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Chapter 1 Population and Demography

1.1 Population

1.1.1 Population by Sex

Table 1.1.1: Distribution of Population by Sex and Local Government Area

LGA	Total		Male		Female		Sex Ratio
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	
<i>Urban</i>	1,408,362	58.2	699,107	58.1	709,255	58.3	99
<i>Rural</i>	1,010,459	41.8	503,829	41.9	506,629	41.7	99
Banjul	25,275	1.0	12,746	1.1	12,529	1.0	102
Kanifing	391,270	16.2	195,519	16.3	195,751	16.1	100
Brikama	1,089,813	45.1	544,793	45.3	545,020	44.8	100
Mansakonko	94,628	3.9	47,504	3.9	47,124	3.9	101
Kerewan	268,657	11.1	134,163	11.2	134,494	11.1	100
Kuntaur	127,367	5.3	62,835	5.2	64,532	5.3	97
Janjanbureh	146,226	6.0	71,954	6.0	74,272	6.1	97
Basse	275,584	11.4	133,422	11.1	142,163	11.7	94
Total	2,418,821	100.0	1,202,936	100.0	1,215,884	100.0	99

Source: The 2022-23 Gambia Labour Force Survey

1.1.2 Age-Sex Distribution

Table 1.1.2: Distribution of Population by Sex and Broad Age-groups

Age-group	Male		Female		Total	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
0-4	182,339	15.2	168,278	13.8	350,617	14.5
5-9	177,587	14.8	167,040	13.7	344,627	14.2
10-14	168,898	14.0	157,458	13.0	326,356	13.5
15-19	139,631	11.6	141,535	11.6	281,166	11.6
20-24	115,537	9.6	121,061	10.0	236,598	9.8
25-29	90,902	7.6	104,825	8.6	195,727	8.1
30-34	69,542	5.8	85,682	7.0	155,224	6.4
35-39	56,440	4.7	66,693	5.5	123,133	5.1
40-44	52,874	4.4	53,958	4.4	106,832	4.4
45-49	38,026	3.2	37,017	3.0	75,043	3.1
50-54	32,075	2.7	32,318	2.7	64,392	2.7
55-59	21,079	1.8	20,330	1.7	41,409	1.7
60-64	22,543	1.9	21,352	1.8	43,895	1.8
65+	35,465	2.9	38,337	3.2	73,802	3.1
Total	1,202,936	100.0	1,215,884	100.0	2,418,821	100.0

Source: The 2022-23 Gambia Labour Force Survey

1.1.3 Household Size

Table 1.1.3: Distribution of Households by Household Composition, Local Government Area and Residence

LGA	1 person	2-4 persons	5-6 persons	7-10 persons	11+ persons	Mean Household size
The Gambia	4.2	17.2	18.0	30.5	30.1	9.2
<i>Urban</i>	<i>5.5</i>	<i>21.0</i>	<i>19.9</i>	<i>29.5</i>	<i>24.0</i>	<i>8.2</i>
<i>Rural</i>	<i>1.7</i>	<i>10.0</i>	<i>14.2</i>	<i>32.3</i>	<i>41.8</i>	<i>11.2</i>
Banjul	10.1	30.6	25.4	24.0	9.9	6.0
Kanifing	9.2	26.6	22.8	26.0	15.4	6.7
Brikama	3.0	17.0	17.4	31.7	30.9	9.3
Mansakonko	2.2	17.5	21.0	36.4	23.0	8.8
Kerewan	1.1	8.5	14.6	35.0	40.8	11.0
Kuntaur	1.4	6.3	12.6	31.1	48.5	11.9
Janjanbureh	1.7	10.2	16.3	36.6	35.3	10.0
Basse	3.6	10.4	13.0	25.0	48.0	12.3

