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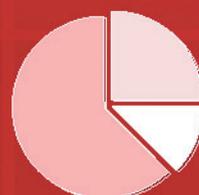


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Explanation of Symbols

°C	=	degrees centigrade
m/s	=	meter per second
mb	=	millibars (Hectopascal, Hpa)
mm	=	millimetre
.	=	data not available
*	=	provisional figures
-	=	nil
<	=	less than, resp. smaller than
>	=	more than, resp. greater than

Special Remarks

The population figures, presented, are based on two sources:

- 1. The population censuses that were held in 1981, 1991 and 2000 and
- 2. The mutations in the population register, due to birth, death, marriage, divorce domiciliation and departure.

At the bottom of each table, the source of the data is indicated. The Population Censuses of 1981, 1991 and 2000 showed discrepancies with the population figures presented by the Registry Office. In both instances, there were more persons registered than counted during the Population Censuses. The discrepancies between the two sources are mainly due to underreporting of departure at the Population Registry Office. The Central Bureau of Statistics uses a statistical method to make corrections for the errors in the reported migration figures.

Individual figures in tables do not necessarily add to totals, because of rounding. Money figures are quoted in Aruban Florins (Afls.), unless otherwise stated. Revised figures are not marked as such.

Danger categories health insurance:

- 1 = Administrative jobs, architects, dentists, funeral homes, libraries, education institutes, radiostations, hospitals a.o.
- 2 = Pharmacies, newspaper companies, jewelers, store holders, a.o.
- 3 = Service stations, construction companies, bakeries, hotels, restaurants, television stations, taxi and bustransport, a.o.
- 4 = Cardealers, mechanics, matress companies, electricity companies, radiator repair companies, butchers, a.o.
- 5 = Security companies, beer factories, electrical instalation companies, driving schools, a.o.
- 6 = Construction material companies, pest control companies, a.o.
- 7 = Chemical factories, painting companies, carpenters, a.o.
- 8 = Steelconstruction companies, ship repair companies, infrastructure, a.o.
- 9 = Airlines, a.o.
- 10 = Window washers, ship dockers, a.o.

Period average = an average of 12 months last business day.

End of period = last business day of the year.

General Trade System (since year 2000)

General Imports : the combined total of imports both for direct domestic consumption and into bonded warehouses or Free Zones.

General Exports : the combined total of national exports and re-exports of nationalized goods.

Re-exports : the outward movement of nationalized goods plus goods that move outward in their unaltered state after having been imported from bonded warehouses or Free Zones.

Special Trade System

Special Imports: the combined total of imports both for direct domestic consumption and for transformation repair. It also registers the withdrawals from bonded warehouses and/or Free Zones for domestic consumption.

Special Exports : the combined total of exports of national merchandise wholly or partially produced or manufactured in the country and the export of goods included in special imports and then exported in their unaltered state.

Temporary Import and Temporary Export (Direct Transit) : goods merely being transshipped or moving through the country for purposes of transport only.

Nominal GDP = the total market value of goods and services produced in Aruba after deducting the cost of goods and services utilized in the process of production, but before deducting allowances for the consumption of fixed capital.

Real GDP = total market value of goods and services produced by domestic factors of production annually, adjusted to remove the impact of price changes.

Consumer Price Index

The Consumer Price Index (C.P.I.) measures changes in the level of consumer prices of goods and services over time. The C.P.I. can be used amongst others to measure inflation; for indexation by the government, e.g. taxes, pensions salaries, etc.; for inflation accounting; for deflation of National Accounts, in order to arrive at constant - prices.

Statistics on the C.P.I. have been compiled for Aruba since 1958.

At present the C.B.S. compiles a general consumer price index, but also C.P.I.'s for both the lower income and higher income groups of the population.

ISCED levels:

ISCED 0:	Pre-Primary Education (KO)	
ISCED 1:	Primary education (BO)	
	Special education (SO)	
ISCED 2:	2A, general	EPB, 1-2 MAVO, 1-2 brugklas HAVO/VWO HAVO-2 VWO-2 ISA, grade 7-9
	2C, technical/vocational	EPB, aspirantenopleiding, 1-3
ISCED 3	3A, general	HAVO, 3-5 HAVO-E, 1-3 VWO, 3-6 ISA, grade 10-12
	3B, general	MAVO, 3-4
	3B, technical/vocational	EPB, doorstroom
	3C, technical/vocational	EPB-arbeidsmarkt EPB-uitstroom
ISCED 5	5A, first degrees	UA-FEF IPA
	5A, second degrees	UA-JF
	5B, first qualifications	EPI-D Hospitality management EPI-H Engineering technology EPI-T Business education EPI-E Human services

¹ISCED levels: level 2B, 4A, 4B and 6 are not applicable in Aruba

Explanation of abbreviations used in Education

KleuterOnderwijs	KO	pre-primary education
BasisOnderwijs	BO	primary education
Speciaal Onderwijs	SO	special education
Middelbaar Algemeen Voortgezet Onderwijs	MAVO	academically oriented 4 years preparatory course to middle level professional education
Hoger Algemeen Voortgezet Onderwijs	HAVO	academically oriented 5 years preparatory course to higher professional education, non - university
Internationale School Aruba	ISA	international school of Aruba
Voorbereidend wetenschappelijk Onderwijs	VWO	academically oriented 6 years preparatory course to higher education at university
Educacion Profesional Basico	EPB	integrated system of lower level technical and vocational education
Educacion Profesional Intermedio	EPI	integrated system of middle level technical and vocational education
Universiteit van Aruba, Financieel Economische Faculteit	UA-FEF	university of Aruba, school of business administration (B.Sc.)
Universiteit van Aruba, Faculteit Hotelwezen & Management	UA-HTM	University of Aruba, school of Hospitality & Tourism Management (B.Sc.)
Instituto Pedagogico Arubano	IPA	teacher's training/education college
Universiteit van Aruba, Juridische Faculteit	UA-JF	university of Aruba, school of law (BA., MA.)
Begeleiding voor leerlingen die de instructie taal niet beheersen	Incorporative education	Special tracks for pupils who do not master the instructional language
Fundacion pa Esnan cu Problema di Oido	F.E.P.O.	Foundation for the hearing impaired
Stichting voor Verstandelijk Gehandicapten	S.V.G.	Foundation for the mentally retarded
Stichting Katholiek Onderwijs Aruba	S.K.O.A.	Foundation Catholic Education Aruba
Stichting Protestants-Christelijk Onderwijs Aruba	S.P.C.O.A.	Foundation Protestant Education Aruba
Stichting Volle Evangelie Onderwijs Aruba	S.V.E.O.A.	Foundation Evangelical Education Aruba
Stichting Onderwijs van de Advent Zending Aruba	S.O.A.Z.A.	Foundation Education of the Advent Mission Aruba
Stichting Middelbaar Onderwijs Aruba	S.M.O.A.	Foundation Middle level Education
International School Aruba	I.S.A.	International School of Aruba
Stichting Centrum voor Ibero American Onderwijs	S.C.I.A.E.	Foundation Center for Ibero American Education
Stichting Basisonderwijs CombinA	S.B.C.	Foundation Primary Education CombinA

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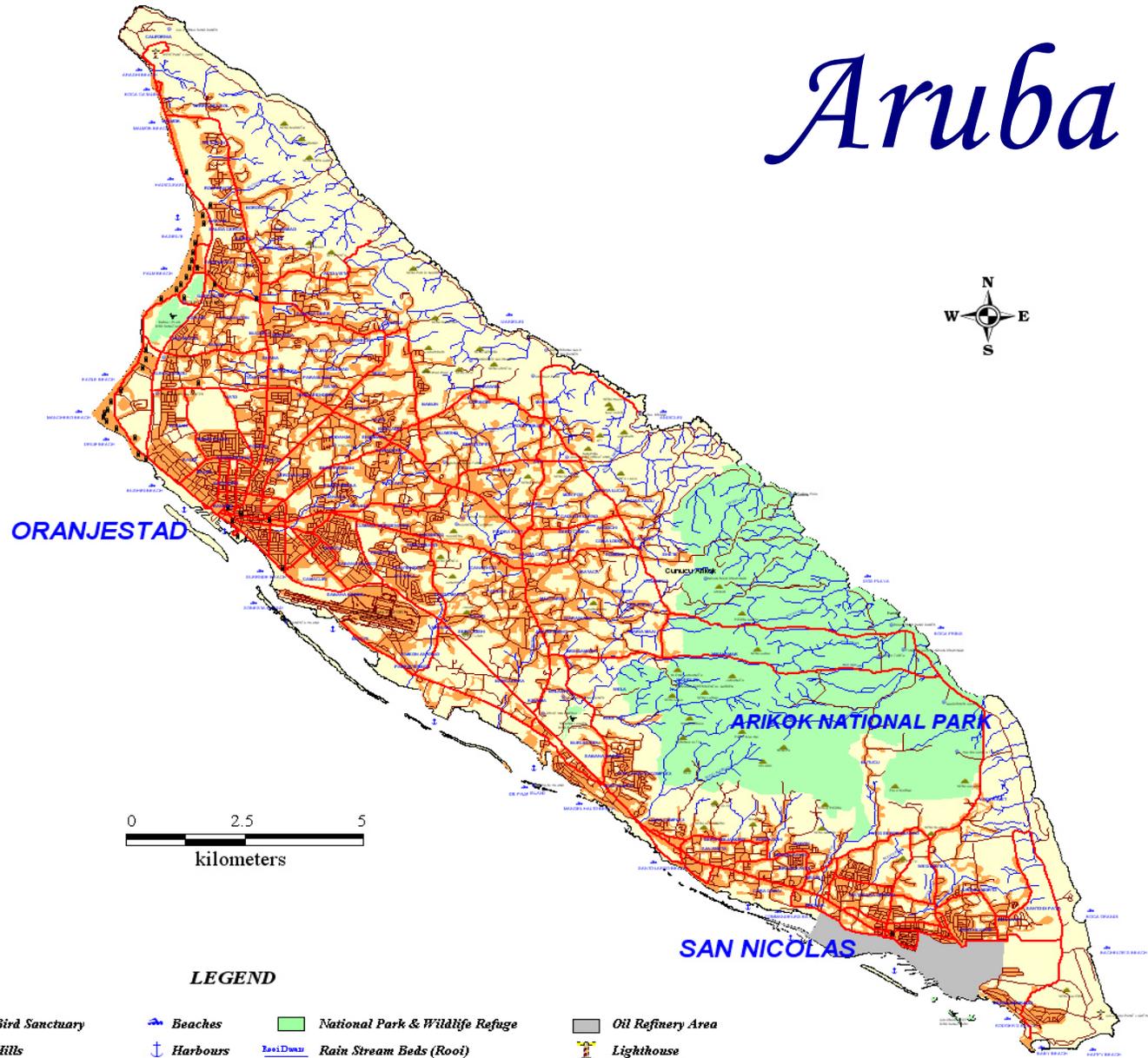
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| Points of Interests | Bird Sanctuary | Beaches | National Park & Wildlife Refuge | Oil Refinery Area |
| Resorts | Hills | Harbours | Rain Stream Beds (Rooi) | Lighthouse |

General Characteristics of Aruba



Location

Aruba is located at latitude 12° 30' North and longitude 70° West and lies about 32 km (19 miles) from the northern coast of Venezuela.

Aruba is 31 km (20 miles) long and 8 km (5 miles) wide, with an area of 180 km². The island is divided in 8 regions and each region is subdivided in several zones.

Population

Total end of the year population in 2009 was 107,138, while the density of the population was 595 inhabitants per km², as compared to 589 in 2008. The Aruban population is made up of a variety of nationalities.

Climate

The average and almost constant temperature is 28° C (82° F) with cooling north-east trade-wind. There are no tropical storms and hurricanes and the rainfall is very moderate.

Language

Aruba's population of over 100,000 is made up of a mixture of people who came from all over the world to this island. Dutch and Papiamentu are the official languages. English and Spanish are also widely spoken.

Religion

The majority of the people are Roman Catholic (81%) and 3% of the population are Protestant.

Political structure

Head of State is the Queen, represented by a Governor. The island is governed by an executive council consisting of 7 Ministers who are appointed by the legislative council. This council consists of 21 elected members of Parliament.

Aruba also has two Ministers Plenipotentiary abroad, one representing the island in the Council of Ministers of the Kingdom in The Hague and the other one in Washington.

On January 1, 1986 Aruba obtained its 'Status Aparte' and became a separate part within the Kingdom of the Netherlands.

Currency unit

The official currency is the Aruban Florin (or AWG) which is pegged to the US Dollar at US\$ 1.00 to Afls. 1.79. The US dollar is also widely accepted on the island.

Key Indicators

	unit	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Demographic aspects						
Males	Absolute	48,757	49,368	49,860	50,748	51,343
Females	Absolute	53,421	54,119	54,663	55,302	55,795
Total population	Absolute	102,178	103,488	104,523	106,050	107,138
Sex ratio		91.3	91.2	91.2	91.8	92.0
Pop. per km ² land	Absolute	568	575	581	589	595
Pop. 14 years and younger	%	21.2	20.7	20.3	19.9	19.4
Pop. 65 years and older	%	8.5	8.8	9.1	9.4	9.7
Average age						
Males	Year	34.5	34.9	35.3	35.7	36.0
Females	Year	36.5	36.9	37.3	37.7	38.1
Total	Year	35.6	35.9	36.3	36.7	37.1
Net Migration	Absolute	2,287	619	318	832	500
Macro-economic key indicators						
¹ Nominal GDP (in mln. Afls.)	Afls.	4,159	4,334	4,658	4,996	4,695
Nominal GDP per capita (in Afls.)	Afls.	41,327	42,154	44,798	47,455	43,986
¹ Real GDP (in mln. Afls.)	Afls.	3,088	3,106	3,176	3,069	2,836
Real GDP per capita (in Afls.)	Afls.	30,690	30,213	35,210	29,149	26,567
Social aspects						
Minimum loan (in Afls.)	Afls.	1,236	1,360	1,460	1,505	1,543
Persons on welfare (per jan. 31)	Absolute	2,414	2,269	2,020	1,991	1,846
Tourism						
Stay-over passengers	Absolute	732,514	694,372	753898 ¹	826,774	812,663
Cruise Passengers	Absolute	552,819	591,474	481775 ¹	556,090	606,768
Foreign Trade						
Total import of goods to Aruba	x 1000 Afls.	1,840,877	1,863,988	1,993,840	2,030,657	1,957,403
Total export of goods from Aruba	x 1000 Afls.	182,200	195,047	175,228	178,774	246,463
Education						
Number of students (full time)	Absolute	22,908	22,930	22,508	22,470	.
Current government expenditure on education	mln. Afls.	179.8	181.4	176.5	185.0	.

Source: CBS, Statistical Yearbooks

*Provisional data

1. Population

1. Population, rate of population change and density of population

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Total population	102,178	103,488	104,523	106,050	107,138
male	48,757	49,368	49,860	50,748	51,343
female	53,421	54,119	54,663	55,302	55,795
Annual rate of population change (%)	3.05	1.27	1.00	1.45	1.02
Density of population (inhabitants/km ²)	568	575	581	589	595
Males per 1000 females	913	912	912	918	920

Source: C.B.S. and Population Registry Office.

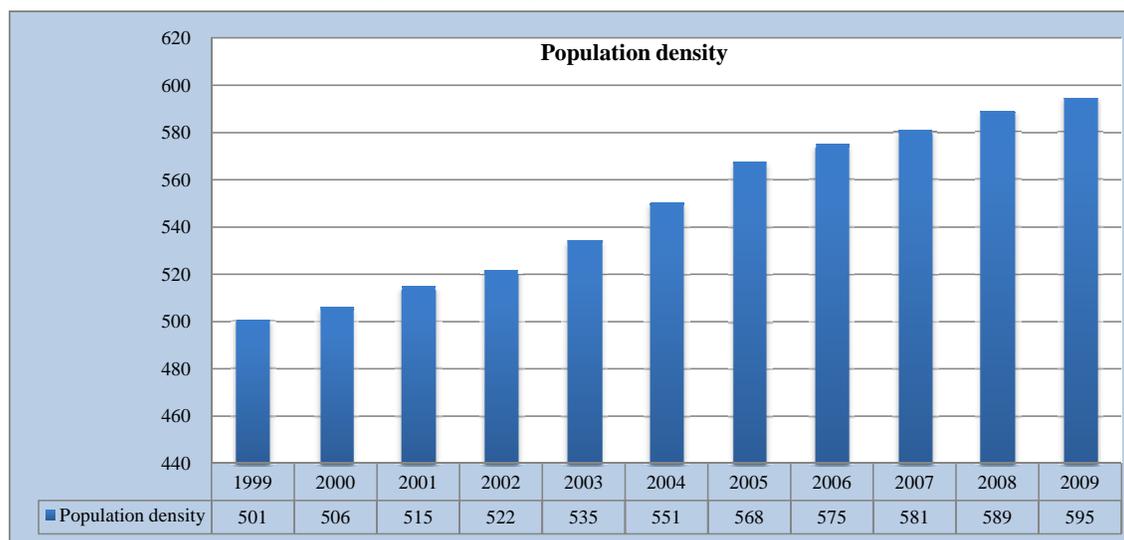
³ Number of inhabitants per km². Area of Aruba: 180 km².

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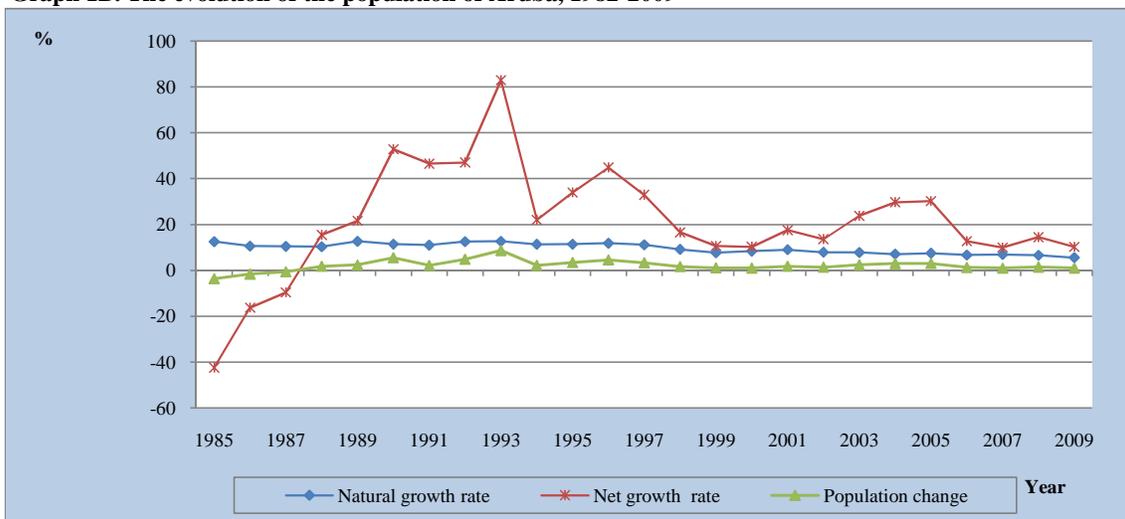
¹ The population of Aruba is based on the three Censuses -Febr. 1st., 1981, Oct. 6, 1991 and Oct. 14, 2000- and the mutations in the population registry, corrected for the migration growth.

² The annual growth in percentage of the total population

Graph 1A. The evolution of the population density



Graph 1B. The evolution of the population of Aruba, 1982-2009



2. Live births, deaths, birth rate and death rate

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Mid-year population	100,644	102,833	104,005	105,287	106,594
Total live births	1,263	1,227	1,239	1,218	1,213
male	669	615	642	616	634
female	594	612	597	602	579
Total deaths	482	537	521	523	623
male	268	301	279	290	333
female	214	236	242	233	290
Birth rate (0/00)	12.5	11.9	11.9	11.6	11.4
Death rate (0/00)	4.8	5.2	5.0	5.0	5.8

Source: C.B.S. and Population Registry Office

¹ Based on the number of inhabitants on June 30 of each year

² The total live births per 1000 inhabitants and the total deaths per 1000 inhabitants (based on the mid-year population)

3. Marriages and divorces

	2004	2005	2006*	2007	2008*	2009
Marriages ¹	606	715	546	531	405	.
Marriages ²	1,184	1,235	1,006	1,013	832	.
Divorces	484	444	528	417	297	.
Divorces per 100 marriages	79.9	62.1	96.7	78.5	73.1	.

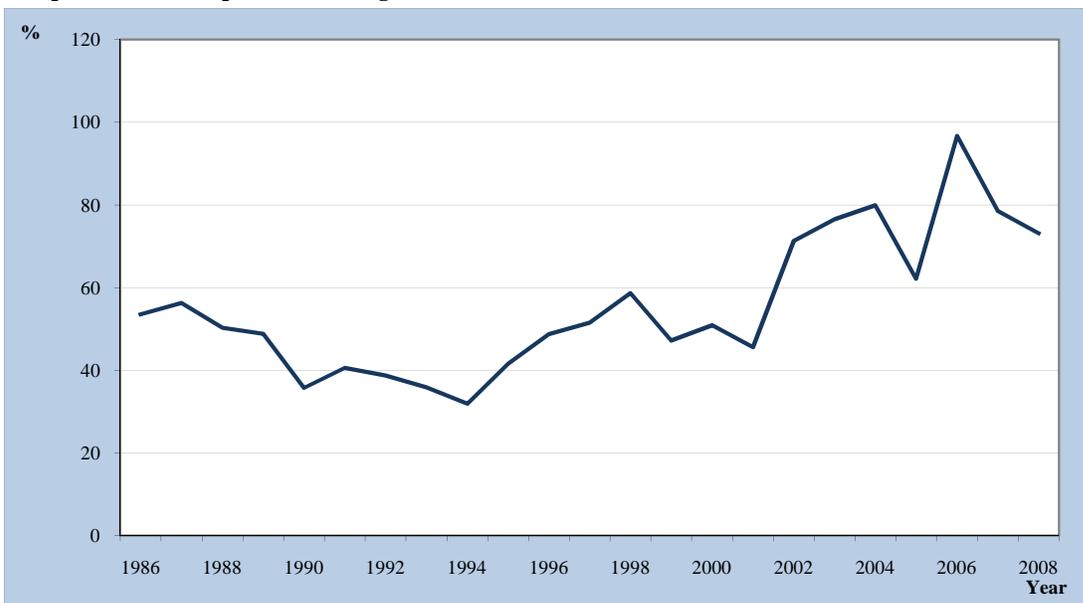
Marriages¹ excl. tourist

Source: C.B.S. and Population Registry Office

* Provisional data

Marriages² Includes Tourists marriages

Graph 1C. Divorces per 100 marriages



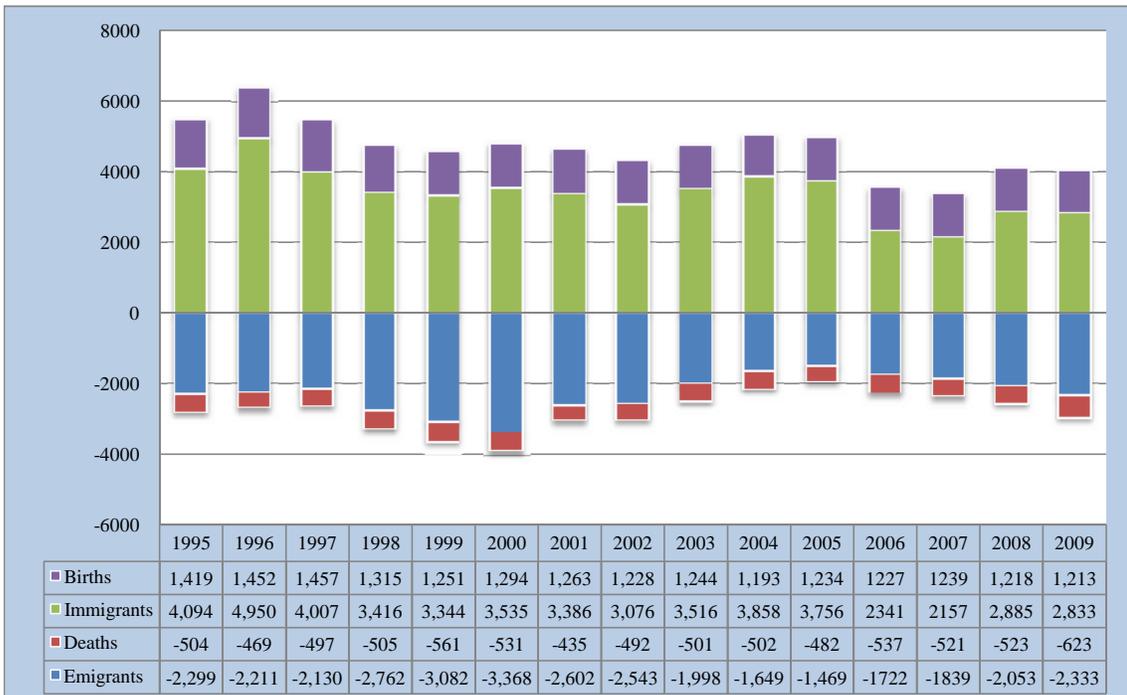
4. Vital statistics

	2006		2007		2008		2009	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
Live births	615	612	642	597	616	602	634	579
Deaths	301	236	279	242	290	233	333	290
Natural increase	314	376	363	355	326	369	301	289
Domiciliation	1,157	1,184	1,037	1,120	1,577	1,308	1,516	1,317
Departures	860	862	908	931	1,015	1,038	1,222	1,111
Net migration	297	322	129	189	562	270	294	206
Total population change	1,309		1,036		1,527		1,090	
Live births:								
- number of boys per 100 girls	100.5		107.5		102.3		109.5	
Number of live births out of marriage per 100 live births	56.5		56.3		56.0		58.4	
Marriages per 1000 inhabitants	5.3		5.1		3.8*		.	

Source: C.B.S. and Population Registry Office

* Provisional data

Graph 1D. Births, deaths, immigrants and emigrants in Aruba, 1995 - 2009

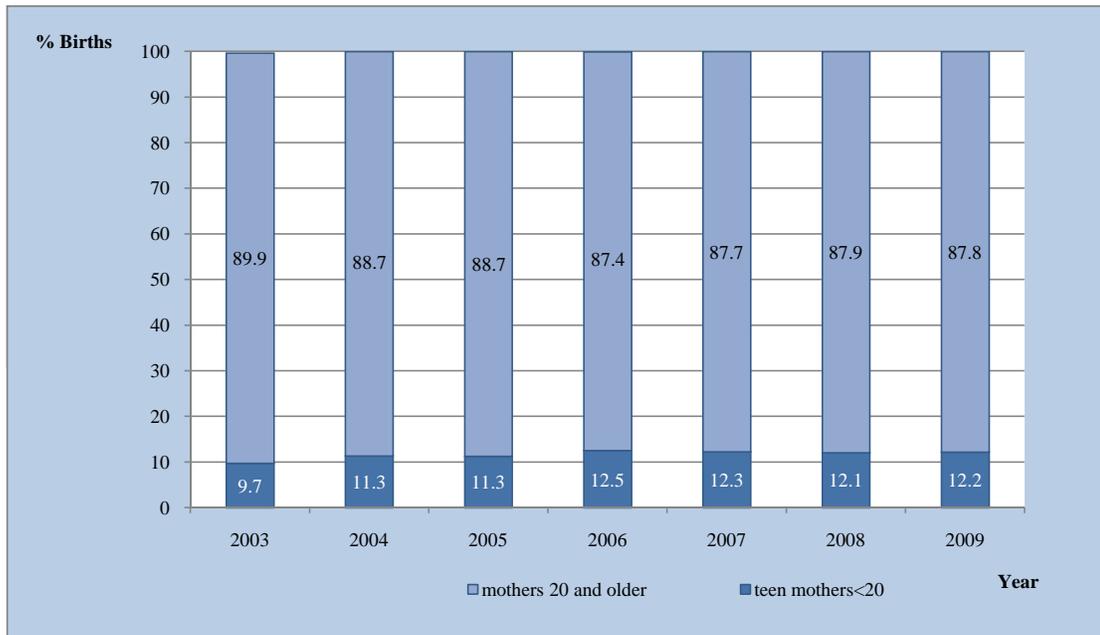


5. Live births by age mother

Age	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Total	1,193	1,240	1,227	1,239	1,218	1,213
<15	8	1	3	3	5	2
15-19	127	144	152	149	142	146
20-24	256	290	309	305	309	284
25-29	322	335	316	314	286	322
30-34	283	258	234	280	252	269
35-39	162	170	165	149	177	158
40-44	33	37	47	36	46	32
45-49	2	5	1	2	1	-
>50	-	-	-	-	-	-
Not Reported	-	-	-	1	-	-

Source: C.B.S. and Population Registry Office

Graph 1E. Percentage live births by teenage mothers < 20 yrs. and mothers 20 yrs. and older



6. Teenage pregnancies age younger than 15 years

Teenage pregnancies age 15-19 years

Year	Number of births	Number of women	ASFR 12-14 years	Year	Number of births	Number of women	ASFR 15-19 years
2000	2	1,973	1.0	2000	162	3,113	52.0
2001	2	2,065	1.0	2001	132	3,177	41.6
2002	0	2,100	0.0	2002	118	3,204	36.8
2003	3	2,169	1.4	2003	118	3,272	36.1
2004	8	2,193	3.6	2004	127	3,449	36.8
2005	1	2,276	0.4	2005	144	3,554	38.8
2006	3	2,297	1.3	2006	152	3,613	42.1
2007	3	2,314	1.3	2007	149	3,665	40.7
2008	5	2,292	2.2	2008	142	3,720	38.2
2009	2	2,298	0.9	2009	146	3,699	39.5

Source: C.B.S. and Population Registry Office

ASFR: Age specific fertility rate

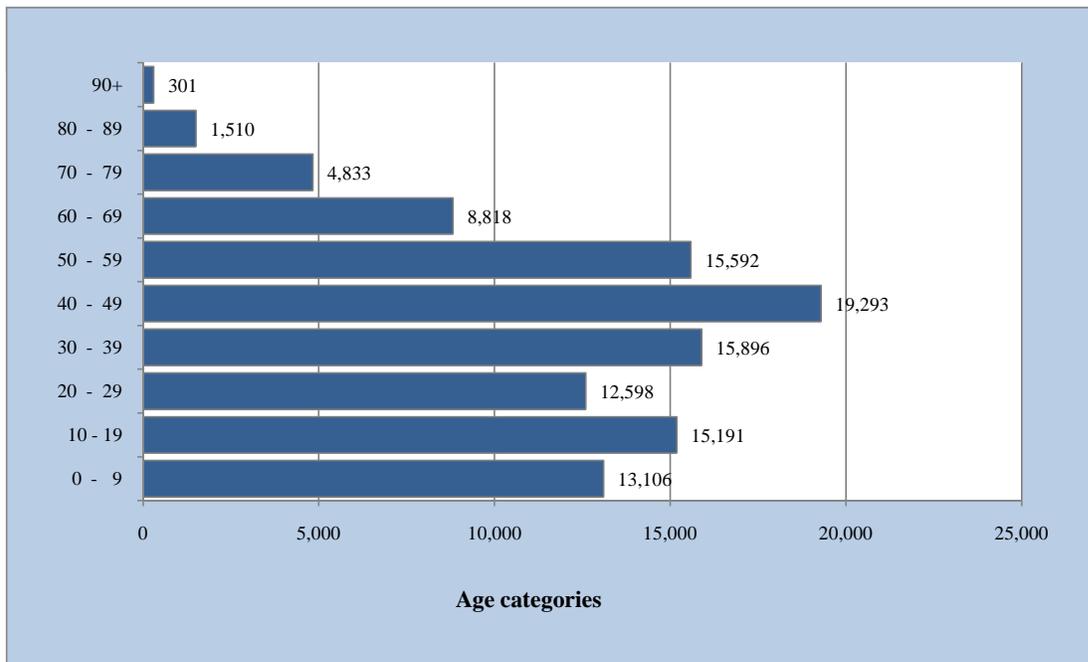
7. Age distribution

Age	2007			2008			2009		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
0 - 4	3,279	3,102	6,381	3,221	3,105	6,325	3,244	3,062	6,306
5 - 9	3,576	3,565	7,141	3,576	3,428	7,004	3,463	3,337	6,800
10 - 14	3,957	3,813	7,770	3,941	3,808	7,750	3,884	3,803	7,687
15 - 19	3,750	3,665	7,415	3,798	3,720	7,519	3,805	3,699	7,504
20 - 24	2,992	3,025	6,017	3,060	3,030	6,090	3,145	3,084	6,229
25 - 29	2,969	3,283	6,253	3,047	3,325	6,372	3,116	3,252	6,369
30 - 34	3,422	3,866	7,288	3,385	3,811	7,197	3,390	3,889	7,278
35 - 39	4,165	4,715	8,880	4,191	4,599	8,790	4,103	4,515	8,618
40 - 44	4,495	5,006	9,500	4,450	4,943	9,393	4,395	4,833	9,228
45 - 49	4,557	5,073	9,630	4,690	5,181	9,871	4,785	5,280	10,065
50 - 54	3,650	4,276	7,926	3,852	4,502	8,354	4,022	4,657	8,680
55 - 59	2,905	3,289	6,194	3,092	3,443	6,535	3,252	3,660	6,912
60 - 64	2,145	2,489	4,634	2,240	2,650	4,890	2,377	2,740	5,117
65 - 69	1,588	1,888	3,476	1,664	1,932	3,596	1,706	1,996	3,701
70 - 74	1,100	1,563	2,663	1,179	1,624	2,802	1,221	1,672	2,893
75 - 79	738	1,048	1,786	737	1,099	1,836	790	1,151	1,940
80 - 84	330	498	829	364	574	938	389	639	1,028
85 - 89	174	284	458	188	301	489	179	303	482
90 - 94	49	144	193	48	154	202	55	150	204
95+	17	72	89	24	74	97	23	74	97
Total	49,860	54,663	104,523	50,748	55,302	106,050	51,343	55,795	107,138

Source: C.B.S. and Population Registry Office

(Detailed items in this table do not necessarily add up to totals due to rounding)

Graph 1F. Population by age category, 2009



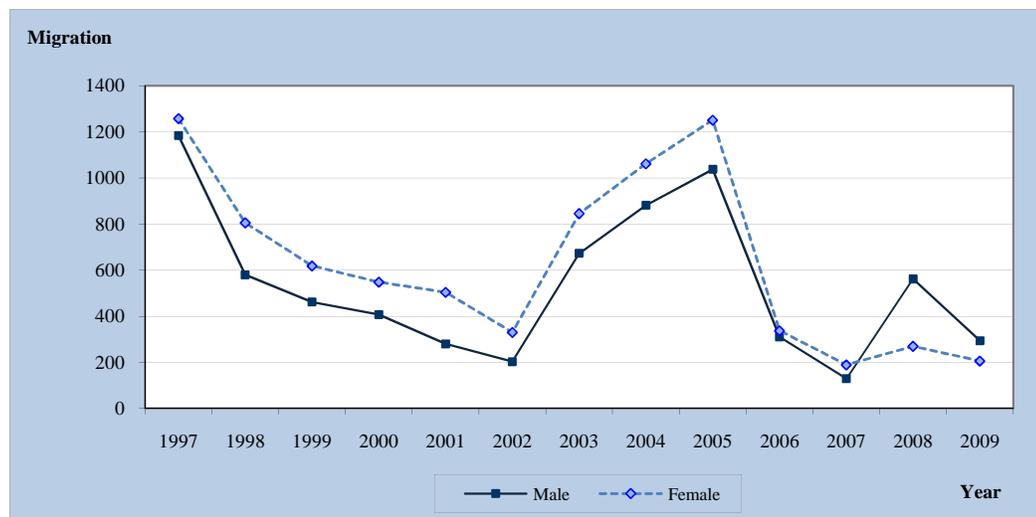
8. Migration by country of birth and sex

	2007		2008		2009	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
Total Domiciliation	1,037	1,120	1,577	1,308	1,516	1,317
Aruba/ Neth. Ant.	361	392	393	369	366	366
The Netherlands	253	217	283	231	319	254
Colombia	104	179	240	216	256	210
Venezuela	53	63	102	82	56	71
Dominican Republic	69	93	218	115	142	109
USA	44	31	67	50	70	48
Phillipines	6	13	12	17	19	32
Suriname	25	21	19	37	26	25
Jamaica	6	8	6	13	8	7
Peru	13	19	41	25	33	21
Other	103	84	196	153	221	174
Total Departures	908	931	1,015	1,038	1,222	1,111
Aruba/ Neth. Ant.	446	484	525	540	610	583
The Netherlands	263	192	244	208	295	250
Colombia	38	66	49	85	64	56
Venezuela	14	21	17	23	31	19
Dominican Republic	24	37	23	35	53	47
USA	25	14	18	20	31	28
Phillipines	6	8	12	6	10	4
Suriname	27	32	34	40	28	37
Jamaica	2	7	5	3	-	7
Peru	4	15	6	19	16	11
Other	59	55	82	59	84	69
Net migration	129	189	562	270	294	206

Source: Population Registry Office

(Detailed items in this table do not necessarily add up to totals due to rounding)

