patole, pipengaille, pumpkin, squash and voehm.

<sup>3</sup> Includes beet, broccoli, carrot, echalotte, eddoes, ladies finger, leek, lettuce, manioc, petsai, sweet pepper and sweet potato.

Source: FAREI and Statistics Mauritius

**Table 4.7 - Monthly production of food crops - Island of Mauritius, 2015**

(Tonnes)

Food crops	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total
Beans & peas	41	51	41	33	85	113	155	145	138	147	151	148	<b>1,247</b>
Brinjal	244	201	161	140	216	136	158	193	222	233	290	310	<b>2,504</b>
Cabbage	185	101	95	198	275	427	491	448	479	376	424	372	<b>3,870</b>
Cauliflower	41	16	27	9	49	226	428	362	251	179	165	168	<b>1,921</b>
Chillies	132	99	100	74	80	91	122	136	139	165	171	182	<b>1,491</b>
Creepers <sup>1</sup>	2,004	1,382	1,438	1,760	2,852	1,997	2,394	2,559	2,431	2,496	2,697	2,802	<b>26,812</b>
Garlic	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	24	48	11	-	<b>85</b>
Ginger	5	4.7	8.5	7	8	28	33	66	97	251	45	-	<b>553</b>
Groundnut	21	28	22	5	9	16	37	12	15	5	8	12	<b>189</b>
Maize	12	24	19	44	51	30	50	64	56	37	45	21	<b>451</b>
Onion Other	-	-	-	-	32.9	9.4	12.4	10.4	48.5	73.3	312.9	-	<b>500</b>
Onion (hybrid)	48.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.1	332.2	3642.3	2031.8	329.8	<b>6,398</b>
Potato	-	-	-	-	-	66	1,373	1,380	3,226	4,997	4,431	954	<b>16,427</b>
Rice (paddy)	-	-	18	204	241	128	66	-	-	-	-	-	<b>657</b>
Tomato Other	86	7	36	107	204	3	5	1	-	-	-	22	<b>472</b>
Tomato (hybrid)	402	138	77	102	356	930	992	900	863	927	1,149	1,217	<b>8,054</b>
Mixed vegetables <sup>2</sup>	510	468	474	477	624	1,067	1,407	1,237	1,363	1,292	1,259	1,197	<b>11,375</b>
Banana	682	757	685	613	673	633	638	626	667	661	643	688	<b>7,965</b>
Pineapple	1,111	951	807	640	705	784	974	1,395	1,462	1,229	819	816	<b>11,693</b>
<b>Total food crops</b>	<b>5,524</b>	<b>4,227</b>	<b>4,009</b>	<b>4,414</b>	<b>6,463</b>	<b>6,684</b>	<b>9,335</b>	<b>9,549</b>	<b>11,813</b>	<b>16,757</b>	<b>14,651</b>	<b>9,237</b>	<b>102,663</b>

<sup>1</sup> Includes bittergourd, calabash, chouchou, cucumber, gourgette, patole, pipengaille, pumpkin, squash and voehm.

<sup>2</sup> Includes beet, broccoli, carrot, echalotte, eddoes, ladies finger, leek, lettuce, manioc, petsai, sweet pepper and sweet potato.

Source: FAREI and Statistics Mauritius

**Table 4.8 - Area harvested and production of food crops by district - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015**

(Area in hectares; Production in tonnes)

District	2011		2012		2013		2014		2015	
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production
Black River	394.5	7,634	431.6	7,483	350.7	6,402	307.1	5,290	294.6	5,668
Flacq	1,518.9	25,223	1,778.2	28,977	1,840.1	31,031	1,756.9	25,106	1,739.7	24,089
Grand Port	960.7	11,386	1183.9	12,203	1104.4	11,222	1377.4	15,044	753.5	10,243
Moka	825.0	12,298	744.9	11,251	800.1	11,078	825.6	11,435	1027.6	11,149
Pamplemousses	947.0	12,400	1,149.7	15,799	1,363.5	17,063	1,172.4	14,956	1,244.1	14,719
Plaines Wilhems	985.5	17,709	1,051.3	17,352	1,011.4	15,701	1,046.4	13,792	1,208.5	12,180
Riviere du Rempart	674.0	8,197	675.2	8,599	762.3	8,301	989.2	10,768	991.7	9,987
Savanne	1178.2	21,087	1109.5	19,443	956.9	17,323	983.8	17,565	817.6	14,628
<b>Whole Island</b>	<b>7,483.8</b>	<b>115,934</b>	<b>8,124.3</b>	<b>121,106</b>	<b>8,189.4</b>	<b>118,121</b>	<b>8,458.8</b>	<b>113,957</b>	<b>8,077.2</b>	<b>102,663</b>

Source: FAREI and Statistics Mauritius



**Table 4.9 - Area harvested and production of beans and peas by district - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015**

(Area in hectares; Production in tonnes)

District	2011		2012		2013		2014		2015	
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production
Black River	6.6	71	7.3	73	7.1	39	6.4	28	5.5	32
Flacq	75.2	547	74.0	402	78.9	466	75.5	406	79.8	405
Grand Port	38.4	199	42.3	206	37.8	187	42.4	224	32.6	149
Moka	48.2	286	49.1	270	47.5	253	42.6	232	39.8	188
Pamplemousses	35.1	147	38.9	187	44.4	189	47.7	166	35.4	132
Plaines Wilhems	23.2	242	22.3	181	21.2	106	27.3	116	24.5	132
Riviere du Rempart	26.8	94	37.6	170	24.9	107	42.2	157	35.9	133
Savanne	24.9	110	30.7	125	35.0	166	18.8	106	16.1	76
<b>Whole Island</b>	<b>278.4</b>	<b>1,696</b>	<b>302.2</b>	<b>1,614</b>	<b>296.8</b>	<b>1,513</b>	<b>302.8</b>	<b>1,436</b>	<b>269.7</b>	<b>1,247</b>

Source: FAREI and Statistics Mauritius

**Table 4.10 - Area harvested and production of potato by district - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015**

(Area in hectares; Production in tonnes)

District	2011		2012		2013		2014		2015	
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production
Black River	33.6	538	30.6	615	19.5	302	1.5	39	21.9	561
Flacq	31.6	643	12.2	315	22.6	534	33.3	709	24.9	451
Grand Port	101.8	2,335	111.5	2,428	116.5	2,918	158.7	3,986	89.8	2,106
Moka	156.7	2,617	89.0	1,735	100.4	2,053	96.0	1,737	93.2	1,775
Pamplemousses	35.5	628	81.7	1,666	64.8	1,325	106.2	2,303	78.3	1,534
Plaines Wilhems	100.2	1,737	162.4	3,723	89.9	1,987	91.7	2,169	87.8	1,393
Riviere du Rempart	60.5	1,488	54.1	1,285	71.8	1,357	85.1	1,947	51.4	1,201
Savanne	491.0	11,575	334.4	8,675	211.2	5,975	248.3	6,513	259.6	7,406
<b>Whole Island</b>	<b>1,010.9</b>	<b>21,561</b>	<b>875.9</b>	<b>20,442</b>	<b>696.7</b>	<b>16,451</b>	<b>820.8</b>	<b>19,404</b>	<b>706.9</b>	<b>16,427</b>

Source: FAREI and Statistics Mauritius

**Table 4.11 - Area harvested and production of maize by district - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015**

(Area in hectares; Production in tonnes)

District	2011		2012		2013		2014		2015	
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production
Black River	0.1	1	0.3	1	0.2	2	0.2	1	0.2	2
Flacq	14.8	98	6.8	36	16.2	89	16.7	123	23.8	125
Grand Port	1.2	6	12.7	91	8.7	73	5.7	69	9.6	76
Moka	11.8	55	12.3	38	23.0	68	12.0	69	16.6	69
Pamplemousses	5.3	51	15.5	129	31.2	251	21.8	233	10.6	97
Plaines Wilhems	-	-	1.8	13	0.5	3	0.5	2	0.7	3
Riviere du Rempart	4.0	19	3.2	25	3.4	31	4.8	53	4.9	41
Savanne	5.8	89	5.3	80	10.0	116	7.3	76	4.6	37
<b>Whole Island</b>	<b>43.1</b>	<b>320</b>	<b>57.9</b>	<b>413</b>	<b>93.2</b>	<b>632</b>	<b>69.0</b>	<b>625</b>	<b>70.9</b>	<b>451</b>

Source: FAREI and Statistics Mauritius

**Table 4.12 - Area harvested and production of groundnut by district - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015**

(Area in hectares; Production in tonnes)

District	2011		2012		2013		2014		2015	
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production
Black River	-	-	-	-	0.1	...	0.6	2	0.2	...
Flacq	57.8	259	56.5	134	26.5	56	66.9	155	14.2	27
Grand Port	0.9	2	40.4	103	8.7	30	3.1	11	-	-
Moka	4.2	13	3.2	7	24.9	46	2.0	5	2.7	6
Pamplemousses	20.2	47	31.0	93	49.8	125	31.9	99	16.7	37
Plaines Wilhems	0.2	1	-	-	0.1	...	1.2	4	0.4	1
Riviere du Rempart	17.6	40	37.0	120	35.9	84	98.6	270	30.4	73
Savanne	62.3	137	97.8	266	36.1	90	35.8	72	34.0	44
<b>Whole Island</b>	<b>163.2</b>	<b>499</b>	<b>265.9</b>	<b>723</b>	<b>182.1</b>	<b>431</b>	<b>240.2</b>	<b>618</b>	<b>98.6</b>	<b>189</b>

**Table 4.13 - Area harvested and production of onion by district - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015**

(Area in hectares; Production in tonnes)

District	2011		2012		2013		2014		2015	
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production
Black River	90.9	2,382	81.1	1,914	91.3	2,059	67.3	1,705	77.0	2,394
Flacq	79.6	1,289	89.6	1,712	99.9	1,740	92.7	1,379	94.9	1,507
Grand Port	8.3	158	6.9	187	6.2	161	7.1	196	4.2	99
Moka	1.4	18	4.5	87	0.2	2	1.3	21	0.3	4
Pamplemousses	10.1	185	14.5	244	18.2	317	14.4	635	19.2	610
Plaines Wilhems	41.9	1,080	67.6	2,254	93.9	2,558	63.1	1,116	60.8	1,600
Riviere du Rempart	1.9	33	15.1	372	25.7	534	18.6	388	5.0	145
Savanne	2.9	96	11.8	328	18.6	401	17.9	471	21.3	539
<b>Whole Island</b>	<b>237.0</b>	<b>5,241</b>	<b>291.1</b>	<b>7,098</b>	<b>354.0</b>	<b>7,772</b>	<b>282.4</b>	<b>5,912</b>	<b>282.6</b>	<b>6,898</b>

Source: FAREI and Statistics Mauritius

**Table 4.14 - Area harvested and production of tomato by district - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015**

(Area in hectares; Production in tonnes)

District	2011		2012		2013		2014		2015	
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production
Black River	48.1	978	57.3	1,255	52.3	1,092	34.7	687	29.4	517
Flacq	131.3	2,106	151.3	2,506	126.7	1,903	125.6	1,660	124.0	1,727
Grand Port	150.6	2,182	140.5	2,084	113.3	1,547	147.4	2,128	118.2	1,770
Moka	50.0	845	42.7	736	46.2	646	69.3	993	39.3	488
Pamplemousses	118.7	1,518	119.5	1,764	163.7	1,962	135.4	1,681	154.1	1,426
Plaines Wilhems	53.3	1,010	61.5	890	52.1	588	59.8	406	31.1	257
Riviere du Rempart	116.9	1,472	127.7	1,888	148.8	1,665	182.6	2,169	178.8	1,666
Savanne	92.4	1,243	126.6	2,027	112.9	1,798	101.8	1,273	64.9	673
<b>Whole Island</b>	<b>761.3</b>	<b>11,354</b>	<b>827.1</b>	<b>13,150</b>	<b>816.0</b>	<b>11,201</b>	<b>856.5</b>	<b>10,997</b>	<b>739.6</b>	<b>8,525</b>

Source: FAREI and Statistics Mauritius

**Table 4.15 - Area harvested and production of cabbage and cauliflower by district - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015**

(Area in hectares; Production in tonnes)

District	2011		2012		2013		2014		2015	
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production
Black River	25.9	614	23.3	384	11.6	207	22.8	366	21.3	275
Flacq	39.3	684	41.7	805	45.7	989	53.5	1,035	46.4	850
Grand Port	26.9	508	21.8	450	18.4	381	16.8	352	19.3	393
Moka	78.9	1,469	78.0	1,671	90.3	1,789	68.2	1,305	80.6	1,354
Pamplemousses	14.0	253	17.4	375	24.2	432	24.4	486	33.5	597
Plaines Wilhems	118.8	2,842	91.9	1,788	114.5	2,313	123.3	2,172	114.9	1,854
Riviere du Rempart	8.1	126	8.1	171	10.2	186	19.6	379	18.0	332
Savanne	13.6	271	18.3	415	19.4	582	15.3	290	12.4	136
<b>Whole Island</b>	<b>325.5</b>	<b>6,767</b>	<b>300.5</b>	<b>6,059</b>	<b>334.3</b>	<b>6,879</b>	<b>343.9</b>	<b>6,385</b>	<b>346.4</b>	<b>5,791</b>

Source: FAREI and Statistics Mauritius

**Table 4.16 - Area harvested and production of creepers by district - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015**

(Area in hectares; Production in tonnes)

District	2011		2012		2013		2014		2015	
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production
Black River	54.3	796	73.3	970	68.3	1,072	69.8	1,050	37.4	650
Flacq	377.5	4,533	475.0	5,000	421.2	4,842	390.9	4,220	459.7	4,972
Grand Port	306.2	3,251	263.0	2,862	289.7	3,015	358.2	4,112	272.4	2,973
Moka	285.9	4,079	262.0	3,726	274.3	3,255	317.6	3,843	573.6	5,151
Pamplemousses	299.5	3,724	340.6	4,539	423.3	5,226	337.7	3,916	332.0	3,580
Plaines Wilhems	328.0	5,492	350.3	4,756	313.9	3,959	335.4	3,844	238.0	2,708
Riviere du Rempart	331.5	3,901	279.0	3,426	320.3	3,316	361.0	3,897	450.8	4,685
Savanne	230.8	3,022	236.4	3,174	243.8	3,605	283.1	4,494	185.7	2,093
<b>Whole Island</b>	<b>2,213.7</b>	<b>28,798</b>	<b>2,279.6</b>	<b>28,453</b>	<b>2,354.8</b>	<b>28,290</b>	<b>2,453.6</b>	<b>29,376</b>	<b>2,549.6</b>	<b>26,812</b>

Source: FAREI and Statistics Mauritius



**Table 4.17 - Area harvested and production of mixed vegetables<sup>1</sup> by district - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015**

(Area in hectares; Production in tonnes)

District	2011		2012		2013		2014		2015	
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production
Black River	91.3	1,391	108.8	1,544	66.3	925	74.9	978	74.0	841
Flacq	60.0	604	85.7	802	87.5	890	116.1	1,137	103.9	867
Grand Port	138.9	1,450	146.5	1,648	134.3	1,404	150.0	1,802	137.9	1,879
Moka	99.2	1,241	105.5	1,261	107.1	1,522	118.0	1,617	102.3	1,043
Pamplemousses	176.1	2,271	226.0	2,573	264.6	2,915	232.5	2,415	261.8	2,552
Plaines Wilhems	296.4	4,926	272.0	3,471	296.8	3,798	307.9	3,540	288.0	3,350
Riviere du Rempart	36.9	220	35.6	254	37.4	213	66.1	418	74.9	499
Savanne	34.1	446	37.3	510	43.6	537	42.8	573	30.0	344
<b>Whole Island</b>	<b>932.8</b>	<b>12,549</b>	<b>1,017.4</b>	<b>12,063</b>	<b>1,037.6</b>	<b>12,204</b>	<b>1,108.3</b>	<b>12,480</b>	<b>1,072.7</b>	<b>11,375</b>

<sup>1</sup> Includes beet, broccoli , carrot, echalotte, eddoes, ladies finger, leek, lettuce, manioc, petsai, sweet pepper and sweet potato.

Source: FAREI and Statistics Mauritius

**Table 4.18 - Area harvested and production of banana by district - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015**

(Area in hectares; Production in tonnes)

District	2011		2012		2013		2014		2015	
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production
Black River	36.3	673	40.0	600	26.9	472	22.6	367	21.9	352
Flacq	143.7	3,605	145.0	3,350	153.9	3,615	143.2	2,915	158.1	2,590
Grand Port	41.9	825	55.0	1,100	37.0	701	39.3	752	38.2	598
Moka	42.1	909	45.0	850	43.8	871	37.5	666	43.4	688
Pamplemousses	11.1	232	15.0	300	18.0	355	19.8	381	20.2	371
Plaines Wilhems	10.6	221	12.0	200	12.8	250	12.4	220	9.5	138
Riviere du Rempart	4.3	92	5.0	100	3.3	66	4.5	81	6.0	106
Savanne	206.8	3,987	193.0	3,696	205.4	3,851	184.8	3,451	172.5	3,123
<b>Whole Island</b>	<b>496.9</b>	<b>10,544</b>	<b>510.0</b>	<b>10,196</b>	<b>501.1</b>	<b>10,181</b>	<b>464.0</b>	<b>8,833</b>	<b>470</b>	<b>7,965</b>

Source: FAREI and Statistics Mauritius

**Table 4.19 - Area harvested and production of pineapple by district - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015**

(Area in hectares; Production in tonnes)

District	2011		2012		2013		2014		2015	
	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production	Area	Production
Black River	3.4	135	1.0	49	4.2	210	0.3	14	-	-
Flacq	266.8	8,213	373.5	11,100	492.1	13,108	341.2	8,409	374.3	8,586
Grand Port	0.7	15	0.9	20	0.9	21	0.3	6	-	-
Moka	22.7	558	16.0	515	14.7	330	27.2	659	8.6	189
Pamplemousses	74.5	1,829	91.9	2,210	91.2	2,145	70.5	1,469	127.3	2,660
Plaine Wilhems	-	-	-	-	1.5	31	-	-	-	-
Riviere du Rempart	8.4	162	9.7	223	5.3	84	10.7	230	11.8	243
Savanne	0.2	10	0.1	3	0.5	28	-	-	0.9	15.0
<b>Whole Island</b>	<b>376.5</b>	<b>10,912</b>	<b>493.0</b>	<b>14,120</b>	<b>610.4</b>	<b>15,957</b>	<b>450.1</b>	<b>10,788</b>	<b>522.9</b>	<b>11,693</b>

Source: FAREI and Statistics Mauritius

**Table 4.20 - Average monthly retail prices of food crops - Island of Mauritius, 2014**

(Rupees)

Food crops	Unit	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
Beans	Kg	93.24	93.89	72.28	64.51	59.39	51.58	65.27	66.09	59.32	42.66	45.18	69.84
Beet	Unit	16.44	21.96	24.38	24.95	24.17	21.31	17.51	17.44	14.40	11.46	11.40	11.53
Bittergourd	Kg	74.83	70.64	65.43	67.50	67.38	72.56	75.84	84.54	85.85	71.12	62.36	64.93
Brinjal	Kg	39.46	28.04	24.64	44.45	31.70	44.69	48.40	49.13	36.55	30.75	32.78	22.15
Cabbage	Unit	26.35	26.06	33.44	35.68	34.08	33.88	32.43	30.41	22.83	22.01	23.73	26.11
Calabash	Kg	31.68	30.69	26.67	29.48	27.62	29.63	34.72	37.27	31.89	24.47	25.81	23.34
Carrot	Kg	86.41	96.56	72.04	65.19	52.58	39.77	29.22	23.90	21.57	23.98	35.37	42.95
Cauliflower	Unit	58.21	64.81	68.89	67.33	64.06	60.00	49.54	50.20	49.32	48.02	48.41	47.99
Chillies(long)	Kg	115.90	127.62	117.03	130.84	114.77	111.89	148.46	231.57	128.68	118.17	114.11	108.81
Chillies(small)	Kg	164.97	161.65	151.41	178.19	153.94	174.03	221.00	360.57	322.23	204.88	167.77	171.03
Chouchou	Kg	53.36	52.41	25.85	18.72	19.61	18.21	18.92	29.89	35.61	31.63	26.64	22.52
Cucumber	Unit	20.31	27.27	20.39	18.22	20.49	30.96	33.15	30.92	23.34	20.61	24.81	28.72
Eddoes(curry)	Kg	72.96	73.22	70.86	68.78	70.33	69.60	71.13	76.55	79.13	80.48	74.83	72.21
Eddoes(violet)	Kg	151.85	144.02	142.55	137.84	149.09	147.78	143.28	158.73	153.23	166.50	147.69	146.26
Ginger	Kg	131.78	130.59	149.02	165.04	164.31	152.89	144.60	146.72	159.99	167.59	179.10	201.60

**Table 4.20 (cont'd) -Average monthly retail prices of food crops - Island of Mauritius, 2014**

(Rupees)

