

Mauritius


POPULATION:

1,200,206 (est. July 2002)

GDP:

\$12.9 billion (est. 2001)

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INSURANCE COMPANIES, 2001**

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CURRENCY:

Mauritian rupee (MUR)

EXCHANGE RATES:

Mauritian rupees per U.S. dollar —
30.345 (January 2002), 29.129 (2001),
26.250 (2000), 25.186 (1999),
22.993 (1998), 21.057 (1997)

REGULATORY BODY:

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DIRECT PREMIUMS WRITTEN, 2001

Total premiums:	\$183 (U.S. \$ millions)
Nonlife premiums:	71
Life premiums:	112

Sources: Swiss Re (premium data); Axco (leading cos.);
U.S. Central Intelligence Agency (economic/demographic data).