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# **Foreword**

As of 10 October 2010, Statistics
Netherlands is responsible for the
production and publication of statistics
for the Caribbean Netherlands: Bonaire,
St Eustatius and Saba. This booklet
presents figures on some important
aspects of society in the Caribbean
Netherlands. It gives a brief impression
of areas such as population, education,
crime and prices in the region. For more
statistics on the Caribbean Netherlands,
visit our website: www.cbs.nl.

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# **Erratum**

Date: 15 November 2013

# The Caribbean Netherlands in figures 2012

In spite of the care we have taken in compiling this book, we have discovered an error. We apologise for any inconvenience this may have caused.

The title of table 1.2 (page 7) and figure 1.3 (page 8) should read "Crime, number of registered suspects, Bonaire".

The title of table 2.2 (page 23) and figure 2.3 (page 24) should read "Crime, number of registered suspects, St Eustatius".

The title of table 3.2 (page 37) and figure 3.3 (page 38) should read "Crime, number of registered suspects, Saba".

In addition, in these tables and figures, "murder/manslaughter" should read "murder/manslaughter and attempted murder/manslaughter".



# 1. Bonaire

Capital: Kralendijk

# Area and climate

#### 1.1 Area and climate, Bonaire

Unit	2011	2012
km²		288
	7	
mm	852.7	
	60.2	•
°C	28	28.1
hrs %	8.5 <sup>1)</sup> 77.4	8.8 <sup>1)</sup> 75.5
	km² mm °C	km² 7 mm 852.7  °C 28  hrs 8.5¹¹

Source: Meteorological Department Curação.

# Crime

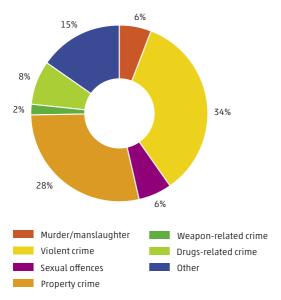
# 1.2 Crime categories, Bonaire

2010	2011	2012
11	14	20
59	119	114
8	23	21
144	97	94
1	6	7
40	27	27
17	41	51
	11 59 8 144 1 40	11 14 59 119 8 23 144 97 1 6 40 27

Source: Public Prosecutor's office Bonaire, St Eustatius and Saba.

<sup>1)</sup> Measured on Curação.

### 1.3 Crime, Bonaire, 2012



Source: Public Prosecutor's office Bonaire, St Eustatius and Saba.



# **Education**

# Pupils in government-funded schools, Bonaire, 1 October

	2010/'11	2011/'12	2012/'13
Primary education Secondary education	1,597 1,078	1,650 1,039	1,632 1,102
Senior secondary vocational education Total	216 2,891	340 3,029	388 3,122

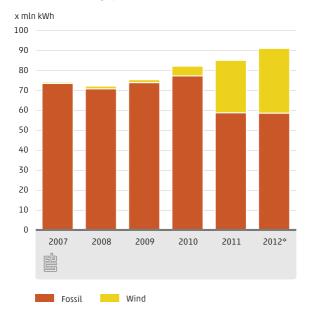
# 1.5 Government-funded schools, Bonaire, 2012

	2012
Primary education	7
Secondary education including senior secondary vocational education	1

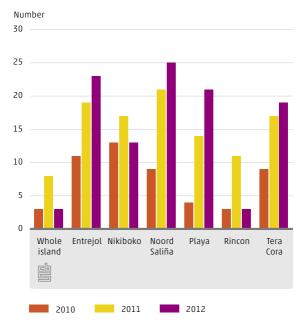
Source: OCW unit Bonaire.

# **Energy**

# 1.6 Electricity production, Bonaire

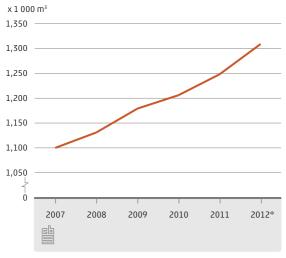


# 1.7 Power cuts per district, Bonaire1)



1) As one power cut may affect several districts, the numbers cannot be added to a total.

## 1.8 Water production, Bonaire



Source: Water and Power Company of the islands.