Graph 1G. Net migration by sex, 1997-2009



9. Population growth 1972-2009

Year	Total Population Aruba		Deaths		Live births		Natural Growth		Emigration		Immigration		Net migration		Net growth		Corresponding Doubling Time (yrs)	Pop. Density mid-year
	mid year	end of year	abs.	death rate	abs.	birth rate	abs.	n.g. rate	abs. ¹	em. rate	abs.	im. rate	abs.	n.m. rate	abs.	growth rate		
1973	58,299	58,409	287	4.92	1,003	17.20	716	12.28	2,667	45.75	2,171	37.24	-496	-8.51	220	3.77	183.89	324.5
1974	58,349	58,290	298	5.11	962	16.49	664	11.38	2,479	42.48	1,696	29.07	-783	-13.42	-119	-2.04	-	323.8
1975	58,295	58,299	286	4.91	968	16.61	682	11.70	2,414	41.41	1,741	29.87	-673	-11.54	9	0.16	4,413.83	323.9
1976	58,368	58,437	300	5.14	941	16.12	641	10.98	2,194	37.59	1,691	28.97	-503	-8.62	138	2.36	293.19	324.7
1977	58,580	58,722	320	5.46	993	16.95	673	11.49	2,376	40.56	1,988	33.94	-388	-6.62	285	4.87	142.44	326.2
1978	58,776	58,829	284	4.83	1,058	18.00	774	13.17	2,445	41.60	1,778	30.25	-667	-11.35	107	1.82	381.64	326.8
1979	59,191	59,553	318	5.37	1,065	17.99	747	12.62	2,063	34.85	2,040	34.46	-23	-0.39	724	12.23	56.67	330.9
1980	59,909	60,264	288	4.81	1,125	18.78	837	13.97	2,023	33.77	1,897	31.66	-126	-2.10	711	11.87	58.40	334.8
1981	60,563	60,866	317	5.23	1,051	17.35	734	12.12	2,082	34.39	1,950	32.20	-132	-2.19	602	9.93	69.79	338.1
1982	61,276	61,690	313	5.11	1,036	16.91	723	11.80	2,281	37.22	2,382	38.87	101	1.65	824	13.45	51.53	342.7
1983	62,228	62,770	339	5.45	1,133	18.21	794	12.76	2,275	36.57	2,562	41.17	287	4.61	1,081	17.36	39.92	348.7
1984	62,901	63,037	323	5.14	1,169	18.58	846	13.45	2,325	36.96	1,745	27.74	-580	-9.21	266	4.24	163.62	350.2
1985	61,726	60,419	334	5.41	1,109	17.97	775	12.56	4,726	76.56	1,333	21.60	-3,393	-54.97	-2,618	-42.41	-	335.7
1986	59,929	59,444	377	6.29	1,014	16.92	637	10.63	3,059	51.05	1,447	24.15	-1,612	-26.90	-975	-16.27	-	330.2
1987	59,156	58,873	370	6.25	992	16.77	622	10.51	2,779	46.98	1,587	26.83	-1,192	-20.16	-570	-9.64	-	327.1
1988	59,329	59,789	335	5.65	949	16.00	614	10.35	1,909	32.18	2,211	37.27	302	5.09	916	15.44	44.90	332.2
1989	60,441	61,096	372	6.15	1,141	18.88	769	12.72	2,205	36.48	2,743	45.38	538	8.90	1,307	21.63	32.05	339.4
1990	62,751	64,410	419	6.68	1,140	18.17	721	11.49	1,843	29.37	4,436	70.69	2,593	41.32	3,314	52.81	13.12	357.8
1991	65,943	67,382	429	6.51	1,157	17.55	728	11.04	1,887	28.62	4,229	64.13	2,342	35.52	3,070	46.56	14.89	374.3
1992	69,005	70,629	424	6.14	1,292	18.72	868	12.58	2,091	30.30	4,469	64.76	2,378	34.47	3,246	47.05	14.73	392.4
1993	73,685	76,742	402	5.46	1,337	18.14	935	12.69	2,101	28.51	7,278	98.77	5,177	70.26	6,112	82.95	8.36	426.3
1994	77,595	78,450	431	5.55	1,315	16.95	884	11.39	2,463	31.75	3,287	42.36	824	10.62	1,708	22.01	31.50	435.8
1995	79,804	81,160	504	6.32	1,419	17.78	915	11.47	2,299	28.80	4,094	51.30	1,795	22.50	2,710	33.96	20.41	450.9
1996	83,021	84,883	469	5.65	1,452	17.49	983	11.84	2,211	26.63	4,950	59.62	2,739	32.99	3,722	44.83	15.46	471.6
1997	86,300	87,720	497	5.76	1,457	16.88	960	11.12	2,130	24.68	4,007	46.43	1,877	21.75	2,837	32.87	21.09	487.3
1998	88,451	89,183	505	5.71	1,315	14.87	810	9.16	2,762	31.23	3,416	38.62	654	7.39	1,464	16.55	41.89	495.5
1999	89,658	90,135	561	6.26	1,251	13.95	690	7.70	3,082	34.38	3,344	37.30	262	2.92	952	10.62	65.29	500.8
2000	90,734	91,064	531	5.85	1,294	14.26	763	8.41	3,368	37.12	3,535	38.96	167	1.84	930	10.25	68.00	505.9
2001	91,851	92,676	435	4.74	1,263	13.75	828	9.01	2,602	28.33	3,386	36.86	784	8.54	1,612	17.55	39.50	514.9
2002	93,310	93,945	492	5.27	1,228	13.16	736	7.89	2,543	27.25	3,076	32.97	533	5.71	1,269	13.60	50.97	521.9
2003	95,076	96,207	501	5.27	1,244	13.08	743	7.81	1,998	21.01	3,516	36.98	518	15.97	2,261	23.78	29.15	534.5
2004	97,658	99,109	502	5.14	1,193	12.22	691	7.08	1,649	16.89	3,858	39.51	2,209	22.62	2,900	29.70	23.34	550.6
2005	100,644	102,178	482	4.79	1,263	12.55	781	7.76	1,469	14.60	3,756	37.32	2,287	22.72	3,068	30.48	22.74	567.7
2006	102,833	103,488	537	5.22	1,227	11.93	690	6.71	1,722	16.75	2,341	22.77	619	6.02	1,309	12.73	54.45	574.9
2007	104,005	104,523	521	5.01	1,239	11.91	718	6.90	1,839	17.68	2,157	20.74	318	3.06	1,036	9.96	69.59	580.7
2008	105,287	106,050	523	4.97	1,218	11.57	695	6.60	2,053	19.50	2,885	27.40	832	7.90	1,527	14.50	47.79	589.2
2009	106,594	107,138	623	5.84	1,213	11.38	590	5.54	2,333	21.89	2,833	26.58	500	4.69	1,090	10.23	67.78	595.2

Source: C.B.S. and Population Registry Office

2. Public Health

1. Hospitals and centers: general information

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
<u>Dr. Horacio Oduber Hospital</u>						
Number of beds	305	308	308	308	290	.
Occupancy rate (%)	89	87	85	83	85	.
Average length of hospitalisation (days) ¹	8.4	8.6	8.5	8.4	8.9	.
Admissions (x1000)	11.7	11.4	11.2	11.0	10.0	.
<u>Medical Center San Nicolas</u>						
Number of beds	2	2	2	2	2	.
<u>Geriatric Homes (number of beds)</u>						
Huize Maria Stella-Savaneta	253	253	255	255	255	250
Verpleegtehuis-Oranjestad	98	98	98	98	98	87
Verpleegtehuis-San Nicolas	107	107	109	109	109	115
Verpleegtehuis-San Nicolas	48	48	48	48	48	48

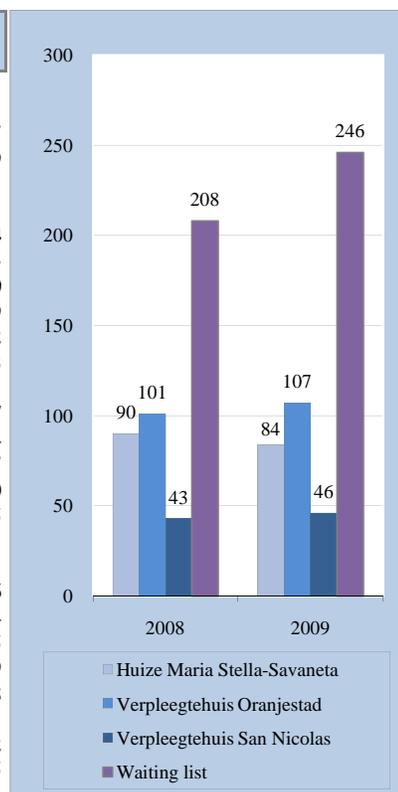
Source: Dr. Horacio Oduber Hospital, S.A.B.A. (Foundation for the care of the elderly)

¹Long term psychiatry residents included.

2. Number of clients by geriatric home by age category.

Graph 2A. Number of clients by geriatric home

Geriatric homes	2007	2008	2009
GERIATRIC HOMES (waiting list)			
60 years >	184	197	227
< 60 years	13	11	19
Age category			
Huize Maria Stella-Savaneta			
< 60 years	95	90	84
60-70	1	-	-
71-80	11	13	10
81-90	40	36	29
91 and older	34	32	32
Verpleegtehuis Oranjestad			
< 60 years	106	101	107
60-70	15	15	14
71-80	15	15	17
81-90	29	29	30
91 and older	35	35	35
Verpleegtehuis San Nicolas			
< 60 years	46	43	46
60-70	5	5	4
71-80	20	16	15
81-90	15	17	19
91 and older	6	5	8
Tot. Pop. 60>	14,128	14,850	15,462
% of Pop. 60 yrs.> in geriatric homes	1.7	1.6	1.5



Source: S.A.B.A. (Foundation for the care of the elderly)

* Excl. 1 person under the age of 60 years.

3. Health personnel per selected occupations, december 31

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
General Physicians	34	.	39	38	40
Specialists,	66	.	74	78	80
of which: Anaesthesiologists	5	.	7	7	8
Surgeons general	6	.	7	6	7
Dermatologists	3	.	3	3	3
Gynaecologists	4	.	4	4	4
Internists	8	.	7	7	7
Pediatricians	6	.	6	5	6
Neurosurgeons	2	.	2	2	3
Neurologists	3	.	3	3	3
Psychiatrists	3	.	3	3	3
Ophthalmologists	3	.	2	7	3
Orthopedic Surgeons	4	.	4	4	2
Radiologists	4	.	3	3	4
Traumatologists	2	.	1	1	1
Otorhinolaryngologists	4	.	3	3	2
Pathologists	-	.	2	2	2
Urologists	1	.	2	2	3
Plastic Surgeons	2	.	2	2	2
Cardiologists	3	.	4	3	4
Nephrologists	1	.	1	2	1
Gastroenterologist	1	.	1	1	1
Oncologist	1	.	1	1	1
Intensivist	-	.	1	1	1
Pneumologist	-	.	1	1	1
Pediatric cardiologist	-	.	1	1	1
Radiotherapist/oncologist	-	.	1	1	1
Rehabilitation specialist	-	.	1	1	1
Pediatric psychiatrist	-	.	1	1	1
Microbiologist MD	-	.	1	1	1
Physicians employed by the Government	18	.	19	19	20
of which: Occupational health	3	.	3	-	-
School physicians	5	.	4	3	4
Other medical microbiologist	1	.	1	1	1
Pathologists	2	.	2	2	2
Psychiatrist	1	.	1	1	1
General physicians	-	.	-	1	-
Specialists	-	.	-	1	-
Poortarts (IMSAN)	5	.	7	9	11
Physician (KIA)	1	.	1	1	1
Other physicians,	29	.	25	25	32
of which: Occupational health, SVB	7	.	7	12	7
Army physicians	1	.	1	1	1
Other-AZV	3	.	6	1	3
Zaal artsen (HOH)	3	.	3	4	9
Poortarts (HOH)	15	.	8	7	12
Other	104	.	110	94	.
Dentists/orthodontists	25	.	27	30	.
Pharmacists	21	.	28	16	22
Veterinarians	9	.	9	3	11
Midwives	7	.	7	10	.
Physiotherapists	42	.	39	35	.

Source: Department of Public Health

4. Physicians/dentists per 1000 inhabitants & inhabitants per physician/dentists

Year	Mid-year Population	Phys./ Spec. per 1000 inhabitants	Dentists ¹ per 1000 inhabitants	Inhabitants per Phys./Spec.	Inhabitants per Dentists ¹
1997	86,300	1.17	0.27	854	3,752
1998	88,451	1.24	0.31	804	3,276
1999	89,658	1.28	0.32	780	3,092
2000	90,734	1.37	0.32	732	3,129
2001	91,851	1.36	0.32	735	3,167
2002	93,318	1.32	0.29	760	3,463
2003	96,104	1.37	0.28	739	3,559
2004	97,658	1.42	0.23	707	4,433
2005	100,644	1.43	0.25	699	4,025
2006	102,883	.	.	.	.
2007	104,005	1.47	0.26	681	3,851
2008	105,287	1.51	0.28	658	3,510
2009	106,594	.	.	.	.

Source: Department of Public Health and C.B.S.

¹ Incl. Orthodontists

Graph 2B. Physicians/specialists and dentists¹ per 1000 inhabitants



5A. Causes of death, 2003 - 2008, male

Causes of death	2005	2006	2007	2008
Symptoms, signs and ill-defined conditions	16	23	27	28
Communicable diseases	20	19	15	19
Neoplasms	59	72	84	76
Diseases of circulatory system	80	105	82	86
Certain conditions originating in perinatal period	2	1	2	2
External causes of injury and poisoning	45	29	32	37
All other diseases	51	51	42	65
Total	273	300	284	313

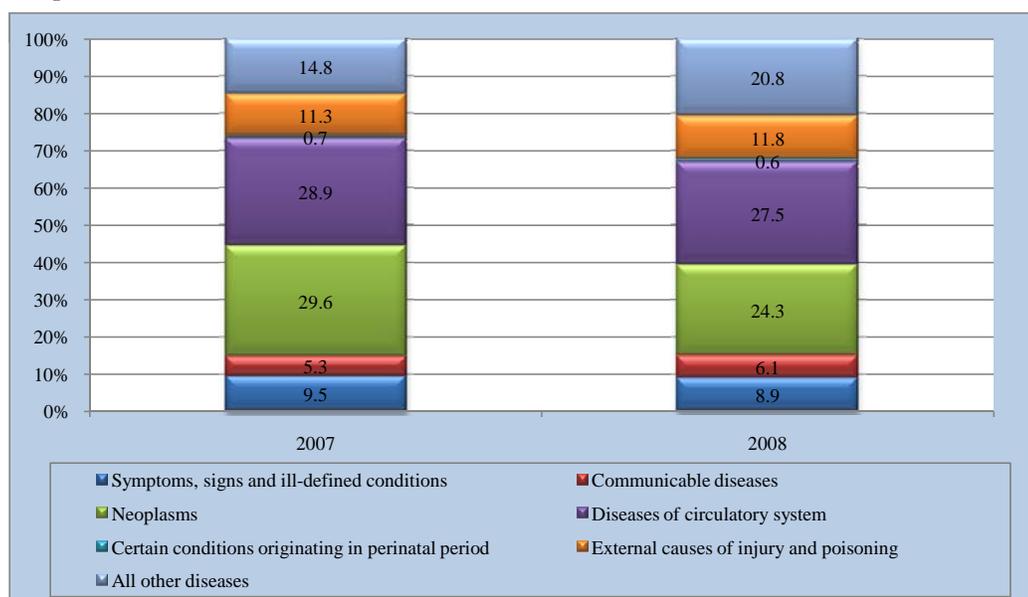
Source: Department of Public Health , Epidemiology and Research

5B. Causes of death, 2003 - 2008, female

Causes of death	2005	2006	2007	2008
Symptoms, signs and ill-defined conditions	26	17	20	25
Communicable diseases	11	11	15	13
Neoplasms	59	54	70	68
Diseases of circulatory system	59	78	74	72
Certain conditions originating in perinatal period	1	-	-	1
External causes of injury and poisoning	11	16	10	12
All other diseases	51	54	53	56
Total	218	230	242	247

Source: Department of Public Health , Epidemiology and Research

Graph 2C. Causes of death, 2007 - 2008, male, in %



5C. Causes of death by age, male, 2008

Causes of death	Age categories							Unknown	Total 2008
	< 1	1-4	5-14	15-24	25-44	45-64	65+		
Symptoms, signs and ill-defined conditions	-	-	-	-	3	13	12	-	28
Communicable diseases	-	-	-	-	-	4	15	0	19
Neoplasms	-	-	-	-	3	24	48	1	76
Diseases of circulatory system	-	-	-	-	3	22	61	-	86
Certain conditions originating in perinatal period	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
External causes of injury and poisoning	-	1	-	5	10	15	6	-	37
All other diseases	-	1	-	-	1	23	40	-	65
Total	1	3	-	5	20	101	182	1	313

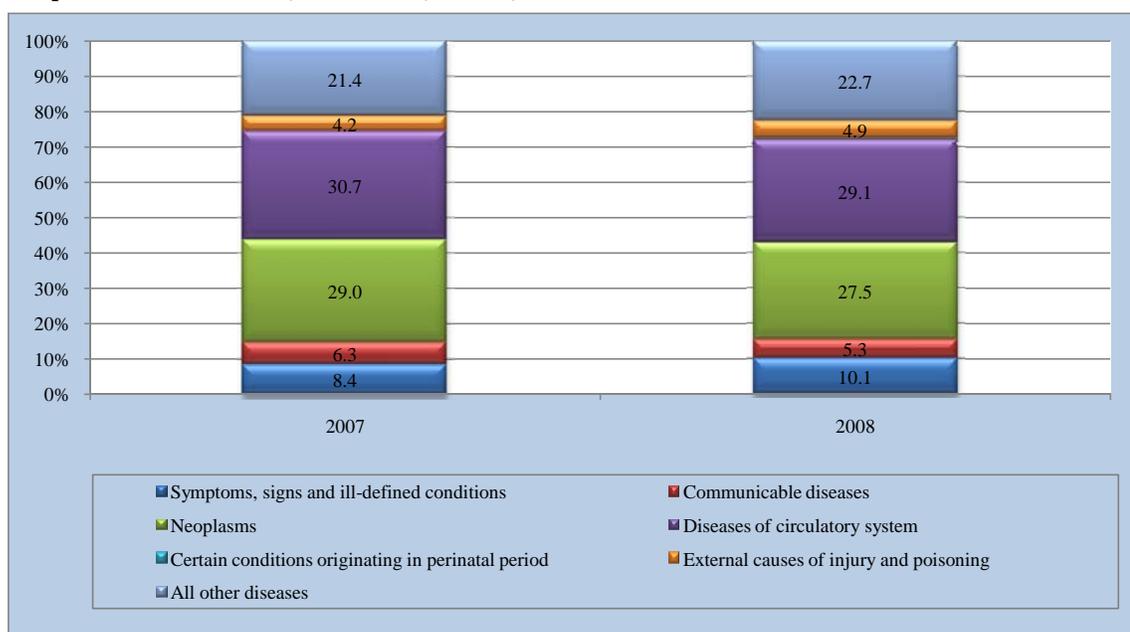
Source: Department of Public Health , Epidemiology and Research

5D. Causes of death by age, female, 2008

Causes of death	Age categories							Unknown	Total 2008
	< 1	1-4	5-14	15-24	25-44	45-64	65+		
Symptoms, signs and ill-defined conditions	-	-	-	-	1	1	23	-	25
Communicable diseases	-	-	-	-	1	-	12	-	13
Neoplasms	-	-	-	-	1	20	47	-	68
Diseases of circulatory system	-	-	-	-	-	11	60	-	72
Certain conditions originating in perinatal period	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
External causes of injury and poisoning	-	1	-	-	3	5	6	-	12
All other diseases	-	1	-	-	4	14	40	-	56
Total	1	2	-	-	10	51	182	-	247

Source: Department of Public Health , Epidemiology and Research

Graph 2D. Causes of death, 2007 - 2008, female, in %



6. Number of acceptors visits to the Family Planning Foundation

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
<u>Visits:</u>	247	366	568	743	851	959
from which teens ¹	96	149	265	294	334	314
<u>New teen registrations</u>						
Male	3	33	40	16	39	44
Female	61	77	167	150	182	213

Source: Famia Planea (= Foundation for the Promotion of Responsible Parenthood)

¹Teens <20 years

7. New acceptors of contraceptive methods provided by the Family Planning Foundation

Contraceptive methods	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Oral	323	491	541	543	635	677
Injectable	158	239	216	168	160	201
Condom	140	223	249	281	295	163
I.U.D. ¹	32	49	47	32	34	47
Sterilization	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other ²	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	653	1,002	1,053	1,024	1,124	1,088

Source: Famia Planea

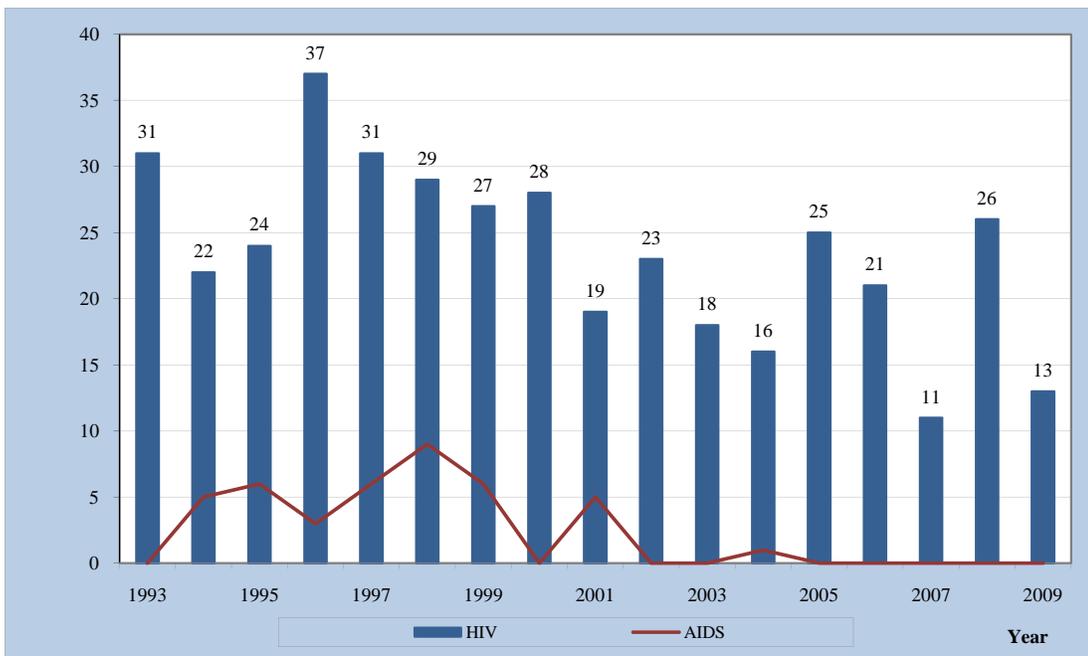
¹I.U.D. = Inter Uterin Devise ²Diaphragms, jellies and foams.

8. Number of positive HIV results and registered AIDS-cases

Year	Registered HIV-cases				Registered AIDS-cases		
	Male	Female	Unknown	Total	Male	Female	Total
1996	24	13	-	37	2	1	3
1997	16	15	-	31	4	2	6
1998	17	12	-	29	5	4	9
1999	18	8	1	27	3	3	6
2000	16	11	1	28	1	-	1
2001	8	8	3	19	3	1	4
2002	17	6	-	23	-	-	-
2003	17	1	-	18	-	-	-
2004	13	3	-	16	1	-	1
2005	17	8	-	25	-	-	-
2006	16	5	-	21	-	-	-
2007	9	2	-	11	-	-	-
2008	22	4	-	26	-	-	-
2009	8	5	-	13	-	-	-
Unknown	4	3	3	10	-	-	-

Source: Department of Public Health

2E. Positive HIV results and registered AIDS cases



Graph 2F. Number of acceptors visits to the Family Planning Foundation



9. Communicable diseases reported to the Section of Contagious Diseases

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
<i>Diseases subject to the International Health regulations</i>					
Cholera	-	-	-	-	-
Plague	-	-	-	-	-
Yellow Fever	-	-	-	-	-
Pandemic Influenza (A H1/N1)	-	-	-	-	64
<i>Diseases under International Surveillance</i>					
HIV and Aids	25	21	11	26	13
Malaria	2	-	-	-	1
Influenza	-	4	-	-	-
<i>Diseases of the Expanded Programme on Immunization</i>					
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	6	7	7	5	7
Tuberculosis (All Other Forms)	-	1	-	-	-
Diphtheria	-	-	-	-	-
Pertussis (Whooping Cough)	-	-	-	-	-
Tetanus (excluding neonatal)	-	1	-	-	-
Tetanus neonatorum	-	-	-	-	-
Poliomyelitis, acute	-	-	-	-	-
Acute Flaccid Paralysis	-	-	-	-	-
Measles	-	1	-	-	-
Mumps	1	1	-	-	-
Rubella (German Measles)	-	-	-	-	-
Congenital Rubella Syndrome	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Other Diseases of Regional Interest</i>					
Leprosy (Hansen's Disease)	5	-	-	-	-
Meningococcal Infection (due to Neisseria meningitidis)	-	-	-	-	-
Dengue Fever	650	3,502	773	305	-
Dengue Haemorrhagic Fever/Shock Syndrome	1	1	-	-	-
<i>Sexually Transmitted Diseases & Syndromes</i>					
Syphilis	22	42	34	59	30
Gonococcal Infection	8	-	9	4	1
Chlamydial Infection	1	6	12	5	13
Neonatal Conjunctivitis due to Chlamydial trachomatis	-	-	-	-	-
Neonatal Conjunctivitis due to Neisseria gonorrhoea	-	-	-	-	-
Congenital Syphilis	1	1	-	1	-
Phthiriasis	-	-	-	1	-
Herpes genitalis	-	-	-	12	-
<i>Other Diseases of Caribbean Interest</i>					
Typhoid and Paratyphoid Fevers	-	-	-	-	-
Foodborne Illness	6	12	-	-	-
Gastroenteritis in < 5 years	-	-	-	-	-
Gastroenteritis in ≥ 5 years	-	-	-	-	-
Viral Hepatitis A (Lab. Confirmed)	10	5	2	1	1
Viral Hepatitis B (Lab. Confirmed)	36	25	25	55	63
Viral Hepatitis Unspecified	7	3	11	4	4
Rabies (in humans)	-	-	-	-	3
Leptospirosis	-	-	-	-	-
Ciguatera Poisoning	-	-	-	-	-
Acute Respiratory Infection in < 5 years	2	4	-	-	-
<i>Other Diseases</i>					
Salmonellosis	108	38	25	19	29
Shigellosis	24	23	11	10	7
Campylobacter Enteritis	-	-	3	6	-
Meningitis due to Haemophilus influenzae	-	-	-	-	-
Meningitis due to Streptococcus bacteria	-	-	1	-	-
Viral Meningitis	-	-	1	1	2
Viral Encephalitis	-	-	-	-	-
Scabies	6	9	1	1	1
Varicella	76	77	35	24	38
Conjunctivitis	-	-	-	-	-
Guillan Barre	-	-	3	1	6
Rotaviral enteritis	-	-	7	3	-
Lyme disease	-	-	-	1	-

Source: Department of Public Health, Section of Contagious Diseases & Epidemiology and Research

10. Sickness absence in government by Public Sector

	Sickness absenteeism in % of the total number of calendar days		Reporting frequency		Average absenteeism in days	
	2009		2009		2009	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
Government Total	5.5	6.4	3.2	3.8	6.2	6.1

Source: Bedrijfsgezondheids Dienst (BGD)

11. Sickness absence in the private sector.

Danger category ¹	Sickness absenteeism in % of the total number of calendar days			Reporting frequency			Average absenteeism in days		
	2007	2008	2009	2007	2008	2009	2007	2008	2009
1	2.3	2.1	2.1	1.7	1.7	1.7	5.6	5.4	5.2
2	2.4	2.0	2.5	1.5	1.5	1.6	6.9	5.5	6.3
3	2.7	2.3	2.6	1.5	1.4	1.4	7.8	7.4	8.0
4	2.5	1.9	2.1	1.5	1.5	1.7	6.8	5.4	5.2
5	2.3	1.8	2.5	1.2	1.2	1.5	8.4	6.7	7.1
6	2.8	1.0	2.1	2.8	1.3	1.2	4.2	3.4	7.4
7	2.5	2.0	2.3	1.2	1.3	1.2	9.1	7.0	8.1
8	2.7	1.8	5.1	1.4	1.3	2.9	8.3	5.8	7.5
9	0.2	0.7	1.8	0.3	1.5	3.0	4.5	2.2	2.7
10	9.9	3.2	3.1	4.2	2.8	3.5	9.2	4.6	3.6

Source: Sociale VerzekeringsBank (SVB)

¹Danger categories health insurance whereas category 1 = less dangerous and 10 = most dangerous. See 'Special Remarks', page II

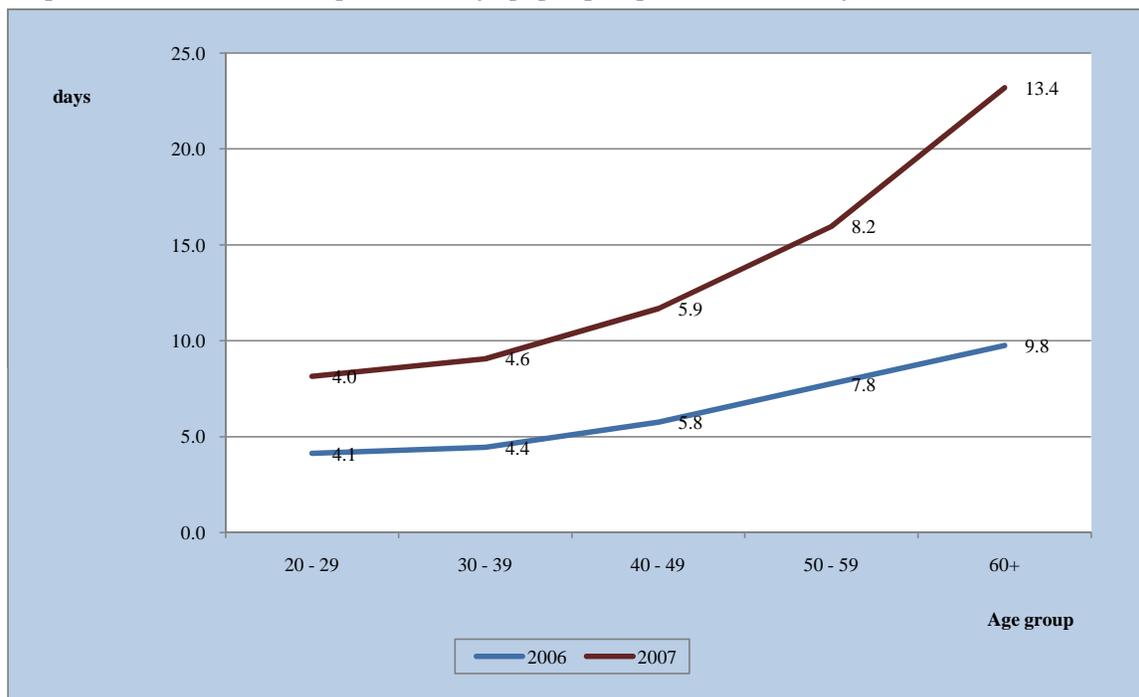
12. Sickness absence in government by age group

	Number of workers		¹ Sickness absenteeism in %		Reporting frequency		Average absenteeism in days	
	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007
Male	4,498	4,365	5.7	5.4	3.3	3.1	6.3	6.4
Female	3,921	3,922	5.8	6.0	3.9	3.7	5.4	6.0
Age groups								
20 - 29	745	627	5.0	4.6	4.5	4.2	4.1	4.0
30 - 39	2,128	2,066	4.9	5.0	4.0	4.0	4.4	4.6
40 - 49	2,629	2,557	5.6	5.6	3.6	3.4	5.8	5.9
50 - 59	2,263	2,337	7.3	7.1	3.4	3.1	7.8	8.2
60+	649	692	4.2	4.1	1.5	1.1	9.8	13.4

Source: Bedrijfsgezondheids Dienst (BGD)

¹ In % of the total number of calendar days

Graph 2H. Sickness absence in government by age group, avg. absenteeism in days, 2006 - 2007



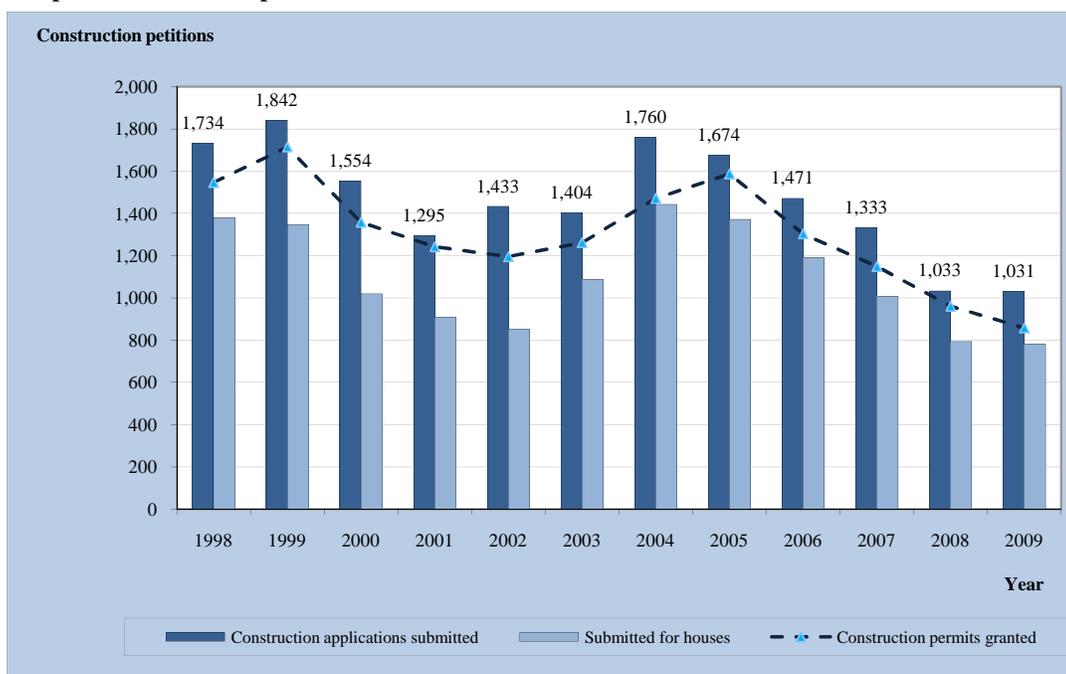
3. Construction and Utilities

1. Overview construction applications

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Construction applications submitted	1,760	1,674	1,471	1,333	1,033	1,031
Submitted for houses	1,443	1,372	1,189	1,006	794	782
Construction permits granted	1,475	1,587	1,303	1,151	962	858
Proportion construction permits to construction applications	84%	95%	89%	86%	93%	83%
Proportion houses to construction applications	82%	82%	81%	75%	77%	76%
Construction value:						
Total millions	210.1	283.4	525.7	460.8	670.3	343.2
Houses millions	108.0	128.0	127.7	130.8	127.9	111.9

Source: Dienst Openbare Werken

Graph 3A. Construction petitions 1998-2009



2. Investment in buildings by type¹, in mln. Afls.

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009*
Houses	158.8	177.2	188.0	158.9	191.6	169.7
Apartments	18.4	16.3	8.9	12.6	17.8	14.3
Trailers	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.9	0.3
Non-residential buildings ²	74.0	49.4	46.9	53.1	45.4	31.9
Total	251.8	243.4	244.2	225.1	255.7	216.2

Source: C.B.S. and Department Technical Inspection (DTI)

* Provisional data

¹ Values represent new, renovation and/ or expansion of buildings

² Hotels are not included

3. Number of buildings by type of construction: New

	2006		2007		2008		2009*	
	Abs.	m^{2}	Abs.	m^{2}	Abs.	m^{2}	Abs.	m ²
Houses	681	89,791	550	75,272	567	82,981	463	65,601
Apartments	99	5,314	140	7,169	165	9,023	141	7,023
Trailers	15	621	16	629	29	1,111	11	317
Non-residential buildings ¹	83	.	109	.	93	.	56	.
Total	878		815		854		671	

Source: C.B.S. and Department Technical Inspection (DTI)

* Provisional data

¹ Hotels are not included

4. Number of buildings by type of construction: Expansion

	2006		2007		2008		2009*	
	Abs.	m ²	Abs.	m ²	Abs.	m ²	Abs.	m ²
Houses	123	10,088	60	4,665	62	5,405	55	4,741
Apartments	3	246	4	183	10	579	3	133
Trailers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Non-residential buildings ¹	18	4,356	18	4,155	19	3,903	17	3,543
Total	144		82		91		75	

Source: C.B.S. and Department Technical Inspection (DTI)

* Provisional data

¹ Hotels are not included

5. Number of buildings by type of construction: Renovation

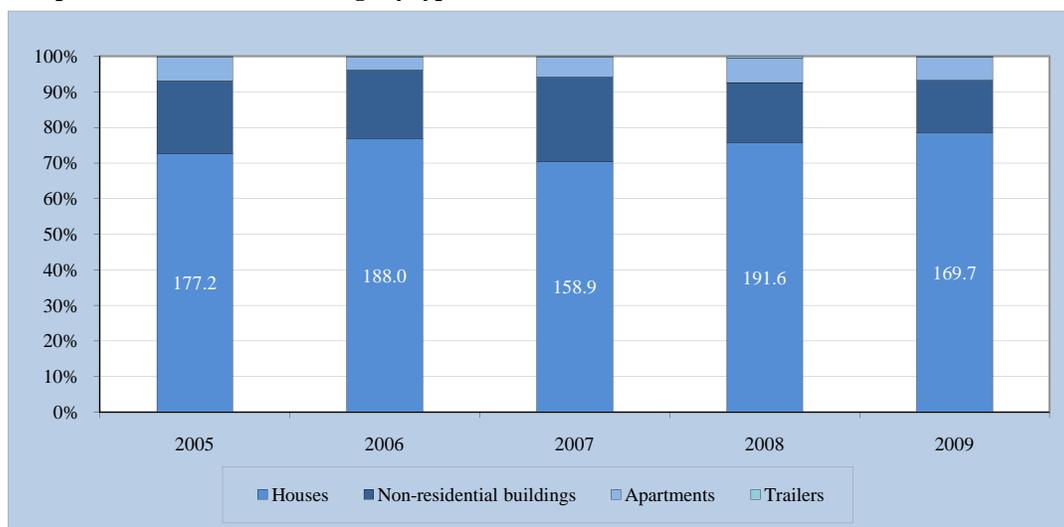
	2006		2007		2008		2009*	
	Abs.	m^{2}	Abs.	m^{2}	Abs.	m^{2}	Abs.	m ²
Houses	18	2,688	20	2,788	19	2,684	28	4,141
Apartments	-	-	3	195	1	56	-	-
Trailers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Non-residential buildings ¹	11	2,742	24	5,167	20	3,489	6	1,131
Total	29		47		40		34	

Source: C.B.S. and Department Technical Inspection (DTI)

* Provisional data

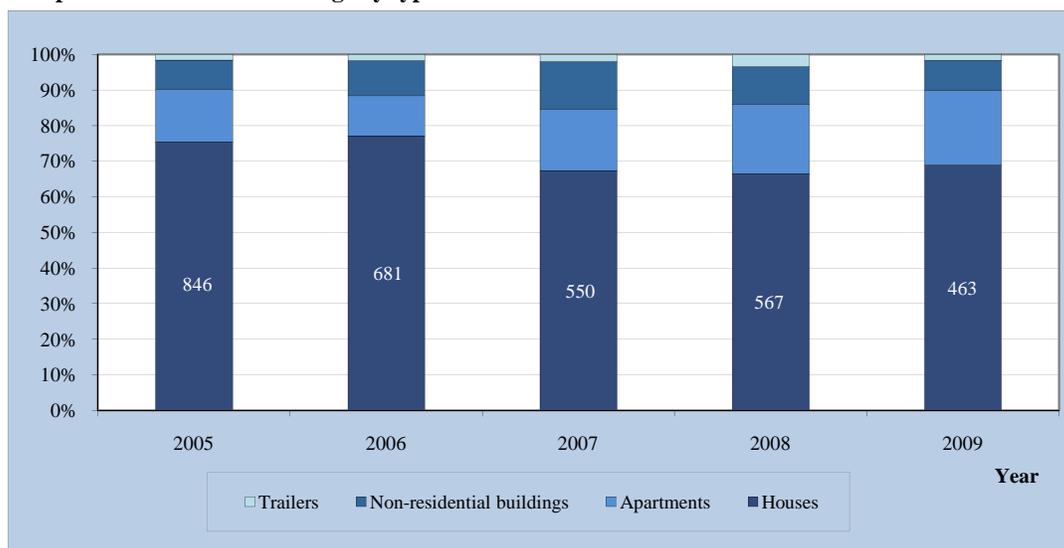
¹ Hotels are not included

Graph 3B. Investment in buildings by type (in Afls. mln.)



