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The movement in production in the second quarter of 2015 compared to the same quarter of 2014 was mixed. Significant increases were recorded in the production of beverages, notably alcoholic beverages, beer & stout (1086%) and Smirnoff (645%). The production of aggregate increased by 88%, chicken slaughters (78%) and cinnamon production (69%). For services, data traffic downloads increased by 105% and mobile accounts by 16%. Decreases were recorded in the production of broiler chicks (-47%), animal feed (-24%), canned tuna (-17%).

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1. SUMMARY

This bulletin presents a set of production figures for some of the most important manufactured items and services produced. Table 1 compares production between quarter 2 of 2015 and that of the same period of 2014, whereas Tables 2 to 6 give annual figures for the years 2011-2014 and quarterly figures for 2013-2015. Graphical representations of selected products are also shown in Charts 1 to 9.

2. HIGHLIGHTS (2015 Q2 / 2014 Q2)

(a) Production of Goods

Comparing 2015 Q2 to 2014 Q2, an increase was recorded in the production of spirits (14%) and soft drinks (11%). Beer & stout recorded the highest increase of (1086%) followed by smirnoff (645%). An augmentation was also recorded in the production of cinnamon (69%) and smoked fish (27%).

However, there was a drop in the production of green leaf tea (-19%), canned tuna (-17%), cigarettes (-10%) and blocks (-14%).

The biggest decrease was recorded in the production of ice cream (-60%) followed by broiler chicks (-47%).

Fish catch also dropped (-2%) in 2015 Q2 compared to 2014 Q2.

(b) Production of Services

There was an increase in 2015 Q2 in the production of electricity (6%), water consumption (2%), international calls (8%), data traffic downloads (105%) and mobile accounts (16%), compared to 2014 Q2.

Local calls decreased by (-2%) as did water production (-13%) compared to the same quarter in 2014.

3. SOURCES

The source of data in this publication are from the respective manufacturers and producers of the goods and services. The data is collected on a quarterly basis with monthly disaggregation.

4. NEXT RELEASE

The next issue of the Bulletin with production numbers for the third quarter of 2015 will be released on Friday 27th November.

5. CONTACT US

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Table 1: Comparison of Production in Q2 2014 and Q2 2015

Production Indicators	Unit	Quarters		% change
		2015/Q2	2014/Q2	2015 Q2/2014 Q2
Crop Production				
Copra (production)	(Tonnes)	0.0	0.0	0
Cinnamon (production)	(Tonnes)	1.4	0.8	69
Tea (green leaf)	(Tonnes)	5.5	6.7	-19
Livestock Slaughters				
Cattle	(Nos)	13	18	-28
Pigs	(Nos)	1,203	1,484	-19
Chicken	(Nos)	110,290	62,058	78
Chicken				
Layer chicks	(Nos)	22,800	18,998	20
Broiler chicks	(Nos)	48,797	92,649	-47
Eggs	(Nos)	6,920,000	6,570,000	5
Fish				
Fish catch	(Tonnes)	804	823	-2
Tuna (canned)	(Tonnes)	6,373	7,641	-17
Smoked Fish	(Kgs)	11,062	8,734	27
Beverages & Tobacco				
Beer & Stout	(KLtrs)	1,163	98	1086
Smirnoff	(KLtrs)	60	8	645
Spirits	(KLtrs)	136	119	14
Soft drinks	(KLtrs)	1,944	1,759	11
Mineral water	(KLtrs)	3,158	2,174	45
Juices	(KLtrs)	8	10	-16
Cigarettes	(Millions)	14	16	-10
Sauces & Dairy Products				
Ice Cream	(KLtrs)	26	65	-60
Sauces	(KLtrs)	68	65	6
Manufactures				
Compound Animal Feed	(Tonnes)	765	1,000	-24
Paints	(Ltrs)	105,916	98,053	8
Soap	(Kgs)	18,975	25,160	-25
Toilet paper	(Rolls)	1,307,520	907,308	44
Construction Products				
Blocks	(Nos)	933,954	829,367	13
Plastering dust	(Tonnes)	7,945	8,402	-5
Crusher dust	(Tonnes)	45,348	34,882	30
Aggregate	(Tonnes)	56,604	30,128	88
Electricity & Water				
Electricity Production	(kWh)	95	89	6
Treated water Production	(kLtrs)	3,481	4,009	-13
Treated water Consumption	(kLtrs)	2,007	1,974	2
Telecom Services				
International calls	(Hrs)	92,311	85,194	8
Local calls	(Hrs)	1,929,906	1,972,049	-2
Telephone exchange lines	(Nos)	20,875	21,499	-3
Mobile accounts	(Nos)	160,063	137,781	16
Data traffic Download	(GB)	1,155,543	562,712	105