# Establishments and enterprises

#### Registered establishments and 1.9 enterprises by economic activity, **Bonaire**

#### October 2011

	%
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	0.5
Industry (excl. construction), energy	5.6
Construction	8.1
Trade, transport, hotels, catering	30.9
Information and communication	2.9
Financial institutions	4.0
Renting, buying, selling real estate	8.7
Business services	12.7
Government and care	6.7
Culture, recreation, other services	16.5
Unknown	3.4

# 1.10 Employed population in registered establishments and enterprises economic activity, Bonaire

October 2011

	%
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	0.2
Industry (excl. construction), energy	7.4
Construction	9.9
Trade, transport, hotels, catering	32.0
Information and communication	3.0
Financial institutions	2.5
Renting, buying, selling real estate	2.2
Business services	10.4
Government and care	17.1
Culture, recreation, other services	13.2
Unknown	2.2

#### 1.11 Turnover in USD by registered establishments and enterprises, Bonaire

	2010	2011
	%	
0-10,000	22	27
10,001-25,000	12	11
25,001-50,000	7	8
50,001-100,000	7	7
100,001-250,000	6	7
250,001-500,000	5	5
500,001-1,000,000	5	4
1,000,001-2,500,000	3	3
2,500,001-5,000,000	1	2
More than 5,000,000	2	2
Unknown-not revealed	30	25

#### Labour

# 1.12 Labour force, Bonaire, 2012

	International definition (15 yrs or older)	National definition <sup>1)</sup> (15-64 yrs)
Total population	13,479	11,795
Labour force	9,383	9,120
employed labour force	8,837	8,559
unemployed labour force	546	561
Not in the labour force	4,096	2,675
	%	
Net labour participation	65.6	72.6
Unemployment rate	5.8	6.2
Youth unemployment rate (15–24 yrs)	12.0	12.2

Source: Labour Force Survey Caribbean Netherlands (CBS 2012)

# 1.13 Minimum hourly wages, Bonaire

2011	2012	2013
USD		
2.73	2.89	2.96
3.15	3.34	3.41
3.57	3.78	3.87
3.78	4.00	4.10
4.20	4.45	4.55
	2.73 3.15 3.57 3.78	USD  2.73 2.89 3.15 3.34 3.57 3.78 3.78 4.00

Source: SZW unit Bonaire.

The Dutch national definition of the labour force refers to people who work or want to work for at least 12 hours per week. The international definition of the ILO (International Labour Organisation) doesn't include this threshold of 12 hours. For the national definition it is common to present figures for the age group 15-64 years, for the international definition this is usually 15 years or older.

#### 1.14 Employment by economic activity, Bonaire, 2012

Inter-

	` •	National definition (15–64 yrs)
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	55	55
Industry (excl. construction), energy	534	534
Construction	1,364	1,330
Trade, transport, hotels, catering	2,710	2,620
Information and communication	268	268
Financial institutions	224	211
Renting, buying, selling real estate	154	154
Business services	671	570
Government and care	2,270	2,261
Culture, recreation and other services	442	425
Economic activity Unknown	145	130
Total employed labour force	8,837	8,559

Source: Labour Force Survey Caribbean Netherlands (CBS 2012).

#### 1.15 Employed labour force by number of jobs, Bonaire, 2012

	Inter- national definition (15 years or older)	National definition (15-64 years)
One job	8,443	8,186
More than one job	354	341
Unknown	41	32
Total employed labour force	8,837	8,559
	%	
One job	95.5	95.6
More than one job	4.0	4.0
Unknown	0.5	0.4

# 1.16 Gross monthly income of employed labour force in USD, Bonaire, 2012

	finition 64 yrs)
men	women
94	201
765	718
,194	987
742	602
519	395
392	284
182	156
162	105
53	81
34	68
178	71
18	Х
335	213
,667	3,892
	men 94 765 1,194 742 519 392 182 162 53 34 178 18

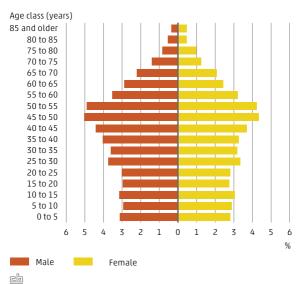
Source: Labour Force Survey Caribbean Netherlands (CBS 2012).