Source: The 2022-23 Gambia Labour Force Survey

1.2 Poverty

1.2.1 Distribution of the Population by Absolute Poverty and LGA 2020

Table 1.2.1: Distribution of the Population by Absolute Poverty and LGA 2020

LGA	Head count		Poverty severity %	Population distribution	Poor population	
	%	Poverty gap %			%	Number of poor
THE GAMBIA		19.44892	9.41041	2,027,695	100	1,083,373
<i>Rural</i>	76.70	30.8392	15.66983	912,051	64.6	699,572
<i>Urban</i>	34.40	10.13724	4.29326	1,115,643	35.4	383,801
Banjul/Kanifing	11.28	2.01538	0.7135	379,739	4.0	42,841
Other urban	46.33	14.32826	6.14049	735,904	31.5	340,959
Banjul	7.58	0.80955	0.12355	32,663	0.23	2,475
Kanifing	11.63	2.12886	0.76902	347,076	3.73	40367
Brikama	48.28	16.05302	7.2585	636,934	28.38	307,501
Mansakonko	63.87	23.3932	11.18107	102,420	6.04	65,421
Kerewan	73.79	29.31658	14.80668	279,494	19.04	206,231
Kuntaur	86.26	39.9675	21.98223	116,690	9.29	100,656
Janjanbureh	68.17	24.63203	11.69221	127,846	8.04	87,151
Basse	71.14	26.11684	12.59547	384,571	25.25	273,572

Source: Gambia Bureau of Statistics, Integrated Household Survey, 2020

1.2.2 Distribution of the Population by Extreme Poverty and LGA, 2020

Table 1.2.2: Distribution of the Population by Extreme Poverty and LGA, 2020

LGA	Head count		Poverty severity %	Population distribution	Poor population	
	%	Poverty gap %			%	Number of poor
THE GAMBIA	26.3	7.5	3.1	2027694.7	100	534,018
Rural	44.1	13.1	5.4	912051.3	75.39	402,572
Urban	11.8	2.9	1.1	1115643.4	24.61	131,446
Banjul/Kanifing	0.9	0.4	0.3	379739.3	0.63	3,340
Other urban	17.4	4.2	1.6	735904	23.99	128,106
Banjul	0.0	0.0	0.0	32663.06	0.00	
Kanifing	1.0	0.4	0.3	347076.25	0.63	3,340
Brikama	20.6	5.4	2.0	636934.09	24.56	131,139
Mansakonko	30.9	8.8	3.5	102420.3	5.92	31,639
Kerewan	40.4	12.2	5.2	279493.5	21.12	112,793
Kuntaur	61.1	19.8	8.6	116690.3	13.35	71,288
Janjanbureh	34.9	9.0	3.5	127845.8	8.36	44,619
Basse	36.2	10.0	4.0	384571.3	26.07	139,200

Source: Gambia Bureau of Statistics, Integrated Household Survey, 2020

1.2.3 Distribution of the Population by Food Poverty and LGA, 2020

Table 1.2.3: Distribution of the Population by Food Poverty and LGA, 2020

LGA	Head count %	Poverty gap %	Poverty severity %	Population distribution	Poor population%	Number of poor
THE GAMBIA	60.2	21.5	10.4	2027694.7	100	1,220,534
Rural	73.2	28.9	14.5	912051.3	54.68	667,378
Urban	49.6	15.5	7.0	1115643.4	45.32	553,156
Banjul/Kanifing	32.3	6.9	2.4	379739.3	10.03	122,468
Other urban	58.5	20.0	9.3	735904	35.29	430,688
Banjul	14.8	3.9	1.4	32663.06	0.39	4820
Kanifing	33.9	7.2	2.5	347076.25	9.64	117,648
Brikama	61.8	22.4	10.9	636934.09	32.25	393,611
Mansakonko	62.6	22.8	10.8	102420.3	5.25	64,118
Kerewan	73.7	28.6	14.5	279493.5	16.88	206,078
Kuntaur	79.1	34.1	17.7	116690.3	7.56	92,320
Janjanbureh	60.8	20.6	9.2	127845.8	6.37	77,731
Basse	68.7	25.5	12.4	384571.3	21.65	264,208