Source: National Bureau of Statistics - (from production returns)

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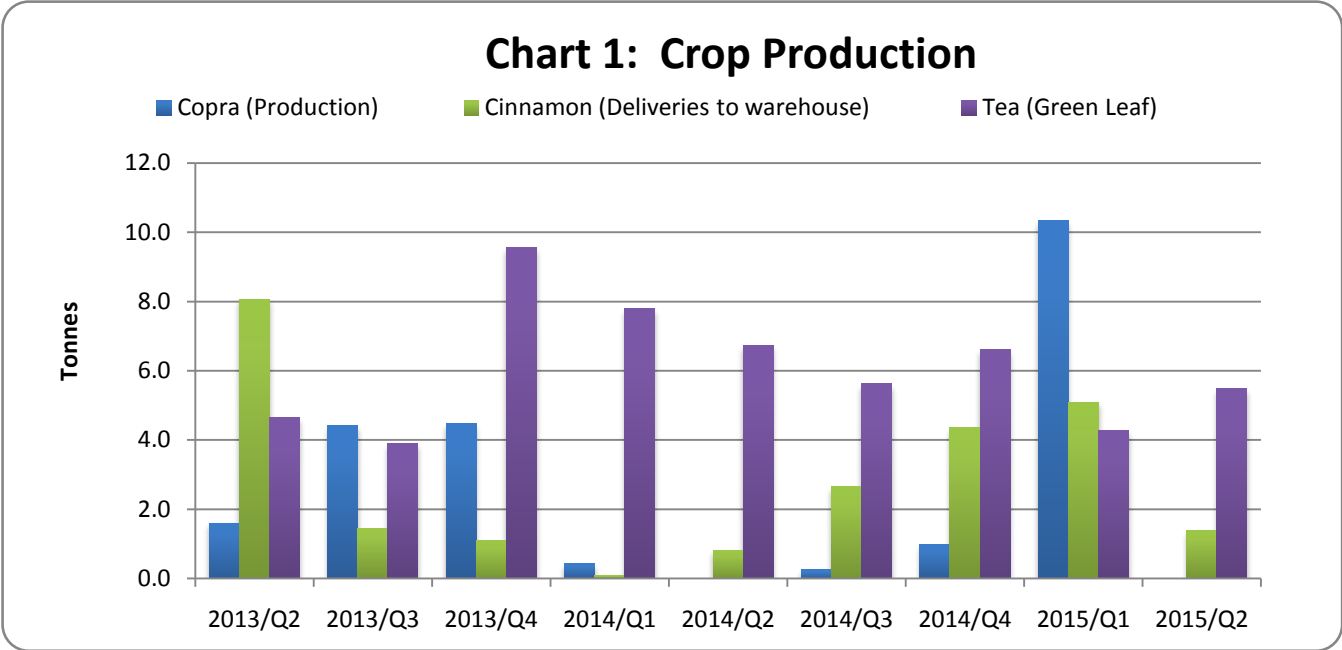
Table 2

	Quantity	Years				Quarters									
		2011	2012	2013	2014	2013/Q2	2013/Q3	2013/Q4	2014/Q1	2014/Q2	2014/Q3	2014/Q4	2015/Q1	2015/Q2	
CROP PRODUCTION															
Copra (Production)	(Tonnes)	10	13	17	2	1.6	4.4	4.5	0.4	0.0	0.3	1.0	10.3	0	
Cinnamon (Deliveries to warehouse)	(Tonnes)	39	42	14	8	8.1	1.5	1.1	0.1	0.8	2.6	4.3	5.1	1.4	
Tea (Green Leaf)	(Tonnes)	38	28	21	27	4.6	3.9	9.6	7.8	6.7	5.6	6.6	4.3	5.5	