# **Population**

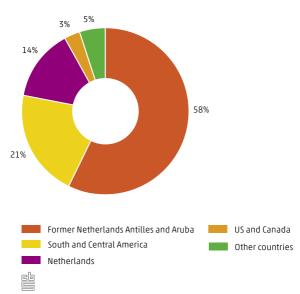
# 1.17 Population, Bonaire

-	2011	2012	2013
Total population			
(1 January)	15,823	16,541	17,408
Male	8,402	8,730	9,163
Female	7,421	7,811	8,245
Population density	55	57	60
Population growth	757	830	
Live births	181	191	
Deaths	109	70	
Registered immigration	1,533	1,532	
Registered emigration	848	823	

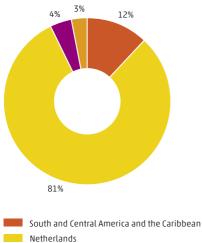
# 1.18 Age distribution, Bonaire, 2013



# Country of birth of inhabitants of Bonaire, 1 January 2013



# 1.20 First nationality of inhabitants of Bonaire, 1 January 2013



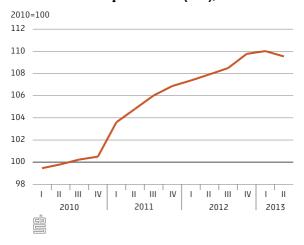


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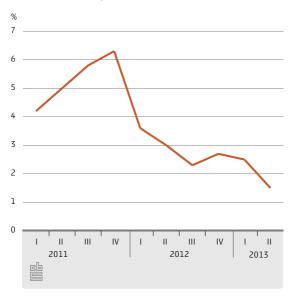
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# **Prices**

# 1.21 Consumer price index (CPI), Bonaire



# 1.22 Inflation, Bonaire



# 1.23 Inflation, Bonaire

#### Average rate

	%
2011	5.3
2012	2.9

# 1.24 CPI and inflation, Bonaire

	Consumer price index (CPI)	Year-on-year change CPI
	2010=100	%
2010               	99.46 99.81 100.24 100.50	
2011      	103.61 104.81 106.02	4.2 5.0 5.8
IV 2012 I	106.87 107.37 107.92	6.3 3.6 3.0
III IV 2013 I	108.49 109.77 110.02 109.54	2.3 2.7 2.5 1.5

# Social security

# 1.25 Social security, Bonaire

	2011	2012	2013
	USD		
State old age pension (AOV) Partner's allowance	524 359	555 380	567 389

Source: SZW unit Bonaire.

# 1.26 Income support per two weeks, Bonaire

	2011	2012	2013
	DZD		
Single	80	85	87
Allowances			
1st child	23	25	25
2nd and 3rd child	12	13	13
living independently	19	20	21
married/living together	48	51	52
disability	95	100	153

Source: SZW unit Bonaire.

# **Traffic and transport**

# 1.27 Roads, Bonaire, 2012

	Length	Area
	km	m²
Road length of which	342	1,761,000
asphalt roads	200	1,050,000
concrete roads	12	61,600
unmetalled roads (excl. kunuku roads)	130	650,000

Source: Dienst Domeinbeheer van het openbaar lichaam, Bonaire.



# 2. St Eustatius

Capital: Oranjestad

# Area and climate

#### 2.1 Area and climate, St Eustatius

	Unit	2011	2012
Area	km²		21
Precipitation  Max. monthly precipitation	mm	932	
(December)		76.9	
Average temperature  Average daily duration of	°C	26.6	
sunshine	hrs	8.01)	
Average relative humidity	%	79.4	

Source: Meteorological Department Curação.

# Crime

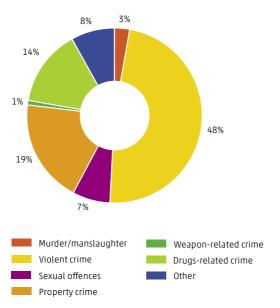
# 2.2 Crime categories, St Eustatius

2012
3
46
7
18
1
13
8

Source: Public Prosecutor's office Bonaire, St Eustatius and Saba.

<sup>1)</sup> Measured on St Maarten.

#### 2.3 Crime, St Eustatius, 2012



Source: Public Prosecutor's office Bonaire, St Eustatius and Saba.



# Education

# Pupils in government-funded schools, St Eustatius, 1 October

	2010/'11	2011/'12	2012/'13
Primary education	345	356	365
Secondary education	265	251	244
Senior secondary vocational education	-	-	31
Total	610	607	640

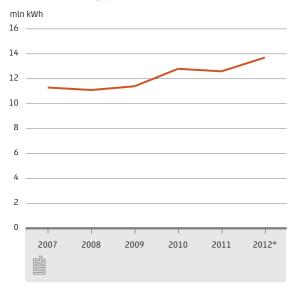
#### 2.5 Government-funded schools, St Eustatius

	2012
Primary education	4
Secondary education including senior secondary vocational education	1

Source: OCW unit Bonaire.