Source: Gambia Bureau of Statistics, Integrated Household Survey, 2020

Note: Food poverty is when a household cannot meet the daily required minimum calories of 2400 kilocalories per person per day

1.2.4 Decile Dispersion Ratio by LGA

Table 1.2.4: Decile Dispersion Ratio by LGA, 2020

LGA	Bottom half of population		Upper half of the distribution		Interquartile	
	p25/p10	p50/p25	p75/p50	p90/p50	range p75/p25	Tails p90/p10
The Gambia	1.389	1.397	1.359	6.87	1.898	13.331
<i>Rural</i>	1.367	1.35	1.252	7.332	1.69	13.535
<i>Urban</i>	1.444	1.453	1.416	6.392	2.058	13.406
Banjul			1.321	4.626		
Kanifing	1.000	5.359	1.439	5.959	7.714	31.939
Brikama	1.376	1.393	1.374	6.206	1.914	11.9
Mansakonko	1.345	1.397	1.307	4.599	1.825	8.641
Kerewan	1.402	1.377	1.281	4.811	1.765	9.287
Kuntaur	1.323	1.28	1.189	6.74	1.523	11.411
Janjanbureh	1.412	1.348	1.304	16.336	1.757	31.084
Basse	1.398	1.377	1.359	5.296	1.754	10.196