2006* Provisional data

Graph 3C. Number of buildings by type of construction: New



2006* Provisional data

6. Electrical installations approved

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
House	1,556	1,760	1,615	1,283	1,381	1,089
Apartment	264	258	205	259	277	199
Business	375	302	255	309	301	235
Building connections ¹	235	255	288	135	170	135
Trailer	41	39	37	44	49	19
School	14	40	27	30	20	9
Other	40	63	37	78	74	334
Total	2,525	2,717	2,463	2,138	2,272	2,020

Source: Department of Technical Inspection

¹ connection for building to be constructed or under construction

² modification of houses, apartments, businesses, schools, trailers and others

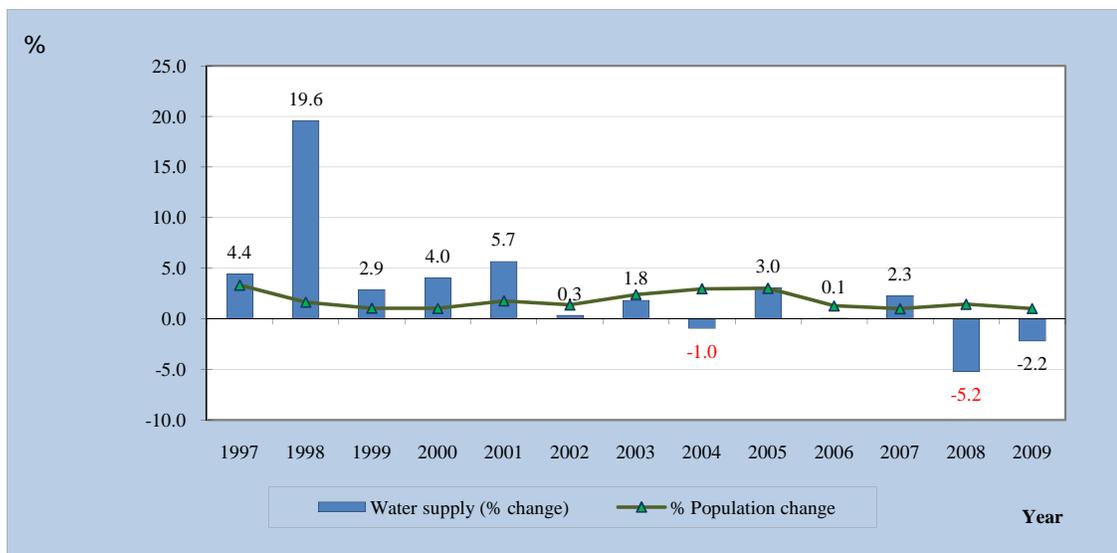
7. Utilities

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
<u>Water supply</u>					
Premises connected	34,905	35,989	36,824	37,973	38,857
Delivered quantities ¹ (x 1000m ³)	13,521	13,530	13,843	13,119	12,835
<u>Electricity</u>					
Generation (MWh)	910,466	909,512	935,976	913,607	924,318
Consumption (MWh)	759,336	761,635	781,073	764,291	773,909
<u>Gas consumption</u>					
Households (LBS x 1000)	7,416	7,387	7,355	7,438	7,654
Commercial (LBS x 1000)	11,717	11,888	12,624	12,990	12,857

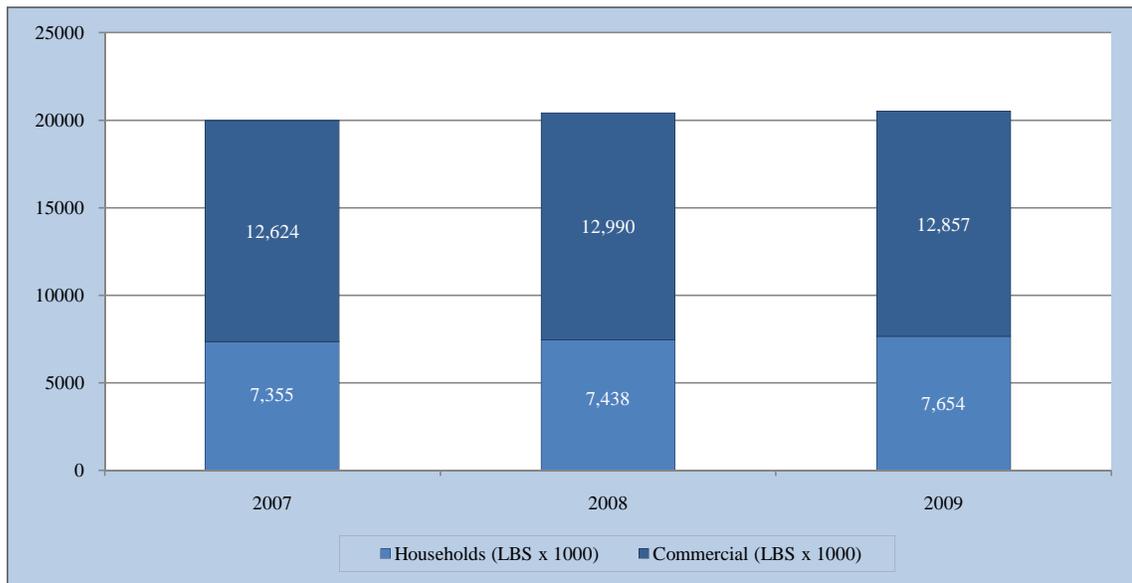
Source: W.E.B., Elmar & Arugas

¹ Excl. water supply to Coastal Aruba N.V. and vessels

Graph 3D. Water supply (% change)



Graph 3E. Gas consumption households

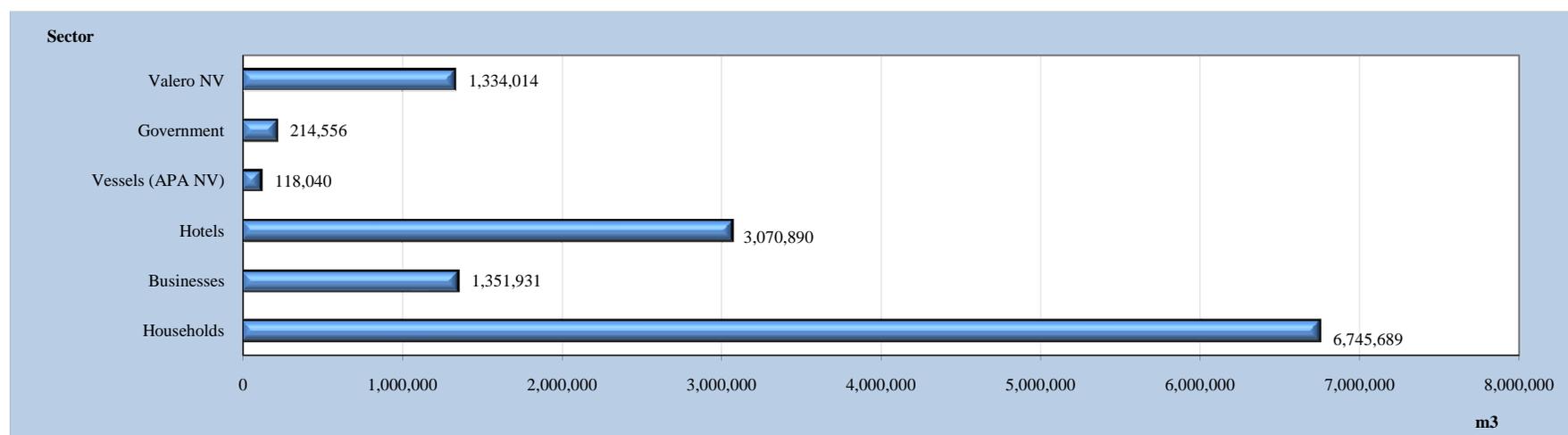


8. Water consumption per month by sector, 2009

Month	Water supply delivered quantities													
	Households m ³ fls.		Businesses m ³ fls.		Hotels m ³ fls.		Vessels (APA NV) m ³ fls.		Government m ³ fls.		Valero NV m ³ fls.		Total m ³ fls.	
January	496,126	3,462,724	112,140	889,991	252,512	1,881,237	18,211	129,298	12,584	94,846	151,600	1,015,723	1,043,173	7,473,819
February	483,884	3,360,493	108,542	950,671	222,019	1,654,064	14,845	105,400	12,550	94,488	192,867	1,292,209	1,075,288	11,116,769
March	529,495	3,872,308	119,070	1,058,051	263,199	2,039,816	15,255	112,124	13,906	108,957	204,184	1,429,292	1,150,743	12,006,838
April	585,181	4,364,749	116,671	1,040,322	248,222	1,923,744	8,732	64,180	15,727	123,114	179,668	1,257,676	1,154,201	8,773,785
May	583,441	4,469,054	108,799	1,008,751	243,659	1,937,113	3,726	28,131	21,905	176,100	113,832	813,899	1,075,362	8,433,048
June	580,742	5,188,816	110,174	1,144,507	275,646	2,522,188	4,281	37,245	20,280	187,813	115,866	955,895	1,106,989	10,036,463
July	567,376	5,620,390	111,807	1,204,337	266,647	2,733,163	4,652	45,357	19,458	201,935	108,542	998,586	1,078,482	10,803,769
August	598,876	6,063,661	115,801	1,323,720	282,902	2,899,776	4,305	41,974	19,091	198,225	56,780	522,376	1,077,755	11,049,731
Sept.	620,491	6,351,144	118,271	1,350,692	254,948	2,613,248	6,611	64,457	21,083	218,469	75,153	691,408	1,096,557	11,289,418
Oct.	574,512	5,708,515	109,799	1,261,108	245,433	2,515,750	7,305	71,224	20,245	210,043	51,150	470,580	1,008,444	10,237,220
Nov.	556,932	5,444,175	109,692	1,264,466	264,830	2,714,538	11,446	111,599	19,542	202,899	46,752	430,114	1,009,194	10,167,791
Dec.	568,633	5,611,521	111,165	1,284,203	250,873	2,571,479	18,671	182,042	18,185	189,225	37,620	346,109	1,005,147	10,184,579
Total	6,745,689	59,517,550	1,351,931	13,780,820	3,070,890	28,006,115	118,040	993,031	214,556	2,006,114	1,334,014	10,223,865	12,881,335	121,573,229

Source: W.E.B. NV.

3F. Total waterconsumption in m³ by sector, 2009



4. Politics

1. Results of elections to Parliament

	1994	1997	2001	2005	2009
Number of persons with voting rights	46,848	52,752	56,617	60,635	64,602
Number of persons who did vote	39,986	45,327	48,565	51,990	55,750
% of turn-out ¹	85.4	85.9	85.8	85.7	86.3
Valid votes	39,566	44,741	47,969	51,317	55,121
Invalid votes	420	586	596	673	629
Abstentions	6,862	7,425	8,052	8,645	8,852
Quota	1,884	2,130	2,284	2,443	2,624

Source: Population Registry Office.

¹ percentage of persons with voting rights who did vote on election-day.

2. Results of elections to the new Parliament¹ by parties

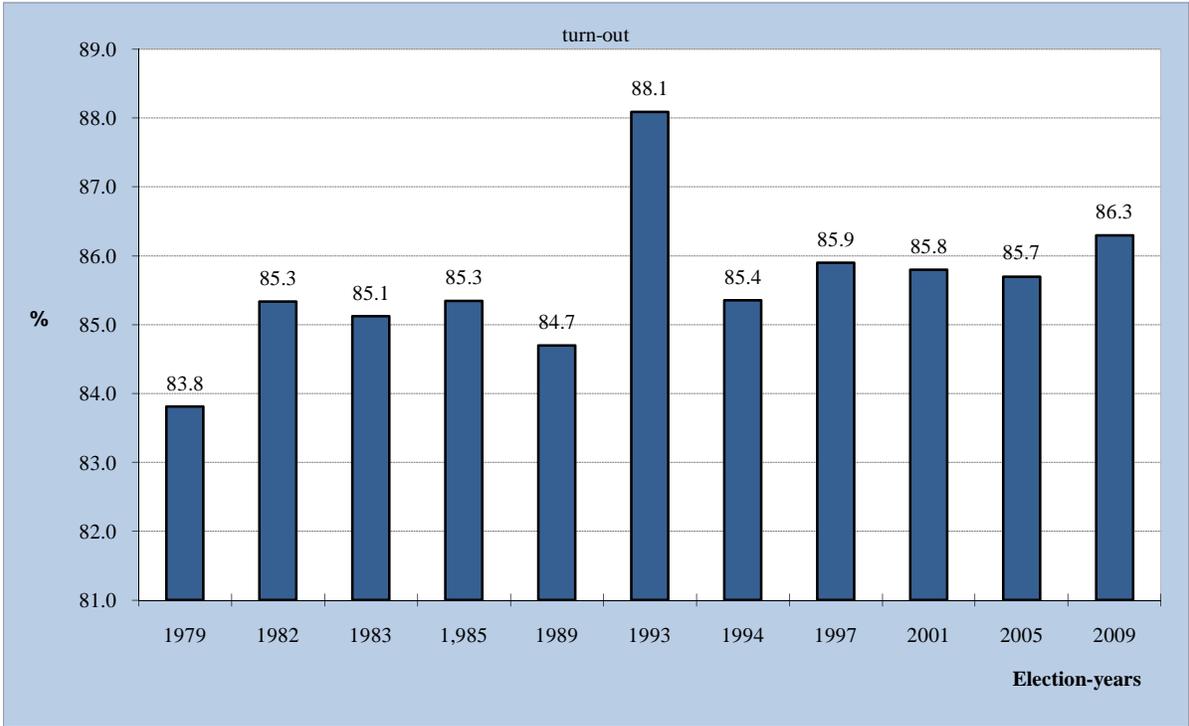
	1994	1997	2001	2005	2009
	Abs	Abs	Abs	Abs	Abs
<i>Valid votes</i>					
MEP	15,437	17,358	25,172	22,002	19,804
AVP	17,963	19,476	12,749	16,725	26,476
PPA	1,751	2,052	4,598	1,092	611
OLA/MSI	4,415	3,976	2,713	1,725	125 ²
MPA	-	-	-	3,661	2,444
RED	-	-	-	3,330	2,378
PDR	-	-	-	2,414	3,144
CURPA	-	-	-	-	139
ALSAMS	-	-	-	237	-
PPT/SB	-	-	-	131	-
<i>Seats</i>					
MEP	9	9	12	11	8
AVP	10	10	6	8	12
PPA	-	-	2	-	-
OLA	2	2	1	-	-
MPA	-	-	-	1	-
RED	-	-	-	1	-
DR	-	-	-	-	1
CURPA	-	-	-	-	-
ALSAMS	-	-	-	-	-
PPT/SB	-	-	-	-	-

Source: Population Registry Office.

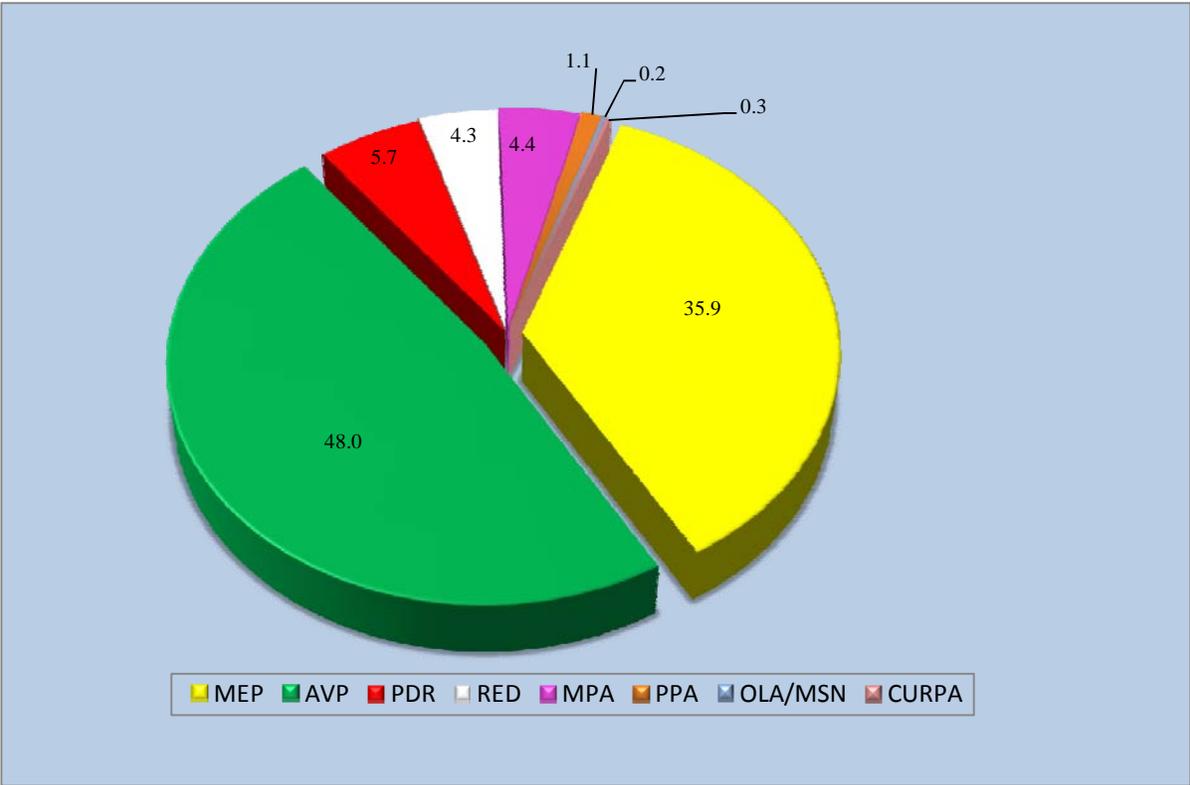
¹ In the framework of the new constitutional status of Aruba, the Island Council elected on November 22nd., 1985, became the first Parliament of Aruba per January 1st., 1986.

² Combination OLA/MSI since 2009

Graph 4A. Turn-out elections to Island Council and Parliament, in %, 2009



Graph 4B. Results of election to Parliament by parties in %, 2009



3. Constitution of Parliament by sex

Political Party	1994		1997		2001		2005		2009	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
MEP	8	1	7	2	10	2	9	2	4	4
AVP	8	2	9	1	5	1	7	1	8	4
PPA	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
ADN	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
OLA	1	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
PDR	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
PPN	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MPA	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
RED	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Total	17	4	17	4	17	4	17	4	13	8

Source: Population Registry Office and Parliament of Aruba

MEP (Movimiento Electoral di Pueblo)	ADN (Arubaanse Democratische Partij)	PPN (Partido Patriotico Nacional)
AVP (Arubaanse Volkspartij)	OLA (Organisacion Liberacion Aruba)	MPA (Movimiento Patriotico Arubano)
PPA (Partido Patriotico Arubano)	PDA (Partido Democracia Real)	RED (Red Democratico)

4. Governments by political denomination of the ministers

Political Party	1994/97	1997/01	2001/2005	2005/2009	2009/heden
	J.H.A.Eman	J.H.A.Eman	N.O.Oduber	N.O.Oduber	M. Eman
<i>Ministers</i>					
MEP	-	-	8	8	-
AVP	5	5	-	-	7
OLA	2	2	-	-	-
Total	7	7	8	8	7

Source: Population Registry Office and Parliament of Aruba

5. Results of elections to the new Parliament¹ by party and constituency (stemdistrict), 2005 and 2009

Constituency	MEP	AVP	PPA	OLA ³	MPA	ALIA/MSA	RED	PDR	PPT/ SB ⁴		Total
									CURPA ⁵		
<u>2005</u>											
Noord	3,547	2,234	147	237	648	28	771	357	37		8,006
Tanki Leendert	1,396	856	64	110	226	13	263	169	8		3,105
Oranjestad	4,093	5,821	203	441	888	51	747	753	20		13,017
Paradera	2,632	1,185	45	147	332	24	316	180	7		4,868
Santa Cruz	4,800	1,376	69	243	489	32	563	293	17		7,882
Savaneta	3,006	1,877	143	254	509	40	401	283	17		6,530
San Nicolas	2,528	3,376	421	293	569	49	269	379	25		7,909
Total valid votes	22,002	16,725	1,092	1,725	3,661	237	3,330	2,414	131		51,317
<u>2009</u>											
Noord	4,586	6,743	116	25	641	-	845	955	18		13,929
Tanki Leendert	569	2,005	14	1	86	-	112	165	9		2,961
Oranjestad	4,028	7,155	98	39	561	-	542	884	27		13,334
Paradera	2,615	1,609	15	14	199	-	222	264	12		4,950
Santa Cruz	2,867	1,196	31	11	208	-	217	299	2		4,831
Savaneta	2,856	3,329	92	16	364	-	270	285	33		7,245
San Nicolas	2,283	4,439	245	19	385	-	170	292	38		7,871
Total valid votes	19,804	26,476	611	125	2,444	-	2,378	3,144	139		55,121

Source: Population Registry Office

¹In the framework of the new constitutional status of Aruba, the Island Council elected on November 22nd., 1985, became the first Parliament of Aruba per January 1st. 1986.

²Including ADN, ALIANSA, CLA

³OLA/MSI

⁴PPT/SB only in 2005

⁵CURPA was new in 2009

5. Education

1. General information of the regular school system, September 2008

National level Tracks/Programs	Number of schools	ISCED level	Starting age	Course duration in yrs.	Number of students		Number of teachers ⁶	
					% Female	Total	% Female	Total
Pre Primary Level	28	0	4	2	48.3	2,686	98.6	140
Kindergarten ¹								
Primary level ⁵	39	1	6	6	49.5	9,336	83.2	500
Primary								
Special education								
mildly retarded	3	1	5	7	30.3	449	-	55
severely retarded	1	1	5	7	47.5	59	-	8
hearing impaired	1	1	5	7	37.5	16	-	12
subtotal					32.4	524	82.7	75
Secondary level								
MAVO (general)								
- MAVO 1-2	9	2A	12	2	51.6	1,643	-	-
- MAVO 3-4		3B	14	2	53.4	1,386	-	-
subtotal					52.4	3,029	65.7	201
HAVO/VWO/ High School (general)								
- HAVO/VWO 1-2	1	2A	12	2	55.8	816	-	-
- HAVO 3-5, E1-E3		3A	14	3	57.4	1,059	-	-
- VWO 3-6		3A	14	4	65.1	475	-	138
- Middle School 7-8 ⁷	1	2A	12	3	51.8	56	-	-
- High School 9-12 ⁷		3A	15	3	43.6	117	-	29
subtotal					57.6	2,523	56.3	167
EPB (technical, vocational)								
- apprentice education	1	2C	12	3	25.0	168	-	-
- EPB 1-2 for following tracks		2A	12	2	40.8	833	-	-
- immediate employment track		3C	14	2	36.4	275	-	-
- labor market track		3C	14	2	40.3	385	-	-
- transfer track		3B	14	2	36.4	352	-	-
subtotal					38.0	2,013	49.5	194
Spec. program for foreign students, sec. educ.					41.4	70	83.3	6
Middle level								
EPI (technical, vocational)								
- hospitality management	1	5B	16	3	47.7	426	58.3	36
- engineering technology		5B	16	4	14.3	414	25.8	31
- business education		5B	16	3	64.5	386	68.8	32
- human services		5B	16	4	88.0	409	79.3	29
subtotal					53.3	1,635	57.8	128
Higher level								
UA-FEF (business administration)	1	5A ²	17	4	69.7	185	28.6*	14*
UA- HTM (hosp.& tourism man.)	1	5A ²	17	4	65.9	129	33.3	12
IPA (teacher training) ⁴	1	5A ²	17	4	80.9	183	55.9	59
subtotal					72.8	497	48.2*	85*
University level								
UA-JF (school of law)	1	5A ³	18	4	66.2	136	33.3*	18*

Source: Department of Education (Statistical Yearbook 2008-2009)

¹ four years and older only ² First degree ³ Second degree ⁴ incl. special program for foreign students

⁵ excl. in-service training

⁶ full and part-time, excl. visiting lecturers

⁷ ISA & IAH (incl grade ESL)

2. General information on Private and Public schools, September 2008

Type	Board name	Level of Education	Number of schools	Number of classes	Number of students ³	Average class-size	Number of teachers	
Public	Openbaar Schoolbestuur	Kindergarten	6	28	728	26	41	
		Primary education	6	81	2,065	25	102	
		Special education	2	27	335	12	44	
		MAVO (general)	2	26	607	23	46	
		Incorporate primary education	1	1	15	15	1	
		Incorporate secondary education	1	4	70	18	5	
		EPI (vocational)	1	79	1,635	21	128	
		IPA (teacher training) ^{1 2}	1	12	183	15	59	
Private government aided	F.E.P.O.	Special education	1	7	16	2	12	
	S.V.G.	Special education	1	7	59	8	8	
	S.E.P.B.	EPB (vocational)	1	144	2,013	14	194	
	S.K.O.A.	Kindergarten	16	69	1,697	25	88	
		Primary education	26	279	6,369	23	332	
		Special education	1	10	114	11	13	
	S.P.C.O.A.	MAVO (general)	5	82	1,994	24	124	
		Kindergarten	2	5	110	22	7	
		Primary education	2	20	503	25	25	
	S.V.E.O.A.	MAVO (general)	2	19	428	19	36	
		Kindergarten	1	2	48	24	2	
		Primary education	1	6	137	23	7	
	S.O.A.Z.A.	Kindergarten	1	2	37	19	2	
	S.M.O.A.	HAVO/VWO (general)	1	90	2,327	26	130	
	UA	UA-FEF (business administration) ¹	1	-	185	-	14*	
		UA-HTM (hosp. & tourism man.) ¹	1	-	129	-	12	
		UA-JF (school of law) ¹	1	-	136	-	18*	
Private independent	I.S.A.	Kindergarten	1	1	14	14	1	
		Primary education (grade 1-6)	1	5	70	14	6	
		Middle+High School (grade 7-12)	1	6	73	12	11	
	S.B.C.	Kindergarten	1	4	73	18	4	
		Primary education	1	9	177	20	12	
		Secondary education	1	1	23	23	8	
	S.C.I.A.E.	Middle/High school	1	6	100	17	5	
	Total	Pre Primary Level		28	111	2,707	24	145
		Primary Level (incl. incorporating & special educ.)		43	452	9,860	22	567
Secondary Level		15	378	7,635	156	558		
Middle Level		1	79	1,635	21	128		
Higher level		3	-	497	-	85*		
University Level		1	-	136	-	18*		
Grand total			91	-	22,470	-	1,398	

Source: Department of Education, Statistical Yearbook 2008-2009

¹ Excluding visiting lecturers

³ including 3 years old children

² Including second degree (in-service) training

⁴ For meaning of abbreviations, see Remarks pg. IV

3. Participation in education for schoolgoing population by age and level of education, September 2008

Age	Population ¹	At school	KO	BO	SO	Incorp.	DeS	ISA	EPB	MAVO	HAVO ³	IAH	VWO	EPI-D	EPI-T	EPI-E	EPI-H	IPA ²	UA
3	1,409	21	5	-	-	-	13	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	1,322	1,292	1,266	-	-	-	23	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	1,366	1,351	1,298	8	1	-	39	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	1,428	1,387	50	1,290	9	-	28	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	1,520	1,492	1	1,418	34	-	32	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	1,507	1,481	-	1,395	43	-	32	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	1,468	1,431	-	1,320	69	4	24	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10	1,516	1,485	-	1,356	91	4	24	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	1,541	1,505	-	1,365	81	7	32	16	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
12	1,528	1,502	-	673	76	9	20	12	31	365	311	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
13	1,612	1,588	-	238	72	15	6	17	162	724	348	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
14	1,512	1,479	-	11	35	15	-	12	341	650	325	23	67	-	-	-	-	-	-
15	1,595	1,484	-	-	3	16	-	12	438	676	237	17	84	-	1	-	-	-	-
16	1,532	1,322	-	-	7	6	-	12	436	358	254	12	116	34	31	38	17	-	1
17	1,441	1,007	-	-	3	8	-	7	312	166	163	13	118	58	43	62	51	-	3
18	1,427	801	-	-	-	1	-	5	195	70	123	16	50	71	74	72	98	2	24
19	1,406	525	-	-	-	-	-	1	81	16	64	3	28	63	75	66	72	2	54
20	1,166	293	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	3	20	1	10	49	51	57	54	-	33
21	1,152	228	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	2	3	2	42	50	32	45	6	43
> 21		796	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	92	89	59	89	173	292
Total	27,448	22,470	2,620	9,074	524	85	273	157	2,013	3,029	1,852	100	475	409	414	386	426	183	450

Source: Department of Education, Population Registry Office

¹ Population numbers and at school may not correspond, due to some non registered children at the Population Registry office.

³ incl. intermediate (bridge) class HAVO/VWO

² excl. in-service training

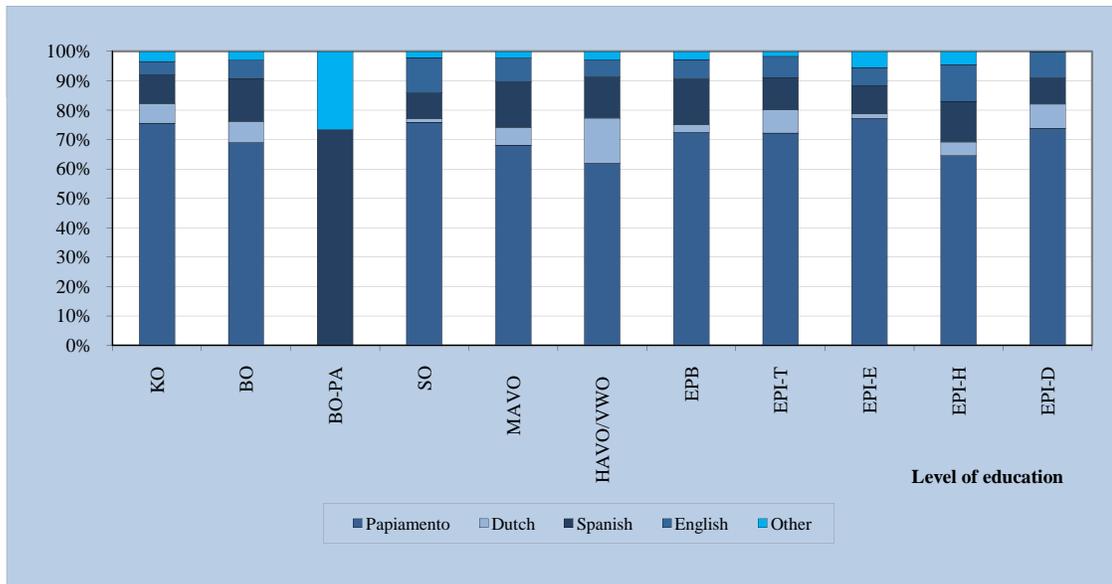
KO	Kleuteronderwijs	VWO	Voorbereidend Wetenschappelijk Onderwijs
BO	Basis onderwijs	EPI-D	Educacion Profesional Intermedio-Servicio-Salubridad
SO	Speciaal onderwijs	EPI-T	Educacion Profesional Intermedio-Tecnico
DeS	De Schakel	EPI-E	Educacion Profesional Intermedio-Economico
ISA	International School of Aruba	EPI-H	Educacion Profesional Intermedio-Horeca
Incorp.	Incorporating Education	IPA	Instituto Pedagogico Arubano
EPB	Educacion Profesional Basico	UA	Universidad di Aruba
MAVO	Middelbaar Algemeen Voortgezet Onderwijs		
HAVO	Hoger Algemeen Voortgezet Onderwijs		
IAH	Ibero American Highschool		

4. Students by language mostly spoken at home and level of education, September 2008

	Papiamentu	Dutch	Spanish	English	Other
Pre Primary Level					
Kindergarten (KO)	1,982	173	258	119	88
Primary Level					
Primary education (BO)	6,260	655	1,319	575	265
Foreign speaker program (BO-PA)	-	-	11	-	4
Special education (SO)	398	6	46	63	11
Secondary Level					
Foreign speaker program (VO-Inc)	4	-	51	6	9
EPB	1,458	54	313	132	56
MAVO	2,064	184	467	248	66
HAVO/VWO	1,442	358	325	136	66
Middle Level					
<u>Prof. Education</u>					
EPI-T	299	33	45	30	7
EPI-E	298	6	37	24	21
EPI-H	275	20	59	53	19
EPI-D	302	34	36	36	1
Total	14,782	1,523	2,967	1,422	613

Source: Department of Education, Statistical Yearbook 2006-2007

Graph 5A. Students by language mostly spoken and level of education, 2008

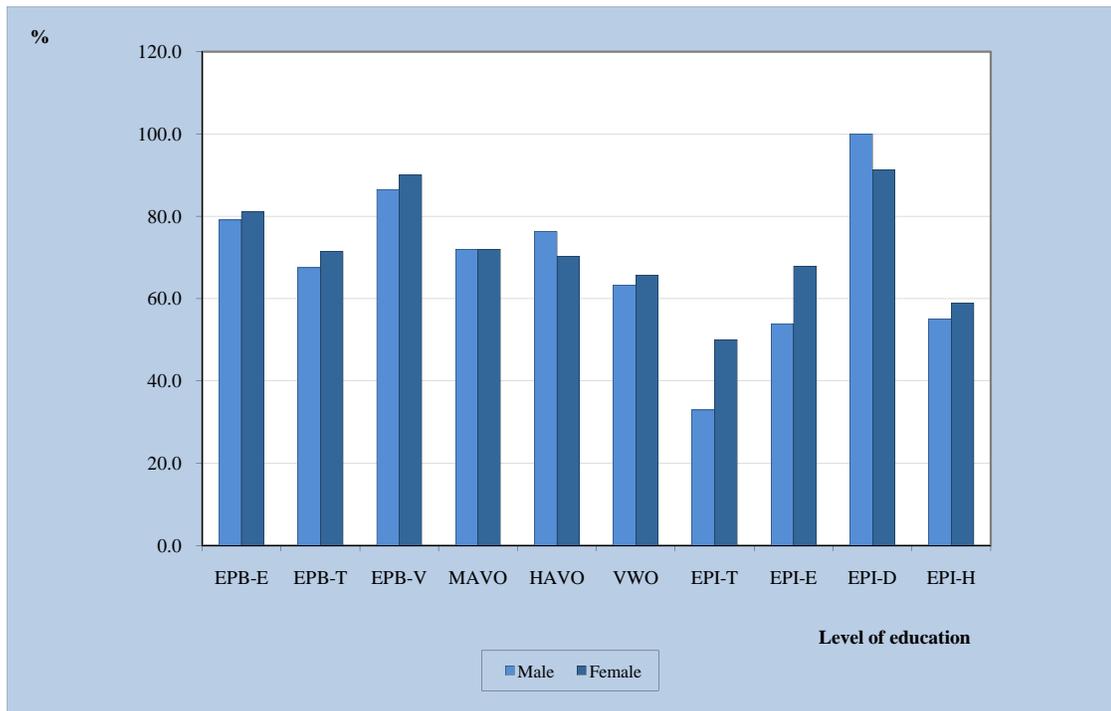


5. Final examination statistics

	Scholastic year 2006/2007				Scholastic year 2007/2008			
	Number of participants		% Passed		Number of participants		% Passed	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
General Full-time								
MAVO	265	358	82.6	77.7	304	318	72.0	72.0
HAVO	112	186	56.3	55.4	130	188	76.2	70.2
VWO	47	92	55.3	66.3	49	99	63.3	65.7
Vocational Full-time								
EPB - E	8	29	63.6	55.2	43	74	79.1	81.1
EPB - T	81	5	60.3	60.0	163	7	67.5	71.4
EPB - V	26	55	73.1	80.0	74	81	86.5	90.1
Total	115	89	64.0	70.8	280	162	74.3	85.2
EPI - T	87	12	67.8	75.0	70	10	32.9	50.0
EPI - E	27	74	51.9	45.9	26	106	53.8	67.9
EPI - D	6	57	100.0	82.5	9	46	100.0	91.3
EPI - H	29	24	72.4	79.2	40	34	55.0	58.8
Total	149	167	67.1	65.3	145	196	46.9	70.9

Source: Department of Education, Statistical Yearbook 2008-2009

Graph 5B. Percentage of students who passed their exams in scholastic year 2007/2008

