

# mozambique

## BASIC FACTS AND FIGURES

- \* Population: 15,128,848 (projection for January 1989)
- \* Head of State: Joaquim Alberto Chissano, President of the Republic
- \* Independence date: 25 June 1975
- \* Ruling Party: The Frelimo Party
- \* Surface area: 799,380 km<sup>2</sup> (coastline 2,470 km)
- \* Neighbouring countries: Tanzania, Malawi, Zambia, Zimbabwe, Swaziland, South Africa
- \* Capital: Maputo (formerly Lourenço Marques), population approximately 1,000,000
- \* Provinces: Niassa, Cabo Delgado, Nampula, Zambezia, Tete, Manica, Sofala, Gaza, Inhambane, Maputo
- \* Official language: Portuguese
- \* National currency: Metical (plural Meticais); official exchange rate February 1989: US\$ 1 = 663 Meticais
- \* Main imports: Petroleum products, agricultural and industrial semi-finished products, spare parts, textiles, consumer goods
- \* Main exports: Prawns, cashew nuts, cotton, tea, copra, citrus, textiles, tyres, coal, timber
- \* GDP (per capita): US\$ 73 (estimate 1987, National Planning Commission, Maputo)
- \* Population growth rate: 2.6%
- \* Population distribution: 13% urban/87% rural
- \* Literacy rate: 30% (1986)

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## THE GOVERNMENT OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF MOZAMBIQUE

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JOAQUIM ALBERTO CHISSANO

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Minister of Security

Minister of Cooperation

Minister of Foreign Affairs

Minister of Presidency

Minister of State Administration

Minister of Industry and Energy

Minister of Finance

Minister of Justice

Minister of Information

Minister of Home Affairs

Minister of Mineral Resources

Minister of Culture

Minister of Labour

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Minister of Agriculture

Minister of Health

Minister of Trade

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Communications

Deputy Minister of Transport and  
Communications

Deputy Minister of Education

Deputy Minister of Home Affairs

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### PROVINCIAL GOVERNORS

President of Maputo City Council  
(status of governor)

Sofala

Tete

Niassa

Cabo Delgado

Zambézia

Maputo

Gaza

Inhambane

Manica

Nampula

JOÃO BAPTISTA COSME

FRANCISCO DE ASSIS MASQUIL

CADMIEL FILIANO MUTHEMBA

JÚLIO ALMOÇO N'CHOLA

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RAIMUNDO MANUEL BILA

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FRANCISCO JOÃO PATEGUANA

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SECRETARIES OF STATE

Fisheries  
Irrigation and Drainage  
Civil Aviation  
Defence (War Veterans)  
Physical Education and Sports  
Cotton  
Technical Education  
Cashew  
Foreign Affairs

JOAQUIM JOSÉ TENREIRO DE ALMEIDA  
RUI FERNANDO MAYOR GONZALEZ  
ÂNGELO AZARIAS CHICHAVA  
Lt.-General OSWALDO ASSAHEL TAZAMA  
JOSÉ JÚLIO DE ANDRADE  
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MARIA DOS ANJOS ROSÁRIO  
JULIANO MARIA SARANGA  
ANTÓNIO FERNANDO MATERULA

MAPUTO, 27 March 1990

TABLE 1

COMPOSITION OF THE TOTAL POPULATION, BY SEX AND AGE GROUP  
ESTIMATED POPULATION - 1 August 1987 ( 1000 inhabitants )

SEX		TOTAL	0-4	5-9	10-14	15-29	30-59	60 and ov	
COUNTRY TOTAL		MF	14548.4	2590.3	2330.6	1831.2	3478.4	3516.9	801.0
		M	7095.4	1271.1	1153.0	982.9	1635.0	1665.8	387.6
		F	7453.0	1319.2	1177.6	848.3	1843.4	1851.1	413.4
			1 August	Total		1 August	Total		
			1950	6465.5		1980	12130.0(a)		
			1955	6953.7		1985	13809.7(b)		
			1960	7595.3		1986	14174.3(b)		
			1965	8406.8		1987	14548.4(b)		
			1970	9407.7		1988	14926.7(b)		
			1975	10627.2					