Food crops	Unit	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
Groundnut (fresh)	Kg	66.44	60.82	58.73	62.39	65.53	68.31	72.10	76.31	76.06	75.51	66.84	61.51
Ladies finger	Kg	101.38	85.09	69.35	73.75	68.00	74.78	89.13	119.94	139.94	136.01	134.83	120.50
Leek	Unit	13.31	12.56	12.29	13.05	13.81	13.08	12.93	11.98	10.83	10.44	10.30	10.61
Lettuce	Unit	22.97	26.19	22.04	21.75	19.79	17.80	16.15	15.52	14.25	12.65	13.37	14.76
Maize (cob)	Unit	14.96	15.11	13.23	13.54	14.56	14.51	13.98	14.81	13.49	13.51	13.74	13.86
Manioc	Kg	33.56	29.68	28.63	27.83	26.46	27.02	25.29	26.60	25.23	25.37	25.61	26.68
Onion (local)	Kg	48.58	49.05	49.78	50.00	50.00	45.73	50.95	52.64	46.27	43.36	42.93	45.87
Patole	Kg	47.39	46.59	40.06	44.65	51.99	51.80	50.14	54.01	50.58	43.64	45.89	46.57
Petsai	Unit	24.00	26.23	26.58	23.30	23.61	23.78	22.98	23.34	21.11	20.10	20.05	21.30
Pipengaille	Kg	49.07	46.64	31.59	28.29	33.34	33.26	37.44	48.73	49.80	43.27	44.95	44.91
Potato	Kg	31.61	31.46	31.17	30.60	31.31	35.46	31.99	30.47	30.52	31.08	30.60	31.02
Pumpkin	Kg	48.01	49.49	27.94	20.07	19.19	22.00	30.12	49.08	44.79	30.28	22.18	22.54
Squash	Unit	39.80	87.46	42.67	26.90	26.20	26.39	30.63	34.61	32.94	24.76	23.45	29.20
Sweet pepper	Kg	206.94	211.59	204.94	219.19	223.73	226.17	232.87	239.59	230.42	218.16	207.05	195.99
Sweet potato	Kg	45.66	43.07	42.54	43.04	41.78	41.93	39.54	40.07	38.49	32.23	29.69	31.35
Tomato	Kg	62.85	128.75	127.72	112.84	64.29	62.14	50.39	49.98	36.54	19.57	23.20	32.17
Voehm	Kg	71.18	56.14	43.82	57.26	57.35	70.17	71.68	88.51	80.08	57.78	45.04	45.33

**Table 4.21 - Average monthly retail prices of food crops - Island of Mauritius, 2015**

(Rupees)

Food crops	Unit	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
Beans	Kg	116.99	126.51	123.23	90.75	51.60	46.22	72.89	74.61	54.05	43.96	48.78	64.40
Beet	Unit	19.40	30.55	31.76	28.73	17.23	13.86	14.45	16.50	18.43	17.00	13.63	13.31
Bittergourd	Kg	75.18	71.76	88.41	76.41	72.07	72.14	77.00	83.53	90.93	76.96	72.51	70.03
Brinjal	Kg	39.05	65.14	58.81	66.17	43.91	49.02	43.99	44.40	45.56	41.58	34.43	28.41
Cabbage	Unit	44.70	65.74	70.62	58.72	26.80	22.14	18.16	29.51	34.96	24.70	21.07	30.20
Calabash	Kg	38.86	36.79	51.26	46.12	32.03	28.20	32.01	34.03	35.98	31.72	28.36	25.04
Carrot	Kg	93.80	123.19	106.97	111.85	60.58	37.34	29.45	31.29	33.65	34.06	33.83	38.60
Cauliflower	Unit	67.05	60.00	92.36	77.31	65.10	59.85	53.76	57.64	56.87	54.32	56.26	57.69
Chillies(long)	Kg	114.65	135.29	264.62	209.89	148.79	116.57	109.79	116.25	138.21	129.72	126.70	113.40
Chillies(small)	Kg	177.70	205.83	299.36	282.01	225.99	196.07	181.74	196.91	221.50	210.54	200.67	187.80
Chouchou	Kg	52.10	79.49	48.63	31.65	17.81	16.81	21.06	20.06	27.39	34.35	30.96	32.30
Cucumber	Unit	25.32	23.17	31.03	22.67	17.76	20.26	27.92	36.05	37.72	32.58	25.78	22.61
Eddoes(curry)	Kg	75.83	75.51	77.74	77.15	76.60	78.44	81.66	87.24	86.08	85.08	79.44	80.88
Eddoes(violet)	Kg	150.96	144.81	148.41	146.42	149.03	172.74	177.37	188.35	185.42	172.11	160.13	157.64
Ginger	Kg	203.00	211.65	217.92	218.97	211.81	198.33	179.68	183.37	167.97	175.90	184.68	214.62

**Table 4.21 (cont'd) -Average monthly retail prices of food crops - Island of Mauritius, 2015**

(Rupees)

Food crops	Unit	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
Groundnut (fresh)	Kg	67.19	71.83	78.19	81.67	81.90	83.82	83.46	93.23	87.40	89.77	98.18	87.20
Ladies finger	Kg	121.00	102.71	91.36	69.73	58.61	70.88	87.51	111.85	138.65	141.16	140.72	107.16
Leek	Unit	13.74	14.82	15.31	15.29	12.87	13.81	15.32	12.75	12.02	11.73	11.43	12.23
Lettuce	Unit	24.64	24.20	24.94	22.75	18.77	16.54	17.45	18.52	17.48	16.62	16.80	18.93
Maize (cob)	Unit	14.80	15.21	14.98	14.89	14.22	14.67	14.74	15.26	14.64	14.49	13.38	14.62
Manioc	Kg	30.14	30.70	31.67	30.73	28.30	27.23	28.57	29.64	27.67	30.09	29.40	30.79
Onion (local)	Kg	49.57	57.06	57.98	60.00	57.13	52.07	55.40	54.58	52.72	49.38	49.83	52.18
Patole	Kg	60.83	54.65	64.03	54.14	49.85	46.10	53.46	54.76	63.23	58.93	51.56	46.46
Petsai	Unit	28.95	34.35	34.11	32.31	23.99	20.40	22.07	23.16	24.44	23.03	22.48	22.33
Pipengaille	Kg	56.45	47.69	47.19	38.02	38.06	38.20	42.43	48.09	50.57	50.17	45.67	41.93
Potato	Kg	32.51	34.02	35.30	36.33	0.00	37.32	36.41	35.76	32.45	31.71	32.97	35.59
Pumpkin	Kg	37.29	54.16	48.03	56.00	32.43	26.68	29.05	43.59	52.98	35.86	24.56	21.54
Squash	Unit	61.33	79.37	86.18	41.27	23.91	27.84	36.24	40.62	41.24	30.82	26.22	33.58
Sweet pepper	Kg	224.58	265.91	255.37	245.98	232.58	235.17	232.88	229.86	228.83	219.62	210.08	210.50
Sweet potato	Kg	36.90	34.78	38.46	39.65	39.02	44.92	45.87	47.33	42.96	39.01	32.08	36.43
Tomato	Kg	82.49	193.28	160.80	166.49	65.77	44.13	46.48	69.26	67.14	46.29	34.32	35.03
Voehm	Kg	83.14	71.63	86.16	70.79	53.93	59.28	80.84	80.00	80.08	67.62	48.50	46.62

# **LIVESTOCK AND FISHERIES**



**Table 5.1 - Number of cattle, goats, sheep and pigs by type of breeder as at December 2015 -  
Island of Mauritius**

Type of breeder	Cattle	Goats	Sheep	Pigs
Small breeders	4,705	26,714	2,731	21,964
Livestock breeding stations and prisons farm	214	95	21	-
Large commercial farms	979	-	-	-
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>5,898</b>	<b>26,809</b>	<b>2,752</b>	<b>21,964</b>

Source: Food and Agricultural Research & Extension Institute (FAREI)

**Table 5.2 - Number of small breeders and number of livestock by district as at December 2015 -  
Island of Mauritius**

District	Cattle		Goats		Sheep		Pigs	
	No. of breeders	No. of heads	No. of breeders	No. of heads	No. of breeders	No. of heads	No. of breeders	No. of heads
Pamplemousses	104	496	474	4,799	43	389	38	1,064
Riviere du Rempart	194	1,377	520	5,742	57	708	36	425
Flacq	130	465	771	6,367	28	274	65	2,663
Grand Port	82	360	188	2,303	12	255	36	829
Savanne	64	251	207	2,306	42	448	16	261
Plaine Wilhems	72	506	58	918	6	109	19	473
Moka	67	461	50	552	-	-	9	219
Black River / Port-Louis	77	789	277	3,727	20	548	246	16,030
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>790</b>	<b>4,705</b>	<b>2,545</b>	<b>26,714</b>	<b>208</b>	<b>2,731</b>	<b>465</b>	<b>21,964</b>

Source: Food and Agricultural Research & Extension Institute (FAREI)

**Table 5.3 - Livestock slaughtered <sup>1</sup> - Island of Mauritius, 2012 - 2015**

Type of Livestock	2012		2013		2014		2015	
	No. of heads	Carcass weight (tonnes)	No. of heads	Carcass weight (tonnes)	No. of heads	Carcass weight (tonnes)	No. of heads	Carcass weight (tonnes)
<b>Cattle</b>	<b>8,425</b>	<b>1,986.1</b>	<b>8,884</b>	<b>1,946.2</b>	<b>7,634</b>	<b>1,955.7</b>	<b>8,054</b>	<b>2,012.6</b>
<i>Local</i>	1,156	171.6	507	85.4	246	44.3	341	60.2
<i>Rodrigues</i>	61	8.5	36	4.5	122	15.9	184	24.8
<i>Imported</i>	7,208	1,806.0	8,341	1,856.3	7,266	1,895.5	7,529	1,927.6
<b>Goats</b>	<b>4,753</b>	<b>41.7</b>	<b>4,679</b>	<b>41.2</b>	<b>4,033</b>	<b>37.1</b>	<b>3,855</b>	<b>35.6</b>
<i>Local and Rodrigues</i>	4,358	35.8	3,756	30.5	3,372	28.1	3,752	33.7
<i>Imported</i>	395	5.9	923	10.7	661	9.0	103	1.9
<b>Sheep</b>	<b>577</b>	<b>9.5</b>	<b>318</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>473</b>	<b>7.5</b>	<b>443</b>	<b>6.0</b>
<i>Local and Rodrigues</i>	319	4.6	200	2.6	310	4.3	411	5.4
<i>Imported</i>	258	4.9	118	2.6	163	3.2	32	0.6
<b>Pigs</b>	<b>9,990</b>	<b>652.9</b>	<b>9,656</b>	<b>615.4</b>	<b>8,516</b>	<b>556.5</b>	<b>8,564</b>	<b>560.0</b>

<sup>1</sup> Abattoir slaughters only

Source: Mauritius Meat Authority

**Table 5.4 - Production of fish (in wet weight equivalent) - Island of Mauritius, 2006 - 2015**

(Tonnes)

	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015 <sup>1</sup>
<b>High seas<sup>2</sup></b>	<b>6,259</b>	<b>4,060</b>	<b>3,614</b>	<b>4,115</b>	<b>3,214</b>	<b>2,663</b>	<b>2,383</b>	<b>3,625</b>	<b>10,214</b>	<b>10,338</b>
Local vessels	6,259	4,060	3,614	4,115	3,214	2,663	2,383	3,625	10,214	10,338
<b>Coastal Fishing</b>	<b>2,114</b>	<b>1,754</b>	<b>1,808</b>	<b>2,161</b>	<b>2,112</b>	<b>2,100</b>	<b>1,888</b>	<b>1,749</b>	<b>1,409</b>	<b>1,559</b>
Lagoon and off lagoon	1,164	804	858	1,211	1,162	1,150	938	799	459	609
Sport fishing	650	650	650	650	650	650	650	650	650	650
Amateur fishing	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300
<b>Ponds and Barachois</b>	<b>472</b>	<b>563</b>	<b>238</b>	<b>430</b>	<b>561</b>	<b>520</b>	<b>509</b>	<b>421</b>	<b>753</b>	<b>753</b>
<b>Total production</b>	<b>8,845</b>	<b>6,377</b>	<b>5,660</b>	<b>6,706</b>	<b>5,887</b>	<b>5,283</b>	<b>4,780</b>	<b>5,795</b>	<b>12,376</b>	<b>12,650</b>

<sup>1</sup> Provisional

<sup>2</sup> includes fish caught for the canning industry

Source: Ministry of Ocean Economy, Marine Resources, Shipping, Fisheries and Outer Islands

**Table 5.5 - Catch from artisanal fishing by type - Island of Mauritius, 2012 - 2015**

(Tonnes)

	2012	2013	2014 <sup>1</sup>	2015 <sup>2</sup>
Fin fish	642	510	428	570
<i>Bony</i>	640	510	428	570
<i>Cartilaginous</i>	2	0	0	0
Shell fish	8	5	4	4
Molluscs	55	44	27	35
<b>Total</b>	<b>705</b>	<b>559</b>	<b>459</b>	<b>609</b>

<sup>1</sup> Revised<sup>2</sup> Provisional

Source: Ministry of Ocean Economy, Marine Resources, Shipping, Fisheries and Outer Islands

**Table 5.6 -Total exports and imports of fish and fish preparations - Republic of Mauritius, 2012 - 2015**

(Rs million)

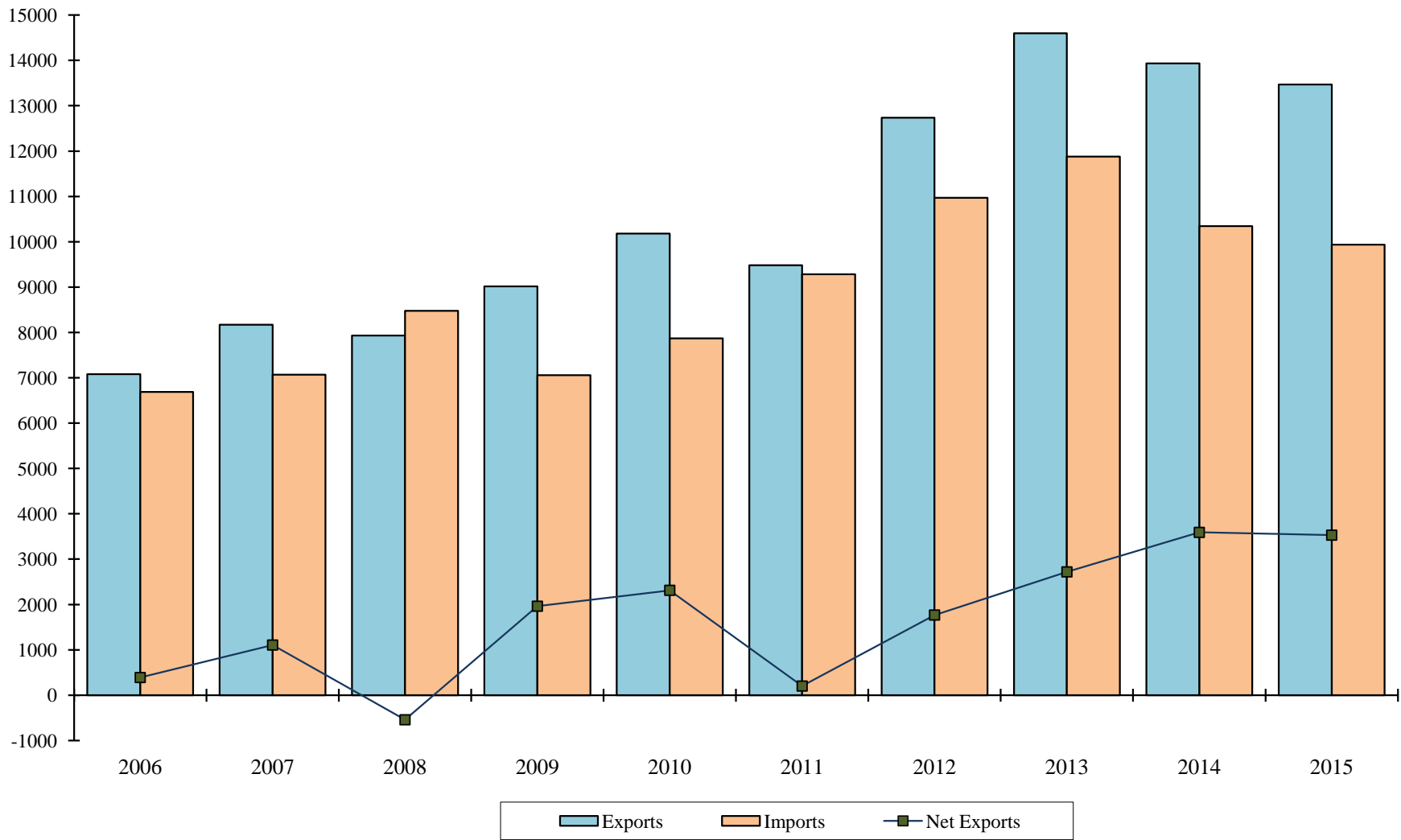
	2012	2013	2014 <sup>1</sup>	2015 <sup>2</sup>
Exports (f.o.b value)	12,735.3	14,599.0	13,933.9	13,465.2
Imports (c.i.f value)	10,967.9	11,880.0	10,343.5	9,935.7
<b>Net exports</b>	<b>+1,767.4</b>	<b>+2,719.0</b>	<b>+3,590.4</b>	<b>+3,529.5</b>

Note : As from 2002, data include Freeport transactions

<sup>1</sup> Revised<sup>2</sup> Provisional

**Figure 13 - Total exports & imports of fish - Republic of Mauritius, 2006 - 2015**

(Rs million)



# **FOOD BALANCE SHEETS**

## **Food Balance Sheets**

### *General Notes*

1. **Methodology:** Prior to 2004, the methodology for the preparation of the food balance sheets was based on the “Handbook of Food Balance Sheets of FAO, 1949”. From 2004 onwards, the “Handbook of Food Balance Sheets of FAO, 2001”, latest version, has been used.
2. **Coverage:** As from 2006, data relate to the residents of the Republic of Mauritius (Islands of Mauritius and Rodrigues). Prior to 2006, data covered the Island of Mauritius only.
3. **Further disaggregates:** Some of the items have been further disaggregated owing to their high calorific values.
4. The column “Manufacture” previously appearing under the heading “Domestic Utilisation” has been renamed as “Food manufacture”. A new column “Other Uses” has been added. Included under this heading are: quantities mainly consumed by tourists and victuals. These items were previously included in “Exports”.
5. Quantity is in tonnes unless otherwise specified.
6. Estimated changes in stock:  
A negative sign (-) against “stocks” denotes decrease in supply; the absence of a sign signifies increase in supply.
7. Data on production of food crops used for the computation of Food Balance Sheets include backyard production.
8. Production of meat includes local and imported live animals slaughtered in Mauritius and Rodrigues. Off-abattoir slaughters are also included.
9. Data on fish and crustaceans are given in terms of wet-weight equivalent.

