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Introduction

This is the 21st edition of the annual Statistical Yearbook. This edition covers the 2010 to 2012 calendar years and includes data pertaining to the 2010/11, 2011/12, and where possible, 2012/13 fiscal years. The format is similar to the last edition. Each section starts with a short commentary; charts are as near as possible to associated tables, and are numbered consistently with the table from which the data is drawn.

Another Statistical publication is the St Helena in Figures. This is a synopsis of the main statistical characteristics relating to St Helena on a handy pocket size card. Copies of these publications can be obtained from the address below.

Symbols and conventions used:

Symbols

| | |
|------|---|
| 0 | nil or less than half the given unit |
| .. | not available |
| n.a. | not applicable |
| p | provisional |
| r | indicates that the data has been revised since the last |
| NB | nota bene, or, note well |

Rounding of figures

In tables where figures have been rounded to the nearest final digit, there may be an apparent slight discrepancy between the sums of the constituent items and the totals as shown.

Revisions

The data shown in the tables are the most accurate known at the time of the publication but are subject to revisions in subsequent statistical publications. Where it is known that the data are likely to be altered the figures have been marked as provisional. The figures are shown as revised if they have been revised since the last edition.

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Commentary

Aid from the UK

The St Helena economy is essentially aid dependent. Most aid is received from the UK Department for International Development (DfID) under the following categories:

- Budgetary aid: supports the recurrent budget of the St Helena Government;
- Shipping subsidy: covers the loss on the sole shipping service serving St Helena;
- Development aid: finances development projects on grant terms; and
- Technical co-operation: finances expatriate contract officers, consultants and overseas training for St Helenians.

Annual expenditure totals recorded by DfID may not always correspond with those produced on St Helena due to differences in timing of payments.

Land use

The distribution of land use has been traditionally listed in section 1 of the Statistical Yearbook. In 2012/13 the table on 'Land Use' was omitted as the last data recorded originated from the 1989 aerial survey. However, historical data can still be found in previous Statistical Yearbooks or online at the following link:

<http://www.sainthelena.gov.sh/statistics/>

National income

Table 1.3 gives details on 'National Income'. Figures on the Gross National Product (GNP) are only of limited meaning, because St Helena is very aid dependent, and the majority of net factor income is in the form of remittances from offshore contract workers.

1 General

1.1 Basic facts on St Helena & dependencies

St Helena & dependencies

| | St Helena | Ascension | Tristan da Cunha |
|-------------------|---|------------|---------------------|
| Land Area | 121 sq kms | 88 sq kms | 98 sq kms |
| Capital | Jamestown | Georgetown | Edinburgh |
| Highest point | 820 m | 875 m | 2,060m |
| Population (2008) | 4,257 | 702 | 264 |
| Currency | St Helena pound at par with UK sterling | | |

St Helena only

| | |
|--|--------|
| Gross Domestic Product GDP (2009/10) (M) | £15.55 |
| Gross National Product GNP (2009/10) (M) | £19.04 |
| GNP per capita (2009/10) | £4,761 |
| Imports (2011/12) (m) | £13.02 |
| Exports (2011/12) (m) | £0.85 |
| Number of doctors (2012) | 4 |
| Hospital beds (2012) | 30 |
| Number of licensed vehicles (est.) March 2011 ¹ | 2,542 |
| Total enumerated population (2008 Census) | 4,257 |
| St Helenian Resident population (2008) | 3,981 |
| of which: | |
| Males | 2,022 |
| Females | 1,959 |
| Percentage aged 0 - 14 | 15.1 |
| 15 - 64 | 67.2 |
| 65+ | 17.7 |
| Not stated | 0.0 |
| Number of occupied private dwellings (2008 Census) | 1,585 |
| Number of households (2008 Census) | 1,598 |
| Persons per household (2008 Census) | 2.5 |
| Birth rate per 1000 population (2012) * | 7.8 |
| Death rate per 1000 mid year estimated population (2012) * | 11.3 |
| Infant mortality rate per 1000 live births (2012) * | 5.8 |

NB: M = million

* 5 year moving averages

¹Data for 2011 and 2012 is not yet available due to data constraints with the new Vehicles database set up in June 2011 within the Customer Services Centre.

1.2 UK aid to St Helena:

by financial year

| 1995/96 - 2011/12 | £ thousand | | | | |
|-------------------|------------------|---------------------|---------------------|--|--------|
| | Budgetary Aid | Shipping Subsidy | Development Aid | Technical Co-operation ¹ | Total |
| 1995/96 | 4,726 | 1,245 | 694 | 1,798 | 8,463 |
| 1996/97 | 3,562 | 1,630 | 419 | 1,710 | 7,321 |
| 1997/98 | 3,209 | 1,401 | 703 | 2,022 | 7,335 |
| 1998/99 | 3,244 | 1,602 | 1,545 | 2,356 | 8,747 |
| 1999/00 | 2,388 | 3,070 | 1,082 | 2,347 | 8,887 |
| 2000/01 | 4,301 | 1,931 | 1,621 | 2,171 | 10,024 |
| 2001/02 | 4,000 | 2,030 | 1,674 | 2,639 | 10,343 |
| 2002/03 | 4,540 | 1,302 | 1,230 | 2,414 | 9,486 |
| 2003/04 | 5,124 | 2,366 | 904 | 2,609 | 11,003 |
| 2004/05 | 5,664 | 2,455 | 993 | 3,049 | 12,161 |
| 2005/06 | 7,141 | 3,056 | 1,845 | 416 ² | 12,458 |
| 2006/07 | 6,407 | 2,560 | 1,787 | 392 | 11,146 |
| 2007/08 | 7,535 | 2,582 | 5,207 ³ | 422 | 15,746 |
| 2008/09 | 8,709 | 3,080 | 8,470 ³ | 424 | 20,684 |
| 2009/10 | 7,650 | 3,390 | 7,523 ³ | 2,050 | 20,613 |
| 2010/11 | 12,303 | 3,897 | 15,162 ⁴ | 2,268 | 33,630 |
| 2011/12 | 12,100 | 4,750 | 6,833 | 2,643 | 26,326 |

Source: Finance Directorate

NB: These figures are not directly comparable with those shown in the SHG Estimates.

SHG's financial year was not the same as the UK financial year from 1982 - 1985/86

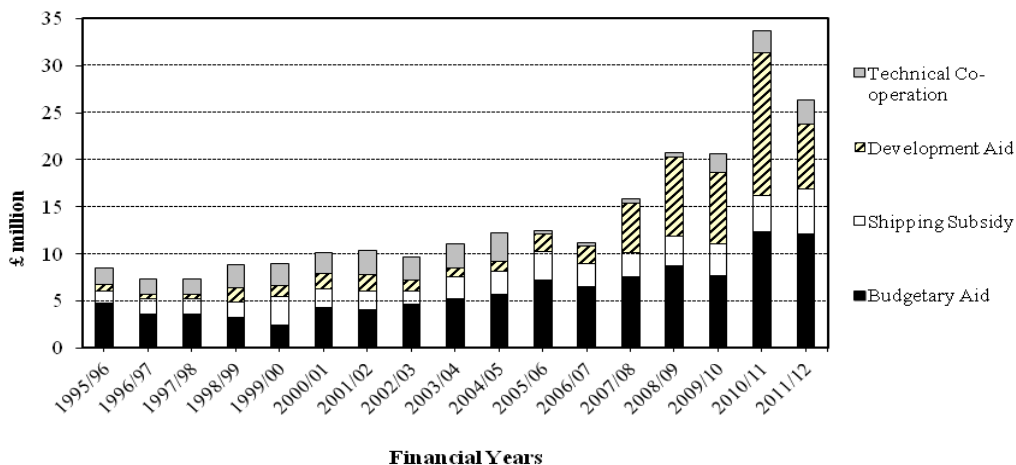
¹ A small percentage of the TC budget is spent on providing technical assistance to Tristan Da Cunha.

² Some elements of Technical Co-operation are now subsumed within Directorates budgets.

³ These totals include EDF9 funding received from the European Union

⁴ The Development Aid figure for 2010/11 is significantly higher due to there being increased expenditure on the RMS & Rockfall Protection Projects.

1.2 UK Aid to St Helena 1995/96- 2011/12
(cash prices)



Source: Finance Directorate

1.3 National Income

by category of expenditure at current¹ and 2002/03 prices

2005/06 - 2009/10

£ thousand

| | 2005/06 | 2006/07 | 2007/08 | 2008/09 | 2009/10 |
|--|---------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|
| Private Expenditure | | | | | |
| Consumption goods | 11,438 | 11,719 | 11,648 | 11,967 | 13,304 |
| Investment goods ^P | 238 | 612 | 550 | 564 | 945 |
| Government Expenditure | | | | | |
| Investment goods | 597 | 1,020 | 3,262 | 4,982 | 4,315 |
| Consumer goods | 12,699 | 13,464 | 14,221 | 15,712 | 15,452 |
| Shipping | 2,434 | 2,810 | 2,731 | 3,080 | 3,390 |
| Technical Co-operation | 4,271 | 2,774 | 3,643 | 1,396 | 4,027 |
| (minus transfers) | 2,853 | 2,783 | 3,099 | 4,511 | 6,026 |
| (minus Govt Revenue for public services) | 597 | 545 | 742 | 797 | 936 |
| Total Domestic Expenditure | 28,227 | 29,071 | 32,216 | 32,392 | 34,471 |
| Exports | | | | | |
| Goods (visible) | 280 | 262 | 213 | 263 | 641 ^r |
| Tourism ^P | 426 | 660 | 414 | 320 | 707 |
| Fishing Licences | 14 | 41 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Ascension licence | 6 | 8 | 3 | 9 | 7 |
| Overseas Stamp Sales | 61 | 31 | 37 | 89 | 47 |
| TC Expenditure on St Helena | 86 | 31 | 34 | 26 | 106 |
| Total Exports Goods and Services | 874 | 1,033 | 701 | 707 | 1,509 ^r |
| Changes in stock and wip | 32 | 144 | 706 | 125 | 213 |
| Total Expenditure | 29,068 | 29,960 | 33,623 | 33,225 | 36,192 ^r |
| Imports | | | | | |
| Goods (visible) | 7,842 | 8,272 | 7,756 | 8,767 | 10,267 |
| Shipping Services | 4,333 | 5,001 | 4,940 | 5,672 | 6,028 |
| Overseas Training | - | - | - | - | - |
| Technical Cooperation | 4,271 | 2,774 | 3,643 | 1,396 | 4,027 |
| Total Imports Goods and Services | 16,446 | 16,046 | 16,339 | 15,835 | 20,322 |
| Gross Domestic Product ⁴ | 12,622 | 13,914 | 17,281 | 17,389 | 15,870 ^r |
| Net Factor Income to St Helena | | | | | |
| Remittances | 2,603 | 5,028 | 2,540 | 3,853 | 3,385 |
| Interest on SHG Portfolio Investment ⁵ | 374 | 404 | 501 | 228 | 106 |
| Total Net Factor Income | 2,977 | 5,431 | 3,042 | 4,081 | 3,491 |
| Gross National Product | 15,599 | 19,345 | 20,323 | 21,470 | 19,362 ^r |
| Deflator | 112 | 116 | 123 | 130 | 132 |
| GNP (Constant 2002/03 Prices) | 13,880 | 16,669 | 16,567 | 16,540 | 14,617 ^r |
| Estimated Resident Population | 4,072 ² | 4,030 ² | 4,134 ² | 4,077 ³ | 4,000 ² |
| GNP per Capita (Cash Prices) ² | 3,831 | 4,800 | 4,916 | 5,266 | 4,840 ^r |
| GNP per Capita (Constant 2002/03 Prices) ³ | 3,409 | 4,136 | 4,007 | 4,057 | 3,594 |
| GDP per Capita (Cash Prices) ² | 3,100 | 3,453 | 4,180 | 4,265 | 3,968 ^r |

Source: Statistics Section, CPPU

NB: WIP refers to work in progress.

¹ Current prices are equivalent to cash prices

² Calculated by estimated resident population.

³ Estimated Resident Population figure for 2008/09 is 'actual' figure taken from 2008 Census.

⁴ Increase in GDP largely reflects increased aid within local budget

⁵ Decrease in interest on SHG portfolio investments 2005/06 reflects transfer of Savings Bank to Bank of St Helena.

^r Figure were revised, resulting in alterations to other lines.

^P Provisional data

2 Population and vital statistics

Commentary

Population

Table 2.1.1 shows the enumerated population for St Helena, Ascension and Tristan da Cunha at every Census since discovery. The enumerated population is derived from a “head count” – i.e. a count of all persons present on the Island.

For St Helena the estimated population (table 2.1.2) has also been calculated on a quarterly basis from the 2008 population Census to present. The estimated population is calculated by “rolling forward” the Census population for births, deaths and balance of inwards and outwards migration.

The Island of St Helena was uninhabited when discovered by the Portuguese in 1502. In 1657 the English East India Company was granted a charter to govern the Island and began to fortify and colonise the Island. The first population Census, taken in 1683, counted approximately 500 residents. The population had grown to around 7,000 by 1850, following fortification of the Island. At the turn of the twentieth century approximately 5,000 Boer prisoners of war were held on St Helena which increased the population to almost 10,000. The population level has since fallen considerably. Recent population figures have been strongly influenced by an increasing number of Saints seeking employment overseas and an associated declining birth rate. The restoration of British Citizenship was restored to St Helena in 2002 further increased the impact of labour migration on the population. By 2008 the population had declined to 4,257 and since then has shown relatively small growth with the estimated population at quarter 4 2012 being 4,280.

There is no indigenous or permanent population on Ascension. The people living there are military and contract workers, the majority coming from St Helena, the UK and the US. The figures included in table 2.1.1 are for St Helenians living on Ascension.

The remote territory of Tristan da Cunha is home to a permanent population of a little over 250. Although governance is shared with St Helena, the Tristanian population is very much independent.

Table 2.2 shows the resident population (“de jure” or enumerated population less visitors) of St Helena at the 2008 Census. The age and gender structure shown in chart 2.2 compares 1998 with 2008 Census data. This indicates a high dependency ratio with the majority of the population being economically inactive (i.e. children and the elderly) and a relatively small proportion being economically active. From 1998 to 2008 we see an aging population and a stark reduction in numbers of young adults (aged 20-40) and an associated reduction in number of births. In this edition an estimated resident population of St. Helena by age and gender for 2012 was included.

2 Population and vital statistics

Birth and death rates

Table 2.3 shows the number of births on St Helena and crude birth rates (number of births per 1,000 population). Table 2.4 shows numbers of deaths and crude mortality rates (deaths per 1,000 population). The total number of births and deaths per year is small, birth and death rates are estimated using 5-year moving averages. These rates are not adjusted for changes in the age structure of the population.

Historically, births rates (although declining) have exceeded deaths rates. However, since 2003, the opposite effect has death rates on St Helena exceeding the birth rates, reflecting the aging population and the steady decline in numbers of births. At present there are approximately 8 births per thousand population in contrast with approximately 11 deaths. There has been a marked decrease in the number of births since 2000.

Infant mortality

Infant mortality is a measure of the number of infants who die before reaching their first birthday. Table 2.4 uses a 5 year moving average to measure infant mortality on St. Helena and indicates a decline from 50 per thousand live births in 1950 to 0.0 per thousand live births in 2010 and 2011. In 2012 the infant mortality rate rose to 5.8; however this is still a significant decrease from those years previous to 2000. Low rates such as this usually indicates a general rise in health care standards and living conditions.

For comparative purposes rates for the UK and the World were also included in tables 2.3 and 2.4. Please note these rates are annual averages and not 5 year moving averages.

2.1.1 Enumerated population¹ of St Helena, Ascension & Tristan Da Cunha

1501-2008

numbers

| | St Helena | | | Ascension ² | | | Tristan da Cunha |
|------|-----------|---------|-----------|------------------------|---------|-----------|------------------|
| | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Total |
| 1501 | | | | | | Discovery | |
| 1502 | | | Discovery | .. | .. | .. | |
| 1506 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | Discovery |
| 1683 | .. | .. | 500 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| 1723 | .. | .. | 1,110 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| 1810 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| 1814 | .. | .. | 3,507 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| 1851 | .. | .. | 6,914 | .. | .. | .. | 85 |
| 1880 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 102 |
| 1881 | .. | .. | 5,059 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| 1891 | .. | .. | 4,116 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| 1901 | .. | .. | 9,850 | .. | .. | .. | 73 |
| 1911 | .. | .. | 3,520 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| 1921 | .. | .. | 3,747 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| 1925 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 135 |
| 1931 | 1,904 | 2,091 | 3,995 | 114 | 12 | 126 | 150 |
| 1946 | 2,181 | 2,567 | 4,748 | 205 | 23 | 228 | 230 |
| 1956 | 2,224 | 2,418 | 4,642 | 308 | 28 | 336 | 248 |
| 1966 | 2,233 | 2,416 | 4,649 | 428 | 48 | 476 | 267 |
| 1976 | 2,514 | 2,633 | 5,147 | 539 | 180 | 719 | 292 |
| 1987 | 2,769 | 2,875 | 5,644 | 508 | 214 | 722 | 296 |
| 1998 | 2,612 | 2,545 | 5,157 | 458 | 254 | 712 | .. |
| 2008 | 2,165 | 2,092 | 4,257 | 401 | 309 | 710 | 264 |

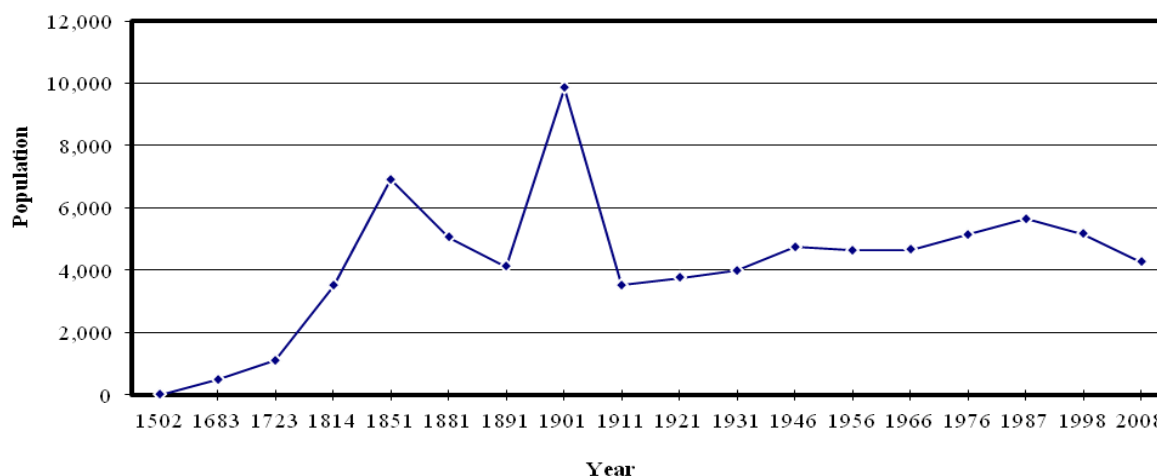
Sources: *St Helena and Ascension 2008 Population Census Report;*
Tristan da Cunha.

¹ Enumerated population includes visitors.

² For Ascension, only St Helenians are enumerated.

.. Data not available

2.1.1 Enumerated population of St. Helena 1502-2008



Sources: *St Helena and Ascension 2008 Population Census Report; Tristan da Cunha.*

2 Population and vital statistics

2.1.2 Estimated total population¹ of St Helena

2008 - 2012

numbers

| | |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------|
| 2008 Census Baseline ² | 4,077 |
| Estimated Population | |
| 2008 Qtr 2 | 3,940 ³ |
| Qtr 3 ⁴ | 3,870 |
| Qtr 4 | 4,020 |
| 2009 Qtr 1 | 4,050 |
| Qtr 2 | 3,920 |
| Qtr 3 | 3,900 |
| Qtr 4 | 4,110 |
| 2010 Qtr 1 | 4,080 |
| Qtr 2 | 4,060 |
| Qtr 3 | 3,990 |
| Qtr 4 | 4,220 |
| 2011 Qtr 1 | 4,110 |
| Qtr 2 ⁵ | 4,040 |
| Qtr 3 | 3,980 |
| Qtr 4 | 4,090 |
| 2012 Qtr 1 | 4,180 |
| Qtr 2 | 4,080 |
| Qtr 3 | 4,060 |
| Qtr 4 | 4,280 |

Source: Statistics Office, CPPU

NB: These figures are an average over the quarter, rounded to the nearest 10.

¹ Estimated total population includes visitors, excluding the crew of the RMS.

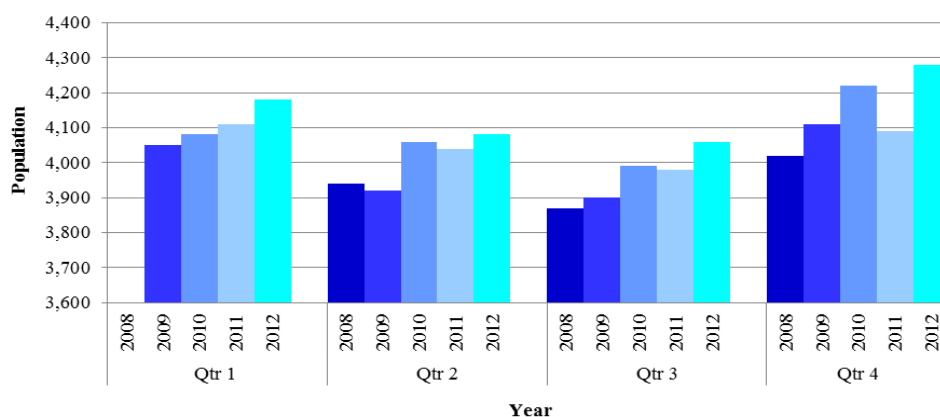
² The baseline was set at the 2008 Census which was held in February.

³ This is an average figure of the Harbour Master / Solomons Shipping / HM Customs

⁴ Figures were sourced from the RMS, however they were only available from Qtr2 2008 onwards.

⁵ From April 2011 population figures were sourced from the Immigration Database only.

2.1.2 Estimated Population of St Helena - 2008-2012



Source: Statistics Office, CPPU

2 Population and vital statistics

2.2

Census and Estimated resident population¹ of St Helena by age and gender

| | | | | | | | | | number |
|-------------------|-------|--------|-------|--------|-------------------|--------|-------|-------|-------------------|
| Census Year | 1998 | | 2008 | | 2012 ² | | 1998 | 2008 | 2012 ² |
| Age last birthday | Male | Female | Male | Female | Male | Female | Total | Total | Total |
| 0-4 | 174 | 140 | 84 | 82 | 87 | 85 | 314 | 166 | 172 |
| 5-9 | 204 | 169 | 109 | 89 | 113 | 92 | 373 | 198 | 205 |
| 10-14 | 200 | 170 | 124 | 112 | 128 | 116 | 370 | 236 | 244 |
| 15-19 | 217 | 236 | 149 | 136 | 154 | 141 | 453 | 285 | 295 |
| 20-24 | 155 | 146 | 79 | 76 | 82 | 79 | 301 | 155 | 161 |
| 25-29 | 185 | 188 | 73 | 89 | 76 | 92 | 373 | 162 | 168 |
| 30-34 | 152 | 183 | 83 | 102 | 86 | 106 | 335 | 185 | 192 |
| 35-39 | 183 | 213 | 131 | 150 | 136 | 155 | 396 | 281 | 291 |
| 40-44 | 183 | 156 | 168 | 154 | 174 | 159 | 339 | 322 | 333 |
| 45-49 | 177 | 170 | 169 | 173 | 175 | 179 | 347 | 342 | 354 |
| 50-54 | 204 | 152 | 157 | 131 | 162 | 136 | 356 | 288 | 298 |
| 55-59 | 127 | 113 | 172 | 154 | 178 | 159 | 240 | 326 | 337 |
| 60-64 | 127 | 75 | 197 | 134 | 204 | 139 | 202 | 331 | 343 |
| 65-69 | 88 | 105 | 130 | 112 | 135 | 116 | 193 | 242 | 251 |
| 70-74 | 51 | 93 | 105 | 78 | 109 | 81 | 144 | 183 | 190 |
| 75-79 | 41 | 70 | 54 | 74 | 56 | 77 | 111 | 128 | 133 |
| 80-84 | 25 | 44 | 26 | 57 | 27 | 59 | 69 | 83 | 86 |
| 85-89 | 7 | 19 | 9 | 36 | 9 | 37 | 26 | 45 | 46 |
| 90-94 | 7 | 11 | 2 | 16 | 2 | 17 | 18 | 18 | 19 |
| 95 and over | 0 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 4 | 4 |
| Not stated | 4 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 10 | 1 | 1 |
| Total | 2,511 | 2,460 | 2,022 | 1,959 | 2,094 | 2,029 | 4,971 | 3,981 | 4,123 |
| Summary: | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-14 | 578 | 479 | 317 | 283 | 328 | 293 | 1057 | 600 | 621 |
| 15-64 | 1,710 | 1,632 | 1,378 | 1,299 | 1,427 | 1,345 | 3342 | 2,677 | 2,772 |
| 65 and over | 219 | 343 | 326 | 377 | 338 | 391 | 562 | 703 | 729 |
| Not stated | 4 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 10 | 1 | 1 |

Source: 1998 & 2008 Population Census Report

¹ Resident population is the enumerated population excluding visitors.

² Estimated resident population by age calculated from age-sex distribution of 2008 Census Population and Estimated Resident Population at end of 2012.

2.2 St Helenian resident population of St Helena by age and gender: 1998 & 2008

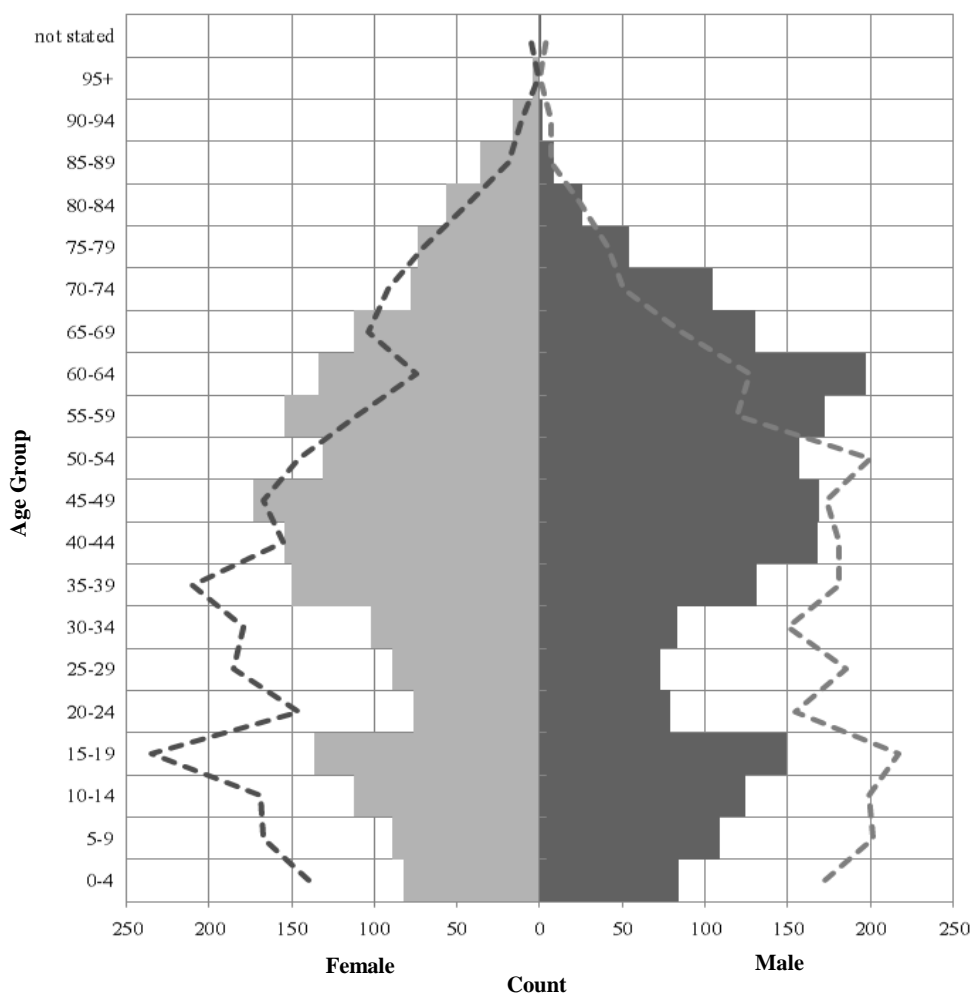


Chart 2.2 shows the resident population of St Helena at the 1998 (dashed line) and 2008 (bars) Censuses. In 1998 the resident population stood at 4,913 (2,481 males and 2,432 females) however by 2008 resident population had declined to 3,981 (2,022 males and 1,959 females).

Source: Statistics Office, CPPU, and Register of births and deaths & Customer Services Centre.

2.3 Birth rate 2003 - 2012

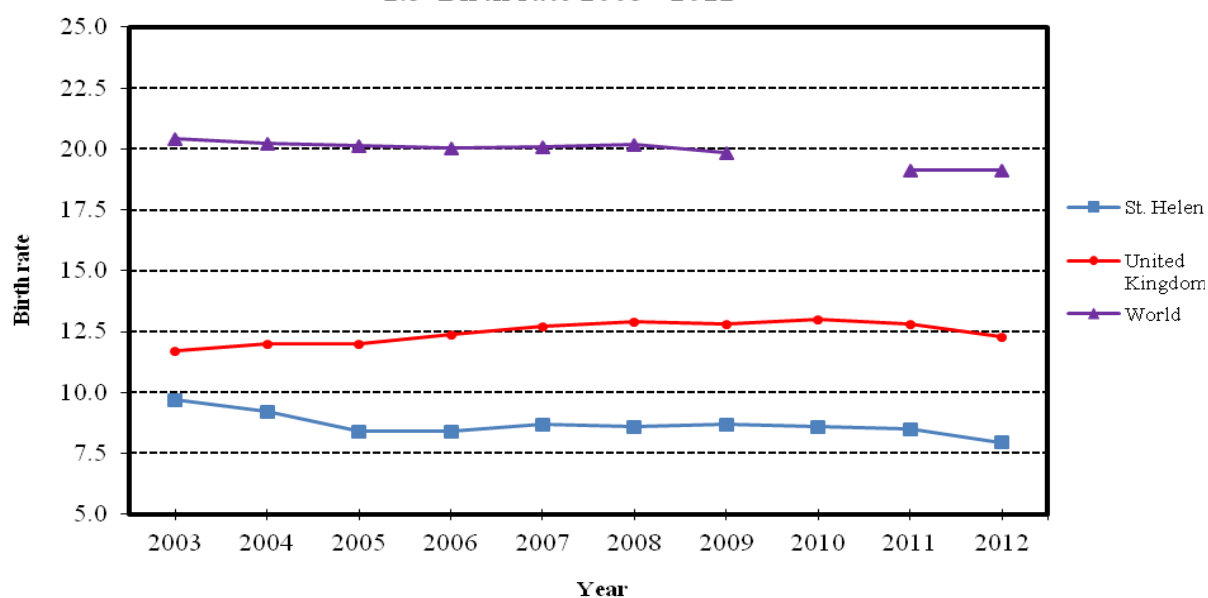


Chart 2.3 shows the St Helena infant mortality rate per 1,000 live births in a 5 year moving average. Birth rates for the United Kingdom and the World are crude birth rates.

Source: Registrar of births and deaths & Customer Services Centre, Office for National Statistics, Central Intelligence Agency (CIA)

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2.3 Number of births and birth rate

1990 - 2012

numbers and rates

| Births | | | | Birth rate | | |
|--------|-------|---------|-------|-------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------|
| Year | Males | Females | Total | St. Helena ¹ | United Kingdom ² | World ² |
| 1990 | 31 | 34 | 65 | 14.3 | 13.9 | 27.0 |
| 1991 | 32 | 40 | 72 | 13.4 | 13.8 | 26.0 |
| 1992 | 51 | 27 | 78 | 14.3 | 13.6 | 26.0 |
| 1993 | 40 | 29 | 69 | 14.1 | 13.2 | 25.0 |
| 1994 | 30 | 28 | 58 | 13.1 | 13.0 | 25.0 |
| 1995 | 43 | 29 | 72 | 13.6 | 12.6 | 24.0 |
| 1996 | 29 | 30 | 59 | 13.1 | 12.6 | 23.0 |
| 1997 | 32 | 32 | 64 | 12.7 | 12.6 | 23.0 |
| 1998 | 22 | 27 | 49 | 12.1 | 12.3 | 22.0 |
| 1999 | 26 | 26 | 52 | 11.9 | 11.9 | 22.0 |
| 2000 | 32 | 24 | 56 | 11.5 | 11.5 | 22.0 |
| 2001 | 20 | 16 | 36 | 10.8 | 11.3 | 21.4 |
| 2002 | 21 | 18 | 39 | 9.9 | 11.3 | 21.2 |
| 2003 | 21 | 16 | 37 | 9.7 | 11.7 | 20.4 |
| 2004 | 11 | 23 | 34 | 9.2 | 12.0 | 20.2 |
| 2005 | 20 | 14 | 34 | 8.4 | 12.0 | 20.2 |
| 2006 | 18 | 17 | 35 | 8.4 | 12.4 | 20.1 |
| 2007 | 25 | 17 | 42 | 8.7 | 12.7 | 20.1 |
| 2008 | 19 | 17 | 36 | 8.6 | 12.9 | 20.2 |
| 2009 | 17 | 18 | 35 | 8.6 ^r | 12.8 | 19.9 |
| 2010 | 18 | 16 | 34 | 8.5 | 13.0 | .. |
| 2011 | 15 | 19 | 34 | 8.4 | 12.8 | 19.2 |
| 2012 | 15 | 17 | 32 | 7.8 | 12.3 | 19.1 |
| 2010 | Qtr 1 | 4 | 2 | 6 | .. | .. |
| | Qtr 2 | 7 | 3 | 10 | .. | .. |
| | Qtr 3 | 4 | 7 | 11 | .. | .. |
| | Qtr 4 | 3 | 4 | 7 | .. | .. |
| 2011 | Qtr 1 | 5 | 5 | 10 | .. | .. |
| | Qtr 2 | 1 | 2 | 3 | .. | .. |
| | Qtr 3 | 6 | 8 | 14 | .. | .. |
| | Qtr 4 | 3 | 4 | 7 | .. | .. |
| 2012 | Qtr 1 | 5 | 4 | 9 | .. | .. |
| | Qtr 2 | 2 | 1 | 3 | .. | .. |
| | Qtr 3 | 3 | 6 | 9 | .. | .. |
| | Qtr 4 | 5 | 6 | 11 | .. | .. |

Source: Registrar of births and deaths & Customer Services Centre, Office for National Statistics, Central Intelligence Agency (CIA)

¹ Rate per 1,000 population, 5 year moving average.

² The average annual number of births during a year per 1,000 persons in the population at midyear. (Also known as Crude Birth Rate)

^r Revised figures

.. Data not available

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2.4 Number of deaths, death rate and infant mortality

1990 - 2012

| Year | Deaths | | | Death Rate | | | Infant mortality ³ | Infant mortality rate | | |
|------|--------|---------|-------|-------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|
| | Males | Females | Total | St. Helena ¹ | United Kingdom ⁴ | | Number of infant deaths ² | United Kingdom ⁵ | | |
| | | | | | St. Helena ¹ | World ⁴ | | St. Helena ³ | Kingdom ⁵ | World ⁵ |
| 1990 | 18 | 17 | 35 | 8.6 | 11.2 | 9.0 | 2 | 28.1 | 7.9 | 70.0 |
| 1991 | 21 | 21 | 42 | 8.3 | 11.2 | 9.0 | 0 | 22.1 | 7.4 | 66.0 |
| 1992 | 27 | 16 | 43 | 8.6 | 11.0 | 9.0 | 2 | 23.6 | 6.6 | 63.0 |
| 1993 | 31 | 27 | 58 | 8.8 | 11.4 | 9.0 | 0 | 21.4 | 6.4 | 66.0 |
| 1994 | 28 | 26 | 54 | 8.9 | 10.8 | 9.0 | 2 | 17.5 | 6.2 | 65.0 |
| 1995 | 21 | 9 | 30 | 8.8 | 11.1 | 9.0 | 2 | 17.2 | 6.2 | 64.0 |
| 1996 | 26 | 18 | 44 | 8.9 | 11.0 | 9.0 | 0 | 17.9 | 6.1 | 60.0 |
| 1997 | 13 | 17 | 30 | 8.5 | 10.8 | 9.0 | 0 | 12.4 | 5.9 | 59.0 |
| 1998 | 22 | 17 | 39 | 7.8 | 10.7 | 9.0 | 1 | 16.5 | 5.8 | 58.0 |
| 1999 | 24 | 21 | 45 | 7.6 | 10.7 | 9.0 | 0 | 10.1 | 5.8 | 56.0 |
| 2000 | 28 | 25 | 53 | 8.6 | 10.4 | 9.0 | 0 | 3.6 | 5.6 | 54.0 |
| 2001 | 21 | 20 | 41 | 8.7 | 10.2 | 8.9 | 0 | 3.9 | 5.5 | 52.6 |
| 2002 | 25 | 27 | 52 | 9.8 | 10.2 | 8.9 | 0 | 4.3 | 5.3 | 51.6 |
| 2003 | 23 | 21 | 44 | 10.3 | 10.3 | 8.8 | 1 | 4.5 | 5.3 | 51.4 |
| 2004 | 15 | 18 | 33 | 10.1 | 9.8 | 8.9 | 0 | 5.0 | 5.1 | 50.3 |
| 2005 | 21 | 18 | 39 | 9.7 | 9.7 | 8.8 | 1 | 5.6 | 5.1 | 50.1 |
| 2006 | 31 | 21 | 52 | 10.4 | 9.4 | 8.7 | 0 | 5.1 | 5.0 | 48.9 |
| 2007 | 31 | 28 | 59 | 10.9 | 9.4 | 8.4 | 0 | 5.0 | 4.8 | 43.5 |
| 2008 | 25 | 19 | 44 | 10.9 | 9.4 | 8.2 | 0 | 5.1 | 4.7 | 42.1 |
| 2009 | 20 | 21 | 41 | 11.2 | 9.0 | 8.4 | 0 | 5.0 | 4.6 | 44.1 |
| 2010 | 31 | 22 | 53 | 11.7 | 9.0 | .. | 0 | 0.0 | 4.3 | .. |
| 2011 | 22 | 27 | 49 | 11.5 | 8.7 | 8.1 | 0 | 0.0 | 4.3 | 41.6 |
| 2012 | 36 | 26 | 62 | 11.3 | 9.3 | 8.0 | 1 | 5.8 | 4.6 | 39.5 |
| 2010 | Qtr 1 | 7 | 8 | 15 | .. | .. | 0 | .. | .. | .. |
| | Qtr 2 | 10 | 2 | 12 | .. | .. | 0 | .. | .. | .. |
| | Qtr 3 | 8 | 8 | 16 | .. | .. | 0 | .. | .. | .. |
| | Qtr 4 | 6 | 4 | 10 | .. | .. | 0 | .. | .. | .. |
| 2011 | Qtr 1 | 1 | 7 | 8 | .. | .. | 0 | .. | .. | .. |
| | Qtr 2 | 10 | 2 | 12 | .. | .. | 0 | .. | .. | .. |
| | Qtr 3 | 5 | 9 | 14 | .. | .. | 0 | .. | .. | .. |
| | Qtr 4 | 6 | 9 | 15 | .. | .. | 0 | .. | .. | .. |
| 2012 | Qtr 1 | 7 | 9 | 16 | .. | .. | 0 | .. | .. | .. |
| | Qtr 2 | 6 | 6 | 12 | .. | .. | 0 | .. | .. | .. |
| | Qtr 3 | 12 | 7 | 19 | .. | .. | 0 | .. | .. | .. |
| | Qtr 4 | 11 | 4 | 15 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. |

Source: Registrar of births and deaths & Customer Services Centre, Office for National Statistics, Central Intelligence Agency (CIA)

¹ Rate per 1,000 mid year estimated population, 5 year moving average.

² Infant deaths are also included in total deaths.

³ Rate per 1,000 live births, 5 year moving average.

⁴ Average annual number of deaths during a year per 1,000 population at midyear. (Also known as Crude Death Rate)

⁵ Rate per 1,000 live births in the same year.