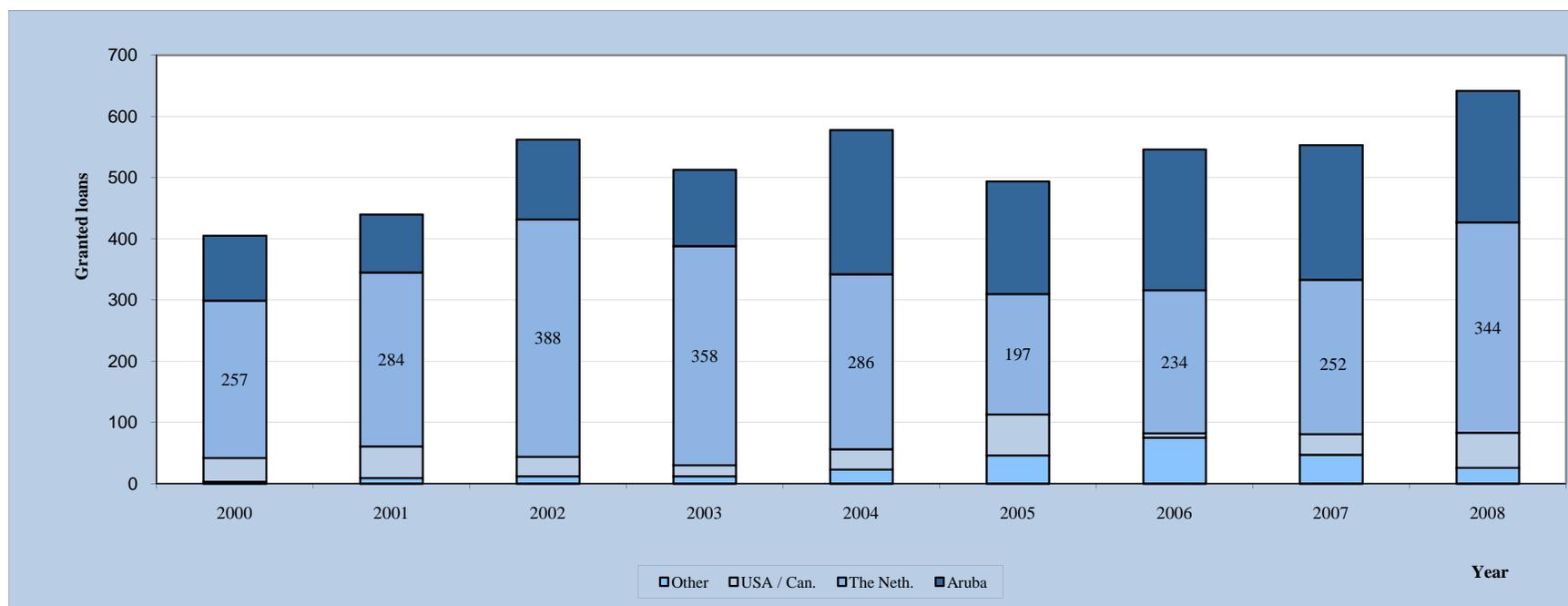


6. Granted loans for study by field of study, country of study and level of education

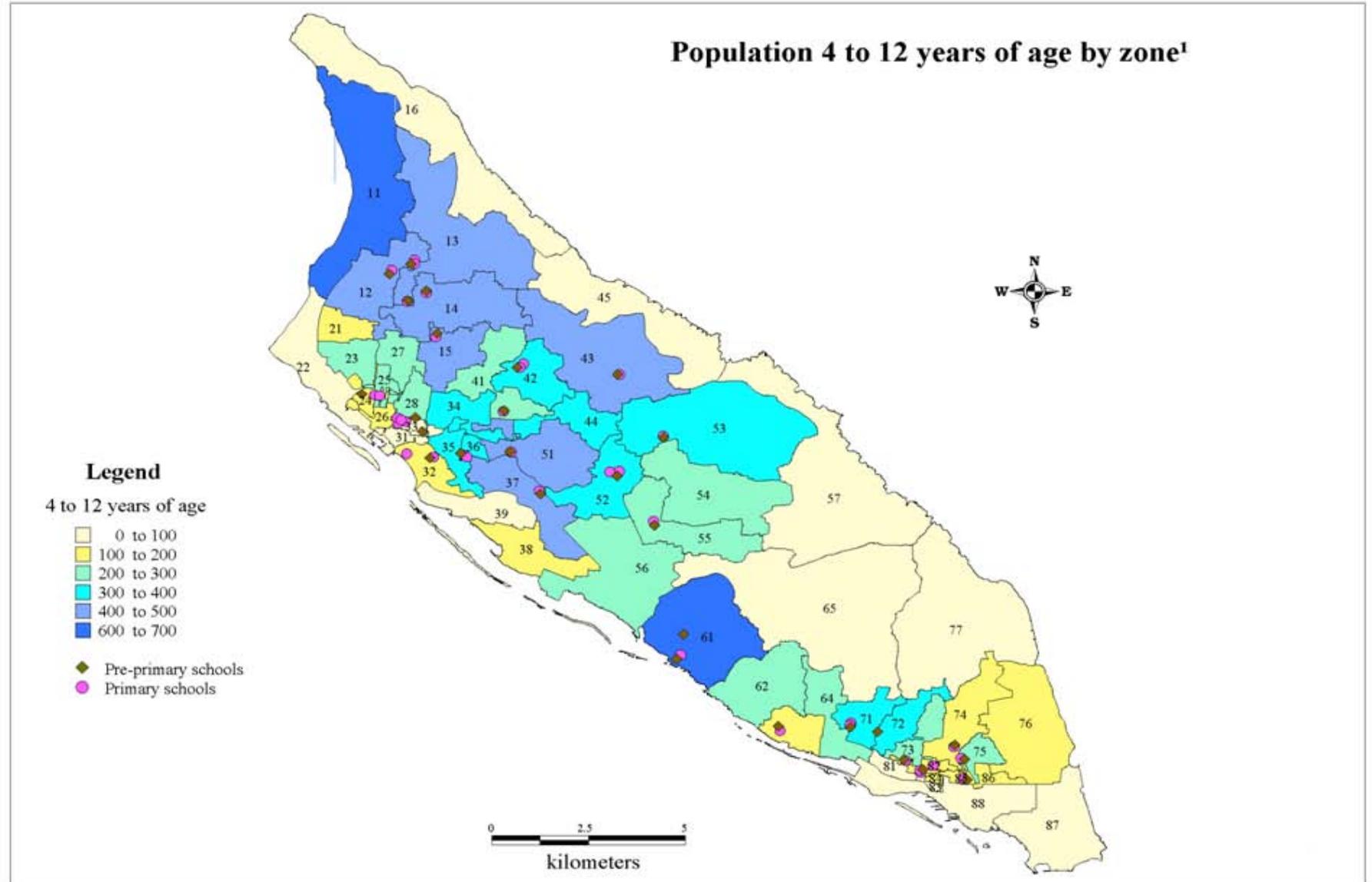
Field of study	Country of study															
	Aruba				The Netherlands.				U.S.A. / Canada				Other			
	04/05	05/06	06/07	07/08	04/05	05/06	06/07	07/08	04/05	05/06	06/07	07/08	04/05	05/06	06/07	07/08
Agriculture,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Engineering, Architecture, City - planning, etc	14	10	12	13	35	29	45	78	14	2	9	10	14	12	9	4
Mathematics and Physics	-	-	-	-	1	4	8	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Medical sciences, Biology, etc.	15	14	53	14	30	36	36	46	10	-	2	2	15	24	16	12
Economics, Management, Accountancy, etc.	95	141	114	157	50	83	64	106	23	1	11	9	12	23	11	7
Social sciences, Law, etc.	13	9	4	11	16	20	25	28	6	2	5	29	2	4	6	1
Humanities, History, Theology, etc	-	-	-	-	3	4	4	7	-	-	-	2	-	-	1	-
Education, Pedagogy and Social services	47	51	29	17	54	50	66	71	6	1	1	3	3	8	3	1
Other	-	5	8	3	8	8	4	6	8	1	4	2	-	4	1	1
Totals, of which	184	230	220	215	197	234	252	344	67	7	34	57	46	75	47	26
MBO, Associate Degree	74	103	133	114	-	-	-	-	20	-	11	7	2	19	-	2
HBO, Bachelor's Degree	98	118	81	90	155	183	196	288	46	6	23	45	24	43	23	11
WO, Master's Degree or Doctorate	12	9	6	11	42	51	56	56	1	1	-	5	20	13	24	13

Source: Department of Education, Statistical Yearbook 2006-2007

Graph 5C. Granted loans for study by year and country of study



Population 4 to 12 years of age by zone¹



Source: C.B.S., Cartography

¹See page 99 for names of zone-codes

7. Pre - primary schools

	Pre - primary schools	GAC code ¹
1	Cayena Kleuterschool	12
2	Scol Preparatorio Washington	12
3	Agnes Kleuterschool	14
4	Scol Preparatorio Cacique Aterima	55
5	Scol Preparatorio Nos Paraiso	42
6	Trupiaal Kleuterschool	52
7	Jacinta Kleuterschool	35
8	Imelda Kleuterschool	28
9	Arubanita Kleuterschool	75
10	Kukwisa Kleuterschool	61
11	Fontein Kleuterschool	74
12	Mon Plaisir Kleuterschool	32
13	Arco Iris Kleuterschool	33
14	Prome Paso Kleuterschool	63
15	Tarcisius Kleuterschool	71
16	Anglo Kleuterschool	24
17	Ayo Kleuterschool	43
18	Rayo di Solo Kleuterschool	83
19	Commandeur Pieter Boerschool (kindergarten)	73
20	St. Jan Kleuterschool	53
21	J.N. Andrew School	72
22	Graf von Zinzendorf (kindergarten)	85
23	International School of Aruba (kindergarten)	87
24	Faith Revival School (kindergarten)	41
25	Scol Preparatorio Aurora	15
26	De Schakel	13
27	Scol Preparatorio Conrado Coronel	34

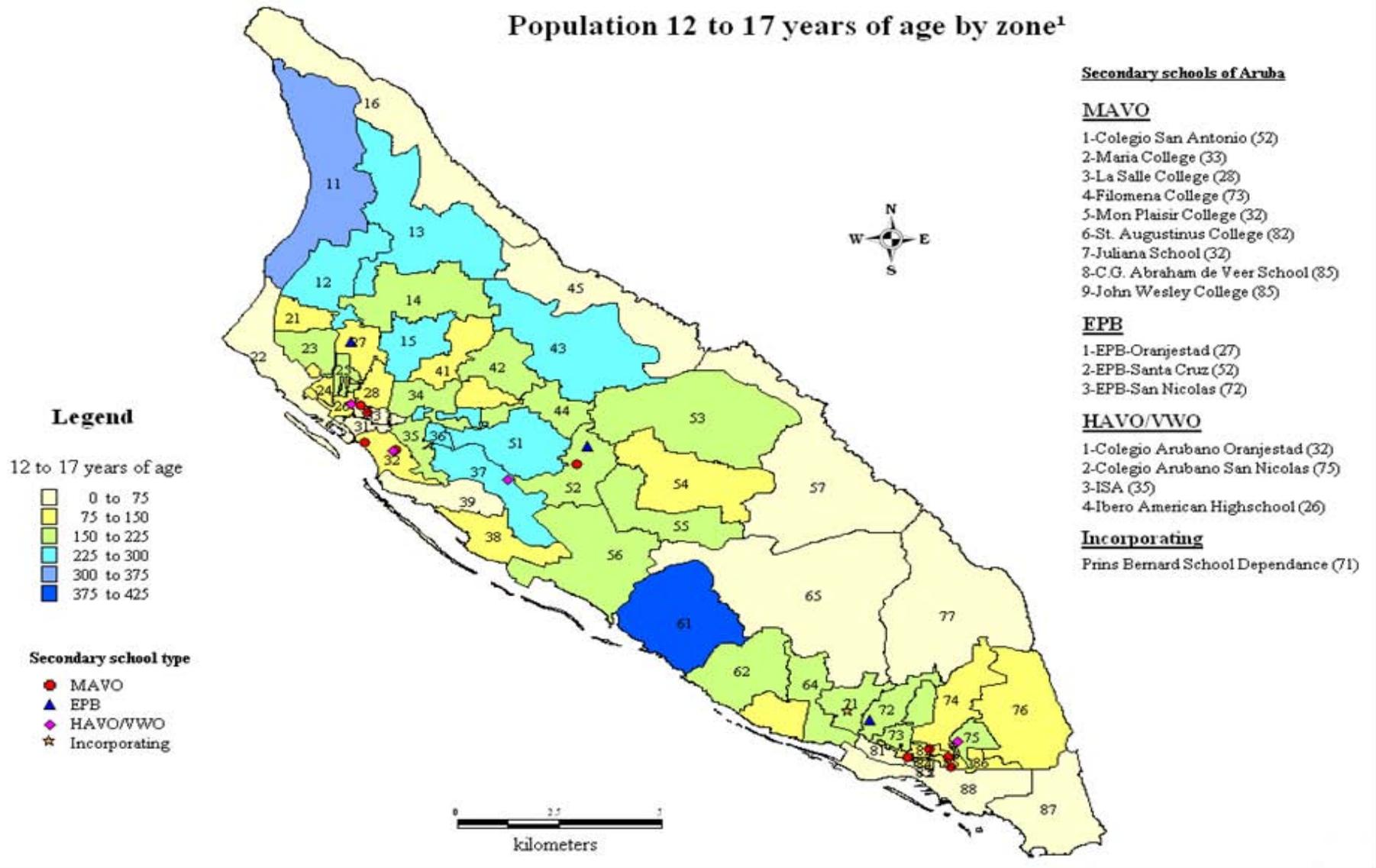
Source: C.B.S., Cartography

8. Primary schools

	Primary schools	GAC code ¹
1	Sint Anna School	12
2	Sint Aloysius School	12
3	Scol Basico Washington	12
4	Colegio Felipito.B. Tromp	14
5	Basis School "De Schakel"	13
6	St. Franciscus College	25
7	Colegio Bon Bini	25
8	Scol Basico Cacique Macuarima	55
9	Colegio Laura Wernet-Paskel	53
10	Colegio Cristo Rey	71
11	Colegio Pastoor Kranwinkel	42
12	Maria Goretti College	42
13	Colegio San Hose	52
14	Maria School	52
15	Fatima College	35
16	Pius X School	35
17	Rosario College	33
18	Rosa College	33
19	St. Dominicus College	33
20	Colegio Santa Teresita	82
21	Colegio Santa Filomena	73
22	Maria Regina School	75
23	Colegio Conrado Coronel	34
24	Kukwisa School	61
25	Commandeur Pieter Boer School (primary)	73
26	Colegio Hilario Angela	74
27	Paulus School	82
28	Graf von Zinzendorf (primary)	85
29	Mon Plaisirschool	32
30	School Reina Beatrix	32
31	Colegio Sagrado Curason	63
32	St. Michael School	71
33	Colegio Frere Bonifacius	33
34	Dependance (Ayo)	43
35	International School of Aruba (primary)	87
36	Faith Revival School (primary)	41
37	Colegio Oro Ubao	15

Source: C.B.S., Cartography

Population 12 to 17 years of age by zone¹



Source: C.B.S., Cartography
¹See page 99 for names of zone-codes

9. Government expenditures on education

Year	Government expenditures on education								
	In mln. Afls.					%		In Afls.	
	A	B	A + B	C	D	(A + B) / C	(A + B) / D	E	(A + B) / E
2000 ²	137.5	18.7	156.2	1,168.3	3,353.5	13.4	4.7	20,284	7,701
2001 ²	152.0	6.6	158.6	1,286.2	3,437.3	12.3	4.6	21,061	7,531
2002 ²	153.4	6.1	159.5	1,321.3	3,474.6	12.1	4.6	21,512	7,414
2003 ²	159.3	14.7	174.0	1,404.3	3,618.1	12.4	4.8	21,802	7,981
2004 ²	176.0	8.9	184.9	1,527.6	3,982.9	12.1	4.6	22,190	8,333
2005 ³	179.9	1.9	181.8	1,619.1	4,158.7	11.2	4.4	22,908	7,936
2006 ³	181.4	6.0	187.4	1,602.6	4,334.1	11.7	4.3	22,930	8,173
2007 ³	176.5	13.5	190.0	1,665.4	4,696.0	11.4	4.0	22,508	8,441
2008 ³	185.0	7.2	192.2	1,763.3	4,975.0	10.9	3.9	22,470	8,554

Source: Department of Education

¹ Financial data based on: ¹ annual accounts, ² provisional annual accounts, ³ budget

A: current government expenditures on education

B: expenditures on capital formation education

C: total government expenditures

D: nominal GDP

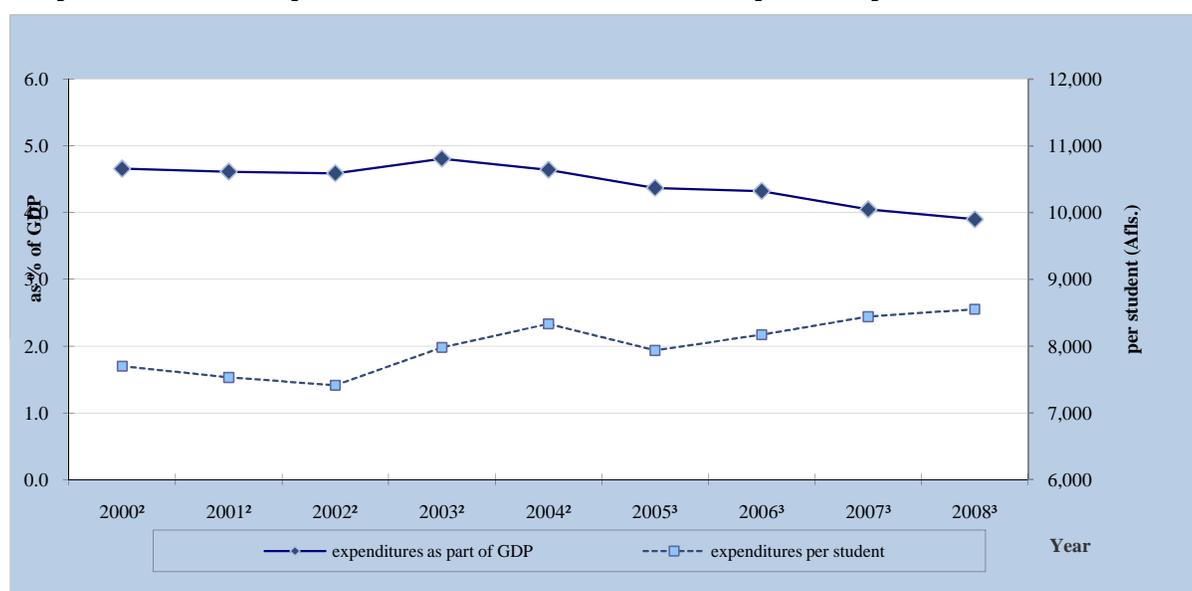
E: total number of students (public and government aided education)

(A+B)/D : expenditures on education as % of GDP

(A+B)/E : expenditures per student per year in Afls.

(A+B)/C : expenditures on education as % of total government expenditures

Graph 5D. Government expenditures on education as % of GDP and expenditures per student



10. Population¹ by level of education obtained by age category, in percentage

Level of education	Age category					Total
	15-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	
Primary education or less	37%	29%	33%	45%	62%	39%
Secondary education	53%	50%	48%	39%	25%	44%
Vocational middle level	8%	12%	10%	6%	5%	9%
Higher level and University level	2%	8%	9%	9%	7%	8%
Not reported	1%	-	1%	-	1%	1%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

Source: "Onderwijs op Aruba, Context en Output", CBS 2003

¹Population 15-65 jaar, not visiting school

6. Labour

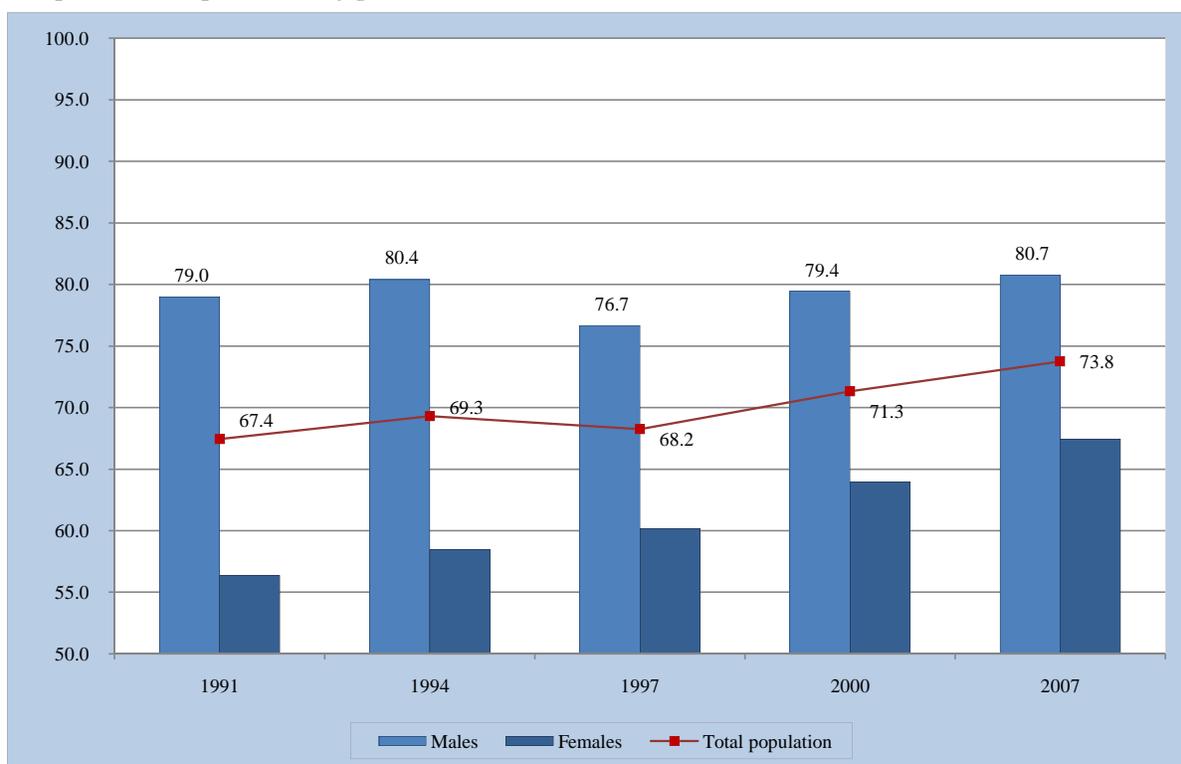
1. Employment and unemployment rates by gender

	Labour market statistics					
	Gender	Census 1991	LFS 1994 ¹	LFS 1997 ¹	Census 2000	LFS 2007 ¹
Employment rate (%) (15 - 64 yrs)	Males	74.3	76.0	71.4	74.2	76.7
	Females	52.8	53.8	55.1	59.2	63.1
	Total	63.3	64.8	63.1	66.4	69.5
Unemployment rate (%) (15 - 64 yrs)	Males	5.9	5.4	6.8	6.6	5.0
	Females	6.3	8.0	8.4	7.4	6.4
	Total	6.1	6.5	7.5	7.0	5.7
Participation rate (%) (15 - 64 yrs)	Males	79.0	80.4	76.7	79.4	80.7
	Females	56.4	58.5	60.2	63.9	67.4
	Total	67.4	69.3	68.2	71.3	73.8
Schoolgoing Population (%) (15 - 19 yrs)	Male	72.6	81.9	78.5	79.2	79.5
	Female	73.1	85.2	78.4	82.6	88.9
	Total	72.8	83.5	78.5	80.9	84.1
Not Schoolgoing Population (%) (15 - 19 yrs)	Male	27.4	18.1	21.5	20.6	20.5
	Female	26.9	14.8	21.6	17.2	11.1
	Total	27.2	16.5	21.5	18.9	15.9

Source: Census 1991 and 2000, Labour Force Survey 1994, 1997 and 2007

¹ The figures of '94, '97 and '07 are based on surveys with a sample-size of approximately 2000 households.

Graph 6A. Participation rate by gender



Source: Census 1991 and 2000, Labour Force Survey 1994, 1997 and 2007

¹ The figures of '94, '97 and '07 are based on surveys with a sample-size of approximately 2000 households.

2. Labour market statistics (absolute numbers)

Total population (absolute)	Labour market statistics ¹					
	Gender	Census 1991	LFS 1994 ¹	LFS 1997 ¹	Census 2000	LFS 2007 ¹
Total population (absolute)	Males	32,821	39,663	42,811	43,434	49,628
	Females	33,866	39,786	44,909	47,072	54,378
	Total	66,687	78,450	87,720	90,506	104,006
Population of working age (15 - 64 yrs)	Males	22,277	27,290	30,035	29,887	34,850
	Females	23,287	27,946	31,332	32,750	38,437
	Total	45,563	55,236	61,366	62,637	73,287
Total employment (15-64 yrs)	Male	16,492	20,716	21,459	22,032	26,715
	Female	12,248	15,027	17,277	19,254	24,253
	Total	28,740	35,743	38,736	41,286	50,967
Total unemployment (15-64 yrs)	Male	1,042	1,191	1,565	1,552	1,420
	Female	824	1,301	1,579	1,546	1,669
	Total	1,866	2,492	3,144	3,098	3,089
Economically Active Population (15 - 64 yrs)	Male	17,534	21,907	23,024	23,584	28,135
	Female	13,072	16,328	18,856	20,799	25,922
	Total	30,606	38,234	41,880	44,384	54,057
Economically Inactive Population (15 - 64 yrs)	Male	4,660	5,341	7,011	6,110	6,715
	Female	10,120	11,590	12,476	11,730	12,515
	Total	14,780	16,931	19,486	17,840	19,230

Source: Census 1991 and 2000, Labour Force Survey 1994, 1997 and 2007

* Provisional data

¹ The figures of '94, '97 and 07 are based on surveys with a sample-size of approximately 2000 households.

3. Total Participation rate by gender, 1991 - 2007

Participation rate	1991	1994 ¹	1997 ¹	2000	2007 ¹
Males	79.0	80.4	76.7	79.4	80.7
Females	56.4	58.5	60.2	63.9	67.4
Total population	67.4	69.3	68.2	71.3	73.8

Source: Census 1991 and 2000, Labour Force Survey 1994, 1997 and 2007

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4. Participation rate by activity status, 1991 - 2007

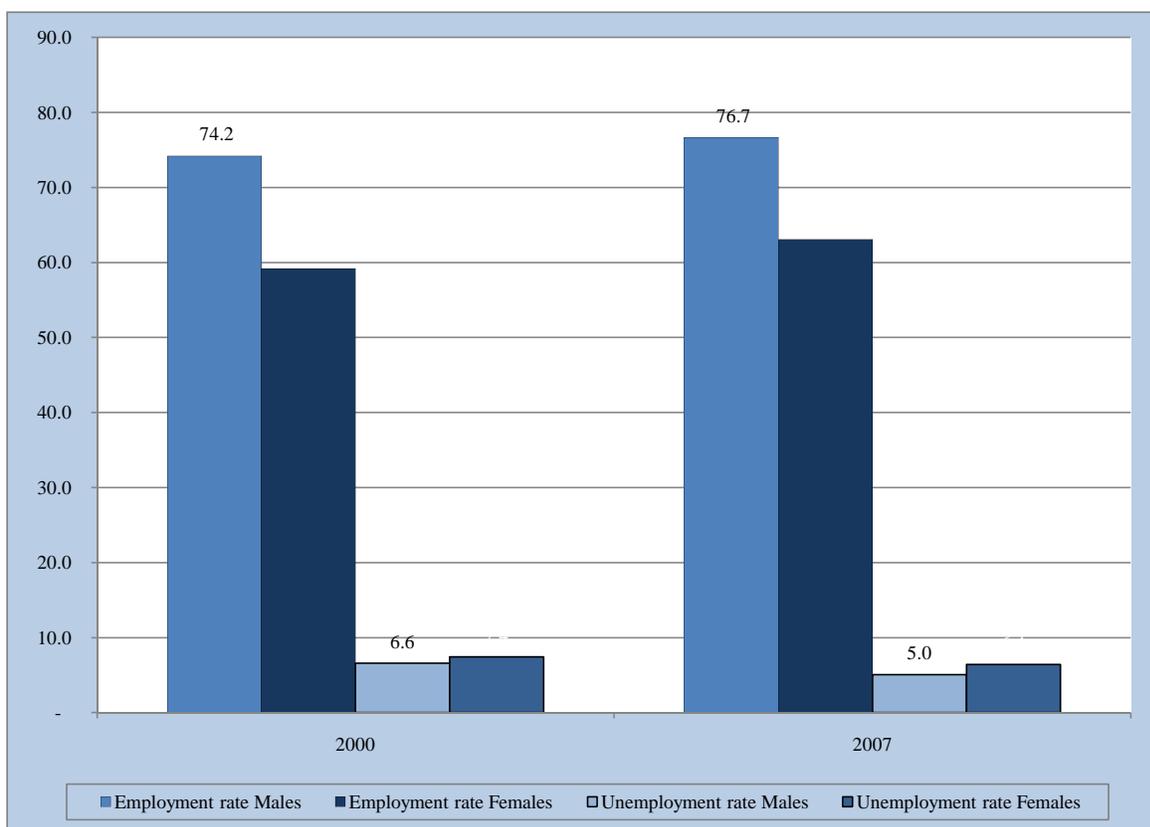
Participation rate	1991	1994	1997	2000	2007
Employment rate Males	74.3	76.0	71.4	74.2	76.7
Employment rate Females	52.8	53.8	55.1	59.2	63.1
Unemployment rate Males	5.9	5.4	6.8	6.6	5.0
Unemployment rate Females	6.3	8.0	8.4	7.4	6.4

Source: Census 1991 and 2000, Labour Force Survey 1994, 1997 and 2007

* Provisional data

¹ The figures of '94, '97 and 07 are based on surveys with a sample-size of approximately 2000 households.

Graph 6B. Employment rate by gender



¹ The labour market statistics follows the Labour Force Concept of the International Labour Organization (ILO). This Labour Force Concept is an internationally established concept that allows comparisons between the labour market data of one country (Aruba) with those of other countries. In accordance with the ILO concept, any person from the age of 15 is considered employed if he/she worked for remuneration or as self-employed or as a family worker for four hours or more in the one-week reference period. Also, persons formally having a job and only temporarily not having performed that job within the reference period are considered employed.

5. Median gross wages & salaries (in Aruban Afls.)

	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Male	31,680	34,239	32,193	31,634	32,400
Female	28,407	27,224	28,800	27,900	29,700
Group total	30,000	30,844	30,589	29,787	31,050

Source: C.B.S.

6. Median wages & salaries by economic sector and gender, in Afls.

	2005			2006		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
A. Agriculture, hunting and forestry	20,911	22,921	21,339	26,278	26,388	26,388
B. Fishing	24,711	32,235	24,711	29,700	33,750	30,473
C. Mining and quarrying	25,200	25,820	25,200	32,850	26,039	32,400
D. Manufacturing	36,780	27,000	33,300	34,650	29,004	33,300
E. Electricity, gas and water supply	80,969	63,787	79,647	81,366	65,791	80,545
F. Construction	28,814	25,200	28,436	29,700	26,550	29,250
Total Goods Sector	32,077	26,596	30,780	32,400	28,350	31,500
G. Wholesale and retail trade	25,920	23,400	24,238	28,800	26,100	27,215
H. Hotels and restaurants	29,160	25,132	26,658	30,150	27,000	28,350
I. Transport, storage and communications	42,899	31,054	37,201	41,189	30,150	34,417
J. Financial intermediation	47,865	42,754	44,157	53,220	45,453	46,980
K. Real estate, renting and business activities	26,227	26,100	26,195	28,350	28,350	28,350
L. Public administration and defence; social securities	50,739	48,068	49,367	52,782	47,700	50,207
M. Education	65,207	56,942	58,543	58,740	55,493	56,507
N. Health and social work	42,015	35,302	36,120	39,388	34,274	35,041
O. Other community, social and personal service activities	28,109	25,200	26,679	31,003	27,900	29,700
Total Service Sector	31,500	27,949	29,520	32,400	29,700	31,050

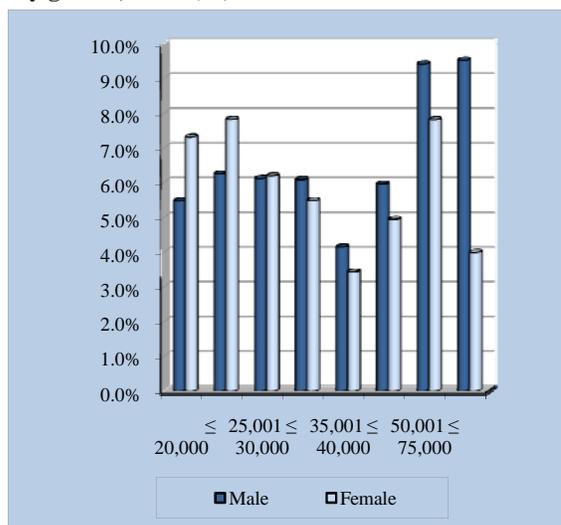
Source: C.B.S.

7. Percentage of full-time equivalent jobs by median wages & salaries categories by gender, 2005 - 2006

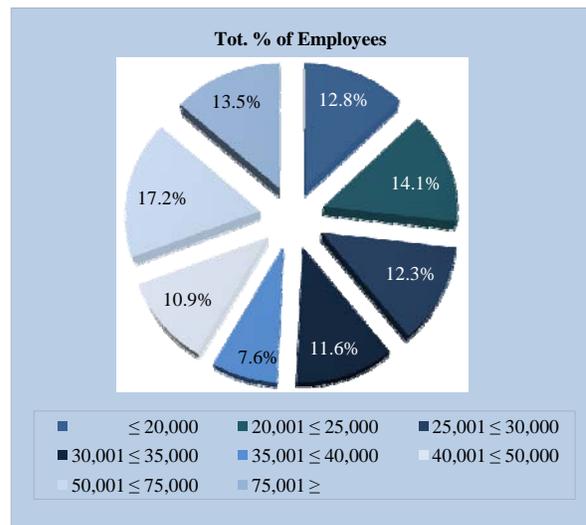
Income class in Afls.	2005			2006		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
≤ 20,000	7.0%	9.7%	16.7%	5.5%	7.3%	12.8%
20,001 ≤ 25,000	6.1%	6.5%	12.6%	6.3%	7.8%	14.1%
25,001 ≤ 30,000	5.8%	5.6%	11.4%	6.1%	6.2%	12.3%
30,001 ≤ 35,000	5.2%	4.4%	9.7%	6.1%	5.5%	11.6%
35,001 ≤ 40,000	4.4%	3.3%	7.7%	4.1%	3.4%	7.6%
40,001 ≤ 50,000	6.5%	5.3%	11.8%	6.0%	4.9%	10.9%
50,001 ≤ 75,000	9.6%	7.5%	17.2%	9.4%	7.8%	17.2%
75,001 ≥	9.2%	3.9%	13.0%	9.5%	4.0%	13.5%

Source: C.B.S.

Graph 6C. Wages and salaries income - class by gender, 2006 (%)



Graph 6D. Wages and salaries income - class, 2006 (%)



8. Persons employed by the government by ministries¹, december 31

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Ministry of General Affairs	380	330	376	302	320
Ministry of Justice	1,687	1,615	1,615	1,556	1,600
Ministry of Finance and Economic Affairs	652	644	644	657	673
Ministry of Social Affairs and Infrastructure	285	633 ²	610 ²	554 ²	568 ²
Ministry of Public Health and Environment	608	711	680	660	653
Ministry of Tourism and Transportation	228	220	216	215	210
Ministry of Labor, Culture and Sports	409	336	258	292	280
Ministry of Education and Administrative Affairs	501	-	-	-	-
Total	4,750	4,489	4,399	4,236	4,304

Source: Department of Personnel Affairs

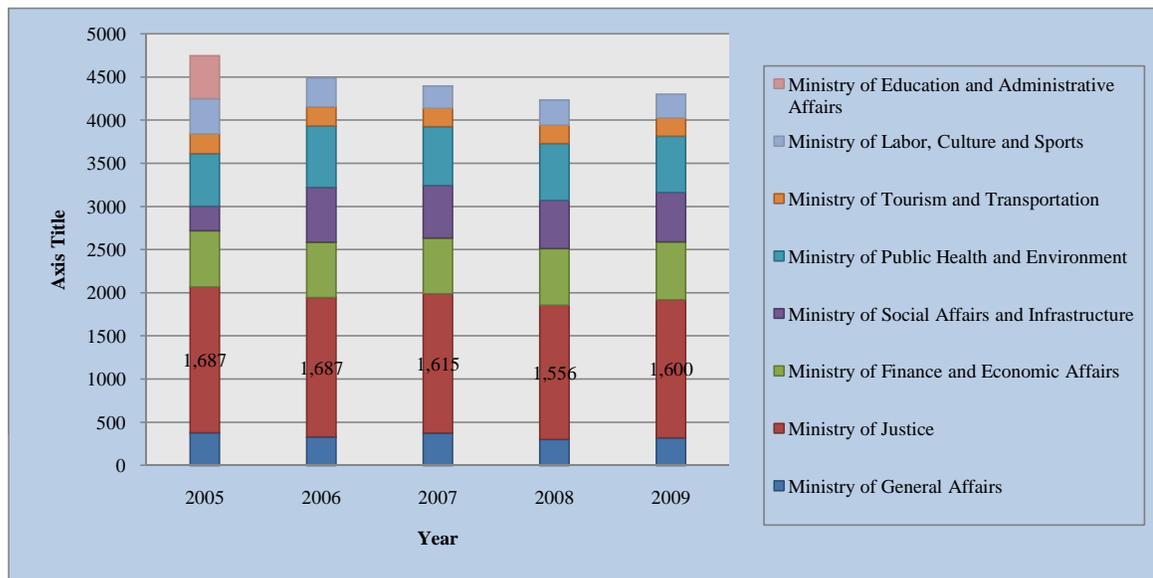
¹ Excluding all persons who receive payment every now and then, members of parliament, AAA, DOW

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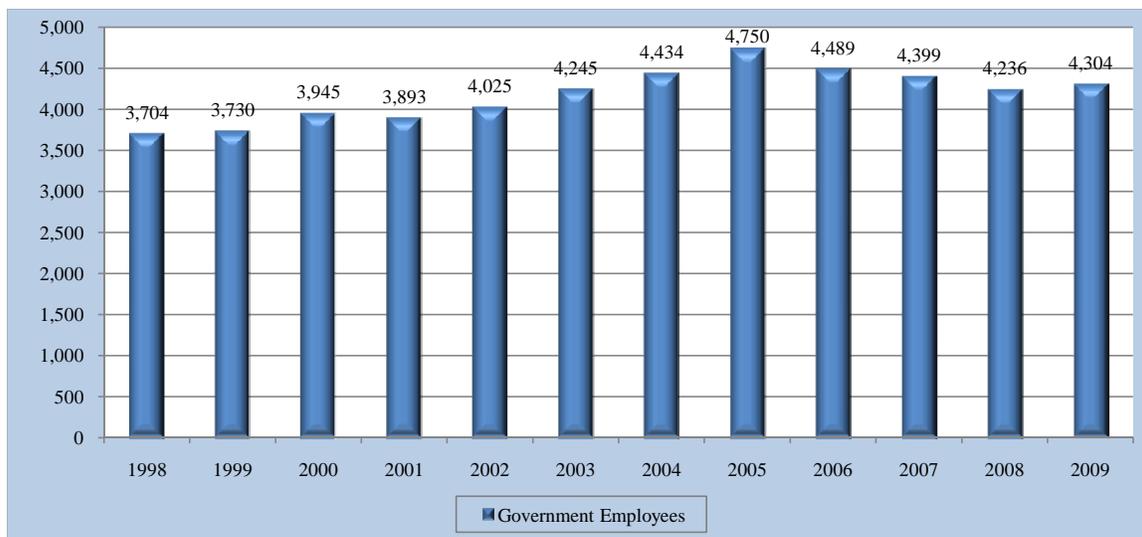
(inclusive contractors and trainees).