**Table 6.1 - Per Capita consumption of selected commodities - Republic of Mauritius, 2008 - 2015**

(Kg/year)

Selected Commodities	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014 <sup>1</sup>	2015
Wheat flour	74.50	75.79	82.78	81.53	80.99	84.96	84.26	85.34
Milled rice	49.92	56.16	57.11	47.59	45.02	45.12	45.14	46.30
Potatoes	16.45	19.81	19.62	20.46	20.81	16.15	19.08	19.75
Sugar	30.81	29.15	28.14	25.04	29.11	29.27	29.14	29.17
Fresh vegetables <sup>2</sup>	66.50	77.61	77.35	75.30	78.23	75.75	75.52	68.85
Oils and fats	25.45	24.30	25.40	25.08	28.01	32.26	30.74	28.60
Milk fresh	5.78	5.21	5.19	5.88	6.69	6.28	6.50	5.58
Milk (powdered) <sup>3</sup>	9.73	9.78	10.27	10.47	11.53	9.53	11.75	10.09
Pulses <sup>3</sup>	8.56	9.31	10.16	8.93	9.64	10.12	9.89	9.61
Eggs	6.76	6.19	6.67	6.86	7.45	7.54	7.66	7.98
Meat and meat preparations <sup>3</sup>	47.45	48.62	50.18	51.14	52.08	52.86	53.05	53.11
Banana	7.84	8.14	8.89	7.78	7.67	7.64	6.62	5.96
Other fresh fruits	19.19	21.22	19.44	22.32	25.66	27.81	24.25	26.52
Fish and fish preparations <sup>4</sup>	21.25	20.79	21.77	22.16	23.81	24.34	28.17	28.54

<sup>1</sup> revised

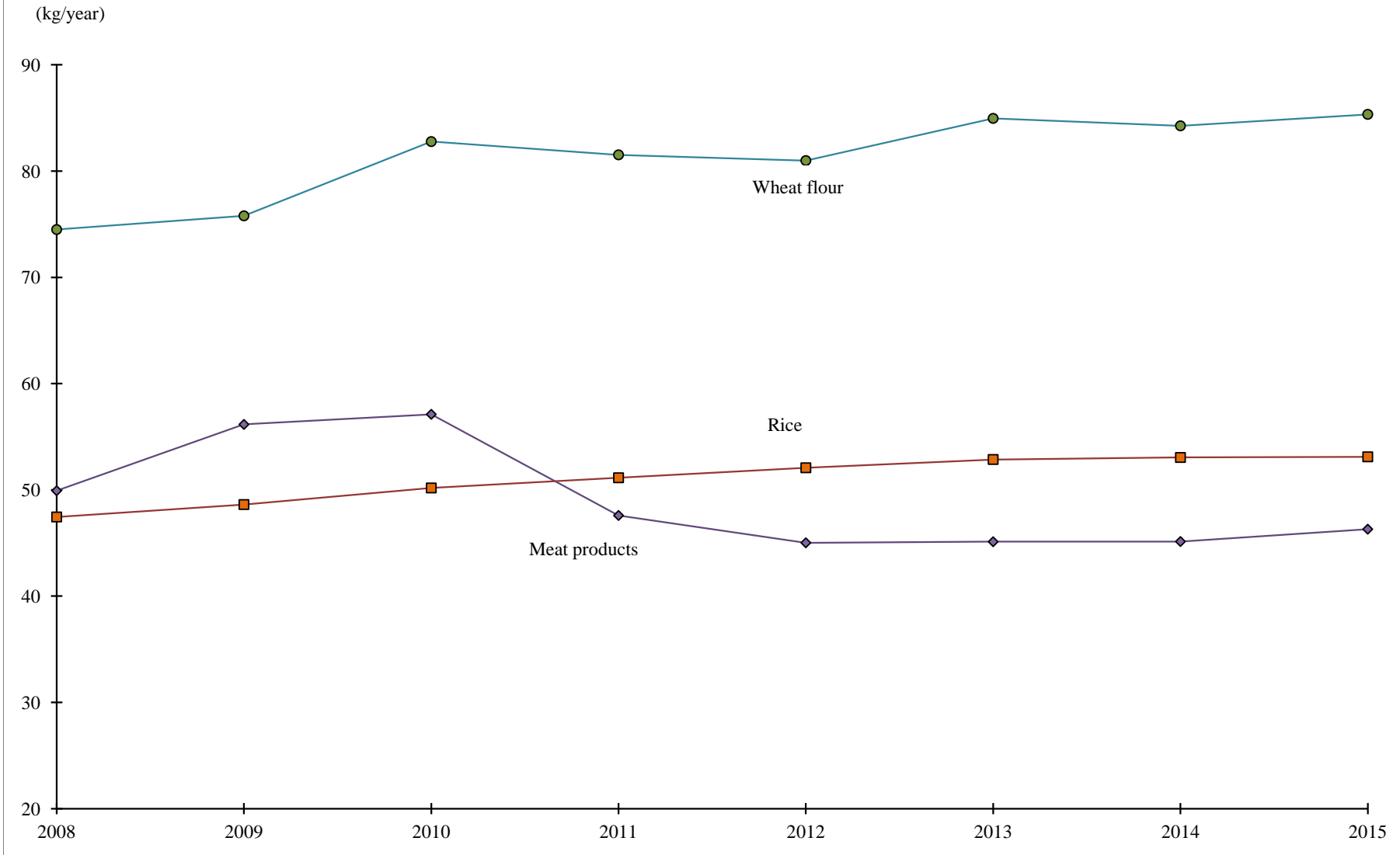
<sup>2</sup> includes beans, beet, brinjal, cabbage, carrot, cauliflower, green peas, leek, lettuce, ladies finger, petsai, tomato and creepers

<sup>3</sup> no adjustment has been made for changes in stock

<sup>4</sup> wet weight equivalent



Figure 14 - Per capita consumption of selected commodities - Island of Mauritius, 2008 - 2015



**Table 6.2 - Per capita consumption of food commodities - Republic of Mauritius, 2014 - 2015**

Commodity	2014		2015	
	Kg (per year)	Grams (per day)	Kg (per year)	Grams (per day)
<b>CEREALS AND PRODUCTS</b>				
Wheaten flour	84.26	230.85	85.34	233.81
<i>Rice :</i>				
Ration	13.37	36.63	14.42	39.51
Luxurious	31.77	87.04	31.88	87.34
Maize <sup>1</sup>	2.27	6.22	2.32	6.36
Oats	0.04	0.11	0.09	0.25
Malt	0.05	0.14	0.07	0.19
Other cereals (unmilled)	0.02	0.05	0.19	0.52
Other cereals	1.97	5.40	2.00	5.48
Cereals preparations <sup>2</sup>	5.08	13.92	6.34	17.37
<b>ROOTS, TUBERS AND PRODUCTS</b>				
Potatoes	19.08	52.27	19.75	54.11
Sweet potatoes	0.65	1.78	0.55	1.51
Cassava (Manioc)	0.41	1.12	0.72	1.97
Tapioca & Sago	0.27	0.74	0.38	1.04
Taro (Curry and Violette Eddoes)	0.58	1.59	0.61	1.67

<sup>1</sup> imported mainly for the manufacture of animal feeds

<sup>2</sup> includes prepared breakfast foods, macaroni and spaghetti, bakery products and other

**Table 6.2 (cont'd) - Per capita consumption of food commodities - Republic of Mauritius, 2014 - 2015**

Commodity	2014		2015	
	Kg (per year)	Grams (per day)	Kg (per year)	Grams (per day)
<b>SUGARS AND SYRUPS</b>				
Cane sugar <sup>1</sup>	29.14	79.84	29.17	79.92
Other sugars <sup>2</sup>	0.42	1.15	0.23	0.63
Sugar preparations <sup>3</sup>	1.08	2.96	1.49	4.08
Honey	0.21	0.58	0.26	0.71
<b>PULSES</b>				
Beans, dry	1.10	3.01	1.09	2.99
Broad beans, dry	0.98	2.68	1.40	3.84
Lentils	2.71	7.42	2.29	6.27
Peas, dry	3.48	9.53	3.27	8.96
Other pulses	1.62	4.44	1.56	4.27
<b>TREE NUTS</b>				
Tree nuts <sup>4</sup>	0.27	0.74	0.21	0.58

<sup>1</sup> brown sugar and white sugar combined; includes sugars used in the manufacture of soft drinks, juices, biscuits, confectioneries, etc.

<sup>2</sup> includes glucose, lactose, etc

<sup>3</sup> consists mainly of confectioneries

<sup>4</sup> consists of almonds, chestnuts, pistachios, hazelnuts, walnuts, brazil nuts, cashew nuts and other tree nuts

**Table 6.2 (cont'd) - Per capita consumption of food commodities - Republic of Mauritius, 2014 - 2015**

Commodity	2014		2015	
	Kg (per year)	Grams (per day)	Kg (per year)	Grams (per day)
<b>OILCROPS</b>				
Coconuts <sup>1</sup>	2.18	5.97	2.15	5.89
Groundnuts (in shells or not)	1.44	3.95	1.15	3.15
Other oilcrops <sup>2</sup>	0.56	1.53	0.56	1.53
<b>VEGETABLES AND PRODUCTS <sup>3</sup></b>				
<i>Fresh:</i>				
Brinjal	2.77	7.59	1.99	5.45
Cabbage	3.37	9.23	3.07	8.41
Carrots	3.46	9.48	3.21	8.79
Cauliflower	1.66	4.55	1.53	4.19
Cucumbers	5.12	14.03	3.91	10.71
Lettuce	1.15	3.15	0.70	1.92
Onions, dry	13.13	35.97	13.69	37.51
Tomatoes	8.36	22.90	6.47	17.73
Other vegetables <sup>4</sup>	36.50	100.00	34.28	93.92

<sup>1</sup> includes green and dried coconuts

<sup>2</sup> includes soyabeans, mustard seeds etc.

<sup>3</sup> includes estimates in kitchen gardens

<sup>4</sup> includes green beans, beets, bittergourd, broccoli, calabash, chouchou, green onions, green peas, leek, ladies finger, patole, petsai, pipengaille, pumpkins, squash, sweet pepper, voehm

**Table 6.2 (cont'd) - Per capita consumption of food commodities - Republic of Mauritius, 2014 - 2015**

Commodity	2014		2015	
	Kg (per year)	Grams (per day)	Kg (per year)	Grams (per day)
<i>Prepared/preserved vegetables</i>				
Asparagus	0.01	0.03	0.02	0.05
Mushroom	0.92	2.52	0.97	2.66
Potatoes	3.22	8.82	3.26	8.93
Sweet corn	1.02	2.79	0.84	2.30
Tomatoes	6.01	16.47	7.43	20.36
Other vegetables preparations <sup>1</sup>	4.83	13.23	5.34	14.63
Frozen vegetables	1.05	2.88	1.37	3.75
<b>FRUITS AND PRODUCTS</b>				
<i>Fresh:</i>				
Oranges	3.70	10.14	3.74	10.25
Lemons	1.19	3.26	1.39	3.81
Mandarins	2.85	7.81	2.33	6.38
Other citrus fruits	1.00	2.74	0.83	2.27
Apples	4.14	11.34	4.70	12.88
Bananas	6.62	18.14	5.96	16.33
Grapes	1.43	3.92	1.47	4.03
Pineapples	6.83	18.71	8.89	24.36
Other fresh fruits	3.11	8.52	3.17	8.68
<i>Other:</i>				
Raisins	0.21	0.58	0.18	0.49
Other dried fruits	0.82	2.25	0.90	2.47
Preserved fruits	1.91	5.23	1.92	5.26
Fruit & vegetable juices	25.91	70.99	8.68	23.78

<sup>1</sup> includes beans, cucumbers, olive, peas, mixed vegetables, etc

**Table 6.2 (cont'd) - Per capita consumption of food commodities - Republic of Mauritius, 2014 - 2015**

Commodity	2014		2015	
	Kg (per year)	Grams (per day)	Kg (per year)	Grams (per day)
<b>STIMULANTS</b>				
Tea	1.19	3.26	1.10	3.01
Coffee	0.53	1.45	0.58	1.59
Cocoa beans, cocoa preparations and chocolate	1.82	4.99	1.92	5.26
<b>SPICES</b>				
Chillies	1.49	4.08	1.40	3.84
Garlic	1.47	4.03	1.36	3.73
Ginger	0.43	1.18	0.45	1.23
Pimento (dried chillies)	0.24	0.66	0.22	0.60
Other spices <sup>1</sup>	1.25	3.42	1.20	3.29
<b>ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES</b> (Hectolitres)				
Beer	291.23	797.89	310.35	850.27
Wine	45.74	125.32	45.67	125.12
Beverages, fermented <sup>2</sup>	32.17	88.14	37.27	102.11
Beverages, alcoholic <sup>3</sup>	N.A	N.A	N.A	N.A
<b>MEAT</b>				
Cattle meat	4.43	12.14	5.05	13.84
Goat & Sheep meat	3.85	10.55	4.52	12.38
Pig meat	1.32	3.62	1.31	3.59
Edible offals for the above 3 items	1.80	4.93	1.89	5.18
Chicken meat	37.00	101.37	36.17	99.10
Rabbit meat	0.02	0.05	0.02	0.05
Game meat	0.50	1.37	0.50	1.37
Other offals	0.08	0.22	0.08	0.22
<i>Prepared meat:</i>				
Bacon,ham and sausages	1.88	5.15	1.59	4.36
Meat preparations	2.17	5.95	1.98	5.42

<sup>1</sup> includes aniseed, cardamon, cinnamon, cloves, coriander seeds, cumin seeds, nutmeg, pepper, turmeric, vanilla, etc

<sup>2</sup> includes cider, perry, etc

<sup>3</sup> includes whiskies, liqueurs, cognac, etc

**Table 6.2 (cont'd) - Per capita consumption of food commodities - Republic of Mauritius, 2014 - 2015**

Commodity	2014		2015	
	Kg (per year)	Grams (per day)	Kg (per year)	Grams (per day)
<b>EGGS</b>				
Hen eggs	7.66	20.99	7.98	21.86
<b>FISH AND PRODUCTS</b>				
Fresh	3.31	9.07	3.36	9.21
Frozen	11.84	32.44	11.70	32.05
Other (canned/preserved)	8.19	22.44	8.24	22.58
<b>CRUSTACEANS, MOLLUSCS AND PRODUCTS</b>				
Fresh	0.45	1.23	0.44	1.21
Frozen	4.20	11.51	4.20	11.51
Other (canned/preserved)	0.18	0.49	0.21	0.58
<b>MILK AND CHEESE</b>				
Fresh milk and cream	6.50	17.81	5.58	15.29
Dried milk exceeding 1.5 % by weight of fat	3.07	8.41	2.27	6.22
Dried milk not exceeding 1.5 % by weight of fat	8.68	23.78	7.82	21.42
Condensed milk	0.65	1.78	0.77	2.11
Cheese <sup>1</sup>	2.94	8.05	3.44	9.42

<sup>1</sup> includes hard, semi soft and soft cheese

**Table 6.2 (cont'd) - Per capita consumption of food commodities - Republic of Mauritius, 2014 - 2015**

Commodity	2014		2015	
	Kg (per year)	Grams (per day)	Kg (per year)	Grams (per day)
<b>OILS AND FATS</b>				
<i>Vegetable oils:</i>				
Margarine	4.50	12.33	4.62	12.66
Crude oil <sup>1</sup>	-	-	-	-
Refined oil (edible)	25.13	68.85	22.82	62.52
<i>Animal fats:</i>				
Butter and ghee	1.11	3.04	1.16	3.18
<b>MISCELLANEOUS</b>				
Infant food	0.79	2.16	0.73	2.00
Beverages, non-alcoholic <sup>2</sup>	N.A	N.A	N.A	N.A

<sup>1</sup> includes crude oil of soyabeans, sunflower, linseed, palm, etc

<sup>2</sup> includes mineral water, soya milk, etc



**Table 6.3 - Food Balance Sheet - Republic of Mauritius, 2014**

Population as at 1 July 2014= 1,260,934

(Figures in tonnes unless otherwise specified)

Commodity	Production		Imports	Changes in stock	Supply	Exports	Domestic utilization						
	Input	Output					Total	Feed	Seed	Food Manufacture	Other uses	Waste	Food
<b>CEREALS AND PRODUCTS</b>													
Wheat	-	-	143,049	+10,118	153,167	-	153,167	-	-	153,167	-	-	-
Wheaten flour	153,167	122,238	2,728	-185	124,781	16,918	107,863	-	-	-	539	1,079	106,245
Rice :													
Ration	-	-	19,374	-426	18,948	3	18,945	-	-	-	1894 <sup>1</sup>	189	16,862
Luxurious	1,186	830	37,719	+3,500	42,049	1,165	40,884	-	-	-	409	409	40,066
Maize <sup>2</sup>	-	1,420	90,225	-19,000	72,645	-	72,645	68,755	25	1,000	-	-	2,865
Oats	-	-	53	-	53	-	53	-	-	-	-	-	53
Malt	-	-	5,188	-113	5,075	-	5,075	-	-	5,008	-	-	67
Other cereals (unmilled)	-	-	26	-	26	-	26	-	-	-	-	-	26
Other cereals	1,000	900	1,594	-	2,494	12	2,482	-	-	-	-	-	2,482
Cereals preparations <sup>3</sup>	-	-	19,133	-	19,133	12,724	6,409	-	-	-	-	-	6,409
<b>ROOTS, TUBERS AND PRODUCTS</b>													
Potatoes	-	20,029	7,462	-	27,491	-	27,491	-	2,057	-	550	825	24,059
Sweet potatoes	-	818	-	-	818	-	818	-	-	-	-	-	818
Cassava (Manioc)	-	511	-	-	511	-	511	-	-	-	-	-	511
Tapioca & Sago	-	-	340	-	340	-	340	-	-	-	-	-	340
Taro (Curry and Violette Eddoes)	-	730	-	-	730	-	730	-	-	-	-	-	730

<sup>1</sup> mainly used for feeding pets

<sup>2</sup> imported mainly for the manufacture of animal feeds

<sup>3</sup> includes prepared breakfast foods, macaroni and spaghetti, bakery products and other

**Table 6.3 (cont'd) - Food Balance Sheet - Republic of Mauritius, 2014**

(Figures in tonnes unless otherwise specified)

Commodity	Production		Imports	Changes in stock	Supply	Exports	Domestic utilization						
	Input	Output					Total	Feed	Seed	Food Manufacture	Other uses	Waste	Food
<b>SUGARS AND SYRUPS</b>													
Cane sugar <sup>1</sup>	4,038,907	400,173	67,236	-8200	459,209	421,717	37,492	-	-	-	375	375	36,742
Other sugars <sup>2</sup>	-	-	548	-	548	15	533	-	-	-	-	-	533
Sugar preparations <sup>3</sup>	-	-	2,146	-	2,146	786	1,360	-	-	-	-	-	1,360
Honey	-	60	202	-	262	2	260	-	-	-	-	-	260
<b>PULSES</b>													
Beans, dry	-	120	1,347	-	1,467	74	1,393	-	-	-	-	-	1,393
Broad beans, dry	-	-	1,494	-	1,494	259	1,235	-	-	-	-	-	1,235
Lentils	-	-	3,563	-	3,563	145	3,418	-	-	-	-	-	3,418
Peas, dry	-	-	4,396	-	4,396	9	4,387	-	-	-	-	-	4,387
Other pulses	-	-	2,046	-	2,046	5	2,041	-	-	-	-	-	2,041
<b>TREE NUTS</b>													
Tree nuts <sup>4</sup>	-	-	337	-	337	2	335	-	-	-	-	-	335

<sup>1</sup> brown sugar and white sugar combined; includes sugars used in the manufacture of soft drinks, juices, biscuits, confectioneries, etc.

<sup>2</sup> includes glucose, lactose, etc

<sup>3</sup> consists mainly of confectioneries

<sup>4</sup> consists of almonds, chestnuts, pistachios, hazelnuts, walnuts, brazil nuts, cashew nuts and other tree nuts

**Table 6.3(cont'd) - Food Balance Sheet - Republic of Mauritius, 2014**

(Figures in tonnes unless otherwise specified)

Commodity	Production		Imports	Change in stock	Supply	Exports	Domestic utilization						
	Input	Output					Total	Feed	Seed	Food Manufacture	Other uses	Waste	Food
<b>OILCROPS</b>													
Coconuts <sup>1</sup>	-	1,500	1,421	-	2,921	-	2,921	-	-	-	87	87	2,747
Groundnuts (in shells or not)	-	643	1,192	-	1,835	22	1,813	-	-	-	-	-	1,813
Other oilcrops <sup>2</sup>	-	-	700	-	700	-	700	-	-	-	-	-	700
<b>VEGETABLES AND PRODUCTS <sup>3</sup></b>													
<i>Fresh:</i>													
Brinjal	-	3,560	-	-	3,560	-	3,560	-	-	-	-	72	3,488
Cabbage	-	4,367	20	-	4,387	-	4,387	-	-	-	44	88	4,255
Carrots	-	4,430	74	-	4,504	-	4,504	-	-	-	45	90	4,369
Cauliflower	-	2,109	48	-	2,157	-	2,157	-	-	-	22	44	2,091
Cucumbers	-	6,652	1	-	6,653	-	6,653	-	-	-	67	133	6,453
Lettuce	-	1,398	119	-	1,517	-	1,517	-	-	-	30	30	1,456
Onions, dry	-	6,361	10,915	-	17,276	28	17,248	-	-	-	172	516	16,560
Tomatoes	-	11,106	44	-	11,150	-	11,150	-	50	-	112	448	10,540
Other fresh vegetables <sup>4</sup>	-	48,480	280	-	48,760	55	48,705	-	-	-	1,461	1,218	46,026

<sup>1</sup> includes green and dried coconuts

<sup>2</sup> includes soyabeans, mustard seeds, etc

<sup>3</sup> includes estimates in kitchen gardens

<sup>4</sup> includes green beans, beets, bittergourd, broccoli, calabash, chouchou, green onions, green peas, leek, okra, patole, petsai, pipengaille, pumpkins, squash, sweet pepper, voehm

**Table 6.3 (cont'd) - Food Balance Sheet - Republic of Mauritius, 2014**

(Figures in tonnes unless otherwise specified)

