

Population (millions)

	1995	2000	2025	2050
All adults, ages 15+	0.808	0.864	1.102	1.177
Female adults	0.407	0.436	0.565	0.608
All youth, ages 0-14	0.307	0.298	0.272	0.249
Female youth	0.151	0.147	0.133	0.122

Source: United Nations Population Division, World Population Prospects 1950-2050 (2000 revision)

Real GDP per capita (PPP), US Dollars

1975	3313
1980	3661
1985	4371
1990	6077
1995	7322
2000	8715

Source: World Health Report 2002

SMOKING PREVALENCE

Adult (20 Years & Older), 1998

Males	42.1
Females	3.2

Youth (12-24 Year Olds)

Regular smokers	40.9
Heavy smokers	13

Professionals and Skilled Workers, 1992

Males	37.1
Females	1.5

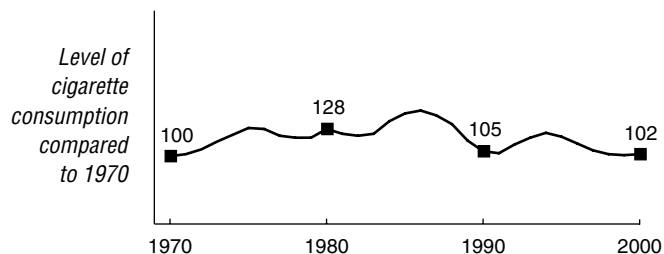
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TOBACCO ECONOMY

Annual per capita Consumption, Three Year Moving Average, 1970 = 100



Annual Cigarette Consumption

Year	Per capita Consumption (cigarette sticks)	Total Consumption (millions of cigarette sticks)
1970	1294	601
1980	1558	969
1990	1307	971
1995	1555	1256
2000	1373	1186

Annual Tobacco Trade and Agriculture Statistics

	Unit of Measurement	1970	1980	1990	1995	2000
Cigarette imports	sticks in millions	11	10	11	44	210
Cigarette exports	sticks in millions	-	-	40	3	-
Tobacco leaf imports	metric tons	53	195	24	63	15
Tobacco leaf exports (% of total exports)	metric tons (%)	- (-)	- (-)	- (-)	1 (0.00%)	- (-)
Cigarette production	sticks in millions	590	959	1000	1215	976
Tobacco leaf production	metric tons	405	1152	799	1016	646
Land devoted to tobacco growing (% of agricultural land)	hectares (%)	258 (0.23%)	876 (0.77%)	631 (0.56%)	673 (0.60%)	400 (0.35%)
Employment in tobacco manufacturing	people	276	400	336	189	-

Retail Price of 20 Cigarettes with Tax

Type	US \$	Local
MPPC	\$1.54	45.00

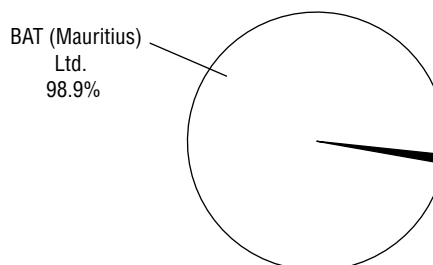
Source: TJI, 2001

Cigarette Taxes and Duties

Excise tax (domestic)	210% at ex-factory level
Excise tax (imported)	360%
Sales tax	12% taken at wholesale level
Import duty	80%

Source: TMA

Market Share by Cigarette Manufacturer, 2001



Source: TMA

SMOKING-RELATED DISEASE IMPACT

Mortality from Cancer, Respiratory and Circulatory Disease, 2000
Numbers of deaths/World age-standardized mortality rate per 100,000 population

Disease	Male		Female		Ages	Disease	Male		Female		Ages
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate			Number	Rate	Number	Rate	
Trachea, lung, and bronchus cancer	58	37.5	23	10.9	35+	Ischemic heart disease	860	557.2	691	342.8	35+
Lip, oral cavity, and pharynx cancer	28	17.2	7	3.6	35+	Stroke	666	456.0	604	299.4	35+
Respiratory disease	159	115.2	102	51.8	35+	Other diseases of the circulatory system	387	270.9	393	194.9	35+
						All causes	3843	2511.2	3130	1545.2	35+

Source: World Health Organization. (2003). *WHO Mortality Database*. Geneva: WHO.

INFRASTRUCTURE FOR TOBACCO CONTROL

National Tobacco Control Provisions

Tobacco Bans and Restrictions	Not				Tobacco Requirements and Regulations	Not			
	Banned	Restricted	Regulated	Unknown		Required	Regulated	Regulated	Unknown
Advertising in certain media		X			Advertising health warnings/messages	X			
Advertising to certain audiences			X		Age verification for sales			X	
Advertising in certain locations			X		Manufacturing licensure				X
Advertisement content or design			X		Package health warning/message	X			
Sponsorship or promotion for certain audiences			X		Label design on packaging			X	
Sponsorship advertising of events			X		Ingredient/constituent information on package label			X	
Brand stretching	X				Amount of tar			X	
Sales to minors	X				Amount of nicotine			X	
Sales by minors			X		Amount of other ingredients/constituents			X	
Place of sales			X		Product constituents as confidential information			X	
Vending machines			X		Product constituents as public information			X	
Free products			X		Constituent disclosure by brand			X	
Single cigarette sales			X		Constituent disclosure in the aggregate			X	
Misleading information on packaging			X						
Smoking in government buildings (incl. worksites)		X			Other Provisions	Yes	No	Unknown	
Smoking in private worksites				X	National tobacco control committee		X		
Smoking in educational facilities		X			Tobacco control education/promotion		X		
Smoking in health care facilities	X				Anti-smuggling provisions			X	
Smoking on buses	X				Litigation enabling provisions		X		
Smoking on trains	X								
Smoking in taxis	X								
Smoking on ferries	X								
Smoking on domestic air flights				X					
Smoking on international air flights				X					
Smoking in restaurants		X							
Smoking in nightclubs and bars				X					
Smoking in other public places		X							

Refer to Appendix B for more information about national tobacco control provisions.