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Catalogue of official national statistics for the Solomon Islands

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Foreward

This is a first draft of a document that will aim to list all of the national statistics currently produced and publically available in the Solomon Islands.

The next draft will include contact details for other ministries and a full list of tables and datasets from the Census 2009, Household Income and Expenditure Survey, and Demographic Health Survey.

Comments and suggestions are very welcome.

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Solomon Islands' statistics producers

CBSI	Central Bank Solomon Islands
CEMA	Customs Export Marketing Authority
CSSI	Correctional Services Solomon Islands
HCC	Honiara City Council
IRD	Inland Revenue Division – MOFT
MCA	Ministry of Communication and Aviation
MDPAC	Ministry of Development, Planning and Aid Coordination
MECCDM	Ministry of the Environment, Climate Change and Disaster Management
MEHRD	Ministry of Education and Human Resource Development
MFMR	Ministry of Fisheries and Marine Resources
MFR	Ministry of Forestry and Research
MHA	Ministry of Home Affairs
MHMS	Ministry of Health and Medical Services
MOFT	Ministry of Finance and Treasury
MPGIS	Ministry of Provincial Government and Institutional Strengthening
MPNS	Ministry of Police, National Security and Correctional Services
MPS	Ministry of Public Service
MWYCA	Ministry of Womens, Youth and Children's Affairs
NPF	Solomon Islands National Provident Fund
NSO	National Statistics Office
RSIPF	Royal Solomon Islands Police Force
SIEA	Solomon Islands Electricity Authority
SIEC	Solomon Islands Electoral Commission
SIPA	Solomon Islands Ports Authority

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Category	Component	Periodicity	Responsible agency	Availability
Domain 1. Social and demographic statistics				
1.1. Population and migration				
Population	Population characteristics: size and composition of the population by age, sex and region	Census 2009	NSO	2009 Census National Report (CNR) www.spc.int/prism/solomons/
	Population projections 2009–2050	Census 2009	NSO	CNR
Dynamics of growth	Vital statistics: births, deaths, marriages, divorcers/legal separations, adoptions		MHA/NSO	Not published - records not complete
	Migration: international arrivals	Quarterly	NSO	NSO Visitor Statistics www.spc.int/prism/solomons/
Fertility	Fertility rates (including adolescent fertility)	Census, DHS	NSO	CNR, DHS report
	Family planning/contraception methods	DHS	NSO	DHS report
	Contraceptive use		MHMS	MHMS 2014 Core Indicator Report (available from MHMS on request)
Mortality	Adult mortality	Census 2009	NSO	CNR
	Neonatal, infant and under-five mortality	Annual	NSO / MHMS	CNR/ MHMS 2014 Core Indicator Report
	Maternal deaths	Annual	MHMS	
Life expectancy	Life expectancy at birth; life tables	Census 2009	NSO	CNR
Disability	Reported difficulties seeing, hearing, walking, remembering; severely disabled	Census, DHS	NSO	CNR
1.2. Labour supply				
Labour supply indicators	Employment status by age, sex and province; age dependency ratio etc	Census 2009/ HIES	NSO	CNR
1.3. Education				
Educational inputs	Government expenditure on education by sector: recurrent, budget support, development; as % of GDP	Annual	MEHRD	Annual budget documents www.mof.gov.sb
	Number of schools by school type	Annual	MEHRD	PAF 2006-2013 www.mehrd.gov.sb
	Number of qualified and certified teachers by sex and school type	Annual	MEHRD	PAF 2006-2013
Educational access	Enrolments by gender, education level, and age for ECE, primary and secondary	Annual	MEHRD	PAF 2006-2013
	Student toilet ratio by school type	Annual	MEHRD	PAF 2006-2013
	Boarder dormitory ratio by school type	Annual	MEHRD	PAF 2006-2013
	Schools with clean and safe drinking water by school type	Annual	MEHRD	PAF 2006-2013