Commodity	Production		Imports	Changes in stock	Supply	Exports	Domestic utilization						
	Input	Output					Total	Feed	Seed	Food Manufacture	Other uses	Waste	Food
<i>Prepared/preserved vegetables</i>													
Asparagus	-	-	18	-	18	-	18	-	-	-	-	-	18
Mushroom	-	-	1,191	-	1,191	34	1,157	-	-	-	-	-	1,157
Potatoes	-	-	4,074	-	4,074	19	4,055	-	-	-	-	-	4,055
Sweet corn	-	-	1,345	-	1,345	55	1,290	-	-	-	-	-	1,290
Tomatoes	-	-	7,714	-	7,714	136	7,578	-	-	-	-	-	7,578
Other vegetables preparations <sup>1</sup>	-	-	6,444	-	6,444	359	6,085	-	-	-	-	-	6,085
Frozen vegetables	-	-	1,330	-	1,330	1	1,329	-	-	-	-	-	1,329
<b>FRUITS AND PRODUCTS</b>													
<i>Fresh:</i>													
Oranges	-	-	4,764	-	4,764	-	4,764	-	-	-	48	48	4,668
Lemons	-	500	1,010	-	1,510	-	1,510	-	-	-	-	15	1,495
Mandarins	-	800	2,831	-	3,631	-	3,631	-	-	-	-	36	3,595
Other citrus fruits	-	250	1,020	-	1,270	-	1,270	-	-	-	-	13	1,257
Apples	-	-	5,322	-	5,322	-	5,322	-	-	-	53	53	5,216
Bananas	-	8,833	-	-	8,833	-	8,833	-	-	-	221	265	8,347
Grapes	-	-	1,835	-	1,835	-	1,835	-	-	-	18	18	1,799
Pineapples	-	10,788	2	-	10,790	1,816	8,974	-	-	-	269	90	8,615
Other fresh fruits <sup>2</sup>	-	-	4,387	-	4,387	385	4,002	-	-	-	40	40	3,922
<i>Other:</i>													
Raisins	-	-	275	-	275	8	267	-	-	-	-	-	267
Other dried fruits	-	-	1,035	-	1,035	4	1,031	-	-	-	-	-	1,031
Preserved fruits	-	-	2,481	-	2,481	68	2,413	-	-	-	-	-	2,413
Fruit & vegetable juices	-	-	32,775	-	32,775	102	32,673	-	-	-	-	-	32,673

<sup>1</sup> includes beans, cucumbers, olive, peas, mixed vegetables, etc

<sup>2</sup> no estimate of local fruits production and consumption is available

**Table 6.3 (cont'd) - Food Balance Sheet - Republic of Mauritius, 2014**

(Figures in tonnes unless otherwise specified)

Commodity	Production		Imports	Changes in stock	Supply	Exports	Domestic utilization						
	Input	Output					Total	Feed	Seed	Food Manufacture	Other uses	Waste	Food
<b>STIMULANTS</b>													
Tea	7,607	1,504	69	-	1,573	53	1,520	-	-	-	15	-	1,505
Coffee	-	10	671	-	681	17	664	-	-	-	-	-	664
Cocoa beans, cocoa preparations and chocolate	-	-	2,486	-	2,486	188	2,298	-	-	-	-	-	2,298
<b>SPICES</b>													
Chillies	-	1,673	229	-	1,902	7	1,895	-	-	-	-	19	1,876
Garlic	-	169	1,683	-	1,852	-	1,852	-	2	-	-	-	1,850
Ginger	-	535	13	-	548	-	548	-	-	-	-	-	548
Pimento (dried chillies)	-	-	376	-	376	76	300	-	-	-	-	-	300
Other spices <sup>1</sup>	-	-	1,672	-	1,672	100	1,572	-	-	-	-	-	1,572
<b>ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES</b> (Hectolitres)													
Beer	-	397,512	6,656	-1,148	403,020	26,388	376,632	-	-	-	9,415	-	367,217
Wine	-	42,702	20,553	-2,389	60,866	1,411	59,455	-	-	-	1,785	-	57,670
Beverages, fermented <sup>2</sup>	-	39,864	1,875	+1988	43,727	2,751	40,976	-	-	-	410	-	40,566
Beverages, alcoholic <sup>3</sup>	-	N.A	4,152	-	N.A	4,082	N.A	-	-	-	-	-	N.A
<b>MEAT</b>													
Cattle meat	8,953 <sup>4</sup>	2,111	3,540	-	5,651	3	5,648	-	-	-	57	-	5,591
Goat & Sheep meat	7,901 <sup>4</sup>	77	4,826	-	4,903	-	4,903	-	-	-	49	-	4,854
Pig meat	11,302 <sup>4</sup>	717	961	-	1,678	1	1,677	-	-	-	17	-	1,660
Edible offals for the above 3 items	28,156 <sup>4</sup>	720	1,593	-	2,313	-	2,313	-	-	-	46	-	2,267
Chicken meat	-	47,500	356	-	47,856	1	47,855	-	-	-	1,196	-	46,659
Rabbit meat	-	25	-	-	25	-	25	-	-	-	-	-	25
Game meat	-	625	-	-	625	-	625	-	-	-	-	-	625
Other offals	-	100	5	-	105	-	105	-	-	-	-	-	105
<i>Prepared meat:</i>													
Bacon, ham and sausages	-	-	2,392	-	2,392	-	2,392	-	-	-	24	-	2,368
Meat preparations	-	-	2,824	-	2,824	63	2,761	-	-	-	28	-	2,733

<sup>1</sup> includes aniseed, cardamon, cinnamon, cloves, coriander seeds, cumin seeds, nutmeg, pepper, turmeric, vanilla, etc

<sup>2</sup> includes cider, perry, etc

<sup>3</sup> includes whiskies, liqueurs, cognac, etc

<sup>4</sup> Number of heads slaughtered including imported live animals

Note: The number of imported cattle slaughtered locally in 2014 was 7,266

**Table 6.3(cont'd) - Food Balance Sheet - Republic of Mauritius, 2014**

(Figures in tonnes unless otherwise specified)

Commodity	Production		Imports	Changes in stock	Supply	Exports	Domestic utilization						
	Input	Output					Total	Feed	Seed	Food Manufacture	Other uses	Waste	Food
<b>EGGS</b>													
Hen eggs	-	11500 <sup>1</sup>	-	-	11,500	-	11,500	-	-	1,150	575	115	9,660
<b>FISH AND PRODUCTS</b>													
Fresh	-	4,558	78	-	4,636	271	4,365	-	-	-	175	22	4,169
Frozen	-	12,074	155,522	4,000	171,596	10328	161,268	-	-	145,984	274	81	14,929
Other (canned/preserved)	145,984	63,900	6,484	+4,000	74,384	63,953	10,431	-	-	-	52	51	10,328
<b>CRUSTACEANS, MOLLUSCS AND PRODUCTS</b>													
Fresh	-	536	40	-	576	-	576	-	-	-	6	6	564
Frozen	-	170	5,230	-	5,400	-	5,400	-	-	-	54	54	5,292
Other (canned/preserved)	-	-	235	-	235	-	235	-	-	-	2	2	230
<b>MILK AND CHEESE</b>													
Fresh milk and cream	-	5,025	3,851	-	8,876	249	8,627	-	-	-	216 <sup>2</sup>	216	8,195
Dried milk exceeding 1.5 % by weight of fat	-	-	4,149	-	4,149	153	3,996	-	-	-	80	40	3,876
Dried milk not exceeding 1.5 % by weight of fat	-	-	11,397	-	11,397	109	11,288	-	-	-	226	113	10,949
Condensed milk	-	-	1,353	-	1,353	539	814	-	-	-	-	-	814
Cheese <sup>3</sup>	-	-	3,715	-	3,715	13	3,702	-	-	-	-	-	3,702

<sup>1</sup> equivalent to 209.1 million eggs

<sup>2</sup> includes milk used for religious purposes

<sup>3</sup> includes hard, semi-soft and soft cheese

**Table 6.3(cont'd) - Food Balance Sheet - Republic of Mauritius, 2014**

(Figures in tonnes unless otherwise specified)

Commodity	Production		Imports	Changes in stock	Supply	Exports	Domestic utilization						
	Input	Output					Total	Feed	Seed	Food Manufacture	Other uses	Waste	Food
<b>OILS AND FATS</b>													
<i>Vegetable oils:</i>													
Margarine	-	3,554	2,596	+14	6,164	377	5,787	-	-	-	58	58	5,671
Crude oil <sup>1</sup>	-	-	36,589	+6,538	43,127	-	43,127	-	-	43,127	-	-	-
Refined oil (edible)	30,051	29,074	6,894	-52	35,916	2,734	33,182	-	-	-	664	830	31,688
<i>Animal fats:</i>													
Butter and ghee	-	317	1,119	-	1,436	4	1,432	-	-	-	14	14	1,404
<b>MISCELLANEOUS</b>													
Infant food	-	-	991	-	991	-	991	-	-	-	-	-	991
Beverages, non-alcoholic <sup>2</sup> (hectolitres)	-	N.A	216,360	-	-	51,470	N.A	-	-	-	N.A	-	N.A

<sup>1</sup> includes crude oil of soybeans, sunflower, linseed, palm, etc

<sup>2</sup> includes mineral water, soya milk, etc

**Table 6.4 - Food Balance Sheet - Republic of Mauritius, 2015**

Population as at 1 July 2015= 1,262,605

(Figures in tonnes unless otherwise specified)

Commodity	Production		Imports	Changes in stock	Supply	Exports	Domestic utilization						
	Input	Output					Total	Feed	Seed	Food Manufacture	Other uses	Waste	Food
<b>CEREALS AND PRODUCTS</b>													
Wheat	-	-	167,553	+2,135	169,688	-	169,688	-	-	169,688	-	-	-
Wheaten flour	169,688	129,700	678	262	130,640	21,244	109,396	-	-	-	547	1,094	107,755
Rice :													
Ration	-	-	20,067	415	20,482	21	20,461	-	-	-	2046 <sup>1</sup>	205	18,210
Luxurious	657	460	39,548	+1,100	41,108	38	41,070	-	-	-	411	411	40,248
Maize <sup>2</sup>	-	842	109,758	-34,700	75,900	-	75,900	71,946	25	1,000	-	-	2,929
Oats	-	-	108	-	108	-	108	-	-	-	-	-	108
Malt	-	-	5,131	151	5,282	-	5,282	-	-	5,199	-	-	83
Other cereals (unmilled)	-	-	238	-	238	-	238	-	-	-	-	-	238
Other cereals	1,000	950	1,588	-	2,538	13	2,525	-	-	-	-	-	2,525
Cereals preparations <sup>3</sup>	-	-	18,390	-	18,390	10,385	8,005	-	-	-	-	-	8,005
<b>ROOTS, TUBERS AND PRODUCTS</b>													
Potatoes	-	16,952	11,236	-	28,188	-	28,188	-	1,845	-	564	846	24,933
Sweet potatoes	-	700	-	-	700	-	700	-	-	-	-	-	700
Cassava (Manioc)	-	912	-	-	912	-	912	-	-	-	-	-	912
Tapioca & Sago	-	-	475	-	475	-	475	-	-	-	-	-	475
Taro (Curry and Violette Eddoes)	-	765	-	-	765	-	765	-	-	-	-	-	765

<sup>1</sup> mainly used for feeding pets

<sup>2</sup> imported mainly for the manufacture of animal feeds

<sup>3</sup> includes prepared breakfast foods, macaroni and spaghetti, bakery products and other



**Table 6.4 (cont'd) - Food Balance Sheet - Republic of Mauritius, 2015**

(Figures in tonnes unless otherwise specified)

Commodity	Production		Imports	Changes in stock	Supply	Exports	Domestic utilization						
	Input	Output					Total	Feed	Seed	Food Manufacture	Other uses	Waste	Food
<b>SUGARS AND SYRUPS</b>													
Cane sugar <sup>1</sup>	4,004,301	366,070	92,500	+17,300	475,870	438,292	37,578	-	-	-	376	376	36,826
Other sugars <sup>2</sup>	-	-	292	-	292	-	292	-	-	-	-	-	292
Sugar preparations <sup>3</sup>	-	-	2,210	-	2,210	325	1,885	-	-	-	-	-	1,885
Honey	-	60	265	-	325	3	322	-	-	-	-	-	322
<b>PULSES</b>													
Beans, dry	-	113	1,368	-	1,481	104	1,377	-	-	-	-	-	1,377
Broad beans, dry	-	-	2,018	-	2,018	249	1,769	-	-	-	-	-	1,769
Lentils	-	-	2,964	-	2,964	69	2,895	-	-	-	-	-	2,895
Peas, dry	-	-	4,126	-	4,126	-	4,126	-	-	-	-	-	4,126
Other pulses	-	-	1,969	-	1,969	1	1,968	-	-	-	-	-	1,968
<b>TREE NUTS</b>													
Tree nuts <sup>4</sup>	-	-	259	-	259	-	259	-	-	-	-	-	259

<sup>1</sup> brown sugar and white sugar combined; includes sugars used in the manufacture of soft drinks, juices, biscuits, confectioneries, etc.

<sup>2</sup> includes glucose, lactose, etc

<sup>3</sup> consists mainly of confectioneries

<sup>4</sup> consists of almonds, chestnuts, pistachios, hazelnuts, walnuts, brazil nuts, cashew nuts and other tree nuts

**Table 6.4 (cont'd) - Food Balance Sheet - Republic of Mauritius, 2015**

(Figures in tonnes unless otherwise specified)

Commodity	Production		Imports	Change in stock	Supply	Exports	Domestic utilization						
	Input	Output					Total	Feed	Seed	Food Manufacture	Other uses	Waste	Food
<b>OILCROPS</b>													
Coconuts <sup>1</sup>	-	1,500	1,380	-	2,880	-	2,880	-	-	-	84	84	2,712
Groundnuts (in shells or not)	-	205	1,245	-	1,450	3	1,447	-	-	-	-	-	1,447
Other oilcrops <sup>2</sup>	-	-	710	-	710	2	710	-	-	-	-	-	710
<b>VEGETABLES AND PRODUCTS <sup>3</sup></b>													
<i>Fresh:</i>													
Brinjal	-	2,517	-	-	2,517	-	2,517	-	-	-	-	-	2,517
Cabbage	-	3,929	69	-	3,998	-	3,998	-	-	-	40	80	3,878
Carrots	-	4,184	316	-	4,500	-	4,184	-	-	-	42	84	4,058
Cauliflower	-	1,930	63	-	1,993	-	1,993	-	-	-	20	40	1,933
Cucumbers	-	5,251	4	-	5,255	-	5,255	-	-	-	104	208	4,943
Lettuce	-	919	-	-	919	-	919	-	-	-	18	18	882
Onions, dry	-	7,221	10,836	-	18,057	-	18,057	-	50	-	181	543	17,283
Tomatoes	-	8,595	-	-	8,595	-	8,595	-	-	-	86	344	8,165
Other fresh vegetables <sup>4</sup>	-	45,398	444	-	45,842	36	45,806	-	-	-	1,374	1,145	43,287

<sup>1</sup> includes green and dried coconuts

<sup>2</sup> includes soyabeans, mustard seeds, etc

<sup>3</sup> includes estimates in kitchen gardens

<sup>4</sup> includes green beans, beets, bittergourd, broccoli, calabash, chouchou, green onions, green peas, leek, okra, patole, petsai, pipengaille, pumpkins, squash, sweet pepper, voehm

**Table 6.4 (cont'd) - Food Balance Sheet - Republic of Mauritius, 2015**

(Figures in tonnes unless otherwise specified)

Commodity	Production		Imports	Changes in stock	Supply	Exports	Domestic utilization						
	Input	Output					Total	Feed	Seed	Food Manufacture	Other uses	Waste	Food
<i>Prepared/preserved vegetables</i>													
Asparagus	-	-	28	-	28	-	28	-	-	-	-	-	28
Mushroom	-	-	1,286	-	1,286	56	1,230	-	-	-	-	-	1,230
Potatoes	-	-	4,129	-	4,129	15	4,114	-	-	-	-	-	4,114
Sweet corn	-	-	1,156	-	1,156	100	1,056	-	-	-	-	-	1,056
Tomatoes	-	-	9,500	-	9,500	113	9,387	-	-	-	-	-	9,387
Other vegetables preparations <sup>1</sup>	-	-	7,027	-	7,027	289	6,738	-	-	-	-	-	6,738
Frozen vegetables	-	-	1,734	-	1,734	3	1,731	-	-	-	-	-	1,731
<b>FRUITS AND PRODUCTS</b>													
<i>Fresh:</i>													
Oranges	-	-	4,821	-	4,821	-	4,821	-	-	-	48	48	4,725
Lemons	-	500	1,270	-	1,770	-	1,770	-	-	-	-	18	1,752
Mandarins	-	800	2,176	-	2,976	-	2,976	-	-	-	-	30	2,946
Other citrus fruits	-	250	815	-	1,065	-	1,065	-	-	-	-	11	1,054
Apples	-	-	6,053	-	6,053	-	6,053	-	-	-	61	61	5,931
Bananas	-	7,965	-	-	7,965	-	7,965	-	-	-	200	240	7,525
Grapes	-	-	1,895	-	1,895	-	1,895	-	-	-	19	19	1,857
Pineapples	-	11,693	2	-	11,695	-	11,695	-	-	-	351	117	11,227
Other fresh fruits <sup>2</sup>	-	-	4,413	-	4,413	324	4,089	-	-	-	41	41	4,007
<i>Other:</i>													
Raisins	-	-	243	-	243	12	231	-	-	-	-	-	231
Other dried fruits	-	-	1,135	-	1,135	1	1,134	-	-	-	-	-	1,134
Preserved fruits	-	-	2,526	-	2,526	96	2,430	-	-	-	-	-	2,430
Fruit & vegetable juices	-	-	11,109	-	11,109	149	10,960	-	-	-	-	-	10,960

<sup>1</sup> includes beans, cucumbers, olive, peas, mixed vegetables, etc

<sup>2</sup> no estimate of local fruits production and consumption is available

**Table 6.4 (cont'd) - Food Balance Sheet - Republic of Mauritius, 2015**

(Figures in tonnes unless otherwise specified)

Commodity	Production		Imports	Changes in stock	Supply	Exports	Domestic utilization						
	Input	Output					Total	Feed	Seed	Food Manufacture	Other uses	Waste	Food
<b>STIMULANTS</b>													
Tea	6,732	1,295	145	-	1,440	42	1,398	-	-	-	14	-	1,384
Coffee	-	10	730	-	740	13	727	-	-	-	-	-	727
Cocoa beans, cocoa preparations and chocolate	-	-	2,468	-	2,468	39	2,429	-	-	-	-	-	2,429
<b>SPICES</b>													
Chillies	-	1,491	282	-	1,773	2	1,771	-	-	-	-	8	1,763
Garlic	-	92	1,624	-	1,716	-	1,716	-	2	-	-	-	1,714
Ginger	-	553	21	-	574	-	574	-	-	-	-	-	574
Pimento (dried chillies)	-	-	357	-	357	78	279	-	-	-	-	-	279
Other spices <sup>1</sup>	-	-	1,768	-	1,768	251	1,517	-	-	-	-	-	1,517
<b>ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES</b> (Hectolitres)													
Beer	-	425,952	7,207	-8,088	425,071	23,175	401,896	-	-	-	10,047	-	391,849
Wine	-	39,301	23,973	-1,070	62,204	2,754	59,450	-	-	-	1,782	-	57,668
Beverages, fermented <sup>2</sup>	-	27,606	1,809	+20,550	49,965	2,435	47,530	-	-	-	475	-	47,055
Beverages, alcoholic <sup>3</sup>	-	N.A	5,084	-	N.A	2,628	N.A	-	-	-	-	-	N.A
<b>MEAT</b>													
Cattle meat	10110 <sup>4</sup>	2,186	4,189	-	6,375	2	6,373	-	-	-	-	-	6,373
Goat & Sheep meat	7722 <sup>4</sup>	76	5,705	-	5,781	10	5,771	-	-	-	58	-	5,713
Pig meat	11485 <sup>4</sup>	720	958	-	1,678	3	1,675	-	-	-	17	-	1,658
Edible offals for the above 3 items	29317 <sup>4</sup>	720	1,694	-	2,414	-	2,414	-	-	-	24	-	2,390
Chicken meat	-	46,400	437	-	46,837	6	46,831	-	-	-	1,160	-	45,671
Rabbit meat	-	25	-	-	25	-	25	-	-	-	-	-	25
Game meat	-	625	-	-	625	-	625	-	-	-	-	-	625
Other offals	-	100	4	-	104	-	104	-	-	-	-	-	104
<i>Prepared meat:</i>													
Bacon, ham and sausages	-	-	2,026	-	2,026	3	2,023	-	-	-	20	-	2,003
Meat preparations	-	-	2,532	-	2,532	11	2,521	-	-	-	25	-	2,496

<sup>1</sup> includes aniseed, cardamon, cinnamon, cloves, coriander seeds, cumin seeds, nutmeg, pepper, turmeric, vanilla, etc

<sup>2</sup> includes cider, perry, etc

<sup>3</sup> includes whiskies, liqueurs, cognac, etc

<sup>4</sup> Number of heads slaughtered including imported live animals

Note: The number of imported cattle slaughtered locally in 2015 was 7,529

**Table 6.4 (cont'd) - Food Balance Sheet - Republic of Mauritius, 2015**

(Figures in tonnes unless otherwise specified)