²Incl. Ministry of Education and Administrative Affairs

Graph 6E. Persons employed by the government by ministries



Graph 6F. Persons employed by the government



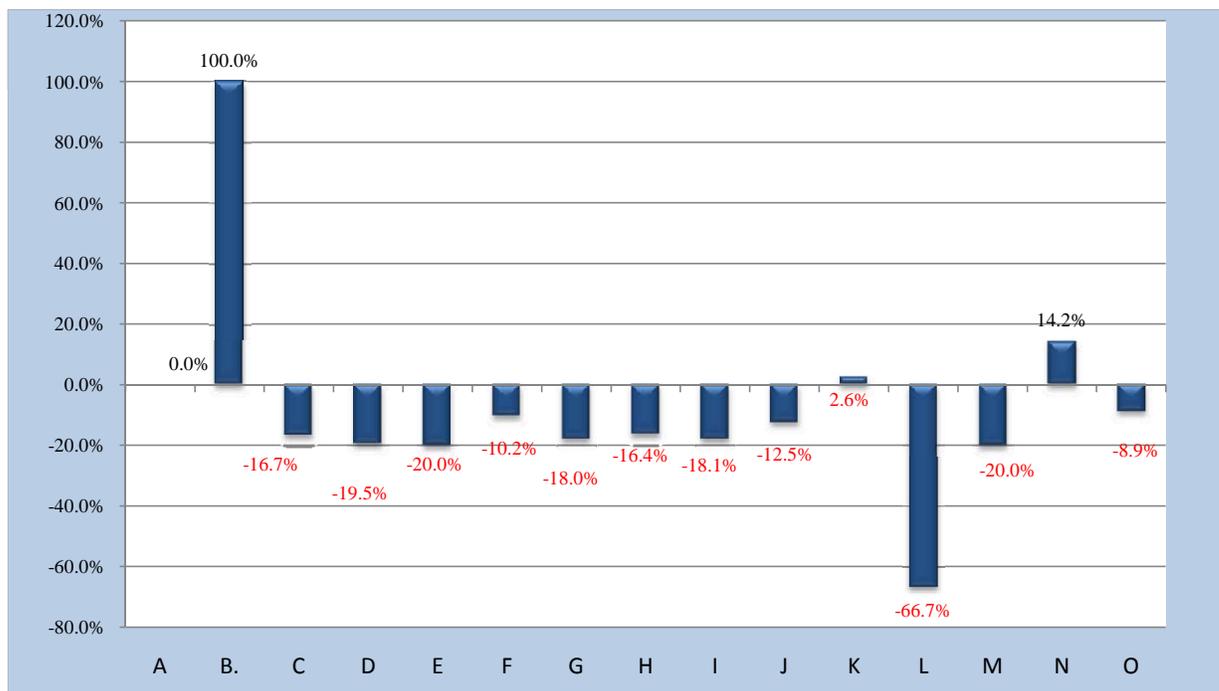
7. Business

1. Relative distribution of companies and growth of companies by branch of industry, 1999 - 2008 (in %)

Branch of industry			1999 - 2008		
	1999 abs.	2008 abs.	Rel. growth	Abs. growth	Rel. distr. of companies
A Agriculture, hunting and forestry	26	26	0.0%	0	1.0%
B. Fishing	1	2	100.0%	1	0.1%
C Mining and quarrying	6	5	-16.7%	-1	0.2%
D Manufacturing	169	136	-19.5%	-33	5.3%
E Electricity, gas and water supply	5	4	-20.0%	-1	0.2%
F Construction	283	254	-10.2%	-29	9.8%
G Wholesale and retail trade	849	696	-18.0%	-153	26.9%
H Hotels and restaurants	372	311	-16.4%	-61	12.0%
I Transport, storage and communications	94	77	-18.1%	-17	3.0%
J Financial intermediation	88	77	-12.5%	-11	3.0%
K Real estate, renting and business activities	506	519	2.6%	13	20.1%
L Public administration and defence; social securities	3	1	-66.7%	-2	0.0%
M Education	30	24	-20.0%	-6	0.9%
N Health and social work	169	193	14.2%	24	7.5%
O Other community, social and personal service activities	282	257	-8.9%	-29	9.9%
N.A. Unknown	4	1	75.0%	3	0.0%
Total	2,887	2,583			100%

Source: C.B.S., SVB

Graph 7A. Relative growth of number of companies, 1999 - 2008 (%)



Source: CBS Business count 2003 and SVB

2. Number of employees by economic sector, 2003 and 2008

Economic sector	Number of employees on payroll			
	Business count 2003		SVB 2008	
	Frequency	Percentage	Frequency	Percentage
A. Agriculture, hunting and forestry	223	0.6%	243	0.6%
B. Fishing	23	0.1%	3	0.0%
C. Mining and quarrying	0	0.0%	26	0.1%
D. Manufacturing	2,547	6.7%	2,728	6.2%
E. Electricity, gas and water supply	472	1.2%	507	1.2%
F. Construction	3,304	8.7%	4,442	10.0%
G. Wholesale and retail trade	7,617	20.1%	7,928	18.1%
H. Hotels and restaurants	8,383	22.1%	10,353	23.7%
I. Transport, storage and communications	1,671	4.4%	2,079	4.8%
J. Financial intermediation	1,340	3.5%	1,790	4.1%
K. Real estate, renting and business activities	6,649	17.5%	6,078	13.9%
L. Public administration and defence	89	0.2%	166	0.4%
M. Education ¹	1,280	3.4%	1,876	4.3%
N. Health and social work	1,976	5.2%	2,085	4.8%
O. Other community, social and personal service	2,361	6.2%	3,405	7.8%
Unknown	18	0.0%	4	0.0%
Grand Total	37,953	100%	43,713	100%

Source: CBS Business count 20003 and SVB

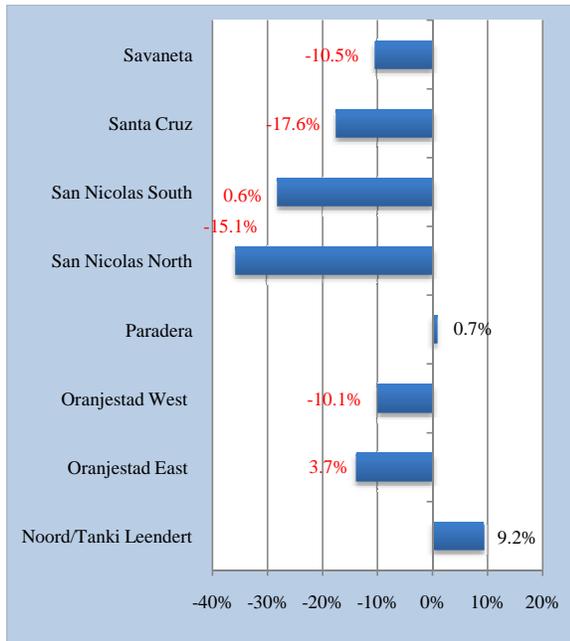
¹The latter is the result of involving the subsidized and public schools in the 2003 Business count, whereas in the former these institutions were left out.

3. Regional growth of number of companies and regional distribution, 1999 - 2008

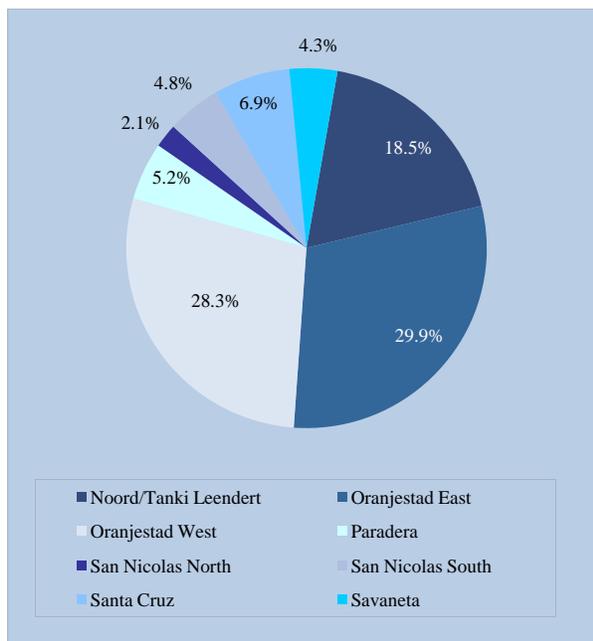
Region	1999 - 2008				
	Relative			Abs.	Rel.
	1999	2008	Growth	Growth	Distr. of companies
Noord/Tanki Leendert	437	477	9.2%	40	18.5%
Oranjestad East	899	772	-14.1%	-127	29.9%
Oranjestad West	813	731	-10.1%	-82	28.3%
Paradera	134	135	0.7%	1	5.2%
San Nicolas North	86	55	-36.0%	-31	2.1%
San Nicolas South	173	124	-28.3%	-49	4.8%
Santa Cruz	216	178	-17.6%	-38	6.9%
Savaneta	124	111	-10.5%	-13	4.3%
Unknown	5	0	-100.0%	-5	0.0%
	2,887	2,583			

Source: C.B.S., SVB

Graph 6B. Regional growth of number of companies, 1999 - 2008 (%)



Graph 6C. Regional distribution of number of companies 2008 (%)



8. Tourism

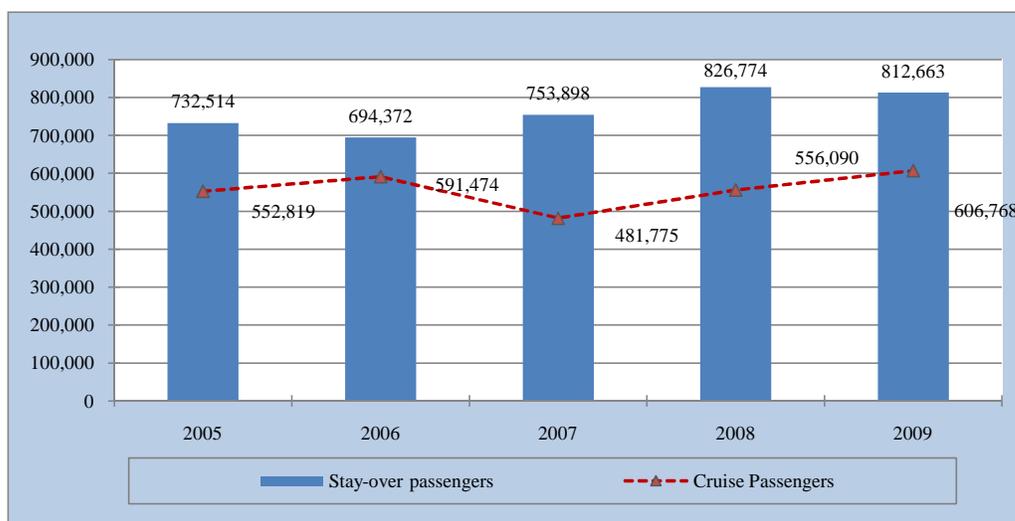
1. Total number of visitors

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009*
Stay-over passengers	732,514	694,372	772,036	826,774	812,663
Cruise Passengers	552,819	591,474	481,775	556,090	606,768
Total	1,285,333	1,285,846	1,253,811	1,382,864	1,419,431

Source: Aruba Tourism Authority

* Provisional data

8A. Total number of visitors



2. Stay-over tourism¹, by nationality

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009*
<u>Number of persons</u>					
Total	732,514	694,372	772,036	826,774	812,663
of which from:					
U.S.A. ²	532,352	493,285	520,456	537,860	528,064
Venezuela	59,928	57,105	92,155	112,034	105,042
Colombia	9,863	11,598	13,222	13,303	15,688
Canada	21,350	22,590	25,682	32,496	33,859
The Netherlands	38,667	37,130	37,851	41,439	41,316
Caribbean	22,487	23,913	23,604	23,160	22,632
Argentina	2,569	3,526	3,603	4,171	5,492
Brazil	6,067	6,667	7,480	8,737	10,600
Germany	3,333	3,271	4,332	5,108	3,366
Other	39,314	39,276	40,077	44,620	46,604
<u>Number of nights</u>					
Total	5,694,501	5,470,544	5,887,309	6,268,804	.
of which from:					
U.S.A. ²	3,871,438	3,617,414	3,804,288	3,917,876	.
Venezuela	411,539	408,526	515,352	646,055	.
Colombia	137,137	123,145	120,885	131,775	.
Canada	191,042	200,234	225,608	281,929	.
The Netherlands	481,015	481,391	487,994	547,790	.
Caribbean	156,073	174,894	213,465	133,909	.
Argentina	22,650	32,581	31,298	36,100	.
Brazil	41,344	42,329	46,792	56,032	.
Germany	37,135	39,222	49,080	56,846	.
Other	317,333	345,128	350,808	392,547	.

Source: Aruba Tourism Authority

* Provisional data

¹ Foreigners staying longer than 24 hours.

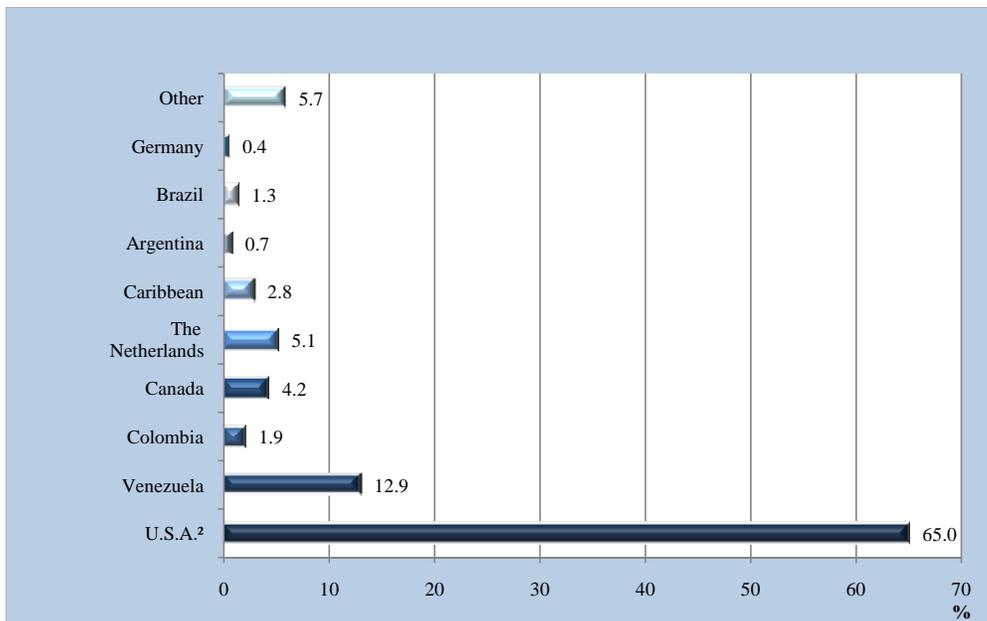
3. Stay-over tourism by carrier¹

Carrier	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
American Airlines	192,285	196,278	197,333	158,490	123,847
Avianca	13,082	13,647	18,662	25,107	21,414
KLM	47,726	40,507	31,425	26,645	5,097
Private airplanes	7,276	7,813	8,934	8,832	3,908
Aserca	7,505	9,340	22,228	26,814	15,727
Charters	101,938	81,982	49,383	81,250	86,884
Santa Barbara	18,103	15,541	22,222	6,594	628
Aeropostal	14,893	13,089	4,288	.	.
Continental	72,759	74,409	76,984	83,593	85,158
Delta airlines	64,647	51,649	57,090	60,608	82,874
US Airways	126,819	114,026	104,582	108,886	114,604
United Airways	25,227	29,852	25,629	38,956	22,955
Arkefly	.	.	7,720	12,131	14,946
Avior	.	.	12,086	21,772	17,034
DAE	.	.	27,605	24,874	25,205
Insel Air	.	.	8,684	11,531	11,657
Jet Blue	.	.	66,978	90,232	103,024
Tiara Air	.	.	20,389	22,985	21,236
Martin Air	.	.	3,339	7,399	21,093
Other	40,253	46,239	3,214	10,890	35,332
Total visitors	732,513	694,372	768,775	827,589	812,623

Source: Aruba Tourism Authority

¹Foreigners staying longer than 24 hours.

Graph 8B. Stay-over tourism by nationality, 2009 in %

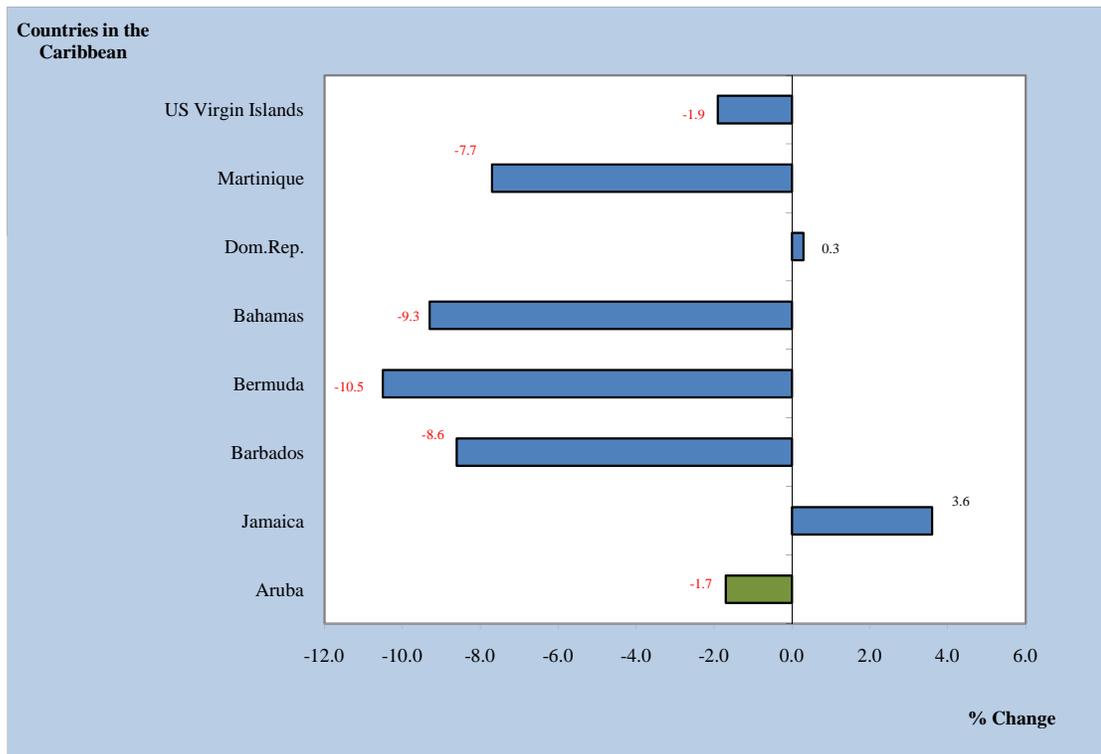


4. Stay-over tourism in some countries in the Caribbean

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	% change 2009/2008
<u>Number of persons (x 1000)</u>						
Aruba	732.5	694.4	771.3	826.8	812.6	-1.7
Netherlands Antilles	.	765.7	823.1	.	.	.
Puerto Rico	1,449.8	1,485.3	1,061.8	1,323.8	.	.
US Virgin Islands	.	671.4	693.4	678.9	666.1	-1.9
Jamaica	1,478.7	1,678.9	1,700.8	1,767.3	1,831.1	3.6
Barbados	547.5	562.6	574.5	567.7	518.6	-8.6
Bermuda	269.6	299.0	305.5	263.6	235.9	-10.5
Trinidad and Tobago	460.2	232.7	.	267.3	.	.
Bahamas	1,514.5	1,491.6	1,398.0	1,462.4	1,326.7	-9.3
Cuba	2,319.3	2,220.6	2,152.2	2,348.3	2,429.8	3.5
Dominican Republic	3,690.7	3,965.1	3,979.6	3,979.7	3,992.3	0.3
Martinique	474.1	502.1	503.1	479.9	443.2	-7.7
Cancun (Mexico)	2,134.2	1,586.9	2,022.3	2,165.3	.	.
Cozumel (Mexico)	276.5	265.7	.	.	.	.
Dominica	.	83.9	54.6	.	.	.
Montserrat	9.7	8.0	7.7	7.4	.	.

Source: CTO Statistical Report, 2008

Graph 8C. Stay-over tourism in some countries in the Caribbean (% change 2009/2008)*



*Provisional data

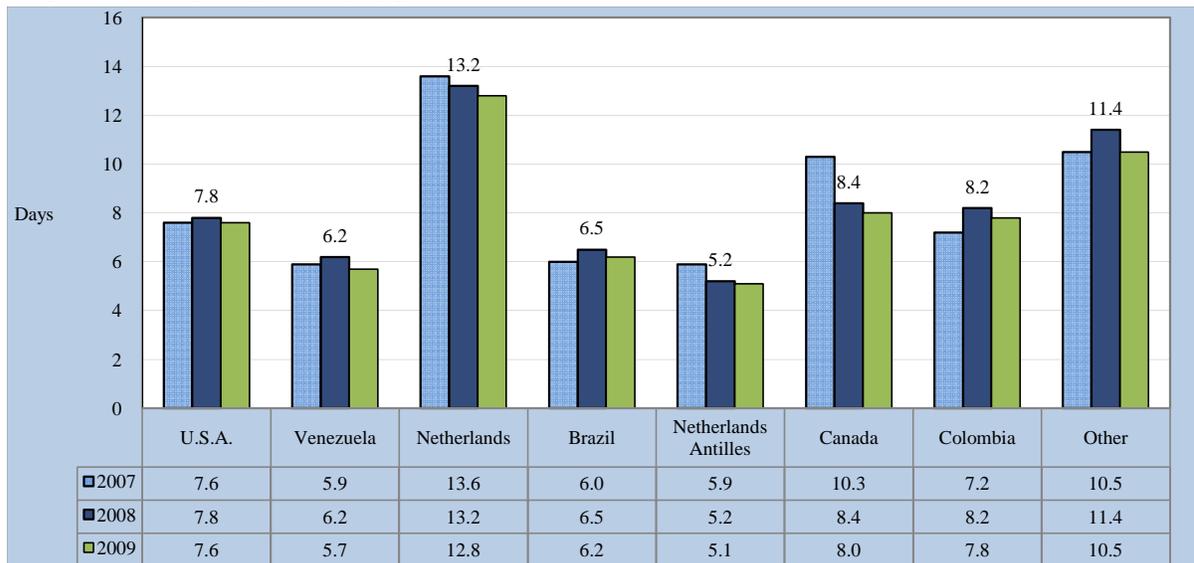
5. Average length of stay by place of residence of visitors to Aruba (in days)

Place of residence	Year Average 2005	Year Average 2006	Year Average 2007	Year Average 2008	Year Average 2009*
U.S.A.	7.3	7.5	7.6	7.8	7.6
Venezuela	7.0	6.1	5.9	6.2	5.7
Netherlands	13.2	13.3	13.6	13.2	12.8
Brazil	5.9	5.9	6.0	6.5	6.2
Netherlands Antilles	7.4	5.0	5.9	5.2	5.1
Canada	9.7	8.2	10.3	8.4	8.0
Colombia	9.6	8.3	7.2	8.2	7.8
Other	10.9	10.2	10.5	11.4	10.5
General	7.9	7.8	8.0	8.1	7.7

Source: Tourist Survey - C.B.S.

*Provisional data

Graph. 8D. Average length of stay by place of residence of visitors to Aruba



6. Type of accommodation used by the visitors (in percentages)

Type of accommodation	Year Average 2005	Year Average 2006	Year Average 2007	Year Average 2008	Year Average 2009*
Hotel	55.7	51.1	47.4	48.4	50.9
Timeshare	32.9	37.8	40.1	39.0	34.7
Guesthouse/Apartment	2.6	2.7	2.5	2.5	3.1
Friends/Relatives	7.5	7.4	8.9	9.1	10.2
Other	1.3	0.9	1.1	1.0	0.6
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

Source: Tourist Survey - C.B.S.

(Detailed items in this table do not necessarily add up to totals due to rounding)

*Provisional data

7. Travel arrangement of the visitors (in percentages)

Type of arrangement	Year Average 2005	Year Average 2006	Year Average 2007	Year Average 2008	Year Average 2009*
Pre-paid package	37.5	37.4	38.2	39.2	39.7
Own arrangement	62.5	62.6	61.8	60.8	60.3
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

Source: Tourist Survey - C.B.S.

*Provisional data

8. Yearly household income of visitors (in percentages)

Yearly household income	Year Average 2005	Year Average 2006	Year Average 2007	Year Average 2008	Year Average 2009*
Less than Afls. 35,800	6.4	4.9	5.1	5.3	5.9
Afls. 35,801 - Afls.53,700	4.6	4.8	4.0	5.1	5.9
Afls. 53,701 - Afls. 89,500	11.5	14.8	14.6	15.4	14.7
Afls. 89,501- Afls. 134,250	24.1	25.4	28.2	31.5	27.9
Afls.134,251 - Afls.179,000	19.1	14.9	17.6	16.9	13.1
Afls. 179,001 and over	20.5	17.5	13.0	13.8	14.0
Unknown	13.8	17.8	17.6	11.8	18.5
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

Source: Tourist Survey - C.B.S.

*Provisional data

(Detailed items in this table do not necessarily add up to totals due to rounding)

9. Average daily expenditure spent in Aruba per category¹, (in Afls.)

Categories of expenditure	Year Average 2005	Year Average 2006	Year Average 2007	Year Average 2008	Year Average 2009*
Accommodation ²	58.10	47.76	34.82	31.92	37.55
Food & beverage	54.34	52.66	49.14	47.27	74.31
Groceries/sundries	6.10	6.62	6.91	7.52	8.22
Entertainment/recreation	15.25	14.68	11.74	10.90	18.17
Taxis	5.85	5.87	6.25	5.71	5.87
Car rental	11.90	7.91	9.76	10.31	10.70
Public transportation	0.47	0.39	0.32	0.41	0.41
Tax free shopping	9.93	5.53	3.78	4.56	3.93
Shopping	26.24	30.02	32.38	37.23	38.95
Casinos	21.55	19.31	17.61	15.27	14.98
Telephone/Internet	1.40	0.97	0.50	1.99	0.32
Other ³	1.83	4.64	2.08	2.49	3.11
Total	212.95	197.13	175.10	175.58	183.90

Source: Tourist Survey - C.B.S.

*Provisional data

(Detailed items in this table do not necessarily add up to totals due to rounding)

¹ The expenditures above-mentioned are expenditures, per person per day, that took place while the visitors were in Aruba, excluding thus anything spent on pre-paid package outside of Aruba

² The expenditure category "accommodation" does not include any expenses made on a pre-paid package for accommodation

³ The expenditure belonging to the category "other" also includes expenditures which were unknown or that cannot be specified anymore by the interviewed visitors.

10. Average daily expenditure by place of residence¹ (in Afls.)

Place of residence	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009*
USA	222.50	204.31	177.01	176.71	178.71
Venezuela	304.34	256.44	243.60	260.57	287.30
Netherlands	95.42	93.19	84.58	93.69	109.62
Brazil	241.90	262.07	187.41	210.93	225.93
Netherlands Antilles	169.08	195.32	174.42	171.30	161.89
Canada	156.75	132.80	132.28	117.25	107.61
Colombia	133.96	181.51	223.36	156.97	214.39
Other	154.62	146.15	148.09	108.04	117.35
Total visitors	213.99	197.08	175.10	173.09	183.90

Source: Tourist Survey - C.B.S.

* Provisional data

¹ The expenditures above-mentioned are expenditures, per person per day, that took place while the visitors were in Aruba, excluding thus anything spent on pre-paid package outside of Aruba

11. Total rooms and occupancy rates

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009*
Total hotel rooms	6,532	6,834	6,786	7,323	7,459
Occupancy rates	81.7%	76.9%	77.8%	76.6%	74.7%

Source: Tourist Survey - C.B.S.

* Provisional data

12. Number of visits to Aruba (in %)

Number of visits	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009*
First time	47.2	41.0	36.5	35.5	37.1
2 to 5 times	27.3	28.7	28.5	28.2	27.5
6 times or more	25.6	30.3	34.9	36.5	35.4
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

Source: Tourist Survey - C.B.S.

* Provisional data

13. Cruise tourism

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009*
Ships	311	314	315	299	327
Passengers	552,819	591,474	481,775	556,090	606,768
Crew members	226,946	242,658	210,693	235,466	254,709
Passengers per ship	1,778	1,884	1,529	1,860	1,856

Source: Aruba Tourism Authority & Cruise Tourism Authority

* Provisional data

14. Cruise tourism in some countries in the Caribbean

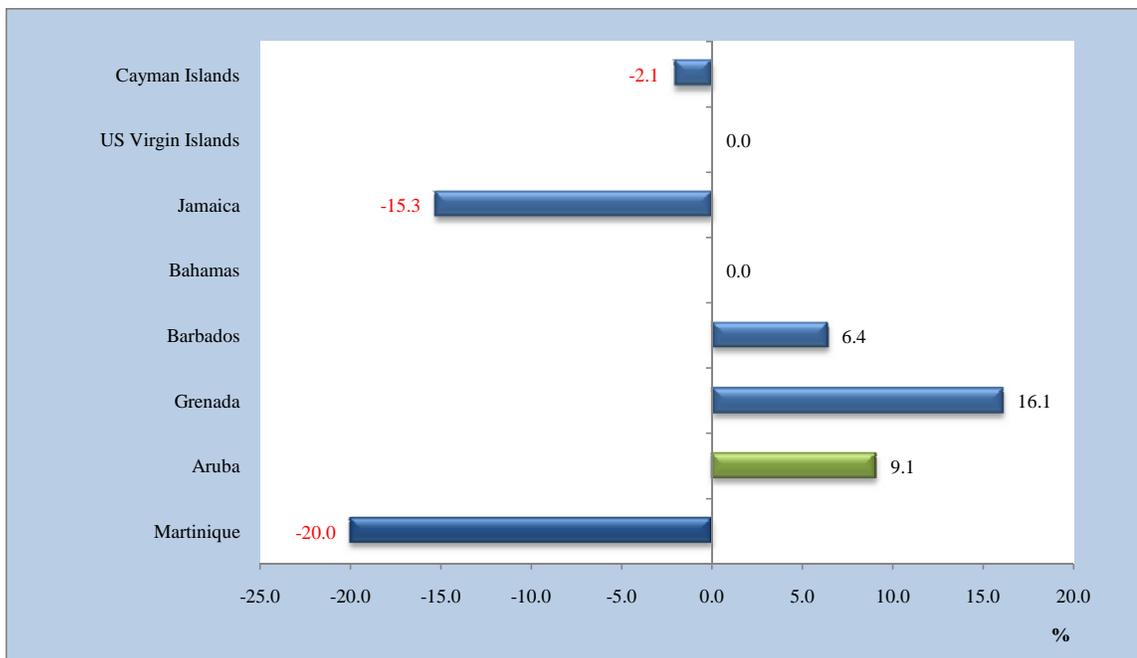
	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009*	% change 2009/2008
Aruba	552.8	591.5	481.8	556.1	606.8	9.1
Netherlands Antilles	1,804.8	1,821.6	1,772.8	.	.	.
Puerto Rico	1,315.1	1,164.6	1,437.2	1,392.6	.	0.0
US Virgin Islands	1,912.5	1,901.3	1,917.9	1,757.1	1,757.1	0.0
Jamaica	1,135.8	1,315.3	1,179.5	1,088.9	922.3	-15.3
Barbados	559.8	539.1	616.4	597.5	635.7	6.4
Bahamas	3,350.0	3,076.4	2,970.7	2,862.1	2,861.1	0.0
Cayman Islands	1,799.0	1,930.1	1,715.7	1,553.1	1,520.4	-2.1
Cozumel	1,992.1	2,322.8	2,488.2	2,569.4	.	.
Grenada	275.1	218.8	270.3	292.7	339.8	16.1
Martinique	94.4	95.8	71.7	87.1	69.7	-20.0
British Virgin Islands	449.2	444.0	575.2	571.7	.	.
Trinidad and Tobago	.	62.9	76.7	44.0	.	.
St. Vincent and Grenadines ¹	69.4	106.5	105.8	67.5	.	.
Dominican Republic	289.8	303.5	384.9	417.7	.	.

Source: CTO Statistical Report, 2007

¹ The 2008 data are based on the period Januari - August)

* Provisional data

Graph 8E. Cruise tourism in some countries in the Caribbean (% change 2009/2008)



9. Traffic, Transport and Communication

1. Number of motor-vehicles registered, december 31

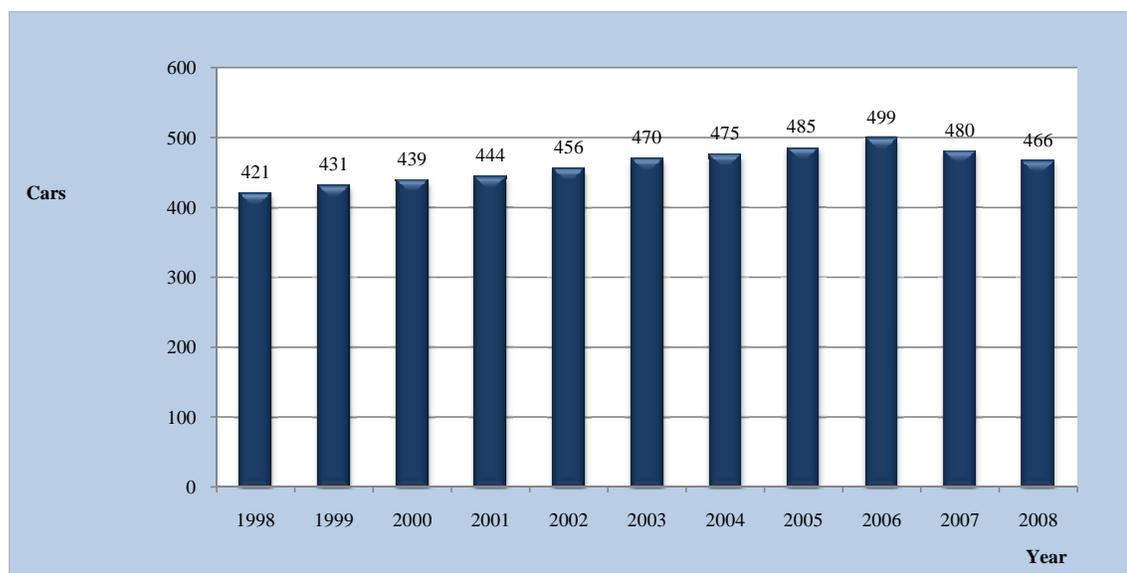
Types	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Passenger cars ¹	49,521 ¹	51,680 ¹	50,211 ¹	49,372 ¹	49,255 ¹
Irregular - transportation cars	133	135	136	144	147
Trucks	907	1,001	1,002	1,013	910
Busses	129	127	119	120	114
Tour busses	171	160	148	159	171
Taxis	398	399	371	367	365
Rental	3,514	3,727	3,506	3,603	3,545
Government cars	549	526	526	518	457
Other cars	27	28	23	26	27
Motor - cycles, incl. Mopeds ²	1,499	1,573	1,482	1,604	1,638
Special plates	256	279	327	348	318
Number of passenger cars per 1000 inhabitants	485	499	480	466	460

Source: Tax - collector's Office

²Motor - cycles, incl. Mopeds and government mopeds

¹ Includes special (name) plates.

Graph 9A. Number of passenger cars per 1000 inhabitants



2. Total volume of transported buspassengers

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Volume of passengers ¹	2,728,786	2,640,779	2,529,607	2,723,944	.

Source: Arubus N.V.

¹Volume passengers excl. school children.

3. Ships into ports & pilotage dues by port

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Number of :					
Tankers and other cargo vessels	474	557	615	505	549
Motor-, steamships and sailing ships	1,127	955	968	928	1,069
Small ships (<50 BRT)	723	552	493	521	682
Total	2,324	2,064	2,076	1,954	2,300
Pilotage dues (x Afls. 1000):					
Port ¹ Oranjestad	952	1,184	1,249	1,095	.
Port Barcadera	169	217	192	161	.
Total	1,121	1,401	1,441	1,256	.

Source: Aruba Ports Authority, Valero Aruba Refinery

¹ Ships over 50 BRT. are obliged to make use of a pilot.

4. Landings of aircrafts and revenues

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Commercial landings	13,342	13,618	13,455	14,195	13,941
Non - commercial landings	2,928	3,224	3,722	4,368	4,998
Total	16,270	16,842	17,177	18,563	18,939
Revenues (x Afls. 1000)					
Landing revenues	3,735	3,593	3,897	4,145	3,929
Parking revenues	169	156	403	352	440
Passenger facility charges	34,377	32,679	38,109	40,799	39,455
Fuel revenues	1,200	1,136	1,303	1,486	1,248
Total	39,481	37,564	43,712	46,782	45,072

Source: Immigration International Airport of Aruba & Aruba Airport Authority N.V.

5. Passengers travelling by air

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
By air:					
- arrived	860,012	810,322	896,605	967,710	906,644
- departed	840,849	797,842	885,618	947,387	924,828
- in transit	12,762	30,582	33,528	58,462	88,476
Total	1,713,623	1,638,746	1,815,751	1,973,559	1,919,948

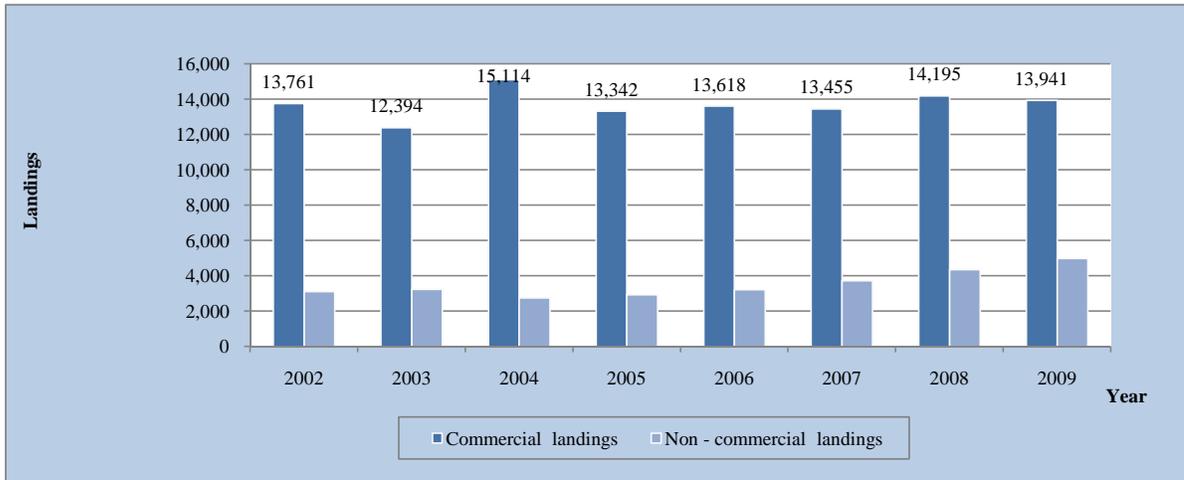
Source: Immigration International Airport of Aruba

6. Radio and television, december 31

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Television transmitters	3	3	3	3	3
Radio transmitters	21	21	19	19	19
AM	2	2	2	2	2
FM	19	19	17	17	17

Source: Directorate of Telecommunication Affairs

Graph 9B. Commercial and non-commercial landings by year



7. Motor vehicle inspection

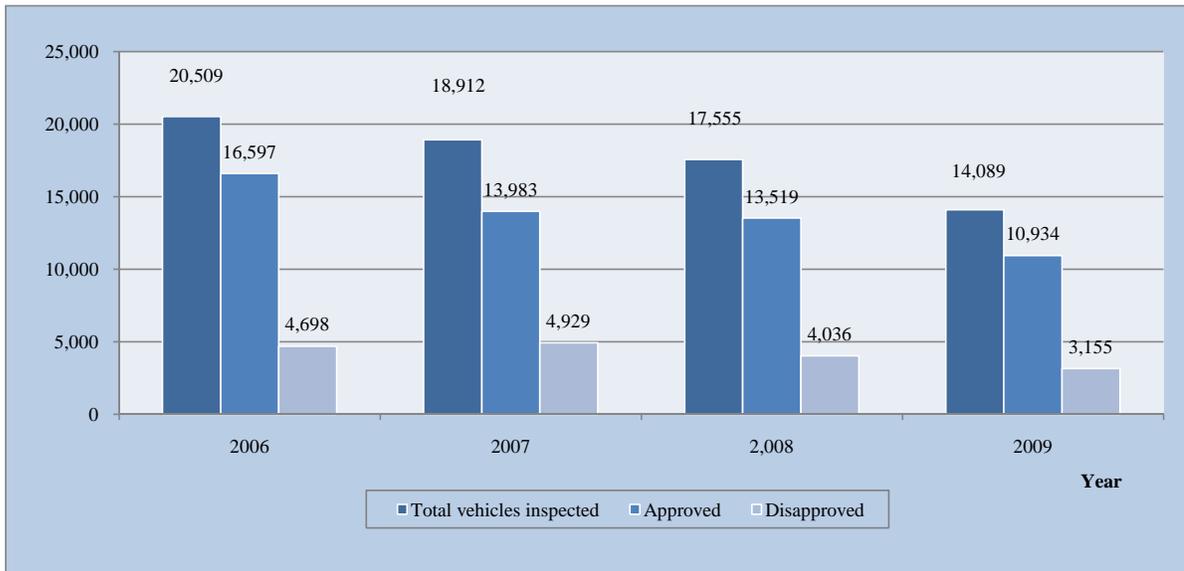
	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
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Inspection approved

Free of charge	11	73	74	89	74	82
Total	14,108	14,131	16,597	13,983	13,519	10,934
Inspection disapproved	5,021	4,346	4,698	4,929	4,036	3,155
Total vehicles inspected	19,129	18,477	20,509	18,912	17,555	14,089
Transfer	1,130	1,123	1,145	849	719	438
Duplicate	57	32	31	20	51	30

Source: Department of Technical Inspection

Graph 9C. Motor vehicle inspection



10. Foreign Trade

1. Import of goods to Aruba (C.I.F.)¹, excluding mineral fuels, by section

Sections (01..21) by Transactions	2007		2008		2009	
	Value x 1000 Afls.	%	Value x 1000 Afls.	%	Value x 1000 Afls.	%
01 Live animals and other animal products	109,697	5.9	136,482	7.2	121,080	6.8
02 Vegetable products	61,474	3.3	67,552	3.6	65,096	3.7
03 Fats and oils	7,831	0.4	10,400	0.5	8,915	0.5
04 Food products	202,033	10.8	214,913	11.4	213,488	12.0
05 Mineral products	30,059	1.6	29,159	1.5	21,609	1.2
06 Chemical products	184,275	9.8	196,864	10.4	200,450	11.2
07 Artificial plastic elements	65,662	3.5	62,285	3.3	55,589	3.1
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry	21,140	1.1	22,944	1.2	18,838	1.1
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork	29,836	1.6	29,890	1.6	18,665	1.0
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	55,175	2.9	56,937	3.0	49,760	2.8
11 Textile fibers and articles	96,090	5.1	101,921	5.4	92,543	5.2
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas	22,750	1.2	26,967	1.4	24,724	1.4
13 Works od stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos	50,059	2.7	46,652	2.5	35,319	2.0
14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones	129,311	6.9	89,031	4.7	71,120	4.0
15 Base metals and derivated works	156,151	8.3	134,744	7.1	103,214	5.8
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment	320,716	17.1	326,054	17.2	409,664	23.0
17 Transport equipment	125,867	6.7	126,450	6.7	103,341	5.8
18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment	96,079	5.1	115,961	6.1	74,985	4.2
19 Arms and ammunition	196	0.0	78	0.0	310	0.0
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.	96,553	5.1	51,072	2.7	53,415	3.0
21 Art-objects and collectors items ²	13,914	0.7	45,134	2.4	40,955	2.3
Total	1,874,870	100.0	1,891,490	100.0	1,783,083	100.0

Source: Aruba Foreign Trade Statistics, C.B.S.