Source: National Bureau of Statistics - (from production returns)

Notes:

Annual figures may not add up due to rounding



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Table 3

	Quantity	Years				Quarters								
		2011	2012	2013	2014	2013/Q2	2013/Q3	2013/Q4	2014/Q1	2014/Q2	2014/Q3	2014/Q4	2015/Q1	2015/Q2
LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTERS														
Cattle	(Nos)	15	25	49	68	5	16	18	18	18	14	18	17	13
Pigs	(Nos)	6,555	6,113	6,497	5,761	1,476	1,648	1,840	1,357	1,484	1,367	1,553	1,361	1,203
Chickens	(Nos)	622,303	251,915	157,393	221,821	28,183	36,325	29,395	32,582	62,058	58,124	69,057	75,608	110,290
OTHER PRODUCTION														
Eggs	(Nos)	26,557,600	23,890,000	22,190,000	25,796,778	5,880,000	5,160,000	5,260,000	6,740,000	6,560,000	5,950,000	6,546,778	7,113,835	6,923,216
Layer Chicks	(Nos)	84,761	24,460	52,399	91,118	30,235	5,100	11,339	29,945	18,998	29,250	12,925	9,150	22,800
Broiler Chicks	(Nos)	697,741	152,860	89,448	273,909	57,598	-		57,598	92,649	50,411	73,251	58,111	48,797
FISH														
Canned Tuna	(Tonnes)	30,152	31,946	36,826	32,219	8,510	9,687	7,860	9,083	7,641	8,079	7,416	10,078	6,373
Fish catch ⁽¹⁾	(Tonnes)	2,875	2,503	4,119	3,542	1,034	977	1,339	1,161	823	652	906	708	804
Smoked Fish	(Kgs)	29,398	27,688	40,854	41,013	9,307	10,905	10,726	9,707	8,734	11,995	10,578	11,509	11,062

Source: National Bureau of Statistics - (from production returns)

⁽¹⁾ These figures do not include fish landed at the Yatch Club and Marine Charter, nor do they include fish landed on Sundays and Public holidays

Chart 2: Production of Canned Tuna

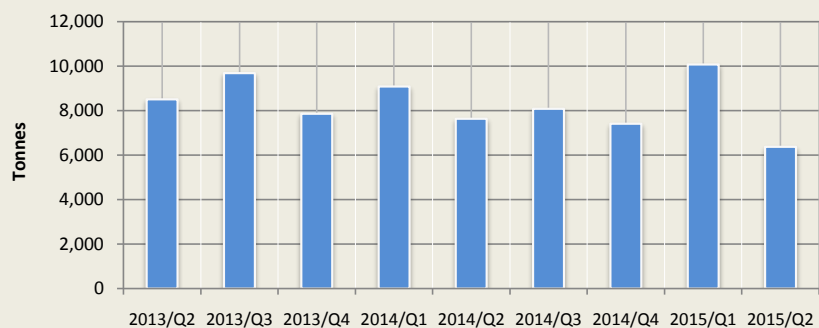
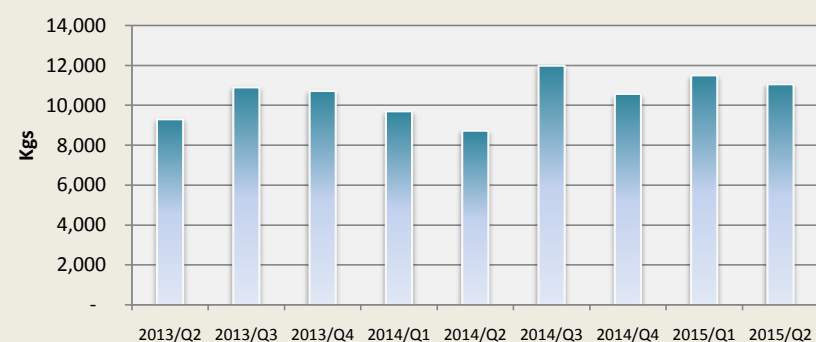