Population density 18.2 inhabitants per Km<sup>2</sup> in 1980 (a)

Source: GOM - CNP - Informacao Estatistica 1987, 1986, 1975-1984

(a) population census

(b) estimated population

TABLE 2

MOZAMBICAN WORKING IN SOUTH AFRICAN MINES

YEAR	NUMBER
1970	113,293
1975	118,030
1977	41,364
1980	45,824
1981	41,288
1982	45,491
1983	39,731
1984	51,510
1985	55,687
1986	58,771
1987	50,289

Source: GOM - Ministry of Labour  
- Department of Migrant Labour

TABLE 3

EXCHANGE RATES

1 US\$ versus MT	
1973	24.56 escudos
1974	25.52 escudos
1975	27.24 escudos
1976	31.41 escudos
1977	32.22 escudos
1978	32.88 escudos
1979	32.71 escudos
1980	32.40 meticaís (a)
1981	35.35 meticaís
1982	37.77 meticaís
1983	40.18 meticaís
1984	42.44 meticaís
1985	43.18 meticaís
1986	40.42 meticaís
1987	289.44 meticaís
1988 JAN	620.00 meticaís
MARCH	682.00 meticaís

Source: Bank of Mozambique

(a) The escudo was replaced in  
16.6.80 by the Metical at par (1=1)



TABLE 4-  
GDP - Gross Domestic Product at constant 1970 prices  
(10<sup>9</sup> escudos)\*\*

	1970	1973	1975	Variation 73-70	% 75-73
Agriculture, silviculture, livestock and fisheries	5.8	6.3	5.6	+ 8.6%	- 11.1%
Industry (extractive, manufacturing, construction, electricity)	5.6	7.4	4.6	+ 2.1%	- 37.8%
Services (trade, transport and insurance)	13.1	12.7	9.1	- 3.1%	- 28.3%
Others (housing, public administration and other services)	6.2	6.4	6.5	+ 3.2%	+ 1.6%
GDP - TOTAL	30.7	32.8	25.8	+ 6.8%	- 21.3%

(10<sup>6</sup> USD)\*\*

	1970	1973	1975	Variacoes 73-70	% 75-73
Agriculture, silviculture, livestock and fisheries	236.2	256.5	228.0	+ 8,6%	- 11,1%
Industry (extractive, manufacturing, construction, electricity)	228,0	301.3	187.3	+32,1%	- 37,8%
Services (trade, transport and insurance and other services)	533.4	517.1	370.5	- 3,1%	- 28,3%
Others (housing, public administration and other services)	252.4	260.6	264.7	+ 3,2%	+ 1,6%
GDP - TOTAL	1250.0	1335.5	1050.5	+ 6,8%	- 21,3%

Source: Estimate prepared by a team headed by Professor F.P. Moura of the Lisbon Technical University

\* the escudo was replaced on 16.6.80 by the metical at par (1=1)  
\*\* exchange rate used US\$=24.56 escudos (1973)

TABLE 6

GLOBAL SOCIAL PRODUCT - constant 1985 prices

	Billion Meticals			Variation %	
	1985	1986	1987	86-85	87-86
	Agriculture	70.7	70.3	75.3	- 0.6
Industry and fisheries	19.4	18.6	19.8	- 4.3	6.7
Construction	6.2	9	7.5	44.8	-16.0
Transport and Communications	11.5	12.2	11.9	6.3	- 2.2
Commerce and others	23.8	23.6	24.5	- 0.7	3.5
GSP TOTAL	131.6	133.6	139,0	1.6	4.0

TABLE 5

GLOBAL SOCIAL PRODUCT - CONSTANT 1980 PRICES (a)