² Previously toys were classified in section 20

¹ C.I.F. (Cost Insurance Freight)

2. Export of goods from Aruba (F.O.B.)¹, excluding mineral fuels, by section

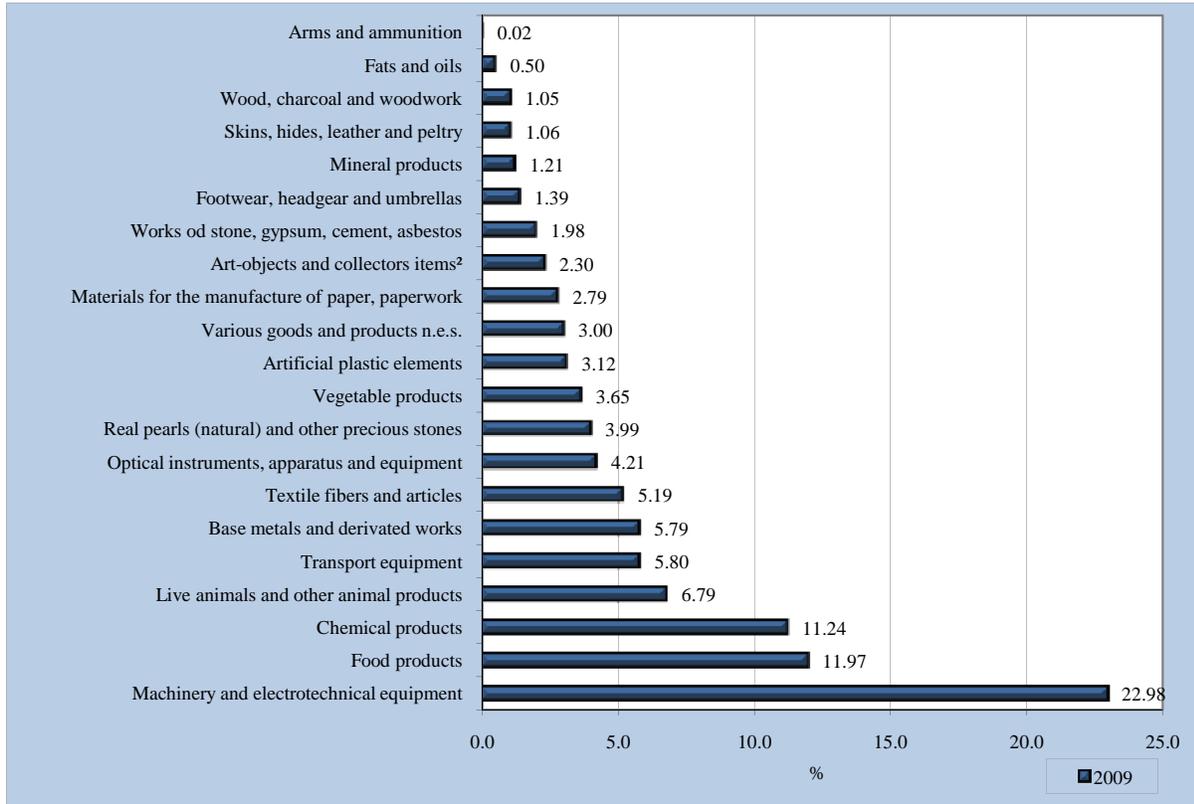
Sections (01..21) by Transactions	2007		2008		2009	
	Value x 1000 Afls.	%	Value x 1000 Afls.	%	Value x 1000 Afls.	%
01 Live animals and other animal products	1,104	2.0	716	1.3	751	1.4
02 Vegetable products	281	0.5	152	0.3	133	0.2
03 Fats and oils	5	0.0	43	0.1	0	0.0
04 Food products	2,482	4.5	2,544	4.7	2,299	4.2
05 Mineral products	6	0.0	153	0.3	62	0.1
06 Chemical products	8,252	14.8	3,298	6.0	5,283	9.6
07 Artificial plastic elements	567	1.0	483	0.9	1,462	2.7
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry	349	0.6	117	0.2	1,209	2.2
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork	585	1.1	132	0.2	137	0.2
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	694	1.2	509	0.9	4,053	7.4
11 Textile fibers and articles	791	1.4	491	0.9	816	1.5
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas	47	0.1	33	0.1	129	0.2
13 Works od stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos	355	0.6	513	0.9	326	0.6
14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones	2,362	4.2	4,940	9.0	2,397	4.4
15 Base metals and derivated works	11,627	20.9	10,701	19.6	8,132	14.8
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment	7,924	14.2	11,489	21.0	8,965	16.3
17 Transport equipment	5,149	9.2	5,437	9.9	7,451	13.5
18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment	2,939	5.3	821	1.5	998	1.8
19 Arms and ammunition	3	0.0	11	0.0	19	0.0
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.	748	1.3	865	1.6	389	0.7
21 Art-objects and collectors items ²	9,399	16.9	11,235	20.5	10,082	18.3
Total	55,670	100.0	54,683	100.0	55,094	100.0

Source: Aruba Foreign Trade Statistics, C.B.S.

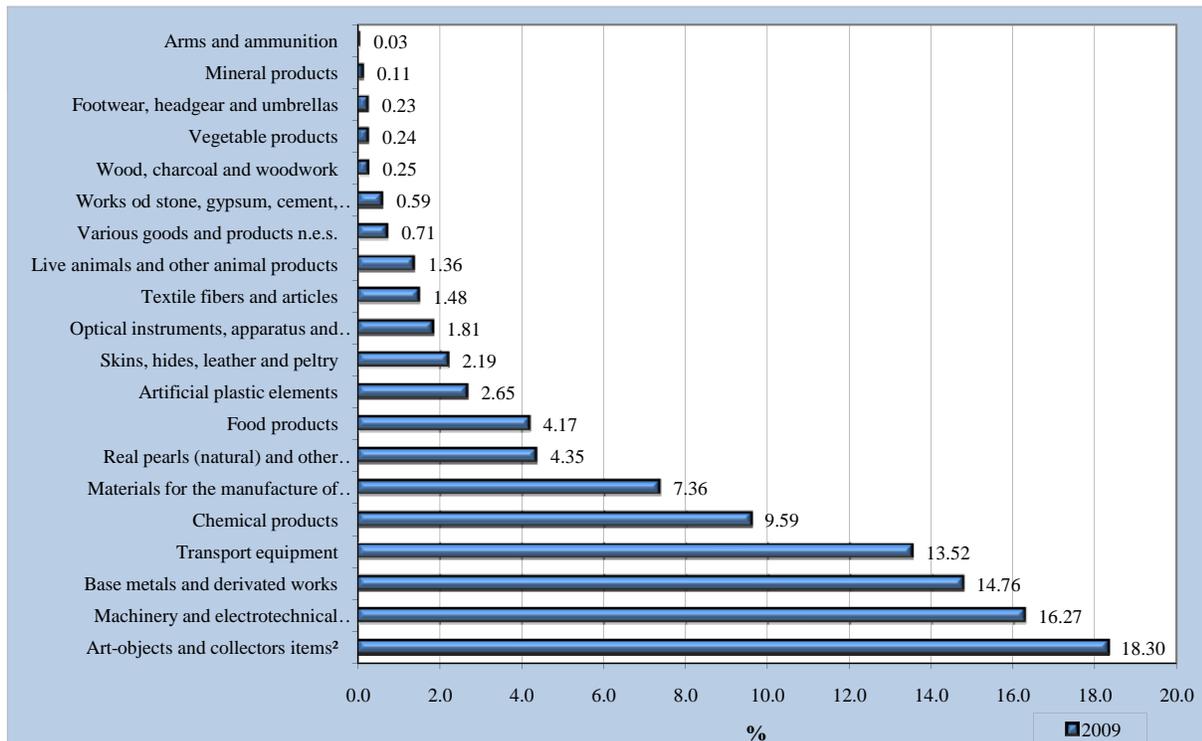
² Previously toys were classified in section 20

¹ F.O.B. (Free on Board)

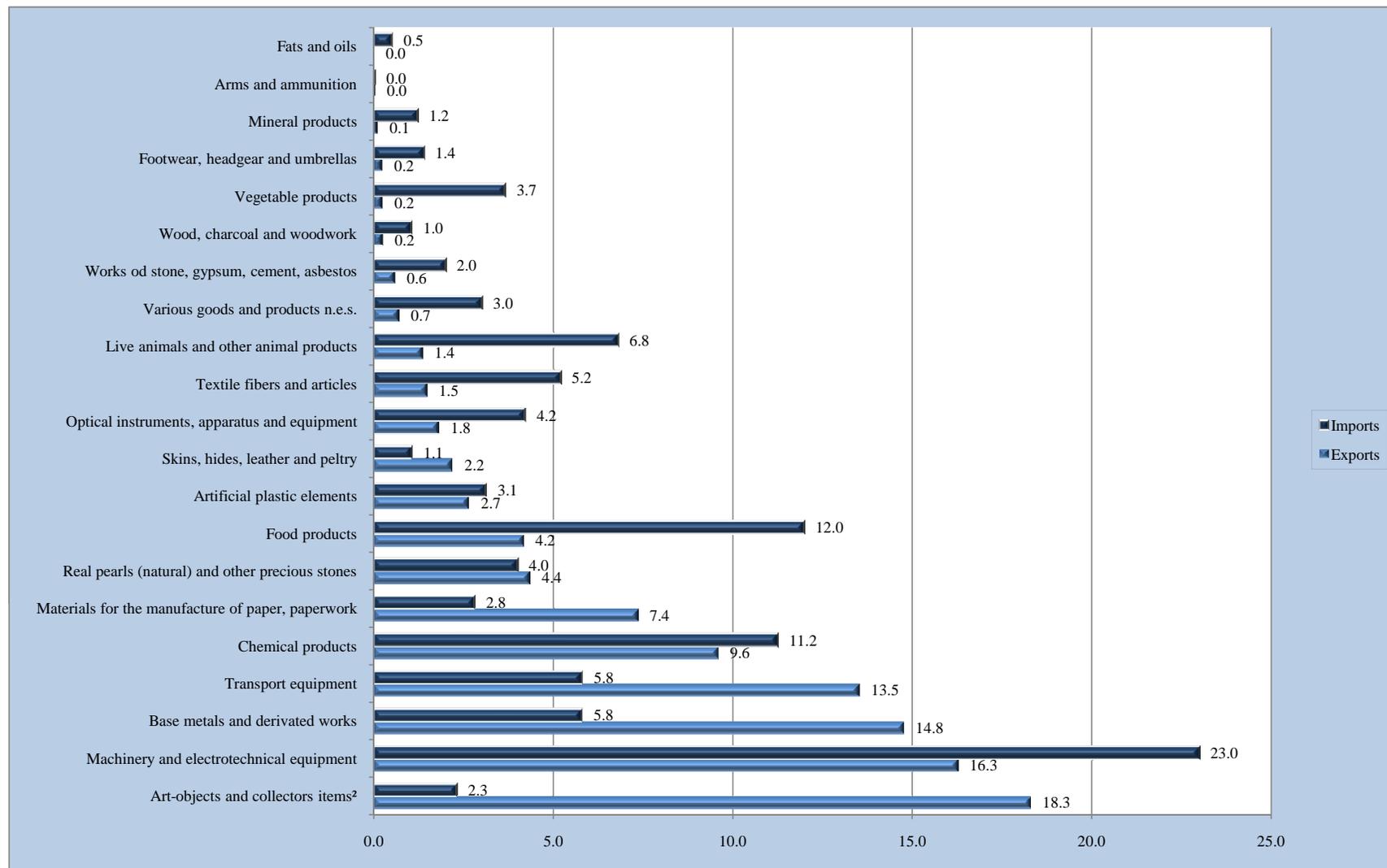
Graph 10A. Import of goods, excluding mineral fuels, by section, 2009



Graph 10B. Export of goods, excluding mineral fuels, by section, 2009



Graph 10C. Import and Export of goods, excluding mineral fuels, by section, 2009



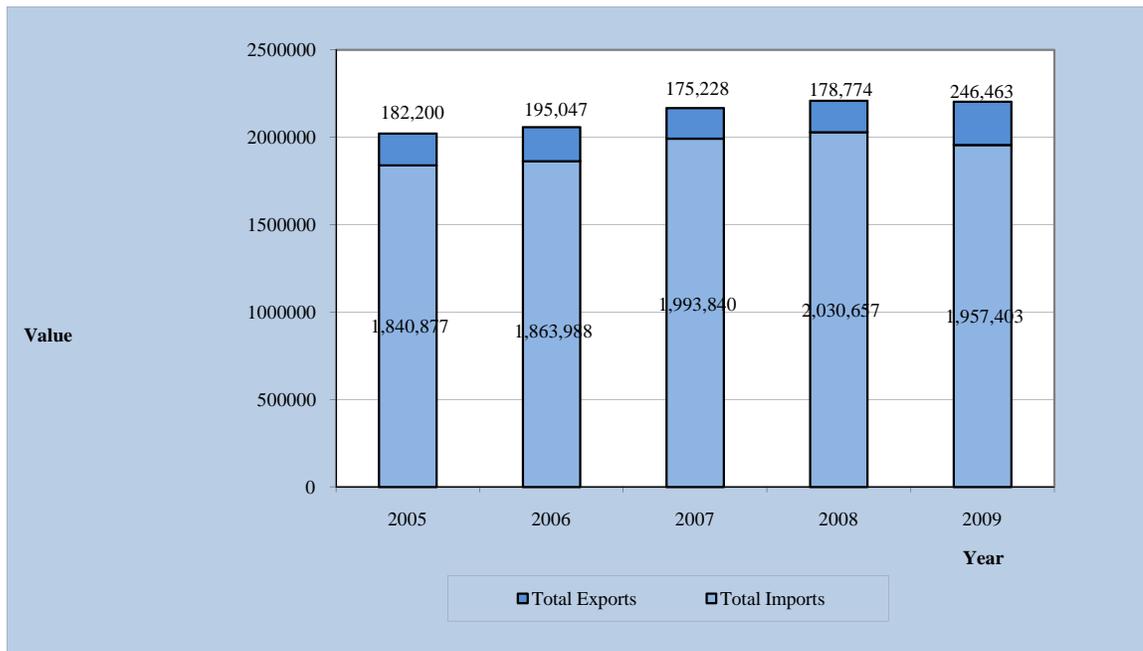
3. Total Imports and Exports

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
	Value x 1000 Afls.				
Total Imports ¹	1,840,877	1,863,988	1,993,840	2,030,657	1,957,403
Total Exports ¹	182,200	195,047	175,228	178,774	246,463

Source: Aruba Foreign Trade Statistics, C.B.S.

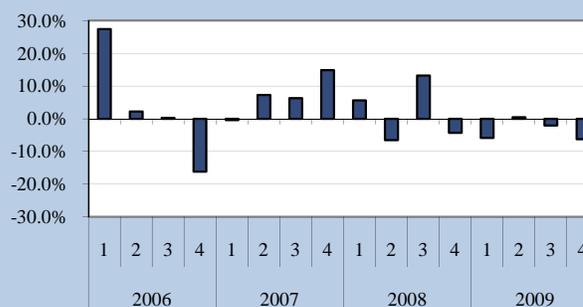
Total Imports¹ (Exports) = imports (exports) to Aruba plus imports (exports) to Free zone Aruba

Graph 10D. Total Import and Export, value (x1000 Afls.)



4. Total import to Aruba with percentage changes

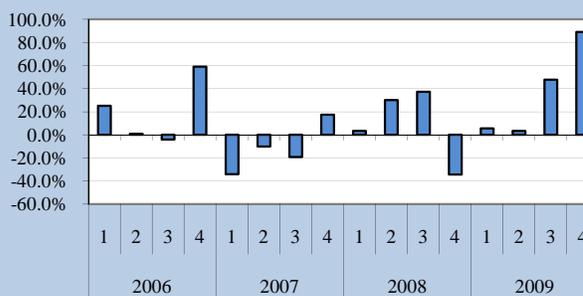
Year	Qrt.	Total Import x1000 Afls.	Qtrly growth	Same qtr prev. year
2004	1	370,482	-14.1%	11.5%
	2	364,637	-1.6%	4.8%
	3	363,879	-0.1%	-9.8%
	4	464,589	28.0%	7.7%
2005	1	390,365	-16.3%	5.4%
	2	420,432	8.1%	15.3%
	3	448,883	6.4%	23.4%
	4	581,197	29.6%	25.1%
2006	1	497,249	-14.0%	27.4%
	2	429,691	12.0%	2.2%
	3	450,017	4.0%	0.3%
	4	487,031	9.0%	-16.2%
2007	1	495,267	1.7%	-0.4%
	2	460,705	-7.0%	7.2%
	3	478,487	3.9%	6.3%
	4	559,381	16.9%	14.9%
2008	1	523,002	-6.5%	5.6%
	2	430,580	-17.7%	-6.5%
	3	541,769	25.8%	13.2%
	4	535,306	-1.2%	-4.3%
2009	1	492,166	-8.1%	-5.9%
	2	432,685	-12.1%	0.5%
	3	530,737	22.7%	-2.0%
	4	501,815	-5.4%	-6.3%



Source: Aruba Foreign Trade Statistics, C.B.S.

5. Total export from Aruba with percentage changes

Year	Qrt.	Total Export x1000 Afls.	Qtrly growth	Same qtr prev. year
2004	1	36,014	-14.1%	11.5%
	2	37,482	-1.6%	4.8%
	3	36,123	-0.1%	-9.7%
	4	32,629	28.0%	8.1%
2005	1	38,535	-16.3%	5.4%
	2	42,036	8.1%	15.8%
	3	49,123	6.4%	23.3%
	4	52,506	29.6%	24.8%
2006	1	48,249	-8.0%	25.0%
	2	42,527	-12.0%	1.0%
	3	47,002	11.0%	-4.0%
	4	57,273	77.0%	59.0%
2007	1	31,781	-44.5%	-34.1%
	2	38,184	20.1%	-10.2%
	3	37,986	-0.5%	-19.2%
	4	67,278	77.1%	17.5%
2008	1	32,814	-51.2%	3.3%
	2	49,677	51.4%	30.1%
	3	52,103	4.9%	37.2%
	4	44,180	-15.2%	-34.3%
2009	1	34,657	-21.6%	5.6%
	2	51,348	48.2%	3.4%
	3	76,933	49.8%	47.7%
	4	83,525	8.6%	89.1%



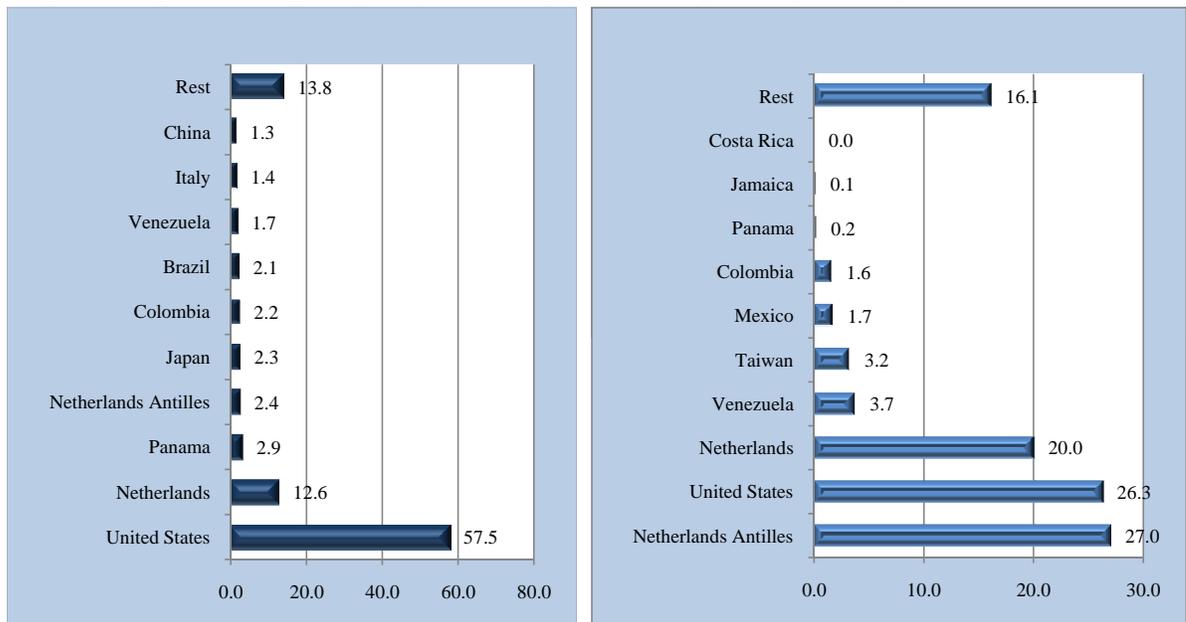
Source: Aruba Foreign Trade Statistics, C.B.S.

6. Imports to Aruba by country

Countries by total imports	2007		2008		2009	
	Value x 1000 Afls.	%	Value x 1000 Afls.	%	Value x 1000 Afls.	%
United States	1,088,899	58.1	1,088,531	57.5	964,832	54.1
Netherlands	239,182	12.8	237,907	12.6	306,618	17.2
Netherlands Antilles	55,617	3.0	44,476	2.4	43,673	2.4
Panama	54,157	2.9	54,730	2.9	58,871	3.3
Venezuela	42,360	2.3	31,262	1.7	27,500	1.5
Japan	34,176	1.8	42,948	2.3	31,326	1.8
Brazil	35,806	1.9	38,987	2.1	28,818	1.6
Colombia	35,947	1.9	41,477	2.2	33,745	1.9
Italy	11,439	0.6	26,749	1.4	46,178	2.6
China	26,602	1.4	23,669	1.3	28,346	1.6
Rest	250,685	13.4	260,754	13.8	213,175	12.0
Total	1,874,870	100.0	1,891,490	100.0	1,783,083	100.0

Source: Aruba Foreign Trade Statistics, C.B.S.

Graph10E. Imports and Exports (value) to Aruba by countries, in percentages, during 2009



7. Exports from Aruba by countries

Countries by total exports	2007		2008		2009	
	Value x 1000 Afls.	%	Value x 1000 Afls.	%	Value x 1000 Afls.	%
United States	19,432	34.9	22,270	40.7	14,472	26.3
Netherlands	13,661	24.5	9,180	16.8	11,031	20.0
Netherlands Antilles	8,932	16.0	9,890	18.1	14,895	27.0
Panama	525	0.9	1,269	2.3	107	0.2
Venezuela	3,231	5.8	3,626	6.6	2,051	3.7
Taiwan	2,244	4.0	2,911	5.3	1,779	3.2
Mexico	13	0.0	55	0.1	934	1.7
Colombia	879	1.6	631	1.2	876	1.6
Costa Rica	1,013	1.8	527	1.0	0	0.0
Jamaica	1,107	2.0	334	0.6	69	0.1
Rest	4,633	8.3	3,990	7.3	8,882	16.1
Total	55,670	100.0	54,683	100.0	55,094	100.0

Source: Aruba Foreign Trade Statistics, C.B.S.

8. Import to Free Zone Aruba

Sections (01..21) by Transactions	2007		2008		2009	
	Value x 1000 Afls.	%	Value x 1000 Afls.	%	Value x 1000 Afls.	%
01 Live animals and other animal products	-	-	-	-	-	-
02 Vegetable products	4,840	4.1	3,173	2.3	1,672	1.0
03 Fats and oils	-	-	-	-	-	-
04 Food products	112,684	94.7	127,050	91.3	159,655	91.6
05 Mineral products	-	-	-	-	-	-
06 Chemical products	-	-	102	0.1	-	0.1
07 Artificial plastic elements	67	0.1	845	0.6	156	0.0
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry	4	0.0	17	0.0	71	0.0
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork	-	-	8	0.0	21	0.1
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	65	0.1	79	0.1	99	0.3
11 Textile fibers and articles	138	0.1	151	0.1	492	0.6
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas	426	0.4	706	0.5	1,062	0.4
13 Works od stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos	-	-	257	0.2	752	0.4
14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones	-	-	-	-	-	-
15 Base metals and derived works	2	0.0	695	0.5	1,402	0.8
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment	108	0.1	3,245	2.3	7,457	4.3
17 Transport equipment	471	0.4	1,091	0.8	66	0.0
18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment	-	-	-	-	4	-
19 Arms and ammunition	18	0.0	-	-	1	-
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.	147	0.1	1,679	1.2	1,329	0.8
21 Art-objects and collectors items ²	-	-	70	-	83	-
Total	118,970	100.0	139,167	100.0	174,320	100.0

Source: Aruba Foreign Trade Statistics, C.B.S.

² Previously toys were classified in section 20

9. Export from Free Zone Aruba

Sections (01..21) by Transactions	2007		2008		2009	
	Value x 1000 Afls.	%	Value x 1000 Afls.	%	Value x 1000 Afls.	%
01 Live animals and other animal products	-	-	-	-	-	-
02 Vegetable products	4,394	3.7	2,632	2.1	1,976	1.0
03 Fats and oils	-	-	-	-	-	-
04 Food products	114,208	95.5	119,326	96.2	180,109	94.1
05 Mineral products	-	-	-	-	-	-
06 Chemical products	3	0.0	18	0.0	87	0.0
07 Artificial plastic elements	12	0.0	124	0.1	697	0.4
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry	1	0.0	9	0.0	3	0.0
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork	-	-	-	-	-	-
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	59	0.0	73	0.1	91	0.0
11 Textile fibers and articles	16	0.0	55	0.0	69	0.0
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas	303	0.3	377	0.3	491	0.3
13 Works od stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos	48	0.0	409	0.3	692	0.4
14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones	-	-	-	-	-	-
15 Base metals and derived works	-	-	10	0.0	17	0.0
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment	29	0.0	293	0.2	3,338	1.7
17 Transport equipment	401	0.3	728	0.6	29	0.0
18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment	-	-	-	-	-	-
19 Arms and ammunition	2	0.0	-	-	-	-
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.	82	0.1	2	0.0	3,735	2.0
21 Art-objects and collectors items	-	-	35	-	36	-
Total	119,558	100.0	124,091	100.0	191,370	100.0

Source: Aruba Foreign Trade Statistics, C.B.S.

10. Import to Free Zone Aruba, by countries

Countries	2007		2008		2009	
	Value x 1000 Afls.	%	Value x 1000 Afls.	%	Value x 1000 Afls.	%
United Kingdom	82,431	69.3	83,024	59.9	89,292	51.2
Colombia	23,707	19.9	27,636	19.9	40,460	23.2
Netherlands	4,002	3.4	7,597	5.5	9,390	5.4
Germany	-	-	5,939	4.3	5,746	3.3
Paraguay	1,977	1.7	3,133	2.3	4,963	2.8
United States	1,102	0.9	2,618	1.9	4,231	2.4
Panama	-	-	2,533	1.8	3,738	2.1
Uruguay	736	0.6	1,278	0.9	3,467	2.0
Guyana	569	0.5	1,117	0.8	1,178	0.7
Brazil	452	0.4	1,093	0.8	2,203	1.3
Rest	3,995	3.4	2,584	1.9	9,651	5.5
Total	118,970	100.0	138,553	100.0	174,320	100.0

Source: Aruba Foreign Trade Statistics, C.B.S.

11. Export from Free Zone Aruba, by countries

Countries	2007		2008		2009	
	Value x 1000 Afls.	%	Value x 1000 Afls.	%	Value x 1000 Afls.	%
United States	277	0.2	1,770	1.4	8,574	4.5
Netherlands	2,523	2.1	3,982	3.2	7,598	4.0
Netherlands Antilles	14,240	11.9	9,304	7.5	35,653	18.6
Panama	51,589	43.2	38,483	31.0	58,770	30.7
Poland	1,600	1.3	625	0.5	-	-
United Kingdom	1,136	1.0	1	0.0	864	0.5
Surinam	3,052	2.6	2,756	2.2	3,239	1.7
Colombia	28,976	24.2	33,253	26.8	42,065	22.0
Venezuela	15,715	-	27,479	22.1	28,995	15.2
Belgium	-	-	477	0.4	526	0.3
Rest	450	0.4	5,962	4.8	5,087	2.7
Total	119,558	86.9	124,091	100.0	191,370	100.0

Source: Aruba Foreign Trade Statistics, C.B.S.

11. Money and Banking

1. Components of broad money, december 31

Year	Money				Quasi-money				Broad Money
	Currency Outside banks	Demand deposits		Total	Other deposits		Treasury Bills	Total	
		Aruban florin	Foreign currency		Savings ¹	Time ¹			

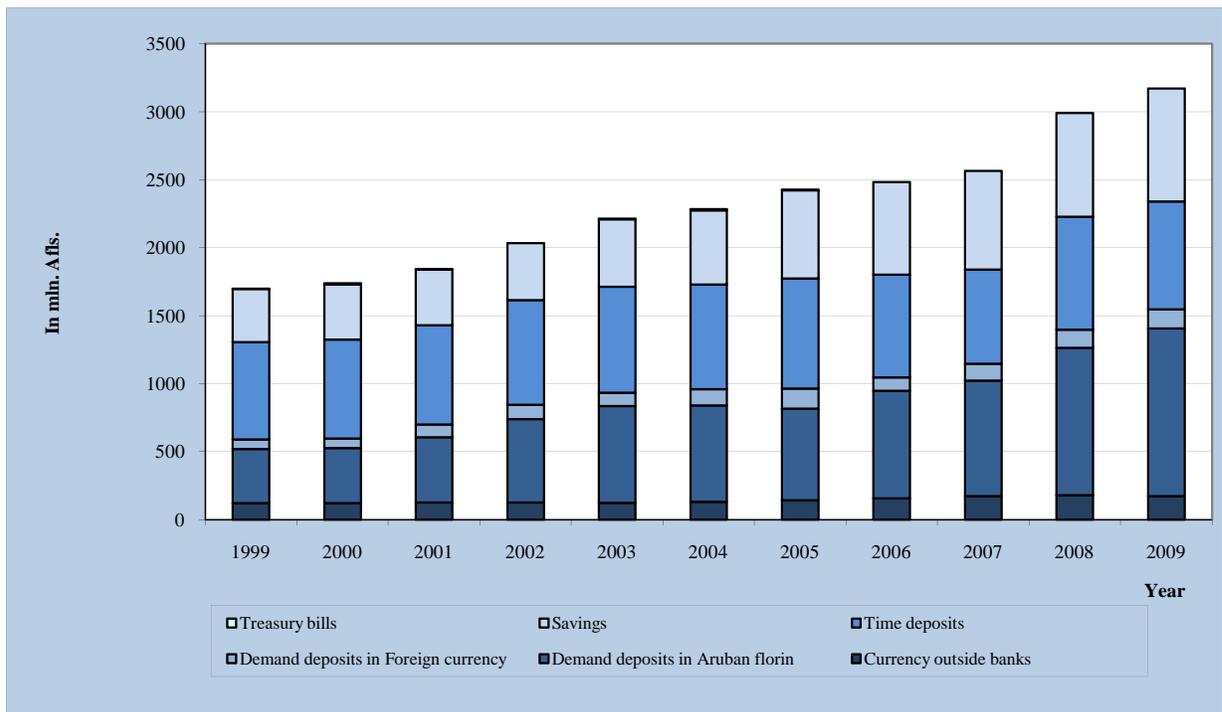
In mln. Afls.