# Energy

# 2.6 Electricity production, St Eustatius



# Establishments and enterprises

#### Registered establishments and 2.7 enterprises by economic activity, St Eustatius

#### October 2011

	%
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	1.0
Industry (excl. construction), energy	3.0
Construction	9.0
Trade, transport, hotels, catering	33.2
Information and communication	2.0
Financial institutions	0.5
Renting, buying, selling real estate	4.5
Business services	13.1
Government and care	9.0
Culture, recreation, other services	24.6
Unkown	0.0

#### Employed population in registered 2.8 establishments and enterprises by economic activity, St Eustatius

#### October 2011

	%
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	0.2
Industry (excl. construction), energy	2.6
Construction	13.7
Trade, transport, hotels, catering	37.3
Information and communication	1.5
Financial institutions	0.3
Renting, buying, selling real estate	2.5
Business services	7.7
Government and care	17.0
Culture, recreation, other services	17.1
Unknown	0.0

# 2.9 Turnover in USD by registered establishments and enterprises, St Eustatius

	2010	2011
	%	
0-10,000	38	44
10,001-25,000	8	7
25,001-50,000	6	6
50,001-100,000	7	6
100,001-250,000	5	7
250,001-500,000	4	5
500,001-1,000,000	4	4
1,000,001-2,500,000	1	1
2,500,001-5,000,000	1	0
More than 5,000,000	2	3
Unknown-not revealed	26	20

#### Labour

#### 2.10 Labour force, St Eustatius, 2012

	International definition (15 yrs or older)	National definition <sup>1)</sup> (15–64 yrs)
Total population	3,106	2,762
Labour force	2,168	2,040
employed labour force	e 2,099	1,940
unemployed labour fo	orce 69	99
Not in the labour force	938	722
	%	
Net labour participation	1 67.6	70.3
Unemployment rate	3.2	4.9
Youth unemployment ra (15–24 yrs)	ate x	Х

The Dutch national definition of the labour force refers to people who work or want to work for at least 12 hours per week. The international definition of the ILO (International Labour Organisation) doesn't include this threshold of 12 hours. For the national definition it is common to present figures for the age group 15-64 years, for the international definition this is usually 15 years or older.

2.11 Minimum hourly wages, St Eustatius

	2011	2012	2013
	USD		
16 or 17 years	2.73	3.04	3.18
18 years	3.15	3.50	3.67
19 years	3.57	3.97	4.16
20 years	3.78	4.20	4.40
21 years or older	4.20	4.67	4.89
	16 or 17 years 18 years 19 years 20 years 21 years or older	USD       16 or 17 years     2.73       18 years     3.15       19 years     3.57       20 years     3.78	USD           16 or 17 years         2.73         3.04           18 years         3.15         3.50           19 years         3.57         3.97           20 years         3.78         4.20

Source: SZW unit Bonaire.

# 2.12 Employed labour force by number of jobs, St Eustatius, 2012

	national definition (15 yrs or older)	National definition (15-64 yrs)
One job	1,988	1,846
More than one job	103	94
Unknown	х	х
Total employed labour force	2,099	1,940
	%	
One job	94.7	95.2
More than one job	4.9	4.8
Unknown	Х	Х

# 2.13 Employment by economic activity, St Eustatius, 2012

International

	` ,	National definition (15-64 yrs)
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	26	19
Industry (excl. construction), energy	99	87
Construction	270	215
Trade, transport, hotels, catering	736	714
Information and communication	32	32
Financial institutions	29	29
Renting, buying, selling real estate	Х	Х
Business services	95	79
Government and care	643	609
Culture, recreation and other services	99	90
Unknown	61	61
Total employed labour force	2,099	1,940