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	Children with disabilities enrolled in schools by school type	Annual	MEHRD	PAF 2006-2013
	Tertiary and TVET enrolment rates by sex	Annual	MEHRD	Not currently available
Educational outcomes	Pupil classroom ratio by school type	Annual	MEHRD	PAF 2006-2013
	Pupil qualified/ certified teacher ratio by school type	Annual	MEHRD	PAF 2006-2013
	Repeaters by education level and gender	Annual	MEHRD	PAF 2006-2013
	Survival rates by school year: ECE - form 6	Annual	MEHRD	PAF 2006-2013
	Pass rates at year 6-7, year 9-10, year 11-12, year 12-13	Annual	MEHRD	PAF 2006-2013
	Literacy and numeracy rates at year 4 and 6 (2010)	2010	MEHRD	PAF 2006-2013
	Highest educational qualification	Census 2009	NSO	CNR
	School leaver's highest attainment	Census 2009	NSO	CNR
1.4. Health				
Expenditure on health	Government expenditure on health by sector: recurrent, budget support, development	Annual	MOFT	Annual budget documents www.mof.gov.sb
Health service delivery	National Referral Hospital patient discharges, bed occupancy, average length of stay	Annual	MHMS	MHMS 2014 Core Indicator Report (available from MHMS on request)
	Provision of services by qualified doctors/nurses	Annual	MHMS	MHMS 2014 Core Indicator Report
	Contraceptive contacts, antenatal care visits, unsupervised deliveries	Annual	MHMS	MHMS 2014 Core Indicator Report
	Medicines: percentage of essential medicines in stock	Annual	MHMS	MHMS 2014 Core Indicator Report
Public health	Incidence, prevalence and death rates of infectious diseases: malaria, tuberculosis	Annual	MHMS	MHMS 2014 Core Indicator Report
	Child immunisation and vitamin A supplementation	DHS 2007, 2015	NSO	DHS report
	Children immunized against measles	Annual	MHMS	MHMS 2014 Core Indicator Report
	Household ownership of mosquito nets	Census, DHS	NSO	CNR, DHS report
	Nutritional status of adults and children	DHS	NSO	DHS report, MHMS 2014 Core Indicator Report
	NCD incidence: obesity rates, use of tobacco products, alcohol	DHS	NSO	DHS report
	NCD check-ups at health facilities, number presenting with diabetes and hypertension	Annual	MHMS	MHMS 2014 Core Indicator Report
	The STEPS survey of chronic disease risk factors	2006	WHO	www.who.int/chp/steps/solomon_islands/en/

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	SI estimates on the use of water sources and sanitation facilities	1980 - 2015	WHO/ UNICEF JMP	www.wssinfo.org/documents/?tx_displaycontroller[type]=country_files
1.5. Income, consumption and social protection				
Incomes	Personal and household income	HIES 2006, 2012	NSO	HIES report www.spc.int/prism/solomons/
Consumption	Household expenditure	HIES 2006, 2012	NSO	HIES report
Poverty	Income poverty, measures of the distribution of household income, other poverty measures	HIES 2006, 2012	NSO	Poverty study available on request from the NSO
1.6. Human settlements and housing				
Housing	Housing stock, materials, household size and occupancy	Census 2009	NSO	CNR
	Access to drinking water, sanitation services, modern cooking solutions, reliable electricity	Census 2009	NSO	CNR
1.7. Justice and crime				
Reported crime	Crimes reported by criminal offence type	Quarterly	MPNS - RSIPF	Available from agency on request
Apprehensions	Criminal apprehensions by criminal offence type	Quarterly	MPNS - RSIPF	Available from agency on request
Convictions	Number of cases, court sentencing by criminal offence type	Annual	NJ	Available from agency on request
Detainment	Prison population	Annual	MPNS - CSSI	Available from agency on request
Other	Family violence: Solomon Islands Family Health and Support Study	One-off 2009		http://countryoffice.unfpa.org/pacific/drive/SolomonIslandsFamilyHealthandSafetyStudy.pdf
Perceptions	Crime victimisation/perception of safety	Ad-hoc		2013 RAMSI People's Survey www.ramsi.org/media/peoples-survey/
Land	Register of land titles: Number of land and titles disputes	Annual	MJLA	Available from agency on request
1.8. Political and other community activities				
Electoral boundaries	Electoral boundaries drawn from Population Census data	4-yearly	NSO/SIEC	www.siec.gov.sb/
Elections	Election voter registrations	4-yearly	SIEC	www.siec.gov.sb/
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	Electoral returns	4-yearly	SIEC	www.siec.gov.sb/
	Proportion of seats held by women and minorities in parliament			
1.9. Culture and time use				
Cultural identity, diversity	Ethnicity, language, religion, indigenous and traditional knowledge	Census		Limited information available in Census 1999 report