Source: Gambia Bureau of Statistics, Integrated Household Survey, 2020

Chapter 2 Macroeconomic and Financial Data

2.1 Gross Domestic Product – Production Approach

2.1.1 Current GDP estimates (Millions of Dalasis), 2013 base year

Table 2.1.1: Current GDP estimates, 2013 base year

ISIC Rev.4	Industry	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023*
	Gross Domestic Product (GDP) market price	70,142,188,245	80,445,799,940	90,793,764,451	93,329,809,125	105,487,037,527	121,093,207,359	146,701,897,253
A	Agriculture, forestry and fishing	14,731,188,513	15,985,864,549	18,162,426,274	19,826,989,528	24,873,070,984	27,682,438,331	34,070,970,431
	Crop	6,525,694,144	6,565,258,123	6,195,274,738	6,729,393,462	8,323,574,874	8,360,455,980	11,028,946,157
	Livestock	2,936,857,005	2,979,236,913	3,134,601,341	3,735,504,497	4,588,344,323	3,454,234,504	3,731,804,478
	Forestry and logging	585,764,484	590,306,652	594,884,040	599,496,923	604,145,575	608,830,274	477,041,357
	Fishing and aquaculture	4,682,872,879	5,851,062,862	8,237,666,155	8,762,594,646	11,357,006,212	15,258,917,573	18,833,178,439
	Industry	12,550,369,899	13,925,510,509	15,691,523,889	15,729,512,425	16,753,581,213	18,877,183,246	24,438,969,536
B	Mining and quarrying	324,119,268	369,804,639	459,778,292	499,169,998	544,767,826	719,636,609	891,007,255
C	Manufacturing	3,134,859,327	3,423,342,929	3,438,520,583	2,439,066,111	2,006,439,254	1,732,556,718	2,212,048,342
D	Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	584,594,639	1,177,210,123	1,404,896,223	1,602,360,472	1,712,264,607	2,030,437,969	3,078,405,043
E	Water supply, sewerage, waste management and remediation activities	467,552,861	463,690,273	506,358,380	514,489,006	454,566,660	428,526,049	629,838,673
F	Construction	8,039,243,804	8,491,462,544	9,881,970,411	10,674,426,838	12,035,542,866	13,966,025,901	17,627,670,223
	Services	37,473,714,537	44,167,774,504	49,731,583,626	50,354,891,216	56,322,856,920	67,363,599,503	78,690,064,778
G	Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motors and motorcycles	22,902,452,764	27,340,190,079	30,302,758,949	30,616,412,737	34,236,331,383	41,382,796,763	46,257,615,743
H	Transport and storage	2,295,478,035	2,597,475,043	2,965,788,043	2,945,806,453	3,340,739,919	2,865,673,631	3,018,651,294
I	Accommodation and food service activities	1,154,292,081	1,434,727,393	1,870,387,084	695,413,154	883,023,767	2,370,930,548	3,037,338,815
J	Information and Communication	2,320,360,266	2,548,622,354	2,906,126,945	3,168,308,291	3,161,666,542	3,107,369,055	4,795,826,438
K	Financial and insurance activities	1,417,064,822	2,449,718,877	2,759,729,668	3,344,417,322	3,917,655,435	4,934,162,512	5,006,160,224
L	Real estate activities	1,424,663,272	1,504,918,403	1,598,996,018	1,917,749,355	1,988,007,209	2,402,764,642	2,870,555,168
M	Professional, scientific and technical activities	122,136,147	121,307,828	115,071,503	132,737,796	132,036,687	143,614,170	156,722,857
N	Administrative and support service activities	844,326,020	822,999,392	860,968,255	565,316,569	617,873,254	803,444,849	964,298,363
O	Public administration and defense; compulsory social security	1,694,960,564	1,994,684,677	2,570,298,667	2,934,853,602	3,341,246,864	3,680,695,861	5,345,180,619
P	Education	1,507,407,823	1,540,212,196	1,756,987,509	2,061,170,177	2,512,983,045	3,013,525,955	4,126,695,788
Q	Human health and social work activities	448,754,214	476,964,130	623,495,399	817,070,564	967,995,154	1,049,463,256	1,536,124,438
R	Arts, entertainment and recreation	420,039,952	450,601,541	491,421,693	300,111,499	333,748,992	361,998,125	528,044,711
S	Other service activities	921,778,575	885,352,590	909,553,895	855,523,694	889,548,669	1,247,160,135	1,046,850,320
	GDP basic price (Gross Value Added)	64,755,272,948	74,079,149,561	83,585,533,790	85,911,393,169	97,949,509,117	113,923,221,080	137,200,004,746
	Taxes less subsidies on products (+)	5,386,915,297	6,366,650,379	7,208,230,661	7,418,415,957	7,537,528,410	7,169,986,279	9,501,892,508
	Items							
	Population estimates	2,083,429	2,147,677	2,213,134	2,279,884	2,348,036	2,417,471	2,417,471
	GDP per Capita (GMD)	33,667	37,457	41,025	40,936	44,926	50,091	60,684
	GDP per Capita (USD)	722	757	807	802	872	904	994
	Exchange rate (1USD to GMD) annual average	46.61	49.46	50.83	51.04	51.54	55.40	61.05

Source: Gambia Bureau of Statistics (GBoS)