.. Data not available

2.4a Death rate 2003 - 2012

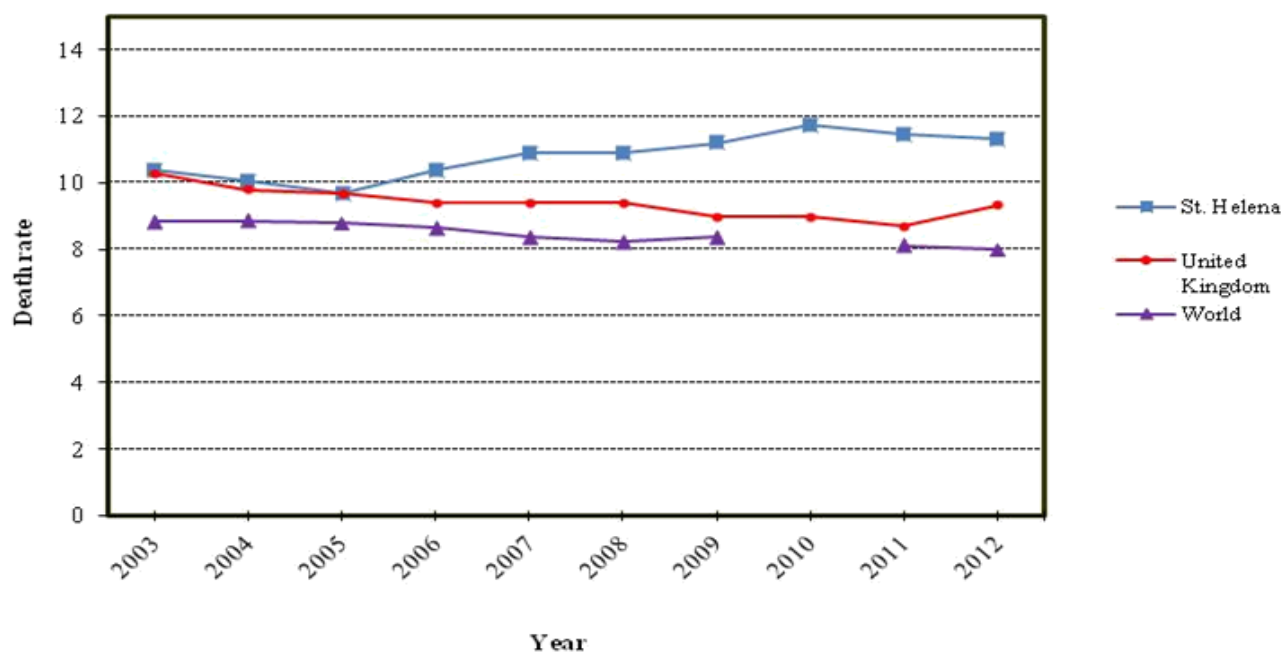
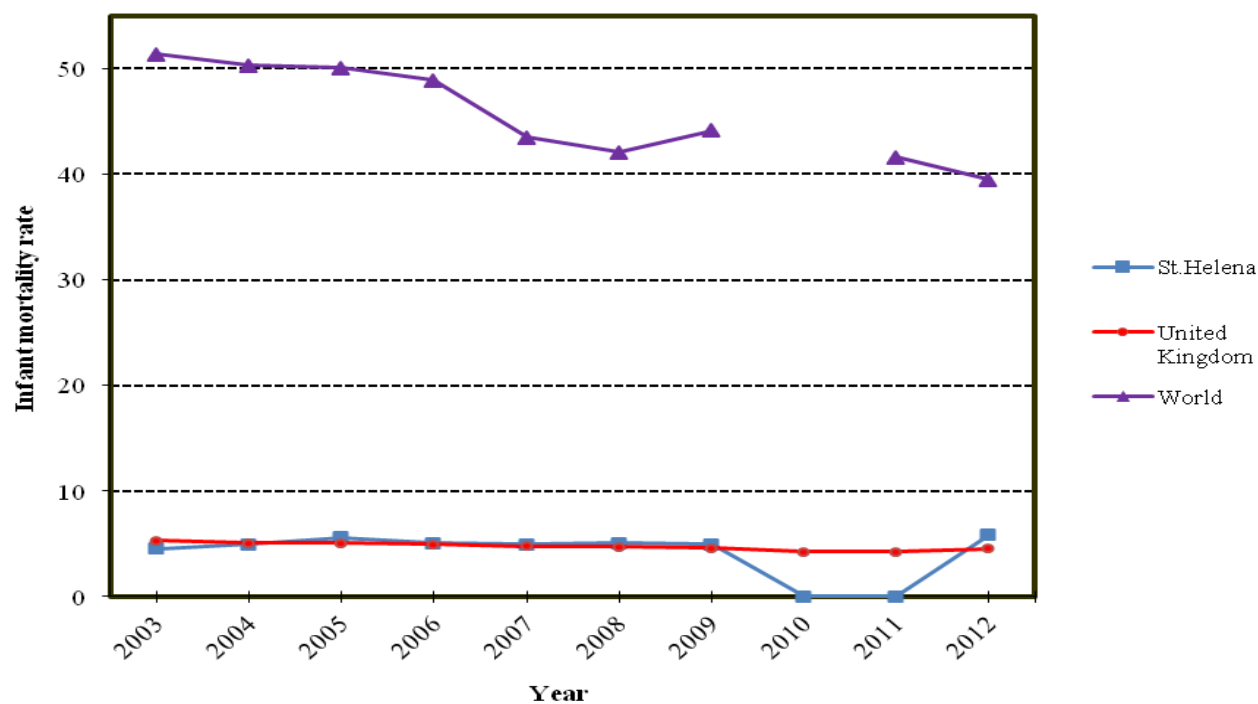


Chart 2.4a shows the St Helena death rate per 1,000 population in a 5 year moving average. Death rates for the United Kingdom and the World are crude death rates.

Source: Registrar of births and deaths & Customer Services Centre, Office for National Statistics, Central Intelligence Agency (CIA)

2.4b Infant mortality rate 2003 - 2012



St Helena infant mortality rate per 1,000 live births, 5 year moving average. St Helena infant mortality dropped to 0 in year 2010/2011.

Infant mortality rates for the United Kingdom and the World are crude infant mortality rates.

Source: Registrar of births and deaths & Customer Services Centre, Office for National Statistics,

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2.5 Number of deaths and crude death rates by gender and age group

2004 - 2012

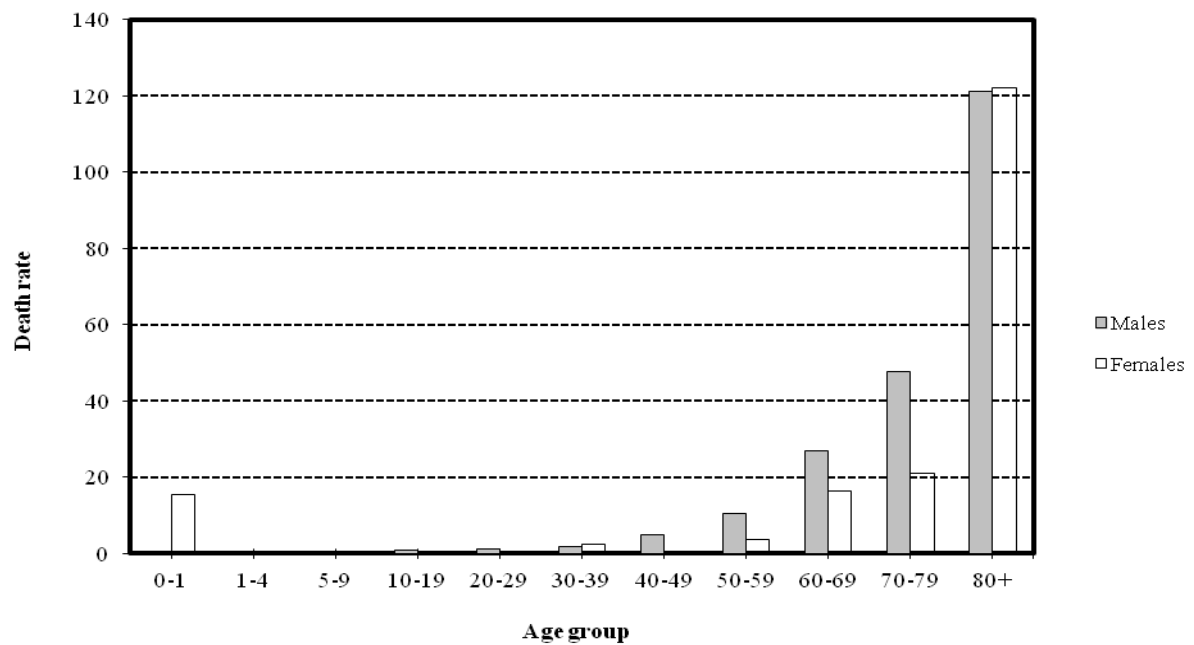
number

| Age last birthday | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | Death rate ¹ 2008 - 2012 |
|-------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|--|
| Males | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| 1-4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| 5-9 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| 10-19 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0.7 |
| 20-29 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1.3 |
| 30-39 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1.9 |
| 40-49 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 4.7 |
| 50-59 | 5 | 3 | 2 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 10.3 |
| 60-69 | 4 | 2 | 5 | 8 | 8 | 9 | 8 | 11 | 7 | 9 | 26.9 |
| 70-79 | 3 | 9 | 10 | 7 | 7 | 9 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 11 | 47.8 |
| 80 and over | 3 | 4 | 7 | 9 | 9 | 3 | 4 | 7 | 2 | 7 | 121.1 |
| Total | 16 | 21 | 31 | 31 | 31 | 25 | 20 | 31 | 22 | 36 | 13.3 |
| Females | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 15.4 |
| 1-4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| 5-9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| 10-19 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| 20-29 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| 30-39 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2.4 |
| 40-49 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0.6 |
| 50-59 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3.5 |
| 60-69 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 7 | 4 | 16.3 |
| 70-79 | 10 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 5 | 4 | 2 | 5 | 21.1 |
| 80 and over | 8 | 13 | 14 | 12 | 13 | 13 | 11 | 14 | 17 | 14 | 122.1 |
| Total | 18 | 18 | 21 | 28 | 28 | 19 | 21 | 22 | 27 | 26 | 11.7 |
| Total | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 6.7 |
| 1-4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| 5-9 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| 10-19 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0.4 |
| 20-29 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0.6 |
| 30-39 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 2.1 |
| 40-49 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 2.7 |
| 50-59 | 5 | 3 | 3 | 7 | 7 | 5 | 5 | 3 | 3 | 6 | 7.2 |
| 60-69 | 4 | 4 | 7 | 14 | 14 | 13 | 11 | 13 | 14 | 13 | 22.3 |
| 70-79 | 13 | 12 | 14 | 11 | 11 | 9 | 10 | 10 | 9 | 16 | 34.7 |
| 80 and over | 11 | 17 | 21 | 21 | 21 | 16 | 15 | 21 | 19 | 21 | 121.9 |
| Total | 34 | 39 | 52 | 59 | 59 | 44 | 41 | 53 | 49 | 62 | 12.5 |

Source: Statistics Office, CPPU

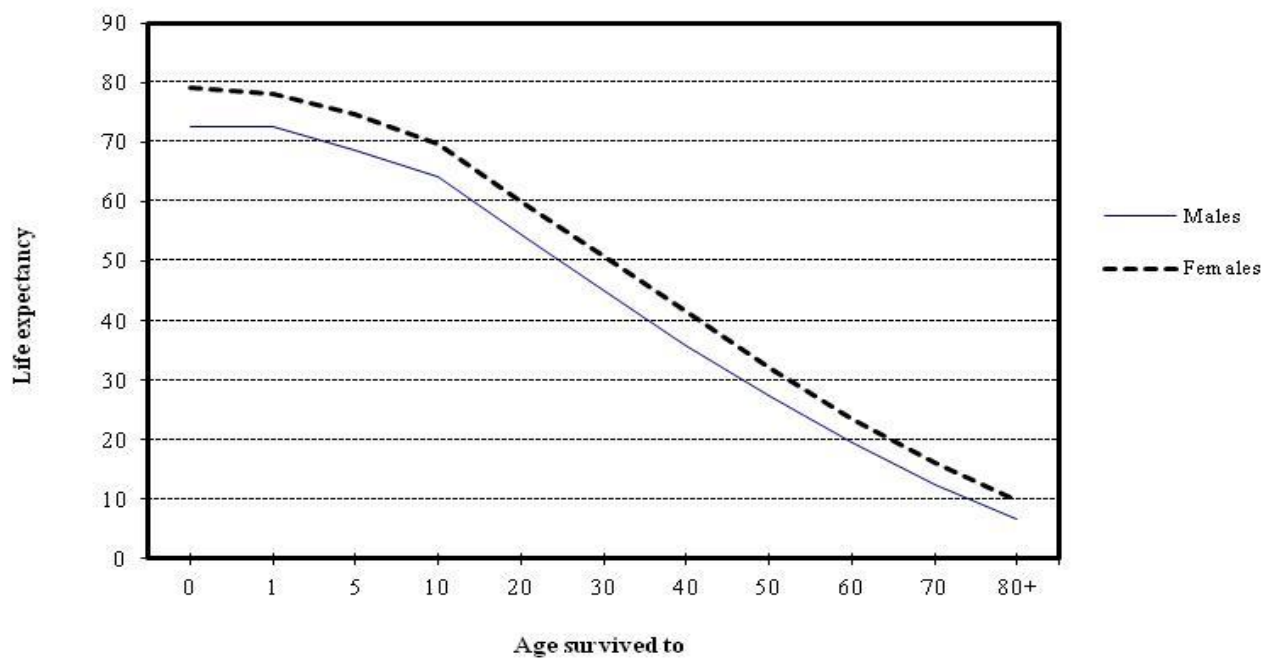
¹ Rate per 1,000 population 5 year moving average. Based on 2008 Census population.

2.5 Death rate per 1000 population by age and gender 2008 - 2012



Source: Statistics Office, CPPU

2.6 Expectation of life by age and gender 2000 - 2009



Source: Statistics Office, CPPU

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2.6 Life tables

2000 - 2009

| Age | l ¹ | | | e ² | | |
|-----|------------------|---------|--------|------------------|---------|-------|
| | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total |
| 0 | 10,000 | 10,000 | 10,000 | 72.5 | 79.2 | 76.4 |
| 1 | 9,834 | 10,000 | 9,934 | 72.7 | 78.2 | 75.9 |
| 5 | 9,834 | 9,936 | 9,905 | 68.7 | 74.7 | 72.1 |
| 10 | 9,770 | 9,936 | 9,880 | 64.2 | 69.7 | 67.3 |
| 20 | 9,726 | 9,891 | 9,842 | 54.4 | 60.0 | 57.5 |
| 30 | 9,646 | 9,743 | 9,749 | 44.9 | 50.9 | 48.0 |
| 40 | 9,399 | 9,615 | 9,583 | 35.9 | 41.5 | 38.8 |
| 50 | 8,963 | 9,485 | 9,299 | 27.4 | 32.0 | 29.8 |
| 60 | 8,209 | 8,967 | 8,684 | 19.5 | 23.5 | 21.6 |
| 70 | 6,850 | 7,904 | 7,406 | 12.3 | 16.0 | 14.4 |
| 80 | 4,350 | 5,945 | 5,112 | 6.6 | 9.7 | 8.7 |

Source: Statistics Office, CPPU

NB: The methodology for life expectancy is under review. Until this is finalised life expectancy will not be calculated outside of Census years.

¹ l is the number who would survive to the age shown, out of 10,000 born, if they were subject throughout their lives to the death rates experienced in the years 2000-2009.

² e is the expectation of life of a person at the given age providing they were subject to the death rates prevalent between 2000 -2009.

Commentary

Livestock and meat production

Table 3.1 shows the result of livestock censuses conducted by the Agriculture and Natural Resources Division since 1945. The last Census conducted was in December 2012; however this data was not available for inclusion at the time of publication. In general, the number of livestock on the Island has been steadily decreasing since the early 1990's. There have not been any horses on St Helena since 1991 therefore they have been omitted from the Livestock Census table, however, backdated information can be found on the St Helena Government Website.

[\(http://www.sainthelena.gov.sh/statistics/\)](http://www.sainthelena.gov.sh/statistics/)

Local meat production is shown in table 3.2. The historical figures should be treated with caution, since the estimates of production are based on a sample of animal dead weights. If the meat yield of carcasses has changed over time then meat production will have been over/ under estimated. From 1973 to date pigs have provided the greatest tonnage of meat produced on St Helena.

Fish

Table 3.3 outlines fish purchases and sales by weight and value. Data are shown by financial year from 1995/96 onwards. Prior to this data are only available by calendar year. Fish sales over the years have always fluctuated, however 2012/13 yielded the lowest weight and revenue for fish sales recorded in the last 10 years. In 2012/13 local fish sales were approximately 80 per cent of those in the previous year, exported sales were less than 15 per cent of those in the previous year.

Table 3.4 shows fish caught locally (less than 20 miles offshore) by species and weight. As seen in table 3.3, total catch each year varies however, in 2012 the total catch was only just over half of the annual average of the 10 previous years. The main species caught include Tuna and Skipjack, however in 2012 the total catch of Skipjack decreased by over 90% since the previous year.

Electricity

The total units of electricity generated on St Helena have increased steadily, from 7,002,000 KWh in 2000 to 9,577,000 KWh in 2012. Please note that the amount of electricity consumed is not the same as the amount generated, since some is lost in distribution ("line loss"). In 2012, due to some discrepancies in figures, units consumed could not be provided at time of yearbook publication.

Forestry

Table 3.6 shows the main activities of the Forestry Section of the Agriculture & Natural Resources Division. In 2012/13 this table was revised to reflect the different types of land clearance activities,

- **Cleaning** the removal of invasive and alien plant species either through manual (grubbing) or chemical application.

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- **Clear felling** an area of forest land is cleaned of all trees. This normally happens when a crop of trees have reached maturity and they are harvested for timber, firewood, posts etc.

- **Land Clearance** an operation that is carried out on land that is unproductive to enable it to be bought back into productivity. All un-required material is cleared and the land used for other uses.

‘Cleaning’ is the most common activity with 137.8 hectares cleared in 2012. Due to the Sawmill being outsourced in 2007, post and timber sales are no longer supplied by the Agriculture and Natural Resources Division (ANRD) and so are no longer included in the table. Historical data can still be found online and in previous Yearbooks. The firewood divestment contract was signed in July 2012; however firewood figures supplied in table 3.6 are ANRD only.

Housing

Data on the number of houses being built by calendar are shown in Table 3.7. The number of houses under construction peaked in the late 1990’s and has since decreased steadily with increases associated with negotiations surrounding the airport construction project. In 2012 and 2013 there has been a slight increase in the number of new building applications and a significant effort to finish outstanding projects evident in that 2012 yielded the highest number of houses started and completed since the beginning of 2000. Total plans approved also increased by 28% since 2011 and of those plans 29% were new houses. By the end of 2012, 132 houses were under construction.

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3.1 Livestock Census¹

| 1945-2012 | <i>numbers</i> | | | | | |
|-----------|----------------|-------|------|-------|---------|---------|
| | Cattle | Sheep | Pigs | Goats | Donkeys | Poultry |
| 1945 | 885 | 2,985 | 258 | 2,040 | 1,311 | 10,356 |
| 1949 | 1,035 | 2,652 | 256 | 2,372 | 1,235 | 7,768 |
| 1955 | 724 | 1,218 | 266 | 1,861 | 1,161 | 9,200 |
| 1960 | 653 | 1,050 | 164 | 1,656 | 942 | 8,909 |
| 1965 | 678 | 1,161 | 302 | 1,200 | 906 | 10,200 |
| 1970 | 782 | 1,260 | 370 | 1,210 | 686 | 10,200 |
| 1975 | 793 | 1,304 | 381 | 1,572 | 501 | 10,667 |
| 1978 | 1,034 | 1,389 | 831 | 2,145 | 476 | 13,134 |
| 1981 | 1,046 | 1,501 | 666 | 1,326 | 451 | 11,676 |
| 1985 | 1,066 | 1,391 | 504 | 1,434 | 382 | 11,510 |
| 1988 | 1,134 | 1,513 | 599 | 1,354 | 312 | 10,931 |
| 1991 | 989 | 1,364 | 657 | 1,197 | 306 | 8,513 |
| 1994 | 673 | 1,051 | 622 | 1,203 | 415 | 8,814 |
| 1997 | 692 | 798 | 295 | 1,061 | 182 | 7,399 |
| 2000 | 535 | 777 | 503 | 1,224 | 150 | 6,082 |
| 2003 | 996 | 767 | 751 | 1,190 | 134 | 6,489 |
| 2006 | 865 | 1,007 | 654 | 630 | 110 | 7,505 |
| 2009 | 598 | 651 | 386 | 773 | 46 | 4,421 |
| 2012 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |

Source: Directorate of Agriculture & Natural Resources

NB: From 1945 - 2009 Horses were included in the above table, however, as there have been no horses on St. Helena since 1991, this column was removed. Data can still be found in the 2009 Yearbook.

¹ Livestock censuses have been carried out every three years by the ANRD from 1975.

.. Not available due to data constraints, however, this table is intended to be updated by quarter 3 2013.

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3.2 Animals slaughtered and local meat production: by number and weight

1990 - 2012

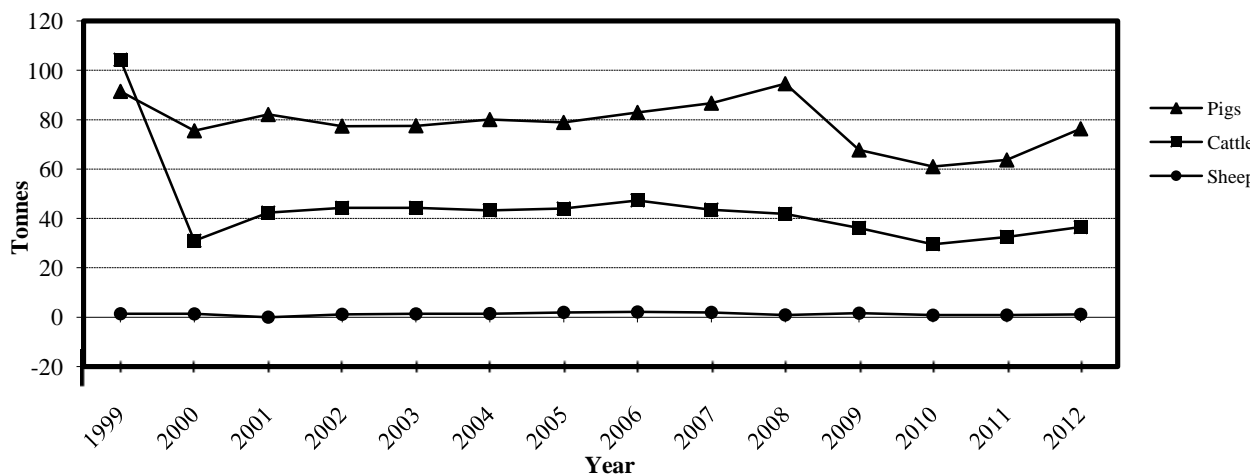
| Year | Animals slaughtered (number) | | | Meat production ¹ (tonnes) | | |
|------|------------------------------|------------------|------------------|---------------------------------------|-------|--------|
| | Pigs | Sheep | Cattle | Pigs | Sheep | Cattle |
| 1990 | 1,214 | 243 | 379 | 78.0 | 1.8 | 56.3 |
| 1991 | 1,020 | 378 | 398 | 57.4 | 3.0 | 59.0 |
| 1992 | 1,321 | 204 | 388 | 71.2 | 1.6 | 58.3 |
| 1993 | 1,576 | 92 | 361 | 92.9 | 0.7 | 56.1 |
| 1994 | 1,344 | 91 | 383 | 78.3 | 0.7 | 62.9 |
| 1995 | 1,082 | 86 | 301 | 65.8 | 0.7 | 47.3 |
| 1996 | 1,180 | 57 | 236 | 72.1 | 0.5 | 37.6 |
| 1997 | 1,502 | 187 | 249 | 92.7 | 1.5 | 42.2 |
| 1998 | 937 | 103 | 333 | 57.8 | 0.8 | 54.8 |
| 1999 | 946 | 174 | 390 | 91.5 | 1.4 | 61.1 |
| 2000 | 1,222 | 165 | 384 | 75.5 | 1.3 | 60.0 |
| 2001 | 1,468 | 159 | 322 | 82.1 | 0.0 | 31.0 |
| 2002 | 1,201 | 173 | 281 | 77.4 | 1.2 | 42.4 |
| 2003 | 1,203 | 197 | 294 | 77.6 | 1.3 | 44.3 |
| 2004 | 1,242 ^r | 215 ^r | 287 ^r | 104.4 | 1.4 | 60.3 |
| 2005 | 1,224 ^r | 182 ^r | 292 ^r | 104.8 | 1.2 | 62.0 |
| 2006 | 1,287 ^r | 187 ^r | 314 ^r | 111.6 | 1.3 | 64.8 |
| 2007 | 1,345 ^r | 143 ^r | 289 ^r | 108.8 | 1.0 | 61.8 |
| 2008 | 1,467 | 133 | 278 | 94.6 | 0.9 | 41.9 |
| 2009 | 1,051 ^r | 118 ^r | 240 ^r | 67.2 | 0.8 | 40.9 |
| 2010 | 946 | 119 | 199 | 61.0 | 0.8 | 30.0 |
| 2011 | 988 | 125 | 216 | 63.7 | 0.8 | 32.6 |
| 2012 | 1,184 | 172 | 242 | 76.3 | 1.2 | 36.5 |

Source: Environmental Health Section & Solomons

¹ Estimates based on a sample of animal dead weights.

^r Revised figures

3.2 Meat Production 1999 - 2012



Source: Environmental Health Section & Solomons

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3.3 Fish purchases¹ and sales (local and export): by weight and value

| 1995/96 - 2012/13 | | thousands | | | | | |
|-------------------|-------|------------------------|-----|--------------------|-----|----------------------|------------------|
| | | Purchases ¹ | | Sales ² | | | |
| | | | | Local | | Exports ³ | |
| | | kg | £ | kg | £ | kg | £ |
| 1995/96 | | 525 | 175 | 77 | 112 | 270 | 443 |
| 1996/97 | | 286 | 134 | 105 | 311 | 139 | 213 |
| 1997/98 | | 690 | 148 | 83 | 108 | 432 | 255 |
| 1998/99 | | 355 | 137 | 105 | 112 | 255 | 210 |
| 1999/00 | | 206 | 94 | 95 | 125 | 63 | 90 |
| 2000/01 | | 414 | 153 | 323 | 229 | 37 | 51 |
| 2001/02 | | 256 | 90 | 188 | 147 | 38 | 63 |
| 2002/03 | | 258 | 90 | 134 | 119 | 25 | 36 |
| 2003/04 | | 507 | 170 | 43 | 83 | 69 | 53 |
| 2004/05 | | 643 | 186 | 47 | 108 | 410 | 20 |
| 2005/06 | | 540 | 228 | 49 | 116 | 336 | 294 ⁴ |
| 2006/07 | | 531 | 271 | 45 | 103 | 266 | 244 ⁴ |
| 2007/08 | | 393 | 177 | 47 | 106 | 204 | 134 ⁴ |
| 2008/09 | | 334 | 172 | 53 | 122 | 124 | 226 ⁴ |
| 2009/10 | | 396 | 177 | 61 | 137 | 246 | 320 ⁴ |
| 2010/11 | | 778 | 210 | 61 | 136 | 287 | 252 ⁴ |
| 2011/12 | | 549 | 330 | 62 | 143 | 642 | 852 ⁴ |
| 2012/13 | | 176 | 99 | 48 | 119 | 88 | 128 ^p |
| 2010/11 | Qtr 1 | 109 | 43 | 17 | 38 | 58 | - |
| | Qtr 2 | 27 | 15 | 15 | 35 | 49 | - |
| | Qtr 3 | 193 | 42 | 15 | 30 | 29 | - |
| | Qtr 4 | 449 | 111 | 14 | 33 | 151 | - |
| | | | | | | | - |
| 2011/12 | Qtr 1 | 214 | 133 | 13 | 32 | 235 | - |
| | Qtr 2 | 166 | 100 | 17 | 37 | 294 | - |
| | Qtr 3 | 69 | 40 | 17 | 38 | 51 | - |
| | Qtr 4 | 100 | 56 | 15 | 36 | 63 | - |
| | | | | | | | - |
| 2012/13 | Qtr 1 | 96 | 48 | 16 | 38 | 77 | - |
| | Qtr 2 | 36 | 20 | 16 | 39 | 0 | - |
| | Qtr 3 | 44 | 31 | 16 | 42 | 11 | - |
| | Qtr 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | - |

Source: Directorate of Agriculture & Natural Resources and Finance Directorate.

NB: All fish landed by licensed fishermen are purchased by St Helena Fisheries Corporation.

¹Purchased kg = Landed weight (wet).

²Sales kg = Processed weight.

³Export sales (kg) include fish canned by St Helena Canning Company Ltd, SHFC and Argos.

⁴Data for Export value was extracted from the Finance Trade data for financial years.

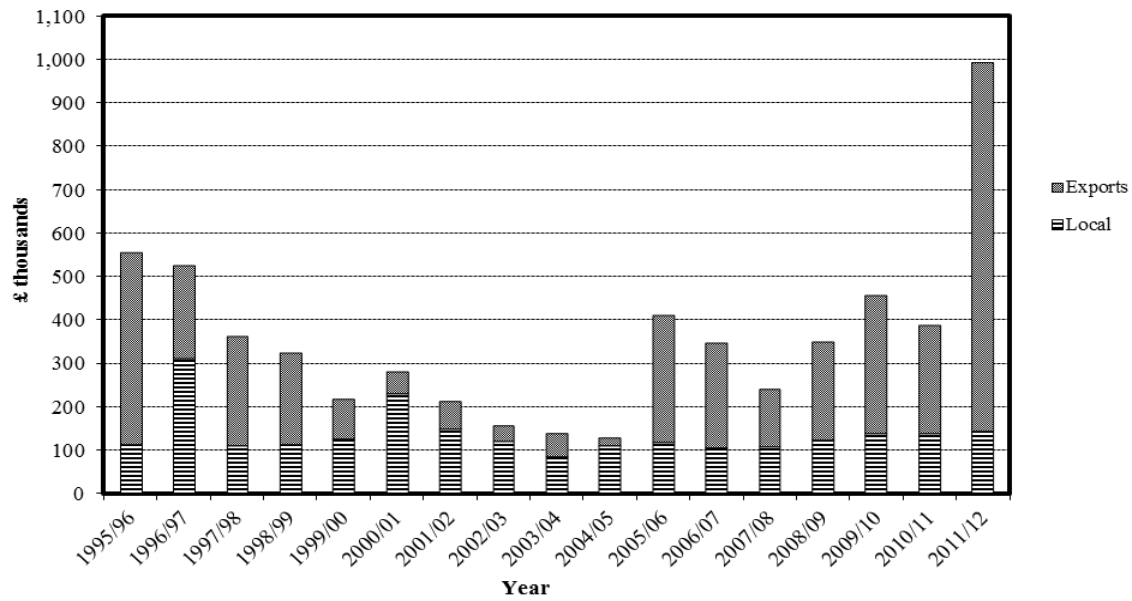
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- Quarterly breakdown of Export values cannot be provided due to commercial in confidence.

A breakdown of fish exports by type can be found in table 5.5.

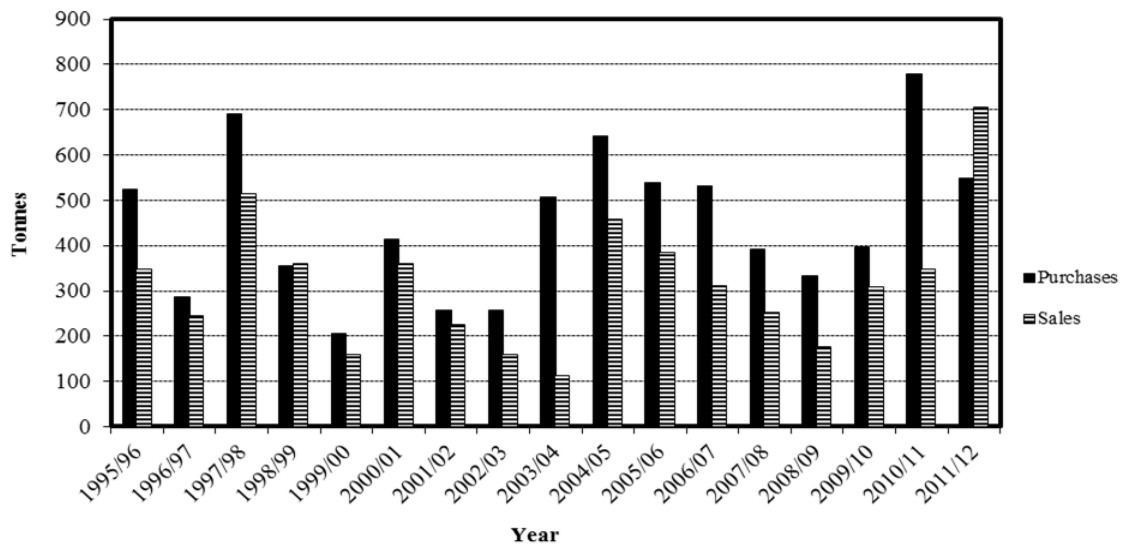
^p Provisional figure.

3.3a Fish sales by value (£) - 1995/96 - 2011/12



Source: Directorate of Agriculture & Natural Resources and Finance Directorate.

3.3b Fish purchases and sales by weight - 1995/96 - 2011/12



Source: Directorate of Agriculture & Natural Resources and Finance Directorate.

3 Production

3.4 Fish Landed: by species

| 1987-2012 | | Kilograms | | | | | | |
|-----------|-------|-----------|--------|----------|---------|---------------------|----------|----------|
| Year | | Tuna | Wahoo | Mackerel | Grouper | Conger ¹ | Cavalley | Bullseye |
| 1987 | | 100,432 | 17,747 | 28,355 | 28,596 | 7,805 | 3,005 | 2,453 |
| 1988 | | 99,935 | 8,785 | 23,879 | 35,166 | 7,476 | 2,099 | 3,711 |
| 1989 | | 101,972 | 16,855 | 18,033 | 31,603 | 7,036 | 1,469 | 5,040 |
| 1990 | | 95,933 | 18,729 | 23,095 | 26,411 | 4,538 | 1,690 | 2,500 |
| 1991 | | 107,517 | 12,221 | 13,034 | 30,460 | 4,668 | 1,513 | 2,289 |
| 1992 | | 203,480 | 16,816 | 9,027 | 28,382 | 5,040 | 3,064 | 1,666 |
| 1993 | | 214,720 | 35,001 | 6,806 | 19,979 | 6,617 | 2,671 | 2,558 |
| 1994 | | 162,181 | 26,375 | 7,978 | 37,483 | 4,447 | 1,994 | 7,841 |
| 1995 | | 251,730 | 25,254 | 6,766 | 32,034 | 4,901 | 1,879 | 3,220 |
| 1996 | | 189,639 | 23,396 | 6,622 | 48,254 | 1,313 | 2,451 | 665 |
| 1997 | | 123,912 | 18,596 | 12,416 | 40,527 | 3,157 | 3,097 | 1,452 |
| 1998 | | 179,009 | 9,997 | 1,981 | 60,320 | 3,028 | 2,032 | 3,180 |
| 1999 | | 110,390 | 14,700 | 8,100 | 32,940 | 2,550 | 2,730 | 6,760 |
| 2000 | | 201,920 | 14,850 | 3,520 | 16,780 | 2,610 | 1,060 | 1,670 |
| 2001 | | 85,800 | 22,330 | 2,650 | 17,470 | 4,570 | 670 | 1,020 |
| 2002 | | 96,560 | 24,530 | 7,440 | 13,550 | 2,290 | 1,030 | 1,900 |
| 2003 | | 163,480 | 18,230 | 3,080 | 7,350 | 2,290 | 780 | 1,090 |
| 2004 | | 234,660 | 16,710 | 1,340 | 19,850 | 3,080 | 940 | 1,130 |
| 2005 | | 310,790 | 11,380 | 90 | 20,600 | 1,610 | 1,220 | 1,110 |
| 2006 | | 450,480 | 20,060 | 1,850 | 10,860 | 1,790 | 1,020 | 2,070 |
| 2007 | | 241,110 | 12,650 | 1,400 | 40,150 | 4,300 | 2,460 | 3,300 |
| 2008 | | 218,620 | 18,480 | 800 | 11,480 | 3,490 | 2,610 | 1,660 |
| 2009 | | 202,530 | 29,370 | 1,200 | 8,110 | 2,520 | 2,460 | 1,090 |
| 2010 | | 78,510 | 18,690 | 7,940 | 13,410 | 5,090 | 2,820 | 690 |
| 2011 | | 475,950 | 31,100 | 2,150 | 8,190 | 1,890 | 1,190 | 300 |
| 2012 | | 202,140 | 11,560 | 1,830 | 10,030 | 4,090 | 1,650 | 490 |
| 2010 | Qtr 1 | 13,700 | 4,810 | 1,250 | 2,430 | 2,450 | 1,270 | 100 |
| | Qtr 2 | 35,810 | 9,190 | 0 | 6,420 | 730 | 1,160 | 290 |
| | Qtr 3 | 15,170 | 3,320 | 120 | 2,840 | 1,600 | 310 | 110 |
| | Qtr 4 | 13,830 | 1,370 | 6,570 | 1,720 | 310 | 80 | 190 |
| 2011 | Qtr 1 | 92,810 | 2,160 | 140 | 310 | 50 | 180 | 0 |
| | Qtr 2 | 176,790 | 19,760 | 0 | 1,920 | 310 | 350 | 60 |
| | Qtr 3 | 148,880 | 6,870 | 0 | 3,580 | 420 | 280 | 70 |
| | Qtr 4 | 57,470 | 2,310 | 2,010 | 2,380 | 1,110 | 380 | 170 |
| 2012 | Qtr 1 | 82,080 | 2,590 | 0 | 630 | 110 | 660 | 220 |
| | Qtr 2 | 49,450 | 7,190 | 40 | 6,570 | 2,700 | 630 | 140 |
| | Qtr 3 | 28,790 | 1,440 | 1,290 | 2,410 | 1,050 | 240 | 90 |
| | Qtr 4 | 41,820 | 340 | 500 | 420 | 230 | 120 | 40 |

Source: Directorate of Agriculture & Natural Resources

¹ Commonly known as the spotted moray

3.4 Cont. Fish Landed: by species

| 1987-2012 | | Kilograms | | | | | | | |
|-----------|-------|-----------|--------|-------------|-------|--------|----------------------|-------|--------------------|
| Year | | Skipjack | Marlin | Yellow-tail | Shark | Dorado | Lobster ¹ | Other | Total ² |
| 1987 | | 138,523 | 2,271 | 603 | 2,124 | 170 | 1,357 | 394 | 333,835 |
| 1988 | | 157,729 | 892 | 599 | 1,199 | 305 | 206 | 1,370 | 343,351 |
| 1989 | | 397,050 | 1,903 | 549 | 993 | 523 | 54 | 1,592 | 584,672 |
| 1990 | | 170,917 | 3,359 | 386 | 1,140 | 465 | 681 | 1,041 | 350,885 |
| 1991 | | 23,693 | 1,778 | 975 | 665 | 340 | 175 | 976 | 200,304 |
| 1992 | | 16,231 | 1,156 | 761 | 1,198 | 1,824 | 0 | 794 | 289,439 |
| 1993 | | 64,664 | 3,513 | 664 | 2,787 | 639 | 0 | 1,849 | 657,538 |
| 1994 | | 54,777 | 0 | 814 | 1,336 | 906 | 0 | 1,119 | 2,404,430 |
| 1995 | | 2,245 | 235 | 59 | 609 | 291 | 0 | 1,184 | 330,406 |
| 1996 | | 86,276 | 2,930 | 204 | 880 | 844 | 0 | 1,959 | 365,434 |
| 1997 | | 293,531 | 818 | 804 | 818 | 769 | 0 | 1,208 | 501,106 |
| 1998 | | 303,256 | 1,890 | 864 | 569 | 884 | 975 | 1,483 | 569,468 |
| 1999 | | 13,020 | 3,870 | 780 | 650 | 670 | 1,010 | 1,410 | 199,580 |
| 2000 | | 64,390 | 3,950 | 1,660 | 1,590 | 890 | 380 | 680 | 315,950 |
| 2001 | | 204,800 | 2,650 | 11,020 | 5,810 | 410 | 110 | 5,530 | 364,840 |
| 2002 | | 62,590 | 3,570 | 420 | 3,370 | 1,110 | 0 | 5,150 | 223,510 |
| 2003 | | 177,950 | 780 | 310 | 1,970 | 1,000 | 0 | 3,630 | 381,940 |
| 2004 | | 316,630 | 1,200 | 360 | 370 | 170 | 0 | 2,750 | 599,190 |
| 2005 | | 320,760 | 1,660 | 300 | 480 | 500 | 0 | 820 | 671,320 |
| 2006 | | 88,330 | 2,080 | 520 | 340 | 2,330 | 0 | 780 | 582,510 |
| 2007 | | 109,700 | 2,710 | 1,380 | 330 | 540 | 0 | 1,030 | 421,060 |
| 2008 | | 45,350 | 3,690 | 1,430 | 330 | 290 | 0 | 1,160 | 309,390 |
| 2009 | | 152,150 | 2,960 | 560 | 430 | 740 | 0 | 760 | 404,880 |
| 2010 | | 250,460 | 1,520 | 1,470 | 320 | 1,650 | 160 | 2,300 | 385,030 |
| 2011 | | 371,060 | 2,380 | 320 | 400 | 1,640 | 0 | 2,140 | 672,780 |
| 2012 | | 29,240 | 12,460 | 280 | 270 | 500 | 80 | 720 | 275,340 |
| 2010 | Qtr 1 | 26,550 | 580 | 380 | 160 | 540 | 0 | 1,410 | 55,630 |
| | Qtr 2 | 52,390 | 710 | 1,000 | 40 | 500 | 0 | 500 | 108,740 |
| | Qtr 3 | 2,700 | 190 | 90 | 110 | 610 | 0 | 270 | 27,440 |
| | Qtr 4 | 168,820 | 40 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 160 | 120 | 193,220 |
| 2011 | Qtr 1 | 352,110 | 410 | 80 | 150 | 420 | 0 | 60 | 448,880 |
| | Qtr 2 | 13,620 | 750 | 140 | 160 | 140 | 0 | 150 | 214,150 |
| | Qtr 3 | 4,680 | 510 | 60 | 70 | 970 | 0 | 80 | 166,470 |
| | Qtr 4 | 650 | 710 | 40 | 20 | 110 | 0 | 1,850 | 69,210 |
| 2012 | Qtr 1 | 710 | 11,900 | 130 | 90 | 170 | 80 | 250 | 99,620 |
| | Qtr 2 | 27,990 | 320 | 130 | 60 | 240 | 0 | 400 | 95,860 |
| | Qtr 3 | 490 | 40 | 0 | 30 | 20 | 0 | 60 | 35,950 |
| | Qtr 4 | 50 | 200 | 20 | 90 | 70 | 0 | 10 | 43,910 |

Source: Directorate of Agriculture & Natural Resources

¹ The lobster fishermen retired in 1991, and this species was not targeted again until 1998.