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Domain 2. Economic and financial statistics				
2.1 Real sector				
National accounts (GDP)	Production/expenditure measures of GDP (nominal and real)	Annual	NSO	GDP report www.spc.int/prism/solomons/ CBSI also produces a GDP estimate that is published in QR
Labour demand	National Provident Fund: number of registered members	Annual	NPF	NPF Annual Report
	Public sector employment by ministry, level, and sex	Annual	MOFT/MPS	For internal use only
2.2. External sector statistics				
Merchandise trade	Exports and imports by main commodity group	Quarterly	NSO	International Merchandise Trade Statistics www.spc.int/prism/solomons/ CBSI QR: tables 1.19, 20
Balance of payments and internal investment position	Current account, capital account, financial account, assets and liabilities	Annual, quarterly	CBSI	CBSI Quarterly Review (QR): tables 1.14-1.18 www.cbsi.com.sb/
	Foreign exchange payments and receipts	Quarterly	CBSI	CBSI QR: tables 1.21-23
External debt and debt service schedule	Public and private external debt and debt schedule	Quarterly	CBSI	Debt Management Bulletin www.mof.gov.sb
Exchange rates	Exchange rates of major trading partners' currency	Monthly	CBSI	CBSI Monthly Economic Bulletin and CBSI QR: table 1.24
2.3. Government finance, fiscal and public sector statistics				
Central government aggregates	Fiscal statements	Annual, quarterly	MOFT, CBSI	Annual budget documents
	Central Government revenue and expenditure	Annual	MOFT, CBSI	CBSI QR: tables 1.27, 1.28
	Tax revenue by source of revenue	Annual	MOFT - CED	Annual budget documents www.mof.gov.sb
	Government debt - Government debt outstanding - Debt servicing payments - Debt sustainability indicators	Quarterly	MOFT	Government Debt Statistical Bulletin www.mof.gov.sb
	Government securities by holder and instrument	Quarterly	CBSI	CBSI QR: table 1.25
	Gross and net government domestic debt by instrument and holder	Quarterly	CBSI	CBSI QR: table 1.26
	Official development assistance	Annual	MOFT, MDPAC	Annual budget documents www.mof.gov.sb
2.4 Banking, insurance, and finance statistics				
Broad money and credit aggregates	Depository corporations survey Central bank survey	Monthly/ quarterly	CBSI	CBSI QR: tables 1.1-3
	Domestic credit by sector: Sectoral distribution of commercial bank credit outstanding	Quarterly	CBSI	CBSI QR: table 1.4