	Billion Meticals											Variation %				
	1973	1974	1975	1977	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	75-73	77-75	81-77	83-81	86-81
	Agriculture	36.9	32	24.8	30.6	30.8	31.1	30.8	24	24.4	24.6	25.0	-32.8	+17.2	+ 1.6	-22.8
Industry and Fisheries	42.1	34.6	28	27.8	32.6	33.6	29	23.2	18.3	14.9	14.8	-33.5	+ 5.3	+20.8	-30.9	-55.9
Construction	14.5	8	4	3.6	4.8	4.7	4.9	5	4.5	4.3	6.2	-72.4	-10.0	+30.6	+ 6.4	+31.9
Transport and Communications	12.2	11	9.1	7.8	8.1	9	8.3	6.6	5.1	4.5	4.6	-25.4	-14.3	+15.3	-26.6	-45.9
Commerce and others	6.2	5.9	5.5	5.2	5.9	5.8	5.8	5.5	5.9	5.5	5.6	-11.3	- 5.5	+11.5	- 5.2	- 3.4
GSP TOTAL	111.9	91.5	71.4	75.0	82.1	84.1	78.8	64.4	58.2	53.9	56.2	-36.2	+ 5.0	+12.1	-23.4	-33.2

Source: GOM - CNP - Informacao Estatistica 1975-1984, 1986, 1987

(a) The concept of the GSP - Global Social Product is defined as the sum of gross production of the productive sectors, excluding services. The GDP is calculated on the basis of factors of production.

TABLE 7

## Summary Trends in National Accounts

	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987
National accounts						
Global social product at 1980 prices	-6.3	-18.3	-9.6	-7.4	1.6	3.6
GDP at constant 1980 prices (*)	-3.5	-12.8	1.6	-9.4	0.6	4.0
GDP at current market prices (*)	15.0	-0.9	17.2	36.1	13.9	158.6
Gross fixed investment at 1980 prices	-4.5	-50.3	17.8	-16.3	51.4	16.0
Total consumption	-0.5	-5.4	-0.3	-10.9	-1.1	2.9

Source: CNP - National Directorate of Statistics.

(\*) GDP data are based on expenditure accounts. There are no official data on sectoral value added.

TABLE 8

## Trends in the Balance of Payments of the Colony of Mozambique

Million escudos (a)

Year	OUTSIDE THE ESCUDO ZONE (b)				ESCUDO ZONE (b)			
	Overall Balance	Goods	Invisibles	Capital	Overall Balance	Goods	Invisibles	Capital
1965	+ 1240	- 1032	+ 2410	- 138	- 1458	- 210	- 994	- 254
1966	+ 1007	- 1477	+ 2534	- 50	- 1406	- 299	- 957	- 150
1967	+ 981	- 1781	+ 2850	- 88	- 1314	- 173	- 890	- 251
1968	+ 922	- 1777	+ 3155	- 456	- 1240	- 124	- 871	- 245
1969	+ 64	- 2675	+ 2963	- 224	- 1343	- 413	- 992	+ 62
1970	+ 92	- 3336	+ 3535	- 107	- 1662	- 624	- 894	- 144
1971	+ 598	- 3339	+ 3646	+ 291	- 1038	- 462	- 545	- 31
1972	+ 1243	- 2743	+ 3960	+ 26	- 1071	- 497	- 525	- 49
1973	+ 75	- 2917	+ 3501	- 509	- 292	+ 93	- 503	+ 118

Source: DSPIE - IV Plano de Fomento 1971  
- Relatorio do III Plano de Fomento 1974

(a) 1 US\$ = 25.0 escudos at the average 1974 exchange rate. The Mozambican escudo was replaced on 16.6.80 by the metical the Mozambican currency, at par (1=1)

(b) The "Escudo Zone" included Portugal, and all Portuguese colonies Cabe Verde, Guine-Bissau, Sao Tome e Principe, Angola, Mozambique, Timor and Macau. "Outside the Escudo Zone" refers to other countries.