² Total of tables 3.4 and 3.4 Cont.

3 Production

3.5 Electricity generated and consumed

1985-2012

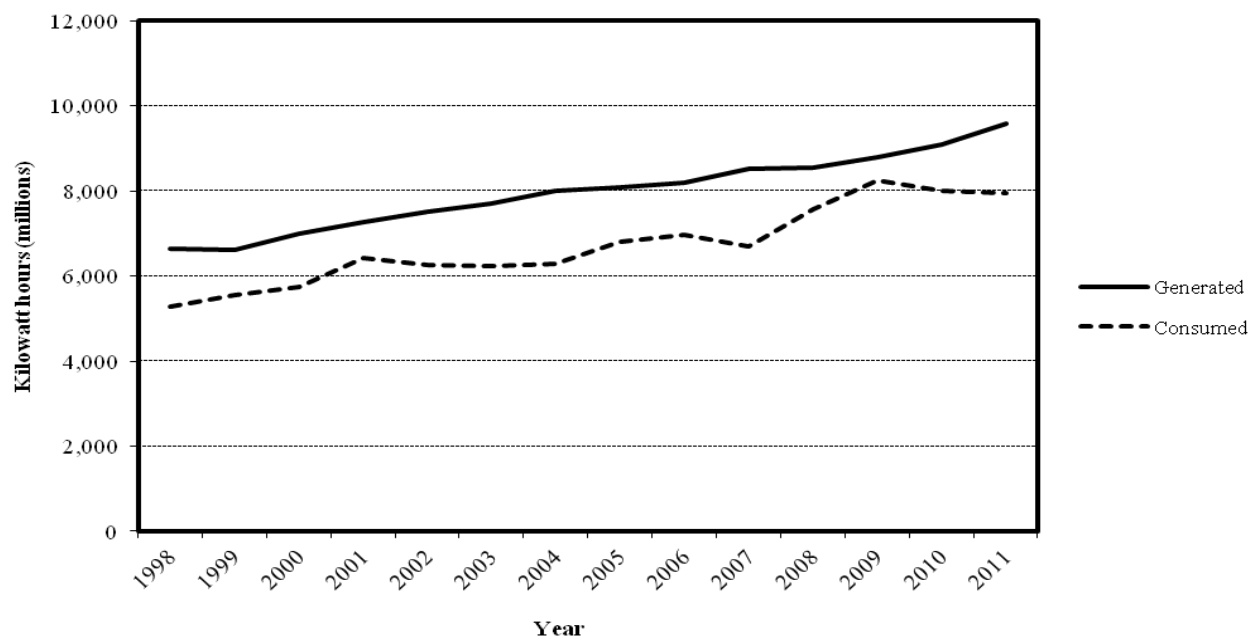
| 1985-2012 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------|---------------------|-------|-------|-------|------------------------------|--------------------------|-------|-------|-------|---|-----|
| Year | Number of consumers | | | | Units generated kWh 000's | Units consumed kWh 000's | | | | Revenue collected £ 000's ¹ | |
| | Commer- | | | Total | | Commer- | | | Total | | |
| | Domestic | cial | Gov't | | | Domestic | cial | Gov't | | | |
| 1985 | .. | .. | .. | 1,310 | 2,691 | 838 | 495 | 534 | 1,867 | 211 | |
| 1986 | 1,254 | 121 | 62 | 1,437 | 3,280 | 1,151 | 633 | 351 | 2,135 | 294 | |
| 1987 | 1,364 | 121 | 114 | 1,599 | 3,783 | 1,431 | 712 | 541 | 2,685 | 327 | |
| 1988 | .. | .. | .. | 1,681 | 4,068 | 1,692 | 819 | 746 | 3,257 | 399 | |
| 1989 | .. | .. | | 1,774 | 4,522 | 1,752 | 1,011 | 697 | 3,461 | 362 | |
| 1990 | .. | .. | .. | 1,824 | 4,792 | 1,799 | 1,093 | 792 | 3,684 | 500 | |
| 1991 | .. | .. | .. | 1,901 | 5,120 | 1,964 | 1,012 | 926 | 3,903 | 505 | |
| 1992 | .. | .. | .. | 1,950 | 5,505 | 2,073 | 1,285 | 979 | 4,337 | 511 | |
| 1993 | 1,620 | 201 | 135 | 1,956 | 5,716 | 2,382 | 1,373 | 884 | 4,639 | 546 | |
| 1994 | 1,721 | 181 | 134 | 2,036 | 5,826 | 2,276 | 1,419 | 870 | 4,566 | 425 | |
| 1995 | 1,763 | 188 | 135 | 2,086 | 6,181 | 2,352 | 1,359 | 896 | 4,907 | 630 | |
| 1996 | 1,815 | 190 | 136 | 2,141 | 6,251 | 2,468 | 1,646 | 938 | 5,051 | 714 | |
| 1997 | 1,861 | 192 | 141 | 2,194 | 6,305 | 2,508 | 1,672 | 940 | 5,120 | 735 | |
| 1998 | 1,883 | 197 | 144 | 2,224 | 6,633 | 2,687 | 1,598 | 1,004 | 5,288 | 771 | |
| 1999 | 1,931 | 198 | 148 | 2,277 | 6,605 | 2,744 | 1,746 | 1,073 | 5,563 | 774 | |
| 2000 | 1,973 | 207 | 150 | 2,330 | 7,002 | 2,987 | 1,740 | 1,016 | 5,743 | 778 | |
| 2001 | 2,013 | 212 | 153 | 2,378 | 7,259 | 3,279 | 2,107 | 1,045 | 6,432 | 826 | |
| 2002 | 2,051 | 221 | 153 | 2,425 | 7,504 | 3,141 | 2,138 | 973 | 6,251 | 987 | |
| 2003 | 2,103 | 225 | 175 | 2,503 | 7,697 | 3,280 | 1,955 | 1,001 | 6,236 | 1,060 | |
| 2004 | 2,133 | 225 | 180 | 2,538 | 8,007 | 3,082 | 2,135 | 1,085 | 6,303 | 1,056 | |
| 2005 | 2,184 | 227 | 185 | 2,596 | 8,082 | 3,684 | 2,074 | 1,042 | 6,800 | 1,184 | |
| 2006 | 2,249 | 171 | 113 | 2,533 | 8,202 | 3,601 | 2,221 | 1,147 | 6,969 | 1,194 | |
| 2007 | 2,262 | 178 | 109 | 2,549 | 8,533 | 3,667 | 2,359 | 1,191 | 7,217 | 1,156 | |
| 2008 | 2,663 | 224 | 211 | 3,098 | 8,546 | 4,031 | 2,358 | 1,187 | 7,576 | 1,300 | |
| 2009 | 2,247 | 115 | 149 | 2,511 | 8,803 | 4,126 | 2,272 | 1,845 | 8,243 | 1,856 | |
| 2010 | 2,283 | 117 | 148 | 2,548 | 9,086 | 4,102 | 2,685 | 1,209 | 7,996 | 1,830 | |
| 2011 | 2,323 | 125 | 146 | 2,594 | 9,591 | 4,004 | 2,752 | 1,192 | 7,948 | 2,593 | |
| 2012 | 2,336 | 126 | 148 | 2,610 | 9,577 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | |
| 2010 | Qtr 1 | 2,280 | 118 | 149 | 2,547 | 2,273 | 1,223 | 730 | 366 | 2,319 | 488 |
| | Qtr 2 | 2,280 | 118 | 149 | 2,547 | 2,250 | 961 | 654 | 264 | 1,879 | 484 |
| | Qtr 3 | 2,279 | 118 | 149 | 2,546 | 2,188 | 965 | 732 | 299 | 1,996 | 386 |
| | Qtr 4 | 2,283 | 117 | 148 | 2,548 | 2,375 | 953 | 569 | 280 | 1,802 | 472 |
| 2011 | Qtr 1 | 2,284 | 117 | 140 | 2,541 | 2,480 | 1,011 | 719 | 263 | 1,993 | 804 |
| | Qtr 2 | 2,300 | 119 | 143 | 2,562 | 2,405 | 981 | 671 | 290 | 1,942 | 444 |
| | Qtr 3 | 2,314 | 119 | 145 | 2,578 | 2,334 | 1,027 | 679 | 323 | 2,029 | 713 |
| | Qtr 4 | 2,323 | 125 | 146 | 2,594 | 2,372 | 985 | 683 | 316 | 1,984 | 633 |
| 2012 | Qtr 1 | 2,326 | 126 | 146 | 2,598 | 2,390 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 706 |
| | Qtr 2 | 2,324 | 125 | 146 | 2,595 | 2,374 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 499 |
| | Qtr 3 | 2,326 | 125 | 146 | 2,597 | 2,353 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 742 |
| | Qtr 4 | 2,336 | 126 | 148 | 2,610 | 2,460 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 632 |

Source: Infrastructure and Utilities Directorate

¹ Excludes small charges for meter rents.

.. Not available due to data constraints.

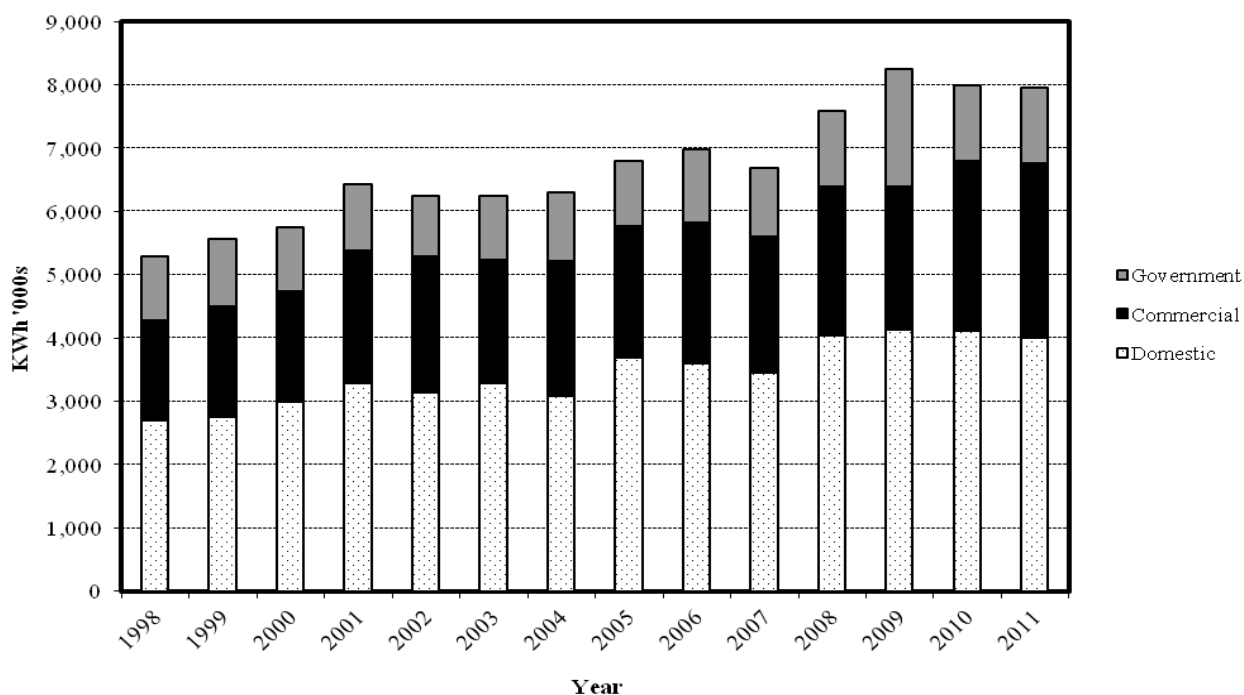
3.5a Electricity generated and consumed 1998 - 2011



Note: The amount of electricity generated is not the same as the amount of electricity consumed as some is lost in distribution ('line loss').

Source: Infrastructure and Utilities Directorate

3.5b Electricity consumed by type of consumer 1998 - 2011



NB: 2007 figures for Units Consumed have been estimated.

Source: Infrastructure and Utilities Directorate

3 Production

3.6 Forestry statistics

2001 - 2012

| Year | | Number of trees planted | Hectares of land cleared | | | Firewood sales | |
|------|-------|-------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|----------------|----------|
| | | | Clear- felling | Land clearance | Cleaning Total | tonnes | £ |
| 2001 | | 398 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 121.7 121.7 | 632.4 | 18,813.0 |
| 2002 | | 1,870 | 1.6 | 0.0 | 194.0 195.6 | 782.1 | 22,708.6 |
| 2003 | | 1,397 | 1.1 | 0.0 | 178.7 179.8 | 644.5 | 19,965.4 |
| 2004 | | 3,300 | 6.6 | 0.0 | 169.7 176.3 | 639.7 | 19,932.9 |
| 2005 | | 8,800 | 12.0 | 0.0 | 52.0 63.9 | 594.3 | 18,136.5 |
| 2006 | | 25,000 | 3.3 | 3.7 | 27.7 34.7 | 568.7 | 15,611.5 |
| 2007 | | 913 | 1.1 | 0.0 | 104.3 105.4 | 340.5 | 18,146.0 |
| 2008 | | 5,381 | 1.9 | 0.0 | 57.6 59.5 | 461.8 | 24,631.0 |
| 2009 | | 243 | 0.2 | 1.8 | 94.3 96.2 | 456.4 | 31,035.2 |
| 2010 | | 4,721 | 3.2 | 2.2 | 61.8 67.1 | 432.8 | 29,429.7 |
| 2011 | | 1,000 | 2.7 | 0.0 | 95.8 98.5 | 424.0 | 37,736.0 |
| 2012 | | 2,050 | 12.6 | 0.0 | 137.8 150.4 | 423.0 | 36,547.0 |
| 2009 | Qtr 1 | .. | 0.0 | 0.0 | 30.5 30.5 | 110.0 | 7,758.8 |
| | Qtr 2 | .. | 0.0 | 0.0 | 34.6 34.6 | 109.8 | 7,758.8 |
| | Qtr 3 | .. | 0.0 | 1.8 | 12.4 14.2 | 124.6 | 7,758.8 |
| | Qtr 4 | .. | 0.2 | 0.0 | 16.8 17.0 | 112.0 | 7,758.8 |
| 2010 | Qtr 1 | .. | 0.2 | 0.1 | 5.6 5.8 | 111.9 | 7,606.5 |
| | Qtr 2 | .. | 1.2 | 2.1 | 27.9 31.3 | 107.3 | 7,296.4 |
| | Qtr 3 | .. | 0.9 | 0.0 | 15.7 16.6 | 108.3 | 7,364.4 |
| | Qtr 4 | .. | 0.9 | 0.0 | 12.6 13.5 | 105.3 | 7,162.4 |
| 2011 | Qtr 1 | .. | 0.0 | 0.0 | 18.5 18.5 | 110.0 | 9,790.0 |
| | Qtr 2 | .. | 1.1 | 0.0 | 21.7 22.8 | 105.0 | 9,345.0 |
| | Qtr 3 | .. | 0.0 | 0.0 | 28.4 28.4 | 104.0 | 9,256.0 |
| | Qtr 4 | .. | 1.7 | 0.0 | 27.2 28.8 | 105.0 | 9,345.0 |
| 2012 | Qtr 1 | .. | 4.8 | 0.0 | 9.0 13.8 | 102.0 | 9,078.0 |
| | Qtr 2 | .. | 4.8 | 0.0 | 65.7 70.4 | 101.0 | 8,989.0 |
| | Qtr 3 | .. | 0.0 | 0.0 | 36.9 36.9 | 110.0 | 9,240.0 |
| | Qtr 4 | .. | 3.1 | 0.0 | 26.3 29.4 | 110.0 | 9,240.0 |

Source: Agriculture and Natural Resources Directorate

NB: This table was revised in 2012 to accommodate the different type of land clearing activities.

.. No quarterly breakdown available

3 Production

3.7 Building activity: during period

| 1985 - 2012 | | number | | | | |
|-------------|-------|----------------|------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|
| | | Plans approved | | House construction | | |
| | | Total | of which new houses | Houses started | Houses completed | Houses under construction |
| 1985 | | 143 | 40 | .. | .. | .. |
| 1986 | | 151 | 40 | .. | .. | .. |
| 1987 | | 180 | 60 | 33 | 38 | 92 |
| 1988 | | 172 | 46 | 32 | 36 | 88 |
| 1989 | | 146 | 28 | 23 | 26 | 85 |
| 1990 | | 167 | 61 | 50 | 34 | 101 |
| 1991 | | 135 | 30 | 36 | 28 | 109 |
| 1992 | | 134 | 47 | 28 | 28 | 109 |
| 1993 | | 125 | 38 | 37 | 22 | 124 |
| 1994 | | 164 | 45 | 24 | 24 | 124 |
| 1995 | | 221 | 79 | 50 | 17 | 157 |
| 1996 | | 202 | 56 | 49 | 27 | 179 |
| 1997 | | 157 | 45 | 37 | 24 | 192 |
| 1998 | | 174 | 40 | 26 | 37 | 181 |
| 1999 | | 181 | 33 | 24 | 31 | 174 |
| 2000 | | 226 | 38 | 24 | 35 | 163 |
| 2001 | | 189 | 19 | 24 | 23 | 164 |
| 2002 | | 218 | 33 | 32 | 25 | 171 |
| 2003 | | 200 | 37 | 18 | 22 | 167 |
| 2004 | | 128 | 30 | 20 | 22 | 165 |
| 2005 | | 138 | 46 | 23 | 25 | 163 |
| 2006 | | 120 | 30 | 12 | 23 | 152 |
| 2007 | | 122 | 32 | 12 | 16 | 148 |
| 2008 | | 116 | 41 | 11 | 22 | 137 |
| 2009 | | 98 | 22 | 11 | 20 | 128 |
| 2010 | | 98 | 25 | 15 | 14 | 129 |
| 2011 | | 101 | 15 | 16 | 19 | 130 |
| 2012 | | 129 | 37 | 33 | 31 | 132 |
| 2010 | Qtr 1 | 22 | 4 | 3 | 4 | 127 |
| | Qtr 2 | 15 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 128 |
| | Qtr 3 | 28 | 4 | 3 | 3 | 128 |
| | Qtr 4 | 33 | 13 | 6 | 5 | 129 |
| 2011 | Qtr 1 | 35 | 4 | 5 | 1 | 135 |
| | Qtr 2 | 17 | 1 | 2 | 6 | 133 |
| | Qtr 3 | 22 | 3 | 1 | 8 | 126 |
| | Qtr 4 | 27 | 7 | 8 | 4 | 130 |
| 2012 | Qtr 1 | 41 | 16 | 10 | 16 | 124 |
| | Qtr 2 | 32 | 7 | 7 | 5 | 126 |
| | Qtr 3 | 31 | 6 | 7 | 0 | 133 |
| | Qtr 4 | 25 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 132 |

Source: Planning and Development Control, Secretariat

.. Data not available

4 Public Finance

Commentary

St Helena Government's recurrent budget

Tables 4.1 to 4.5 summarise expenditure and revenue controlled under the recurrent budget of the St Helena Government (SHG).

UK aid received under the streams of technical co-operation and development aid do not form part of the SHG recurrent budget (See table 1.2: UK aid to St. Helena).

Some of SHG's recurrent expenditure and revenue is incurred under the umbrella heading of "Trading Accounts". This form of accounting is used where it is considered beneficial to present costs of a service directly against revenue raised by charging for it. Only the net expenditure or revenue enters the SHG Budget.

In 1983 the Foodstocks Fund, Telephones and Unallocated Stores became trading accounts. In 1989/90 the Sawmill, Water and the Swimming Pool were added. In 1990/91 the newly refurbished Jamestown Market was included and the Telephone system was privatised. Over recent years there have been further additions of the Quarry, Electricity, Government Landlord Housing, Vehicle Hire and Plant Hire. In 1996/97 the Ascension Islander Hostel and A & F and PWD garages were included. Only Electricity, Water, Unallocated Stores, Sawmill, Government Landlord Housing and Wharf remained as Trading Accounts until 2008/09 when the Sawmill was outsourced to the private sector. In addition, the Information Technology and Transport have Memorandum Trading Accounts.

The amount of revenue raised locally by duties and taxes is insufficient to cover the local services provided by government. This deficit is made up by budgetary aid from the UK.

Government revenue

There has been a general increase in government revenue from 2006/07 onwards. This is attributed to increases in Direct Taxes, Customs Indirect Taxes and other categories. See tables 4.5.1 and 4.5.2 for more details. Recent public sector reform and policy have been designed to encourage private sector development. A secondary impact of this reform is a growth in government revenue through direct taxes and customs duty.

Fishing licences

The sale of fishing licences, mainly to Japanese Tuna fishing vessels, began in June 1988. At the end of 2004 only one licence was sold, raising £13,500, none were sold for 2005, one was sold for 2006 raising another £13,500 but none have been sold since. In this edition of the Statistical Yearbook tables specifically relating to revenue from fishing licenses have been omitted however historical data can still be sourced from previous Yearbook and online at:

<http://www.sainthelena.gov.sh/statistics/>.

4 Public Finance

Exchange rates

The St Helena pound is on parity with British pound sterling. Exchange rates are shown in Table 4.6, for the pound versus South African Rand, US Dollar, Euro and the Japanese Yen. The UK and South Africa are the two largest sources of imports into St Helena (Table 5.1).

4 Public finance

4.1 Government recurrent expenditure

1990-2011/12

£ thousand

| | Expenditure | | | Trading accounts ¹ | Total including trading accounts |
|-----------------|---------------------|-------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| | Recurrent budget | Budget surplus | Total excluding trading accounts | | |
| Calendar Years | | | | | |
| 1990 | 6,063 | 268 | 6,331 | 1,865 | 8,196 |
| 1991 | 7,059 | 284 | 7,343 | 2,120 | 9,463 |
| 1992 | 6,776 | 257 | 7,033 | 2,174 | 9,208 |
| 1993 | 6,921 | 226 | 7,147 | 3,228 | 10,375 |
| 1994 | 10,054 | 227 | 10,281 | 2,388 | 7,689 |
| 1995 | 12,082 | -406 | 11,675 | 2,281 | 13,956 |
| 1996 | 10,215 | 770 | 10,985 | 2,227 | 13,212 |
| 1997 | 9,665 | 896 | 10,561 | 1,511 | 12,071 |
| 1998 | 9,793 | 283 | 10,076 | 858 | 10,934 |
| 1999 | 9,973 | 484 | 10,457 | 740 | 11,197 |
| 2000 | 10,292 | 250 | 10,543 | 697 | 11,240 |
| 2001 | 7,471 | 0 | 7,472 | 411 | 7,883 |
| 2002 | 10,782 | 57 | 10,839 | 1,540 | 12,379 |
| 2003 | 11,774 | -454 | 11,320 | 2,033 | 13,807 |
| Financial Years | | | | | |
| 1990/91 | 6,372 | 284 | 6,656 | 1,789 | 8,445 |
| 1991/92 | 6,756 | 257 | 7,013 | 2,169 | 9,038 |
| 1992/93 | 6,846 | 226 | 7,072 | 2,274 | 9,347 |
| 1993/94 | 9,647 | 227 | 9,874 | n.a | n.a |
| 1994/95 | 10,213 | -406 | 9,807 | 2,930 | 12,736 |
| 1995/96 | 10,458 | 770 | 11,228 | 2,500 | 13,728 |
| 1996/97 | 9,484 | 896 | 10,380 | 1,505 | 11,885 |
| 1997/98 | 10,036 | 283 | 10,319 | 1,962 | 12,282 |
| 1998/99 | 9,711 | 484 | 10,195 | 740 | 10,936 |
| 1999/00 | 9,944 | -205 | 9,738 | 740 | 10,478 |
| 2000/01 | 10,772 | 342 | 10,810 | 1,230 | 12,040 |
| 2001/02 | 9,438 | 37 | 9,475 | 735 | 10,210 |
| 2002/03 | 9,432 | 57 | 9,489 | 1,428 | 10,917 |
| 2003/04 | 12,085 | -454 | 11,631 | 1,655 | 13,286 |
| 2004/05 | 15,658 | 350 | 16,008 | 1,548 | 17,556 ² |
| 2005/06 | 15,278 | 733 | 16,012 | 862 | 16,873 ² |
| 2006/07 | 16,450 | 526 | 16,976 | 795 | 17,771 ² |
| 2007/08 | 17,134 | 780 | 17,914 | 809 | 18,723 ² |
| 2008/09 | 20,076 | 387 | 20,464 | 874 | 21,338 ² |
| 2009/10 | 21,596 | 877 | 22,473 | 913 | 23,386 ² |
| 2010/11 | 25,803 | 63 | 25,866 | 780 | 26,785 ² |
| 2011/12 | 28,426 | -1,902 | 26,524 | 1,082 | 27,606 |

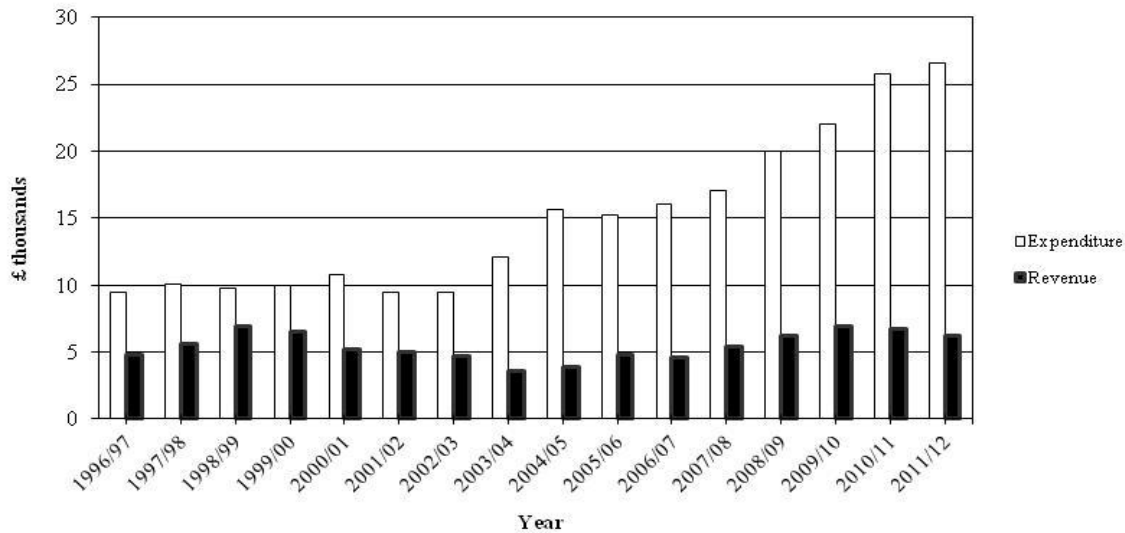
Source: Finance Directorate

¹ Trading accounts include the Information Technology and Transport only.

² Shipping and some elements of the TC Budget are included in the recurrent budget in these years, in addition to Grant-In-Aid.

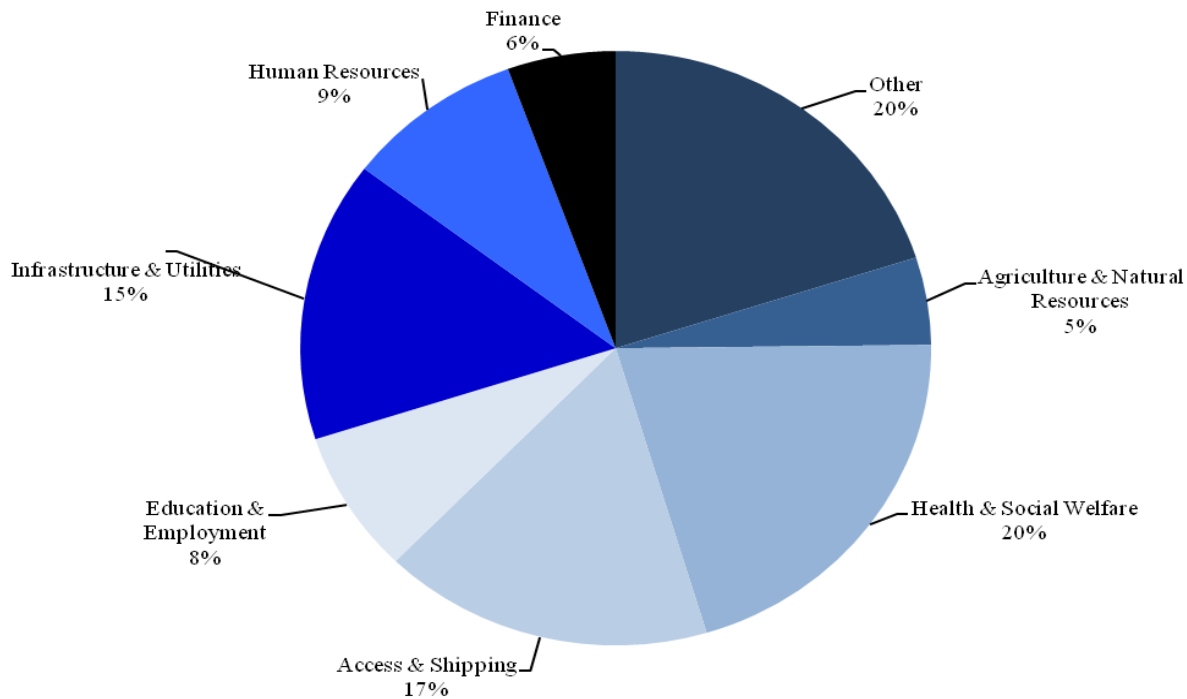
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4.1 Government recurrent expenditure and revenue 1996/97 - 2011/12



Source: Finance Directorate

4.2 Recurrent expenditure by directorate - 2011/12 (£ thousands)



NB: 'Other' includes: Governors Office, Secretariat, Attorney General, Police, St Helena Audit Service, Finance, Corporate Procurement, Tourism, Pensions & Gratuities, Internal Audit, Lands & Building, Budget Surplus & Trading Account

Source: Finance Directorate

4.2.1 Government recurrent expenditure by department

2004/05 - 2010/11

£ thousands

| | 2004/05 | 2005/06 | 2006/07 | 2007/08 | 2008/09 | 2009/10 | 2010/11 |
|--|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Governor | 104 | 104 | 100 | 2,845 | 117 | 119 | 157 |
| Office of Chief Secretary | 558 | 456 | 497 | 580 | 721 | 1,055 | 782 |
| Human Resources | 1,032 | 392 | 463 | 727 | 1,185 | 1,775 | 2,654 |
| Legal and Lands | 157 | 185 | 178 | 233 | 304 | 515 | 504 |
| Police & Gaol | 509 | 557 | 588 | 614 | 596 | 613 | 914 |
| Audit | 79 | 85 | 89 | 96 | 102 | 84 | 90 |
| Finance | 993 | 861 | 1,129 | 1,030 | 1,096 | 1,976 | 1,293 |
| Development and Economic Planning | 253 | 266 | 270 | 261 | 279 | 282 | 310 |
| Pensions/gratuities | 788 | 784 | 727 | 835 | 806 | 878 | 1,050 |
| Post Office | 121 | 152 | 122 | 109 | 124 | 122 | 112 |
| Education | 1,671 | 1,374 | 1,389 | 1,416 | 1,536 | 1,537 | 2,068 |
| Public Health and Social Services | 3,388 | 3,087 | 3,072 | 3,079 | 3,531 | 3,330 | 4,321 |
| Employment Benefits and Administration | 1,167 | 1,297 | 1,280 | 1,427 | 1,629 | 1,781 | 1,784 |
| Agriculture and Natural Resources | 764 | 788 | 869 | 840 | 972 | 1,001 | 1,498 |
| Public Works and Services | 1,645 | 2,457 | 2,867 | 3,041 | 3,754 | 3,577 | 4,031 |
| Public Debt | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | n.a | n.a |
| Shipping | 2,463 | 2,434 | 2,810 | 0 | 3,324 | 2,932 | 4,083 |
| Internal Audit | n.a | n.a | 0 | 0 | 0 | 19 | 46 |
| Tourism | n.a | n.a | n.a | n.a | | | 107 |
| Budget Surplus | 350 | 733 | 526 | 780 | 387 | 877 | 63 |
| Total ¹ | 16,043 | 16,012 | 16,976 | 17,914 | 20,464 | 22,473 | 25,867 |
| Trading Accounts | 1,513 | 862 | 795 | 809 | 874 | 913 | 919 |

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n.a Not Applicable

4.2.2 Government recurrent expenditure by directorate

2011/12

| | 2011/12 ² |
|---------------------------------|----------------------|
| Governors Office | 170 |
| Secretariat | 992 |
| Human Resources | 2,629 |
| Attorney General | 66 |
| Police | 753 |
| Saint Helena Audit Service | 89 |
| Finance | 2,048 |
| Corporate Procurement | 220 |
| Tourism | 223 |
| Pensions & Gratuities | 942 |
| Access & Shipping | 4,798 |
| Education & Employment | 2,657 |
| Health & Social Welfare | 6,175 |
| Internal Audit Office | 42 |
| Agriculture & Natural Resources | 1,507 |
| Infrastructure & Utilities | 4,449 |
| Lands & Building | 666 |
| Budget Surplus | -1,902 |
| Total ¹ | 26,524 |
| Trading Account | 1,082 |

¹ Columns may not add up exactly due to rounding.² In 2011/12 a revised directorate structure was introduced.

4.3 Government recurrent expenditure: by category

2006/07 - 2011/12

£ thousands

| | 2006/07 | 2007/08 | 2008/09 | 2009/10 | 2010/11 | 2011/12 ¹ |
|---------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|----------------------|
| Personal Emoluments | 3,933 | 5,904 | 6,363 | 7,045 | 7,816 | 7,621 |
| <i>Of Which: Wages</i> | <i>1,318</i> | <i>1,496</i> | <i>1,491</i> | <i>1,498</i> | <i>1,913</i> | <i>0</i> |
| Property Costs | 837 | 892 | 1,019 | 1,278 | 1,539 | 677 |
| Transport & Plant Costs | 591 | 647 | 636 | 692 | 633 | 111 |
| Supplies & Services | 3,043 | 3,394 | 4,590 | 4,018 | 5,262 | 4,962 |
| Administration Costs | 1,129 | 236 | 290 | 275 | 355 | 720 |
| Payments to Other Agencies | 3,666 | 4,730 | 5,753 | 6,474 | 8,390 | 9,918 |
| <i>Of Which: Social Benefits</i> | <i>864</i> | <i>988</i> | <i>1,192</i> | <i>1,352</i> | <i>1,369</i> | <i>810</i> |
| <i>Unemployment Benefits</i> | <i>41</i> | <i>38</i> | <i>42</i> | <i>40</i> | <i>36</i> | <i>25</i> |
| Other Expenditure | 725 | 1,070 | 1,102 | 1,465 | 1,370 | 745 |
| <i>Of Which: UK/SA Representative</i> | <i>63</i> | <i>70</i> | <i>68</i> | <i>88</i> | <i>91</i> | <i>114</i> |
| Payment to Contractors | 236 | 260 | 324 | 349 | 439 | 592 |
| Finance & Other | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | 3,080 |
| Budget Surplus | 526 | 780 | 387 | 877 | 63 | -1,902 |
| Trading Accounts | 795 | 809 | 874 | 913 | 919 | 1,082 |
| Total | 17,765 | 18,723 | 21,338 | 23,386 | 26,785 | 27,606 |

Source: Finance Directorate

¹ There were several changes made in 2011/12:

* A South African Representative was appointed

* A new category of 'Finance & Other' was added

* Due to all staff being 'established', wages are no longer being paid, this is now all incorporated into 'Personal Emoluments'.

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4.4 Government revenue

1985/86 -2011/12

£ thousands

| | Revenue | | Total | Budgetary Aid |
|---------|---------|----------------------------------|-------|------------------|
| | Local | Trading accounts ¹ | | |
| 1985/86 | 2,021 | 1,761 | 3,782 | 4,586 |
| 1986/87 | 1,718 | 1,621 | 3,339 | 3,421 |
| 1987/88 | 2,308 | 1,649 | 3,957 | 2,240 |
| 1988/89 | 2,379 | 1,611 | 3,990 | 3,544 |
| 1989/90 | 2,411 | 1,759 | 4,170 | 3,905 |
| 1990/91 | 2,521 | 1,792 | 4,462 | 3,477 |
| 1991/92 | 3,589 | 2,064 | 6,449 | 3,424 |
| 1992/93 | 3,545 | 1,856 | 5,638 | 3,526 |
| 1993/94 | 5,037 | 2,201 | 7,238 | 3,495 |
| 1994/95 | 4,255 | 2,270 | 6,525 | 3,225 |
| 1995/96 | 4,652 | 2,295 | 6,947 | 3,560 |
| 1996/97 | 4,825 | 1,627 | 6,452 | 3,930 |
| 1997/98 | 5,571 | 1,557 | 7,128 | 3,191 |
| 1998/99 | 6,924 | 7 | 6,931 | 3,264 |
| 1999/00 | 6,492 | 62 | 6,554 | 3,184 |
| 2000/01 | 5,170 | 1,634 ² | 6,804 | 4,301 |
| 2001/02 | 4,949 | 1,261 | 6,210 | 4,000 |
| 2002/03 | 4,715 | 1,562 | 6,277 | 4,640 |
| 2003/04 | 3,564 | 2,549 | 6,113 | 5,124 |
| 2004/05 | 3,886 | 1,594 | 5,480 | 5,644 |
| 2005/06 | 4,619 | 1,866 | 6,485 | 7,141 |
| 2006/07 | 4,787 | 1,744 | 6,652 | 6,407 |
| 2007/08 | 5,413 | 1,962 | 7,375 | 7,535 |
| 2008/09 | 6,201 | 2,049 | 8,250 | 8,709 |
| 2009/10 | 6,950 | 2,433 | 9,383 | 7,650 |
| 2010/11 | 6,727 | 2,939 | 9,667 | 12,303 |
| 2011/12 | 6,199 | 3,475 | 9,674 | 12,100 |

Source: Finance Directorate

¹ In 1999/00 Trading accounts included Printing Office, Information Technology and Transport only.

² From 2000/01 these included Electricity, Water, Sawmill, Unallocated Stores and Government Landlord Housing however the Sawmill was outsourced in 2008.