Commodity	Production		Imports	Changes in stock	Supply	Exports	Domestic utilization						
	Input	Output					Total	Feed	Seed	Food Manufacture	Other uses	Waste	Food
<b>EGGS</b>													
Hen eggs	-	12000 <sup>1</sup>	-	-	12,000	-	12,000	-	-	1,200	600	120	10,080
<b>FISH AND PRODUCTS</b>													
Fresh	-	4,892	110	-	5,002	555	4,447	-	-	-	178	22	4,247
Frozen	-	11,047	150,308	-500	160,855	9761	160,855	-	-	145,734	273	80	14,767
Other (canned/preserved)	145,734	69,960	8,507		78,467	67,960	10,507	-	-	-	53	51	10,404
<b>CRUSTACEANS, MOLLUSCS AND PRODUCTS</b>													
Fresh	-	543	24	-	567	-	567	-	-	-	6	6	556
Frozen	-	170	5,247	-	5,417	-	5,417	-	-	-	54	54	5,309
Other (canned/preserved)	-	-	267	-	267	-	267	-	-	-	3	3	262
<b>MILK AND CHEESE</b>													
Fresh milk and cream	-	4,525	3,279	-	7,804	329	7,475	-	-	-	225 <sup>2</sup>	225	7,043
Dried milk exceeding 1.5 % by weight of fat	-	-	3,205	-	3,205	217	2,988	-	-	-	60	60	2,868
Dried milk not exceeding 1.5 % by weight of fat	-	-	10,231	-	10,231	51	10,180	-	-	-	204	102	9,874
Condensed milk	-	-	1,142	-	1,142	165	977	-	-	-	-	-	977
Cheese <sup>3</sup>	-	-	4,390	-	4,390	45	4,345	-	-	-	-	-	4,345

<sup>1</sup> equivalent to 218.2 million eggs

<sup>2</sup> includes milk used for religious purposes

<sup>3</sup> includes hard, semi-soft and soft cheese

**Table 6.4 (cont'd) - Food Balance Sheet - Republic of Mauritius, 2015**

(Figures in tonnes unless otherwise specified)

Commodity	Production		Imports	Changes in stock	Supply	Exports	Domestic utilization						
	Input	Output					Total	Feed	Seed	Food Manufacture	Other uses	Waste	Food
<b>OILS AND FATS</b>													
<i>Vegetable oils:</i>													
Margarine	-	3,507	2,681	+27	6,215	265	5,950	-	-	-	60	60	5,830
Crude oil <sup>1</sup>	-	-	31,670	+2,665	34,335	-	34,335	-	-	34,335	-	-	-
Refined oil (edible)	29,015	28,055	4,296	-960	31,391	1,064	30,327	-	-	-	606	910	28,811
<i>Animal fats:</i>													
Butter and ghee	-	317	1,181	-13	1,498	2	1,496	-	-	-	15	15	1,466
<b>MISCELLANEOUS</b>													
Infant food	-	-	917	-	917	-	917	-	-	-	-	-	917
Beverages, non-alcoholic <sup>2</sup> (hectolitres)	-	N.A	140,352	-	-	31,501	N.A	-	-	-	N.A	-	N.A

<sup>1</sup> includes crude oil of soybeans, sunflower, linseed, palm, etc

<sup>2</sup> includes mineral water, soya milk, etc

# **PRODUCER PRICE INDEX**

## **PRODUCER PRICE INDEX - AGRICULTURE (PPI-A)**

### **Methodology for the computation of the PPI-A**

#### ***Scope***

The PPI-A covers agricultural products that are classified according to the latest Central Product Classification (CPC) Ver.2.1. There are two divisions: Division 01 – Crop Products and Division 02 – Animals & Animal Products. “Crop Products” is further divided into 7 Commodity Groups namely:

- Group 012: Fresh vegetables
- Group 013: Fruit and nuts
- Group 014: Oilseeds and oleaginous fruits
- Group 015: Edible roots and tubers
- Group 016: Stimulant and spice
- Group 018: Sugar cane
- Group 019: Flowers, ornamental plants

#### ***Weighting scheme***

The weights are derived by multiplying the average of production during 2012, 2013 and 2014 by the average of unit prices in 2013, the reference period. The weight is assigned to each commodity group on the basis of total production (as a proxy for sales) pertaining to the particular group. At commodity level, the weights are apportioned within the commodity group on the basis of production of each product.

Quarterly and annual indices have been computed using a weighting system based on the production value for the base period.

#### ***Price collection***

In principle, prices collected should refer to farm-gate prices, but it is extremely difficult to obtain such prices for vegetables, not only because of the enormous resources to be mobilised but also because of the unavailability of a list of planters. Hence, in lieu of the farm-gate price, the wholesale price of the produce is recorded at the two auction markets (Vacoas and Port-Louis) every second and fourth week of a month.

In the case of commodities for which prices are fairly stable, data suppliers are visited on a quarterly basis, but prices are collected for each month of the quarter.

Prices of the main commercial crops like sugarcane and tea leaf, which are normally fixed for the crop year, are supplied by the respective marketing agencies.



***Conversion factors***

<u>Vegetable</u>	<u>Average weight per unit (kg)</u>
Beet	0.3
Cabbage	1.09
Cauliflower	1.04
Cucumber	0.4
Leek	0.12
Lettuce	0.15
Petsai	1.2
Squash	0.3
Sweet pepper	0.2
<u>Fruit</u>	
Banana	0.125
Litchi	0.025
Mango	0.15
Mandarine	0.1
Pineapple	0.5
Watermelon	1.5
Coconut	0.5
<u>Poultry product</u>	
Egg	0.055

***Index calculation***

The PPI-A is calculated according to a modified Laspeyres formula:

$$I_t = \frac{\sum W_i(P_{ti}/P_{oi})}{\sum W_i} \times 100$$

where :

**$I_t$**  is the index for the current period t

**$P_{ti}$**  is the price of commodity i in the current period t

**$P_{oi}$**  is the price of the commodity i in the reference period o (2013)

**$W_i$**  is the weight associated with commodity i

**Monthly Producer Price Index -Agriculture (PPI-A)**

(Base period:Year 2013 =100)

**Table 7.1 : Monthly indices by commodity group and product - Island of Mauritius, January 2014 - December 2015**

Commodity Group	Weight	2014											
		January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
<b>Crop Products</b>	<b>611.6</b>	<b>106.0</b>	<b>111.5</b>	<b>101.8</b>	<b>103.2</b>	<b>98.5</b>	<b>99.3</b>	<b>87.5</b>	<b>91.2</b>	<b>84.3</b>	<b>78.4</b>	<b>80.4</b>	<b>80.0</b>
<b>Sugar Cane</b>	<b>356.8</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>80.2</b>	<b>80.2</b>	<b>80.2</b>	<b>80.2</b>	<b>80.2</b>	<b>80.2</b>
<b>Other crops products</b>	<b>254.8</b>	<b>109.4</b>	<b>120.4</b>	<b>97.8</b>	<b>102.6</b>	<b>91.9</b>	<b>93.4</b>	<b>93.9</b>	<b>101.3</b>	<b>86.6</b>	<b>74.4</b>	<b>78.6</b>	<b>77.1</b>
<b>Fresh Vegetables <sup>1</sup></b>	<b>134.2</b>	<b>111.9</b>	<b>139.3</b>	<b>109.1</b>	<b>102.2</b>	<b>89.3</b>	<b>88.4</b>	<b>94.0</b>	<b>113.8</b>	<b>87.1</b>	<b>67.9</b>	<b>70.2</b>	<b>66.4</b>
Beans	4.6	182.3	154.5	147.4	103.0	65.9	75.4	107.0	122.7	104.4	48.6	56.8	105.5
Brinjal	6.0	117.7	59.2	93.1	119.8	98.2	131.2	125.2	171.6	96.3	37.9	83.2	23.1
Cabbage	5.9	65.5	78.3	90.3	99.4	135.9	122.4	122.9	125.5	83.2	48.7	53.9	43.5
Cauliflower	2.9	119.4	120.6	120.6	120.6	103.8	97.1	75.4	84.0	86.3	63.0	63.0	65.5
Carrot	8.8	173.5	235.8	170.6	157.4	94.3	62.8	36.7	74.9	35.4	43.5	72.2	99.8
Onion	12.3	N.Ap	N.Ap	N.Ap	104.9	104.9	104.9	104.9	104.9	104.9	104.9	104.9	104.9
Tomato	37.3	101.7	211.7	186.1	152.7	59.4	90.2	65.4	78.2	43.3	21.7	34.1	47.3
Creepers	30.0	117.4	127.9	79.1	62.7	88.4	90.2	104.6	134.2	113.1	64.7	71.5	73.6
Other fresh vegetables	26.4	99.2	108.0	70.4	103.0	102.3	75.9	111.6	157.4	122.1	78.4	73.3	65.9
<b>Fruits and nuts <sup>1</sup></b>	<b>64.0</b>	<b>130.7</b>	<b>121.2</b>	<b>101.1</b>	<b>125.8</b>	<b>109.0</b>	<b>116.6</b>	<b>101.0</b>	<b>94.1</b>	<b>78.4</b>	<b>63.7</b>	<b>78.9</b>	<b>89.8</b>
Banana	10.1	96.1	97.3	97.3	94.8	88.7	88.7	95.2	95.2	95.2	96.1	95.2	95.2
Pineapple	20.4	84.9	107.2	102.7	133.6	106.3	93.2	83.8	93.6	72.0	42.3	48.4	41.8
Other fruits	33.5	189.8	224.5	N.Ap	188.7	171.7	156.0	165.5	N.Ap	N.Ap	135.1	114.0	110.9
<b>Oilseeds and oleaginous fruits <sup>1</sup></b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>89.1</b>	<b>88.8</b>	<b>77.9</b>	<b>90.9</b>	<b>92.1</b>	<b>91.8</b>	<b>95.3</b>	<b>95.9</b>	<b>99.7</b>	<b>100.9</b>	<b>95.3</b>	<b>81.5</b>
Groundnut	2.3	86.8	86.2	75.3	89.3	90.6	89.5	94.3	94.7	99.7	91.7	86.2	70.4
Coconut	1.1	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	140.0	140.0	140.0
<b>Edible roots and tubers <sup>1</sup></b>	<b>35.7</b>	<b>103.8</b>	<b>111.8</b>	<b>95.6</b>	<b>100.8</b>	<b>98.4</b>	<b>100.8</b>	<b>101.8</b>	<b>102.0</b>	<b>101.7</b>	<b>100.3</b>	<b>100.5</b>	<b>98.9</b>
Potato	29.0	100.0	N.Ap	N.Ap	N.Ap	N.Ap	101.2	101.2	101.2	101.2	101.2	101.2	101.2
Other Root crops	6.7	110.1	111.8	95.6	100.8	98.4	100.4	106.9	109.4	108.7	83.5	86.0	83.4
<b>Stimulant &amp; spice <sup>1</sup></b>	<b>9.6</b>	<b>101.4</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>101.1</b>	<b>102.0</b>	<b>103.0</b>	<b>110.1</b>	<b>115.4</b>	<b>153.1</b>	<b>146.8</b>	<b>144.2</b>	<b>107.3</b>
Tea	7.5	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	104.1	104.1	104.1	104.1	104.1	104.1
Ginger	2.1	125.7	139.0	126.7	190.5	162.6	138.9	133.4	140.6	198.1	198.3	212.2	229.0
<b>Flowers, ornamental plants</b>	<b>7.9</b>	<b>102.4</b>	<b>102.4</b>	<b>102.4</b>	<b>102.4</b>	<b>102.4</b>	<b>102.4</b>	<b>102.4</b>	<b>102.4</b>	<b>102.4</b>	<b>102.4</b>	<b>102.4</b>	<b>102.4</b>
Anthurium	2.4	84.2	84.2	84.2	84.2	84.2	84.2	84.2	84.2	84.2	84.2	84.2	84.2
Rose	0.9	90.0	90.0	90.0	90.0	90.0	90.0	90.0	90.0	90.0	90.0	90.0	90.0
Other flowers	4.6	114.3	114.3	114.3	114.3	114.3	114.3	114.3	114.3	114.3	114.3	114.3	114.3
<b>Animals &amp; Animal Products</b>	<b>388.4</b>	<b>100.1</b>	<b>100.1</b>	<b>99.6</b>	<b>100.6</b>	<b>101.3</b>	<b>101.6</b>	<b>101.7</b>	<b>101.4</b>	<b>101.1</b>	<b>98.2</b>	<b>99.0</b>	<b>100.6</b>
Cattle	25.2	102.0	102.0	102.0	103.3	103.3	103.3	103.3	103.3	103.3	104.3	104.3	104.3
Pigs	11.5	100.1	97.7	92.4	92.4	92.4	92.4	92.4	92.4	91.7	94.6	94.6	94.6
Goat	3.4	106.2	106.2	106.2	105.2	105.2	105.2	103.4	103.4	103.4	105.5	105.5	105.5
Deer	6.9	100.1	100.1	100.1	100.1	100.1	100.1	99.3	99.3	99.3	99.3	99.3	99.3
Poultry	267.1	98.2	98.2	98.2	99.9	99.9	99.9	99.9	99.9	99.9	96.5	97.0	99.3
Eggs	66.3	106.7	107.3	104.8	103.8	107.6	109.6	109.6	108.0	106.5	102.2	104.7	105.2
Milk	8.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	102.4	102.4	102.4	102.4	102.4	102.4
<b>Overall Index</b>	<b>1000.0</b>	<b>103.7</b>	<b>107.1</b>	<b>100.9</b>	<b>102.2</b>	<b>99.6</b>	<b>100.2</b>	<b>93.0</b>	<b>95.2</b>	<b>90.8</b>	<b>86.1</b>	<b>87.6</b>	<b>88.0</b>

<sup>1</sup> The indices are computed based on the method of variable baskets with fixed monthly weights in the base year.

**Monthly Producer Price Index -Agriculture (PPI-A)**

(Base period:Year 2013 =100)

**Table 7.1 (cont'd) : Monthly indices by commodity group and product - Island of Mauritius, January 2014 - December 2015**

Commodity Group	Weight	2015											
		January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
<b>Crop Products</b>	<b>611.6</b>	<b>98.9</b>	<b>97.6</b>	<b>103.7</b>	<b>91.3</b>	<b>77.8</b>	<b>82.6</b>	<b>82.8</b>	<b>88.2</b>	<b>88.0</b>	<b>84.6</b>	<b>84.7</b>	<b>85.3</b>
<b>Sugar Cane</b>	<b>356.8</b>	<b>80.2</b>	<b>80.2</b>	<b>80.2</b>	<b>80.2</b>	<b>80.2</b>	<b>80.2</b>	<b>83.2</b>	<b>83.2</b>	<b>83.2</b>	<b>83.2</b>	<b>83.2</b>	<b>83.2</b>
<b>Other crops products</b>	<b>254.8</b>	<b>118.3</b>	<b>114.3</b>	<b>127.1</b>	<b>100.1</b>	<b>70.9</b>	<b>82.6</b>	<b>79.2</b>	<b>91.0</b>	<b>91.0</b>	<b>84.6</b>	<b>84.6</b>	<b>85.6</b>
<b>Fresh Vegetables<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>134.2</b>	<b>145.9</b>	<b>140.1</b>	<b>173.5</b>	<b>114.9</b>	<b>58.8</b>	<b>61.1</b>	<b>65.2</b>	<b>91.4</b>	<b>93.5</b>	<b>81.7</b>	<b>72.8</b>	<b>72.0</b>
Beans	4.6	234.4	165.1	194.2	123.6	42.1	44.7	74.5	107.3	53.0	46.0	64.6	70.6
Brinjal	6.0	135.2	119.3	200.2	128.2	95.2	92.2	99.8	97.1	86.5	70.7	69.7	71.9
Cabbage	5.9	133.1	286.9	267.0	198.1	54.9	50.4	50.8	75.2	92.2	60.8	62.1	84.1
Cauliflower	2.9	63.0	63.0	65.5	65.5	124.1	83.2	82.6	91.2	98.2	87.1	92.4	91.0
Carrot	8.8	243.5	260.0	215.1	208.2	75.9	49.3	42.6	39.5	53.2	45.8	52.9	63.3
Onion	12.3	N.Ap	N.Ap	N.Ap	104.9	104.9	104.9	104.9	104.9	104.9	104.9	104.9	104.9
Tomato	37.3	205.7	277.6	209.1	195.4	51.1	49.3	69.2	110.6	103.9	55.5	42.6	49.9
Creepers	30.0	120.6	114.2	150.2	102.8	64.0	65.9	78.4	92.7	96.5	73.2	67.0	69.6
Other fresh vegetables	26.4	109.8	57.8	146.3	67.3	48.9	65.1	49.2	87.9	93.5	96.8	83.5	82.2
<b>Fruits and nuts<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>64.0</b>	<b>101.5</b>	<b>104.7</b>	<b>87.5</b>	<b>92.2</b>	<b>94.3</b>	<b>124.9</b>	<b>99.1</b>	<b>94.3</b>	<b>86.2</b>	<b>81.0</b>	<b>99.7</b>	<b>110.3</b>
Banana	10.1	99.8	99.8	99.8	98.5	98.5	98.5	102.2	105.9	105.9	105.9	105.9	105.9
Pineapple	20.4	77.4	101.9	82.2	82.6	69.4	67.1	66.9	89.6	78.7	67.0	72.3	77.1
Other fruits	33.5	126.1	125.8	N.Ap	191.6	224.5	200.9	200.9	N.Ap	N.Ap	117.1	135.7	126.4
<b>Oilseeds and oleaginous fruits<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>89.1</b>	<b>88.2</b>	<b>120.3</b>	<b>105.6</b>	<b>96.2</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>102.9</b>	<b>113.5</b>	<b>124.4</b>	<b>109.4</b>	<b>116.8</b>	<b>115.0</b>
Groundnut	2.3	73.5	71.8	115.2	96.8	84.3	83.5	92.1	101.5	104.2	97.1	108.2	106.6
Coconut	1.1	160.0	160.0	160.0	160.0	160.0	160.0	160.0	160.0	160.0	160.0	160.0	160.0
<b>Edible roots and tubers<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>35.7</b>	<b>101.6</b>	<b>97.3</b>	<b>104.6</b>	<b>103.5</b>	<b>80.8</b>	<b>98.2</b>	<b>101.3</b>	<b>100.8</b>	<b>100.8</b>	<b>100.5</b>	<b>100.4</b>	<b>99.4</b>
Potato	29.0	101.2	N.Ap	N.Ap	N.Ap	N.Ap	101.2	101.2	101.2	101.2	101.2	101.2	101.2
Other Root crops	6.7	102.2	97.3	104.6	103.5	80.8	94.4	101.7	97.4	95.0	87.2	84.9	86.9
<b>Stimulant &amp; spice<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>9.6</b>	<b>104.1</b>	<b>104.1</b>	<b>104.1</b>	<b>104.1</b>	<b>104.1</b>	<b>104.1</b>	<b>104.1</b>	<b>104.1</b>	<b>104.1</b>	<b>104.1</b>	<b>104.1</b>	<b>104.1</b>
Tea	7.5	104.1	104.1	104.1	104.1	104.1	104.1	104.1	104.1	104.1	104.1	104.1	104.1
Ginger	2.1	276.4	276.0	288.2	247.8	210.7	196.2	152.9	167.2	151.8	136.3	152.5	192.5
<b>Flowers, ornamental plants</b>	<b>7.9</b>	<b>102.4</b>	<b>102.4</b>	<b>102.4</b>	<b>102.4</b>	<b>102.4</b>	<b>102.4</b>	<b>102.4</b>	<b>102.4</b>	<b>102.4</b>	<b>102.4</b>	<b>102.4</b>	<b>102.4</b>
Anthurium	2.4	84.2	84.2	84.2	84.2	84.2	84.2	84.2	84.2	84.2	84.2	84.2	84.2
Rose	0.9	90.0	90.0	90.0	90.0	90.0	90.0	90.0	90.0	90.0	90.0	90.0	90.0
Other flowers	4.6	114.3	114.3	114.3	114.3	114.3	114.3	114.3	114.3	114.3	114.3	114.3	114.3
<b>Animals &amp; Animal Products</b>	<b>388.4</b>	<b>100.9</b>	<b>99.2</b>	<b>99.9</b>	<b>101.0</b>	<b>101.6</b>	<b>101.8</b>	<b>101.7</b>	<b>101.6</b>	<b>101.7</b>	<b>100.5</b>	<b>99.1</b>	<b>100.7</b>
Cattle	25.2	104.3	104.3	104.3	105.4	105.4	105.4	106.4	106.4	106.4	107.5	107.5	107.5
Pigs	11.5	94.6	94.6	94.6	86.5	86.5	86.5	86.5	86.5	86.5	86.5	82.1	82.1
Goat	3.4	107.6	107.6	107.6	108.7	108.7	108.7	110.9	110.9	110.9	109.7	109.7	109.7
Deer	6.9	99.3	99.3	99.3	99.3	99.3	99.3	99.3	99.3	99.3	99.3	99.3	99.3
Poultry	267.1	100.5	98.2	99.3	100.5	100.5	100.5	99.9	99.9	99.9	98.8	98.8	101.6
Eggs	66.3	102.0	101.2	100.4	103.4	107.0	108.1	109.0	108.8	109.2	106.7	99.2	97.3
Milk	8.0	102.4	102.4	102.4	102.4	102.4	102.4	102.4	102.4	102.4	102.4	102.4	102.4
<b>Overall Index</b>	<b>1,000.0</b>	<b>99.7</b>	<b>98.2</b>	<b>102.2</b>	<b>95.1</b>	<b>87.0</b>	<b>90.1</b>	<b>90.1</b>	<b>93.4</b>	<b>93.3</b>	<b>90.8</b>	<b>90.3</b>	<b>91.3</b>

<sup>1</sup> The indices are computed based on the method of variable baskets with fixed monthly weights in the base year.