TABLE 9

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS 1980-1990  
(in millions of dollars)

	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988(a)	1989(b)
<b>CURRENT ACCOUNT AND AMORTIZATION</b>	-561.4	-775.4	-906.2	-801.8	-818.0	-704.5	-966.2	-1096.4	-1139.7	-1090.6
Exports	280.8	280.0	229.2	131.6	95.7	76.6	79.0	85.7	99.9	124.9
Imports	-800.1	-801.1	-835.9	-636.4	-539.7	-423.8	-547.0	-650.0	-764.5	-800.0
Transportation receipts	92.6	82.0	83.4	66.4	34.5	39.4	45.0	57.7	64.0	81.3
Transportation payments	-25.6	-27.4	-28.3	-32.8	-24.5	-38.7	-34.0	-43.9	-48.3	-53.1
Investment services	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	-61.7	-50.6	-44.8
Other non-factor services, net	7.8	0.3	-3.2	2.1	7.4	7.9	8.0	1.9	0.5	-1.0
Interest due	-6.1	-35.9	-60.3	-88.2	-80.9	-103.2	-177.0	-174.9	-177.2	-212.9
Remittances received	53.4	64.5	61.7	71.9	53.0	40.8	50.0	43.0	43.0	43.0
Remittances paid out	-25.3	-29.4	-23.5	-19.9	-25.7	-25.0	-23.0	-25.2	-27.8	-30.6
Loan repayments due	-138.9	-309.2	-329.3	-296.5	-337.8	-278.5	-367.2	-329.0	-278.7	-197.4
<b>LOANS AND GRANTS</b>	559.1	775.7	804.1	428.9	432.5	367.8	497.0	692.9	692.9	692.9
Grant disbursements	56.0	57.5	79.5	89.6	167.7	139.0	213.0	334.6	-	-
Loan disbursements	503.1	718.2	724.6	339.3	264.8	228.8	284.0	358.3	-	-
G/L disbursements from exist. coms.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	183.2	155.9
G/L disbursements anticipated from further normal commitments	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	509.7	537.0
<b>FINANCING</b>	32.4	66.5	142.9	328.7	362.2	375.6	542.2	403.5	446.8	397.7
Arrears	-	-	-	285.3	205.6	152.7	536.2	-	-	-
Debt relief	-	-	-	-	213.1	193.0	-	407.8	333.9	264.1
Short-term capital	-	-	-	-	-	10.0	-	-	-	-
IMF (net inflow)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.5	9.8	9.8
Change in reserves (+=decrease)	32.4	68.7	148.5	148.5	-54.2	16.9	6.0	-18.7	-22.8	-17.7
Bilateral agreements	-	-2.2	-5.6	-3.4	-2.3	3.0	-	-	-	-
Additional financing requirements	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	125.9	141.5
<b>ERRORS AND OMISSIONS</b>	-30.1	-66.8	-40.8	44.2	23.3	-38.9	-73.0	-	-	-
SOME PERCENTAGE COMPARISONS										
Exports as percent of:										
Imports	35.1	35.1	27.4	20.7	17.7	18.1	14.4	13.2	13.1	15.6
Total debt service	193.7	81.4	58.8	34.2	22.9	20.1	14.5	17.0	21.9	30.4