4.5.1 Government revenue by source

1995 - 2010/11

£ thousands

| | Direct taxes | Customs indirect taxes | Stamp duties & licences | Fines fees & charges | Govt rents | Earnings of govt depts | Reimburse- ments | Ascension revenue | Treasury receipts | Total revenue |
|------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------|---------------|------------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|----------------------|------------------|
| Calendar years | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1995 | 729 | 1204 | 69 | 194 | 117 | 160 | 2976 | 30 | 1637 | 7116 |
| 1996 | 729 | 1253 | 70 | 199 | 120 | 151 | 2470 | 30 | 1180 | 6202 |
| 1997 | 862 | 514 | 78 | 256 | 179 | 213 | 1953 | 31 | 954 | 5040 |
| 1998 | 914 | 1498 | 84 | 287 | 106 | 202 | 2428 | 27 | 1211 | 6758 |
| 1999 | 786 | 1634 | 93 | 287 | 155 | 192 | 2288 | 27 | 1393 | 6855 |
| 2000 | 858 | 2136 | 93 | 341 | 187 | 162 | 1892 | 54 | 967 | 6692 |
| 2001 | 856 | 1837 | 97 | 338 | 135 | 102 | 1955 | 28 | 1834 | 7183 |
| 2002 | 1011 | 1800 | 82 | 428 | 163 | 126 | 2592 | 9 | 438 | 6650 |
| 2003 | 1188 | 3095 | 86 | 367 | 173 | 172 | 3382 | 27 | 417 | 8908 |
| Financial years | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1995/96 | 760 | 1164 | 70 | 190 | 132 | 174 | 2644 | 29 | 1973 | 7136 |
| 1996/97 | 684 | 1269 | 70 | 241 | 158 | 151 | 1952 | 30 | 1895 | 6452 |
| 1997/98 | 906 | 1490 | 80 | 305 | 107 | 223 | 2551 | 29 | 1439 | 7128 |
| 1998/99 | 913 | 1609 | 88 | 283 | 102 | 164 | 2376 | 27 | 1370 | 6931 |
| 1999/00 | 828 | 1719 | 92 | 297 | 201 | 169 | 2060 | 27 | 1177 | 6569 |
| 2000/01 | 851 | 1963 | 94 | 343 | 176 | 131 | 2607 | 27 | 612 | 6804 |
| 2001/02 | 858 | 1924 | 96 | 355 | 167 | 105 | 2220 | 32 | 453 | 6210 |
| 2002/03 | 1185 | 1812 | 76 | 383 | 172 | 155 | 2028 | 27 | 439 | 6277 |
| 2003/04 | 1109 | 1833 | 89 | 362 | 184 | 128 | 1915 | 11 | 483 | 6113 |
| 2004/05 | 1127 | 2026 | 95 | 300 | 126 | 73 | 1433 | 8 | 294 | 5480 |
| 2005/06 | 1333 | 2266 | 97 | 281 | 121 | 196 | 2066 | 6 | 287 | 6653 |
| 2006/07 | 1464 | 2174 | 106 | 317 | 111 | 117 | 1744 | 8 | 323 | 6363 |
| 2007/08 | 1750 | 2324 | 106 | 406 | 156 | 180 | 1962 | 9 | 482 | 7375 |
| 2008/09 | 2124 | 2750 | 133 | 387 | 210 | 200 | 2053 | 9 | 383 | 8250 |
| 2009/10 | 2269 | 2707 | 151 | 356 | 294 | 286 | 2729 | 7 | 583 | 9383 |
| 2010/11 | 2772 | 2880 | 158 | 347 | 264 | 107 | 2939 | 10 | 189 | 9667 |

Source: Finance Directorate

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4.5.2 Government revenue by source

2011/12

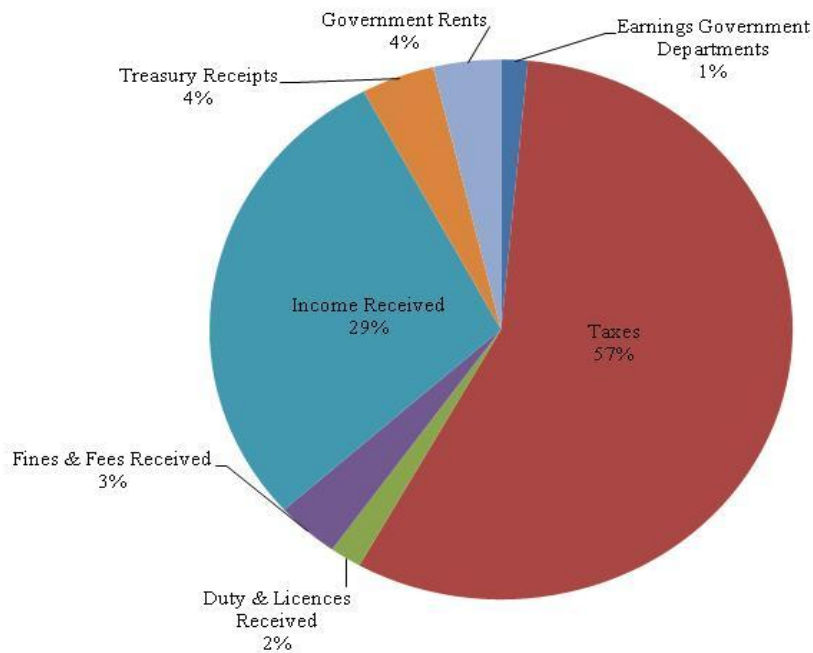
£ thousands

| | Other Income | Taxes | Duty & Licences Received | Fines & Fees Received | Govt Rents | Earnings Govt Dept | Income Received | Treasury receipts | Recharges Received | Total revenue |
|---------|-----------------|-------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------|--------------------------|--------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|------------------|
| 2011/12 | 0 | 5,478 | 170 | 341 | 363 | 142 | 2,788 | 393 | 0 | 9,674 |

Source: Finance Directorate

NB: Categories were revised in 2011/12, at the time of a move from a cash to accruals accounting system.

4.5 Government Revenue by Source (£ thousands)
2011/12



Source: Finance Directorate

4.6 Exchange rates¹ at end of quarter

2004 - 2013

| | South African Rand ² | Euro | United States Dollar | Japanese Yen |
|------------|---------------------------------|------|----------------------|--------------|
| 2004 Qtr 1 | 12.43 | 1.83 | 195.71 | 1.465 |
| Qtr 2 | 11.51 | 1.82 | 196.25 | 1.501 |
| Qtr 3 | 11.61 | 1.82 | 199.79 | 1.488 |
| Qtr 4 | 11.27 | 1.87 | 196.71 | 1.440 |
| 2005 Qtr 1 | 11.33 | 1.89 | 197.85 | 1.440 |
| Qtr 2 | 11.88 | 1.86 | 199.13 | 1.473 |
| Qtr 3 | 12.43 | 1.86 | 198.19 | 1.498 |
| Qtr 4 | 12.87 | 1.89 | 206.10 | 1.544 |
| 2006 Qtr 1 | 10.98 | 1.75 | 204.91 | 1.958 |
| Qtr 2 | 13.60 | 1.82 | 211.40 | 1.451 |
| Qtr 3 | 14.24 | 1.90 | 221.39 | 1.490 |
| Qtr 4 | 13.79 | 1.96 | 227.12 | 1.477 |
| 2007 Qtr 1 | 16.14 | 1.54 | 2.12 | 231.30 |
| Qtr 2 | 14.22 | 1.49 | 2.00 | 247.64 |
| Qtr 3 | 14.14 | 1.43 | 2.02 | 233.20 |
| Qtr 4 | 13.57 | 1.36 | 1.99 | 225.43 |
| 2008 Qtr 1 | 16.08 | 1.26 | 1.99 | 198.35 |
| Qtr 2 | 16.84 | 1.31 | 2.10 | 211.39 |
| Qtr 3 | 16.10 | 1.30 | 1.95 | 195.42 |
| Qtr 4 | 15.78 | 1.10 | 1.62 | 133.55 |
| 2009 Qtr 1 | 14.66 | 1.11 | 1.54 | 140.41 |
| Qtr 2 | 14.03 | 1.21 | 1.72 | 157.49 |
| Qtr 3 | 12.87 | 1.13 | 1.70 | 143.39 |
| Qtr 4 | 13.06 | 1.16 | 1.70 | 145.96 |
| 2010 Qtr 1 | 11.89 | 1.15 | 1.57 | 137.96 |
| Qtr 2 | 12.26 | 1.26 | 1.58 | 133.73 |
| Qtr 3 | 11.89 | 1.22 | 1.66 | 133.19 |
| Qtr 4 | 11.45 | 1.22 | 1.65 | 130.15 |
| 2011 Qtr 1 | 11.96 | 1.18 | 1.71 | 130.50 |
| Qtr 2 | 11.78 | 1.17 | 1.69 | 129.45 |
| Qtr 3 | 13.63 | 1.18 | 1.63 | 117.73 |
| Qtr 4 | 13.49 | 1.24 | 1.64 | 119.57 |
| 2012 Qtr 1 | 13.08 | 1.24 | 1.67 | 130.64 |
| Qtr 2 | 13.92 | 1.28 | 1.66 | 125.24 |
| Qtr 3 | 15.11 | 1.29 | 1.70 | 128.08 |
| Qtr 4 | 14.76 | 1.26 | 1.71 | 139.08 |
| 2013 Qtr 1 | 15.13 | 1.21 | 1.60 | 143.99 |
| Qtr 2 | 17.01 | 1.21 | 1.64 | 150.01 |

Source: Finance Directorate

¹ The St Helena pound is at par with sterling.

² The Rand exchange rate shown is the commercial rate.

5 External trade

Commentary

Trade statistics

This Section contains statistics covering financial and physical aspects of the trade between St Helena and the rest of the world. Trade statistics are available on a financial year basis.

Year-on-year comparisons are influenced by factors such as the timing of the arrival of the RMS St Helena and the number of projects taking place financed by development aid.

Imports

The direct source of all imports is either the United Kingdom or South Africa, with a small amount of imports from Ascension. Table 5.1 shows that in 2011/12, 61.4% of all imports came from the United Kingdom and the bulk of the remaining 38.7% from South Africa. Table 5.3 indicates that in 2011/12, the value of Government imports declined by 42% from the previous financial year, however, the value of Private imports increased by over 50% over the same period.

Imports of petrol and diesel

Table 5.6 shows petrol and diesel imports from 1981/82 to 2011/12 and quarters 1-3 of 2012/13. The quantity of petrol imported has significantly decreased from 726 tonnes in 2010/11 to 593 tonnes in 2011/12, whereas the quantity of diesel imported has remained fairly constant, only a 3% increase for the same period.

Exports

As of 2013 the only significant export from St Helena is fish, with small amounts of alcohol & coffee. Details of fish exports are given in table 5.5.

Since St Helena has no airstrip, all imports and exports are carried by ship. Fuel imports are brought in by chartered tanker (see Table 5.6); all other imports and exports are carried by the RMS St Helena, or ships chartered by SHG in the case of emergencies.

Balance of payments

St Helena has a substantial trade deficit, shown by the large deficit on the current account of The Balance of Payments. This is mainly financed by government (aid) transfers.

5 External trade

5.1 Total imports and exports: by value and country of origin

1997/98 - 2011/12

| | Imports by country of origin | | | | | | Totals | |
|---------|------------------------------|----------------|--------------------------------|---------|----------|--------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| | UK £ 000's | RSA £ 000's | Asc I. ¹ £ 000's | UK % | RSA % | Asc I. ¹ % | Imports £ 000's | Exports £ 000's |
| 1997/98 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| 1998/99 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| 1999/00 | 1,839 | 2,588 | 51 | 41.1 | 57.8 | 1.1 | 4,477 | 109 |
| 2000/01 | 920 | 5,606 | 134 | 13.8 | 84.2 | 2.0 | 6,660 | 150 |
| 2001/02 | 2,137 | 2,824 | 19 | 42.9 | 56.7 | 0.4 | 4,980 | 104 |
| 2002/03 | 1,925 | 2,969 | 17 | 39.2 | 60.5 | 0.4 | 4,911 | 87 |
| 2003/04 | 2,492 | 3,063 | 68 | 44.3 | 54.5 | 1.2 | 5,624 | 191 |
| 2004/05 | 3,242 | 3,146 | 54 | 50.3 | 48.8 | 0.8 | 6,442 | 240 |
| 2005/06 | 3,395 | 3,265 | 52 | 50.6 | 48.6 | 0.8 | 6,711 | 280 |
| 2006/07 | 4,205 | 3,972 | 95 | 50.8 | 48.0 | 1.2 | 8,272 | 262 |
| 2007/08 | 4,728 | 2,948 | 80 | 61.0 | 38.0 | 1.0 | 7,756 | 213 |
| 2008/09 | 4,396 | 4,247 | 124 | 50.1 | 48.4 | 1.4 | 8,767 | 263 |
| 2009/10 | 4,732 | 5,431 | 104 | 46.1 | 52.9 | 1.0 | 10,267 | 641 ^r |
| 2010/11 | 6,949 | 4,719 | 183 | 58.6 | 39.8 | 1.5 | 11,851 | 255 |
| 2011/12 | 7,992 | 4,876 | 152 | 61.4 | 37.5 | 1.2 | 13,021 | 852 |

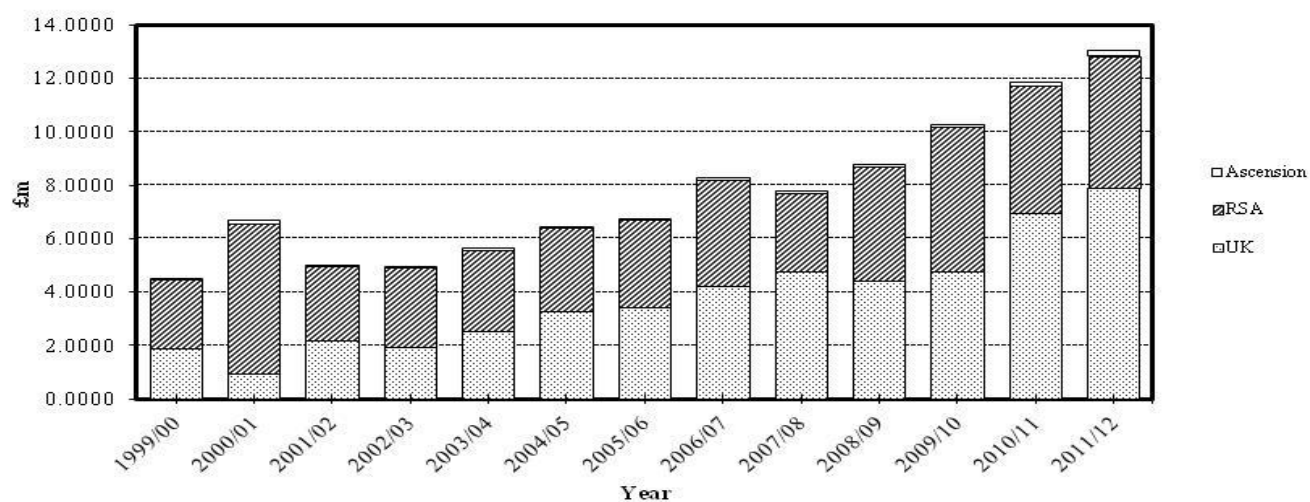
Source: Finance Directorate

¹ Ascension Island and all other countries

^r Revised figure

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5.1 Imports by country of origin 1999/00- 2011/12



Source: Finance Directorate

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5.2 Imports: by SITC division

2003/04 - 2011/12

£'000

| Year | SITC divisions | | | | | | | | | | Total imports |
|----------------|----------------|-----|-----|-------|-----|-------|-------|-------|-------|-----|---------------|
| | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | |
| £ | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2003/04 | 1,533 | 441 | 115 | 850 | 28 | 378 | 685 | 858 | 623 | 113 | 5,624 |
| 2004/05 | 1,748 | 449 | 94 | 758 | 44 | 352 | 770 | 1,312 | 801 | 112 | 6,442 |
| 2005/06 | 1,932 | 530 | 131 | 84 | 25 | 911 | 964 | 987 | 1,033 | 114 | 6,711 |
| 2006/07 | 2,155 | 435 | 116 | 1,066 | 43 | 749 | 954 | 1,563 | 1,104 | 87 | 8,272 |
| 2007/08 | 1,445 | 412 | 130 | 1,626 | 25 | 883 | 788 | 1,399 | 986 | 61 | 7,756 |
| 2008/09 | 1,913 | 411 | 133 | 1,480 | 30 | 821 | 1,136 | 1,896 | 899 | 48 | 8,767 |
| 2009/10 | 2,617 | 633 | 179 | 1,349 | 60 | 680 | 1,371 | 1,896 | 1,418 | 65 | 10,267 |
| 2010/11 | 2,504 | 622 | 199 | 1,839 | 52 | 1,135 | 1,498 | 2,563 | 1,375 | 63 | 11,851 |
| 2011/12 | 2,897 | 634 | 195 | 2,374 | 73 | 791 | 1,550 | 2,985 | 1,513 | 11 | 13,021 |
| % ¹ | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2003/04 | 27.3 | 7.8 | 2.0 | 15.1 | 0.5 | 6.7 | 12.2 | 15.2 | 11.1 | 2.0 | 100 |
| 2004/05 | 27.1 | 7.0 | 1.5 | 11.8 | 0.7 | 5.5 | 11.9 | 20.4 | 12.4 | 1.7 | 100 |
| 2005/06 | 28.8 | 7.9 | 2.0 | 1.2 | 0.4 | 13.6 | 14.4 | 14.7 | 15.4 | 1.7 | 100 |
| 2006/07 | 26.0 | 5.3 | 1.4 | 12.9 | 0.5 | 9.1 | 11.5 | 18.9 | 13.4 | 1.0 | 100 |
| 2007/08 | 18.6 | 5.3 | 1.7 | 21.0 | 0.3 | 11.4 | 10.2 | 18.0 | 12.7 | 0.8 | 100 |
| 2008/09 | 21.8 | 4.7 | 1.5 | 16.9 | 0.3 | 9.4 | 13.0 | 21.6 | 10.3 | 0.5 | 100 |
| 2009/10 | 25.5 | 6.2 | 1.7 | 13.1 | 0.6 | 6.6 | 13.4 | 18.5 | 13.8 | 0.6 | 100 |
| 2010/11 | 21.1 | 5.2 | 1.7 | 15.5 | 0.4 | 9.6 | 12.6 | 21.6 | 11.6 | 0.5 | 100 |
| 2011/12 | 22.2 | 4.9 | 1.5 | 18.2 | 0.6 | 6.1 | 11.9 | 22.9 | 11.6 | 0.1 | 100 |

Source: Finance Directorate

¹Due to rounding some figures may not tally to 100%.

.. Data not available

SITC divisions

| | | | |
|---|--|---|---|
| 0 | Food and live animals | 5 | Chemicals and related materials |
| 1 | Beverages and tobacco | 6 | Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material |
| 2 | Crude materials, inedible except fuels | 7 | Machinery & transport equipment |
| 3 | Mineral fuels, lubricants etc | 8 | Miscellaneous manufactured articles |
| 4 | Animal & vegetable oils and fats | 9 | Commodities and transactions nec |

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5.3 Imports: by sector

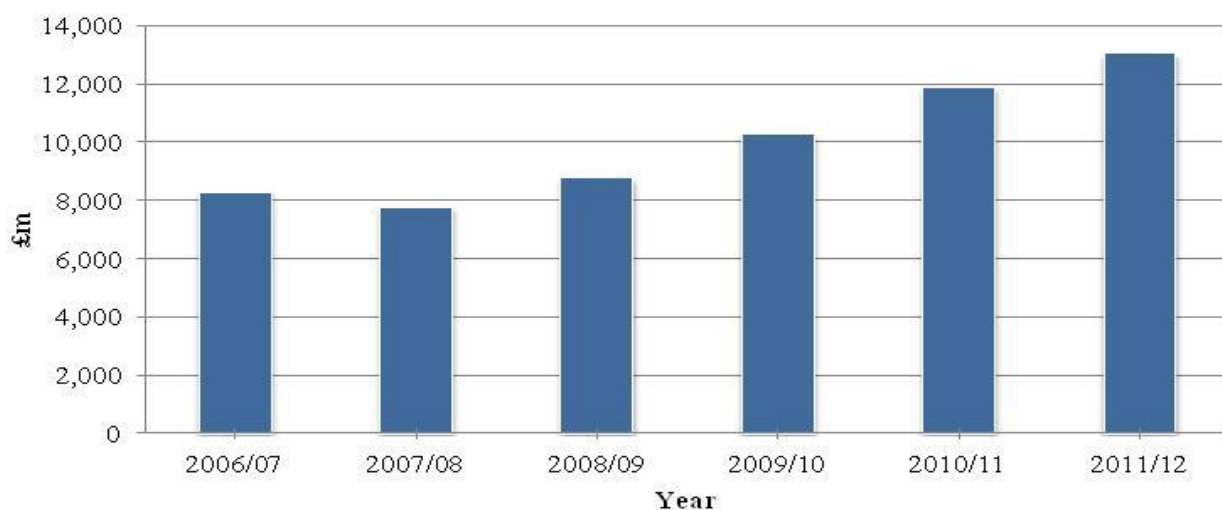
2006/07 - 2011/12

| | Private | | Commercial | | Government | | Total |
|----------------------|---------|----|------------|----|------------|----|--------|
| | £'000 | % | £'000 | % | £'000 | % | £'000 |
| 2006/07 ¹ | .. | .. | 7,402 | 89 | 870 | 11 | 8,272 |
| 2007/08 | 578 | 7 | 5,982 | 77 | 1,196 | 15 | 7,756 |
| 2008/09 | 686 | 8 | 6,600 | 75 | 1,481 | 17 | 8,767 |
| 2009/10 | 1,110 | 11 | 8,552 | 83 | 605 | 6 | 10,267 |
| 2010/11 | 999 | 8 | 8,688 | 73 | 2,164 | 18 | 11,851 |
| 2011/12 | 1,559 | 12 | 10,202 | 78 | 1,259 | 10 | 13,021 |

Source: Finance Directorate

¹ In 2006/07 the value for Commercial is a total of Commercial & Private.

5.3 Total Trade Imports (£m)
2006/07 - 2011/12



Source: Finance Directorate

5 External trade

5.4.1 Imports: by SITC division and sector

2010/11

Value of SITC by Sector

| SITC Division | Private £'000 | Commercial £'000 | Government £'000 | Total £'000 |
|---|------------------|---------------------|---------------------|----------------|
| 0 Food and live animals | 34 | 2,453 | 17 | 2,505 |
| 1 Beverages and tobacco | 5 | 617 | 0 | 622 |
| 2 Crude materials, inedible (except fuels) | 7 | 189 | 4 | 199 |
| 3 Mineral fuels and lubricants | 1 | 1,757 | 82 | 1,839 |
| 4 Animal & vegetable oils and fats | 0 | 52 | 0 | 52 |
| 5 Chemicals and related materials | 20 | 396 | 719 | 1,135 |
| 6 Man. goods classified chiefly by material | 181 | 1,038 | 279 | 1,498 |
| 7 Machinery & transport equipment | 436 | 1,354 | 773 | 2,563 |
| 8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles | 316 | 783 | 276 | 1,375 |
| 9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c | 0 | 49 | 14 | 63 |
| Total | 999 | 8,688 | 2,164 | 11,851 |

Percentage of Sector by SITC¹

| SITC Division | Private % | Commercial % | Government % | Total % |
|---|--------------|-----------------|-----------------|------------|
| 0 Food and live animals | 3 | 28 | 1 | 21 |
| 1 Beverages and tobacco | 0 | 7 | 0 | 5 |
| 2 Crude materials, inedible (except fuels) | 1 | 2 | 0 | 2 |
| 3 Mineral fuels and lubricants | 0 | 20 | 4 | 16 |
| 4 Animal & vegetable oils and fats | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 5 Chemicals and related materials | 2 | 5 | 33 | 10 |
| 6 Man. goods classified chiefly by material | 18 | 12 | 13 | 13 |
| 7 Machinery & transport equipment | 44 | 16 | 36 | 22 |
| 8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles | 32 | 9 | 13 | 12 |
| 9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Total | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 |

Percentage of SITC by Sector¹

| SITC Division | Private % | Commercial % | Government % | Total % |
|---|--------------|-----------------|-----------------|------------|
| 0 Food and live animals | 1 | 98 | 1 | 100 |
| 1 Beverages and tobacco | 1 | 99 | 0 | 100 |
| 2 Crude materials, inedible (except fuels) | 3 | 95 | 2 | 100 |
| 3 Mineral fuels and lubricants | 0 | 96 | 4 | 100 |
| 4 Animal & vegetable oils and fats | 0 | 100 | 0 | 100 |
| 5 Chemicals and related materials | 2 | 35 | 63 | 100 |
| 6 Man. goods classified chiefly by material | 12 | 69 | 19 | 100 |
| 7 Machinery & transport equipment | 17 | 53 | 30 | 100 |
| 8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles | 23 | 57 | 20 | 100 |
| 9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c | 0 | 78 | 22 | 100 |

Source: Directorate of Finance

¹Due to rounding some figures may not tally to 100%

5 External trade

5.4.2 Imports:

by SITC division and sector

2011/12

Value of SITC by Sector

| SITC Division | Private £'000 | Commercial £'000 | Government £'000 | Total £'000 |
|---|------------------|---------------------|---------------------|----------------|
| 0 Food and live animals | 48 | 2,843 | 6 | 2,897 |
| 1 Beverages and tobacco | 4 | 629 | 0 | 634 |
| 2 Crude materials, inedible (except fuels) | 17 | 176 | 2 | 195 |
| 3 Mineral fuels and lubricants | 1 | 2,271 | 102 | 2,374 |
| 4 Animal & vegetable oils and fats | 0 | 73 | 0 | 73 |
| 5 Chemicals and related materials | 23 | 537 | 231 | 791 |
| 6 Man. goods classified chiefly by material | 310 | 1,128 | 112 | 1,550 |
| 7 Machinery & transport equipment | 672 | 1,583 | 730 | 2,985 |
| 8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles | 483 | 954 | 75 | 1,513 |
| 9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c | 2 | 9 | 0 | 11 |
| Total | 1,559 | 10,202 | 1,259 | 13,021 |

Percentage of Sector by SITC¹

| SITC Division | Private % | Commercial % | Government % | Total % |
|---|--------------|-----------------|-----------------|------------|
| 0 Food and live animals | 3 | 28 | 0 | 22 |
| 1 Beverages and tobacco | 0 | 6 | 0 | 5 |
| 2 Crude materials, inedible (except fuels) | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| 3 Mineral fuels and lubricants | 0 | 22 | 8 | 18 |
| 4 Animal & vegetable oils and fats | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| 5 Chemicals and related materials | 1 | 5 | 18 | 6 |
| 6 Man. goods classified chiefly by material | 20 | 11 | 9 | 12 |
| 7 Machinery & transport equipment | 43 | 16 | 58 | 23 |
| 8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles | 31 | 9 | 6 | 12 |
| 9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Total | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 |

Percentage of SITC by Sector¹

| SITC Division | Private % | Commercial % | Government % | Total % |
|---|--------------|-----------------|-----------------|------------|
| 0 Food and live animals | 2 | 98 | 0 | 100 |
| 1 Beverages and tobacco | 1 | 99 | 0 | 100 |
| 2 Crude materials, inedible (except fuels) | 9 | 90 | 1 | 100 |
| 3 Mineral fuels and lubricants | 0 | 96 | 4 | 100 |
| 4 Animal & vegetable oils and fats | 0 | 100 | 0 | 100 |
| 5 Chemicals and related materials | 3 | 68 | 29 | 100 |
| 6 Man. goods classified chiefly by material | 20 | 73 | 7 | 100 |
| 7 Machinery & transport equipment | 23 | 53 | 24 | 100 |
| 8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles | 32 | 63 | 5 | 100 |
| 9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c | 18 | 81 | 2 | 100 |

Source: Directorate of Finance

¹Due to rounding some figures may not tally to 100%

5.5 Fish Exports by Weight & Value

| 2003-2012 | | | | | | | | | | Kgs | £ (000's) |
|-----------|-------|-------------------|----------------|----------|--------|----------|---------|--------|--------------------|---------|-----------|
| | | Yellowfin Tuna | Bigeye Tuna | Albacore | Wahoo | Skipjack | Grouper | Marlin | Other ¹ | Total | Total |
| 2003 | | 40,750 | 704 | 2,685 | 0 | 84,900 | 0 | 262 | 3,692 | 132,993 | 53 |
| 2004 | | 94,722 | 1,491 | 750 | 3,665 | 219,823 | 941 | 399 | 1,481 | 323,273 | 26 |
| 2005 | | 136,251 | 4,068 | 12,442 | 4,977 | 218,016 | 590 | 0 | 0 | 376,343 | 242 |
| 2006 | | 176,170 | 8,458 | 48,171 | 0 | 45,401 | 0 | 253 | 1,273 | 279,725 | 244 |
| 2007 | | 101,545 | 7,176 | 28,693 | 4,297 | 89,752 | 11,313 | 382 | 57 | 243,215 | 272 |
| 2008 | | 23,486 | 1,431 | 53,557 | 9,584 | 26,352 | 7,383 | 1,776 | 113 | 123,681 | 226 |
| 2009 | | 15,012 | 5,750 | 81,318 | 14,909 | 121,894 | 1,544 | 560 | 0 | 240,987 | 311 |
| 2010 | | 5,485 | 2,365 | 0 | 7,192 | 122,928 | 1,908 | 0 | 505 | 140,382 | 141 |
| 2011 | | 51,614 | 84,888 | 109,429 | 15,952 | 465,556 | 2,131 | 0 | 1,539 | 731,109 | 878 |
| 2012 | | 50,311 | 75,842 | 954 | 398 | 13,398 | 1,132 | 6,686 | 1,541 | 150,261 | 852 |
| 2008 | Qtr 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | n.a. |
| | Qtr 2 | 12,867 | 1,431 | 0 | 7,443 | 20,652 | 6,261 | 1,155 | 0 | 49,809 | n.a. |
| | Qtr 3 | 10,619 | 0 | 53,557 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 64,176 | n.a. |
| | Qtr 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2,142 | 5,700 | 1,122 | 621 | 113 | 9,697 | n.a. |
| 2009 | Qtr 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | n.a. |
| | Qtr 2 | 0 | 0 | 16,978 | 10,523 | 51,496 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 78,997 | n.a. |
| | Qtr 3 | 5,494 | 5,750 | 64,340 | 0 | 56,867 | 0 | 560 | 0 | 133,011 | n.a. |
| | Qtr 4 | 9,518 | 0 | 0 | 4,386 | 13,531 | 1,544 | 0 | 0 | 28,980 | n.a. |
| 2010 | Qtr 1 | 1,520 | 0 | 0 | 1,502 | 1,009 | 0 | 0 | 505 | 4,536 | n.a. |
| | Qtr 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3,165 | 54,634 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 57,799 | n.a. |
| | Qtr 3 | 3,965 | 2,365 | 0 | 2,524 | 38,202 | 1,908 | 0 | 0 | 48,964 | n.a. |
| | Qtr 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 29,083 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 29,083 | n.a. |
| 2011 | Qtr 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 151,165 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 151,165 | n.a. |
| | Qtr 2 | 4,043 | 44,381 | 25,419 | 6,445 | 154,847 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 235,136 | n.a. |
| | Qtr 3 | 47,571 | 13,184 | 60,544 | 9,507 | 159,544 | 2,131 | 0 | 1,539 | 294,019 | n.a. |
| | Qtr 4 | 0 | 27,322 | 23,466 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 50,789 | n.a. |
| 2012 | Qtr 1 | 14,102 | 48,453 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 62,555 | n.a. |
| | Qtr 2 | 27,739 | 25,569 | 306 | 398 | 13,398 | 1,132 | 6,686 | 1,541 | 76,769 | n.a. |
| | Qtr 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | n.a. |
| | Qtr 4 | 8,469 | 1,820 | 647 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10,937 | n.a. |

Source: Agriculture & Natural Resources Directorate

¹ Other includes Mixed Species Tuna, Mackerel, Bullseye, Swordfish, Shark (Various), Dorado, Moray Eel & Yellowtail

.. Data not available

n.a. Total £ (000) taken from Trade export figures. Only annual figures provided.

5 External trade

5.6 Imports of petrol and diesel

2001/02 - 2012/13

| | Petrol ¹ | | Diesel ² | | Total | |
|--------------------|---------------------|---------|---------------------|-----------|--------|-----------|
| | Tonnes | £ | Tonnes | £ | Tonnes | £ |
| 2001/02 | 805 | 160,023 | 2,190 | 410,127 | 2,996 | 570,150 |
| 2002/03 | 894 | 180,943 | 2,284 | 435,846 | 3,178 | 616,789 |
| 2003/04 | 738 | 143,185 | 2,394 | 446,572 | 3,131 | 589,757 |
| 2004/05 | 530 | 144,222 | 2,165 | 563,228 | 2,695 | 707,450 |
| 2005/06 | 975 | 330,942 | 2,384 | 800,582 | 3,359 | 1,131,524 |
| 2006/07 | 729 | 276,463 | 2,368 | 842,890 | 3,097 | 1,119,353 |
| 2007/08 | 850 | 362,676 | 3,079 | 1,214,365 | 3,928 | 1,577,041 |
| 2008/09 | 642 | 271,625 | 2,562 | 1,121,810 | 3,204 | 1,393,435 |
| 2009/10 | 540 | 245,441 | 2,471 | 991,821 | 3,011 | 1,237,262 |
| 2010/11 | 726 | 381,367 | 2,675 | 1,354,420 | 3,401 | 1,735,787 |
| 2011/12 | 593 | 437,321 | 2,745 | 1,845,184 | 3,338 | 2,282,506 |
| 2012/13 Qtr 1 | 149 | 119,078 | 759 | 521,481 | 908 | 640,559 |
| Qtr 2 | 176 | 119,664 | 845 | 548,848 | 1,020 | 668,512 |
| Qtr 3 | 162 | 109,547 | 788 | 526,656 | 951 | 636,203 |
| Qtr 4 ³ | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |

Source: Directorate of Finance & Solomon & Co

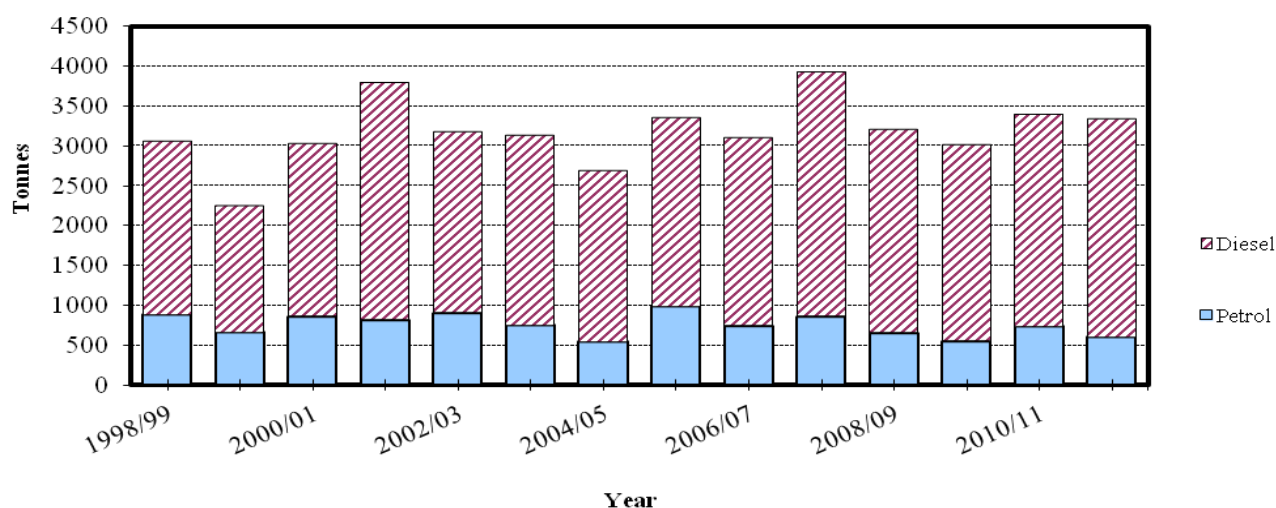
¹Petrol (1,182 litres = 1 tonne).

²Diesel (1,336 litres = 1 tonne).

³ Data not yet available, update due in end of Qtr 3 2013.

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5.6 Imports of petrol and diesel 1998/99 - 2011/12



Source: Directorate of Finance & Solomon & Co

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5.7 Selected agricultural imports by type

| 2001 - 2012 | | tonnes | | | numbers |
|-------------------|-------|---------------|---------------|--------|---------|
| | | Ware potatoes | Seed potatoes | Onions | Eggs |
| 2001 | | 130 | 6 | 39 | 76,440 |
| 2002 | | 112 | 15 | 56 | 124,200 |
| 2003 | | 128 | 0 | 36 | 223,200 |
| 2004 | | 96 | 24 | 50 | 448,800 |
| 2005 | | 136 | 21 | 53 | 176,040 |
| 2006 | | 119 | 52 | 47 | 154,800 |
| 2007 | | 137 | 13 | 55 | .. |
| 2008 | | 162 | 24 | 57 | .. |
| 2009 | | 95 | 18 | 52 | 28,800 |
| 2010 | | 85 | 0 | 54 | 186,480 |
| 2011 | | 62 | 14 | 58 | 105,840 |
| 2012 | | 100 | 20 | 67 | 19,800 |
| 2008 | Qtr 1 | 25 | 7 | 16 | .. |
| | Qtr 2 | 45 | 7 | 16 | .. |
| | Qtr 3 | 53 | 10 | 11 | .. |
| | Qtr 4 | 40 | 0 | 13 | .. |
| 2009 | Qtr 1 | 0 | 0 | 15 | .. |
| | Qtr 2 | 46 | 18 | 8 | .. |
| | Qtr 3 | 23 | 0 | 12 | .. |
| | Qtr 4 | 26 | 0 | 17 | 28,800 |
| 2010 | Qtr 1 | 3 | 0 | 12 | 54,000 |
| | Qtr 2 | 34 | 0 | 20 | 57,600 |
| | Qtr 3 | 20 | 0 | 10 | 61,200 |
| | Qtr 4 | 28 | 0 | 12 | 13,680 |
| 2011 | Qtr 1 | 9 | 0 | 16 | 16,920 |
| | Qtr 2 | 32 | 0 | 16 | 29,520 |
| | Qtr 3 | 14 | 11 | 18 | 39,600 |
| | Qtr 4 | 6 | 3 | 8 | 19,800 |
| 2012 ¹ | Qtr 1 | 16 | 8 | 13 | 19,800 |
| | Qtr 2 | 42 | 7 | 17 | 0 |
| | Qtr 3 | 25 | 6 | 16 | 0 |
| | Qtr 4 | 17 | 0 | 21 | 0 |

Source: Directorate of Agriculture & Natural Resources & Solomon & Co

¹ As of quarter 2 2012, eggs were supplied locally and no longer imported.

.. Data not available

5 External trade

5.8 Balance of payments of St Helena

2007/08 - 2009/10

£ thousands

| | 2007/08 | 2008/09 | 2009/10 |
|--|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| St Helena Current Receipts | | | |
| <i>Exports of Goods and Services:</i> | | | |
| Goods (fob) * | 213 | 263 | 321 |
| Tourism ¹ | 414 | 320 | 707 |
| Stamps | 37 | 89 | 47 |
| Fishing Licences | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| TC Expenditure on St Helena | 34 | 26 | 106 |
| Ascension Licence | 3 | 9 | 7 |
| Total Exports of Goods and Services | 701 | 707 | 1,189 |
| Property and Entrepreneurial income | | | |
| <i>Interest on external assets:</i> | | | |
| SHG Currency Account | 225 | 228 | 144 |
| SHG Savings Account | 276 | 182 | 394 |
| BFI Account | 42 | 54 | 53 |
| Total Income from Rest of World (ROW) | 543 | 463 | 591 |
| Total St Helena Receipts | 1,244 | 1,170 | 1,781 |
| St Helena Current Payments | | | |
| <i>Imports of Goods and Services:</i> | | | |
| Goods (fob) * | 7,756 | 8,767 | 10,267 |
| UK Technical Cooperation & Overseas Training | 3,643 | 1,396 | 3,620 |
| Shipping Subsidy | 4,940 | 5,672 | 6,028 |
| Total St Helena Payments | 16,339 | 15,835 | 19,915 |
| Balance on Current Account | -15,095.00 | -14,665.09 | -18,134.03 |
| Capital Transfers from ROW | | | |
| UK Aid | 7,535 | 8,709 | 7,650 |
| Private Transfers | 2,540 | 3,853 | 3,385 |
| Balancing Item | 5,020 | 2,102 | 7,099 |
| Balance on Capital Account | 15,095 | 14,665 | 18,134 |
| * Visibles | | | |
| Exports (fob) | 213 | 263 | 321 |
| Imports (fob) | 7,756 | 8,767 | 10,267 |
| Trade Balance | -7,543 | -8,504 | -9,946 |

Source: Corporate Policy and Planning

¹ Estimated

.. Data no longer available.