# 2.14 Gross monthly income employed labour force in USD, St Eustatius, 2012

	International definition (15 years or older)		Nationa definitio (15–64 years		inition	
	total	men	women	total	men	women
0-500	89	45	43	54	30	24
501-1,001	383	166	217	357	153	204
1,000-1,500	410	222	187	381	215	166
1,501-2,000	343	247	97	325	232	93
2,001-2,500	223	139	84	215	131	84
2,501-3,000	142	73	69	142	73	69
3,001-3,500	84	55	29	84	55	29
3,501-4,000	42	22	21	42	22	21
4,001-4,500	47	26	21	43	26	17
4,501-5,000	53	38	15	53	38	15
5,001-10,000	91	76	15	91	76	15
More than 10,000	Х	Х	х	Х	Х	х
Unknown	178	125	52	146	107	39
Total employed labour force	2,099	1,249	851	1,940	1,164	776

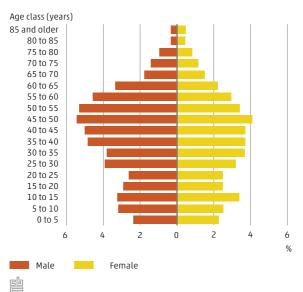
Source: Labour Force Survey Caribbean Netherlands (CBS 2012).

# **Population**

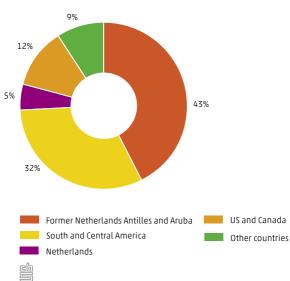
# 2.15 Population, St Eustatius

	2011	2012	2013
Total population (1 January) Male Female	3,689 2,004 1,685	3,791 2,081 1,710	3,897 2,159 1,738
Population density Population growth, 2010	176 130	181 144	186
Live births Deaths Registered immigration	33 13 297	21 12 275	
Registered emigration	187	140	

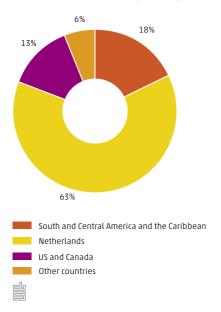
# 2.16 Age distribution St Eustatius, 2013



# 2.17 Country of birth of inhabitants of St Eustatius, 1 January 2013

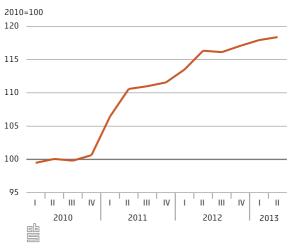


# 2.18 First nationality of inhabitants of St Eustatius, 1 January 2013

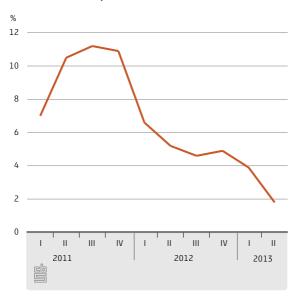


#### **Prices**

# 2.19 Consumer price index (CPI), St Eustatius



# 2.20 Inflation, St Eustatius



# 2.21 Inflation, St Eustatius

#### Average rate

	%
2011	9.9
2012	5.3

# 2.22 CPI and inflation, St Eustatius

	Consumer price index (CPI)	Year-on-year change CPI
	2010=100	%
2010      	99.48 100.07 99.81	
IV 2011	100.64	7.0
II	110.59	10.5
III IV	111.00 111.57	11.2 10.9
2012 I	113.51	6.6
II	116.34	5.2
III IV	116.12 117.07	4.6 4.9
2013 I	117.93	3.9
II	118.38	1.8

# **Social security**

# 2.23 Social security, St Eustatius

	2011	2012	2013
	USD		
State old age pension (AOV)	524	582	609
Partner's allowance	359	399	417
St Eustatius allowance (2%)	10	12	12

Source: SZW unit Bonaire.

# 2.24 Income support per two weeks, St Eustatius

	2011	2012	2013
	USD		
Single	80	89	94
Allowances			
1st child	23	26	27
2nd and 3rd child	12	14	14
living independently	19	22	23
married/living together	48	53	56
disability	95	105	164

Source: SZW unit Bonaire.



# 3. Saba

Capital: The Bottom

### Area

### 3.1 Area, Saba

	km²
Area	13

### Crime

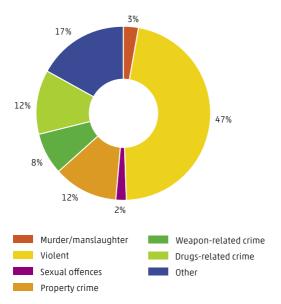
### 3.2 Crime categories, Saba

Murder/manslaughter
Violent crime
Sexual offences
Property crime
Weapon-related crime
Drugs-related crime
Other

Dougs-related crime
Other

Source: Public Prosecutor's office Bonaire, St Eustatius and Saba.