Source: GOM - Strategy and Program for Economic Rehabilitation 1987-1990

CNP - Informacao Estatistica 1987, 1986, 1975-1984

(a) estimated

(b) projections



TABLE 10

## Exports and Imports, 1975 - 1989 (a)

	1965	1968	1970	1973	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989(b)
Exports in US\$ million	126.4	179.9	183.1	225.6	185.4	144.6	152.8	162.7	254.1	280.8	280.0	229.2	131.6	95.7	76.6	79.0	97.0(c)	99.9(d)	124.9
Cashew	20.0	28.4	16.4	8.4	28.6	33.4	45.5	43.7	44.2	64.9	53.5	43.6	16.1	15.3	11.6	15.9	30.2	25.7	51.7
Prawns	5.4	n.a	n.a	5.4	10.1	11.9	11.4	16.2	23.0	31.8	52.4	38.5	31.2	28.3	33.4	38.2	38.4	43.0	32.9
Sugar	11.9	18.6	23.5	23.9	21.1	17.1	8.1	5.5	29.1	24.6	25.1	8.8	8.6	5.7	6.8	8.1	-	-	-
Tea	8.3	12.1	9.5	9.4	6.3	6.4	12.7	12.4	20.8	29.0	14.2	25.7	14.7	10.8	2.4	1.3	0.4	-	7.7
Cotton	22.5	25.7	30.1	47.7	16.1	17.1	8.9	13.2	23.2	8.2	24.1	17.3	17.0	8.0	5.3	0.5	n.a	n.a	n.a
Other	63.7	95.1	103.6	130.8	78.7	58.7	66.2	71.8	158.0	122.3	110.7	105.3	44.0	27.6	17.1	15.0	28.0	30.2	32.6
Exports as percent of imports	62.3	65.5	48.0	48.5	47.0	50.2	45.5	31.1	44.7	35.1	35.1	27.4	20.7	17.7	18.1	14.4	13.2	13.1	15.7
Imports in US\$ million	202.9	274.4	381.2	464.9	394.5	288.3	335.9	523.1	567.9	800.1	801.1	835.9	636.4	539.7	423.7	547.0(d)	650.0(d)	764.5(d)	800.0
Consumer goods	71.7	90.6	97.7	98.7	114.8	77.3	81.9	149.3	146.7	203.4	178.3	168.4	177.6	182.0	166.0	193.4	179.8	185.3	188.2
Energy and oil	17.9	26.2	30.0	34.0	58.2	53.7	53.9	86.4	136.7	220.2	172.3	220.8	105.7	109.3	74.8	62.1	47.1	79.3	101.1
Raw materials	34.9	45.5	69.7	100.9	105.4	77.5	102.0	128.2	108.1	167.3	194.8	157.6	125.9	83.9	87.5	89.1	140.0	166.0	201.6
Spare parts (e)	-	-	-	-	50.1	40.5	49.7	60.1	50.0	56.7	104.4	107.5	105.5	71.0	46.8	71.3	60.1	81.7	85.8
Investment goods (f)	53.2	75.3	132.9	148.7	66.0	39.3	48.4	99.1	126.4	152.5	151.3	181.6	121.7	93.5	48.7	126.7	198.0	239.7	223.3
Other	25.2	36.8	50.9	82.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.4	25.0	-	-	-

(a) exchange rate for the period 1965-1973 is 1 US\$=24.56 escudos (1973)

(b) forecast

(c) adjusted

(d) estimated

(e) in the period 1965 to 1973 spare parts, are included in the investments goods

(f) up to 1987, the data include only equipment. In 1988-90, equipment as well as other goods associated with investments are included.

The figures do not include services associated with investments.

Source: Associacao Industrial de Mocambique 1965-1973 - Analise do Comercio Especial de Mocambique 1950-70 - Vol I

DSE - Anuario Estatistico, 1965-1973

RPM - Strategy and Program for Economic Rehabilitation 1987-1990

CNP - Informacao Estatistica 1987, 1986, 1975-1984



TABLE 11

## Evolution of Oil Prices

	1973	1975	1981	1982
1. Market price				
- crude .....US\$/ton	26	91	292	273
- diesel .....US\$/ton	55	114	332	321
Million Meticaís				
2. Crude imports	719.3	1585.0	5906.0	8043.9
3. Total imports	11415.3	10745.6	28317.6	31573.7
4. Total exports	5540.6	5050.4	9926.0	8655.3
. Ratios				
2:3	6.3%	14.8%	20.9%	25.5%
2:4	12.9%	31.4%	59.5%	92.9%

Source: CNP - Informacao Estatistica 1975-1884  
CNP - Informacao Economica 1984

TABLE 12

## FREIGHT TRANSPORT

	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987
Rail Freight (1000 ton)	13390.2	10265.2	8125.7	8649.9	8879.6	7546.9	7766.7	6742.2	4366.2	3698.6	2899.5	2949.3	2877.1
Domestic	2174.1	2402.1	2197.1	1977.7	2078.4	1992.6	2408.6	2071.1	1266.2	1243.5	681.3	649.1	993.2
International	11216.1	7863.1	5928.6	6672.2	6801.2	5554.3	5358.1	4671.1	3100.0	2455.1	2218.2	2300.2	1883.9
(Million ton-km)	2411.8	1489.8	1347.0	1134.1	1219.5	1264.3	1583.0	1260.9	767.0	536.3	289.6	301.5	307.3
Domestic	508.0	566.7	626.2	358.3	392.3	401.4	520.5	387.0	177.8	158.1	48.5	39.5	58.4
International	1903.8	923.0	720.8	775.8	827.2	862.9	1062.5	873.9	589.2	378.2	241.1	262.0	248.9
Port handling (1000 ton/port)	14875.4	11891.3	10649.9	10142.9	10938.6	9914.7	9031.3	8992.9	6556.0	5178.2	4537.4	4249.0	5140.4
Domestic	1025.4	1009.4	1227.5	1908.3	1242.4	1538.1	1303.7	1408.0	1268.0	904.1	554.1	631.9	943.7
International	13850.0	10881.9	9422.4	8234.6	9696.2	8376.6	7727.6	7584.9	5288.0	4274.1	3983.3	3617.1	4196.7