* fob - Freight on Board

Commentary

Retail prices

Tables 6.1 to 6.5 show details about prices on St. Helena. The most important indicator of price movements, the Retail Price Index (RPI), was re-weighted in July 1980, November 1987, November 1994, February 2002, and most recently, June 2010. Each revision was derived from a Household Expenditure Survey (HES) which establishes items and weights in an average weekly household expenditure on St. Helena. The prices of items used to calculate the RPI are collected quarterly, after which the index and rate of change is calculated and published. The 'rate of change' of the RPI is commonly referred to as the 'rate of inflation' or simply "inflation".

Inflation at the end of financial year 2012/13 stood at 2.4%, a marked decrease since the end of 2011 where inflation stood at 7.0%.

As so few goods are produced in St. Helena, changes in the local RPI are affected considerably by:

- UK inflation
- RSA inflation, allowing for changes in the £:Rand exchange rate, and
- Freight rates on the RMS St. Helena.

The Building Materials Index (BMPI) is shown in table 6.1, as well as, table 6.3 where its individual components are listed. The BMPI measures the rate of change of prices in the construction sector, and the weighting pattern is derived from the materials needed to build a typical house. From the rebase in June 2010 to March 2013 the average annual inflation of the BMPI was 3.2%. In financial year 2012/13 the annual rate of inflation was 2.7%.

Table 6.4 shows the prices of some selected commodities have changed over the past 6 years. Table 6.5 shows water tariff by consumer type from 1982 to present.

Employment

Tables 6.6 to 6.8 give information on employment and unemployment on St. Helena. Table 6.6 has been revised from previous publications of the Yearbook to reflect changes in the St Helena Government (SHG) pay structure introduced in April 2010 and the move away from weekly paid staff. Table 6.8 has also been revised due to the restructuring of SHG both in 2010 and 2012/13. Departments have been restructured into Directorates with the aim of forming a more streamlined and efficient public sector.

Community employment is shown in table 6.7. As of the 1st April 2011 the community employment scheme, also known as '3-day', was abolished. A delay in obtaining required data means that it has not been possible to update this table at time of publication. Please check with the Statistics Office on the status of updated information.

6 Price, wages and employment

Household Expenditure and personal income

Summary details about household expenditure and personal income are shown in table 6.10. The last HES was conducted in 2009 where the average weekly household expenditure amounted to £149.47 compared to £133.34 per week in the 2004 survey. The proportion spent on 'Food' remains the highest; however, it did decrease slightly by 6.7% in 2009. The smallest categories in 2009 were 'Clothing' and 'Alcohol and Tobacco' with 1.4% and 3.2% respectively. The next HES is next scheduled for Autumn 2013.

6.1

Price index numbers :

June 2010 = 100¹

2004-2013

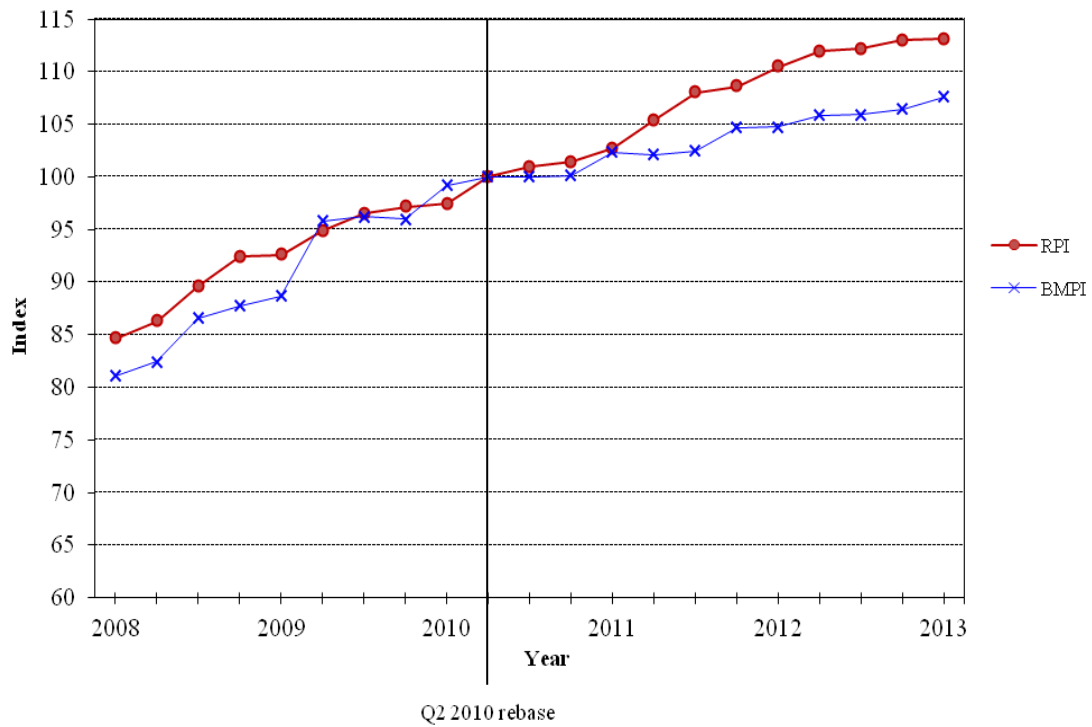
| Year | | Retail price index (RPI) | | Building materials price index (BMPI) | |
|------|-------|--------------------------|-----------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------|
| | | Index | Annual % change | Index | Annual % change |
| 2004 | Qtr 1 | 72.1 | 5.0 | 63.6 | 12.1 |
| | Qtr 2 | 72.5 | 4.3 | 63.8 | 11.5 |
| | Qtr 3 | 73.2 | 4.2 | 67.4 | 12.9 |
| | Qtr 4 | 73.4 | 3.0 | 67.5 | 13.3 |
| 2005 | Qtr 1 | 74.1 | 2.7 | 67.8 | 6.6 |
| | Qtr 2 | 74.2 | 2.4 | 69.1 | 8.3 |
| | Qtr 3 | 75.4 | 3.0 | 69.4 | 3.0 |
| | Qtr 4 | 76.0 | 3.6 | 70.5 | 4.4 |
| 2006 | Qtr 1 | 77.2 | 4.2 | 74.0 | 9.0 |
| | Qtr 2 | 78.0 | 5.1 | 73.3 | 6.1 |
| | Qtr 3 | 78.8 | 4.5 | 74.2 | 7.0 |
| | Qtr 4 | 78.5 | 3.3 | 74.5 | 5.7 |
| 2007 | Qtr 1 | 80.2 | 3.9 | 78.6 | 6.3 |
| | Qtr 2 | 81.7 | 4.7 | 75.6 | 3.0 |
| | Qtr 3 | 82.1 | 4.2 | 75.8 | 2.1 |
| | Qtr 4 | 83.0 | 5.7 | 75.8 | 1.7 |
| 2008 | Qtr 1 | 84.7 | 5.6 | 81.1 | 3.1 |
| | Qtr 2 | 86.3 | 5.6 | 82.4 | 9.1 |
| | Qtr 3 | 89.7 | 9.2 | 86.6 | 14.2 |
| | Qtr 4 | 92.4 | 11.4 | 87.7 | 15.7 |
| 2009 | Qtr 1 | 92.6 | 9.4 | 88.6 | 9.3 |
| | Qtr 2 | 94.9 | 9.9 | 95.8 | 16.2 |
| | Qtr 3 | 96.5 | 7.7 | 96.2 | 11.1 |
| | Qtr 4 | 97.2 | 5.1 | 96.0 | 9.4 |
| 2010 | Qtr 1 | 97.4 | 5.2 | 99.2 | 11.9 |
| | Qtr 2 | 100.0 | 5.4 | 100.0 | 4.4 |
| | Qtr 3 | 101.0 | 4.6 | 100.0 | 3.9 |
| | Qtr 4 | 101.5 | 4.4 | 100.1 | 4.3 |
| 2011 | Qtr 1 | 102.7 | 5.4 | 102.3 | 3.2 |
| | Qtr 2 | 105.6 | 5.6 | 102.1 | 2.1 |
| | Qtr 3 | 108.0 | 7.0 | 102.5 | 2.5 |
| | Qtr 4 | 108.6 | 7.0 | 104.7 | 4.6 |
| 2012 | Qtr 1 | 110.5 | 7.6 | 104.7 | 2.4 |
| | Qtr 2 | 112.0 | 6.1 | 105.8 | 3.6 |
| | Qtr 3 | 112.2 | 3.9 | 105.9 | 3.4 |
| | Qtr 4 | 113.0 | 3.8 | 106.4 | 1.7 |
| 2013 | Qtr 1 | 113.1 | 2.4 | 107.6 | 2.7 |

Source: Statistics Office, CPPU

NB: The RPI measures price changes in a fixed basket of commodities and services, and the BMPI measures the change in cost of building a house.

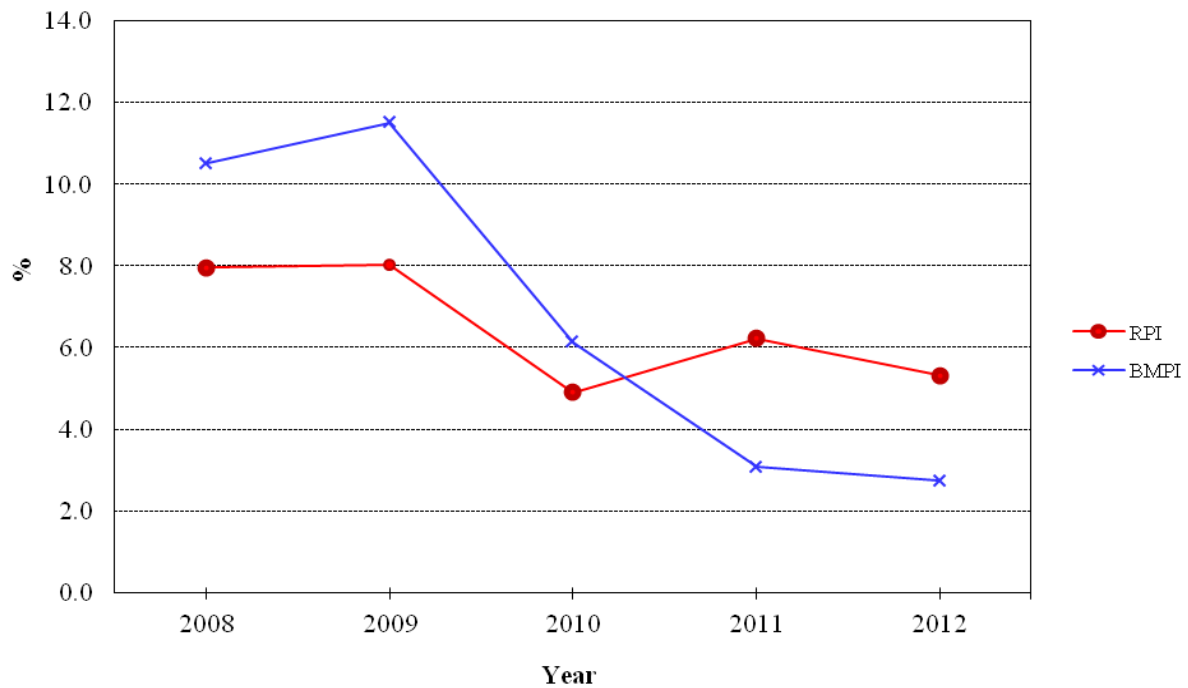
¹ The RPI and BMPI indices were rebased in June 2010 and calculated at the end of each quarter.

6.1 RPI and BMPI Price index numbers 2008 - Qtr 1 2013



Source: Statistics Office, CPPU

6.2 Average annual RPI and BMPI inflation, 2008 - 2012



Source: Statistics Office, CPPU

6 Prices, wages and employment

6.2 Retail Price Index :

June 2010 =100¹

2000 - 2013

index numbers and percentages

| | | Food | Alcohol & tobacco | Housing | Fuel & light | Clothing | House- hold goods | Trans- port | Miscell- aneous goods | Services | Total |
|---------------------------------|-------|-------------|----------------------|------------|-----------------|------------|-------------------------|----------------|-----------------------------|-------------|--------------|
| <i>Weights 2010²</i> | | <i>33.4</i> | <i>3.2</i> | <i>9.8</i> | <i>7.8</i> | <i>1.4</i> | <i>4.1</i> | <i>18.6</i> | <i>8.9</i> | <i>12.9</i> | <i>100.0</i> |
| 2000 | Qtr 4 | 67.76 | 79.69 | 107.69 | 53.26 | 116.26 | 146.36 | 79.96 | 81.77 | 113.48 | 78.57 |
| 2001 | Qtr 4 | 64.56 | 56.72 | 87.63 | 39.77 | 90.94 | 96.11 | 68.80 | 80.90 | 82.96 | 67.51 |
| 2002 | Qtr 4 | 61.6 | 57.8 | 88.4 | 50.0 | 96.9 | 93.3 | 70.5 | 81.2 | 81.4 | 67.6 |
| 2003 | Qtr 4 | 65.9 | 68.5 | 88.7 | 56.7 | 97.7 | 94.2 | 71.6 | 82.4 | 82.9 | 71.2 |
| 2004 | Qtr 4 | 70.1 | 68.1 | 90.3 | 60.9 | 104.9 | 102.5 | 69.6 | 85.6 | 84.0 | 73.4 |
| 2005 | Qtr 4 | 72.0 | 69.4 | 90.8 | 65.9 | 113.1 | 108.3 | 73.3 | 89.1 | 84.0 | 76.0 |
| 2006 | Qtr 4 | 72.8 | 74.3 | 91.6 | 68.8 | 115.5 | 97.2 | 79.4 | 94.5 | 84.1 | 78.5 |
| 2007 | Qtr 4 | 75.5 | 80.9 | 91.8 | 69.6 | 101.8 | 102.5 | 91.1 | 86.8 | 95.9 | 83.0 |
| 2008 | Qtr 4 | 91.4 | 93.7 | 96.7 | 74.6 | 107.4 | 105.6 | 97.7 | 90.1 | 96.5 | 92.4 |
| 2009 | Qtr 4 | 96.9 | 95.3 | 98.7 | 85.9 | 106.9 | 101.9 | 100.1 | 102.1 | 99.3 | 97.2 |
| 2010 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Qtr 1 | 97.6 | 100.5 | 99.3 | 85.9 | 99.1 | 100.0 | 99.9 | 98.6 | 99.3 | 97.4 |
| | Qtr 2 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| | Qtr 3 | 101.7 | 101.6 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.5 | 100.8 | 101.1 | 101.7 | 100.0 | 101.0 |
| | Qtr 4 | 101.7 | 105.6 | 100.0 | 101.0 | 101.3 | 100.7 | 101.6 | 103.5 | 100.0 | 101.5 |
| 2011 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Qtr 1 | 102.5 | 106.0 | 100.3 | 101.1 | 100.9 | 100.5 | 106.1 | 104.1 | 100.2 | 102.7 |
| | Qtr 2 | 104.6 | 107.2 | 105.8 | 101.6 | 103.0 | 103.4 | 108.5 | 111.3 | 102.5 | 105.6 |
| | Qtr 3 | 107.0 | 110.4 | 106.0 | 101.6 | 106.7 | 106.2 | 110.7 | 111.1 | 110.3 | 108.0 |
| | Qtr 4 | 106.5 | 116.6 | 106.1 | 101.8 | 104.9 | 111.8 | 111.0 | 114.0 | 110.3 | 108.6 |
| 2012 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Qtr 1 | 107.1 | 122.1 | 106.1 | 101.9 | 105.8 | 116.5 | 117.7 | 114.8 | 110.3 | 110.5 |
| | Qtr 2 | 108.6 | 122.8 | 106.3 | 108.5 | 107.2 | 118.6 | 119.1 | 115.4 | 110.3 | 112.0 |
| | Qtr 3 | 109.4 | 124.8 | 106.3 | 108.5 | 109.5 | 115.2 | 118.2 | 116.0 | 111.1 | 112.2 |
| | Qtr 4 | 109.2 | 125.3 | 106.4 | 108.5 | 116.4 | 116.5 | 118.2 | 112.9 | 116.4 | 112.7 |
| 2013 | Qtr 1 | 109.7 | 127.8 | 106.5 | 108.5 | 111.8 | 115.8 | 118.9 | 115.5 | 115.2 | 113.1 |
| <i>Annual percentage change</i> | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2002 | Qtr 4 | -4.6 | 1.9 | 0.9 | 25.8 | 6.5 | -2.9 | 2.5 | 0.3 | -1.9 | 0.2 |
| 2003 | Qtr 4 | 6.9 | 18.6 | 0.4 | 13.4 | 0.9 | 0.9 | 1.5 | 1.5 | 1.8 | 5.3 |
| 2004 | Qtr 4 | 6.4 | -0.6 | 1.7 | 7.5 | 7.3 | 8.9 | -2.8 | 3.9 | 1.3 | 3.0 |
| 2005 | Qtr 4 | 2.7 | 1.9 | 0.6 | 8.2 | 7.9 | 5.7 | 5.4 | 4.1 | 0.0 | 3.6 |
| 2006 | Qtr 4 | 1.2 | 7.1 | 0.8 | 4.4 | 2.1 | -10.3 | 8.2 | 6.1 | 0.1 | 3.3 |
| 2007 | Qtr 4 | 3.7 | 8.8 | 0.3 | 1.2 | -11.9 | 5.5 | 14.7 | -8.1 | 14.1 | 5.7 |
| 2008 | Qtr 4 | 21.0 | 15.8 | 5.3 | 7.1 | 5.5 | 3.0 | 7.3 | 3.8 | 0.6 | 11.4 |
| 2009 | Qtr 4 | 6.1 | 1.8 | 2.0 | 15.1 | -0.5 | -3.5 | 2.5 | 13.4 | 2.9 | 5.1 |
| 2010 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Qtr 1 | 8.5 | 11.8 | 3.2 | 4.2 | -6.3 | -5.1 | 2.0 | 6.0 | 2.9 | 5.2 |
| | Qtr 2 | 5.8 | 10.4 | 2.4 | 17.0 | -5.1 | -1.1 | 1.0 | 10.7 | 0.7 | 5.4 |
| | Qtr 3 | 5.5 | 4.2 | 2.3 | 16.5 | -5.6 | -0.7 | 2.3 | 4.3 | 0.7 | 4.6 |
| | Qtr 4 | 4.9 | 10.8 | 1.3 | 17.6 | -5.3 | -1.2 | 1.4 | 1.3 | 0.7 | 4.4 |
| 2011 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Qtr 1 | 5.0 | 5.5 | 1.0 | 17.8 | 1.8 | 0.5 | 6.3 | 5.5 | 0.9 | 5.4 |
| | Qtr 2 | 4.6 | 7.2 | 5.8 | 1.6 | 3.0 | 3.4 | 8.5 | 11.3 | 2.5 | 5.6 |
| | Qtr 3 | 5.2 | 8.7 | 6.0 | 1.6 | 6.2 | 5.4 | 9.5 | 9.3 | 10.3 | 7.0 |
| | Qtr 4 | 4.7 | 10.4 | 6.1 | 0.8 | 3.6 | 11.1 | 9.3 | 10.1 | 10.3 | 7.0 |
| 2012 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Qtr 1 | 4.5 | 15.3 | 5.8 | 0.7 | 4.9 | 15.9 | 10.9 | 10.3 | 10.2 | 7.6 |
| | Qtr 2 | 3.8 | 14.5 | 0.5 | 6.8 | 4.1 | 14.7 | 9.8 | 3.7 | 7.6 | 6.1 |
| | Qtr 3 | 2.3 | 13.0 | 0.3 | 6.8 | 2.6 | 8.5 | 6.8 | 4.4 | 0.7 | 3.9 |
| | Qtr 4 | 2.6 | 7.4 | 0.2 | 6.6 | 10.9 | 4.2 | 6.5 | -0.9 | 5.5 | 3.8 |
| 2013 | Qtr 1 | 2.5 | 4.7 | 0.3 | 6.5 | 5.6 | -0.5 | 1.1 | 0.6 | 4.4 | 2.4 |

Source: Statistics Office, CPPU

¹ The index was rebased in June 2010 and calculated at the end of each quarter.

² Weights were calculated through the 2009 Household Expenditure Survey (HES).

6 Prices, wages and employment

6.3 Building materials price index¹:

June 2010=100¹

2000 - 2013

index numbers and percentages

| | | Wood | Building materials | Iron & steel | Plumbing ware | Electrical fittings | Other | Total |
|---------------------------------|-------|------------|--------------------|--------------|---------------|---------------------|-------------|--------------|
| <i>Weights 2010²</i> | | <i>1.0</i> | <i>31.0</i> | <i>9.0</i> | <i>2.0</i> | <i>4.0</i> | <i>54.0</i> | <i>100.0</i> |
| 2000 | Qtr 4 | 60.0 | 49.7 | 30.1 | 76.3 | 101.7 | 57.0 | 51.1 |
| 2001 | Qtr 4 | 60.0 | 50.7 | 31.7 | 76.8 | 109.5 | 107.2 | 54.1 |
| 2002 | Qtr 4 | 58.6 | 55.0 | 54.1 | 82.2 | 90.0 | 63.0 | 57.8 |
| 2003 | Qtr 4 | 75.3 | 53.8 | 57.7 | 80.5 | 84.4 | 56.4 | 59.6 |
| 2004 | Qtr 4 | 75.3 | 63.3 | 71.2 | 91.9 | 68.8 | 59.9 | 67.5 |
| 2005 | Qtr 4 | 75.3 | 67.1 | 70.2 | 93.2 | 66.2 | 86.3 | 70.5 |
| 2006 | Qtr 4 | 73.8 | 74.5 | 67.1 | 80.6 | 89.5 | 89.3 | 74.5 |
| 2007 | Qtr 4 | 73.8 | 79.1 | 57.9 | 78.3 | 95.6 | 87.6 | 75.8 |
| 2008 | Qtr 4 | 73.8 | 87.9 | 96.9 | 85.3 | 101.4 | 89.8 | 87.7 |
| 2009 | Qtr 4 | 95.3 | 96.1 | 96.0 | 94.5 | 98.6 | 96.3 | 96.0 |
| | | | | | | | | |
| 2010 | Qtr 1 | 100.0 | 99.5 | 96.5 | 100.5 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 99.2 |
| | Qtr 2 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| | Qtr 3 | 100.0 | 98.1 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 101.0 | 100.0 |
| | Qtr 4 | 118.1 | 98.5 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.1 |
| | | | | | | | | |
| 2011 | Qtr 1 | 118.1 | 99.3 | 90.3 | 90.2 | 100.0 | 106.3 | 102.3 |
| | Qtr 2 | 118.1 | 95.9 | 95.4 | 90.2 | 105.4 | 106.7 | 102.1 |
| | Qtr 3 | 118.1 | 95.8 | 95.4 | 90.2 | 125.6 | 107.8 | 102.5 |
| | Qtr 4 | 130.9 | 98.6 | 95.4 | 96.5 | 125.6 | 108.1 | 104.7 |
| | | | | | | | | |
| 2012 | Qtr 1 | 130.9 | 101.8 | 95.4 | 96.5 | 106.2 | 107.6 | 104.7 |
| | Qtr 2 | 130.9 | 97.9 | 100.0 | 109.8 | 152.7 | 107.6 | 105.8 |
| | Qtr 3 | 127.2 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 109.8 | 145.1 | 107.0 | 105.9 |
| | Qtr 4 | 123.0 | 100.0 | 105.1 | 109.8 | 148.8 | 107.0 | 106.4 |
| | | | | | | | | |
| 2013 | Qtr 1 | 123.0 | 103.3 | 105.1 | 109.8 | 148.8 | 107.3 | 107.6 |
| | | | | | | | | |
| <i>Annual percentage change</i> | | | | | | | | |
| 2001 | Qtr 4 | 0.0 | 2.1 | 5.1 | 0.6 | 7.6 | 88.1 | 5.9 |
| 2002 | Qtr 4 | -2.4 | 8.5 | 70.8 | 7.0 | -17.8 | -41.2 | 6.9 |
| 2003 | Qtr 4 | 28.5 | -2.3 | 6.8 | -2.0 | -6.1 | -10.5 | 3.0 |
| 2004 | Qtr 4 | 0.0 | 17.8 | 23.4 | 14.2 | -18.5 | 6.3 | 13.3 |
| 2005 | Qtr 4 | 0.0 | 6.0 | -1.4 | 1.4 | -3.8 | 43.9 | 4.5 |
| 2006 | Qtr 4 | -1.9 | 11.0 | -4.4 | -13.5 | 35.2 | 3.5 | 5.7 |
| 2007 | Qtr 4 | 0.0 | 6.2 | -13.7 | -2.8 | 6.8 | -2.0 | 1.7 |
| 2008 | Qtr 4 | 0.0 | 11.1 | 67.2 | 8.9 | 6.1 | 2.5 | 15.7 |
| 2009 | Qtr 4 | 29.0 | 9.3 | -0.9 | 10.8 | -2.8 | 7.3 | 9.4 |
| | | | | | | | | |
| 2010 | Qtr 1 | 35.5 | 10.8 | -0.4 | 17.8 | 3.0 | 12.7 | 11.9 |
| | Qtr 2 | 0.9 | 4.8 | 3.1 | 14.0 | 3.0 | 9.8 | 4.4 |
| | Qtr 3 | 5.0 | 1.4 | 4.1 | 5.8 | 1.4 | 10.9 | 4.0 |
| | Qtr 4 | 24.0 | 2.5 | 4.1 | 5.8 | 1.4 | 3.8 | 4.3 |
| | | | | | | | | |
| 2011 | Qtr 1 | 18.1 | -0.2 | -6.4 | -10.2 | 0.0 | 6.3 | 3.1 |
| | Qtr 2 | 18.1 | -4.1 | -4.6 | -9.8 | 5.4 | 6.7 | 2.1 |
| | Qtr 3 | 18.1 | -2.3 | -4.6 | -9.8 | 25.6 | 6.7 | 2.5 |
| | Qtr 4 | 10.8 | 0.1 | -4.6 | -3.5 | 25.6 | 8.1 | 4.6 |
| | | | | | | | | |
| 2012 | Qtr 1 | 10.9 | 2.6 | 5.7 | 6.9 | 6.2 | 1.2 | 2.4 |
| | Qtr 2 | 10.9 | 2.0 | 4.8 | 21.7 | 44.9 | 0.9 | 3.6 |
| | Qtr 3 | 7.7 | 4.4 | 4.8 | 21.7 | 15.6 | -0.7 | 3.4 |
| | Qtr 4 | -6.0 | 1.5 | 10.2 | 13.8 | 18.5 | -1.0 | 1.7 |
| | | | | | | | | |
| 2013 | Qtr 1 | -6.1 | 1.4 | 10.1 | 13.8 | 40.1 | -0.3 | 2.7 |

Source: Statistics Office, CPPU

¹ The index was rebased in June 2010 and calculated at the end of each quarter.

² Weights were calculated through the 2009 Household Expenditure Survey (HES).

6 Prices, wages and employment

6.4

Retail prices of selected commodities: at the second quarter of each year

2007 - 2012

£

| | | Quarter 2 | | | | | |
|---|---------------------|-----------|-------|-------|-------------------|-------|-------|
| Commodity | Unit | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 ¹ | 2011 | 2012 |
| Basic commodities | | | | | | | |
| Bread, white loaf | Medium | 0.56 | 0.61 | 0.92 | 0.92 | 0.92 | 0.92 |
| Flour, white | 500g | 0.28 | 0.36 | 0.53 | 0.69 | 0.70 | 0.75 |
| Cornflakes | 375g | 1.39 | 2.39 | 2.69 | 2.69 | 2.99 | 2.79 |
| Rice, brown | 1 Kilo | 0.25 | 1.23 | 1.55 | 1.29 | 1.29 | 1.19 |
| Sugar | 1 Kilo | 0.70 | 0.70 | 0.70 | 1.09 | 1.24 | 1.35 |
| Meat | | | | | | | |
| Chicken, frozen imported | 1 Kilo | 2.68 | 2.90 | 3.30 | 3.29 | 3.19 | 3.50 |
| Bacon, piece | 1 Kilo | 4.76 | 5.21 | 7.47 | 7.59 | 7.70 | 7.69 |
| Corned beef, tinned | 340g | 1.30 | 1.07 | 1.35 | 1.67 | 1.63 | 2.87 |
| Tuna, fresh | 1 Kilo | 3.08 | 3.17 | 3.17 | 3.17 | 3.17 | 3.17 |
| Dairy products | | | | | | | |
| Butter, imported | 250g | 1.19 | 1.55 | 1.49 | 1.49 | 1.69 | 1.79 |
| Margarine | 500g | 0.45 | 0.78 | 0.98 | 1.90 | 2.35 | 2.34 |
| Cheese, Cheddar | 1 Kilo | 4.60 | 6.99 | 6.95 | 6.49 | 6.85 | 6.15 |
| Eggs | 6 Only | 1.20 | 1.30 | 1.30 | 1.30 | 1.30 | 1.40 |
| Milk, carton | 1 ltr | 0.72 | 0.95 | 0.99 | 1.09 | 1.19 | 1.15 |
| Milk, tinned | 410ml | 0.95 | 0.95 | 1.15 | 1.29 | 1.15 | 1.29 |
| Beverages | | | | | | | |
| Black Teabags | 80's | 1.18 | 1.28 | 1.24 | 1.52 | 1.86 | 1.87 |
| Coffee, granules | 100g | 0.75 | 0.95 | 0.95 | 1.25 | 1.19 | 1.62 |
| Alcohol and tobacco | | | | | | | |
| Beer, Castle | 330ml | 1.36 | 1.45 | 1.49 | 1.45 | 1.70 | 1.89 |
| Cigarettes, 555 | pkt of 20 | 2.60 | 3.10 | 2.89 | 3.56 | 3.79 | 4.48 |
| Vegetables and fruit | | | | | | | |
| Potatoes, imported | 1 Kilo | 0.90 | 0.58 | 1.00 | 0.90 | 0.95 | 0.95 |
| Onions | 1 Kilo | 0.65 | 0.62 | 0.79 | 0.89 | 1.10 | 0.89 |
| Bananas, local | 1 Kilo | 0.88 | 0.96 | 1.06 | 1.45 | 1.45 | 1.45 |
| Canned peaches | 410g | 0.71 | 0.65 | 0.99 | 1.09 | 1.09 | 1.19 |
| Fuel and light | | | | | | | |
| Water (1 st 15 units) | 1 unit ² | 0.58 | 0.58 | 0.58 | 0.58 | 0.72 | 0.72 |
| Electricity (1 st 400 units) | 1 unit ³ | 0.17 | 0.15 | 0.15 | 0.15 | 0.175 | 0.175 |
| Gas Cylinder | 14kg | 40.90 | 46.00 | 52.00 | 54.50 | 61.62 | 62.95 |
| Paraffin | 1 ltr | 1.75 | 2.00 | 2.15 | 3.39 | 4.15 | 4.15 |
| Petrol | 1 ltr | 1.07 | 1.21 | 1.36 | 1.30 | 1.51 | 1.52 |
| Toiletries | | | | | | | |
| Toothpaste | 100ml | 0.75 | 0.55 | 0.67 | 0.88 | 1.03 | 1.08 |
| Washing Powder | 2 Kg | 7.20 | 6.75 | 6.75 | 7.67 | 7.68 | 7.13 |
| Miscellaneous | | | | | | | |
| St Helena Independent | Newspaper | 0.50 | 0.50 | 0.50 | 0.50 | 0.60 | 0.90 |

Source: Statistics Office, CPPU

NB: Items and weights prior to 2010 were calculated to coincide with the re-base.

¹The RPI was re-based in Qtr 2 2010, therefore some descriptions/weights were changed.

² A unit of water is equivalent to 1 cubic meter.

³ A unit of electricity is equivalent to 1 KWh.

6 Prices, wages and employment

6.5 Water tariff: by type of consumer

1994 - 2012

£

| Type of consumer | 21/04/1994 | 01/04/1996 | 01/04/1999 | 01/08/1999 ¹ | 01/04/2008 | 01/04/2011 | 01/10/2012 |
|--|--------------------------|------------|------------|-------------------------|------------|------------|------------|
| A For domestic purposes | | | | | | | |
| - treated supply per cubic metre | 0.23 | 0.23 | 0.46 | 0.58 | 0.58 | 0.72 | 0.79 |
| - untreated supply per cubic metre | 0.16 | 0.16 | 0.32 | 0.41 | 0.41 | 0.47 | 0.52 |
| Quarterly standing charge | | | | | | | |
| - treated supply | 22.00 | 22.00 | 12.00 | 12.00 | 10.00 | 5.46 | 6.00 |
| - untreated supply | 16.00 | 16.00 | 6.00 | 6.00 | 5.00 | 5.46 | 6.00 |
| B For agricultural purposes | | | | | | | |
| - treated supply per cubic metre | 0.23 | 0.23 | 0.46 | 0.58 | 0.58 | 0.94 | 1.04 |
| - untreated supply per cubic metre | 0.16 | 0.16 | 0.32 | 0.41 | 0.41 | 0.47 | 0.52 |
| C For religious purposes or for social purposes in churches and halls where no charge is made for admission | | | | | | | |
| | Charged at domestic rate | | | | | | |
| D For commercial, government or public purposes in all commercial premises, government offices and other buildings. | | | | | | | |
| per cubic metre | 6.00 | 1.60 | 1.60 | 1.60 | 1.60 | 1.85 | 2.04 |
| standing charge (per quarter) | 4.50 | 4.50 | 4.50 | 4.50 | 12.00 | 16.38 | 18.00 |
| E For issue to ships | | | | | | | |
| - per 1000 galls | 8.00 | 8.00 | 8.00 | 8.00 | 8.00 | 1.85 | 9.27 |

Source: Directorate of Infrastructure and Utilities

NB: Charge per cubic metre

¹ Between the years for 1999 and 2008 there were no changes to the Water Tariff.

² The Water Division of I&U no longer has a tariff in place for water issued to ships therefore the commercial rate was applied (per cubic meter) for use in this table. 1 gallon is equivalent to 0.0045 cubic meters.

6 Prices, wages and employment

6.6

SHG Pay & Grading Scale 2010¹

by grade, salary group and number of employees

2012

| Grade | £ | No. ² |
|-------|-----------------|------------------|
| | 01/04/10 | 2011/12 |
| A | 3,869 - 5,294 | 52 |
| B | 5,148 - 6,666 | 208 |
| C | 6,479 - 8,393 | 281 |
| D | 8,154 - 10,577 | 130 |
| E | 10,275 - 12,605 | 85 |
| F | 12,241 - 16,390 | 44 |
| G | 15,922 - 27,799 | 17 |

Source: Finance Directorate

NB: This table includes the latest Pay and Grading structure as well as the latest figures for employee numbers.

The last two points of each grade are also the first two points of the following grade.

¹ Revised in April 2010

² Excluding TC Officers and part-time staff

6 Prices, wages and employment

6.7 Community employment, unemployment benefits and income related benefits:

by gender

2005 - 2012

numbers

| Quarterly Averages | | Community Employment ¹ | | | Unemployment Benefits | | | Income Related Benefits (IRB) | | | | | |
|--------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------------|--------|-------|-----------------------|--------|-----------------|-------------------------------|----------------|-------------|--------------------|---------------|-------|
| | | Male | Female | Total | Male | Female | Total | Single adult | Married couple | Depend-ants | Other ² | Cohabi-tating | Total |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | Qtr 1 | 75 | 28 | 103 | 13 | 25 | 41 ³ | 362 | 130 | 26 | 2 | n.a. | 649 |
| | Qtr 2 | 73 | 30 | 103 | 12 | 21 | 33 | 351 | 129 | 27 | 2 | n.a. | 637 |
| | Qtr 3 | 66 | 24 | 90 | 56 | 52 | 108 | 352 | 129 | 28 | 2 | n.a. | 640 |
| | Qtr 4 | 58 | 20 | 79 | 15 | 23 | 38 | 363 | 129 | 28 | 2 | 6 | 654 |
| 2006 | Qtr 1 | 58 | 21 | 78 | 12 | 25 | 37 | 360 | 127 | 29 | 2 | 7 | 652 |
| | Qtr 2 | 58 | 20 | 78 | 10 | 21 | 32 | 365 | 120 | 27 | 2 | 11 | 645 |
| | Qtr 3 | 57 | 22 | 79 | 26 | 32 | 58 | 366 | 120 | 29 | 2 | 7 | 644 |
| | Qtr 4 | 54 | 21 | 75 | 15 | 24 | 40 | 357 | 121 | 28 | 2 | 5 | 636 |
| 2007 | Qtr 1 | 50 | 17 | 67 | 13 | 24 | 37 | 353 | 125 | 29 | 2 | 11 | 645 |
| | Qtr 2 | 45 | 15 | 61 | 9 | 17 | 26 | 344 | 129 | 29 | 2 | 10 | 642 |
| | Qtr 3 | 45 | 12 | 57 | 16 | 23 | 38 | 346 | 127 | 28 | 2 | 10 | 641 |
| | Qtr 4 | 38 | 8 | 47 | 9 | 18 | 28 | 345 | 129 | 29 | 2 | 10 | 645 |
| 2008 | Qtr 1 | 35 | 8 | 42 | 7 | 17 | 24 | 346 | 127 | 28 | 2 | 10 | 638 |
| | Qtr 2 | 28 | 7 | 35 | 9 | 17 | 26 | 349 | 128 | 27 | n.a. | 10 | 643 |
| | Qtr 3 | 27 | 9 | 35 | 29 | 35 | 64 | 357 | 137 | 25 | n.a. | 10 | 666 |
| | Qtr 4 | 26 | 8 | 33 | 8 | 25 | 34 | 357 | 150 | 21 | n.a. | 10 | 688 |
| 2009 | Qtr 1 | 20 | 8 | 28 | 7 | 19 | 26 | 359 | 150 | 24 | n.a. | 11 | 694 |
| | Qtr 2 | 18 | 6 | 24 | 4 | 18 | 22 | 363 | 152 | 28 | n.a. | 12 | 708 |
| | Qtr 3 | 21 | 7 | 27 | 14 | 20 | 50 ³ | 365 | 156 | 28 | n.a. | 13 | 717 |
| | Qtr 4 | 20 | 6 | 26 | 15 | 21 | 36 | 378 | 159 | 35 | n.a. | 17 | 747 |
| 2010 | Qtr 1 | 16 | 6 | 22 | 15 | 22 | 38 | 376 | 161 | 35 | 0 | 23 | 756 |
| | Qtr 2 | 15 | 5 | 21 | 11 | 22 | 33 | 371 | 157 | 36 | 0 | 26 | 747 |
| | Qtr 3 | 15 | 5 | 24 | 15 | 27 | 46 | 368 | 209 | 37 | 0 | 28 | 850 |
| | Qtr 4 | 12 | 4 | 16 | 13 | 19 | 33 ³ | 361 | 208 | 32 | 0 | 27 | 836 |
| 2011 ^P | Qtr 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| | Qtr 2 ⁴ | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 31 |
| | Qtr 3 | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | .. | .. | 28 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 40 |
| | Qtr 4 | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | .. | .. | 13 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 28 |
| 2012 ^P | Qtr 1 | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | .. | .. | 32 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| | Qtr 2 | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| | Qtr 3 | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| | Qtr 4 | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |

Source: Directorate of Health and Social Welfare

NB: This table was revised in this edition to include cohabitating IRB recipients, and married couples receiving Community Employment/Unemployment benefits, as single individuals.

¹ Community employment was known as the 3-day Work Scheme, however it was abolished on the 1st April 2011, therefore these figures are no longer reported.

² Other includes pensioners.

³ Some months did not include a gender breakdown for Youths, however they were included in the Total.

⁴ In April 2011 a new IRB and Basic Island Pension (BIP) Scheme was introduced, IRB recipients are now classified as households instead of individual persons, hence the seemingly dramatic drop.

n.a. Not applicable

^P Provisional

.. Not available due to data constraints, table will be updated at a later date to be announced.

6.8.1 SHG employment by directorate

as of the beginning of each financial year

| 2010/11 - 2012/13 | | number | |
|-----------------------------------|------------|------------|----------------------|
| Year | 2010/11 | 2011/12 | 2012/13 ¹ |
| Directorate | | | |
| Governor | 11 | 11 | .. ² |
| Secretariat | 56 | 58 | 61 |
| Access and Shipping | 6 | 6 | n.a. ³ |
| Agriculture and Natural Resources | 107 | 107 | 89 |
| Audit Services | 10 | 9 | 9 |
| Corporate Procurement | 12 | 12 | 9 |
| Education and Employment | 147 | 150 | 142 |
| Environmental Management | n.a. | n.a. | 11 ⁴ |
| Finance | 67 | 59 | 56 |
| Human Resources | 11 | 13 | 11 |
| Health and Social Welfare | 261 | 261 | 252 |
| Internal Audit | 4 | 4 | 4 |
| Infrastructure and Utilities | 172 | 167 | 184 |
| Police | 76 | 62 | 61 |
| Tourism | 8 | 6 | 5 |
| Total | 948 | 925 | 894 |

Source: Human Resources Directorate

NB: Tables relating to employment were revised in 2013 to accommodate the changes in structure in SHG since the 2009/10 Yearbook.