### 3.3 Crime, Saba, 2012



Source: Public Prosecutor's office Bonaire, St. Eustatius and Saba.



### Education

### 3.4 Pupils in government-funded schools, Saba, 1 October

	2010/'11	2011/'12	2012/'13
Primary education Secondary education	155 n 99	147 94	154 89
Senior secondary vocational education Total	n - 254	241	12 255

### 3.5 Government-funded schools, Saba

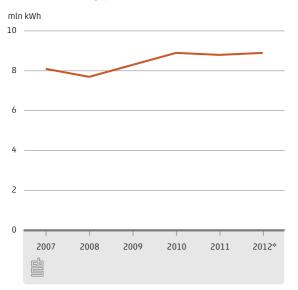
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Primary education	1
Secondary education including senior	_
secondary vocational education	1

Source: OCW unit Bonaire.

## **Energy**

### 3.6 Electricity production, Saba



## Establishments and enterprises

### Registered establishments and enterprises by economic activity, Saba

October 2011

	%
Agriculture, forestry and fishing Industry (excl. construction), energy Construction Trade, transport, hotels, catering Information and communication Financial institutions Renting, buying, selling real estate Business services Government and care Culture, recreation, other services	5.4 3.9 8.5 38.8 3.9 3.1 2.3 4.7 8.5 20.2
Unknown	0.8

#### Employed population by registered 3.8 establishments and enterprises by economic activity, Saba

October 2011

	%
Agriculture, forestry and fishing Industry (exl. construction), energy Construction	1.6 2.5 14.6
Trade, transport, hotels, catering Information and communication	26.8 3.7
Financial institutions Renting, buying, selling real estate	1.2 0.7
Business services Government and care Culture, recreation, other services	3.2 33.9 11.6
Unknown	0.4

# 3.9 Turnover in USD by registered establishments and enterprises, Saba

	2010	2011
	%	
0-10,000	24	32
10,001-25,000	15	16
25,001-50,000	9	9
50,001-100,000	2	3
100,001-250,000	7	5
250,001-500,000	5	6
500,001-1,000,000	2	2
1,000,001-2,500,000	2	2
2,500,001-5,000,000	0	0
More than 5,000,000	0	2
Unknown-not revealed	35	23

### Labour

#### 3.10 Labour force, Saba, 2012

	International definition (15 yrs or older)	National definition <sup>1)</sup> (15–64 yrs)
Total population	1,709	1,510
Labour force	1,087	1,016
employed labour force	1,045	971
unemployed labour force	42	45
Not in the labour force	622	494
	%	
Net labour participation	61.1	64.3
Unemployment rate	3.9	4,4
Youth unemployment rate (15–24 yrs)	х	х

Source: Labour Force Survey Caribbean Netherlands (CBS 2012).

The Dutch national definition of the labour force refers to people who work or want to work for at least 12 hours per week. The international definition of the ILO (International Labour Organisation) doesn't include this threshold of 12 hours. For the national definition it is common to present figures for the age group 15-64 years, for the international definition this is usually 15 years or older.

### 3.11 Minimum hourly wages, Saba

	2011	2012	2013
	USD		
16 or 17 years 18 years 19 years 20 years	2.73 3.15 3.57 3.78 4.20	2.91 3.36 3.81 4.03	3.00 3.46 3.92 4.15
20 years 21 years or older	3.78 4.20	4.03 4.48	4.15 4.61

Source: SZW unit Bonaire.

### 3.12 Employed labour force by number of jobs, Saba, 2012

	Inter- national definition (15 years or older)	National definition (15-64 years)
One job	984	917
More than one job	57	51
Unknown	х	х
Total employed labour force	1,045	971
	%	
One job	94.2	94.4
More than one job	5.5	5.3
Unknown	Х	Х

Source: Labour Force Survey Caribbean Netherlands (CBS 2012).

# 3.13 Employment by economic activity, Saba, 2012

		National definition (15-64 yrs)
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	20	17
Industry		
(excl. construction), energy	36	36
Construction	113	105
Trade, transport, hotels, catering	212	196
Information and communication	32	26
Financial institutions	23	23
Renting, buying, selling real estate	Х	Х
Business services	65	58
Government and care	431	415
Culture, recreation and other services	91	75
Unknown	18	18
Total employed labour force	1,045	971

Source: Labour Force Survey Caribbean Netherlands (CBS 2012).