2.1.2 Constant GDP estimates, 2013 base year

Table 2.1.2 Constant GDP estimates, 2013 base year

ISIC Rev.4	Industry	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023*
	Gross Domestic Product (GDP) market price	54,227,525,507	58,150,827,547	61,769,002,853	62,134,358,703	65,400,121,203	68,992,548,716	72,302,472,413
A	Agriculture, forestry and fishing	11,269,163,904	11,685,136,939	11,672,049,279	12,908,210,151	14,673,865,657	15,770,194,776	16,147,894,238
	Crop	5,352,138,357	5,201,524,753	4,467,407,136	4,851,164,431	5,273,600,148	5,536,607,894	5,896,010,035
	Livestock	1,741,489,551	1,643,581,612	1,616,066,550	1,852,128,149	1,968,855,137	1,324,795,710	1,259,943,422
	Forestry and logging	408,009,219	333,723,179	252,716,152	247,245,577	236,527,506	200,730,789	140,562,892
	Fishing and aquaculture	3,767,526,777	4,506,307,395	5,335,859,440	5,957,671,994	7,194,882,867	8,708,060,383	8,851,377,888
	Industry	9,089,466,573	9,273,805,613	10,643,674,733	11,518,685,850	11,850,418,749	12,300,075,120	13,548,347,442
B	Mining and quarrying	243,235,875	279,379,221	342,169,621	448,113,936	445,765,205	519,645,755	656,324,722
C	Manufacturing	2,519,157,817	2,488,810,489	2,359,970,976	1,660,571,688	1,192,271,548	901,815,941	1,097,000,472
D	Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	529,873,561	601,034,241	682,432,100	781,691,498	836,403,073	995,781,846	1,145,093,227
E	Water supply, sewerage, waste management and remediation activities	424,851,756	426,351,531	465,583,782	473,059,687	417,962,599	394,018,913	438,112,182
F	Construction	5,372,347,563	5,478,230,130	6,793,518,254	8,155,249,042	8,958,016,324	9,488,812,665	10,211,816,839
	Services	30,164,904,395	33,216,983,564	35,258,896,880	33,509,127,615	34,415,956,461	36,181,803,455	37,665,080,687
G	Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motors and motorcycles	17,533,519,482	19,686,981,603	20,305,112,220	19,392,019,823	20,185,011,585	21,881,692,577	20,900,771,695
H	Transport and storage	1,957,388,169	2,159,896,585	2,389,027,485	2,345,356,008	2,428,776,734	1,835,741,865	1,823,049,823
I	Accommodation and food service activities	870,969,905	1,033,835,215	1,208,898,668	418,169,016	502,717,291	977,699,442	1,091,249,489
J	Information and Communication	2,321,439,742	2,578,979,628	2,929,043,159	2,977,269,946	3,035,453,589	3,045,428,827	4,564,649,848
K	Financial and insurance activities	1,197,948,775	1,352,323,680	1,453,637,152	1,478,837,929	1,675,751,043	1,965,851,304	2,203,046,218
L	Real estate activities	1,286,269,765	1,323,576,038	1,345,701,010	1,389,894,945	1,404,183,732	1,416,463,563	1,510,911,303
M	Professional, scientific and technical activities	99,902,543	93,658,565	92,594,944	89,623,648	89,078,522	87,258,141	89,942,381
N	Administrative and support service activities	657,738,327	632,908,122	611,805,298	385,700,163	384,806,616	507,412,225	493,057,569
	Public administration and defense; compulsory social security	1,292,970,362	1,428,460,112	1,718,400,630	1,852,264,783	1,963,997,055	1,940,154,139	2,404,857,132
P	Education	1,485,977,023	1,517,796,571	1,717,320,494	1,752,326,373	1,246,426,688	1,123,439,055	994,314,548
Q	Human health and social work activities	337,974,701	355,725,186	455,869,442	597,806,918	648,727,824	516,112,902	721,389,547
R	Arts, entertainment and recreation	366,059,388	363,279,860	380,034,687	241,811,867	263,580,476	268,860,326	289,138,437
S	Other service activities	756,746,213	689,562,399	651,451,691	588,046,197	587,445,306	615,689,088	578,702,695
	GDP basic price (Gross Value Added)	50,523,534,872	54,175,926,115	57,574,620,891	57,936,023,617	60,940,240,867	64,252,073,351	67,361,322,366
	Taxes less subsidies on products (+)	3,703,990,634	3,974,901,432	4,194,381,962	4,198,335,086	4,459,880,336	4,740,475,366	4,941,150,047
	Items							
	Growth rate							
	GDP growth rate	4.8%	7.2%	6.2%	0.6%	5.3%	5.5%	4.8%
	Agriculture	-4.4%	3.7%	-0.1%	10.6%	13.7%	7.5%	2.4%
	Industry	-3.5%	2.0%	-14.8%	8.2%	2.9%	3.8%	10.1%
	Services	11.7%	10.1%	6.1%	-5.0%	2.7%	5.1%	4.1%

2023* Provisional data

Source: Gambia Bureau of Statistics (GBoS)