¹ 2012/13 figures are given as full time equivalents (FTE). FTE are calculated as a percentage of the 35 hours worked per week.

² In 2012/13 numbers for Governor were included with Secretariat total.

³ From 2012/13 Access and Shipping was no longer within SHG.

⁴ The Environmental Management Directorate was established in 2012/13.

.. Breakdown not available

n.a. Not applicable

6.8.2 SHG employment by directorate

by type of employment¹

| 2012/13 | | number | | | | |
|-----------------------------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| Directorate | Established | | Trainees | TC Posts | Vacancies | Total |
| | Full time | Part time | | | | |
| Secretariat | 42 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 51 |
| Agriculture and Natural Resources | 77 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 9 | 91 |
| Audit Services | 6 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 10 |
| Corporate Procurement | 8 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 10 |
| Education and Employment | 122 | 16 | 4 | 9 | 7 | 158 |
| Environmental Management | 10 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 16 |
| Finance | 53 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 56 |
| Human Resources | 9 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 12 |
| Health and Social Welfare | 208 | 0 | 14 | 2 | 29 | 253 |
| Internal Audit | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| Infrastructure and Utilities | 146 | 0 | 3 | 5 | 29 | 183 |
| Police | 52 | 6 | 0 | 4 | 8 | 70 |
| Tourism | 5 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 9 |
| Total | 742 | 30 | 23 | 29 | 99 | 923 |

Source: Human Resources Directorate

¹ These figures will not equal that of table 6.8.1 above due to SHG restructuring and, in some cases, creation of new posts. In addition the headcount measure is not the same.

6 Prices, wages and employment

6.9 Distribution of the workforce

2002/03 - 2009/10

numbers

| Category | 2002/03 | 2003/04 | 2004/05 | 2005/06 | 2007/08 ⁴ | 2009/10 |
|---|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|----------------------|--------------|
| <i>Employed:</i> | | | | | | |
| Government ¹ | 1,737 | 1,031 | 1,718 | 1,583 | 1,069 | 1,484 |
| Private | 807 | 837 | 785 | 931 | 1,071 | 1,241 |
| Parastatal | 43 | 25 | 24 | 19 | 22 | 21 |
| Other/Not Stated | | .. | .. | .. | 59 | 17 |
| Total employed | 2,587 | 1,893 | 2,527 | 2,533 | 2,221 | 2,763 |
| <i>Unemployed:</i> | | | | | | |
| Community employment | 130 | 162 | 101 | 77 | 44 | 25 |
| Receiving unemployment benefit | 178 | 43 | 38 | 33 | 22 | 31 |
| Other ² | 79 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Total unemployed | 387 | 207 | 139 | 112 | 66 | 56 |
| Total workforce on St Helena | 2,974 | 2,100 | 2,666 | 2,645 | 2,287 | 2,819 |
| Unemployment rate on St Helena ³ | 13.0% | 9.9% | 5.2% | 4.2% | 2.9% | 2.0% |
| Offshore workers ³ | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total St Helenian Workforce | 2,974 | 2,100 | 2,666 | 2,645 | 2,287 | 2,819 |

Source: Corporate Policy & Planning Unit and Directorate of Health & Social Welfare

NB: Government data was taken from departmental returns, Private and Parastatal data are extracted from Income Tax records.

¹ Includes Established, Unestablished, Temporary and Development Aid workers

² Includes those registered as unemployed but not eligible for benefits

³ Includes RMS St Helena employees. Due to the restoration of Citizenship rights we are unable to monitor offshore employment numbers.

⁴ 'Employed' 2007/08 figures were taken from the 2008 Census.

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6.10 Household expenditure by expenditure group

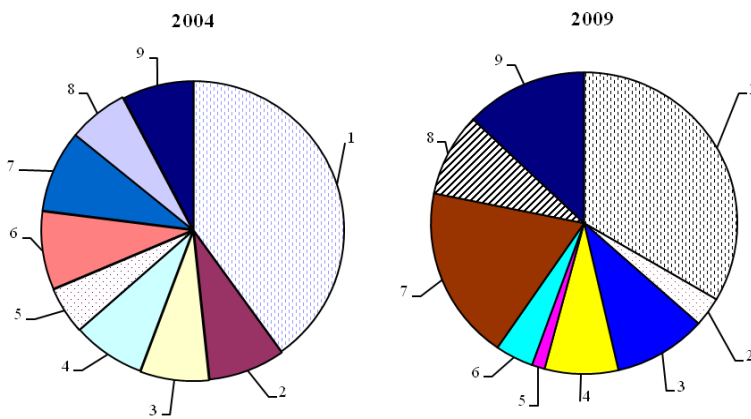
1993/94 - 2009

average household expenditure per week

| Expenditure group | | 1993/94 | | 2000 | | 2004 | | 2009 | |
|-------------------|-------------------|---------|-------|--------|------|--------|------|--------|------|
| | | £ | % | £ | % | £ | % | £ | % |
| 1 | Food | 40.82 | 42.7 | 34.32 | 33.1 | 53.48 | 40.1 | 49.92 | 33.4 |
| 2 | Alcohol & tobacco | 10.17 | 10.6 | 6.97 | 6.7 | 10.97 | 8.2 | 4.71 | 3.2 |
| 3 | Housing | 6.09 | 6.4 | 9.64 | 9.3 | 9.77 | 7.3 | 14.71 | 9.8 |
| 4 | Fuel & light | 5.19 | 5.4 | 8.38 | 8.1 | 10.41 | 7.8 | 11.63 | 7.8 |
| 5 | Clothing | 2.38 | 2.5 | 2.52 | 2.4 | 6.81 | 5.1 | 2.05 | 1.4 |
| 6 | Household goods | 3.78 | 4.0 | 3.56 | 3.4 | 11.26 | 8.4 | 6.06 | 4.1 |
| 7 | Transport | 15.25 | 15.9 | 23.82 | 23.0 | 11.86 | 8.9 | 27.76 | 18.6 |
| 8 | Miscellaneous | 8.80 | 9.2 | 6.35 | 6.1 | 8.57 | 6.4 | 13.32 | 8.9 |
| 9 | Services | 3.19 | 3.3 | 8.16 | 7.9 | 10.21 | 7.7 | 19.31 | 12.9 |
| Total | | 95.67 | 100.0 | 103.72 | 100 | 133.34 | 100 | 149.47 | 100 |

Source: 2004 & 2009 Household Expenditure Surveys

6.10 Household expenditure by expenditure group



Key: See above table

Source: 2004 & 2009 Household Expenditure Surveys

7 Water and climate

Commentary

Climate

St Helena's climate is kept mild, equable and healthy by the south east trade winds. Over the past ten years (2003-2012) annual rainfall averaged 253mm (approx. 10") at the Jamestown situated at the swimming pool on the wharf and 1,083mm (approx. 43") at Hutts Gate at an elevation of approximately 650m (2,130 ft) above sea-level.

Table 7.1 shows the rainfall at 7 collecting stations, the location of which is shown in 7.1.1b.

Table 7.2 contains figures for maximum and minimum temperature, relative humidity, wind run and sunshine hours.

Historical rainfall and weather data can be found from the Statistics Office or downloaded, under 'Additional data', from the following link:

<http://www.sainthelena.gov.sh/statistics/>

Water Supply

In 2012 water tables were revised to show water supply by electoral area and a map of water treatment works and major water lines were included.

Table 7.3 shows the volume of water supplied by electoral area and also metered untreated water supplied to the Island. As of 2013 approximately 90% of households on St Helena receive treated water.

Table 7.4 shows the metered supply of untreated water to each electoral area. Not all untreated water is metered so these figures represent a lower limit. No households in the electoral areas of Half Tree Hollow, Jamestown or Alarm Forest received untreated water and so are not included in this table.

Table 7.5 show the number of water meters for domestic, commercial/ government and agricultural customers. Although this gives an indication of customer numbers there is not a direct link between number of meters and number of premises. Some properties have more than one meter where others receive an unmetered water supply or a single site meter serves multiple premises.

7 Water and climate

7.1.1 Annual rainfall at selected stations

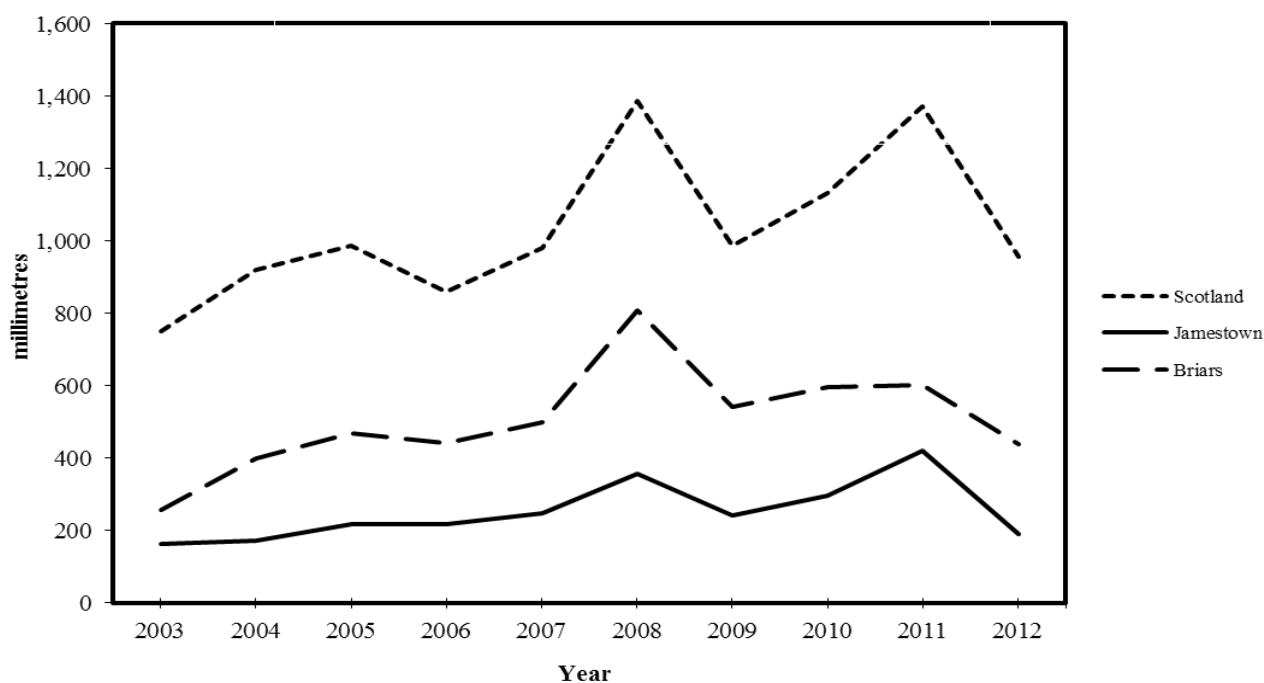
2003 - 2012

Millimetres

| Annual rainfall | Scotland | Jamestown | Harpers | Plantation | Hutts Gate | Briars | Bottom Woods |
|-----------------|----------|-----------|---------|------------|------------|--------|--------------|
| 2003 | 750 | 164 | 1,084 | 715 | 711 | 255 | 413 |
| 2004 | 921 | 173 | 1,236 | 878 | 871 | 398 | 467 |
| 2005 | 985 | 217 | 870 | 809 | 946 | 470 | 439 |
| 2006 | 861 | 218 | 724 | 998 | 1,138 | 442 | 525 |
| 2007 | 980 | 249 | 801 | 968 | 909 | 498 | 490 |
| 2008 | 1,385 | 356 | 1,223 | 1,428 | 1,707 | 807 | 735 |
| 2009 | 986 | 243 | 1,055 | 993 | 1,100 | 543 | 580 |
| 2010 | 1,131 | 296 | 1,020 | 1,053 | 1,165 | 595 | 638 |
| 2011 | 1,372 | 421 | 1,241 | 1,346 | 1,397 | 602 | 679 |
| 2012 | 957 | 190 | 799 | 874 | 888 | 438 | 544 |
| 10 year average | 1,033 | 253 | 1,005 | 1,006 | 1,083 | 505 | 551 |

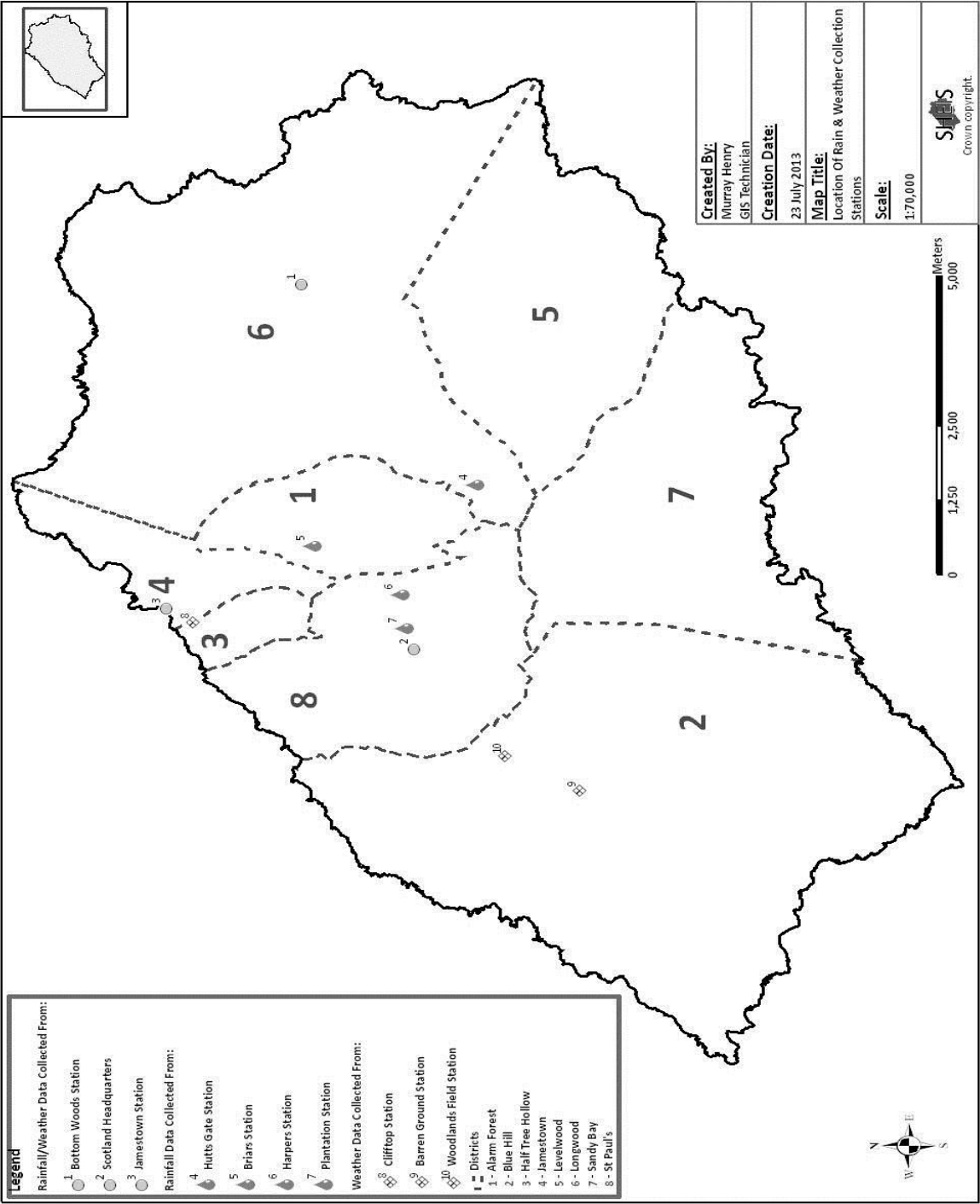
Source: Directorate of Agriculture & Natural Resources

7.1.1a Annual Rainfall at selected locations 2003-2012



Source: Directorate of Agriculture & Natural Resources

7.1.1b Map showing the location of the rainfall and weather stations



7 Water and climate

7.1.2 Monthly rainfall at selected stations

Millimetres

| Rain in 2012 | Scotland | Jamestown | Harpers | Plantation | Hutts Gate | Briars | Bottom Woods |
|---------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|--------------|
| January | 12 | 2 | 10 | 10 | 12 | 0 | 7 |
| February | 109 | 10 | 61 | 90 | 102 | 30 | 47 |
| March | 50 | 12 | 39 | 43 | 60 | 30 | 30 |
| April | 89 | 36 | 67 | 102 | 103 | 43 | 91 |
| May | 62 | 18 | 63 | 52 | 50 | 31 | 33 |
| June | 131 | 33 | 105 | 101 | 68 | 70 | 60 |
| July | 104 | 32 | 104 | 99 | 107 | 65 | 57 |
| August | 180 | 28 | 150 | 160 | 97 | 91 | 70 |
| September | 93 | 9 | 92 | 85 | 154 | 34 | 64 |
| October | 95 | 10 | 70 | 93 | 69 | 41 | 53 |
| November | 21 | 1 | 30 | 29 | 66 | 3 | 23 |
| December | 13 | 1 | 8 | 11 | .. | .. | 8 |
| Total rain in 2012 | 957 | 190 | 799 | 874 | 888 | 438 | 544 |

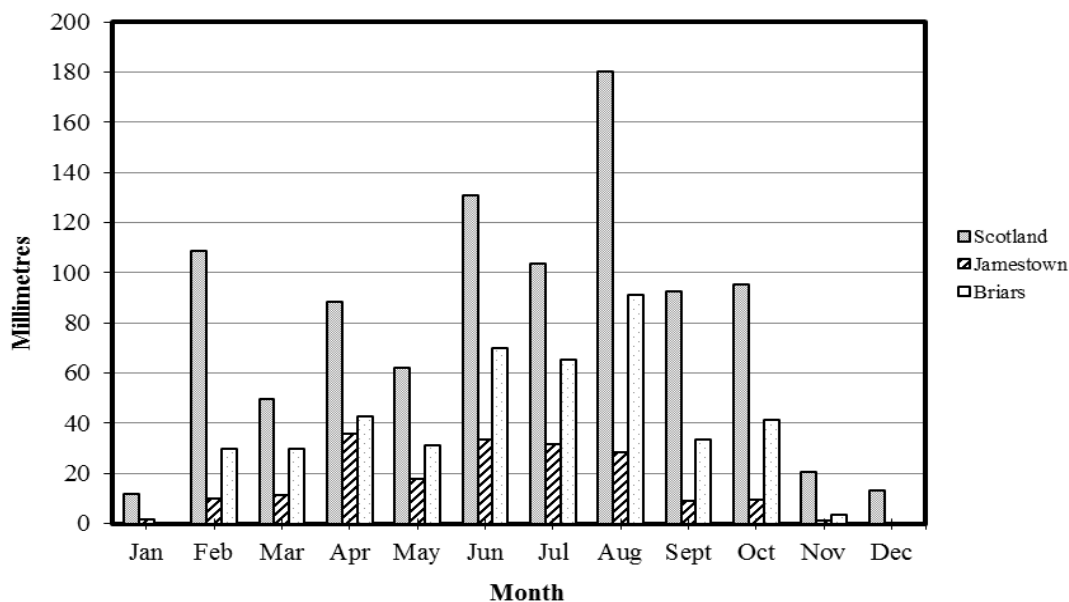
Monthly Averages 2003-2012

| | | | | | | | |
|------------------------------|--------------|------------|--------------|------------|--------------|------------|------------|
| January | 71 | 14 | 73 | 67 | 81 | 37 | 40 |
| February | 95 | 19 | 95 | 88 | 120 | 50 | 49 |
| March | 133 | 36 | 134 | 123 | 114 | 70 | 61 |
| April | 124 | 36 | 126 | 109 | 112 | 66 | 60 |
| May | 96 | 27 | 99 | 99 | 128 | 64 | 51 |
| June | 110 | 46 | 98 | 101 | 102 | 54 | 59 |
| July | 91 | 23 | 85 | 91 | 94 | 48 | 47 |
| August | 118 | 23 | 127 | 120 | 108 | 52 | 60 |
| September | 65 | 9 | 65 | 67 | 73 | 24 | 39 |
| October | 49 | 6 | 40 | 53 | 60 | 17 | 29 |
| November | 37 | 7 | 31 | 37 | 46 | 15 | 23 |
| December | 44 | 5 | 33 | 41 | 52 | 11 | 26 |
| 10 year average total | 1,033 | 253 | 1,004 | 994 | 1,088 | 506 | 544 |

Source: Directorate of Agriculture & Natural Resources

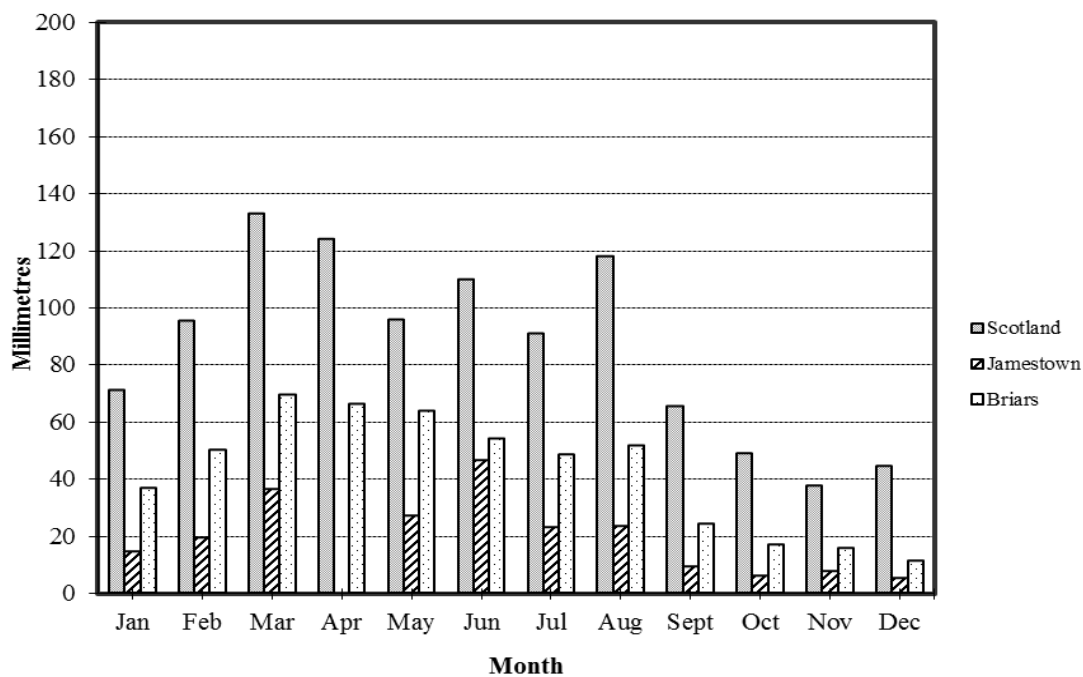
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7.1.2a Monthly rainfall at Scotland, Briars & Jamestown 2012



Source: Directorate of Agriculture & Natural Resources

7.1.2b Average monthly rainfall at Scotland, Briars & Jamestown 2003 - 2012



Source: Directorate of Agriculture & Natural Resources

7.2 Weather data at selected stations

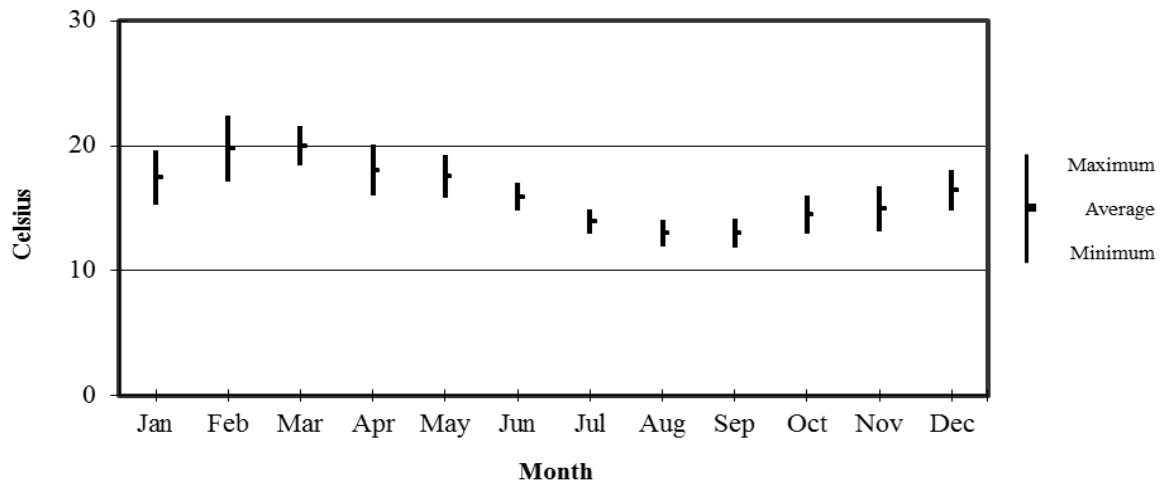
2012

| | Jan | Feb | Mar | Apr | May | Jun | Jul | Aug | Sep | Oct | Nov | Dec | Monthly average ² |
|--------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------------------------------|
| Maximum temperature (Celsius) | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Bottom Woods | 21.5 | 23.8 | 23.7 | 22.7 | 21.7 | 19.5 | 18.0 | 17.2 | 17.0 | 17.2 | 18.3 | 20.8 | 20.1 |
| Scotland | 19.6 | 22.4 | 21.6 | 20.1 | 19.3 | 17.0 | 14.9 | 14.1 | 14.2 | 16.0 | 16.8 | 18.1 | 17.8 |
| Barren Ground | 23.4 | 25.2 | 24.3 | 23.2 | 22.3 | 20.4 | 18.4 | 18.0 | 17.8 | 18.1 | 20.0 | 22.1 | 21.1 |
| Jamestown ¹ | 22.1 | 22.7 | 22.5 | 14.5 | 19.1 | 17.5 | 12.3 | 14.9 | 17.7 | 20.9 | 20.5 | 24.0 | 19.1 |
| Minimum temperature (Celsius) | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Bottom Woods | 16.1 | 18.8 | 19.0 | 17.9 | 17.3 | 15.9 | 14.4 | 13.4 | 13.6 | 13.7 | 14.5 | 15.8 | 15.9 |
| Scotland | 15.3 | 17.1 | 18.4 | 16.0 | 15.8 | 14.8 | 13.0 | 11.9 | 11.8 | 13.0 | 13.1 | 14.8 | 14.6 |
| Barren Ground | 13.7 | 9.7 | 21.1 | 15.1 | 15.4 | 12.7 | 11.2 | 10.8 | 11.3 | 10.9 | 11.9 | 12.8 | 13.1 |
| Jamestown ¹ | 16.4 | 18.2 | 18.6 | 11.8 | 15.1 | 14.5 | 9.9 | 10.8 | 12.7 | 16.4 | 16.0 | 18.8 | 14.9 |
| Relative humidity (%) | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Bottom Woods | 65.2 | 91.8 | 82.0 | 80.4 | 79.0 | 81.5 | 82.6 | 85.5 | 86.8 | 89.3 | 88.3 | 78.9 | 82.6 |
| Scotland | 77.7 | 83.3 | 83.5 | 86.2 | 79.7 | 81.5 | 91.3 | 93.6 | 92.0 | 93.8 | 92.3 | 79.2 | 86.2 |
| Barren Ground | 84.6 | 93.4 | 88.6 | 87.1 | 79.7 | 82.3 | 88.7 | 89.9 | 90.8 | 92.4 | 89.2 | 89.6 | 88.0 |
| Wind run (km/day) | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Bottom Woods | 127.3 | 503.0 | 537.2 | 478.7 | 489.0 | 565.0 | 576.9 | 594.4 | 636.5 | 673.5 | 576.9 | 434.1 | 516.0 |
| Scotland | 120.9 | 154.4 | 157.9 | 146.7 | 139.0 | 170.9 | 155.6 | 152.9 | 229.4 | 199.9 | 152.2 | 118.0 | 158.2 |
| Barren Ground | 161.9 | 156.1 | 155.0 | 156.7 | 141.5 | 158.2 | 170.8 | 189.4 | 224.1 | 251.2 | 205.2 | 137.8 | 175.7 |
| Sunshine (hours/month) | | | | | | | | | | | | | Annual total |
| Bottom Woods | 136.5 | 161.7 | 190.2 | 162.5 | 138.2 | 127.4 | 91.4 | 111.6 | 41.4 | 49.5 | 50.5 | 123.2 | 1,384.1 |
| Scotland | 184.3 | 152.7 | 207.9 | 161.4 | 147.8 | 122.2 | 93.9 | 102.1 | 64.8 | 108.4 | 151.3 | 111.7 | 1,608.5 |

Source: Agriculture & Natural Resources Directorate

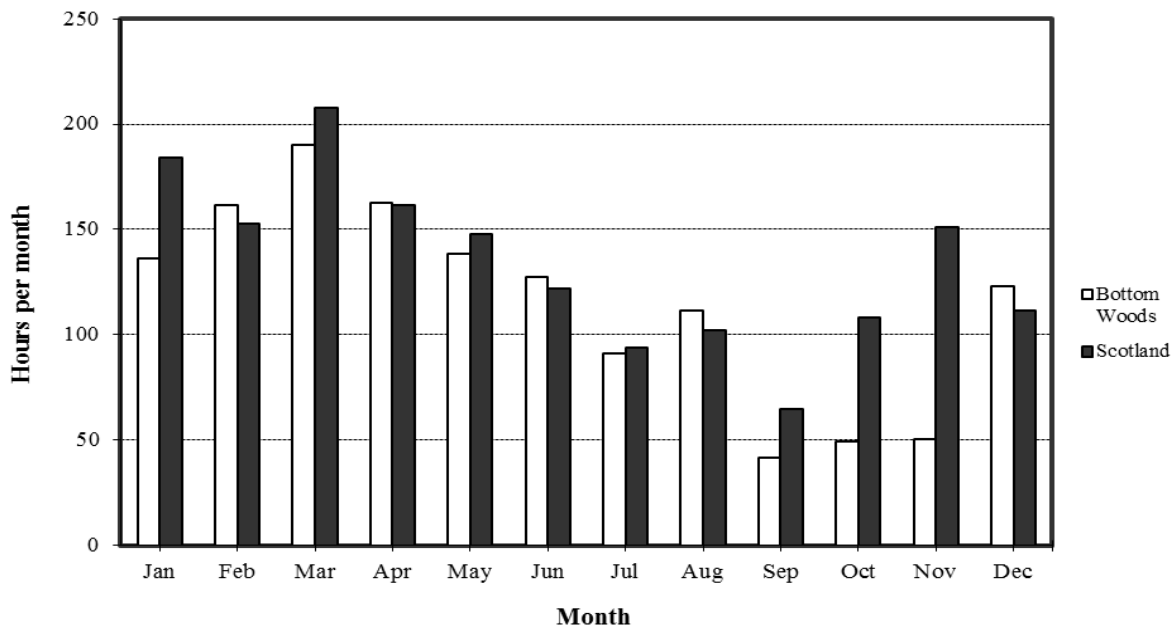
¹ The station is located at the Swimming Pool in Jamestown² Annual mean

7.2a Temperature at Scotland by month - 2012



Source: Directorate of Agriculture & Natural Resources

7.2b Sunshine at Scotland and Bottom Woods - 2012



Source: Directorate of Agriculture & Natural Resources

7 Water and climate

7.3 Treated water supply by electoral area

2002 - 2012

cubic metres

| | | Treated | | | | Untreated | Grand |
|------|-------|------------------------|-----------|----------|-----------|-----------|---------|
| | | Jamestown ¹ | St. Pauls | Longwood | Levelwood | Total | Total |
| 2002 | | 71,990 | 113,479 | 81,392 | 15,391 | 282,252 | 323,257 |
| 2003 | | 77,797 | 117,041 | 72,320 | 18,379 | 285,537 | 350,941 |
| 2004 | | 49,668 | 83,415 | 56,392 | 14,927 | 204,402 | 227,807 |
| 2005 | | 53,858 | 90,750 | 58,860 | 17,215 | 220,683 | 256,477 |
| 2006 | | 55,716 | 74,090 | 235,285 | 15,042 | 380,133 | 415,637 |
| 2007 | | .. | 118,236 | 88,527 | 24,837 | 231,600 | 238,246 |
| 2008 | | .. | 98,932 | 96,853 | 17,890 | 213,675 | 227,068 |
| 2009 | | 86,267 | 176,510 | 91,567 | 23,802 | 378,146 | 392,964 |
| 2010 | | 71,957 | 130,836 | 88,635 | 22,788 | 314,216 | 338,470 |
| 2011 | | 68,023 | 130,781 | 84,072 | 19,866 | 302,742 | 331,590 |
| 2012 | | 56,474 | 144,975 | 91,647 | 19,312 | 312,408 | 337,814 |
| 2009 | Qtr 1 | 29,715 | 78,585 | 21,348 | 5,374 | 135,022 | 138,700 |
| | Qtr 2 | 19,220 | 33,284 | 23,146 | 5,627 | 81,277 | 84,648 |
| | Qtr 3 | 20,088 | 29,344 | 23,322 | 5,810 | 78,564 | 82,112 |
| | Qtr 4 | 17,244 | 35,297 | 23,751 | 6,991 | 83,283 | 87,504 |
| 2010 | Qtr 1 | 18,455 | 35,978 | 22,358 | 7,726 | 84,517 | 93,346 |
| | Qtr 2 | 17,171 | 31,649 | 21,376 | 7,175 | 77,371 | 81,737 |
| | Qtr 3 | 17,741 | 30,392 | 20,766 | 2,103 | 71,002 | 74,715 |
| | Qtr 4 | 18,590 | 32,817 | 24,135 | 5,784 | 81,326 | 88,672 |
| 2011 | Qtr 1 | 18,080 | 32,542 | 20,880 | 5,157 | 76,659 | 89,241 |
| | Qtr 2 | 16,613 | 31,350 | 20,216 | 4,811 | 72,990 | 79,618 |
| | Qtr 3 | 16,275 | 31,405 | 21,030 | 4,393 | 73,103 | 77,275 |
| | Qtr 4 | 17,055 | 35,484 | 21,946 | 5,505 | 79,990 | 85,456 |
| 2012 | Qtr 1 | 17,277 | 38,860 | 23,312 | 6,411 | 85,860 | 92,877 |
| | Qtr 2 | 12,886 | 36,314 | 22,153 | 5,079 | 76,432 | 83,391 |
| | Qtr 3 | 12,837 | 32,456 | 19,671 | 3,475 | 68,439 | 73,427 |
| | Qtr 4 | 13,474 | 37,345 | 26,511 | 4,347 | 81,677 | 88,119 |

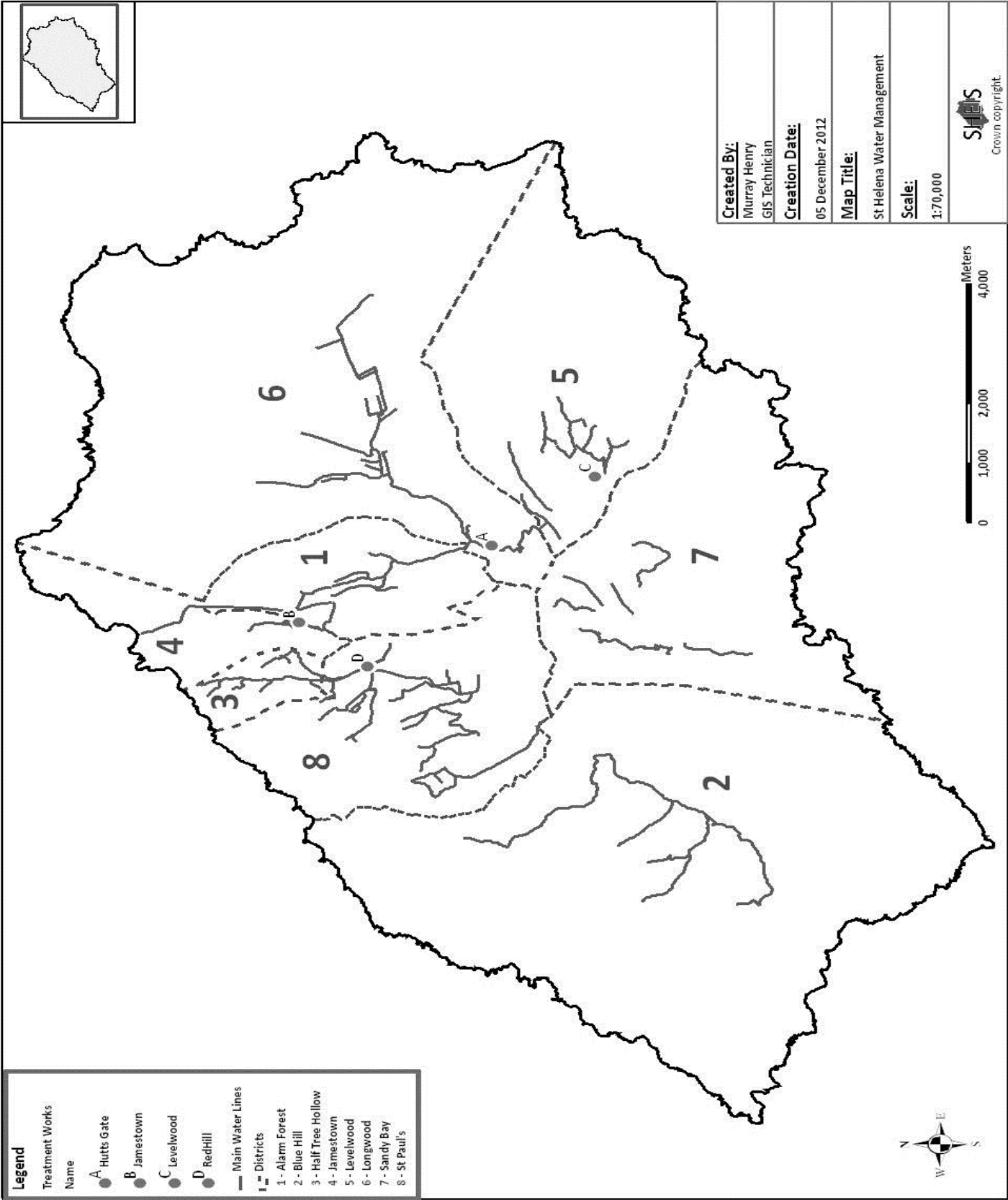
Source: Infrastructure and Utilities Directorate

NB: For location of treatment works see chart 7.3a.

¹ Data for 2007 and 2008 is not available due to faulty readings.