**Annual Producer Price Index -Agriculture (PPI-A)**

(Base period: Year 2013=100)

**Table 7.2 : Annual indices, annual changes (%) and net contributions of commodity group and product to the change - Island of Mauritius, 2013 - 2015**

Commodity Group	Weight	Annual index <sup>1</sup>			Percentage changes from		Net contributions from	
		2013	2014	2015	2013 to 2014	2014 to 2015	2013 to 2014	2014 to 2015
<b>Crop Products</b>	<b>611.6</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>92.9</b>	<b>88.4</b>	<b>-7.1</b>	<b>-4.8</b>	<b>-3.53</b>	<b>-2.22</b>
<b>Sugar Cane</b>	<b>356.8</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>90.1</b>	<b>81.7</b>	<b>-9.9</b>	<b>-9.3</b>	<b>-3.53</b>	<b>-3.00</b>
<b>Other crops products</b>	<b>254.8</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>93.1</b>	<b>93.8</b>	<b>-6.9</b>	<b>0.8</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.77</b>
<b>Fresh Vegetables <sup>2</sup></b>	<b>134.2</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>91.9</b>	<b>94.3</b>	<b>-8.1</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>-1.34</b>	<b>0.72</b>
Beans	4.6	100.0	103.0	95.4	3.0	-7.4	0.01	-0.03
Brinjal	6.0	100.0	93.6	104.6	-6.4	11.8	-0.04	0.07
Cabbage	5.9	100.0	91.0	108.1	-9.0	18.8	-0.05	0.10
Cauliflower	2.9	100.0	84.8	88.7	-15.2	4.6	-0.04	0.01
Carrot	8.8	100.0	88.3	99.6	-11.7	12.8	-0.07	0.03
Onion	12.3	100.0	104.9	104.9	4.9	0.0	0.06	0.00
Tomato	37.3	100.0	81.1	108.2	-18.9	33.4	-0.70	1.01
Creepers	30.0	100.0	93.6	91.6	-6.4	-2.1	-0.19	-0.06
Other fresh vegetables	26.4	100.0	94.3	79.1	-5.7	-16.1	-0.32	-0.40
<b>Fruits and nuts <sup>2</sup></b>	<b>64.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.6</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>0.6</b>	<b>-0.6</b>	<b>1.10</b>	<b>0.06</b>
Banana	10.1	100.0	94.6	102.2	-5.4	8.0	0.02	0.08
Pineapple	20.4	100.0	83.0	77.5	-17.0	-6.6	-0.27	-0.11
Other fruits	33.5	100.0	83.0	77.5	-17.0	-6.6	1.36	0.09
<b>Oilseeds and oleaginous fruits <sup>2</sup></b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>93.0</b>	<b>108.2</b>	<b>-7.0</b>	<b>16.3</b>	<b>-0.02</b>	<b>0.07</b>
Groundnut	2.3	100.0	88.8	95.3	-11.2	7.3	-0.03	0.01
Coconut	1.1	100.0	109.5	160.0	9.5	46.1	0.01	0.06
<b>Edible roots and tubers <sup>2</sup></b>	<b>35.7</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.8</b>	<b>100.3</b>	<b>0.8</b>	<b>-0.5</b>	<b>0.02</b>	<b>-0.03</b>
Potato	29.0	100.0	101.2	101.2	1.2	0.0	0.03	0.00
Other Root crops	6.7	100.0	98.0	93.6	-2.0	-4.5	-0.01	-0.03
<b>Stimulant &amp; spice <sup>2</sup></b>	<b>9.6</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>120.6</b>	<b>115.4</b>	<b>20.6</b>	<b>-4.3</b>	<b>0.21</b>	<b>-0.05</b>
Tea	7.5	100.0	102.1	104.1	2.1	2.0	0.02	0.02
Ginger	2.1	100.0	185.3	154.7	85.3	-16.5	0.20	-0.06
<b>Flowers, ornamental plants</b>	<b>7.9</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>102.4</b>	<b>102.4</b>	<b>2.4</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.03</b>	<b>0.00</b>
Anthurium	2.4	100.0	84.2	84.2	-15.8	0.0	0.00	0.00
Rose	0.9	100.0	90.0	90.0	-10.0	0.0	0.00	0.00
Other flowers	4.6	100.0	114.3	114.3	14.3	0.0	0.03	0.00
<b>Animals &amp; Animal Products</b>	<b>388.4</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.5</b>	<b>100.8</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>0.16</b>	<b>0.16</b>
Cattle	25.2	100.0	103.2	105.9	3.2	2.6	0.08	0.07
Pigs	11.5	100.0	94.0	87.8	-6.0	-6.6	-0.07	-0.07
Goat	3.4	100.0	105.1	109.2	5.1	3.9	0.02	0.01
Deer	6.9	100.0	99.7	99.3	-0.3	-0.4	0.00	0.00
Poultry	267.1	100.0	98.9	99.9	-1.1	1.0	-0.29	0.27
Eggs	66.3	100.0	106.3	104.4	6.3	-1.8	0.42	-0.13
Milk	8.0	100.0	101.2	102.4	1.2	1.2	0.01	0.01
<b>Overall</b>	<b>1,000.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>95.9</b>	<b>93.2</b>	<b>-4.1</b>	<b>-2.8</b>	<b>-3.37</b>	<b>-2.06</b>

<sup>1</sup> Using data for base period (2013) as weights

<sup>2</sup> The indices are computed based on the method of variable baskets with fixed monthly weights in the base year.

**Table 7.3 : Monthly and quarterly indices for the Agricultural Sector, January 2009 - December 2015****(Base period : Year 2013=100)**

Month	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
January	93.9	89.6	87.4	94.9	99.4	103.7	99.7
February	98.7	94.1	90.6	96.3	100.3	107.1	98.2
March	100.2	94.0	90.9	98.4	99.8	100.9	102.2
<b><i>1st quarter</i></b>	<b><i>97.1</i></b>	<b><i>92.5</i></b>	<b><i>89.4</i></b>	<b><i>96.3</i></b>	<b><i>99.9</i></b>	<b><i>101.1</i></b>	<b><i>99.9</i></b>
April	98.0	92.9	91.6	96.9	100.2	102.2	95.1
May	96.6	89.3	90.8	95.9	101.3	99.6	87.0
June	96.5	88.9	89.3	95.3	101.3	100.2	90.1
<b><i>2nd quarter</i></b>	<b><i>96.8</i></b>	<b><i>90.2</i></b>	<b><i>90.2</i></b>	<b><i>95.9</i></b>	<b><i>101.0</i></b>	<b><i>100.7</i></b>	<b><i>90.9</i></b>
July	86.9	87.0	97.2	100.3	101.1	93.0	90.1
August	86.2	87.0	97.5	98.8	101.1	95.2	93.4
September	85.2	83.8	96.9	96.1	100.6	90.8	93.3
<b><i>3rd quarter</i></b>	<b><i>86.1</i></b>	<b><i>86.0</i></b>	<b><i>97.2</i></b>	<b><i>98.4</i></b>	<b><i>100.8</i></b>	<b><i>93.0</i></b>	<b><i>92.2</i></b>
October	84.2	85.7	94.9	96.6	98.8	86.1	90.8
November	86.1	87.1	95.4	98.7	97.9	87.6	90.3
December	84.0	84.4	95.9	97.9	98.4	88.0	91.3
<b><i>4th quarter</i></b>	<b><i>84.8</i></b>	<b><i>85.7</i></b>	<b><i>95.5</i></b>	<b><i>97.6</i></b>	<b><i>98.5</i></b>	<b><i>87.5</i></b>	<b><i>91.1</i></b>
<b>Yearly average <sup>1</sup></b>	<b>90.9</b>	<b>88.6</b>	<b>93.2</b>	<b>96.9</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>95.9</b>	<b>93.2</b>
<b><i>Annual change (%)</i></b>	<b>-3.3</b>	<b>-2.6</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>-4.1</b>	<b>-2.8</b>

<sup>1</sup> Using data for base period (2013) as weights

**Table 7.4 : Monthly indices for the Agricultural Sector <sup>1</sup> : January 2000 - December 2015**

**(Base period: Year 2013=100)**

Month	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
January	56.9	55.5	65.6	64.6	73.7	73.5	80.7	86.1	90.2	93.9	89.6	87.4	94.9	99.4	103.7	99.7
February	62.6	56.9	70.4	68.4	74.1	78.2	80.7	90.1	93.0	98.7	94.1	90.6	96.3	100.3	107.1	98.2
March	62.6	55.6	71.2	71.9	76.7	84.4	87.0	98.9	94.2	100.2	94.0	90.9	98.4	99.8	100.9	102.2
April	59.2	57.3	64.8	72.2	77.4	90.3	88.8	95.7	98.9	98.0	92.9	91.6	96.9	100.2	102.2	95.1
May	59.1	58.8	61.1	73.8	75.1	84.3	82.7	90.1	96.4	96.6	89.3	90.8	95.9	101.3	99.6	87.0
June	57.9	60.0	61.2	71.8	73.1	77.0	80.9	85.2	98.0	96.5	88.9	89.3	95.3	101.3	100.2	90.1
July	56.1	62.9	65.6	71.6	74.7	77.9	83.2	86.8	94.9	86.9	87.0	97.2	100.3	101.1	93.0	90.1
August	56.8	61.8	66.3	70.3	74.2	77.6	85.0	88.5	93.0	86.2	87.0	97.5	98.8	101.1	95.2	93.4
September	56.2	60.7	66.8	68.8	72.9	79.1	83.1	89.5	93.0	85.2	83.8	96.9	96.1	100.6	90.8	93.3
October	55.1	61.3	67.2	68.6	73.4	81.5	82.1	89.4	93.8	84.2	85.7	94.9	96.6	98.8	86.1	90.8
November	54.4	60.5	64.7	70.1	72.8	78.9	82.3	88.9	93.3	86.1	87.1	95.4	98.7	97.9	87.6	90.3
December	54.2	62.2	65.7	69.8	71.8	79.3	82.7	88.0	91.8	84.0	84.4	95.9	97.9	98.4	88.0	91.3
Yearly Average <sup>2</sup>	57.2	59.7	65.3	69.8	73.6	79.5	82.8	88.7	94.1	90.9	88.6	93.2	96.9	100.0	95.9	93.2
Annual change (%)		4.3	9.4	6.9	5.5	8.0	4.1	7.1	6.0	-3.3	-2.6	5.2	4.0	3.2	-4.1	-2.8

<sup>1</sup> The indices for January 2000 to June 2016 previously based on 2007=100 have been converted to the new base 2013=100

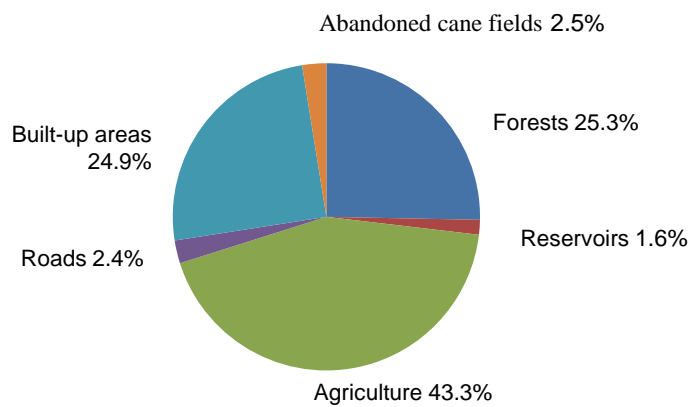
<sup>2</sup> Using data for base period (2013) as weights

**MISCELLANEOUS**  
**AGRICULTURAL**  
**STATISTICS**

**Table 8.1 - Land utilisation - Island of Mauritius, 2005**

	<b>Area (hectares)</b>	<b>%</b>
Agriculture	80,674	43.3
<i>Sugar cane</i>	72,000	38.6
<i>Other agricultural activities</i>	8,674	4.7
Forest, scrubs and grazing lands	47,200	25.3
Reservoirs, ponds, swamps & rocks	2,900	1.6
Roads and footpaths	4,500	2.4
Built-up areas	46,500	24.9
Abandoned cane fields	4,726	2.5
<b>Whole Island</b>	<b>186,500</b>	<b>100.0</b>

Source: Stocktaking and Stakeholders Consultation Exercise on Climate Change Activities Report, May 2006, Mauritius Meteorological Services

**Figure 15 - Land Utilisation - Island of Mauritius, 2005**



**Table 8.2 - Effective area under cultivation - Island of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015**

(Hectares)

Crops	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015 <sup>1</sup>
Sugar cane	59,724	57,160	56,391	57,081	56,872
Tea	651	669	672	672	574
Tobacco <sup>2</sup>	222	173	2	-	-

<sup>1</sup> Provisional<sup>2</sup> Area Harvested**Table 8.3 - Land under irrigation - Island of Mauritius, 2012 - 2015 (as at December)**

(Hectares)

Region	Overhead	Surface	Drip	Total
North	5,321	70	1,129	6,520
East	1,266	-	312	1,578
Centre	250	-	-	250
West	3,432	266	195	3,893
South	4,061	-	298	4,359
<b>Total 2015</b>	<b>14,330</b>	<b>336</b>	<b>1,934</b>	<b>16,600</b>
<b>Total 2014</b>	<b>14,884</b>	<b>569</b>	<b>1,730</b>	<b>17,183</b>
<b>Total 2013</b>	<b>16,619</b>	<b>867</b>	<b>1,684</b>	<b>19,170</b>
<b>Total 2012</b>	<b>16,611</b>	<b>1,141</b>	<b>1,707</b>	<b>19,459</b>

Note : The districts covered by region are as follows: North - Pamplemousses and Riviere du Rempart; East - Flacq and Moka (Part); Centre - Plaine Wilhems and Moka (Part); West - Black River and South - Grand Port and Savanne

Source: Irrigation Authority

**Table 8.4 - Imports of agricultural and food products - Republic of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015**

(c.i.f value in Rs million)

Description of product	2011	2012	2013	2014 <sup>1</sup>	2015 <sup>2</sup>
<b>1. Live animals</b>	<b>580.6</b>	<b>805.6</b>	<b>386.9</b>	<b>558.1</b>	<b>587.3</b>
<i>of which:</i>					
cattle	439.1	643.9	250.4	393.2	483.6
<b>2. Meat and meat preparations</b>	<b>1,953.4</b>	<b>2,003.5</b>	<b>2,136.0</b>	<b>2,276.1</b>	<b>2,586.9</b>
<i>of which:</i>					
meat and edible meat offals, fresh, chilled or frozen	1,498.3	1,440.4	1,528.1	1,630.4	1,937.3
meat and edible meat offals prepared or preserved	455.1	563.1	607.9	645.6	649.6
<b>3. Dairy products and eggs</b>	<b>3,281.2</b>	<b>3,338.3</b>	<b>3,362.2</b>	<b>3,901.5</b>	<b>3,434.1</b>
<i>of which:</i>					
milk and cream	2,335.7	2,322.4	2,211.5	2,845.0	2,247.6
butter, ghee, cheese and curd	944.0	1,015.5	1,150.4	1,056.5	1,185.6
<b>4. Fish, crustaceans, molluscs and preparation thereof</b>	<b>9,280.3</b>	<b>10,967.9</b>	<b>11,879.9</b>	<b>10,353.1</b>	<b>9,935.7</b>
<i>of which:</i>					
fish - fresh, chilled and frozen	8,248.6	9,710.9	10,687.2	9,088.4	8,653.8
fish - dried, salted, smoked	47.1	40.1	46.3	47.0	47.5
fish, crustaceans and molluscs - prepared and otherwise preserved	479.5	676.0	637.5	646.6	655.6

<sup>1</sup> Revised

<sup>2</sup> Provisional

**Table 8.4 (cont'd) - Imports of agricultural and food products - Republic of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015**

(c.i.f value in Rs million)

Description of product	2011	2012	2013	2014 <sup>1</sup>	2015 <sup>2</sup>
<b>5. Cereals and Cereal preparations</b>	<b>4,920.2</b>	<b>5,439.7</b>	<b>6,050.0</b>	<b>5,724.1</b>	<b>5,859.6</b>
<i>of which:</i>					
rice	1,472.8	1,541.0	1,780.2	1,887.9	1,722.2
maize	911.3	997.5	944.2	738.1	821.5
wheat flour	279.7	30.5	56.6	37.0	12.1
cereal preparations	1,068.3	1,177.8	1,265.5	1,362.4	1,524.3
<b>6. Vegetables and fruits</b>	<b>2,515.0</b>	<b>2,529.6</b>	<b>2,821.4</b>	<b>3,031.5</b>	<b>3,467.7</b>
<i>of which :</i>					
potatoes	150.4	173.5	148.9	155.7	226.9
pulses	334.2	321.8	378.1	344.4	424.2
fruits and nuts,fresh or dried	727.0	771.2	853.4	946.2	1,019.0
fruits preserved and fruit preparations	174.4	183.0	168.1	195.6	227.0
<b>7. Sugar, sugar preparations and honey</b>	<b>1092.6</b>	<b>1076.7</b>	<b>1,155.0</b>	<b>1,186.4</b>	<b>1,485.7</b>

<sup>1</sup> Revised

<sup>2</sup> Provisional

**Table 8.4 (cont'd) - Imports of agricultural and food products - Republic of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015**

(c.i.f value in Rs million)

Description of product	2011	2012	2013	2014 <sup>1</sup>	2015 <sup>2</sup>
<b>8. Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactured thereof</b>	<b>822.3</b>	<b>876.5</b>	<b>911.2</b>	<b>1,088.7</b>	<b>1,623.4</b>
<i>of which:</i>					
chocolate and food preparations containing cocoa	481.6	486.8	534.7	567.2	621.7
spices	173.1	227.5	189.4	338.0	766.5
<b>9. Feeding stuff for animals</b>	<b>790.4</b>	<b>933.3</b>	<b>931.1</b>	<b>1,181.7</b>	<b>1,270.8</b>
<b>10. Miscellaneous food preparations</b>	<b>1,557.6</b>	<b>1,640.2</b>	<b>1,760.7</b>	<b>1,874.2</b>	<b>2,053.2</b>
<b>11. Beverages and tobacco</b>	<b>2,661.8</b>	<b>3,125.5</b>	<b>3,312.4</b>	<b>3,350.4</b>	<b>3,567.8</b>
<i>of which:</i>					
non-alcoholic beverages n.e.s	264.7	387.7	383.0	456.7	467.5
alcoholic beverages	764.4	760.8	862.6	813.8	953.5
tobacco, manufactured	1,632.7	1,977.0	2,066.8	2,079.7	2,146.8
tobacco, unmanufactured	-	2.0	0.1	0.2	0.0
<b>12. Vegetable oils and fats</b>	<b>1,945.0</b>	<b>1,796.3</b>	<b>1,685.6</b>	<b>1,855.6</b>	<b>1,554.4</b>
<b>Total agricultural and food products</b>	<b>31,400.4</b>	<b>34,533.1</b>	<b>36,392.4</b>	<b>36,381.4</b>	<b>37,426.6</b>
<b>Total Imports</b>	<b>147,815.2</b>	<b>160,995.5</b>	<b>165,594.4</b>	<b>172,038.0</b>	<b>168,077.0</b>
<b>Total imports of agriculture and food products as a % of total imports</b>	<b>21.2</b>	<b>21.4</b>	<b>22.0</b>	<b>21.1</b>	<b>22.3</b>

<sup>1</sup> Revised

<sup>2</sup> Provisional

**Table 8.5 - Imports of selected items (Quantity) - Republic of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015**

(Tonnes)

Items	2011	2012	2013	2014 <sup>1</sup>	2015 <sup>2</sup>
1. Rice	58,173	55,793	60,237	57,060	59,615
2. Maize	92,777	93,367	99,741	90,225	109,758
3. Wheat Flour	23,508	1,981	4,334	2,728	678
4. Pulses	12,201	12,355	13,594	12,846	12,445
5. Fruits and nuts (fresh & dried)	20,409	22,744	23,691	24,234	24,463
6. Coffee	572	581	645	670	730
7. Cocoa/Chocolate	2,010	2,210	2,358	2,486	2,468
8. Vegetable oils & fats	41,610	40,014	40,495	50,523	41,444
9. Cattle <sup>3</sup> (Live)	11,166	13,519	7,045	9,888	11,413
10. Meat & Edible meat offals (prepared or preserved)	3,786	5,290	5,429	5,190	4,358
11. Meat & Edible meat offals (fresh, chilled or frozen)	11,142	11,051	11,368	11,133	12,866
12. Milk and cream	18,260	19,456	16,911	20,612	17,824
13. Butter, ghee, cheese & curd	4,214	4,759	5,349	4,973	5,606
14. Fish, crustaceans & molluscs (fresh, chilled and frozen)	157,066	149,477	162,406	171,604	170,242
15. Fish, crustaceans & molluscs (dried, salted and smoked)	1,270	1,646	1,297	1,393	1,291
16. Fish, crustaceans & molluscs (prepared or otherwise preserved)	4,589	6,442	5,535	5,889	6,001

