## Mauritius

Country Official Name: Mauritius

Capital: Port Louis



## Geodata

Area: 1860 km<sup>2</sup>

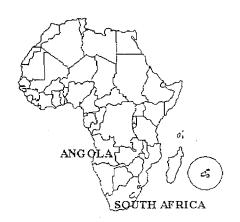
Population: 1 092 130 (92), growth 0.8%

Natural Resources: arable land, fish

Major Religions: 52% Hindu, 26% Christian, 17% Muslim

Major Language(s): English (official),

Creole, French, Hindi, Urdu



## **Political Data**

Type of Government: Republic

Leaders:

President

Cassam Uteem

Prime Minister

Sir Anerood Jugnauth

Foreign Minister

Ahand Suvalay Kasenally

Democratic Institutions:

Unicameral legislature, multiparty

UN Human Development Index:

56/173 (medium)

**Economic Data** 

GDP (per capita):

US \$ 2300, growth 6.1% (FY 91) est.

Main Exports:

textiles, sugar, light manufactures

Main Imports:

manufactured goods, capital equipment, foodstuffs, petroleum

products, chemicals

Export to Canada:

C \$ 13.7 million (92)

Import from Canada:

C \$ 1.7 million (92)

External Debt:

US \$ 991 million (91)

Main Donors:

France, Japan, Australia

Canadian ODA:

C \$ 1.80 million (FY 91-92) est.