2.1.3 Contribution to GDP estimates, 2013 base year: basic price

Table 2.1.3: Contribution to GDP estimates, 2013 base year: basic price

ISIC Rev.4	Industry	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023*
A	Agriculture, forestry and fishing	24.4	24.3	23.9	22.7	21.6	21.7	23.1	25.4	24.3	24.8
	Crop	13.2	13.1	12.1	10.1	8.9	7.4	7.8	8.5	7.3	8.0
	Livestock	5.7	5.0	5.0	4.5	4.0	3.8	4.3	4.7	3.0	2.7
	Forestry and logging	1.2	1.1	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.5	0.3
	Fishing and aquaculture	4.3	5.2	5.8	7.2	7.9	9.9	10.2	11.6	13.4	13.7
	Industry	14.3	18.8	22.9	19.4	18.8	18.8	18.3	17.1	16.6	17.8
B	Mining and quarrying	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6
C	Manufacturing	7.1	7.0	6.1	4.8	4.6	4.1	2.8	2.0	1.5	1.6
D	Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	1.0	1.1	1.1	0.9	1.6	1.7	1.9	1.7	1.8	2.2
E	Water supply, sewerage, waste management and remediation activities	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.5
F	Construction	4.9	9.4	14.5	12.4	11.5	11.8	12.4	12.3	12.3	12.8
	Services	61.3	56.9	53.3	57.9	59.6	59.5	58.6	57.5	59.1	57.4
G	Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motors and motorcycles	35.3	33.4	30.8	35.4	36.9	36.3	35.6	35.0	36.3	33.7
H	Transport and storage	4.4	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.4	3.4	2.5	2.2
I	Accommodation and food service activities	1.9	1.5	1.8	1.8	1.9	2.2	0.8	0.9	2.1	2.2
J	Information and Communication	3.6	3.5	3.1	3.6	3.4	3.5	3.7	3.2	2.7	3.5
K	Financial and insurance activities	2.8	2.4	2.0	2.2	3.3	3.3	3.9	4.0	4.3	3.6
L	Real estate activities	2.4	2.4	2.3	2.2	2.0	1.9	2.2	2.0	2.1	2.1
M	Professional, scientific and technical activities	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1
N	Administrative and support service activities	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.1	1.0	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.7
O	Public administration and defense; compulsory social security	3.4	3.2	2.8	2.6	2.7	3.1	3.4	3.4	3.2	3.9
P	Education	2.3	2.2	2.3	2.3	2.1	2.1	2.4	2.6	2.6	3.0
Q	Human health and social work activities	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.7	1.0	1.0	0.9	1.1
R	Arts, entertainment and recreation	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4
S	Other service activities	2.0	1.7	1.7	1.4	1.2	1.1	1.0	0.9	1.1	0.8
	GDP basic price (Gross Value Added)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100	100	100.0	100.0	100.0

2023* Provisional data

Source: Gambia Bureau of Statistics (GBoS)