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Interest rates	Short and long-term government security rates, policy variable rate, comparative treasury bill rates	Monthly	CBSI	CBSI QR: table 1.11
	Other depository corporations interest rates on deposits by maturity and sector	Monthly	CBSI	CBSI QR: tables 1.9, 10
2.5. Prices and labour cost				
Consumer Price Index	Honiara Consumer Price Index	Monthly	NSO	Honiara CPI bulletin www.spc.int/prism/solomons/
2.6. Business and sectoral statistics				
Business statistics	Business demography: numbers of registered businesses and employees by industry and province	Annual	NSO	Collected but not published. Will be available from 2016.
	Business survey: financial performance by industry	Annual	NSO	Collected but not published. Will be available from 2016.
Agriculture	Livestock, crops by region	Census 2009 HIES	MFL/NSO	Some information in Census and HIES
	Commodity export marketing statistics: copra and cocoa volumes and prices	Monthly, weekly	CEMA	Disseminated on the radio
Forestry	Land use for forestry: hectares of forest, area and % of forest under sustainable forest management; by species	Annual	MFR	Available from agency on request
Fisheries	Licensed vessels: number of vessels and revenue	Annual	MFMR	Available from agency on request
	Fish catch: tuna	Annual	MFMR	Available from agency on request
	Fish market sales	Monthly?	MFMR	Available from agency on request
	Fishing: households	Census 2009 HIES	NSO	Some information in Census and HIES
Energy	Electricity generation and sales	Monthly	SIEA	CBSI QR: table 1.35.
Construction / capital formation	Number, value and average value of building permits issued, Honiara	Quarterly	Honiara City Council	CBSI QB: table 1.33
	Government and donor-funded development expenditure	Annual	MOFT	Annual budget documents www.mof.gov.sb
	Roads - Kilometres sealed, unsealed, maintained	Annual	MID	Available from agency on request Also in National Infrastructure Plan
Transport	Air passenger and cargo movements: domestic and international	Quarterly	MCA	Available from agency on request
	Water passenger and cargo movements: domestic and international	Quarterly	SIPA	Available from agency on request
	Motor vehicle registrations	Quarterly	IRD/MID	Available from agency on request
Telecommunications	Number of subscribers to landlines, cellular phones, internet	Annual	MCA	Available from agency on request

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	Cellular signal coverage %	Annual	MCA	Available from agency on request
Tourism	Visitor arrivals by type, country and length of stay	Quarterly	NSO	Visitor Statistics Bulletin www.spc.int/prism/solomons/
Domain 3: Environment and multi-domain statistics				
3.1. Environment and natural resources				
Environment and climate change	SI State of Environment Report 2008	One-off	MECCDMM	www.sprep.org/att/IRC/eCOPIES/Countries/Solomon_Islands/49.pdf
	Weather: rainfall, temperature, sunshine hours etc	Daily	MECCDMM	Monthly weather summary www.met.gov.sb
Natural resources	Land use for forestry: hectares of forest, area and percentage of forest under sustainable forest management	Annual	MFR	Available from agency on request
	Ocean health index	Annual		Ocean Health Index Partnership www.oceanhealthindex.org/Countries/Solomon_Islands/
	Species under threat: Red List Index	Annual		ICUN www.iucnredlist.org/
3.2. Provincial and small area statistics				
Demographic characteristics by Province	Population and housing census	Census 2009	NSO	Census provincial reports PopGIS2 (mapping) www.spc.int/prism/solomons/
	Provincial profiles		MPGIS	Available from agency on request
Gender and special population groups	Gender equality: range of indicators such as % women in employment, in management, Parliament, etc	Census 2009	NSO	Gender monograph available from NSO on request
	Solomon Islands Family Health and Safety Study	2009 One off	MWYCA / SPC	www.spc.int/hdp/index.php?option=com_docman&task=cat_view&qid=39&Itemid=44
SI indicators including MDGs	SPC National Minimum Development Indicators for Solomon Islands	Annual	SPC/NSO others	www.spc.int/nmdi/reports_en
Indicators related to the MDG/SDGs	Millennium Development Goals Progress Report for Solomon Islands 2010	2010		www.undp.org/content/dam/fiji/docs/Final_SI_MDG.pdf
Human Development Index	Solomon Islands' ranking and comparison with other countries	Annual		http://hdr.undp.org/en/data
SI NDS Monitoring and Evaluation Framework	Indicators that inform progress on SI NDS	Annual	MDPAC	M&E evaluation available from MDPAC on request