Chart 3: Production of Smoked Fish



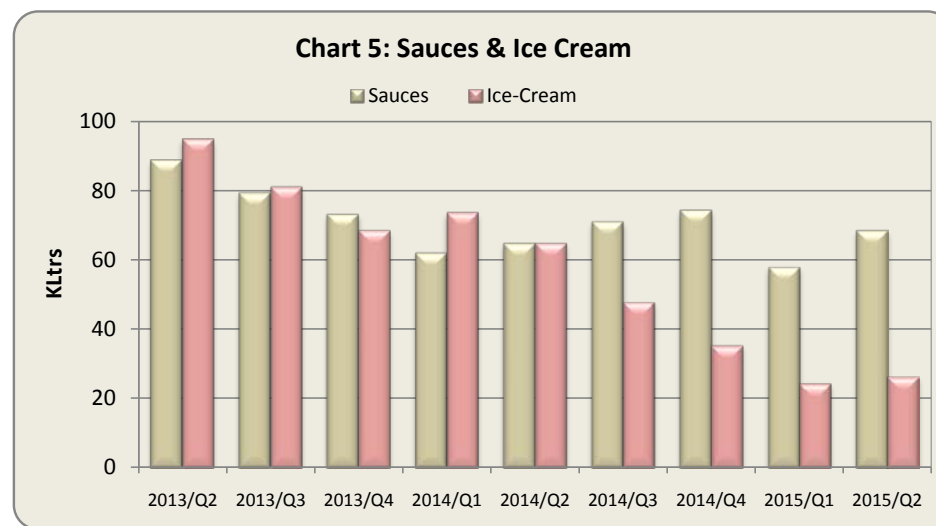
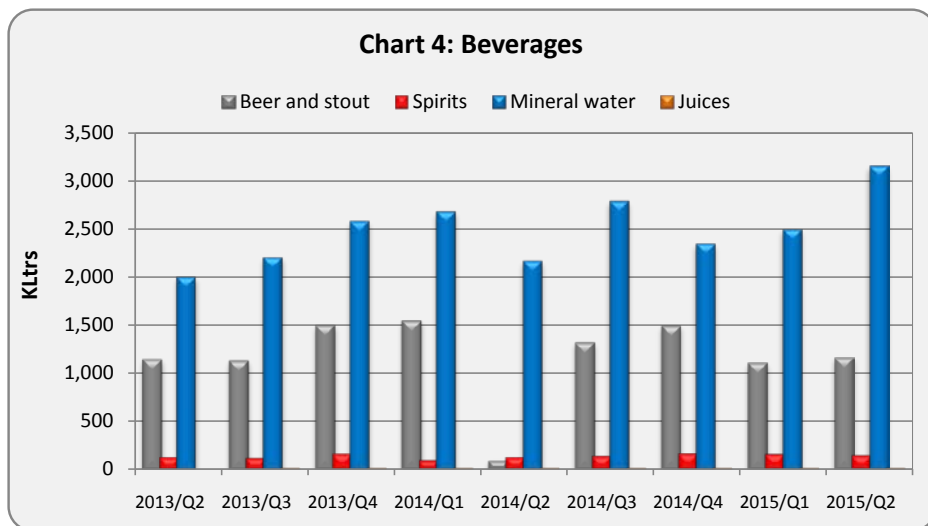
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Table 4

	Quantity	Years				Quarters								
		2011	2012	2013	2014	2013/Q2	2013/Q3	2013/Q4	2014/Q1	2014/Q2	2014/Q3	2014/Q4	2015/Q1	2015/Q2
BEVERAGES AND TOBACCO PRODUCTION														
Beer and stout	(KLtrs)	5,400	5,296	4,937	4,453	1,145	1,131	1,496	1,543	98	1,320	1,492	1,109	1,163
Smirnoff	(KLtrs)	127	262	267	187	63	48	74	94	8	43	41	61	60
Spirits ⁽¹⁾	(KLtrs)	348	363	477	496	119	113	152	92	119	130	155	149	136
Soft drinks	(KLtrs)	6,984	6,938	6,068	5,631	1,507	1,277	1,803	958	1,759	1,359	1,555	1,648	1,944
Mineral water	(KLtrs)	6,219	7,175	8,647	10,006	2,007	2,211	2,585	2,686	2,174	2,794	2,352	2,502	3,158
Juices	(KLtrs)	1,017	468	29	35	0	10	9	8	10	8	9	8	8
Cigarettes	(Million)	55	60	56	64	15	16	16	14	16	14	20	14	14
DAIRY PRODUCTS, JAM AND SAUCES														
Ice-Cream	(KLtrs)	328	330	344	222	95	81	69	74	65	48	35	24	26
Milk	(KLtrs)	108	94	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Yoghurt	(KLtrs)	30	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jam	(KLtrs)	9	12	10	7	3	3	2	3	3	1	0	0	0
Sauces	(KLtrs)	63	289	319	272	89	79	73	62	65	71	74	58	68