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7.3a Map of treatment works and main water lines - 2012



7 Water and climate

7.4 Untreated water supply by electoral area

2002 - 2012

cubic metres

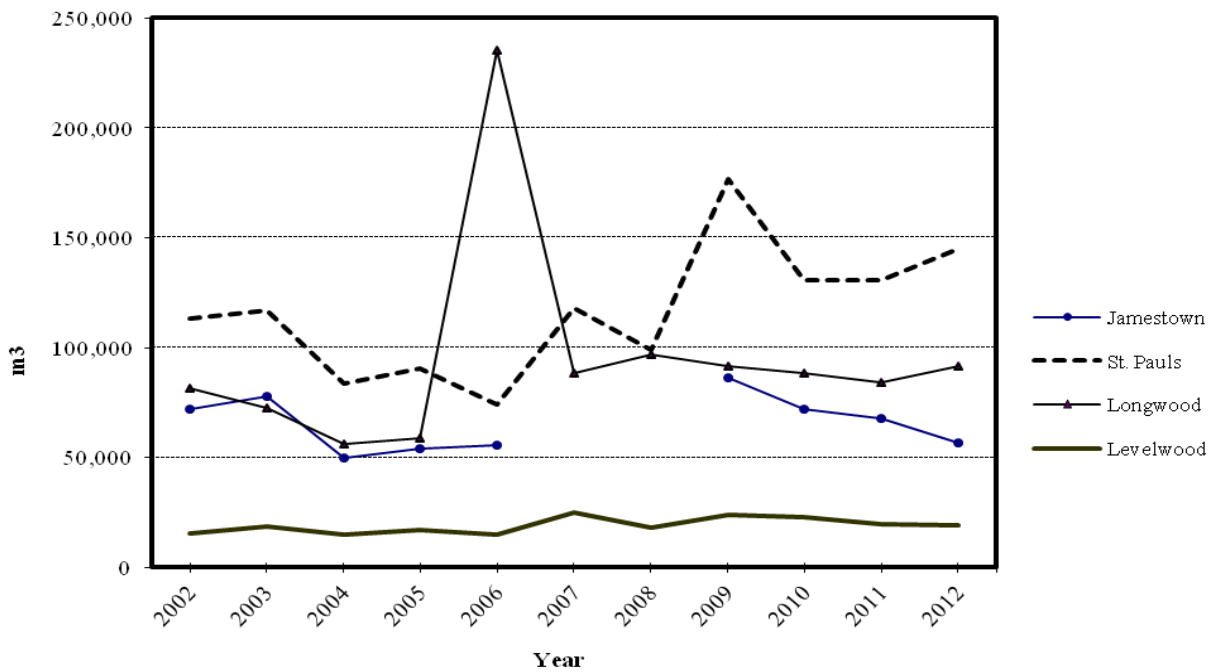
| | | Untreated | | | | | Treated | Grand |
|------|-------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|---------|---------|
| | | St. Pauls | Sandy Bay | Blue Hill | Levelwood | Longwood | Total | Total |
| 2002 | | 9,071 | 3,511 | 6,609 | 1,018 | 20,796 | 41,005 | 282,252 |
| 2003 | | 6,187 | 3,622 | 7,856 | 1,388 | 46,351 | 65,404 | 285,537 |
| 2004 | | 5,142 | 2,564 | 6,958 | 1,346 | 7,395 | 23,405 | 204,402 |
| 2005 | | 6,075 | 3,474 | 9,324 | 1,275 | 21,369 | 41,517 | 220,683 |
| 2006 | | 3,995 | 3,330 | 8,378 | 962 | 18,839 | 35,504 | 380,133 |
| 2007 | | 6,646 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6,646 | 231,600 |
| 2008 | | 4,455 | .. | 8,938 | .. | .. | 13,393 | 213,675 |
| 2009 | | 6,226 | .. | 8,592 | .. | .. | 14,818 | 378,146 |
| 2010 | | 6,300 | .. | 15,234 | 545 | 2,175 | 24,254 | 314,216 |
| 2011 | | 7,209 | 369 | 9,948 | 161 | 11,161 | 28,848 | 302,742 |
| 2012 | | 11,983 | 1,570 | 10,245 | 1,608 | .. | 25,406 | 312,408 |
| 2008 | Qtr 1 | 2,583 | .. | 1,683 | .. | .. | 4,266 | 61,967 |
| | Qtr 2 | 697 | .. | 2,367 | .. | .. | 3,064 | 63,388 |
| | Qtr 3 | 628 | .. | 2,211 | .. | .. | 2,839 | 28,388 |
| | Qtr 4 | 547 | .. | 2,677 | .. | .. | 3,224 | 59,932 |
| 2009 | Qtr 1 | 797 | .. | 2,881 | .. | .. | 3,678 | 135,022 |
| | Qtr 2 | 856 | .. | 2,515 | .. | .. | 3,371 | 81,277 |
| | Qtr 3 | 2,274 | .. | 1,274 | .. | .. | 3,548 | 78,564 |
| | Qtr 4 | 2,299 | .. | 1,922 | .. | .. | 4,221 | 83,283 |
| 2010 | Qtr 1 | 3,034 | .. | 5,626 | 169 | .. | 8,829 | 84,517 |
| | Qtr 2 | 913 | .. | 3,336 | 117 | .. | 4,366 | 77,371 |
| | Qtr 3 | 786 | .. | 2,835 | 92 | .. | 3,713 | 71,002 |
| | Qtr 4 | 1,567 | .. | 3,437 | 167 | 2,175 | 7,346 | 81,326 |
| 2011 | Qtr 1 | 1,531 | .. | 2,897 | .. | 8,154 | 12,582 | 76,659 |
| | Qtr 2 | 1,590 | .. | 2,647 | .. | 2,391 | 6,628 | 72,990 |
| | Qtr 3 | 1,299 | .. | 2,257 | .. | 616 | 4,172 | 73,103 |
| | Qtr 4 | 2,789 | 369 | 2,147 | 161 | .. | 5,466 | 79,990 |
| 2012 | Qtr 1 | 3,297 | 498 | 2,733 | 489 | .. | 7,017 | 85,860 |
| | Qtr 2 | 3,553 | 397 | 2,531 | 478 | .. | 6,959 | 76,432 |
| | Qtr 3 | 2,142 | 305 | 2,130 | 411 | .. | 4,988 | 68,439 |
| | Qtr 4 | 2,991 | 370 | 2,851 | 230 | .. | 6,442 | 81,677 |

Source: Infrastructure and Utilities Directorate

NB: For location of treatment works see chart 7.3a.

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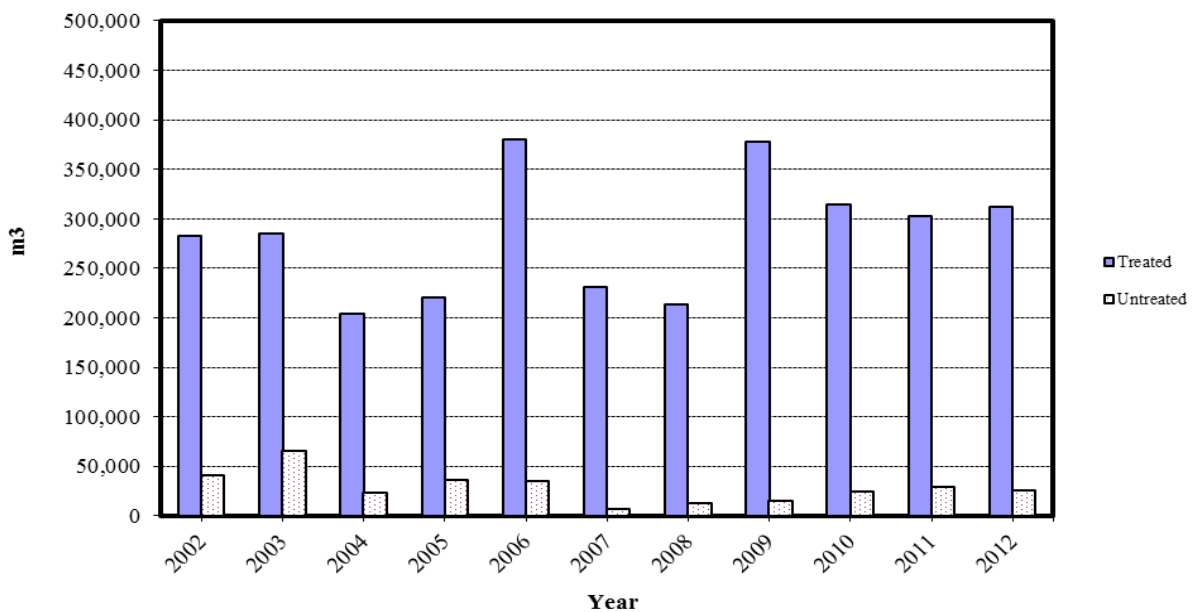
7.3b Treated water supply by electoral area 2002 - 2012



NB: Treated water for Jamestown was not available for 2007 and 2008.

Source: Infrastructure and Utilities Directorate

7.4 Water supply 2002 - 2012



Source: Infrastructure and Utilities Directorate

7 Water and climate

7.5 Water supply by user category and revenue received

1995 - 2012

| | | Number of water meters at end of period | | | Revenue during period £ ¹ |
|------|-------|---|---------------------------|--------------|--|
| Year | | Domestic | Commercial/ Government | Agricultural | |
| 1995 | | 1,900 | 157 | 177 | 118,694 |
| 1996 | | 1,954 | 163 | 189 | 130,551 |
| 1997 | | 1,996 | 175 | 200 | 142,920 |
| 1998 | | 2,025 | 191 | 209 | 156,684 |
| 1999 | | 2,058 | 198 | 219 | 140,736 |
| 2000 | | 2,089 | 209 | 220 | 192,990 |
| 2001 | | 2,142 | 209 | 220 | 181,908 |
| 2002 | | 2,172 | 217 | 225 | 162,557 |
| 2003 | | 2,205 | 205 | 221 | 186,683 |
| 2004 | | 2,134 | 198 | 243 | 177,387 |
| 2005 | | 2,239 | 284 | 176 | 191,159 |
| 2006 | | 2,252 | 304 | 306 | 203,823 |
| 2007 | | .. | .. | .. | 178,132 |
| 2008 | | 2,055 | 197 | 120 | 230,622 |
| 2009 | | 2,107 | 198 | 126 | 254,275 |
| 2010 | | 2,398 | 223 | 186 | 242,966 |
| 2011 | | 2,493 | 271 | 207 | 268,347 |
| 2012 | | 2,520 | 286 | 201 | 320,946 |
| 2009 | Qtr 1 | 2,070 | 225 | 117 | 68,927 |
| | Qtr 2 | 2,077 | 192 | 123 | 61,107 |
| | Qtr 3 | 2,039 | 194 | 118 | 60,558 |
| | Qtr 4 | 2,107 | 198 | 126 | 63,683 |
| 2010 | Qtr 1 | 2,357 | 214 | 180 | 70,173 |
| | Qtr 2 | 2,362 | 209 | 183 | 53,805 |
| | Qtr 3 | 2,367 | 212 | 183 | 61,441 |
| | Qtr 4 | 2,398 | 223 | 186 | 57,547 |
| 2011 | Qtr 1 | 2,487 | 262 | 199 | 76,961 |
| | Qtr 2 | 2,486 | 270 | 199 | 66,030 |
| | Qtr 3 | 2,489 | 272 | 203 | 67,470 |
| | Qtr 4 | 2,493 | 271 | 207 | 57,886 |
| 2012 | Qtr 1 | 2,504 | 276 | 208 | 84,457 |
| | Qtr 2 | 2,507 | 279 | 205 | 65,231 |
| | Qtr 3 | 2,515 | 281 | 201 | 96,877 |
| | Qtr 4 | 2,520 | 286 | 201 | 74,381 |

Source: Infrastructure and Utilities Directorate

¹ The domestic water rate was included in Land Tax. From April 1992 it was charged separately.

.. Data not available

8 Social

Commentary

Health

Tables 8.1 and 8.2 shows the number of patients accessing hospital and outpatient care. The number of hospital admissions have decreased from 2007 onwards. In 2010 and 2011 patient admissions were over 10% lower than the 10 year average number of 862 annual admissions. The average length of stay in hospital at the end of 2011 was 4 days, the lowest ever since recorded began in 1983. The average number of outpatient attendances per quarter has decreased steadily from 4,050 in 2006 to 2667 in 2011. An increase to a quarterly average of 3,019 outpatient attendances was observed in 2012. Over the past decade (2002-2012), there has been a 16% increase in the number of prescriptions issued and an increase of over 30% in the number of the prescription items issued.

Cause of Death

The most common cause of death on St Helena is heart disease, which has accounted for about 29% of deaths over the last eight years. This is followed by cancers, respiratory disorders and non-defined causes of death. Further details are shown in Table 8.3, but caution should be exercised when interpreting the figures since the small population means that it is impossible to attach much significance to the numbers in certain categories. An reliable update to the statistical table has not been possible since 2009. This is being addressed, please contact the statistics office to check on the availability of updated information.

Education

The system of education on St Helena changed from a two to a three-tier in 1988, with the completion of Prince Andrew School. However, as a result of falling pupil numbers, plans to move from a three tier system to a two tier were made in 2006. Three Primary Schools were created and the first, Pilling Primary, was established in September 2007.

Tables 8.4 to 8.6 are revised to better reflect the range of activities which the Education Directorate covers including Special Needs, Nursery and Adult Education. The Education Directorate has revised the GCSE curricula to make them relevant to St Helena by adopting the Cambridge International GCSE (IGCSE) and National Vocational Qualifications (NVQ) for the local certificate of vocational studies (CVS) in certain subjects. Figures showing pass rates per pupil and pass rates per candidate therefore include CVS, GCE and GCSE results. The Directorate introduced a policy of entering a broader range of pupils for key examinations such as GCSE Maths and English following the opening of PAS. This has in some places reduced the pass rate per candidate at Grade C or above, but does not reflect a drop in standards.

Table 8.4 is in 3 parts. Part (a) shows the number of pupils in each year for Year 7 to Year 10 (compulsory education academic years) and Year 11 to Year 13 (Post school leaving age academic years).

The compulsory school age was raised to 16 in 2008, and is reflected in table 8.4 Part (b) which shows a noticeable increase in the staying on rate from 92% in 2008/09 to 100% in 2009/10. This is the percentage of pupils entering Year 11 as a percentage of the number of pupils who entered Year 10 one year before. However, care should be taken when interpreting staying on rates as some pupils are added or subtracted throughout the year due to holidays, new pupils, etc. There are some instances where pupils new to Prince Andrew School have started the academic year in Year 11 and thus staying on rates could tally more than 100.

Part (c) shows the number of 'O' Levels (GCSE) and 'A' levels as well as CVS examinations passed. It also shows the number of GCSE/ CVS and A Levels per pupil who entered the appropriate Yr10 cohort either 1 or 3 years earlier. The figures show that the number of subject entries has fluctuated over the years however, in 2012/13; GCSE/ CVS passes per pupil were the highest ever recorded, at 4.4%.

Changes in the pupil to teacher ratio are caused by succession planning – increasing teachers to allow for wastage and retirements. Many teachers have faculty, pastoral and administrative duties, as well as teacher-training of trainees and probationers. The teachers are also involved in Adult Education.

Table 8.6 shows the details of the number of candidates and pass rates for GCSE/ CVS and 'A' Level examinations.

Fire and emergency services

Table 8.7 has been extended in 2009 to show with more detail the number of 'Fire & Sea Rescue' callouts. 'Other' comprises of a number of different miscellaneous callouts, however they are all listed in the footnotes beneath the table. The number of vehicle fires were steadily increasing up until 2009 when it dramatically decreased by over 90%. However, since 2009 the number of vehicle fires has again shown steady increase, although only at +1 fires per year.

Court Cases

Table 8.8 shows the number and type of court cases since 1995. The number of Liquor Applications has fluctuated during this period however over the last 3 years have remained relatively constant. In comparison to 2011 there has been an increase in the number of criminal convictions by approximately 26%.

8.1 The Health Service

1995 -2012

| | | In-patient admissions | | | Bed nights | Average length of stay (days) | Bed occupancy rate (%) | Prescriptions | |
|-------------------|-------|-----------------------|--------|-------|---------------|-------------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------|---------|
| | | Male | Female | Total | | | | Number | Items |
| 1995 | | 481 | 730 | 1,211 | 9,327 | 8 | 64 | 14,739 | 27,824 |
| 1996 | | 481 | 749 | 1,230 | 9,135 | 7 | 63 | 16,856 | 31,852 |
| 1997 | | 379 | 685 | 1,064 | 8,331 | 8 | 57 | 18,107 | 35,946 |
| 1998 | | 403 | 604 | 1,007 | 7,934 | 8 | 54 | 19,953 | 40,984 |
| 1999 | | 427 | 587 | 1,014 | 9,181 | 9 | 63 | 23,420 | 50,412 |
| 2000 | | 350 | 547 | 897 | 8,816 | 10 | 60 | 26,573 | 63,886 |
| 2001 | | 443 | 522 | 965 | 7,771 | 8 | 53 | 27,230 | 65,413 |
| 2002 | | 381 | 563 | 944 | 7,773 | 8 | 53 | 29,220 | 70,749 |
| 2003 | | 354 | 502 | 856 | 7,522 | 9 | 52 | 30,159 | 76,744 |
| 2004 | | 294 | 509 | 803 | 7,625 | 9 | 52 | 30,019 | 79,372 |
| 2005 | | 324 | 570 | 894 | 8,230 | 9 | 56 | 30,050 | 80,031 |
| 2006 | | 351 | 538 | 889 | 9,196 | 10 | 63 | 31,790 | 88,140 |
| 2007 | | 505 | 555 | 1,060 | 8,911 | 8 | 61 | 33,711 | 94,051 |
| 2008 | | 343 | 580 | 923 | 8,590 | 9 | 59 | 32,469 | 94,807 |
| 2009 | | 330 | 493 | 823 | 7,226 | 9 | 49 | 35,401 | 103,057 |
| 2010 | | 287 | 423 | 710 | 3,822 | 5 | 26 | 33,826 | 98,192 |
| 2011 | | 283 | 432 | 715 | 2,848 | 4 | 20 | 24,590 | 93,577 |
| 2012 | | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 22,714 | 101,540 |
| 2009 | Qtr 1 | 87 | 131 | 218 | 1,950 | 9 | 54 | 9,141 | 27,091 |
| | Qtr 2 | 68 | 105 | 173 | 1,723 | 10 | 47 | 8,394 | 25,028 |
| | Qtr 3 | 95 | 129 | 224 | 1,881 | 8 | 52 | 9,037 | 25,503 |
| | Qtr 4 | 80 | 128 | 208 | 1,672 | 8 | 46 | 8,829 | 25,435 |
| 2010 | Qtr 1 | 80 | 125 | 205 | 1,365 | 7 | 38 | 9,011 | 25,639 |
| | Qtr 2 | 76 | 104 | 180 | 874 | 5 | 24 | 8,494 | 24,421 |
| | Qtr 3 | 62 | 103 | 165 | 932 | 6 | 26 | 9,070 | 25,885 |
| | Qtr 4 | 69 | 91 | 160 | 651 | 4 | 18 | 7,251 | 22,247 |
| 2011 | Qtr 1 | 60 | 95 | 155 | 659 | 4 | 18 | 6,403 | 20,491 |
| | Qtr 2 | 67 | 86 | 153 | 727 | 5 | 20 | 6,320 | 20,369 |
| | Qtr 3 | 64 | 145 | 209 | 724 | 3 | 20 | 6,124 | 27,276 |
| | Qtr 4 | 92 | 106 | 198 | 738 | 4 | 20 | 5,743 | 25,441 |
| 2012 ¹ | Qtr 1 | 83 | 90 | 173 | .. | .. | .. | 5,858 | 25,903 |
| | Qtr 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5,575 | 25,477 |
| | Qtr 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5,546 | 25,858 |
| | Qtr 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5,735 | 24,302 |

Source: Health & Social Welfare Directorate

¹ update to be announced.

.. Data not available

8 Social

8.2 Outpatient attendances at clinics: by clinic

1997 -2012

number

| | | Jamestown | Longwood | Half Tree Hollow | Sandy Bay | Levelwood | Guinea Grass | Head O' Wain | Blue Hill ¹ | Total |
|-------------------|-------|-----------|----------|---------------------|-----------|-----------|--------------|--------------|------------------------|--------|
| 1997 | | 10,881 | 1,704 | 1,476 | 288 | 579 | 249 | 251 | n.a. | 15,428 |
| 1998 | | 10,387 | 1,856 | 1,373 | 262 | 615 | 232 | 211 | n.a. | 14,936 |
| 1999 | | 11,248 | 2,056 | 1,747 | 326 | 682 | 303 | 307 | n.a. | 16,669 |
| 2000 | | 13,107 | 2,330 | 2,071 | 576 | 789 | 278 | 275 | n.a. | 19,426 |
| 2001 | | 11,802 | 2,119 | 1,946 | 533 | 671 | 265 | 290 | n.a. | 17,626 |
| 2002 | | 11,592 | 1,949 | 1,904 | 578 | 633 | 223 | 236 | n.a. | 17,115 |
| 2003 | | 11,250 | 1,861 | 1,733 | 494 | 666 | 181 | 251 | n.a. | 16,436 |
| 2004 | | 10,134 | 1,794 | 1,659 | 510 | 581 | 134 | 149 | n.a. | 14,961 |
| 2005 | | 11,384 | 1,517 | 1,405 | 493 | 553 | 190 | 183 | n.a. | 15,725 |
| 2006 | | 12,233 | 1,482 | 1,194 | 333 | 494 | 276 | 187 | n.a. | 16,199 |
| 2007 | | 11,297 | 1,090 | 972 | 352 | 427 | 184 | 197 | n.a. | 14,519 |
| 2008 | | 10,912 | 957 | 861 | 349 | 452 | 222 | 192 | n.a. | 13,945 |
| 2009 | | 8,351 | 1,084 | 1,703 | 380 | 439 | 139 | 186 | n.a. | 12,282 |
| 2010 | | 7,899 | 1,215 | 1,502 | 293 | 436 | n.a. | 121 | n.a. | 11,466 |
| 2011 | | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | n.a. | 10,666 |
| 2012 | | 9,088 | 828 | 1,582 | 154 | 408 | n.a. | 16 | n.a. | 12,076 |
| 2009 | Qtr 1 | 2,122 | 264 | 442 | 110 | 108 | 58 | 46 | n.a. | 3,150 |
| | Qtr 2 | 1,872 | 258 | 381 | 90 | 122 | 65 | 59 | n.a. | 2,847 |
| | Qtr 3 | 2,318 | 304 | 432 | 105 | 110 | 16 | 50 | n.a. | 3,335 |
| | Qtr 4 | 2,039 | 258 | 448 | 75 | 99 | .. | 31 | n.a. | 2,950 |
| 2010 | Qtr 1 | 2,003 | 281 | 499 | 65 | 105 | n.a. | 49 | n.a. | 3,002 |
| | Qtr 2 | 1,910 | 263 | 388 | 61 | 128 | n.a. | 23 | n.a. | 2,773 |
| | Qtr 3 | 2,110 | 253 | 415 | 62 | 120 | n.a. | 33 | n.a. | 2,993 |
| | Qtr 4 | 1,876 | 418 | 200 | 105 | 83 | n.a. | 16 | n.a. | 2,698 |
| 2011 ² | Qtr 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | n.a. | .. | n.a. | 2,016 |
| | Qtr 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | n.a. | .. | n.a. | 2,404 |
| | Qtr 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | n.a. | .. | n.a. | 3,147 |
| | Qtr 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | n.a. | .. | n.a. | 3,099 |
| 2012 | Qtr 1 | 2,438 | 195 | 347 | 87 | 87 | n.a. | 16 | n.a. | 3,170 |
| | Qtr 2 | 2,676 | 213 | 354 | 67 | 115 | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | 3,425 |
| | Qtr 3 | 2,258 | 218 | 434 | n.a. | 111 | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | 3,021 |
| | Qtr 4 | 1,716 | 202 | 447 | n.a. | 95 | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | 2,460 |

Source: Health and Social Welfare Directorate

NB: Guinea Grass clinic closed during Quarter 3 2009, therefore is no longer included in this table. Head 'O' Wain clinic closed in March 2012 and Sandy Bay in May of the same year.

¹ Blue Hill Clinic closed in quarter 2 1990.

² Attendance by clinics was not available for 2011 due to data constraints however a total for the quarter was provided.

n.a. Not applicable

.. Data not available, update to be announced.

8.3

Cause of death

2002 - 2009

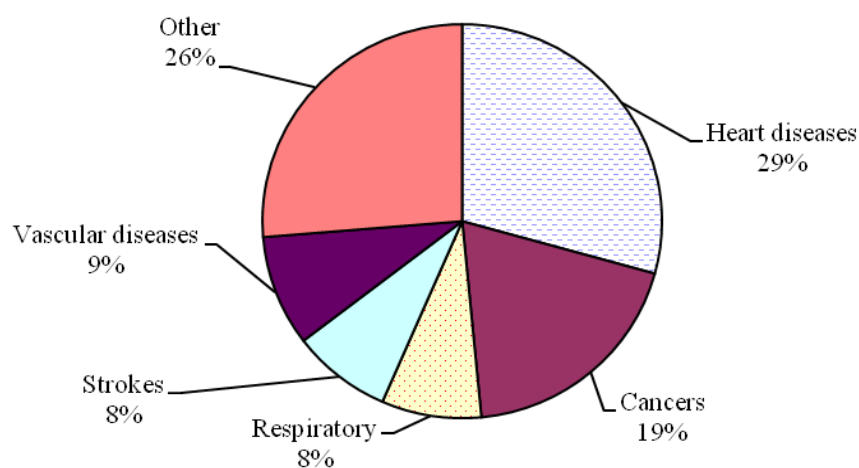
numbers

| Cause of death | 2002 | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2002 - 2009 | |
|-----------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------------|-----|
| | | | | | | | | | Total | % |
| Infectious diseases | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 2 |
| Cancers | 14 | 9 | 7 | 10 | 7 | 9 | 10 | 5 | 71 | 19 |
| Haematological | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Metabolic - diabetes etc | 0 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 6 | 14 | 4 |
| Nutritional | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 |
| Heart diseases | 13 | 9 | 9 | 15 | 13 | 25 | 16 | 7 | 107 | 29 |
| Strokes | 9 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 29 | 8 |
| Vascular diseases | 6 | 2 | 3 | 5 | 13 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 32 | 9 |
| Respiratory | 4 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 4 | 9 | 31 | 8 |
| Gastro-intestinal | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 1 |
| Urinary tract | 0 | 6 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 2 |
| Obstetric | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Neo-natal | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 |
| Other/not defined | 4 | 9 | 4 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 10 | 8 | 40 | 11 |
| Accidents including traffic | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 7 | 2 |
| Suicides | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 1 |
| Homicide, violence | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Total | 51 | 44 | 33 | 42 | 52 | 54 | 47 | 42 | 365 | 100 |

NB: Data for 2010 - 2012 not yet available, update to be announced.

Source: Health and Social Welfare Directorate

8.3 Cause of death 2002 - 2009



Source: Health and Social Welfare Directorate

8.4 Secondary Education: 2004/05 - 2012/13

a) The number of pupils entering each academic year: 2004/05 - 2012/13

numbers

| Year | Boys | | | | | | | Girls | | | | | | | Total | | | | | | |
|----------------------|------|----|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|----|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|----|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| | Y7 | Y8 | Y9 | Y10 | Y11 | Y12 | Y13 | Y7 | Y8 | Y9 | Y10 | Y11 | Y12 | Y13 | Y7 | Y8 | Y9 | Y10 | Y11 | Y12 | Y13 |
| 2004/05 | 38 | 41 | 20 | 32 | 36 | 17 | 10 | 30 | 26 | 36 | 32 | 22 | 13 | 10 | 68 | 67 | 56 | 64 | 58 | 30 | 20 |
| 2005/06 | 24 | 37 | 39 | 20 | 29 | 21 | 15 | 24 | 31 | 28 | 34 | 27 | 12 | 1 | 48 | 68 | 67 | 54 | 56 | 33 | 16 |
| 2006/07 | 26 | 24 | 36 | 38 | 17 | 14 | 16 | 19 | 24 | 30 | 28 | 31 | 12 | 6 | 45 | 48 | 66 | 66 | 48 | 26 | 22 |
| 2007/08 | 30 | 26 | 23 | 32 | 31 | 8 | 9 | 28 | 17 | 25 | 29 | 25 | 16 | 5 | 58 | 43 | 48 | 61 | 56 | 24 | 14 |
| 2008/09 | 27 | 29 | 25 | 23 | 31 | 18 | 6 | 22 | 27 | 17 | 22 | 25 | 14 | 12 | 49 | 56 | 42 | 45 | 56 | 32 | 18 |
| 2009/10 | 14 | 29 | 29 | 25 | 23 | 17 | 16 | 20 | 24 | 26 | 17 | 22 | 20 | 4 | 34 | 53 | 55 | 42 | 45 | 37 | 20 |
| 2010/11 | 25 | 15 | 29 | 27 | 25 | 16 | 12 | 16 | 22 | 23 | 27 | 15 | 15 | 16 | 41 | 37 | 52 | 54 | 40 | 31 | 28 |
| 2011/12 | 32 | 25 | 12 | 30 | 27 | 13 | 10 | 23 | 15 | 21 | 23 | 28 | 2 | 9 | 55 | 40 | 33 | 53 | 55 | 15 | 19 |
| 2012/13 ^p | 23 | 34 | 25 | 13 | 27 | 11 | 8 | 15 | 20 | 14 | 23 | 23 | 8 | 1 | 38 | 54 | 39 | 36 | 50 | 19 | 9 |

b) Staying-on rates as a % of the number of pupils who entered Y10 1, 2, or 3 years previously for the Y11, Y12 and Y13 cohorts respectively: 1988/89 - 2012/13

| Year | Boys | | | | Girls | | | | Total | | | |
|----------------------|------|-----|-----|-----|-------|-----|-----|-----|-------|-----|-----|-----|
| | Y10 | Y11 | Y12 | Y13 | Y10 | Y11 | Y12 | Y13 | Y10 | Y11 | Y12 | Y13 |
| 2004/05 | 100 | 84 | 40 | 23 | 100 | 96 | 57 | 43 | 100 | 88 | 45 | 30 |
| 2005/06 | 100 | 91 | 66 | 47 | 100 | 84 | 38 | 3 | 100 | 88 | 52 | 25 |
| 2006/07 | 100 | 85 | 70 | 80 | 100 | 91 | 35 | 18 | 100 | 89 | 48 | 41 |
| 2007/08 | 100 | 82 | 21 | 24 | 100 | 89 | 57 | 18 | 100 | 85 | 36 | 21 |
| 2008/09 | 100 | 97 | 56 | 19 | 100 | 86 | 48 | 41 | 100 | 92 | 52 | 30 |
| 2009/10 | 100 | 100 | 74 | 70 | 100 | 100 | 91 | 18 | 100 | 100 | 82 | 44 |
| 2010/11 | 100 | 100 | 64 | 48 | 100 | 88 | 88 | 94 | 100 | 95 | 74 | 67 |
| 2011/12 | 100 | 100 | 48 | 37 | 100 | 104 | 7 | 33 | 100 | 102 | 28 | 35 |
| 2012/13 ^p | 100 | 90 | 37 | 27 | 100 | 100 | 35 | 4 | 100 | 94 | 36 | 17 |

c) Examination passes and passes per Y10 pupil: 1988/89 - 2012/13¹

| Year | GCSE Level | | CVS | | Pass per Y10 pupil ³ | |
|----------------------|------------------|-----|-----|----------------|---------------------------------|----------|
| | 'O' ² | 'A' | C+ | D- | GCSE & CVS | A' Level |
| 2004/05 | 117 | 55 | 1 | 6 | 1.8 | 0.86 |
| 2005/06 | 116 | 16 | 17 | 19 | 2.5 | 0.30 |
| 2006/07 | 146 | 13 | 5 | 3 | 2.3 | 0.20 |
| 2007/08 | 82 | 15 | 1 | 4 ^r | 1.4 | 0.25 |
| 2008/09 ^r | 177 | 39 | 4 | 7 | 4.0 | 0.87 |
| 2009/10 | 163 | 49 | 0 | 2 ^r | 3.9 | 1.17 |
| 2010/11 | 152 | 45 | 0 | 0 | 2.8 | 0.83 |
| 2011/12 | 133 | 56 | 0 | 0 | 2.5 | 1.06 |
| 2012/13 ^p | 158 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 4.4 | 0.31 |

Source: Directorate of Education and Employment

NB: Staying on rates should be treated with cautions as some pupils enter cohorts mid year thus causing some rates to exceed 100%.

¹ Examinations taken in academic year + resits before Christmas

² Includes 'O' Levels, and GCSE grades A-C.

³ Assumes O level and CVS were sat in Yr 11 and A level sat in Yr 12. However, as of June 2010, CVS examinations were no longer reported.

^p Provisional figures

^r Revised

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8.5 Number of schools, enrolment and teachers: by category of school

2008/09 - 2012/13

numbers at beginning of academic year

| | Nursery Units ¹ | Primary | Secondary | | | | Total |
|--|-------------------------------|---------|------------|--|-----------------------|-------------------|-------|
| Number of schools | | | | | | | |
| 2008/09 | 3 | 3 | 1 | | | | 4 |
| 2009/10 | 3 | 3 | 1 | | | | 4 |
| 2010/11 | 3 | 3 | 1 | | | | 4 |
| 2011/12 | 3 | 3 | 1 | | | | 4 |
| 2012/13 | 3 | 3 | 1 | | | | 4 |
| Enrolment | | | | | | | |
| 2008/09 | 36 | 296 | 298 | | | | 594 |
| 2009/10 | 54 | 284 | 286 | | | | 570 |
| 2010/11 | 35 | 305 | 283 | | | | 588 |
| 2011/12 | 44 | 257 | 270 | | | | 527 |
| 2012/13 ^P | 46 | 279 | 245 | | | | 524 |
| Teachers | | | | | | | |
| | Nursery Units ¹ | Primary | Secondary | Special Needs teachers ² | Trainees ³ | AVES ⁴ | Total |
| 2008/09 | 4 | 31 | 46 | 2 | 2 | 18 | 95 |
| 2009/10 | 5 | 33 | 43 | 9 | 3 | 14 | 90 |
| 2010/11 | 3 | 22 | 30 | 16 | 4 | 30 | 82 |
| 2011/12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| 2012/13 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Pupils per teacher | | | | | | | |
| 2008/09 | | 10 | 6 | | | | |
| 2009/10 | | 9 | 7 | | | | |
| 2010/11 | | 14 | 9 | | | | |
| 2011/12 | | .. | .. | | | | |
| 2012/13 | | .. | .. | | | | |
| Pupil gender ratio (Male: Female) | | | | | | | |
| | | Primary | Compulsory | Post compulsory | | | |
| 2008/09 | | 1.01 | 1.19 | 0.92 | | | |
| 2009/10 | | 1.12 | 1.11 | 1.22 | | | |
| 2010/11 | | 1.15 | 1.09 | 1.15 | | | |
| 2011/12 | | 1.10 | 1.15 | 2.09 | | | |
| 2012/13 ^P | | 1.12 | 1.28 | 2.11 | | | |

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8.6 Educational qualifications

1997 - 2012

numbers

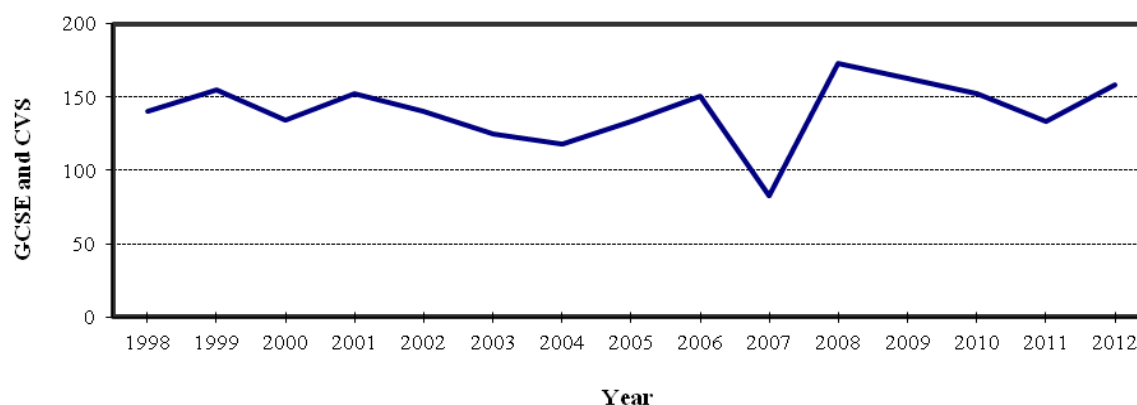
| | GCSE and CVS | | | | | A Levels/AICE | |
|------|------------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| | Subject entries | Grade A - G Passes | | Grade A - C Passes | | Subject entries | A' level passes |
| | | No. | % | No. | % | | |
| 1997 | 614 | 600 | 98 | 187 | 30 | 53 | 38 |
| 1998 | 560 | 512 | 91 | 140 | 25 | 54 | 33 |
| 1999 | 633 | 594 | 94 | 155 | 24 | 31 | 24 |
| 2000 | 478 | 460 | 96 | 134 | 28 | 77 | 60 |
| 2001 | 460 | 449 | 98 | 152 | 33 | 39 | 31 |
| 2002 | 412 | 410 | 100 | 140 | 34 | 61 | 31 |
| 2003 | 295 | 281 | 95 | 125 | 42 | 63 | 38 |
| 2004 | 278 | 272 | 98 | 118 ^r | 42 ^r | 78 | 55 |
| 2005 | 318 ^r | 308 ^r | 97 ^r | 133 ^r | 42 ^r | 42 | 30 |
| 2006 | 335 ^r | 332 ^r | 99 ^r | 151 ^r | 45 ^r | 51 | 29 |
| 2007 | 268 ^r | 264 ^r | 99 ^r | 83 ^r | 31 ^r | 30 | 19 |
| 2008 | 399 ^r | 398 ^r | 100 ^r | 181 ^r | 45 ^r | 49 | 39 |
| 2009 | 323 ^r | 322 ^r | 100 ^r | 163 ^r | 50 ^r | 72 | 49 |
| 2010 | 367 | 344 | 94 | 152 | 41 | 73 | 45 |
| 2011 | 348 | 327 | 94 | 133 | 38 | 66 | 56 |
| 2012 | 348 | 344 | 99 | 158 | 45 | 14 | 11 |

Source: Education and Employment Directorate

NB: As of June 2010 CVS examinations were no longer reported.

^r Revised

8.6 GCSE and CVS results at grade C or better 1998 - 2012



Source: Education and Employment Directorate

8.7 Fire and emergency services

2005 - 2012

number

| Fire | | | | | | | | Sea Rescue | | | | | |
|------------|---------|-------|--------|--------------------------|------------------------|--------------------|-------|------------|----------------|--------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------|-------|
| | Vehicle | House | False | Rock Fall/ Removal | Oil/ Fuel Spills | Other ¹ | Total | Drowning | False Alarm | Missing Persons | Rescue Stranded/ Drifting | Other ² | Total |
| | | | Alarms | | | | | | | | Fisherman | | |
| 2005 | 5 | 2 | 9 | 9 | 4 | 19 | 48 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 |
| 2006 | 8 | 2 | 3 | 7 | 3 | 22 | 45 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| 2007 | 11 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 31 | 45 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 10 |
| 2008 | 15 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 20 | 37 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 |
| 2009 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 5 | 20 | 31 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 7 | 14 |
| 2010 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 52 | 64 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 8 |
| 2011 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 5 | 25 | 40 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 3 | 12 |
| 2012 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 54 | 70 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 12 | 13 |
| 2008 Qtr 1 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Qtr 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Qtr 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| Qtr 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 2009 Qtr 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 5 |
| Qtr 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 9 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 4 |
| Qtr 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| Qtr 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 |
| 2010 Qtr 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 6 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 |
| Qtr 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 6 | 10 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| Qtr 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 25 | 27 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Qtr 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 15 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| 2011 Qtr 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 10 | 16 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 4 |
| Qtr 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 9 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 4 |
| Qtr 3 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 4 |
| Qtr 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 2012 Qtr 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 11 | 18 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 |
| Qtr 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 13 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| Qtr 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 17 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Qtr 4 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 13 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 4 |

Source: Fire & Sea Rescue Division, Police Directorate

NB: This table was revised for the 2009 Yearbook to better define Fire and Emergency Services.

¹ Other includes saucepans, suspicious, bush, rubbish dump, electrically ignited, and unattended fires. Also included are control burnings, rope rescue, explosive escort, and AFA's (Automatic Fire Alarms)

² Other includes towing, search and rescue, boat calls for assistance, suspected overturned boat/flare and boat adrift.

