

MAURITIUS

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Member Trade Bloc: Southern African Development Community (SADC)

Location: Southern Africa, island in the Indian Ocean, about 800 km east of Madagascar

Capital: Port Louis **Surface area:** 2,030 sq km **Official language:** English **Population:** 1.3 million (2016)

KEY ECONOMIC INDICATORS	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
GDP (US\$ Bn)	11.0	11.2	11.9	12.6	11.6	12.0
GDP per capita (US\$)	8,811.2	8,932.3	9,476.5	9,999.3	9,186.5	9,424.5
Real GDP growth (annual %)	3.9	3.2	3.2	3.6	3.2	3.6
Inflation (% change yoy)	6.5	3.9	3.5	3.2	2.0	1.0
Unemployment (% of Labour Force)	7.9	8.0	8.0	7.8	7.8	7.5
Total Exports (US\$ Bn)	2.255	2.257	2.341	2.662	2.452	2.194
Total Imports (US\$ Bn)	5.158	5.772	5.395	5.607	4.457	4.654

GDP - COMPOSITION: agriculture: 4.5%, industry: 21.7%, Services: 73.8% (2015 est.)

MAJOR INDUSTRIES: food processing (largely sugar milling), textiles, clothing, mining, chemicals, metal products, transport equipment, nonelectrical machinery, tourism

MAJOR TRADING PARTNERS OF MAURITIUS (2016)

Mauritius Principal Export Destinations:

1. France	14.8%
2. United Kingdom	12.0%
3. United States	11.4%
Pakistan	0.05%

Mauritius Principal Import Sources:

1. China	17.7%
2. India	16.5%
3. France	7.8%
Pakistan	0.38%

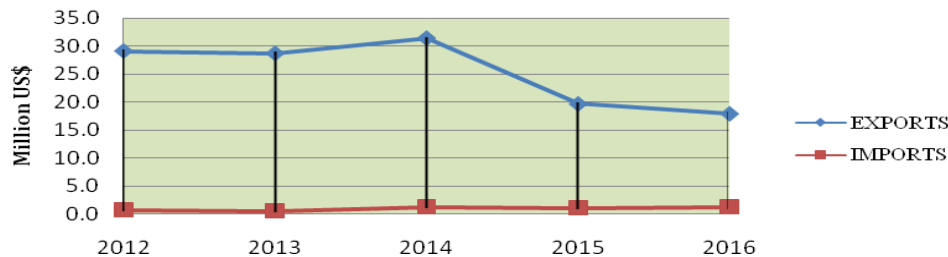
MAURITIUS MAIN ITEMS OF EXPORT: clothing and textiles, sugar, cut flowers, molasses, fish, primates (for research)

MAURITIUS MAIN ITEMS OF IMPORT: manufactured goods, capital equipment, foodstuffs, petroleum products, chemicals

PAKISTAN'S TRADE WITH MAURITIUS (MILLION US\$)

YEAR	EXPORTS	IMPORTS	BALANCE OF TRADE	TOTAL EXPORT OF PAKISTAN	% SHARE IN TOTAL EXP.	TOTAL IMPORTS OF PAKISTAN	% SHARE IN TOTAL IMPORTS
2012	29.1	0.7	28.4	24,613.7	0.1	43,813.3	0.002
2013	28.7	0.5	28.2	25,120.9	0.1	43,775.2	0.001
2014	31.4	1.3	30.1	24,722.2	0.1	47,544.9	0.003
2015	19.7	1.1	18.6	22,089.0	0.1	43,989.7	0.003
2016	17.9	1.2	16.7	20,435.0	0.1	47,155.0	0.003

PAK - MAURITIUS PATTERN OF TRADE



MAJOR ITEMS OF EXPORTS FROM PAKISTAN TO MAURITIUS						MAJOR ITEMS OF IMPORTS IN PAKISTAN FROM MAURITIUS					
Millions US\$											
Specific Commodity Description	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	Specific Commodity Description	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Cereals	10.0	11.3	7.8	4.6	7.0	Soap, organic surface-active agents, washing preparations, lubricating preparations, artificial ...	0.002	0.03	0.25	0.67	0.69
Cotton	7.5	6.6	10.1	6.4	2.4	Iron and steel	0.35	0.12	0.45	0.26	0.39
Man-made staple fibres	1.4	1.2	2.4	1.1	1.0	Pulp of wood or of other fibrous cellulosic material; recovered (waste and scrap) paper or ...	0.25	0.19	0.19	0.08	0.05
Preparations of cereals, flour, starch or milk; pastrycooks' products	1.5	1.2	1.5	1.2	0.9	Machinery, mechanical appliances, boilers; parts thereof	0.00	0.12	0.03	0.00	0.04
Other made-up textile articles; sets; worn clothing and worn textile articles; rags	1.0	1.1	1.5	1.0	0.9	Vehicles other than railway or tramway rolling stock, and parts and accessories thereof	0.00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.004
% of Total Exports	73	74	74	73	68	% of Total Imports	91	87	73	90	99