Source: National Bureau of Statistics - (from production returns)

⁽¹⁾ Figures for 2013 have been revised



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Table 5

	Quantity	Years				Quarters								
		2011	2012	2013	2014	2013/Q2	2013/Q3	2013/Q4	2014/Q1	2014/Q2	2014/Q3	2014/Q4	2015/Q1	2015/2
MANUFACTURES														
Compound Animal Feed ⁽¹⁾	(Tonnes)	4,088	-	1,106	3,436	278	274	553	644	1,000	858	933	1,130	765
Paints	(Litres)	362,536	386,907	434,256	458,389	104,648	112,536	128,629	84,967	98,053	129,691	145,678	110,141	105,916
Soaps	(Kgs)	69,261	56,595	59,160	114,280	18,475	10,340	9,790	26,585	25,160	53,325	9,210	8,935	18,975
Toilet Paper	(Rolls)	4,792,753	4,431,230	5,012,910	4,696,488	1,322,190	1,229,760	1,201,860	1,279,440	907,308	1,196,730	1,313,010	1,388,880	1,307,520
CONSTRUCTION PRODUCTS														
Blocks	(Nos)	4,246,782	4,057,691	3,680,164	3,470,593	873,636	1,024,267	885,076	877,577	829,367	878,209	885,440	919,300	933,954
Plastering Dust	(Tonnes)	40,579	36,460	33,910	32,804	9,469	6,630	9,250	8,727	8,402	8,444	7,231	7,869	7,945
Crusher/Concreting Dust	(Tonnes)	181,418	155,946	136,000	152,453	31,758	30,071	41,046	34,986	34,882	40,494	42,091	41,464	45,348
Aggregate	(Tonnes)	162,502	123,759	117,471	129,131	31,425	25,674	32,812	31,599	30,128	32,011	35,393	54,060	56,604
Crusher Waste	(Tonnes)	4,863	4,723	3,154	4,203	671	877	837	997	1,141	975	1,090	1,035	1,149

Source: National Bureau of Statistics - (from production returns)

⁽¹⁾ Production of Animal Feed resumed in 2013

Chart 6: Blocks

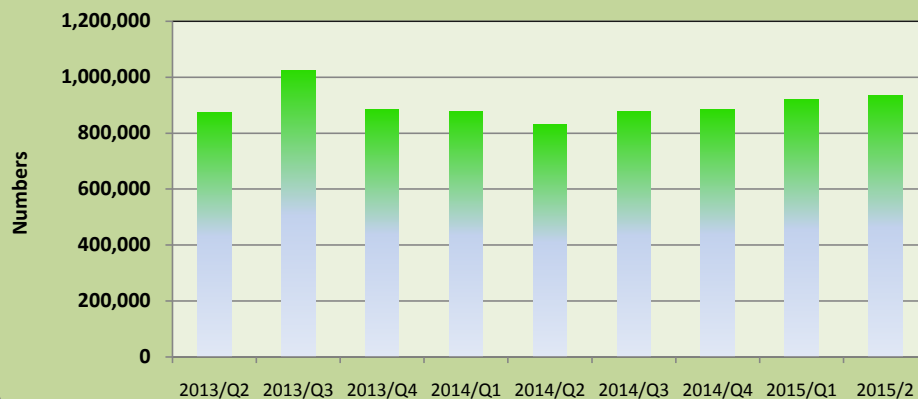
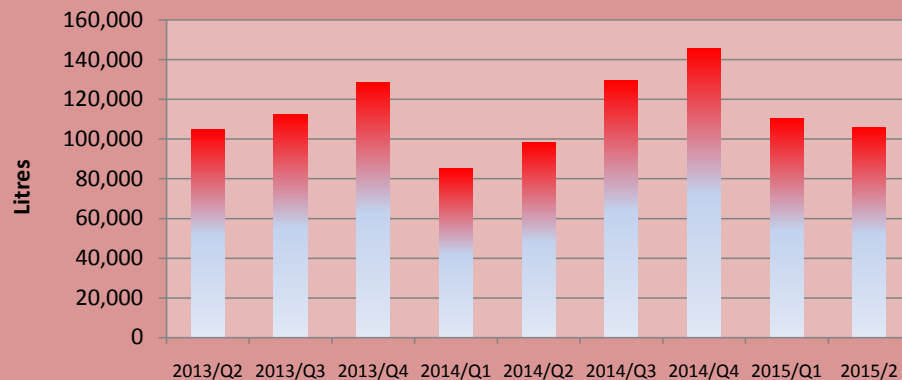


