In brief
Island of Mauritius, Year 2008

Population Data

*Estimated mid-year population*: 1,230,995
*Population density (inhabitants per square km)*: 660
*Sex ratio (males per 1,000 females)*: 975.9
*Population growth rate (%)*: 0.56
*% of mid-year population aged under 15 years*: 22.5
*% of mid-year population aged 60 years & over*: 10.4
*% of female population aged 15-49 years over total population*: 27.6

Fertility

*Crude birth rate (per 1,000 mid-year population)*: 12.7
*Total fertility rate*: 1.56
*Gross reproduction rate*: 0.77
*Net reproduction rate*: 0.75

Mortality

*Crude death rate (per 1,000 mid-year population)*: 7.1
*Infant Mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)*: 14.3
*Maternal mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)*: 0.38
*Life expectancy at birth (years) 2006-2008:*
  - *Female*: 76.10
  - *Male*: 69.14

Family Planning (Government services and NGOs)

*Number of new acceptors*: 6,718
*New acceptors as a % of female population aged 15-49 years*: 2.0
*Number of current users*: 88,225
*Current users as a % of female population aged 15-49 years*: 25.9