1997	101.6	311.8	59.8	371.6	366.6	517.1	4.0	887.7	1,360.9
1998	104.9	378.2	63.9	468.1	382.5	609.3	0.0	991.8	1,564.8
1999	122.4	398.0	70.1	468.0	391.6	715.6	1.5	1,108.7	1,699.1
2000	121.3	406.3	68.7	475.0	404.6	729.0	8.4	1,142.0	1,738.3
2001	125.9	481.1	94.0	575.1	410.7	728.4	0.5	1,139.6	1,840.6
2002	127.8	612.5	104.2	716.7	417.3	771.8	0.0	1,189.1	2,033.6
2003	125.1	710.5	97.6	808.1	496.4	780.5	4.0	1,280.9	2,214.1
2004	130.7	709.9	120.3	830.2	546.3	768.2	10.0	1,324.5	2,285.4
2005	144.1	673.4	147.5	820.8	648.4	808.5	5.0	1,461.9	2,426.8
2006	157.4	790.8	99.2	890.0	680.8	756.1	0.0	1,436.9	2,484.3
2007	174.8	849.5	122.9	972.3	726.6	692.6	0.0	1,419.2	2,566.3
2008	181.2	1,081.9	133.6	1,215.7	762.7	830.8	0.0	1,593.5	2,990.4
2009	174.6	1,231.3	142.4	1,373.7	830.2	792.0	0.0	1,622.2	3,170.5

Source: Central Bank of Aruba

¹ Incl. foreign currency

Graph 11A. Components of broad money, december 31



2. Foreign assets, december 31

Year	Central Bank of Aruba			Commercial Banks			Revaluation Differences	Total
	Assets	Liabilities	Net	Assets	Liabilities	Net		
<u>In mln. Afls.</u>								
1997	358.5	2.5	356.0	465.9	388.7	77.2	39.7	472.9
1998	438.7	1.7	437.0	486.4	341.5	144.9	28.8	610.7
1999	440.3	0.1	440.2	501.1	342.2	158.9	22.0	621.1
2000	422.2	2.3	419.9	530.8	391.8	139.0	28.5	587.4
2001	580.7	2.6	578.2	524.0	403.5	120.5	38.7	660.1
2002	676.3	8.5	667.9	530.2	442.6	87.6	56.5	699.0
2003	611.5	2.6	608.9	664.3	572.9	91.4	62.5	637.8
2004	615.9	1.5	614.4	598.6	490.1	108.5	65.2	657.7
2005	591.6	3.0	588.6	593.1	504.7	88.4	79.2	597.9
2006	731.1	17.2	713.9	603.8	558.2	45.6	105.9	653.6
2007	832.5	4.4	828.0	674.5	643.3	31.2	142.6	716.6
2008	1,254.8	7.5	1,247.3	763.1	582.9	180.2	158.6	1,268.9
2009	1,254.9	3.1	1,251.8	866.9	541.6	325.3	101.9	1,475.2

Source: Central Bank of Aruba

3. Detailed balance sheet of The Central Bank of Aruba, december 31

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
<u>In mln. Afls.</u>					
<u>ASSETS</u>					
<i>DOMESTIC</i>					
Government	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other	23.4	21.2	19.6	21.9	24.4
<i>FOREIGN</i>					
Gold and Claims in gold	102.0	126.4	166.4	172.0	219.9
Claims on:					
Banks	24.5	120.0	169.5	249.0	72.6
Government	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other	465.1	484.7	496.6	833.8	962.4
Total Assets	615.0	752.3	852.1	1,276.7	1,279.4
<u>LIABILITIES</u>					
<i>DOMESTIC:</i>					
Capital & Reserves	78.2	78.2	78.2	73.9	76.3
Banknotes issued	162.7	180.1	202.7	212.2	200.7
Government	6.8	24.5	20.4	99.0	96.2
Development Funds	0.2	2.5	41.7	84.6	104.9
Official entities	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Demand deposits commercial banks	63.5	46.3	76.7	143.7	194.6
Time deposits commercial banks	191.0	262.0	257.1	463.2	474.4
Private sector	13.3	15.3	1.6	4.3	1.4
Other	17.3	20.4	26.7	29.8	25.7
<i>FOREIGN</i>	3.0	17.2	4.4	7.5	3.1
<u>REVALUATION OF GOLD AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE HOLDINGS</u>	79.2	105.9	142.6	158.6	101.9
Total	615.0	752.3	852.1	1,276.7	1,279.4

Source: Central Bank of Aruba

4. Commercial Banks: Detailed balance sheet, december 31

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
ASSETS					
	<i>In mln. Afls.</i>				
<i>DOMESTIC:</i>					
Notes & coins	39.0	44.5	51.0	55.3	51.1
Central Bank:					
Current account	72.1	57.7	67.5	147.6	182.8
Time deposits	191.0	262.0	257.5	463.2	474.4
Investments:					
Government securities	85.3	119.4	128.9	83.2	123.4
Non-Government securities	30.7	29.2	28.0	23.2	21.3
Loans and advances:					
Enterprises	723.0	734.2	707.7	762.2	708.4
Mortgages	947.3	1,042.3	1,132.1	1,160.7	1,210.3
Individuals	528.3	533.7	564.6	587.7	576.5
Government	40.0	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0
Premises	72.3	78.7	88.8	101.8	108.4
Subsidiaries	57.5	53.0	46.9	44.1	44.1
Accounts receivable	19.3	20.6	24.7	26.0	17.2
Other (net)	-6.1	-2.9	0.8	-10.4	21.5
Total Domestic Assets	2,799.7	2,972.5	3,098.6	3,446.6	3,539.4
<i>FOREIGN:</i>					
Cash	14.8	14.6	15.6	20.7	22.7
Due from banks	417.0	456.7	538.7	618.6	717.3
Investments	31.6	38.0	9.9	7.6	8.4
Loans	104.7	74.6	82.6	90.8	101.4
Other	25.0	20.0	27.5	25.4	17.1
Total Foreign Assets	593.1	603.8	674.5	763.1	866.9
T total Assets	3,392.8	3,576.3	3,773.1	4,207.7	4,406.3
LIABILITIES					
<i>DOMESTIC:</i>					
Demand deposits:					
Individuals	148.2	165.2	153.4	169.2	170.6
Companies	606.9	635.1	770.3	949.7	1,080.4
Government	24.4	26.9	19.6	6.1	5.4
Other fin. inst.	53.3	75.2	47.8	93.2	122.2
Time deposits:					
Individuals	221.2	195.4	187.6	208.9	194.8
Companies	368.1	341.5	291.1	292.0	296.9
Government (development funds)	117.9	133.9	113.7	107.3	91.6
Other fin. inst.	218.4	218.5	213.1	329.1	299.5
Savings deposits	648.4	680.8	726.6	762.7	830.2
Capital & Reserves	232.7	266.3	313.4	407.3	452
Subordinated debt	2.5	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.5
Other liabilities	246.1	266.7	280.5	286.8	308.7
Total Domestic Liabilities	2,888.1	3,018.0	3,129.6	3,624.8	3,864.7
<i>FOREIGN:</i>					
Demand deposits:					
Banks	17.0	12.7	11.6	34.4	29.5
Non-banks	124.7	136.7	136.5	181.2	218.6
Time deposits:					
Banks	83.7	106.7	133.6	30.9	41.7
Non-banks	135.5	146.2	218.2	206.4	135.3
Savings deposits	70.6	70.9	70.8	82.2	85.6
Capital and reserves and subordinated debt	11.1	11.1	6.1	6.1	6.1
Other	62.0	73.9	66.5	41.6	24.7
Total Foreign Liabilities	504.6	558.2	643.3	582.9	541.6
Total Liabilities	3,392.7	3,576.2	3,772.9	4,207.7	4,406.3

Source: Central Bank of Aruba

5. Official foreign exchange rates (selling)

US\$ 1.⁰⁰ = Afls. 1,79

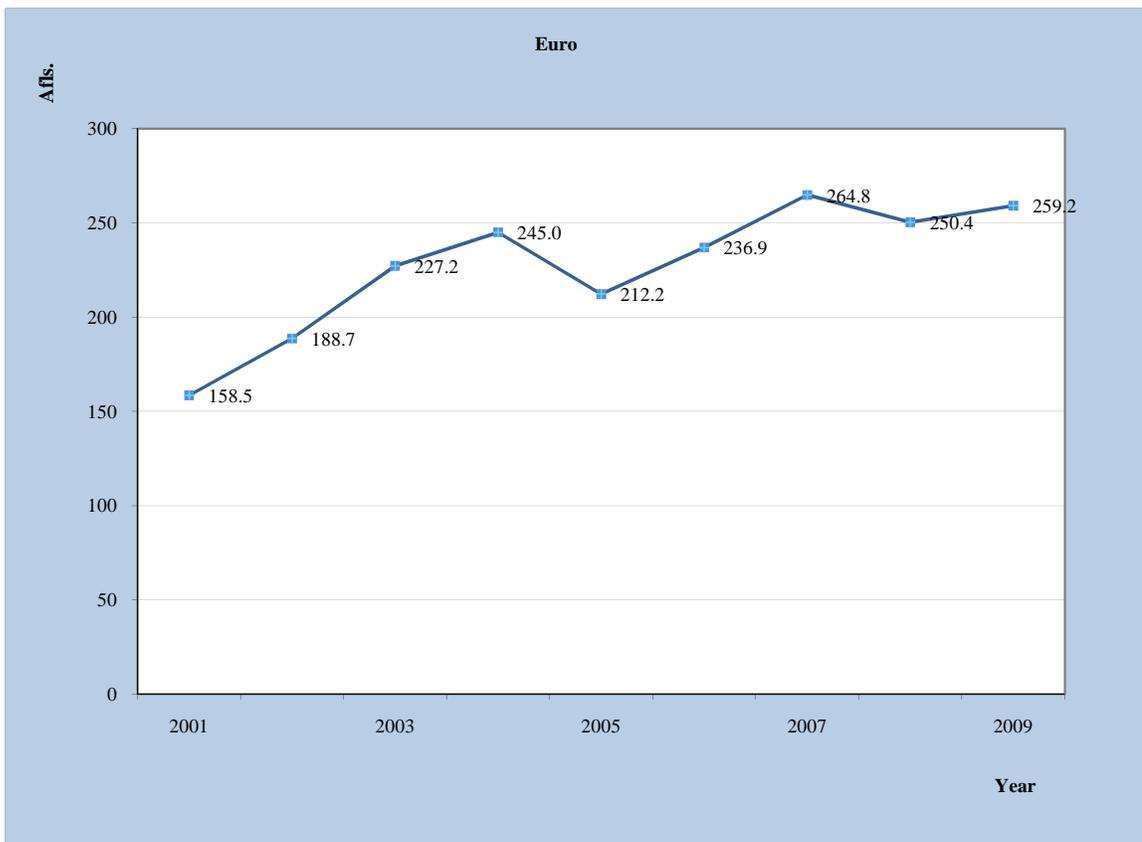
		2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Canadian Dollar (\$)							
	PA	1.39	1.49	1.59	1.69	1.70	1.59
	EP	1.50	1.55	1.55	1.83	1.48	1.72
Pound Sterling							
	PA	3.31	3.28	3.33	3.62	3.34	2.84
	EP	3.49	3.11	3.54	3.62	2.65	2.93
Swiss Franc (x100)							
	PA	144.72	144.11	143.33	149.78	166.06	165.84
	EP	158.42	136.19	147.11	159.65	168.15	174.21
ECU Euro (x100)							
	PA	223.84	223.61	225.98	246.69	264.38	251.10
	EP	245.04	212.22	236.92	264.82	250.36	259.16

Source: Centrale Bank van Aruba, Caribbean Mercantile Bank

PA = Period Average (an average of 12 months last business day)

EP = End of Period (last business day of the year)

Graph 11B. Official exchange rates (selling)

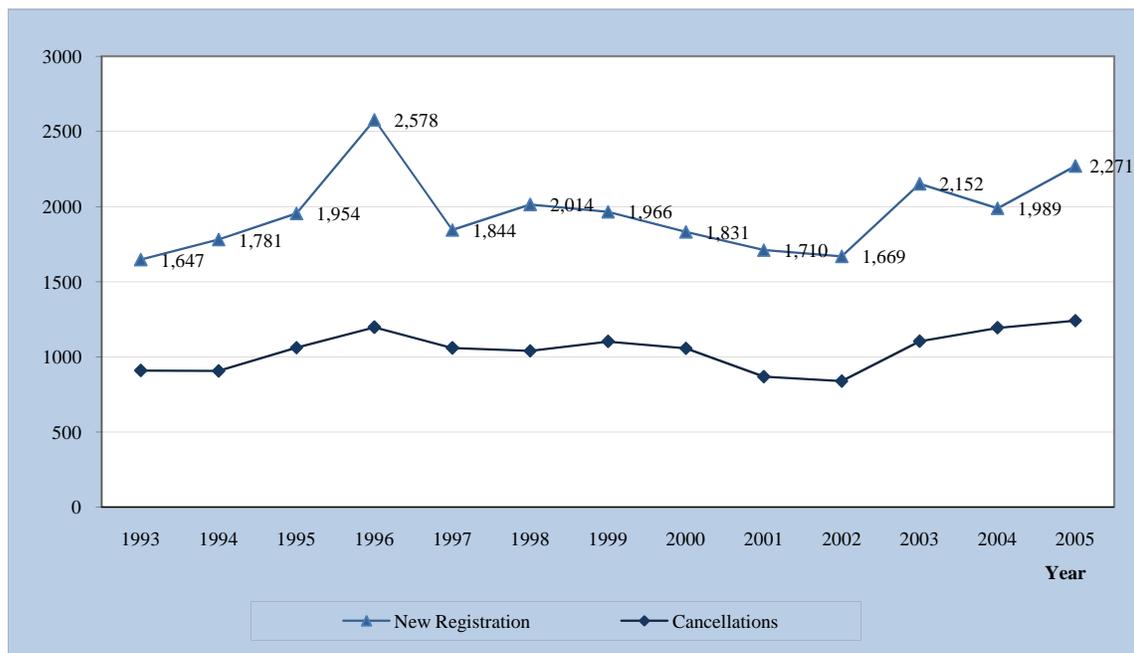


6. Mortgages, december 31

		2003	2004	2005
<u>New registrations:</u>				
	Number	2,152	1,989	2,271
	Amount x Afls. 1000	711,826	557,441	558,147
<u>Cancellations:</u>				
	Number	1,104	1,193	1,240
	Amount x Afls. 1000	388,505	361,408	191,211
<u>Total of mortgages registered:</u>				
	Number	18,215	19,011	19,953
	Amount x Afls. 1000	4,228,279	4,424,312	4,772,993

Source: Land Delineation and Property Registration Office

Graph 11C. New registrations and cancellations of mortgages, 1993-2005



12. Macro Economic Aspects

1. Gross domestic product (GDP) and per capita GDP (at market prices)

	2005*	2006*	¹ 2007*	2008*	2009*
Nominal GDP (in mln. Afls.)	4,159	4,334	4,588	4,996	4,695
Percentage change	4.4	4.2	5.9	7.3	-6.0
Nominal GDP per capita (in Afls.)	41,327	42,154	44,125	47,455	43,986
Percentage change	1.3	2.0	4.7	6.0	-7.3
¹ Real GDP (in mln. Afls.)	3,088	3,106	3,124	3,069	2,836
Percentage change	1.0	0.6	0.4	0.7	-7.6
Real GDP per capita (in Afls.)	30,690	30,213	30,008	29,149	26,567
Percentage change	-2.0	-1.6	-0.7	-0.5	-8.9

Source: C.B.S. (National Accounts of Aruba 2000 - 2006)

* Provisional data

²In constant 1995 prices

¹Source: Central Bank of Aruba (Quarterly Bulletin 2008-II)

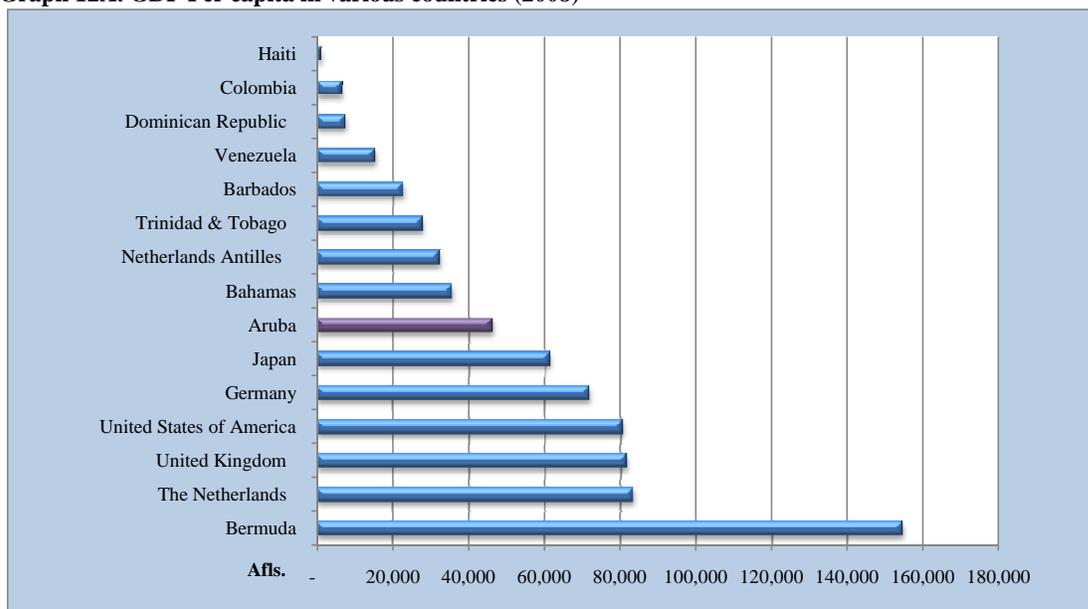
2. GDP in various countries (2008)

Country	GDP mln.Afls.	GDP per capita Afls.
United States of America	25,233,123	80,634
Japan	8,790,138	61,263
Germany	6,532,549	71,890
United Kingdom	4,772,616	81,533
The Netherlands	1,559,086	83,538
Colombia	436,303	6,530
Venezuela	572,601	15,321
Dominican Republic	81,486	7,522
Trinidad & Tobago	43,326	27,668
Haiti	12,667	1,095
Bermuda	11,513	154,746
Bahamas	13,359	35,587
Netherlands Antilles	6,819	32,360
Barbados	6,588	22,710
Aruba	4,876	46,401

Source: United Nations, Statistics Division and C.B.S.- Aruba, National Accounts and Central Bank of Aruba

* Provisional data

Graph 12A. GDP Per capita in various countries (2008)



3. Derivation nominal gross domestic product at market prices (in mln. Afls.)

	2005*	2006*	2007*	2008*	2009*
Final consumption expenditure	3,130	3,310	3,509	3836	3616
Gross capital formation	1,364	1,495	1,534	1680	1361
Exports of goods and services	2,846	2,824	3,063	3475	3051
Less: imports of goods and services	<u>3,181</u>	<u>3,295</u>	<u>3,518</u>	<u>3994</u>	<u>3332</u>
Gross domestic product (nom.in mln. Afls.)	4,159	4,334	4,588	4996	4695

Source: Central Bank of Aruba (Quarterly Bulletin 2008-II)

* Provisional data

4. Final consumption expenditure (in mln. Afls.)

	2005*	2006*	2007*	2008*	2009*
Household consumption expenditure	2,199	2,322	2,549	2,792	2,596
Government consumption expenditure	931	988	960	1,044	1,019
Total	3,130	3,310	3,509	3,836	3,616

Source: Central Bank of Aruba (Quarterly Bulletin 2008-II)

* Provisional data

5. Gross capital formation (in mln. Afls.)

	2005*	2006*	2007*	2008*	2009*
Private investment	1,300	1,430	1,490 ²	1,602 ²	1,270
Public investment	64 ¹	64 ¹	44	78	91
Total	1,364	1,495	1,534	1,680	1,361

Source: Central Bank of Aruba (Quarterly Bulletin 2008-II)

* Provisional data

¹ Central Bank of Aruba

² Includes changes in inventories

6. External balance of goods and services (in mln. Afls.)

	2005*	2006*	2007*	2008*	2009*
Tourism expenditures	1,678	1,661	.	.	.
Other exports of goods and services	1,168	1,162	.	.	.
Total exports of goods and services	2,846	2,824	3,063	3,475	3,051
Less: Imports of goods and services	<u>3,181</u>	<u>3,295</u>	<u>3,518</u>	<u>3,994</u>	<u>3,332</u>
External balance of goods and services	-336	-471	-455	-519	-281

Source: C.B.S. (National Accounts of Aruba 2000 - 2006)

* Provisional data

7. Partial economic activity index (PEAI) and the industries

Index 200 = 100	% share in GDP	2005	2006*	2007*	2008*
Partial economic activity index		111.1	109.8	103.8	99.8
Utilities		120.6	120.6	116.0	111.6
Construction		128.2	124.7	127.2	107.2
Trade		82.8	79.9	84.4	74.8
Hotels and restaurants		118.0	115.2	111.6	115.1
Transport, storage, communication		112.1	112.1	97.2	102.2
Housing		123.5	127.6	122.5	125.8
Public Administration & Education		109.6	106.2	89.8	80.0

Source: C.B.S.

note: - = information not available yet

* Provisional data

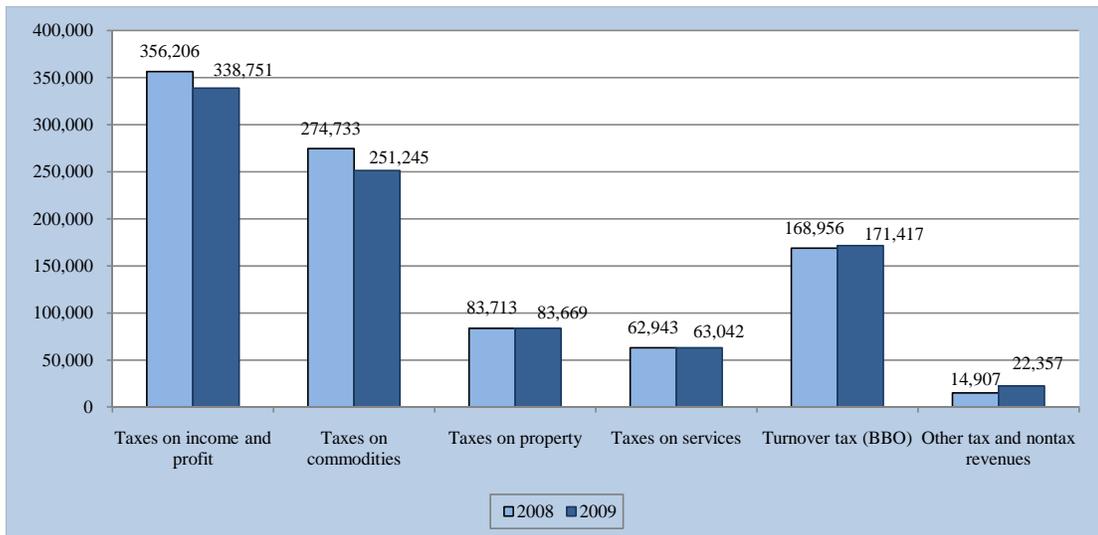
13. Public Finance

1. Government revenues of Aruba, december 31

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
	x Afls. 1000				
Taxes on income and profit	364,732	397,098	319,965	356,206	338,751
Wage tax	266,188	296,359	231,851	250,029	231,076
Income tax	130	2,797	9,818	-2,311	-1,212
Profit tax	95,624	90,080	71,296	102,789	103,161
Tax on dividends	2,790	7,862	6,999	5,699	5,726
Taxes on commodities	264,972	276,363	283,219	274,733	251,245
Excises on spirits	17,515	15,526	17,843	18,249	16,372
Excises on beer	25,311	25,806	25,740	21,622	25,002
Excises on gasoline	68,910	58,399	64,550	57,529	58,625
Excises on tobacco products	12,507	13,944	13,227	11,496	9,333
Import duties	140,729	162,689	159,254	163,821	137,776
Rest customs	-	-	2,604	2,016	4,284
Taxes on property	65,996	69,975	79,498	83,713	83,669
Long lease property rights	14,598	16,007	20,952	15,597	16,867
Land tax	24,886	26,583	21,453	21,537	28,689
Motor - vehicle tax	17,511	17,686	18,961	17,851	19,620
Succession tax	620	1,533	506	14,998	272
Transfer tax	8,381	8,165	17,625	13,731	18,221
Taxes on services	56,424	56,069	60,121	62,943	63,042
Gambling licenses	22,205	23,188	24,531	24,954	27,004
Lodging tax	33,879	32,754	33,185	36,075	33,693
Stamp duties	340	127	2,406	1,915	2,345
Turnover tax (BBO)	-	-	131,968	168,956	171,417
Other tax and nontax revenues	39,997	5,495	24,508	14,907	22,357
Total tax revenue	792,121	805,000	899,279	961,458	930,482

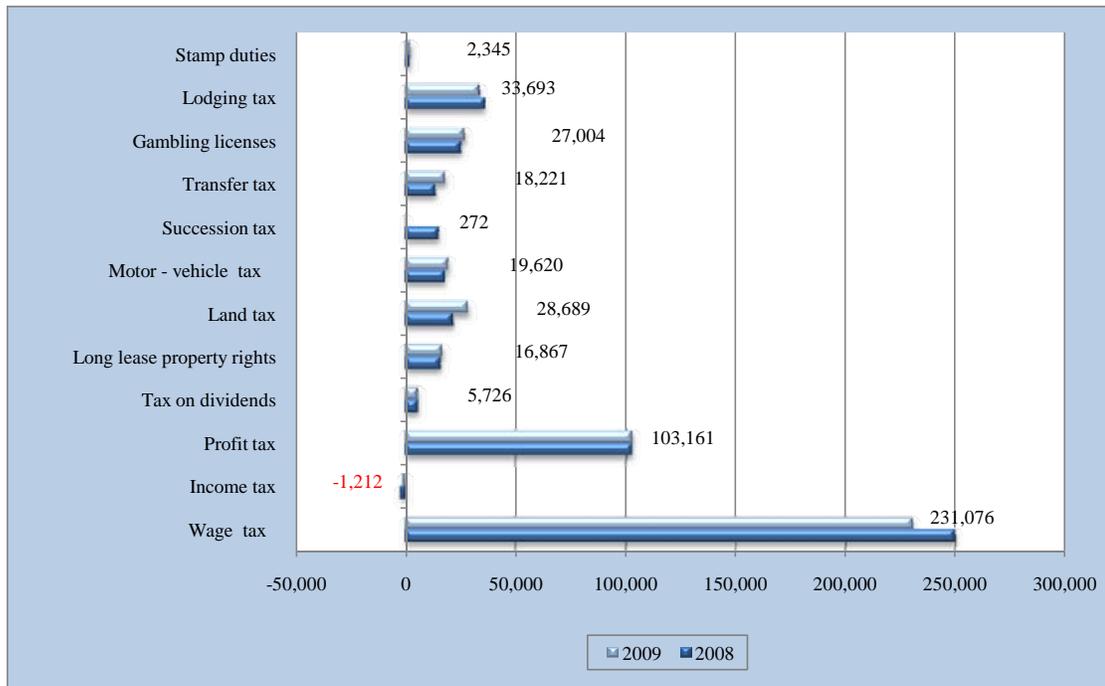
Source: CBS, Tax-Collectors Office (Siad)

Graph 13A. Government revenues 2008, 2009 (x Afls. 1000)

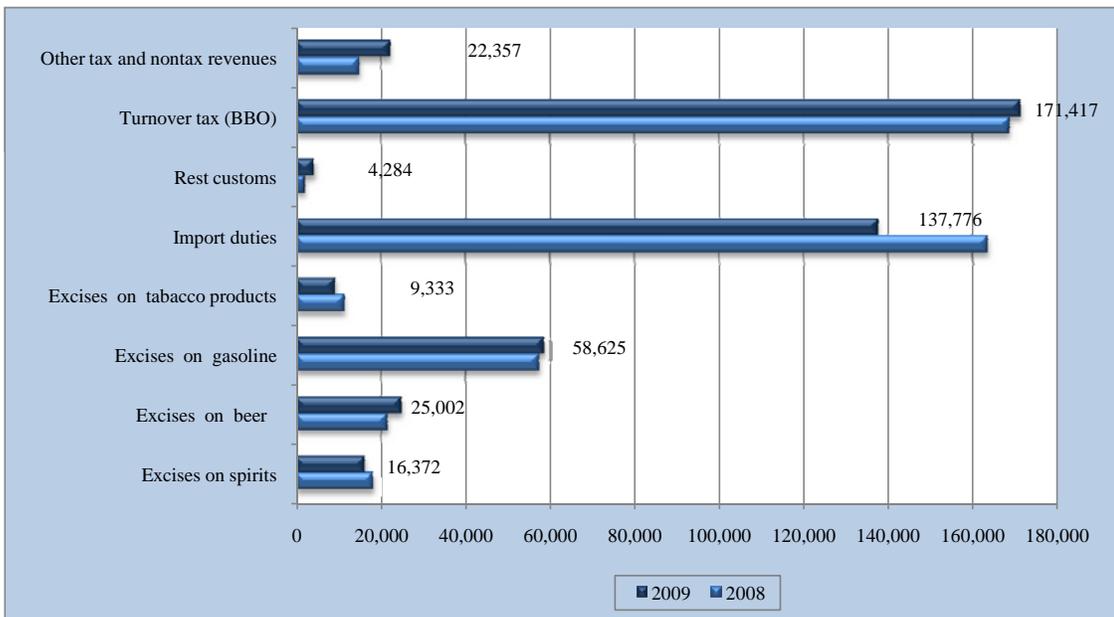


Source: CBS, Tax-Collectors Office (Siad)

Graph 13B. Tax-income from income and profits, services and property (x Afls.1000)



Graph 13C. Other Tax-income , (x Afls. 1000)



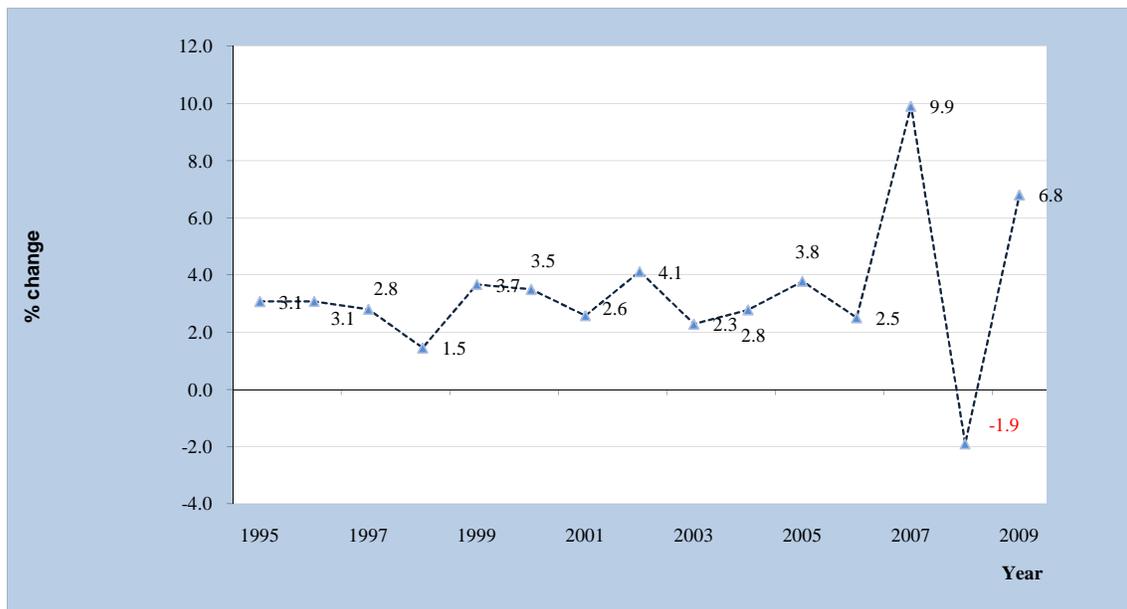
14. Prices

1. Consumer price index numbers

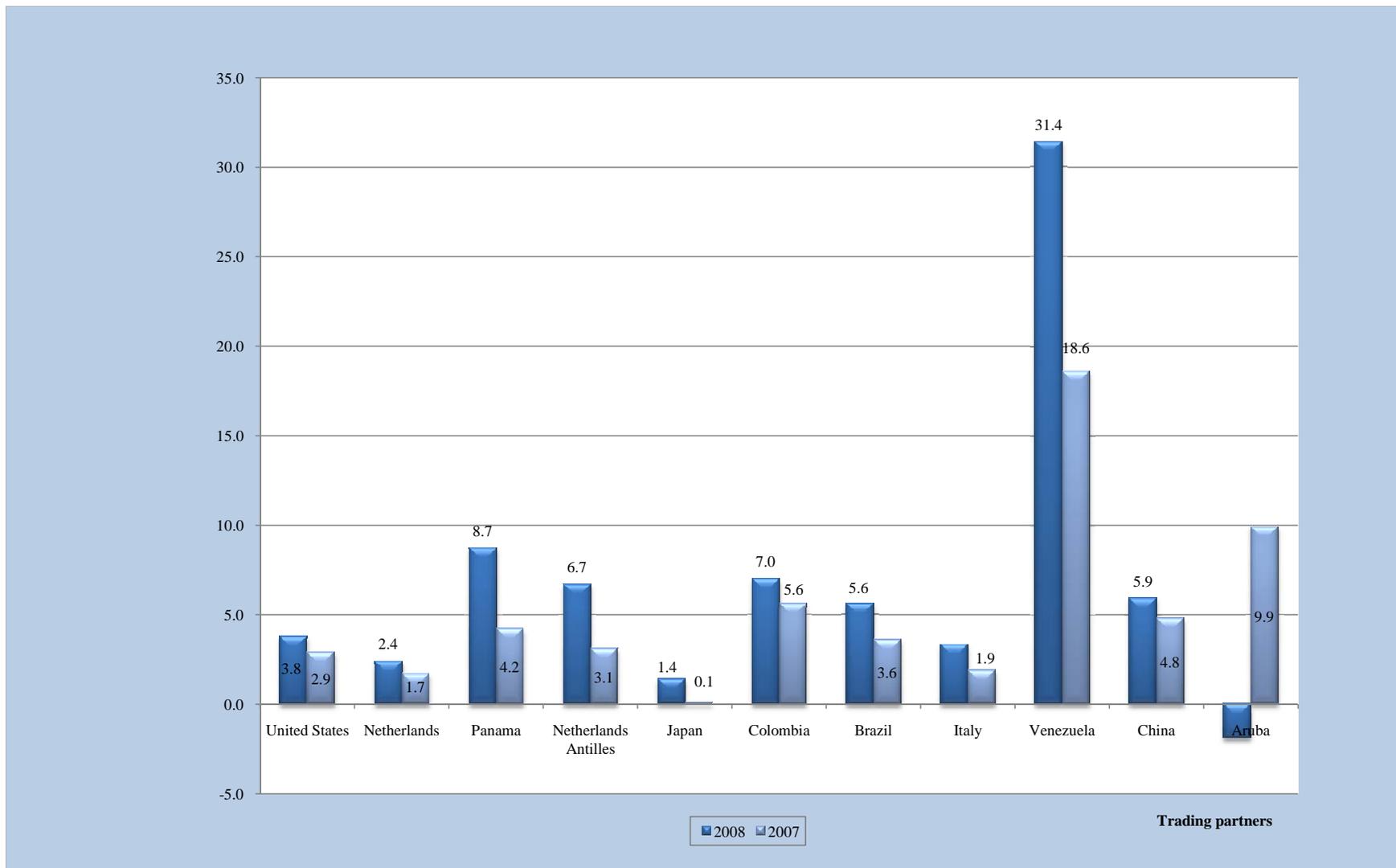
	Dec. 2006=100	Inflation (End of period)	Inflation (Period Average)
Dec-94	70.4	4.7	6.3
Dec-95	72.6	3.1	3.4
Dec-96	74.8	3.1	3.2
Dec-97	76.9	2.8	3.0
Dec-98	78.0	1.5	1.9
Dec-99	80.9	3.7	2.3
Dec-00	83.7	3.5	4.0
Dec-01	85.9	2.6	2.9
Dec-02	89.4	4.1	3.3
Dec-03	91.4	2.3	3.7
Dec-04	94.0	2.8	2.5
Dec-05	97.6	3.8	3.4
Dec-06	100.0	2.5	3.6
Dec-07	109.9	9.9	5.4
Dec-08	107.9	-1.9	9.0
Dec-09	115.2	6.8	-2.1

Source: Consumer Price Index, C.B.S. (2007 and 2008 have been revised)

Graph 14A. Inflation in Aruba, 1994- 2009 (Total population 2006=100)



Graph 14B. Inflation rates of the most important trading partners of Aruba, 2007-2008



2. Consumer price index numbers by divisions and groups of consumption expenditures

- Total Population -

Description	Weight 2006	Sept. 2006 =100	
		2008 Dec.	2009 Dec.
Food and non-alcoholic beverages	1,125.3	135.9	133.5
Food	961.4	139.1	135.7
Non-alcoholic beverages	163.9	116.8	120.4
Alcoholic beverages and tobacco	81.9	109.4	112.6
Alcoholic beverages for consumption at home	59.3	107.2	108.7
Tobacco	22.6	115.3	122.6
Clothing and footwear	625.9	116.5	119.6
Clothing	550.4	118.8	122.1
Footwear	75.5	99.8	101.8
Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels	2,553.3	107.8	127.4
Actual rentals for housing	854.2	118.7	125.3
Maintenance and repair of the dwelling	444.6	105.7	109.1
Water supply and miscellaneous services relating to the dwelling	505.7	103.4	134.3
Electricity, gas and other fuels	748.8	99.7	136.0
Furnishings, household equipment and routine maintenance of the house	741.3	104.7	108.1
Furniture, furnishings, carpets and other floor coverings	142.1	86.8	88.8
Household textiles	69.5	146.3	152.4
Household appliances	111.3	81.7	85.7
Glassware, tableware and household utensils	31.8	104.8	107.5
Tools and equipment for house and garden	40.0	102.9	100.8
Goods and services for routine household maintenance and cleaning	346.6	111.4	115.2
Health	235.8	92.2	92.9
Medical products, appliances and equipment	140.3	95.9	96.7
Out-patient services	57.2	83.0	83.6
Hospital services	3.0	92.2	92.7
Other treatments	20.6	92.2	92.7
Health products and services n.e.c.	0.5	92.2	92.7
Other health related incurred costs	14.1	92.2	92.7
Transport	1,815.4	102.4	109.6
Purchase of vehicles	811.4	104.0	103.9
Operation of personal transport equipment	840.1	103.7	119.4
Transport services	163.8	87.4	87.0
Communications	706.3	82.9	83.4
Postal services	6.1	103.6	105.2
Telephone and telefax equipment	29.6	62.3	44.6
Telephone and telefax services	670.6	83.6	84.9
Recreation and culture	891.2	110.1	114.4
Audio-visual, photographic and information processing equipment	123.8	108.2	105.8
Other major durables for recreation and culture	19.2	89.9	92.9
Other recreational items and equipment; gardens and pets	260.1	127.7	134.1
Recreational and cultural services	335.0	99.1	101.9
Newspapers, books and stationery	82.1	107.8	111.6
Holidays	71.0	109.1	125.8
Education	83.0	109.1	109.5
Pre primary and primary education	30.4	109.1	109.1
Secondary education	25.2	109.1	110.1
Post-secondary non-tertiary education	4.6	109.1	109.8
Tertiary education	10.4	109.1	109.1
Education not definable by level	12.4	109.1	109.8
Restaurants and hotels	373.7	114.4	119.1
Catering services	367.5	114.5	119.4
Accommodation services	6.2	109.5	96.8
Miscellaneous goods and services	767.0	97.7	100.3
Personal care	262.0	107.1	112.3
Personal effects n.e.c.	67.3	109.9	112.0
Social protection	28.7	109.1	128.1
Insurance	289.1	85.1	85.1
Financial services n.e.c.	26.9	97.7	97.4
Other services n.e.c.	93.0	97.7	97.4
Total Index	10,000	107.9	115.2

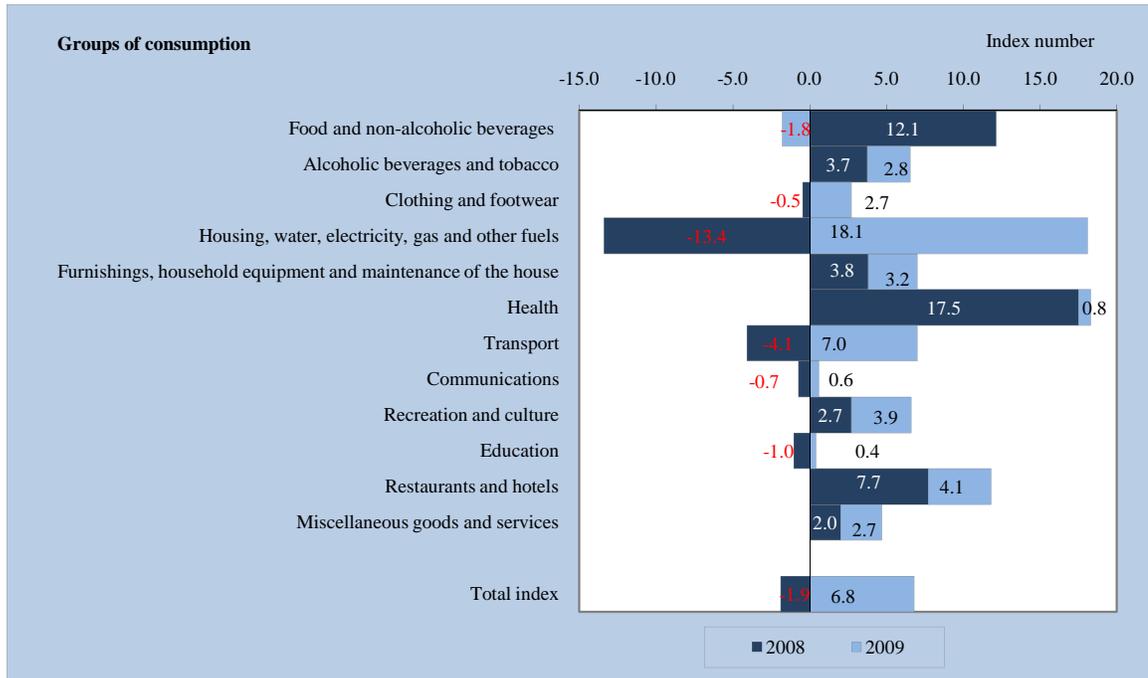
Source: Consumer Price Index, C.B.S. (2007 and 2008 have been revised)

3. Inflation in Aruba per month

	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Jan	0.2	0.3	0.2	-0.1	0.4	2.2	1.0	-0.4
Feb	-0.2	1.3	0.3	0.4	0.7	-0.2	0.5	0.8
Mrch	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.0	-0.2	0.8	0.7	0.6
Apr	0.4	-0.2	0.2	1.1	0.5	0.2	0.6	0.3
May	1.3	-0.2	0.2	0.9	1.2	1.1	0.9	0.5
June	0.2	0.1	0.9	0.3	0.3	2.1	1.8	2.4
July	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.2	-0.5	1.7	1.9
Aug	0.4	-0.1	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.9	1.8	-0.1
Sept	0.5	0.4	0.0	0.1	0.0	-0.4	-0.6	0.4
Okt	0.2	0.0	0.1	1.2	-1.1	0.5	-0.9	-0.4
Nov	0.7	0.1	0.9	-0.3	0.0	1.2	-4.6	0.3
Dec	0.0	0.2	-0.6	-0.5	0.1	1.4	-4.5	0.2

Source: Consumer Price Index, C.B.S. (2007 and 2008 have been revised)

Graph 14C. End of period inflation by division, 2008-2009 (Total population, dec.'06 = 100)



15. Social Affairs

1. Social security

	2004	2005	2006*	2007*	2008*	2009
	<u>x Afls. 1000</u>					
<i>General Old Age Insurance:</i>						
Contributions	131,319	129,983	152,938	159,104	177,865	.
Benefits	135,807	158,263	163,274	167,571	185,662	.
<i>General Widow's and Orphans Insurance:</i>						
Contributions	23,174	9,784	12,240	12,733	14,235	.
Benefits	10,068	12,813	11,948	12,128	13,025	.
<i>Accident Insurance:</i>						
Contributions	5,268	9,956	7,875	8,672	9,086	.
Benefits	3,188	4,309	3,631	3,104	3,296	.
<i>Sickness Insurance:</i>						
Contributions	34,426	34,871	16,905	23,391	24,173	.
Benefits of which:	15,915	18,198	20,587	19,897	20,577	.