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8.8 Court cases

1995 - 2012

numbers

| | | Civil | | | | | Criminal | | | | | |
|------|--------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|------------------|---------|-------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------|----------------|---------|-------|
| | | Liquor applica- tions | Misc civil ¹ | Matri- monial | Appeals | Total | Misc criminal ³ | Convic- tions ⁴ | Acquittals | With- drawn | Appeals | Total |
| 1995 | | 106 | 36 | 1 | 0 | 143 | 29 | 160 | 11 | 12 | 0 | 212 |
| 1996 | | 106 | 35 | 0 | 0 | 141 | 26 | 138 | 16 | 16 | 0 | 196 |
| 1997 | | 97 | 73 | 15 | 0 | 185 | 17 | 99 | 1 | 27 | 1 | 144 |
| 1998 | ² | 111 | 50 | 8 | 2 | 171 | 20 | 80 | 1 | 21 | 6 | 128 |
| 1999 | | 109 | 51 | 8 | 0 | 168 | 13 | 91 | 8 | 18 | 0 | 130 |
| 2000 | | 104 | 17 | 8 | 0 | 129 | 26 | 105 | 11 | 17 | 4 | 163 |
| 2001 | | 87 | 19 | 4 | 0 | 110 | 25 | 117 | 2 | 19 | 0 | 163 |
| 2002 | | 98 | 67 | 13 | 0 | 178 | 12 | 109 | 3 | 7 | 1 | 132 |
| 2003 | | 79 | 69 | 12 | 2 | 162 | 38 | 148 | 0 | 12 | 2 | 200 |
| 2004 | | 84 | 38 | 6 | 0 | 128 | 25 | 89 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 123 |
| 2005 | | 80 | 51 | 8 | 0 | 139 | 18 | 94 | 2 | 12 | 0 | 126 |
| 2006 | | 82 | 67 | 4 | 0 | 153 | 12 | 106 | 1 | 14 | 1 | 134 |
| 2007 | | 92 | 69 | 0 | 0 | 161 | 28 | 112 | 2 | 27 | 0 | 169 |
| 2008 | | 98 | 57 | 7 | 0 | 162 | 2 | 100 | 2 | 18 | 2 | 124 |
| 2009 | | 104 | 89 | 7 | 0 | 200 | 26 | 149 | 10 | 22 | 8 | 215 |
| 2010 | | 95 | 31 | 2 | 0 | 128 | 38 | 120 | 6 | 24 | 8 | 196 |
| 2011 | | 96 | 12 | 8 | 0 | 116 | 17 | 105 | 5 | 38 | 1 | 166 |
| 2012 | | 96 | 26 | 2 | 0 | 124 | 10 | 132 | 0 | 36 | 0 | 178 |
| 2007 | Qtr 1 | 6 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 16 | 4 | 34 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 47 |
| | Qtr 2 | 8 | 27 | 0 | 0 | 35 | 10 | 38 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 63 |
| | Qtr 3 | 2 | 13 | 0 | 0 | 15 | 11 | 24 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 40 |
| | Qtr 4 | 76 | 19 | 0 | 0 | 95 | 3 | 16 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 19 |
| 2008 | Qtr 1 | 0 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 17 | 0 | 29 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 33 |
| | Qtr 2 | 4 | 13 | 0 | 0 | 17 | 0 | 22 | 2 | 9 | 0 | 33 |
| | Qtr 3 | 8 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 18 | 1 | 26 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 29 |
| | Qtr 4 | 86 | 17 | 7 | 0 | 110 | 1 | 23 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 29 |
| 2009 | Qtr 1 | 4 | 24 | 0 | 0 | 28 | 2 | 34 | 1 | 11 | 0 | 48 |
| | Qtr 2 | 7 | 16 | 0 | 0 | 23 | 15 | 27 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 49 |
| | Qtr 3 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 43 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 54 |
| | Qtr 4 | 90 | 48 | 7 | 0 | 145 | 6 | 45 | 3 | 2 | 8 | 64 |
| 2010 | Qtr 1 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 16 | 29 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 49 |
| | Qtr 2 | 3 | 11 | 1 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 20 | 4 | 13 | 4 | 41 |
| | Qtr 3 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 12 | 44 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 63 |
| | Qtr 4 | 86 | 15 | 1 | 0 | 102 | 10 | 27 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 43 |
| 2011 | Qtr 1 | 5 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 45 | 0 | 14 | 0 | 59 |
| | Qtr 2 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 9 | 12 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 29 |
| | Qtr 3 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 2 | 29 | 4 | 9 | 0 | 44 |
| | Qtr 4 | 81 | 3 | 8 | 0 | 92 | 6 | 19 | 1 | 7 | 1 | 34 |
| 2012 | Qtr 1 | 5 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 6 | 32 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 46 |
| | Qtr 2 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 10 | 1 | 29 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 38 |
| | Qtr 3 | 2 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 2 | 35 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 42 |
| | Qtr 4 | 85 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 90 | 1 | 36 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 52 |

Source: Attorney Generals Chambers

¹ Miscellaneous civil cases include applications for maintenance, affiliation proceedings, injunctions, breaches of contract, small debts, adoptions etc.

² There were 2 sessions of the Supreme Court in 1998.

³ Miscellaneous criminal cases include applications for removal of driving disqualifications, failures to pay fines, Liquor Restriction Orders etc.

⁴ The majority of convictions are recorded following a plea of guilty.

8.9 Traffic accidents reported: by type

1997 - 2012

numbers

| | | Accidents resulting in: | | | | Total |
|------|-------|-------------------------|----------------|---------------------|------------------------|-------|
| | | Serious injuries | Minor injuries | Vehicle damage only | No damage ¹ | |
| 1997 | | 1 | 6 | 92 | .. | 99 |
| 1998 | | 0 | 8 | 112 | .. | 120 |
| 1999 | | 0 | 10 | 107 | .. | 117 |
| 2000 | | 1 | 6 | 99 | .. | 106 |
| 2001 | | 1 | 8 | 91 | 12 | 112 |
| 2002 | | 1 | 8 | 83 | 12 | 104 |
| 2003 | | 0 | 9 | 77 | 7 | 93 |
| 2004 | | 1 | 8 | 93 | 8 | 110 |
| 2005 | | 0 | 8 | 86 | 12 | 106 |
| 2006 | | 0 | 7 | 72 | 5 | 84 |
| 2007 | | 2 | 5 | 82 | 6 | 95 |
| 2008 | | 0 | 5 | 81 | 6 | 92 |
| 2009 | | 0 | 9 | 88 | 10 | 107 |
| 2010 | | 1 | 4 | 77 | 5 | 87 |
| 2011 | | 3 | 10 | 82 | 14 | 109 |
| 2012 | | 1 | 12 | 81 | 8 | 102 |
| 2007 | Qtr 1 | 1 | 0 | 24 | 2 | 27 |
| | Qtr 2 | 0 | 3 | 22 | 2 | 27 |
| | Qtr 3 | 0 | 1 | 13 | 2 | 16 |
| | Qtr 4 | 1 | 1 | 23 | 0 | 25 |
| 2008 | Qtr 1 | 0 | 4 | 21 | 1 | 26 |
| | Qtr 2 | 0 | 0 | 23 | 0 | 23 |
| | Qtr 3 | 0 | 1 | 18 | 2 | 21 |
| | Qtr 4 | 0 | 0 | 19 | 3 | 22 |
| 2009 | Qtr 1 | 0 | 0 | 21 | 1 | 22 |
| | Qtr 2 | 0 | 2 | 22 | 2 | 26 |
| | Qtr 3 | 0 | 4 | 22 | 4 | 30 |
| | Qtr 4 | 0 | 3 | 23 | 3 | 29 |
| 2010 | Qtr 1 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 11 |
| | Qtr 2 | 0 | 1 | 21 | 2 | 24 |
| | Qtr 3 | 0 | 0 | 21 | 1 | 22 |
| | Qtr 4 | 1 | 3 | 24 | 2 | 30 |
| 2011 | Qtr 1 | 2 | 2 | 24 | 7 | 35 |
| | Qtr 2 | 0 | 5 | 19 | 3 | 27 |
| | Qtr 3 | 1 | 1 | 20 | 2 | 24 |
| | Qtr 4 | 0 | 2 | 19 | 2 | 23 |
| 2012 | Qtr 1 | 0 | 4 | 15 | 3 | 22 |
| | Qtr 2 | 0 | 1 | 21 | 0 | 22 |
| | Qtr 3 | 1 | 2 | 23 | 2 | 28 |
| | Qtr 4 | 0 | 5 | 22 | 3 | 30 |

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¹ As from 2001 a new category 'no damage' was included.

.. Data not available

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Commentary

Vehicles

Tables 9.1 to 9.3 show the number of vehicles registered on St Helena by vehicle type and class of ownership. A number of issues have adversely effected the statistical reporting of vehicle registrations. As a result these tables are missing data for some years. In June 2011 a new vehicle database was established to coincide with the newly structured Customer Services Centre within SHG. However at the time of publication in June 2013 it had not yet been possible for the statistics office to obtain accurate data for 2011 and 2012. Work is ongoing to rectify this and online data tables will be updated as soon as data is obtained.

Shipping calls to St Helena Government

From its earliest days, St Helena has been a refuge for shipping. During the years 1659 to 1834 the East India Company operated St Helena as a restocking base for its “East Indiamen” returning from the east.

The busiest years for shipping were from 1845-1862, when over a thousand shipping calls per year were recorded during most years. The opening of the Suez Canal in 1869 and use of steamships meant that fewer ships visited St Helena. In 1977, commercial ships stopped calling at St Helena altogether. The RMS St Helena (built 1991), a passenger and cargo ship, is now the only regular supply ship. It sails a route from Portland to Capetown via Tenerife, Ascension Island and St Helena. It also sails to Tristan Da Cunha from Capetown. Historical data on ship arrivals is available from the statistics office.

Table 9.4 shows the number of passengers arriving and departing at St Helena on the RMS St Helena. This table was revised in 2013 to include Immigration figures only. Data has only been backdated to 2009 as the Immigration database was only established in April of that year.

Table 9.5 shows the number of calls of the RMS, yachts and other vessels from 1980 to present. Table 9.6 shows the inter-island traffic of number of passengers, volume and tonnage of cargo carried on the RMS between St Helena and Ascension Island.

Postal statistics

All mail to and from St Helena is carried on the RMS. Reliance on this mail service for communication has lessened with the introduction of facsimile and e-mail services through the Cable & Wireless satellite link. As well as the postal services, the Post Office is a major source of Government revenue through its philatelic sales locally and overseas (see table 1.3, National Income for Government revenue from Overseas Stamp Sales).

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9.1 New registration of vehicles by type

2000 - 2010

number

| | | Motor cars | Vans & pickups | Buses | Lorries | Motor cycles & scooters | Other | Total |
|---------------------|------|------------|----------------|-------|---------|-------------------------|-------|-------|
| 2000 | | 74 | 12 | 6 | 7 | 5 | 1 | 105 |
| 2001 | | 98 | 19 | 9 | 10 | 14 | 22 | 172 |
| 2002 | | 121 | 18 | 11 | 5 | 5 | 11 | 171 |
| 2003 | | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| 2004 | | 40 | 16 | 2 | 2 | 5 | 5 | 70 |
| 2005 | | 62 | 15 | 3 | 5 | 10 | 2 | 97 |
| 2006 | | 104 | 7 | 3 | 5 | 14 | 15 | 148 |
| 2007 | | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| 2008 | | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| 2009 | | 89 | 18 | 7 | 6 | 23 | 32 | 175 |
| 2010 | | 48 | 27 | 13 | 3 | 23 | 27 | 141 |
| Baseline March 2009 | | 1,357 | 223 | 65 | 52 | 235 | 215 | 2,147 |
| 2009 | Qtr2 | 30 | 7 | 4 | 1 | 8 | 13 | 63 |
| | Qtr3 | 5 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 7 | 21 |
| | Qtr4 | 54 | 7 | 3 | 2 | 13 | 12 | 91 |
| | | 1,446 | 241 | 72 | 58 | 258 | 247 | 2,322 |
| 2010 | Qtr1 | 8 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 5 | 22 |
| | Qtr2 | 4 | 8 | 6 | 1 | 6 | 3 | 28 |
| | Qtr3 | 28 | 10 | 5 | 1 | 7 | 9 | 60 |
| | Qtr4 | 8 | 7 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 10 | 31 |
| | | 1,494 | 268 | 85 | 61 | 281 | 274 | 2,463 |

Source: Traffic Division, Department of Police

NB: Data for 2011 and 2012 is not yet available due to data constraints with the new Vehicles database set up in June 2011 within the Customer Services Centre.

.. Data not available for these years.

9.2 Licensed vehicles at end of period by ownership

2000 - 2011

number

| | | Private | Government | Commercial | Total |
|---------------------|-------|---------|------------|------------|--------------------|
| 2000 | | 1,765 | 167 | 134 | 2,066 |
| 2001 | | 1,489 | 171 | 219 | 1,879 |
| 2002 | | 1,527 | 177 | 227 | 1,931 |
| 2003 | | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| 2004 | | 1,663 | 183 | 170 | 2,016 |
| 2005 | | 1,511 | 167 | 238 | 1,916 |
| 2006 | | 1,592 | 145 | 256 | 1,993 |
| 2007 | | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| 2008 | | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| 2009 | | 1,952 | 146 | 293 | 2,391 |
| 2010 | | 2,072 | 142 | 314 | 2,528 |
| Baseline March 2009 | | 1,664 | 124 | 238 | 2,026 ¹ |
| | Qtr 2 | 1,805 | 142 | 272 | 2,219 ¹ |
| | Qtr 3 | 1,835 | 145 | 276 | 2,256 ¹ |
| | Qtr 4 | 1,952 | 146 | 293 | 2,391 ¹ |
| 2010 | Qtr 1 | 1,977 | 147 | 289 | 2,413 |
| | Qtr 2 | 1,972 | 139 | 297 | 2,408 |
| | Qtr 3 | 2,029 | 139 | 302 | 2,470 |
| | Qtr 4 | 2,072 | 142 | 314 | 2,528 |
| 2011 | Qtr 1 | 2,074 | 152 | 316 | 2,542 |

Source: Traffic Division, Department of Police

NB: Data for 2011 and 2012 is not yet available due to data constraints with the new Vehicles database set up in June 2011

within the Customer Services Centre.

¹ Estimated

.. Data not available

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9.3 Licensed vehicles at end of period by type of vehicle

2000 - 2009

number

| | | Motor cars | Vans & pickups | Buses | Lorries | Motor cycles & scooters | Other | Total |
|-------------------|----------------|---------------|-------------------|-------|---------|-------------------------------|-------|-------|
| 2000 | | 1,276 | 395 | 59 | 65 | 167 | 104 | 2,066 |
| 2001 | | 1,218 | 374 | 55 | 57 | 194 | 93 | 1,989 |
| 2002 | | 1,234 | 350 | 69 | 64 | 120 | 94 | 1,931 |
| 2003 | | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| 2004 ¹ | | 1,285 | 392 | 80 | 66 | 123 | 70 | 2,016 |
| 2005 ¹ | | 1,192 | 386 | 76 | 73 | 118 | 71 | 1,916 |
| 2006 ¹ | | 1,256 | 383 | 67 | 62 | 116 | 70 | 1,954 |
| 2007 | | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| 2008 | | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| 2009 | | 1,459 | 468 | 90 | 73 | 172 | 129 | 2,391 |
| 2009 | Baseline March | 1,259 | 412 | 80 | 57 | 127 | 91 | 2,026 |
| | Qtr 2 | 1,338 | 458 | 95 | 62 | 157 | 109 | 2,219 |
| | Qtr 3 | 1,351 | 469 | 99 | 64 | 161 | 112 | 2,256 |
| | Qtr 4 | 1,459 | 468 | 90 | 73 | 172 | 129 | 2,391 |

Source: Traffic Division, Department of Police

NB: Data for 2010, 2011 and 2012 is not yet available due to data constraints with the new Vehicles database set up in June 2011 within the Customer Services Centre.

¹ Data for 2004, 2005, 2006 and 2009 are estimated as some data is missing.

.. Data not available

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9.4 RMS St. Helena passenger arrivals and departures

1998 - 2012

number

| | | Non - St Helenian Residents | | | St Helenian Residents | | Total arrivals | Total Departures |
|-------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------|----------|---------|------------------------------------|---------------------|----------------|--------------------|
| | | Holiday | Business | Transit | Returning from overseas employment | Returning residents | | |
| 1998 | | 569 | 107 | 440 | 370 | 363 | 1,849 | 2,380 ² |
| 1999 | | 462 | 130 | 514 | 485 | 434 | 2,025 | 2,135 ² |
| 2000 | | 417 | 225 | 342 | 465 | 500 | 1,949 | 2,321 ² |
| 2001 | | 669 | 221 | 164 | 393 | 531 | 1,978 | 2,148 ² |
| 2002 | | 832 | 172 | 215 | 549 | 542 | 2,310 | 2,478 ² |
| 2003 | | 747 | 223 | 44 | 612 | 490 | 2,116 | 2,288 ² |
| 2004 | | 812 | 243 | 67 | 670 | 653 | 2,445 | 2,405 ² |
| 2005 | | 804 | 196 | 102 | 628 | 617 | 2,347 | 2,450 ² |
| 2006 | | 752 | 163 | 36 | 614 | 804 | 2,369 | 2,353 ² |
| 2007 | | 1113 | 200 | 48 | 415 | 819 | 2,595 | 2,673 ² |
| 2008 | | 825 | 257 | 201 | 565 | 741 | 2,589 | 2,452 ² |
| 2009 ¹ | | 572 | 252 | 24 | 429 | 618 | 2,449 | 1,692 |
| 2010 | | 1,025 | 325 | 9 | 483 | 634 | 2,476 | 2,404 |
| 2011 | | 778 | 368 | 31 | 588 | 777 | 2,542 | 2,570 |
| 2012 | | 565 | 570 | 74 | 648 | 874 | 2,731 | 2,537 |
| 2008 | Qtr 1 | 339 | 46 | 0 | 51 | 169 | 605 | .. |
| | Qtr 2 | 111 | 92 | 140 | 111 | 143 | 597 | .. |
| | Qtr 3 | 153 | 73 | 51 | 104 | 192 | 573 | .. |
| | Qtr 4 | 222 | 46 | 10 | 299 | 237 | 814 | .. |
| 2009 | Qtr 1 | 197 | 60 | 1 | 161 | 135 | 554 | .. |
| | Qtr 2 ¹ | 142 | 69 | 4 | 108 | 172 | 495 | 608 |
| | Qtr 3 | 141 | 90 | 15 | 88 | 208 | 542 | 471 |
| | Qtr 4 | 289 | 93 | 5 | 233 | 238 | 858 | 613 |
| 2010 | Qtr 1 | 209 | 87 | 3 | 44 | 144 | 487 | 674 |
| | Qtr 2 | 235 | 63 | 1 | 149 | 154 | 602 | 537 |
| | Qtr 3 | 168 | 59 | 1 | 42 | 158 | 428 | 518 |
| | Qtr 4 | 413 | 116 | 4 | 248 | 178 | 959 | 675 |
| 2011 | Qtr 1 | 236 | 64 | 0 | 61 | 130 | 491 | 723 |
| | Qtr 2 | 279 | 123 | 1 | 125 | 212 | 740 | 706 |
| | Qtr 3 | 117 | 89 | 12 | 132 | 227 | 577 | 723 |
| | Qtr 4 | 146 | 92 | 18 | 270 | 208 | 734 | 418 |
| 2012 | Qtr 1 | 167 | 168 | 13 | 128 | 204 | 680 | 770 |
| | Qtr 2 | 108 | 126 | 31 | 142 | 187 | 594 | 663 |
| | Qtr 3 | 77 | 92 | 8 | 92 | 228 | 497 | 434 |
| | Qtr 4 | 213 | 184 | 22 | 286 | 255 | 960 | 670 |

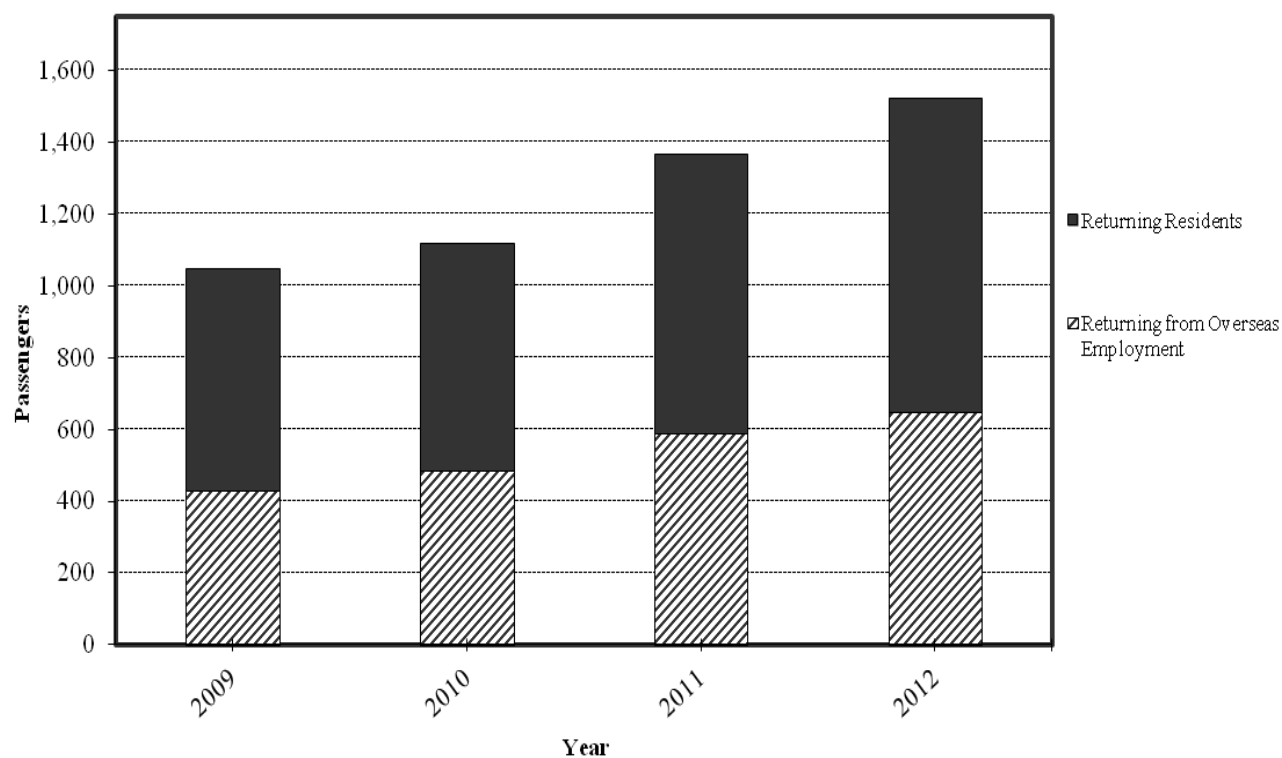
Source: Immigration Section, Directorate of Police and Solomons Shipping Office

¹ The New Immigration database commenced in April 2009, therefore from Qtr 2 2009 and onwards data has been revised to show the new data.

² Data collated from Solomons Shipping Office

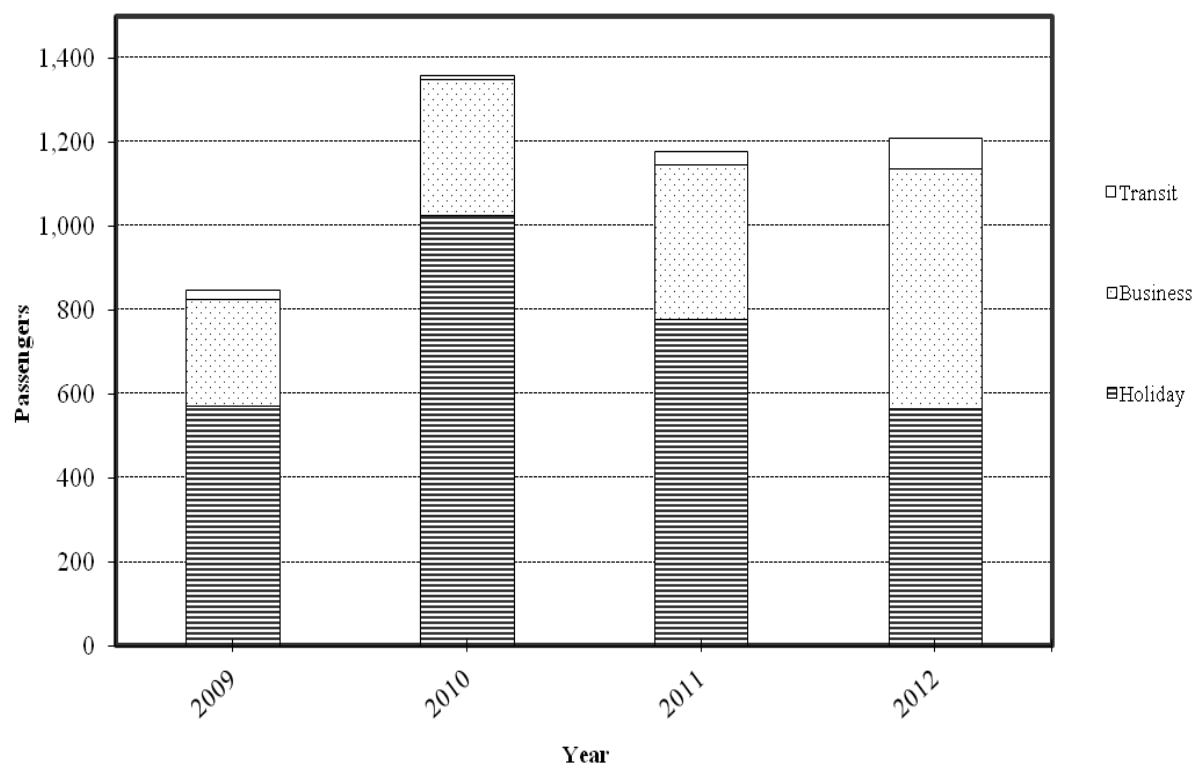
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9.4 (a) Returning Residents and Returning from Overseas Employment by RMS 2009 - 2012



Source: Immigration Section, Directorate of Police

9.4 (b) Short Term arrivals by RMS 2009 - 2012



NB: New Immigration database commenced from April 2009

Source: Immigration Section, Directorate of Police.

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9.5 Shipping

1998 -2012

| | | Visits | | | Tonnage ¹ | | | Days in harbour | | |
|------|-------|--------|-------|--------|----------------------|---------|--------|-----------------|-------|--------|
| | | Other | | | Other | | | Other | | |
| | | RMS | ships | Yachts | RMS | ships | Yachts | RMS | ships | Yachts |
| 1998 | | 24 | 23 | 226 | 48,710 | 87,483 | 3,166 | 33 | 26 | 1,921 |
| 1999 | | 20 | 26 | 168 | 40,600 | 254,578 | 2,123 | 29 | 22 | 1,035 |
| 2000 | | 26 | 27 | 182 | 50,750 | 184,843 | 2,193 | 38 | 30 | 1,004 |
| 2001 | | 25 | 24 | 194 | 50,750 | 223,750 | 2,554 | 66 | 41 | 1,479 |
| 2002 | | 26 | 30 | 189 | 54,810 | 599,981 | 2,565 | 47 | 43 | 1,154 |
| 2003 | | 27 | 22 | 172 | 54,810 | 440,410 | 2,242 | 140 | 265 | 1,525 |
| 2004 | | 30 | 25 | 176 | 60,900 | 160,063 | 2,278 | 73 | 105 | 1,184 |
| 2005 | | 31 | 23 | 166 | 58,870 | 130,031 | 2,190 | 37 | 66 | 660 |
| 2006 | | 27 | 26 | 142 | 54,810 | 126,483 | 2,014 | 66 | 90 | 818 |
| 2007 | | 31 | 32 | 135 | 62,930 | 374,576 | 1,742 | 46 | 55 | 648 |
| 2008 | | 30 | 19 | 140 | 58,878 | 87,332 | 1,914 | 74 | 90 | 926 |
| 2009 | | 27 | 19 | 189 | 48,720 | 284,335 | 4,360 | 60 | 40 | 1,160 |
| 2010 | | 28 | 17 | 171 | 56,840 | 178,135 | 7,466 | 56 | 74 | 1,049 |
| 2011 | | 29 | 25 | 194 | 58,870 | 101,079 | 3,134 | 72 | 100 | 995 |
| 2012 | | 35 | 21 | 189 | 71,050 | 161,127 | 3,192 | 81 | 67 | 1,464 |
| 2008 | Qtr 1 | 7 | 4 | 67 | 12,188 | 12,667 | 967 | 16 | 5 | 387 |
| | Qtr 2 | 8 | 10 | 33 | 18,270 | 48,650 | 405 | 21 | 70 | 216 |
| | Qtr 3 | 7 | 2 | 10 | 12,180 | 7,531 | 116 | 18 | 5 | 43 |
| | Qtr 4 | 8 | 3 | 30 | 16,240 | 18,484 | 426 | 19 | 10 | 280 |
| 2009 | Qtr 1 | 7 | 8 | 121 | 14,210 | 205,958 | 2,924 | 14 | 13 | 793 |
| | Qtr 2 | 7 | 7 | 35 | 14,210 | 29,946 | 533 | 18 | 21 | 240 |
| | Qtr 3 | 3 | 1 | 14 | 6,090 | 18,021 | 691 | 12 | 2 | 48 |
| | Qtr 4 | 10 | 3 | 19 | 14,210 | 30,410 | 212 | 16 | 4 | 79 |
| 2010 | Qtr 1 | 6 | 6 | 78 | 12,180 | 115,707 | 1,178 | 14 | 16 | 508 |
| | Qtr 2 | 7 | 3 | 40 | 14,210 | 6,842 | 688 | 14 | 9 | 284 |
| | Qtr 3 | 6 | 4 | 17 | 12,180 | 19,143 | 218 | 14 | 35 | 57 |
| | Qtr 4 | 9 | 4 | 36 | 18,270 | 36,443 | 5,382 | 14 | 14 | 200 |
| 2011 | Qtr 1 | 6 | 13 | 95 | 12,180 | 66,290 | 1,982 | 13 | 53 | 484 |
| | Qtr 2 | 9 | 3 | 38 | 18,270 | 8,420 | 426 | 27 | 6 | 222 |
| | Qtr 3 | 7 | 3 | 28 | 14,210 | 11,402 | 325 | 18 | 28 | 166 |
| | Qtr 4 | 7 | 6 | 33 | 14,210 | 14,967 | 401 | 14 | 13 | 123 |
| 2012 | Qtr 1 | 9 | 6 | 98 | 18,270 | 54,907 | 1,355 | 22 | 8 | 757 |
| | Qtr 2 | 10 | 4 | 49 | 20,300 | 83,773 | 907 | 23 | 5 | 521 |
| | Qtr 3 | 6 | 5 | 16 | 12,180 | 11,017 | 233 | 14 | 11 | 70 |
| | Qtr 4 | 10 | 6 | 26 | 20,300 | 11,430 | 696 | 22 | 43 | 116 |

Source: Port Management, Secretariat

.. Data not available

¹ 2012 tonnage figures for other vessels and yachts are not exact figures as some vessels do not have any Net Registered Ton (NWT) and some vessels (Navy etc) are not required to supply this information.

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9.6 Inter-island traffic

1995 - 2012

number

| | Passengers | | Freight tonnes | | Freight Cubic Metres | |
|------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| | St Helena to Ascension | Ascension to St Helena | St Helena to Ascension | Ascension to St Helena | St Helena to Ascension | Ascension to St Helena |
| Totals | | | | | | |
| 1995 | 782 | 703 | 228 | 428 | .. | .. |
| 1996 | 918 | 975 | 108 | 512 | .. | .. |
| 1997 | 623 | 511 | 63 | 317 | .. | .. |
| 1998 | 1,325 | 1,132 | 171 | 521 | .. | .. |
| 1999 | 910 | 726 | 125 | 793 | .. | .. |
| 2000 | .. | .. | 193 | 1,067 | .. | .. |
| 2001 | 2,148 | 2,039 | 284 | 362 | .. | .. |
| 2002 | 1,499 | 1,392 | 48 | 408 | 539.36 | 470.01 |
| 2003 | 1,532 | 1,383 | 297 | 308 | 336.97 | 349.16 |
| 2004 | 1,435 | 1,501 | 295 | 3,016 | 335.24 | 3416.75 |
| 2005 | 1,383 | 1,145 | .. | 518 | 221.33 | 327.07 |
| 2006 | 1,408 | 1,347 | .. | 1,380 | .. | .. |
| 2007 | 1,270 | 1,422 | 1,169 | 2,434 | .. | .. |
| 2008 | 1,329 | 1,222 | 1,173 | 3,668 | .. | .. |
| 2009 | 1,288 | 1,298 | 1,268 | 2,233 | .. | .. |
| 2010 | 1,100 | 1,136 | 1,131 | 901 | 172.57 | 1,421.41 |
| 2011 | 1,265 | 1,339 | 1,166 | 829 | 138.02 | 2,386.38 |
| 2012 | 1,358 | 1,328 | 524 | 2,680 | 345.59 | 1,214.40 |
| Average per leg | | | | | | |
| 1995 | 98 | 88 | 28 | 54 | .. | .. |
| 1996 | 92 | 98 | 11 | 51 | .. | .. |
| 1997 | 89 | 73 | 9 | 45 | .. | .. |
| 1998 | 110 | 94 | 14 | 43 | .. | .. |
| 1999 | 91 | 73 | 13 | 79 | .. | .. |
| 2000 | .. | .. | 16 | 89 | .. | .. |
| 2001 | 86 | 82 | 22 | 30 | .. | .. |
| 2002 | 100 | 93 | 2 | 17 | 22.47 | 19.58 |
| 2003 | 85 | 77 | 17 | 17 | 18.72 | 19.40 |
| 2004 | 80 | 79 | 16 | 159 | 18.62 | 179.83 |
| 2005 | 81 | 67 | .. | 37 | 13.83 | 23.36 |
| 2006 | 88 | 84 | .. | 86 | .. | .. |
| 2007 | 71 | 79 | 84 | 143 | .. | .. |
| 2008 | 78 | 72 | 69 | 216 | .. | .. |
| 2009 | 81 | 81 | 79 | 140 | .. | .. |
| 2010 | 79 | 81 | 81 | 64 | 12 | 102 |
| 2011 | 84 | 84 | 78 | 52 | 9 | 149 |
| 2012 | 71 | 74 | 28 | 149 | 18 | 67 |

.. Data not available

Source: Solomons Shipping Office

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9.7 Postal statistics

1998 - 2012

number

| | | Mail received | | | Mail despatched | | | Stamp issues ² |
|-------------------|-------|---------------------|------------------|---------------------|---------------------|------------------|---------------------|---------------------------|
| | | Letters | Parcels | Other | Letters | Parcels | Other | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| 1998 | | 41,261 | 653 | 11,979 | 41,716 | 121 | 16,120 | 4 |
| 1999 | | 36,240 ^r | 833 ^r | 13,621 ^r | 38,147 ^r | 194 ^r | 11,594 ^r | 8 ^r |
| 2000 | | 37,331 | 795 | 10,384 | 31,388 | 103 | 18,146 | 5 |
| 2001 | | 33,740 | 553 | 10,853 | 28,879 | 88 | 16,985 | 6 |
| 2002 ¹ | | 24,258 | 163 | 6,847 | 29,205 | 73 | 9,620 | 3 |
| 2003 | | 30,795 | 365 | 9,557 | 30,658 | 93 | 9,785 | 3 |
| 2004 | | 23,444 | 262 | 10,794 | 24,175 | 90 | 7,362 | 4 |
| 2005 | | 26,471 | 318 | 9,219 | 28,294 | 82 | 9,410 | 2 |
| 2006 | | 19,227 | 272 | 13,075 | 23,289 | 126 | 10,537 | 6 |
| 2007 | | 22,027 | 330 | 10,224 | 23,396 | 156 | 9,309 | 5 |
| 2008 | | 22,710 | 296 | 10,351 | 20,384 | 123 | 9,056 | 2 |
| 2009 | | 21,662 | 223 | 10,798 | 21,387 | 174 | 9,255 | 6 |
| 2010 | | 19,617 | 225 | 9,214 | 19,288 | 111 | 9,054 | 5 |
| 2011 | | 21,027 | 280 | 8,217 | 18,766 | 183 | 10,830 | 1 |
| 2012 | | 22,831 | 234 | 11,979 | 27,806 | 206 | 10,777 | 3 |
| 2008 | Qtr 1 | 5,205 | 62 | 2,121 | 5,245 | 39 | 2,741 | 0 |
| | Qtr 2 | 4,174 | 96 | 2,944 | 2,784 | 5 | 2,186 | 2 |
| | Qtr 3 | 3,241 | 62 | 2,099 | 2,792 | 51 | 1,794 | 0 |
| | Qtr 4 | 10,090 | 76 | 3,187 | 9,563 | 28 | 2,335 | 0 |
| 2009 | Qtr 1 | 5,063 | 51 | 2,286 | 2,295 | 53 | 2,257 | 1 |
| | Qtr 2 | 3,916 | 39 | 2,839 | 3,019 | 27 | 2,621 | 2 |
| | Qtr 3 | 3,735 | 58 | 2,162 | 4,120 | 60 | 1,867 | 2 |
| | Qtr 4 | 8,948 | 75 | 3,511 | 11,953 | 34 | 2,510 | 1 |
| 2010 | Qtr 1 | 4,857 | 51 | 2,575 | 2,288 | 22 | 1,908 | 0 |
| | Qtr 2 | 3,220 | 59 | 1,909 | 2,901 | 12 | 1,899 | 2 |
| | Qtr 3 | 3,874 | 36 | 2,225 | 2,897 | 36 | 2,127 | 1 |
| | Qtr 4 | 7,666 | 79 | 2,505 | 11,202 | 41 | 3,120 | 2 |
| 2011 | Qtr 1 | 5,249 | 77 | 1,872 | 3,011 | 63 | 3,460 | 1 |
| | Qtr 2 | 3,933 | 74 | 2,167 | 2,819 | 25 | 2,789 | 0 |
| | Qtr 3 | 3,579 | 55 | 1,922 | 4,957 | 77 | 2,093 | 0 |
| | Qtr 4 | 8,266 | 74 | 2,256 | 7,979 | 18 | 2,488 | 0 |
| 2012 | Qtr 1 | 7,166 | 62 | 2,530 | 8,956 | 22 | 3,413 | 0 |
| | Qtr 2 | 4,504 | 50 | 3,856 | 3,476 | 115 | 2,845 | 2 |
| | Qtr 3 | 2,989 | 43 | 2,639 | 2,282 | 18 | 1,353 | 0 |
| | Qtr 4 | 8,172 | 79 | 2,954 | 13,092 | 51 | 3,166 | 1 |

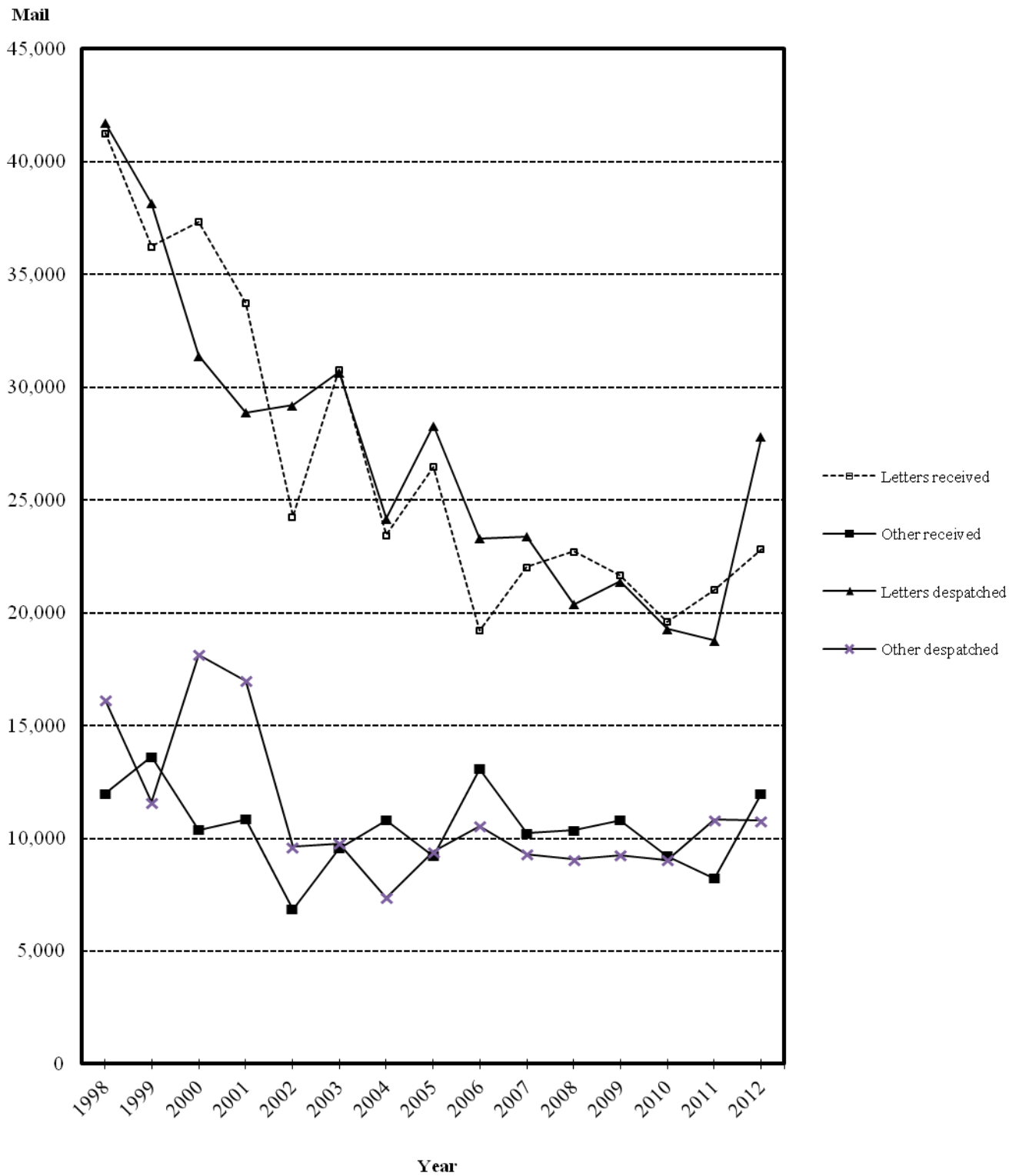
Source: Post & Customer Services, Directorate of Finance

¹ No data available for the second quarter of 2002 due to problems encountered at the Post Office.

² Stamp issues include First Day Covers and other stamp collections published

^r Revised figures

9.7 Mail received and despatched 1998 - 2012



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