Chart 7: Paints



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Table 6

	Quantity	Years				Quarters									
		2011	2012	2013	2014	2013/Q2	2013/Q3	2013/Q4	2014/Q1	2014/Q2	2014/Q3	2014/Q4	2015/Q1	2015/Q2	
ELECTRICITY PRODUCTION ⁽¹⁾	(Million kWh)	324	336	347	355	89	83	89	88	89	86	92	91	95	
Mahe		286	297	308	314	79	73	79	77	79	77	81	80	84	
Praslin		37	40	40	41	10	10	10	10	10	10	11	11	11	
TREATED WATER CONSUMPTION ⁽¹⁾	('000 kLtrs)	6,511	6,896	7,372	8,020	1,891	1,720	1,885	1,988	1,974	2,066	1,992	2,030	2,007	
Mahe		5,555	5,960	6,354	6,900	1,630	1,479	1,626	1,699	1,695	1,788	1,718	1,749	1,732	
Praslin		707	677	705	780	176	160	181	203	193	195	189	201	193	
La Digue		250	259	314	340	84	80	78	85	86	84	85	80	81	
TREATED WATER PRODUCTION ⁽¹⁾	('000 kLtrs)	12,675	15,429	14,182	15,612	3,412	2,782	3,968	3,903	4,009	3,887	3,813	3,451	3,481	
Mahe		11,297	13,417	12,651	13,833	3,031	2,413	3,586	3,497	3,592	3,402	3,342	3,005	3,049	
Praslin		1,039	1,196	1,072	1,267	270	253	267	293	302	339	334	312	325	
La Digue		340	816	459	512	111	116	115	114	115	146	137	134	107	
TELECOM SERVICES															
International Calls	(hrs)	347,499	327,381	299,387	339,626	79,917	70,437	71,629	85,931	85,194	82,662	85,839	112,934	92,311	
Local Calls	(hrs)	4,919,496	5,161,075	5,582,091	7,707,987	1,382,565	1,359,215	1,469,938	1,709,565	1,972,049	1,984,724	2,041,648	2,048,365	1,929,906	
Telephone Exchange Lines ⁽²⁾	(Nos)	85,939	96,104	84,163	85,269	20,824	21,094	21,246	21,430	21,499	21,358	20,982	21,152	20,875	
Mobile Accounts ⁽²⁾	(Nos)	526,322	548,267	586,518	566,495	142,061	151,281	153,271	138,451	137,781	138,015	152,248	153,565	160,063	
Data Traffic Download ⁽³⁾	(GB)				2,862,771				557,333	562,712	644,756	1,097,969	1,159,301	1,155,543	

Source: National Bureau of Statistics - (from production returns)

Notes:

⁽¹⁾ Totals may not add up due to rounding

⁽²⁾ Annual figures refer to end of year period and not sum of quarterly figures

⁽³⁾ Data traffic Download is a new indicator collected starting 2014 quarter 1

⁽⁴⁾ Historical data for data traffic download will be revised in the next bulletin