Source: Social Insurance Bank Aruba

* Provisional data

³Medical costs administration was transferred to AZV as per January 1, 2001.

2. Minimum wages (monthly Afls.), december 31

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Industry	1,236.00	1,236.00	1,360.00	1,460.00	1,505.25	1,542.90
Service / Trade	1,236.00	1,236.00	1,360.00	1,460.00	1,505.25	1,542.90
Domestic servants	576.80	576.80	634.50	681.14	702.25	719.80

Source: Department of Labor

3. Welfare benefits

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Persons on welfare ¹ on January 31	2,986	2,414	2,269	2,020	1,991	1,846
Total amount paid x Afls. 1000	1,516	1,425	1,282	1,240	1,172	1,134

Source: Department of Social Affairs

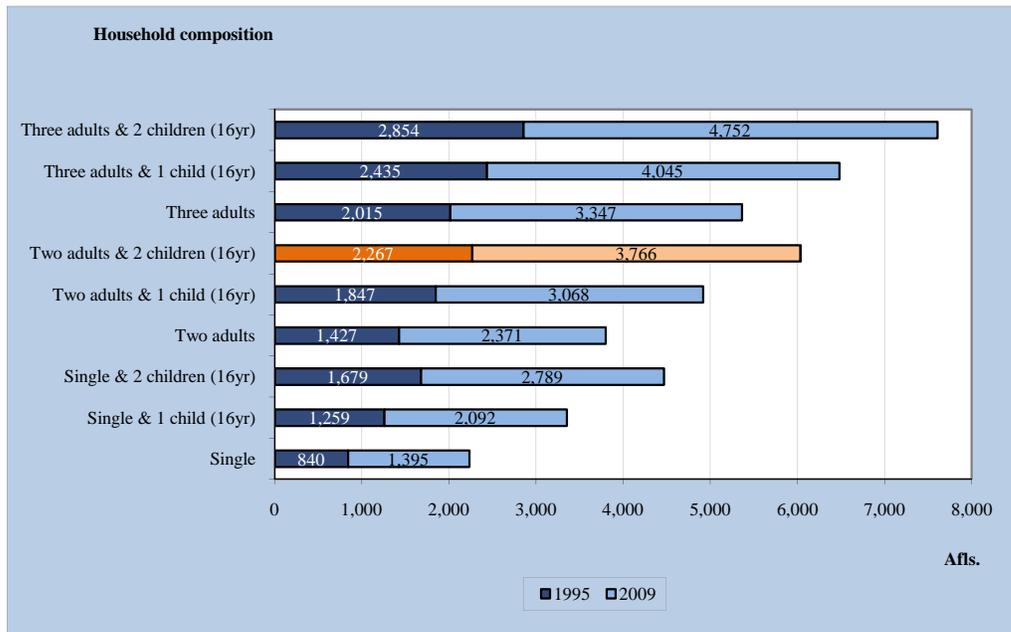
¹ Incl. temporary disabled, handicapped, foster child allowance

4. Subsistence level by household composition

Household composition	Subsistence level basis august 1995. Afls.	Subsistence level in Dec 2008. Afls.	Subsistence level in Dec 2009. Afls.
Two adults and two children	2,267	3,773	3,766
Single	840	1,398	1,395
Single & 1 child (16yr)	1,259	2,096	2,092
Single & 2 children (16yr)	1,679	2,795	2,789
Single & 3 children (16yr)	2,099	3,494	3,487
Single & 4 children (16yr)	2,519	4,193	4,184
Single & 5 children (16yr)	2,938	4,891	4,882
Two adults	1,427	2,376	2,371
Two adults & 1 child (16yr)	1,847	3,075	3,068
Two adults & 2 children (16yr)	2,267	3,773	3,766
Two adults & 3 children (16yr)	2,687	4,472	4,463
Two adults & 4 children (16yr)	3,106	5,171	5,161
Two adults & 5 children (16yr)	3,526	5,870	5,858
Three adults	2,015	3,354	3,347
Three adults & 1 child (16yr)	2,435	4,053	4,045
Three adults & 2 children (16yr)	2,854	4,752	4,742
Three adults & 3 children (16yr)	3,274	5,450	5,440
Three adults & 4 children (16yr)	3,694	6,149	6,137
Three adults & 5 children (16yr)	4,114	6,848	6,834

Source: Consumer Price Index, C.B.S. (2007 and 2008 have been revised)

Graph 15A. Subsistence level by household composition, 1995, 2009



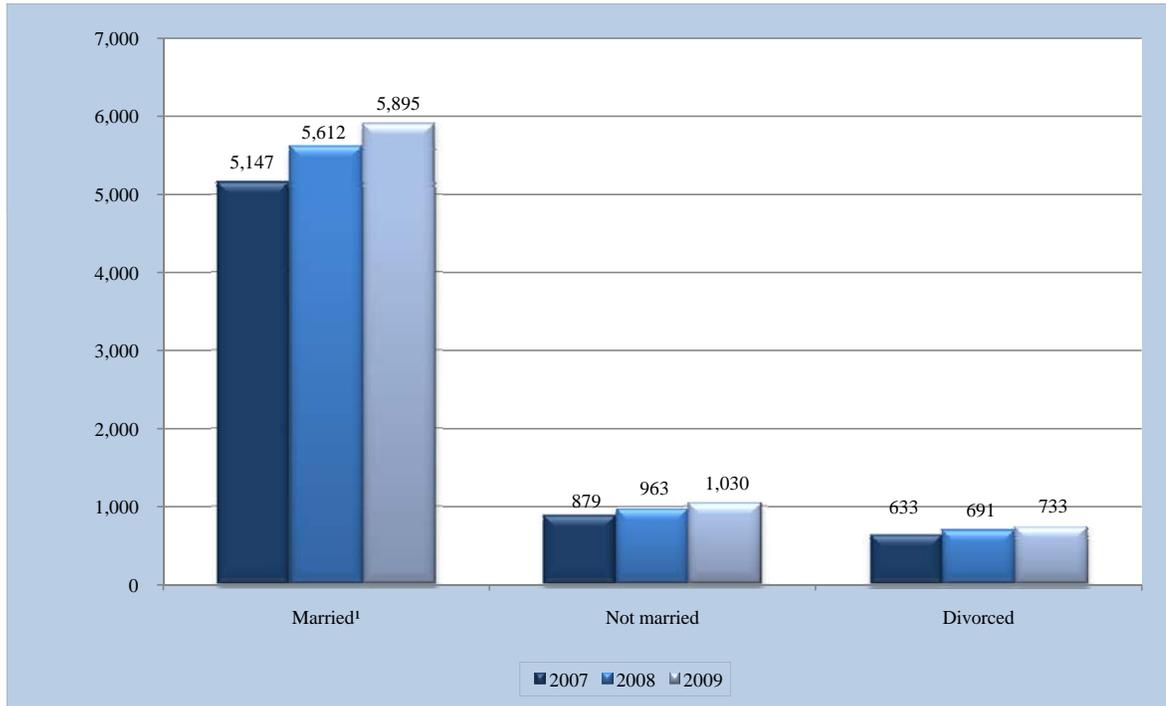
5. Persons with pension under the general pensions act

Persons, 31 dec.	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Married¹						
<i>male</i>	1,162	1,216	1,246	1,356	1,423	1,483
<i>female</i>	488	537	549	596	636	670
Not Married						
<i>male</i>	98	104	123	142	143	147
<i>female</i>	208	226	249	273	290	303
Divorced						
<i>male</i>	150	159	156	163	167	175
<i>female</i>	99	107	109	116	120	124
Total	2,205	2,349	2,432	2,646	2,779	2,902
Pension sum x 1000 Afls.						
Married ¹	4,281	4,474	4,686	5,147	5,612	5,895
Not married	654	702	772	879	963	1,030
Divorced	556	586	589	633	691	733

Source: General Pension Funds Aruba (APFA)

¹Married (incl.widows/widowers)

Graph 15B. Pension sum (x 1000 Afls.), 2009, 2008, 2007



6. Children's helpline, calls by nature of problems

	2007		2008		2009	
	absolute	%	absolute	%	absolute	%
Total Calls	2,411	100.0	2,117	100.0	1,670	100.0
<u>Nature of problems</u>						
Sexuality	149	6.2	167	7.9	134	8.0
Relationship problems	229	9.5	223	10.5	175	10.5
Family	161	6.7	127	6.0	117	7.0
School	140	5.8	85	4.0	65	3.9
Violence	94	3.9	97	4.6	77	4.6
Body	31	1.3	38	1.8	28	1.7
Emotions	51	2.1	47	2.2	33	2.0
Testers ¹	537	22.3	499	23.6	364	21.8
Silent callers	269	11.2	250	11.8	247	14.8
Chatters	547	22.7	415	19.6	269	16.1
Other	203	8.4	169	8.0	161	9.6
<u>Sex of clients</u>						
Male	1,105	45.8	825	39.0	559	33.5
Female	745	30.9	670	31.6	588	35.2
Other (incl. not rep.)	561	23.3	622	29.4	523	31.3

Source: Telefon pa Huventud Aruba

Testers¹ (from which prank calls, screamers a.o)

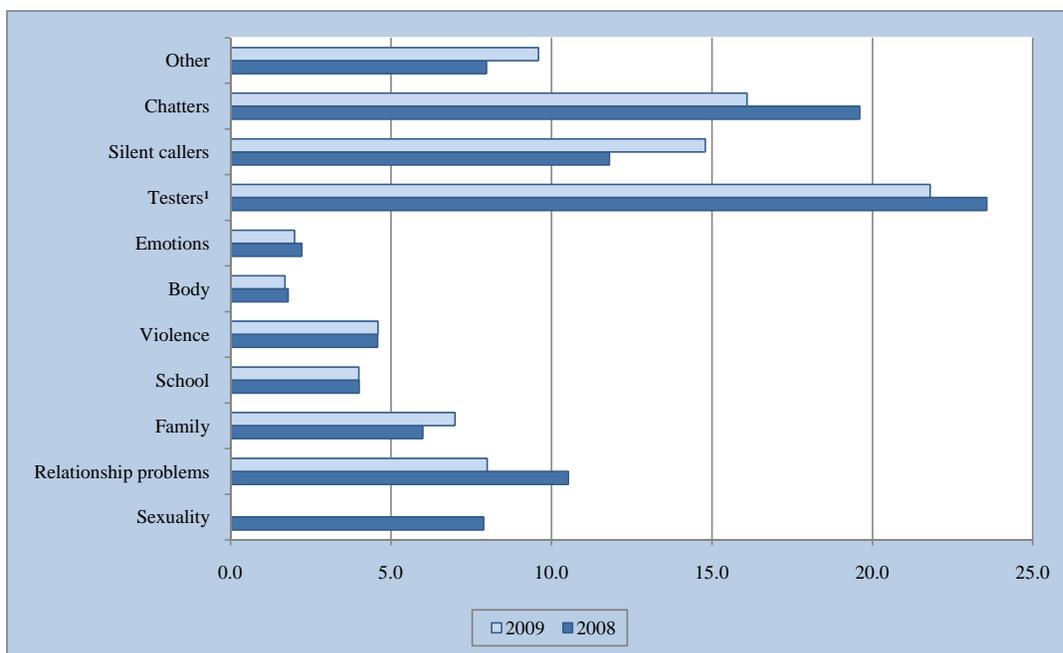
7. Children's helpline, calls by age group callers

	2007		2008 ¹		2009	
<u>Age clients</u>						
< 8 years	106	4.4	-	-	-	-
8-10 years	292	12.1	-	-	-	-
11-12 years	345	14.3	-	-	-	-
13-14 years	711	29.5	-	-	-	-
15-16 years	301	12.5	-	-	-	-
17-18 years	180	7.5	-	-	-	-
>18 years	130	5.4	-	-	-	-
Other (incl. not rep.)	346	14.4	-	-	-	-
Total	2,411	100.0	-	-	-	-
<u>Age clients</u>						
0-6 years	-	-	127	6.0	87	5.2
7-9 years	-	-	214	10.1	145	8.7
10-12 years	-	-	324	15.3	278	16.6
13-15 years	-	-	614	29.0	286	17.1
16-17 years	-	-	274	12.9	298	17.8
>18 years	-	-	170	8.0	180	10.8
Other (incl. not rep.)	-	-	394	18.6	296	17.7
Total			2,117	100.0	1,670	100.0

Source: Telefon pa Huventud Aruba

¹ In 2008 Telefon pa Huventud Aruba adapted there age group categories according to the international classifications

Graph 15C. Nature of problems children's helpline, 2009 - 2008



8. Child abuse by type of abuse

Type of abuse	2008	
	Abs.	%
Sexual abuse	29	15.9
Physical abuse	36	19.8
Emotional abuse	12	6.6
Physical neglect	46	25.3
Neglect of education	22	12.1
Emotional neglect	25	13.7
Other forms of abuse	12	6.6
Total	182	100.0

Source: "Child abuse in Aruba,2008" (A pilot survey by Drs. Helen Guda for Cede Aruba)

9. Child abuse: Number of registrations by type of abuse and gender

Type of abuse	2008			
	Male	%	Female	%
Sexual abuse	8	9.2	21	22.1
Physical abuse	15	17.2	21	22.1
Emotional abuse	5	5.7	7	7.4
Physical neglect	29	33.3	17	17.9
Neglect of education	13	14.9	9	9.5
Emotional neglect	10	11.5	15	15.8
Other forms of abuse	7	8.0	5	5.3
Total	87	100.0	95	100.0

Source: "Child abuse in Aruba,2008" (A pilot survey by Drs. Helen Guda for Cede Aruba)

10. Child abuse by type of abuse and age group

	Age group		
	0 - 5 years	6 - 11 years	12 - 17 years
	%	%	%
Sexual abuse	12.5	15.1	17.6
Physical abuse	8.3	26.0	17.6
Emotional abuse	4.2	11.0	3.5
Physical neglect	41.7	34.2	12.9
Neglect of education	4.2	4.1	21.2
Emotional neglect	29.2	9.6	12.9
Other forms of abuse	0.0	0.0	14.1
Total	100	100.0	100

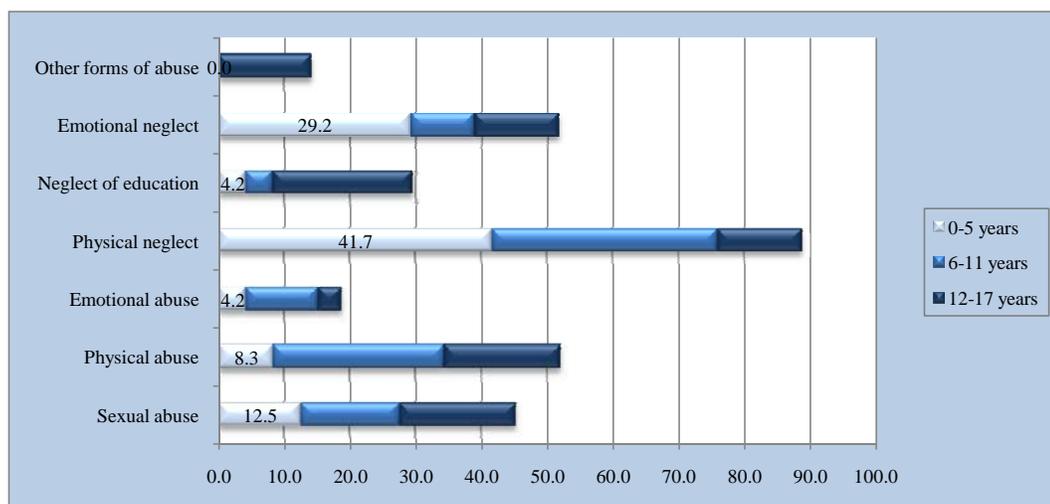
Source: "Child abuse in Aruba,2008" (A pilot survey by Drs. Helen Guda for Cede Aruba)

11. Youth welfare: children's homes and day - care centres for the handicapped

	2006	2007	2008	2009
Children's homes				
Number of institutions	2	.	3	3
<u>Occupancy per 31 dec.</u>				
Casa Cuna Progreso	28	.	20	28
Kinderhuis Imeldahof	42	.	38	41
Orthopedagogisch Centrum Aruba	.	.	12	11
<u>Occupancy per 31 dec.</u>				
Day - care centre Bibito Pin	41	.	37	.
girls :	13	.	10	.
boys :	28	.	27	.

Source: Department of Social Affairs

Graph 15D. Child abuse by type of abuse and age group, in %

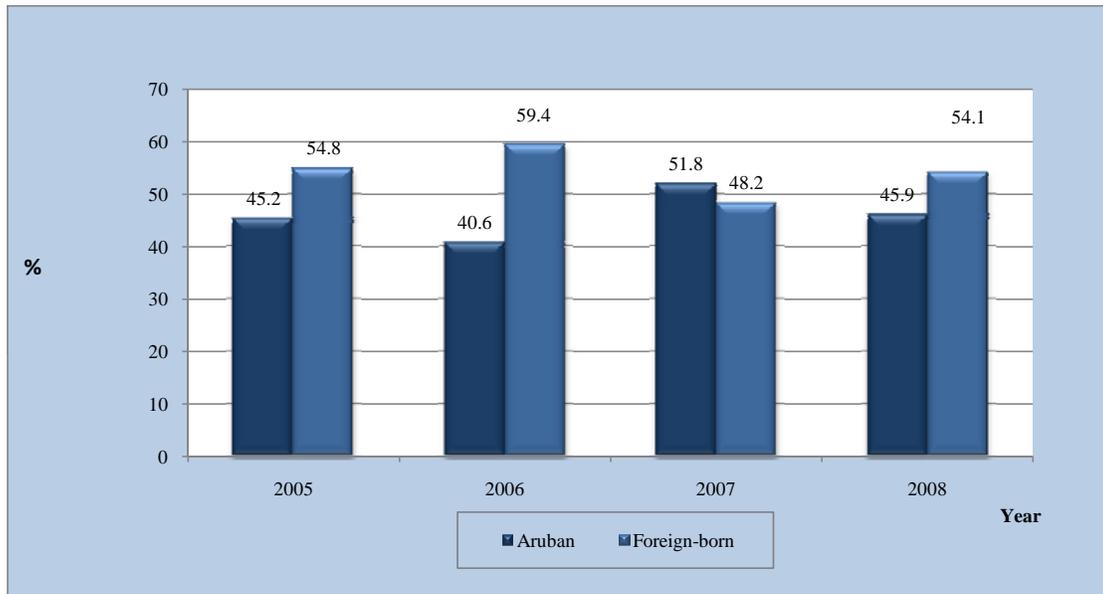


12. Reported cases of women in distress by place of birth, 2005-2008

Place of birth	2006		2007		2008	
	Abs.	%	Abs.	%	Abs.	%
Aruba	41	40.6	57	51.8	45	45.9
Colombia	20	19.8	24	21.8	28	28.6
Sto. Domingo	8	7.9	9	8.2	6	6.1
Venezuela	8	7.9	11	10.0	4	4.1
Netherlands	5	5.0	1	0.9	3	3.1
Haiti	1	1.0	3	2.7	2	2.0
Cuaracao	1	1.0	1	0.9	1	1.0
Jamaica	0	0.0	1	0.9	1	1.0
Surinam	2	2.0	0	0.0	2	2.0
Ecuador	1	1.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Other	4	4.0	3	2.7	6	6.1
Not reported	10	9.9	0	0.0	0	0.0
Total	101	100.0	110	100.0	98	100.0

Source: Fundacion pa Hende Muhe den Dificultad

15E. Percentage reported cases of women in distress by place of birth, 2005- 2008



16. Justice

1. Crimes, traffic accidents and other violations committed

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Total number of crimes committed	5,511	5,643	6,277	5,690	7,191
Traffic accidents follow death	6,322 13	6,246 14	5,858 18	6,223 20	8,700 18
Traffic violations	8,808	7,588	8,296	6,463	.

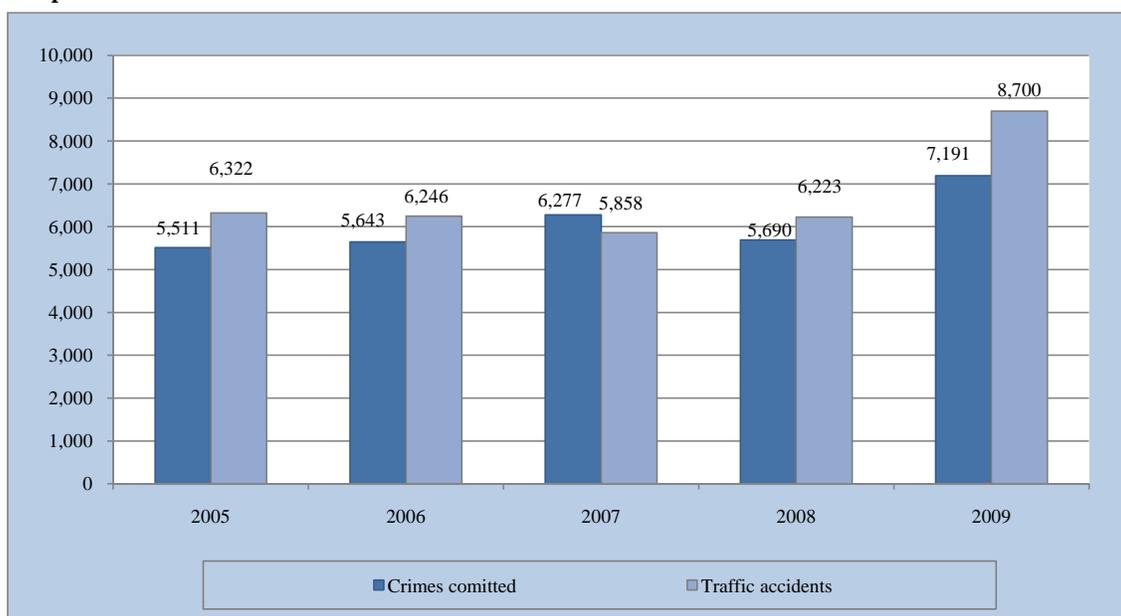
Source: Yearbook Police Aruba ² Illegal immigrants are deported by IASA and therefore no longer registered by the KPA
¹Total number of accidents (excl. the districts San Nicolas and No IASA, Instituto di Alarma y Seguridad Arubano

2. Crimes and traffic accidents by district

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
<i>Total number of crimes committed</i>					
Oranjestad	2,939	3,162	3,014	2,706	.
Noord	650	982	1,022	1,008	.
San Nicolas	1,355	1,132	1,620	1,295	.
Santa Cruz	567	367	621	681	.
Total	5,511	5,643	6,277	5,690	7,191
<i>Traffic accidents</i>					
Oranjestad	3,172	3,410	2,790	3,306	.
Noord	1,266	1,108	1,174	1,136	.
San Nicolas	1,004	992	999	1,002	.
Santa Cruz	880	736	895	779	.
Total	6,322	6,246	5,858	6,223	8,700

Source: Yearbook Police Aruba ¹ Excl. district Noord ² Excl. district Noord and San Nicolas

Graph 16A. Crimes and traffic accidents committed



3. Traffic fatalities by sex and district

	2007		2008		2009	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
Oranjestad	6	2	12	1	4	3
Noord	2	2	2	-	4	2
San Nicolas	3	2	1	3	3	2
Santa Cruz	1	-	1	-	-	-
Total	12	6	16	4	11	7

Source: Yearbook Police Aruba

² Illegal immigrants are deported by IASA and therefore no longer registered by the KPA

¹Total number of accidents (excl. the districts San Nicolas ar IASA, Instituto di Alarma y Seguridad Arubano

4. Type of crime by district

Type of crime	Oranjestad	Noord	San Nicolas	Santa Cruz	Total
<u>2008</u>					
Burglary	2,169	812	834	458	4,273
Assault	135	36	187	33	391
Vandalism	338	107	195	94	734
Violation (rape) SJPZ	.	.	.	.	27
Other crimes	.	.	.	.	27
Total	.	.	.	.	5,690
<u>2007</u>					
Burglary	2,416	842	1,197	490	4,945
Assault	121	42	127	43	333
Vandalism	429	116	251	67	963
Violation (rape) SJZP	.	.	.	.	.
Other crimes	48	22	45	21	136
Total	3,014	1,022	1,620	621	6,277

Source: Yearbook Police Aruba

¹ Excl. district Noord

² Excl. district Noord and San Nicolas

5. Type of crime by year

Type of crime	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Burglary		4,363		4,945	4,273	.
Assault		313		333	391	.
Vandalism		758		863	734	.
Violation (rape) SJPZ		.		13	27	.
Other crimes		.		136	292	.
Total		.		6,277	5,690	.

17. Climate

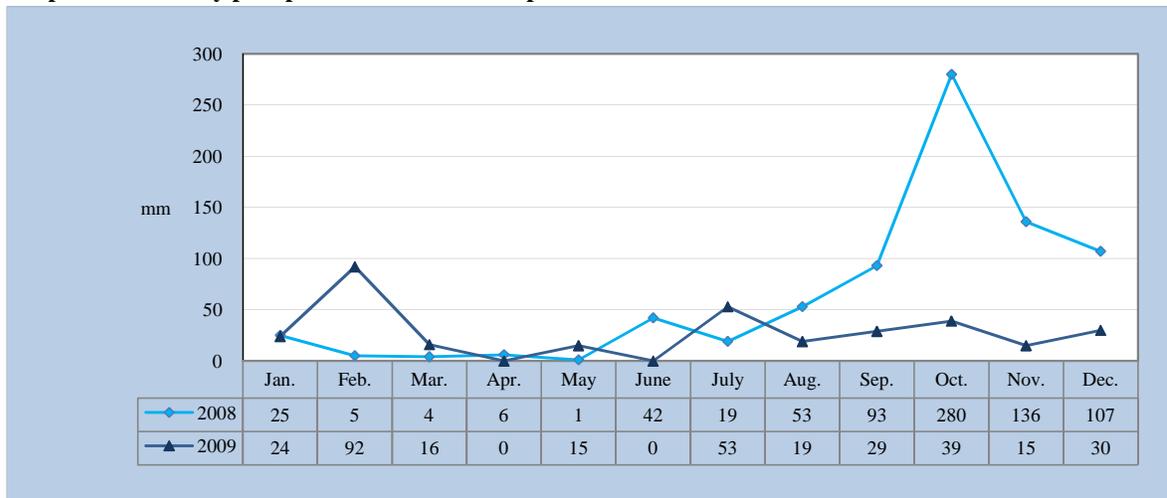
1. Temperature in degrees centigrade, precipitation & humidity

	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	August	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Year
Queen Beatrix international airport													
Av. temperature ¹	(°C)												
2005	26.7	26.9	28.4	28.7	29.6	29.5	29.1	29.7	30.0	29.1	27.7	27.0	28.5
2006	26.7	27.1	27.7	28.3	29.4	29.7	29.0	29.7	30.0	29.4	28.8	27.6	28.6
2007	27.2	27.3	27.8	28.4	29.2	29.5	29.3	29.6	29.5	28.9	28.8	27.1	28.6
2008	27.1	27.2	27.4	28.0	28.5	28.9	29.0	29.6	29.8	28.4	28.0	26.8	28.2
2009	26.9	26.6	26.8	28.2	28.5	29.0	29.1	29.5	30.2	29.4	29.4	28.4	28.5
Total precipitation													
2005	93	19	0	0	50	69	48	11	43	149	228	69	781
2006	116	9	9	4	2	3	50	7	2	96	163	149	611
2007	37	6	14	4	11	6	6	41	54	70	65	191	506
2008	25	5	4	6	1	42	19	53	93	280	136	107	772
2009	24	92	16	0	15	0	53	19	29	39	15	30	331
Number of rain days ²													
2005	17	5	0	0	3	4	3	2	1	10	18	9	72
2006	19	3	3	1	1	1	5	1	1	6	8	12	61
2007	6	2	2	2	2	1	2	3	5	8	9	17	59
2008	7	2	1	2	0	2	6	7	4	17	14	17	79
2009	10	14	4	0	3	0	7	2	1	4	6	7	58
Average humidity (in %) ³													
2005	78	73	73	76	77	79	79	77	75	78	80	76	77
2006	79	74	76	77	73	71	75	74	73	77	75	78	75
2007	75	73	72	76	76	74	74	73	76	81	77	78	75
2008	74	75	78	77	73	77	79	75	75	79	80	79	77
2009	78	74	72	73	77	76	76	74	72	73	75	75	75

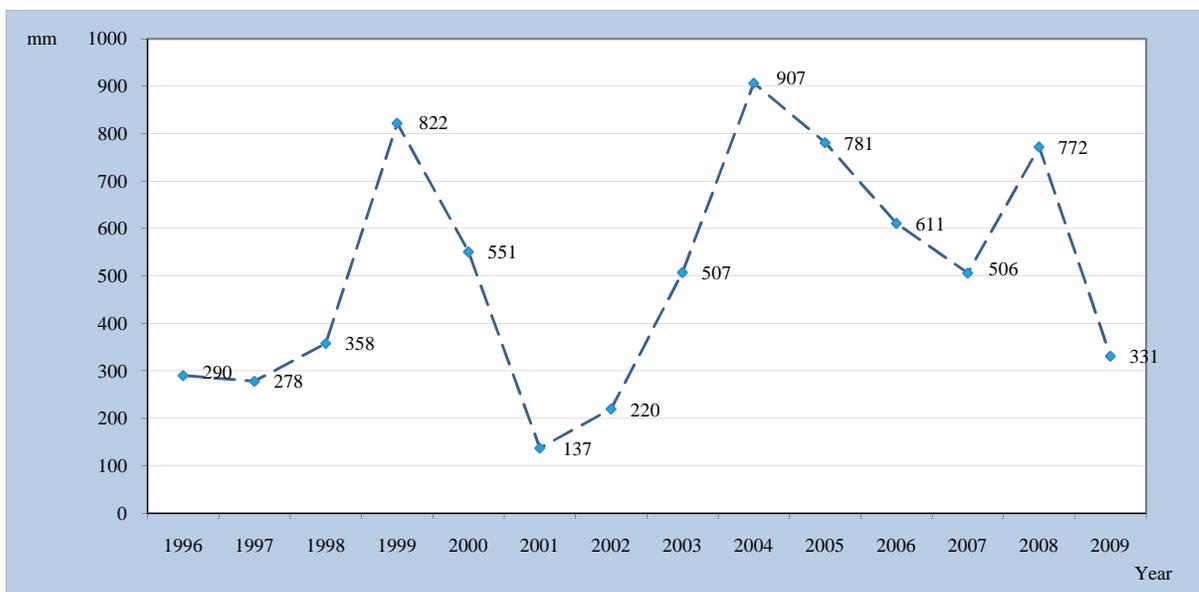
Source: Meteorological Service of Aruba

¹ Average of daily 24 hourly observations. ² Days with 1,0 mm or more precipitation. ³ Average of daily 24 hours observations.

Graph 17A. Monthly precipitation in 2009 as compared to 2008



Graph 17B. Total precipitation, 1996-2009



2. Wind, air pressure and duration sunshine

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Average wind speed (in m/sec) ¹	6.9	6.4	7.1	6.9	6.7	7.3
Maximum wind gust (in m/sec)	22.6	22.6	20.0	23.6	20.0	21.1
Average air pressure (in mb) ^{1 4}	1,012	1,011	1,012	1,011	1,012	1,011

Source: Meteorological Service of Aruba

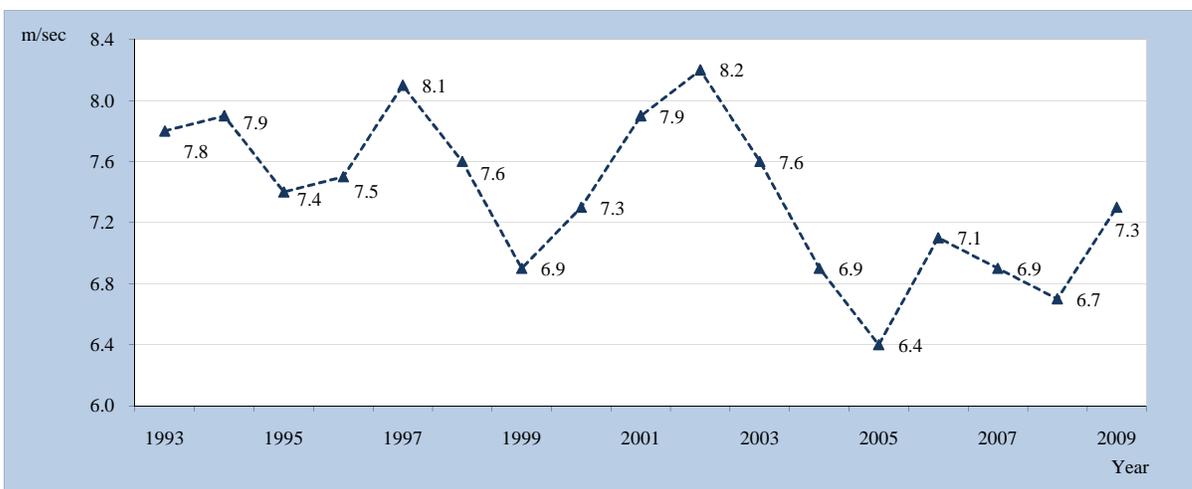
³ In degrees true North.

¹ Average of daily 24 hours observations in m/sec

⁴ Atmospheric pressure reduced to Mean Sea Level (MSL).

² The observations were made at Hato Airport, Curaçao, which was considered representative for the Leeward Islands.

Graph 17C. Average wind speed (in m/sec) 1993-2009



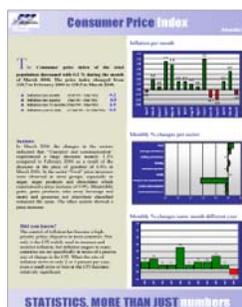
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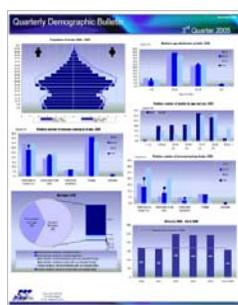
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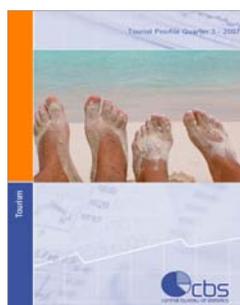


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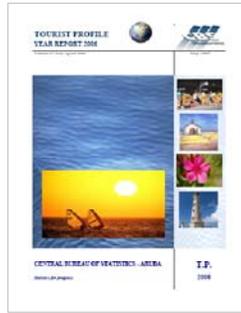


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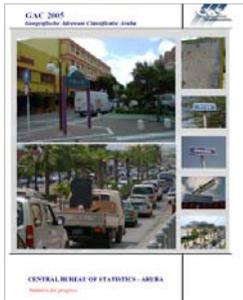


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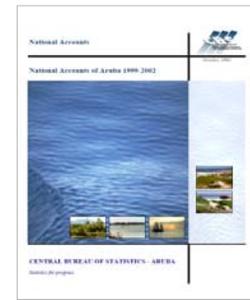
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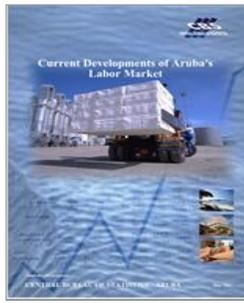


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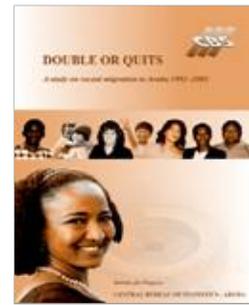
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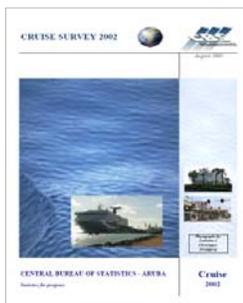
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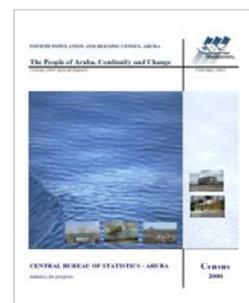
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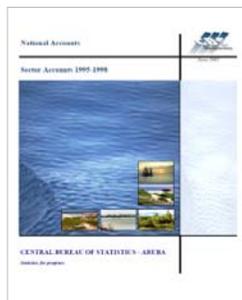
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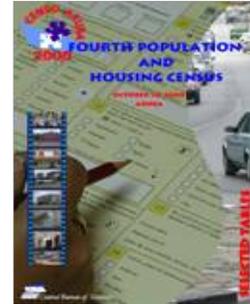
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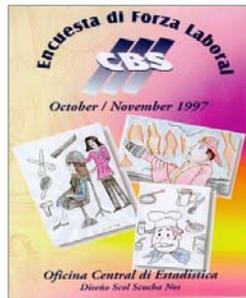
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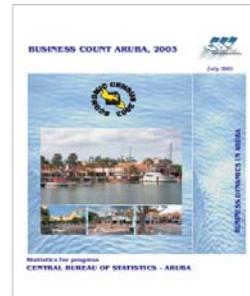
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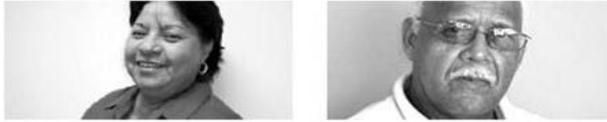
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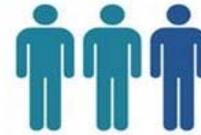
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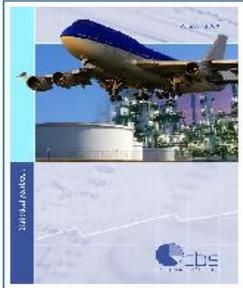
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