Source: CNP - Informacao Estatistica 1975-1984, 1986, 1987

TABLE 13

## South African imports and exports through the port of Maputo

YEAR	Traffic 1,000 tonnes	%	YEAR	Traffic 1,000 tonnes	%	YEAR	Traffic 1,000 tonnes	%
1973	6 823.5	100.0	1979	4 155.2	60.9	1985	587.7	8.6
1974	5 665.1	83.0	1980	3 428.0	50.2	1986	619.0	9.1
1975	5 638.5	82.6	1981	3 023.9	44.3	1987	474.7	7.0
1976	4 974.4	72.9	1982	2 216.9	32.5	1988	446.2	6.5
1977	4 248.2	62.3	1983	1 100.0	16.1			
1978	4 064.8	59.6	1984	785.5	11.5			

Source: GOM - Ministry of Transport and Communications.

TABLE 14

Types of cargo to and from South Africa handled in Maputo port

	(1,000 tonnes)					
	1980	1981	1982	1984	1986	1988
<b>High tariff cargo</b>						
Steel	107	18	0	-	-	-
Alloys	289	415	63	4	-	17
Asbestos	52	32	50	22	7	12
Chrome	980	787	450	32	-	-
Copper/nickel	115	12	3	-	7	4
CKD's	254	52	0	-	-	-
<b>Low tariff cargo</b>						
Coal	435	614	727	396	469	252
Sulphur	243	256	225	140	-	-

Source: GOM - Ministry of Transport and Communications.

TABLE 16

ILLITERACY RATE  
(Population over 7 years of age)

1975 -	93%
1980 -	72%
1986 -	70%
1988 -	62% *

Source: GOM - Ministry of Education  
CNP - Informacao Estatistica 1987

\* estimated by the Ministry of Education and UNICEF

TABLE 15

Educational levels and percentages in relation to  
the school-age population - 1970

	AFRICANS		NON-AFRICANS	
	No.	%(a)	No.	%(a)
4th class	50000	0.77	55800	30.0
5th and 6th classes	2000	0.03	558	0.9
7th to 11th classes	500	0.01	18600	10.0
Professional course	1350	0.02	13020	7.0
Teacher training	1025	0.02	1488	0.8
Religious training	100	0.00	588	0.3
Higher education	10	0.00	3720	2.0
TOTAL	54985	0.85	93774	51.0

Source: DSPIE, IV Plano de Fomento, 1971 - Diagnostico da Situacao  
Economica e Social

(a) Percentage of the school-age population

TABLE 17

STUDENTS ENROLLED

Year	Primary	General Secondary	Basic Technical	Secondary Technical	Higher
1975	671617	26354	7137	779	2433
1976	1276500	37255	s.i	s.i.	877
1977	1363000	47877	6447	s.i.	777
1978	1426282	67416	7065	s.i.	750
1979	1494729	92815	8975	560(a)	804
1980	1387192	90041	9897	1047	836
1981	1376865	89835	10327	1268	1104
1982	1333050	94411	10015	1401	1112
1983	1220139	106975	10151	1657	1106
1984	1303650	123398	9723	1598	1151
1985	1422297	23785	9334	1562	1442
1986	1419530	26067	8439	1302	1630
1987	1362838	27445	7590	1293	1862

Source: GOM - Ministry of Education  
- Eduardo Mondlane University(a) . No data for the Chimoio Agricultural Institute  
. Day classes only