<sup>1</sup> Revised<sup>2</sup> Provisional<sup>3</sup> Number of heads

**Table 8.6 - Imports of major agricultural inputs - Republic of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015**

(Quantity in tonnes, c.i.f value in Rs '000)

Commodities	2011		2012		2013		2014		2015 <sup>1</sup>	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Fertilizers	54,356	816,263	52,739	834,898	45,924	596,385	53,276	683,475	32,857	450,753
Insecticides	904	141,314	843	142,528	941	150,235	810	133,514	963	152,593
Fungicides	257	45,604	196	39,447	197	39,497	240	51,042	207	48,546
Weedkillers	1,111	187,984	1,047	181,058	1,095	199,915	1,098	198,908	1,204	227,662

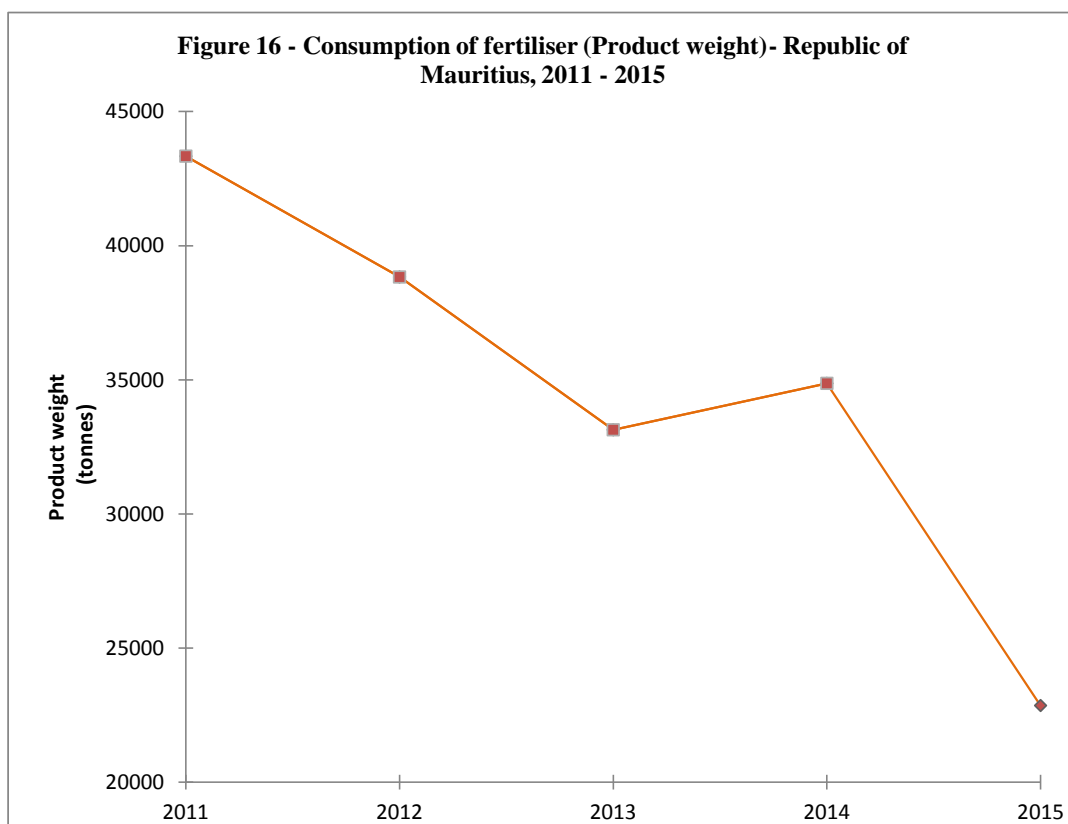
<sup>1</sup> Provisional

**Table 8.7 - Consumption<sup>1</sup> of fertilisers (Product weight) - Republic of Mauritius, 2011 - 2015**

(Tonnes)

Year	Product weight
2011	43,338
2012	38,833
2013	33,137
2014	34,868
2015	22,857

<sup>1</sup> excludes changes in stock



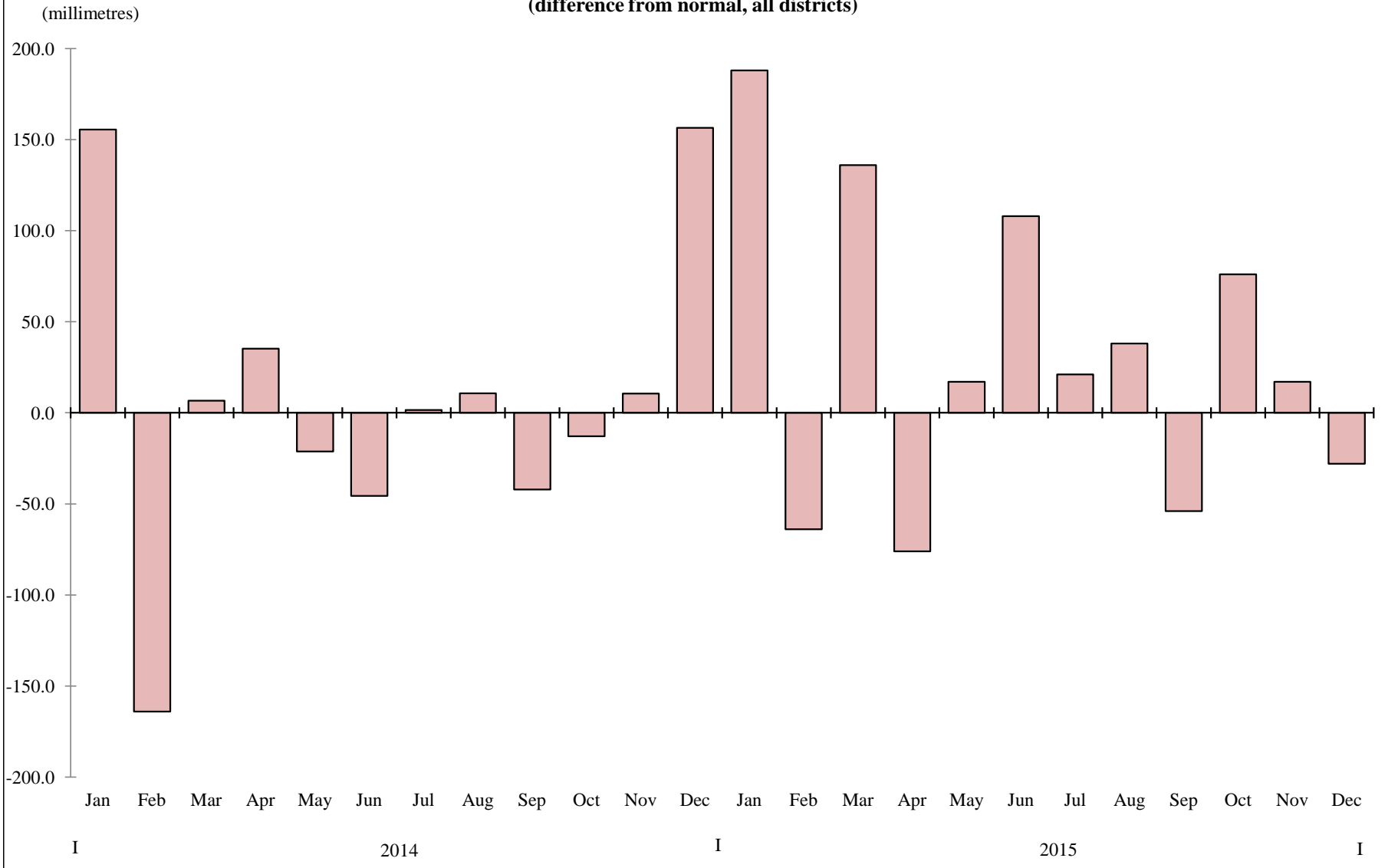
**Table 8.8 - Average price of fertilisers - Republic of Mauritius, 2014 - 2015**

(Rupees/tonne)

<b>Fertilizers</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>2015</b>
<b>Straight fertilizers</b>		
Mono-Ammonium-Phosphate (Granular)	22,928	22,928
Urea (Granular)	18,571	18,571
Muriate of Potash (Granular)	21,584	21,584
Di-Ammonium Phosphate (Granular)	22,927	22,927
<b>Other : Specify</b>		
13-13-20-2 + 8% S complex (Granular)	21,175	21,175
Calcium Ammonium Nitrate (Granular)	17,940	17,940
Ammonium Sulphate (Granular)	9,610	9,610
<b>Urea- based blends fertilizers</b>		
23-0-30	20,759	20,759
20-8-28	21,652	21,652
16-22-22	22,800	22,800
28-0-24	20,768	20,770
19-20-20	22,694	22,695
16-16-23+2.5 MgO	21,874	21,875
30-11-11	21,438	21,438
23-8-23	21,440	21,440
22.5-7.5-7.5	18,239	18,239
27-0-0	15,972	15,972
17-8-26	NA	NA
13-30-18	23,242	23,243
<b>Other : Specify</b>		
18-0-27	19,197	19,195
17/8/2025	20,000	20,254
13-29-17	22,890	22,890
22-7-7	19,293	19,293
<b>NPK Formulations</b>		
14-20-20	22,454	22,454
16-0-25	21,330	21,330
19-0-19	21,380	21,380
Can 27-0-0	17,935	17,935
<b>Other : Specify</b>		
13-13-20+2 MgO	21,176	21,776
21-0-21	NA	NA
18-0-27	NA	NA
17-8-20	21,861	21,861
13-28-15	21,925	21,925
16-23-14	22,590	22,590
15-5-18	19,135	19,135
17-2-23	21,454	21,455
15-10-10	18,690	18,690



**Figure 17 - Monthly average rainfall - Island of Mauritius, 2014 - 2015**  
**(difference from normal, all districts)**



**Table 8.9- Monthly average rainfall by region - Island of Mauritius, 2015**

(Millimetres)

Region Month	North		South		East		West		Centre		All sugar zones	
	Mean Amount	Difference from normal	Mean Amount	Difference from normal	Mean Amount	Difference from normal	Mean Amount	Difference from normal	Mean Amount	Difference from normal	Mean Amount	Difference from normal
January	266.0	+ 86.0	496.0	+ 196.0	607.0	+ 342.0	306.0	+ 136.0	606.0	+ 227.0	456.0	+ 188.0
February	161.0	- 71.0	308.0	- 64.0	330.0	- 21.0	155.0	- 43.0	390.0	- 62.0	271.0	- 64.0
March	244.0	+ 65.0	525.0	+ 213.0	455.0	+ 183.0	286.0	+ 147.0	481.0	+ 127.0	400.0	+ 136.0
April	69.0	- 68.0	141.0	- 108.0	181.0	- 55.0	77.0	- 16.0	200.0	- 76.0	134.0	- 76.0
May	134.0	+ 42.0	211.0	+ 21.0	235.0	+ 64.0	34.0	- 15.0	200.0	- 1.0	165.0	+ 17.0
June	142.0	+ 72.0	271.0	+ 121.0	299.0	+ 180.0	66.0	+ 30.0	300.0	+ 145.0	218.0	+ 108.0
July	64.0	- 16.0	215.0	+ 38.0	196.0	+ 65.0	27.0	- 4.0	231.0	+ 36.0	150.0	+ 21.0
August	46.0	- 15.0	207.0	+ 56.0	207.0	+ 100.0	39.0	+ 17.0	208.0	+ 43.0	143.0	+ 38.0
September	23.0	- 34.0	63.0	- 73.0	48.0	- 82.0	20.0	- 7.0	72.0	- 52.0	46.0	- 54.0
October	94.0	+ 51.0	181.0	+ 84.0	200.0	+ 119.0	62.0	+ 34.0	215.0	+ 105.0	152.0	+ 76.0
November	62.0	+ 14.0	132.0	+ 26.0	85.0	- 1.0	60.0	+ 28.0	133.0	+ 28.0	96.0	+ 17.0
December	81.0	- 39.0	208.0	- 1.0	121.0	- 67.0	110.0	+ 14.0	202.0	- 29.0	147.0	- 28.0

Source: Meteorological Services

**Table 8.10 - Monthly average minimum temperature by region - Island of Mauritius, 2015**

(Degrees Celcius)

Region	North		South		East		West		Centre		All sugar zones	
	Mean Amount	Difference from normal	Mean Amount	Difference from normal	Mean Amount	Difference from normal	Mean Amount	Difference from normal	Mean Amount	Difference from normal	Mean Amount	Difference from normal
January	23.4	+1.3	24.3	+1.0	23.2	+0.8	24.0	+1.1	21.9	+1.1	23.4	+1.1
February	22.5	-0.0	23.8	+0.2	22.6	-0.1	23.0	-0.1	21.2	+0.1	22.6	+0.0
March	22.1	+0.2	23.8	+0.7	22.4	+0.1	22.7	+0.1	21.3	+0.5	22.4	0.3
April	20.4	-0.6	23.2	1.0	21.6	+0.2	21.5	-0.1	20.6	+0.7	21.5	+0.2
May	19.7	+0.9	21.8	+1.2	20.7	+1.0	20.6	+0.8	19.0	+1.0	20.3	+1.0
June	18.8	+2.0	21.3	+2.3	19.9	+1.9	20.0	+2.0	18.5	+2.3	19.7	+2.1
July	17.1	+0.9	19.7	+1.4	18.4	+1.1	17.9	+0.6	16.8	+1.3	18.0	+1.1
August	17.1	+0.6	19.5	+1.3	18.0	+0.8	18.0	+0.7	16.6	+1.2	17.8	+0.9
September	16.9	+0.1	20.0	+1.5	18.4	+1.0	18.3	+0.6	16.7	+0.9	18.1	+0.8
October	19.3	+1.4	21.5	+1.9	20.0	+1.7	20.4	+1.5	18.6	+1.8	20.0	+1.7
November	19.9	+0.7	21.9	+1.2	20.4	+0.7	21.3	+1.1	19.4	+1.4	20.6	+1.0
December	22.4	+1.5	24.1	+1.8	22.5	+1.3	23.3	+1.5	21.5	+1.8	22.8	+1.6

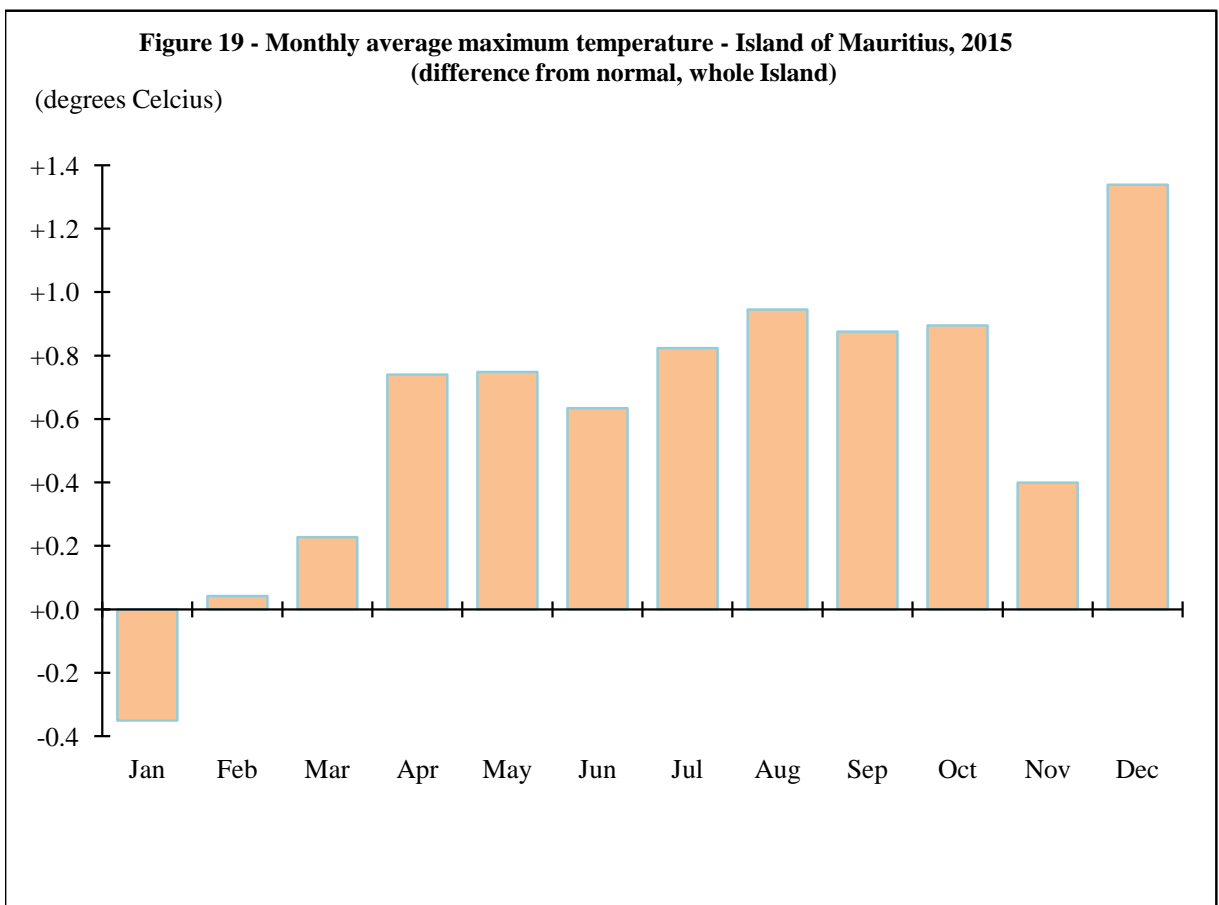
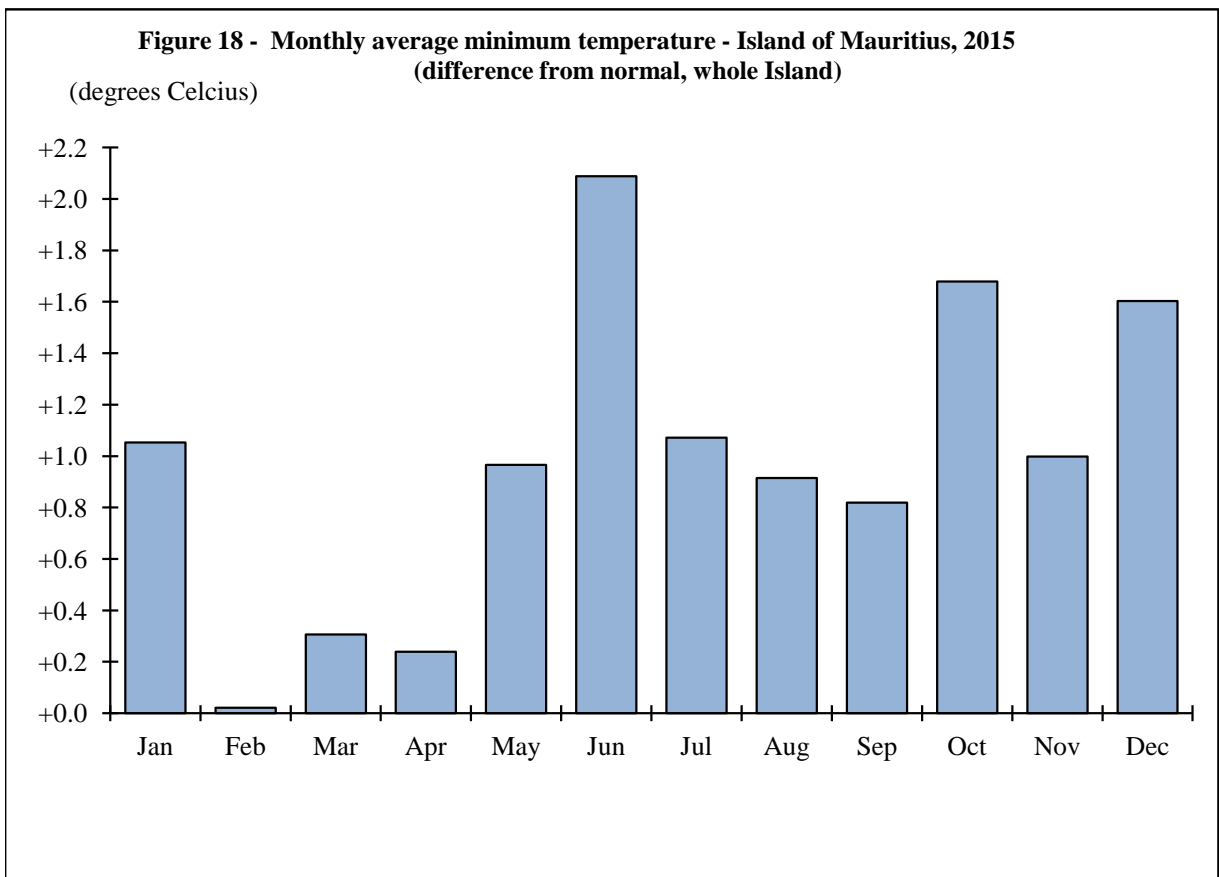
Source: Meteorological Services