# 3.14 Gross monthly income employed labour force in USD, Saba, 2012

	International definition (15 yrs or older)			de	ational finition -64 yrs)	
	total	men	women	total	men	women
0-500	38	25	х	26	х	х
501-1,001	154	69	85	146	65	80
1,001-1,500	275	135	140	260	127	133
1,501-2,000	164	101	63	162	99	63
2,001-2,500	97	42	54	92	40	52
2,501-3,000	61	34	27	57	32	25
3,001-3,500	46	18	28	46	18	28
3,501-4,000	15	Х	х	15	Х	Х
4,001-4,500	х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
4,501-5,000	х	Х	х	Х	Х	Х
5,001-10,000	31	21	х	22	15	Х
More than 10,000	х	Х	х	Х	Х	Х
Unknown	145	96	49	127	83	44
Total employed labour force	1,045	562	483	971	513	458

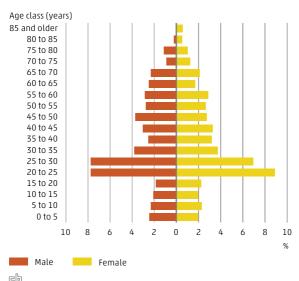
Source: Labour Force Survey Caribbean Netherlands (CBS 2012)

## **Population**

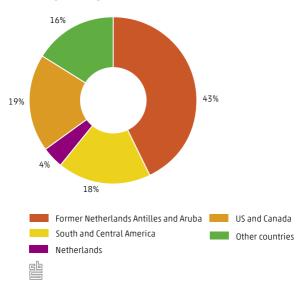
## 3.15 Population, Saba

	2011	2012	2013
Total population (1 January) Male Female	1,833 967 866	1,971 1,027 944	1,991 1,001 990
Population density Population growth, 2010	141 144	152 44	153
Live births	7	15	
Deaths	17	13	
Registered immigration	409	472	
Registered emigration	255	430	

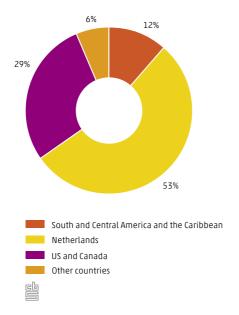
### 3.16 Age distribution Saba, 2013



### 3.17 Country of birth of inhabitants of Saba, 1 January 2013

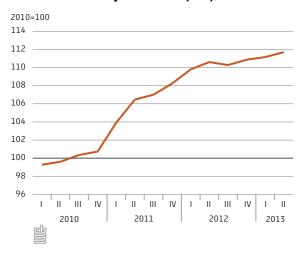


### First nationality of inhabitants of Saba, 1 January 2013

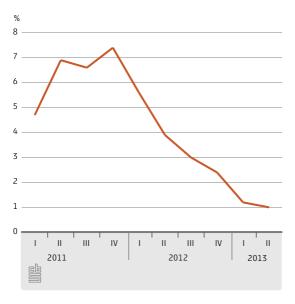


### **Prices**

### 3.19 Consumer price index (CPI), Saba



### 3.20 Inflation, Saba



### 3.21 CPI and inflation, Saba

	index (CPI)	change CPI
	2010=100	%
2010		
1	99.28	
II	99.62	
III	100.36	
IV	100.74	
2011		
1	103.94	4.7
II	106.47	6.9
III	107.01	6.6
IV	108.24	7.4
2012		
1	109.80	5.6
II	110.60	3.9
III	110.27	3.0
IV	110.86	2.4
2013		
1	111.15	1.2
II	111.69	1.0

Consumer price

Year-on-year

### 3.22 Inflation, Saba

#### Average rate

	%
2011	6.4
2012	3.7

## Social security

## 3.23 Social security, Saba

	2011	2012	2013
	USD		
State old age pension (AOV)	524	558	575
Partner's allowance	359	382	394
Saba allowance (8%)	42	45	45

Source: SZW unit Bonaire.

### 3.24 Income support per two weeks, Saba

	2011	2012	2013
	USD		
Single	80	86	88
Allowances			
1st child	23	25	26
2nd and 3rd child	12	13	13
living independently	19	21	21
married/living together	48	51	53
disability	95	101	165
extra Saba allowance	31	33	34

Source: SZW unit Bonaire.