TABLE 18

## STUDENT PASSES

Year	Primary School	General Secondary School	Basic Technical School	Secondary Technical School	Higher Education
1975	19660	4395	-	-	56
1976	25269	6524	-	-	41
1977	39536	11106	-	-	116
1978	62774	10341	1166	-	113
1979	74029	12555	755(a)	64	100
1980	82689	19217	1552	158	115
1981	83393	18346	1971	308	133
1982	58814	16147	1967	365	116
1983	65225	16172	1748	443	67
1984	72743	22372	1511	318	54
1985	90153	22067	923	222	121

Source: GOM - Ministry of Education  
- Eduardo Mondlane University

(a) Does not include the Maputo Industrial Institute

TABLE 19

## NUMBERS OF SCHOOLS

Year	Primary	General Secondary	Pre-university	Elementary Technical	Basic Technical	Secondary Technical	Higher Education
1975	5235	38	0	10	13	3	1
1976	5853	94	1	10	13	3	1
1977	7076	94	1	18	13	3	1
1978	7104	88	1	18	13	3	1
1979	7170	97	1	16	18	3	1
1980	5730	120	1	13	19	3	1
1981	5709	122	0	12	23	3	1
1982	5722	137	0	11	23	3	1
1983	5886	135	0	10	23	4	1
1984	4990	146	0	(a)9	(a)23	(a)4	1
1985	4805	46	0	10	24	4	1
1986	4591	44	0	5	25	4	3
1987(b)	4981	44	0	2	24	4	3

Source: GOM - Ministry of Education

(a) Day classes only

(b) Provisional information

TABLE 20

## NUMBERS OF TEACHERS

Year	Primary	Elementary Technical	Basic Technical	Secondary Technical	Higher Education
1975	10281	s.i.	s.i.	s.i.	s.i.
1976	15000	s.i.	s.i.	s.i.	210
1977	16142	167	436	s.i.	210
1978	16308	186	447	s.i.	214
1979	16810	174	499	(a)31	214
1980	17030	152	528	64	244
1981	18751	158	641	108	308
1982	20584	140	663	109	308
1983	20769	138	635	(b)109	352
1984	21045	(c)112	(c)701	(c)136	351
1985	22697	79	728	154	323
1986	23202	49	667	149	348
1987	23045	23	691	138	354

Source: GOM - Ministry of Education  
- Eduardo Mondlane University

(a) Includes non-advanced courses

(b) Day classes only

(c) Chimoio Agricultural Institute not included

TABLE 21  
FUNCTIONING HEALTH UNITS \*

LEVEL	TYPE	1975	1977	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987
I	Health Post	326	455	628	629	788	948	1122	1158	1195	1015	908
I	Health Centre	120	253	265	285	251	223	220	213	221	211	210
II	Rural General Hospital	100	25	26	26	26	26	26	27	26	26	26
III	Provincial Hospital	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7
IV	Central Hospital	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
IV	Psychiatric Hospital	3	4	4	4	3	3	2	2	2	2	2

\* - includes new and reconstructed units; excludes units destroyed

Source: GOM - Ministry of Health

CNP - Informacao Estatistica 1975-1984

CNP - Informacao Estatistica 1976

CNP - Informacao Estatistica 1977

TABLE 22  
HEALTH PERSONNEL

Professional grade	1975	1977	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987
Doctors	171	284	314	323	365	385	370	344	313	302	327
Medical technicians										433	441
Nurses (a)	n.d.	1960	2387	2156	2134	2134	2273	2313	2535	2623	2871
Midwives and MCH Nurses	n.d.	430	451	457	490	507	693	732	866	985	1112
Preventive Medicine staff	n.d.	420	444	521	494	502	487	386	404	382	421
Dental staff	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	125	138
Pharmaceutical staff	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	291	301
Laboratory staff	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	369	429
Radiology staff	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	117	116
Social Welfare staff	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	346	346
Other Senior staff	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	35	19
Other Intermediate staff	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	306	616

Source: GOM - Ministry of Health

(a) Includes elementary nurses