**Table 8.11 - Monthly average maximum temperature by region - Island of Mauritius, 2015**

(Degrees Celcius)

Region Month	North		South		East		West		Centre		All sugar zones	
	Mean Amount	Difference from normal	Mean Amount	Difference from normal	Mean Amount	Difference from normal	Mean Amount	Difference from normal	Mean Amount	Difference from normal	Mean Amount	Difference from normal
January	30.4	-0.8	30.0	+0.0	29.3	+0.2	30.2	-0.7	27.5	-0.4	29.5	-0.4
February	30.8	-0.1	29.6	-0.3	29.6	+0.6	30.7	-0.1	28.0	+0.2	29.7	+0.0
March	30.9	+0.3	29.4	+0.0	29.4	+0.7	30.4	-0.2	27.8	+0.3	29.6	+0.2
April	30.8	+1.1	28.9	+0.4	28.9	+1.2	30.2	+0.2	27.3	+0.8	29.2	+0.7
May	28.8	+0.8	27.7	+0.8	27.0	+0.9	28.8	+0.3	25.8	+1.0	27.6	+0.7
June	26.7	+0.4	26.1	+0.8	25.2	+0.8	27.3	+0.5	23.5	+0.6	25.8	+0.6
July	26.0	+0.6	25.1	+0.7	24.4	+0.9	26.7	+0.7	23.0	+1.1	25.1	+0.8
August	26.7	+1.0	25.1	+0.7	24.6	+1.0	27.1	+0.8	23.0	+1.1	25.3	+0.9
September	27.6	+0.8	26.0	+0.7	25.4	+1.1	28.0	+0.9	23.8	+0.9	26.2	+0.9
October	29.4	+1.2	27.1	+0.6	26.3	+0.9	29.1	+0.9	25.0	+0.9	27.4	+0.9
November	30.4	+0.5	28.1	-0.0	27.7	+0.7	29.6	+0.1	26.5	+0.7	28.5	+0.4
December	33.0	+2.3	30.7	+1.3	29.6	+1.3	31.1	+0.6	28.4	+1.2	30.6	+1.3

Source: Meteorological Services



**Table 8.12 - Number of housing units with kitchen garden by size and district, Republic of Mauritius, 2011 Housing Census**

Size of kitchen garden	Number of housing units											
	Port Louis	Pamplemousses	Riviere du Rempart	Flacq	Grand Port	Savanne	Plaines Wilhems	Moka	Black River	Island of Mauritius	Island of Rodrigues	Republic of Mauritius
Less than 1 perche	526	1,951	1,343	2,519	2,430	1,932	9,473	2,842	1,122	<b>24,138</b>	1,854	<b>25,992</b>
1 perche and less than 2 perches	51	550	367	1,053	689	535	1,384	1,039	120	<b>5,788</b>	1,222	<b>7,010</b>
2 perches and less than 3 perches	5	195	142	399	220	208	491	361	40	<b>2,061</b>	659	<b>2,720</b>
3 perches and less than 4 perches	6	81	61	176	89	112	186	157	12	<b>880</b>	456	<b>1,336</b>
4 perches and less than 5 perches	4	73	63	170	97	83	173	106	13	<b>782</b>	502	<b>1,284</b>
5 perches or more	1	102	62	219	117	128	209	93	6	<b>937</b>	837	<b>1,774</b>
<b>All size</b>	<b>593</b>	<b>2,952</b>	<b>2,038</b>	<b>4,536</b>	<b>3,642</b>	<b>2,998</b>	<b>11,916</b>	<b>4,598</b>	<b>1,313</b>	<b>34,586</b>	<b>5,530</b>	<b>40,116</b>

Source: 2011 Housing Census

**Table 8.13 - Geographical distribution of fruit trees of bearing age on residential premises by type, Republic of Mauritius, 2000 Housing Census**

Type of fruit tree	Port Louis	Pamplemousses	Riviere du Rempart	Flacq	Grand Port	Savanne	Plaines Wilhems	Moka	Black River	Island of Mauritius	Island of Rodrigues	Republic of Mauritius
All citrus	730	3,264	3,048	4,959	2,872	2,461	8,764	4,110	1,423	<b>31,631</b>	18,770	<b>50,401</b>
Atte	1,185	3,212	2,075	604	299	290	1,756	307	1,761	<b>11,489</b>	3,115	<b>14,604</b>
Avocado	506	1,613	1,334	1,775	1,141	691	4,264	950	409	<b>12,683</b>	319	<b>13,002</b>
Banana	1,507	8,373	6,743	14,108	7,988	5,839	19,381	8,520	2,181	<b>74,640</b>	17,233	<b>91,873</b>
Bibace	44	192	82	359	362	330	1,218	727	58	<b>3,372</b>	77	<b>3,449</b>
Breadfruit	128	592	544	694	331	265	470	57	183	<b>3,264</b>	178	<b>3,442</b>
Coconut	3,194	17,834	15,172	10,658	5,769	4,575	6,970	1,163	7,054	<b>72,389</b>	6,647	<b>79,036</b>
Coeur de Boeuf	562	646	459	393	229	215	622	137	404	<b>3,667</b>	446	<b>4,113</b>
Corrosol	468	658	383	501	245	197	715	121	376	<b>3,664</b>	1,251	<b>4,915</b>
Fruit de cithere	603	3,172	3,054	2,222	643	389	849	209	445	<b>11,586</b>	266	<b>11,852</b>
Grapes	309	298	170	237	112	92	597	192	163	<b>2,170</b>	868	<b>3,038</b>
Grenadine	405	941	649	850	480	368	1,180	496	475	<b>5,844</b>	1,303	<b>7,147</b>
Guava	2,526	7,323	5,266	8,014	5,650	4,726	18,296	7,624	2,820	<b>62,245</b>	7,307	<b>69,552</b>
Jackfruit	187	2,176	1,752	2,403	1,329	1,033	2,754	1,172	438	<b>13,244</b>	1,176	<b>14,420</b>
Jujuba	403	554	385	419	200	187	402	118	622	<b>3,290</b>	1,709	<b>4,999</b>
Litchi	347	3,905	2,881	2,902	1,700	789	10,199	738	635	<b>24,096</b>	536	<b>24,632</b>
Longane	318	3,503	2,367	3,561	1,296	869	10,259	1,061	699	<b>23,933</b>	405	<b>24,338</b>
Mango	13,394	23,456	17,712	18,195	8,684	7,795	24,365	2,849	9,454	<b>125,904</b>	14,488	<b>140,392</b>
Olive	54	285	98	228	164	95	1,128	302	31	<b>2,385</b>	103	<b>2,488</b>
Pawpaw	2,207	7,553	5,011	7,515	4,478	3,410	15,114	4,440	3,084	<b>52,812</b>	11,460	<b>64,272</b>
Peach	83	398	239	561	210	184	1,656	561	65	<b>3,957</b>	2,729	<b>6,686</b>
Tamarind	232	358	247	186	53	71	221	44	399	<b>1,811</b>	261	<b>2,072</b>
Other	3,416	3,810	2,557	3,424	2,539	1,877	9,065	1,946	1,800	<b>30,434</b>	5,584	<b>36,018</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>32,808</b>	<b>94,116</b>	<b>72,228</b>	<b>84,768</b>	<b>46,774</b>	<b>36,748</b>	<b>140,245</b>	<b>37,844</b>	<b>34,979</b>	<b>580,510</b>	<b>96,231</b>	<b>676,741</b>

Source: 2000 Housing Census

**Table 8.14 - Geographical distribution of fruit trees of bearing age on residential premises by type, Republic of Mauritius, 2011 Housing Census**

Type of fruit tree	Port Louis	Pamplemousses	Riviere du Rempart	Flacq	Grand Port	Savanne	Plaines Wilhems	Moka	Black River	Island of Mauritius	Island of Rodrigues	Republic of Mauritius
Atte	780	1,971	1,684	528	285	291	1,354	325	1,375	<b>8,593</b>	4,894	<b>13,487</b>
Avocado	251	930	935	987	628	479	2,329	695	333	<b>7,567</b>	371	<b>7,938</b>
Banana	3,463	19,240	13,696	14,131	9,704	7,649	27,266	12,121	4,607	<b>111,877</b>	22,357	<b>134,234</b>
Bilimbi	1,207	1,402	997	895	744	502	1,221	273	788	<b>8,029</b>	1,902	<b>9,931</b>
Breadfruit	99	551	580	663	306	210	352	74	192	<b>3,027</b>	229	<b>3,256</b>
Coconut	2,480	12,231	11,209	7,678	4,705	3,204	4,587	1,339	8,720	<b>56,153</b>	8,755	<b>64,908</b>
Coeur de Boeuf	335	541	348	263	191	165	434	110	306	<b>2,693</b>	638	<b>3,331</b>
Corrosol	335	488	260	353	161	178	776	134	273	<b>2,958</b>	1,618	<b>4,576</b>
Fruit de cithere	427	2,511	2,497	1,567	445	264	446	137	340	<b>8,634</b>	308	<b>8,942</b>
Grapes	62	98	45	63	22	28	232	83	62	<b>695</b>	537	<b>1,232</b>
Grenadine	325	1,025	622	968	670	487	2,017	831	521	<b>7,466</b>	2,200	<b>9,666</b>
Guava	1,013	3,630	2,607	3,770	3,397	3,041	12,009	5,036	1,507	<b>36,010</b>	10,209	<b>46,219</b>
Jackfruit	172	1,736	1,508	1,808	965	808	2,007	745	324	<b>10,073</b>	943	<b>11,016</b>
Lemon	312	2,511	2,533	2,755	1,304	1,144	2,919	1,842	950	<b>16,270</b>	10,852	<b>27,122</b>
Litchi	333	5,497	4,278	3,737	2,460	1,068	11,465	1,409	821	<b>31,068</b>	1,005	<b>32,073</b>
Longane	140	2,077	1,325	1,691	574	422	5,527	725	431	<b>12,912</b>	318	<b>13,230</b>
Mandarin	68	446	256	681	828	590	1,832	1,596	152	<b>6,449</b>	2,921	<b>9,370</b>
Mango	9,682	18,649	14,320	13,333	6,546	5,973	17,640	2,640	9,958	<b>98,741</b>	16,750	<b>115,491</b>
Olive	12	293	100	196	122	86	767	313	23	<b>1,912</b>	118	<b>2,030</b>
Orange	24	162	114	149	134	91	430	347	90	<b>1,541</b>	1,510	<b>3,051</b>
Other Citrus	247	1,178	903	1,371	1,097	1,056	2,385	997	547	<b>9,781</b>	4,297	<b>14,078</b>
Pawpaw	1,861	6,645	5,313	6,124	4,372	3,743	14,242	5,115	3,445	<b>50,860</b>	18,593	<b>69,453</b>
Tamarind	108	141	102	67	16	29	60	22	249	<b>794</b>	274	<b>1,068</b>
Other	1,482	2,012	1,550	2,201	1,179	1,420	6,262	1,701	1,299	<b>19,106</b>	4,741	<b>23,847</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>25,218</b>	<b>85,965</b>	<b>67,782</b>	<b>65,979</b>	<b>40,855</b>	<b>32,928</b>	<b>118,559</b>	<b>38,610</b>	<b>37,313</b>	<b>513,209</b>	<b>116,340</b>	<b>629,549</b>

Source: 2011 Housing Census



**Table 8.15 : Area harvested and production of vegetables - Island of Mauritius, July 2013 - June 2014 (2014 Census of Agriculture)**

Crop name	Open field		Under Cover				All practices	
	Area harvested (hectares)	Production (tonnes)	Hydroponic		Non-Hydroponic		Area harvested (hectares)	Production (tonnes)
			Area harvested (hectares)	Production (tonnes)	Area harvested (hectares)	Production (tonnes)		
Asparagus	3.7	4	-	-	-	-	3.7	4
Beans	273.8	1,232	-	-	-	-	273.8	1,232
Beet	80.0	1,032	-	-	-	-	80.0	1,032
Bittergourd	162.9	815	-	-	-	-	162.9	815
Brede blanc	29.9	334	-	-	-	-	29.9	334
Brede chouchou	56.3	1,002	-	-	-	-	56.3	1,002
Brede cresson	51.9	701	-	-	-	-	51.9	701
Brede de chine	24.1	313	-	-	-	-	24.1	313
Brede giraumon	46.0	681	-	-	-	-	46.0	681
Brede malabar	7.8	59	-	-	-	-	7.8	59
Brede petsai	39.0	527	-	-	-	-	39.0	527
Brede rave	19.9	261	-	-	-	-	19.9	261
Brede songe	8.9	157	-	-	-	-	8.9	157
Brede tom pouce	78.2	1,392	-	-	-	-	78.2	1,392
Brinjal	360.9	4,150	-	-	-	-	360.9	4,150
Broccoli	11.3	112	-	-	-	-	11.3	112

**Table 8.15 (cont'd): Area harvested and production of vegetables - Island of Mauritius, July 2013 - June 2014 (2014 Census of Agriculture)**

Crop name	Open field		Under Cover				All practices	
	Area harvested (hectares)	Production (tonnes)	Hydroponic		Non-Hydroponic		Area harvested (hectares)	Production (tonnes)
			Area harvested (hectares)	Production (tonnes)	Area harvested (hectares)	Production (tonnes)		
Butternut	9.6	27	-	-	1.8	26	11.4	53
Cabbage	309.7	6,039	-	-	-	-	309.7	6,039
Calabash	474.6	6,455	-	-	-	-	474.6	6,455
Carrot	398.2	5,296	-	-	-	-	398.2	5,296
Cauliflower	91.7	1,651	-	-	-	-	91.7	1,651
Celery	1.5	14	-	-	-	-	1.5	14
Chillies (small)	89.7	233	-	-	-	-	89.7	233
Chillies (other)	316.2	1,613	-	-	-	-	316.2	1,613
Chouchou	383.4	4,141	-	-	-	-	383.4	4,141
Coriander	144.2	1,845	-	-	-	-	144.2	1,845
Cucumber	380.0	5,472	6.5	366	-	-	386.5	5,838
Echalotte	115.9	1,032	-	-	-	-	115.9	1,032
Eddoes (curry)	58.3	542	-	-	-	-	58.3	542
Eddoes (violet)	39.7	433	-	-	-	-	39.7	433
Elaiti	4.1	5	-	-	-	-	4.1	5
Garlic	19.6	106	-	-	-	-	19.6	106

**Table 8.15 (cont'd): Area harvested and production of vegetables - Island of Mauritius, July 2013 - June 2014 (2014 Census of Agriculture)**

Crop name	Open field		Under Cover				All practices	
			Hydroponic		Non-Hydroponic			
	Area harvested (hectares)	Production (tonnes)	Area harvested (hectares)	Production (tonnes)	Area harvested (hectares)	Production (tonnes)	Area harvested (hectares)	Production (tonnes)
Elaiti	4.1	5	-	-	-	-	4.1	5
Garlic	19.6	106	-	-	-	-	19.6	106
Ginger	82.1	1,117	-	-	-	-	82.1	1,117
Gourgette	50.8	411	-	-	-	-	50.8	411
Green peas	3.6	7	-	-	-	-	3.6	7
Groundnut	149.5	374	-	-	-	-	149.5	374
Ladies finger	268.7	1,370	-	-	-	-	268.7	1,370
Leek	6.6	59	-	-	-	-	6.6	59
Lettuce	142.4	1,367	16.5	578	0.1	5	159.0	1,950
Maize	91.5	714	-	-	-	-	91.5	714
Manioc	78.7	921	-	-	-	-	78.7	921
Melon	3.2	12	0.6	25	4.7	28	8.5	65
Mint	12.5	141	-	-	-	-	12.5	141
Mushroom	-	-	-	-	0.1	14	0.1	14
Onion	312.8	7,351	-	-	-	-	312.8	7,351
Palm heart	38.0	36	-	-	-	-	38.0	36

**Table 8.15 (cont'd): Area harvested and production of vegetables - Island of Mauritius, July 2013 - June 2014 (2014 Census of Agriculture)**

Crop name	Open field		Under Cover				All practices	
	Area harvested (hectares)	Production (tonnes)	Hydroponic		Non-Hydroponic		Area harvested (hectares)	Production (tonnes)
			Area harvested (hectares)	Production (tonnes)	Area harvested (hectares)	Production (tonnes)		
Parsley	10.5	57	-	-	-	-	10.5	57
Patole	70.6	508	-	-	-	-	70.6	508
Pipengaille	109.2	873	-	-	-	-	109.2	873
Potato	698.5	16,415	-	-	-	-	698.5	16,415
Pumpkin	509.7	7,289	-	-	-	-	509.7	7,289
Radish	3.4	12	-	-	-	-	3.4	12
Rice (paddy)	426.3	1,449	-	-	-	-	426.3	1,449
Squash	93.6	599	-	-	-	-	93.6	599
Sweet pepper	2.5	9	4.5	349	0.2	8	7.2	366
Sweet potato	61.8	705	-	-	-	-	61.8	705
Thyme	28.6	263	-	-	-	-	28.6	263
Tomato	1,160.2	13,458	12.9	1,118	1.0	21	1,174.1	14,597
Turmeric (green)	2.3	23	-	-	-	-	2.3	23
Voehm	97.0	698	-	-	-	-	97.0	698
Other vegetables	7.2	36	-	-	-	-	7.2	36
<b>All crops</b>	<b>8,612.8</b>	<b>103,950</b>	<b>41.0</b>	<b>2,436</b>	<b>7.9</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>8,661.7</b>	<b>106,488</b>

**Table 8.16 : Area harvested and production of fruits and nuts - Island of Mauritius, July 2013 - June 2014, (2014 Census of Agriculture)**

<b>Fruit Name</b>	<b>Area (Hectares)</b>	<b>Production (Tonnes)</b>
<b>All fruits</b>	<b>1,247</b>	<b>29,000</b>
<i>of which</i>		
Banana	446	10,400
Pineapple	435	10,300
Lychee	96	2,700
Mango	83	1,150
Watermelon	41	1,300
Coconut	30	800
Mandarin	26	500
Pawpaw	23	450
Lemon	13	160
Orange	9	60
Golden apple (Fruit de Cytere)	7	170
Guava	7	50
Pitaya	7	50
Grapefruit (Pamplemousses)	6	300
Jack fruit	6	270
Bread fruit	4	110
Longane	4	80
Avocado	2	20
Bilimbi	2	20

**Table 8.17 - Area harvested and production of flowers - Island of Mauritius, July 2013 - June 2014, (2014 Census of Agriculture)**

Flowers Name	Area harvested (Hectares)			Quantity produced (Mn units)
	Open - field	Protective cover	Both practices	
<b>All flowers</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>13.00</b>
<i>of which</i>				
Anthurium	9	36	45	4.09
Gerbera	1	8	9	3.72
Rose	3	29	32	1.18
Feuilles decoratives	1	5	6	0.65
Croton	1	5	6	0.63
Chrysanthème	1	3	4	0.63
Ghenda	5	1	6	0.53
Glaïeul	1	1	2	0.27
Gypsophile	1	1	2	0.25
Oeillet	1	1	2	0.25
Marguerite/Paquerette	5	1	6	0.18
lyconia	1	-	1	0.06
Hortensia	1	-	1	0.06
Ginger (flower)	2	-	2	0.06
Daliah	1	-	1	0.05
Immortelle	1	-	1	0.03
Fleur soleil	1	-	1	0.03

**Table 8.18 : Number of heads by livestock type as at June 2014, Island of Mauritius, (2014 Census of Agriculture)**

Livestock type	Number
Cattle	13,900
Goats and sheep	46,100
Pigs	21,400
Poultry	3,835,500
Deer	33,800

## Glossary

**Virgin crop:** The first crop, from newly planted cane.

**Ratoon crop:** Cane crop grown from the stools of old cane, instead of from freshly planted cane seedlings.

**Grande saison:** A cane planting crop cycle with harvest in September to November, and replanting in March. The first crop is harvested after 16-17 months in the following year.

**Petite saison:** A cane planting crop cycle in which cane is harvested early (June – August) and the land is replanted immediately. The first crop is harvested after 12 months the following year.

**Polarisation:** Degree of polarisation of sugar, which indicates its purity

**Interline:** Growing of non-cane crops between cane furrows

**Molasses:** Final residue remaining after centrifuges and crystallization

**Cess:** A levy on sugar produced per crop year

**Flue-cured:** Tobacco leaves which are cured in barns using heat at a temperature of about 70<sup>0</sup> C

**Live weight:** The weight taken immediately before slaughter

**Carcass weight:** Weight of the carcass after removal of the following parts (hide or skin, head, fore feet, hind feet, large blood vessels, offal and tail)

**Wet weight:** The actual ex-water weight of the catch at the time of capture for primary fish.

**Per capita consumption (per caput):** The per caput figure of each commodity is obtained by dividing the figure for food available for human consumption by the total population partaking of it during the reference period.