2.1.4 GDP Growth, 2013 base year

Table 2.1.4: GDP Growth, 2013 base year

ISIC Rev.4	Industry	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023*
	Gross Domestic Product (GDP) market price	-1.4%	4.1%	1.9%	4.8%	7.2%	6.2%	0.6%	5.3%	5.5%	4.8%
A	Agriculture, forestry and fishing	-12.4%	4.0%	-0.2%	-4.4%	3.7%	-0.1%	10.6%	13.7%	7.5%	2.4%
	Crop	-14.0%	5.8%	-2.6%	-18.5%	-2.8%	-14.1%	8.6%	8.7%	5.0%	6.5%
	Livestock	-2.8%	-16.3%	-3.0%	-10.9%	-5.6%	-1.7%	14.6%	6.3%	-32.7%	-4.9%
	Forestry and logging	-4.2%	1.1%	-16.0%	-11.6%	-18.2%	-24.3%	-2.2%	-4.3%	-15.1%	-30.0%
	Fishing and aquaculture	-18.9%	22.8%	12.0%	34.4%	19.6%	18.4%	11.7%	20.8%	21.0%	1.6%
	Industry	9.6%	22.6%	19.2%	-3.5%	2.0%	14.8%	8.2%	2.9%	3.8%	10.1%
B	Mining and quarrying	97.6%	-7.3%	-8.1%	4.9%	14.9%	22.5%	31.0%	-0.5%	16.6%	26.3%
C	Manufacturing	3.3%	2.6%	-7.0%	-7.9%	-1.2%	-5.2%	-29.6%	-28.2%	-24.4%	21.6%
D	Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	6.0%	10.1%	7.3%	-7.4%	13.4%	13.5%	14.5%	7.0%	19.1%	15.0%
E	Water supply, sewerage, waste management and remediation activities	17.9%	4.5%	8.4%	-2.4%	0.4%	9.2%	1.6%	-11.6%	-5.7%	11.2%
F	Construction	11.5%	54.7%	44.4%	-1.4%	2.0%	24.0%	20.0%	9.8%	5.9%	7.6%
	Services	1.4%	-0.2%	-2.1%	11.7%	10.1%	6.1%	-5.0%	2.7%	5.1%	4.1%
G	Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motors and motorcycles	1.4%	0.3%	-5.4%	17.0%	12.3%	3.1%	-4.5%	4.1%	8.4%	-4.5%
H	Transport and storage	9.3%	-16.0%	13.1%	8.9%	10.3%	10.6%	-1.8%	3.6%	-24.4%	-0.7%
I	Accommodation and food service activities	-7.6%	-12.9%	20.8%	-1.1%	18.7%	16.9%	-65.4%	20.2%	94.5%	11.6%
J	Information and Communication	-3.5%	9.5%	-2.7%	27.9%	11.1%	13.6%	1.6%	2.0%	0.3%	49.9%
K	Financial and insurance activities	4.7%	2.4%	-7.4%	1.1%	12.9%	7.5%	1.7%	13.3%	17.3%	12.1%
L	Real estate activities	10.7%	1.0%	0.2%	2.6%	2.9%	1.7%	3.3%	1.0%	0.9%	6.7%
M	Professional, scientific and technical activities	3.0%	-1.5%	10.9%	-15.5%	-6.3%	-1.1%	-3.2%	-0.6%	-2.0%	3.1%
N	Administrative and support service activities	10.1%	3.1%	-2.0%	-0.5%	-3.8%	-3.3%	-37.0%	-0.2%	31.9%	-2.8%
O	Public administration and defense; compulsory social security	-13.0%	1.9%	-11.1%	-5.0%	10.5%	20.3%	7.8%	6.0%	-1.2%	24.0%
P	Education	-3.9%	5.1%	15.0%	10.6%	2.1%	13.1%	2.0%	-28.9%	-9.9%	-11.5%
Q	Human health and social work activities	-21.9%	-8.9%	12.5%	-8.7%	5.3%	28.2%	31.1%	8.5%	-20.4%	39.8%
R	Arts, entertainment and recreation	30.5%	23.6%	4.1%	2.3%	-0.8%	4.6%	-36.4%	9.0%	2.0%	7.5%
S	Other service activities	27.3%	-5.4%	1.5%	-13.1%	-8.9%	-5.5%	-9.7%	-0.1%	4.8%	-6.0%
	GDP basic price (Gross Value Added)	-1.5%	4.0%	1.9%	4.8%	7.2%	6.3%	0.6%	5.2%	5.4%	4.8%
	Taxes less subsidies on products (+)	-0.7%	4.2%	2.0%	5.0%	7.3%	5.5%	0.1%	6.2%	6.3%	4.2%

2023* Provisional data

Source: Gambia Bureau of Statistics (GBoS)

2.1.5 GDP Deflator, 2013 base year

Table 2.1.5: GDP Deflator, 2013 base year

ISIC Rev.4	Industry	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023*
	Gross Domestic Product (GDP) market price	105	115	124	129	138	147	150	161	176	203
A	Agriculture, forestry and fishing	101	110	119	131	137	156	154	170	176	211
	Crop	98	103	109	122	126	139	139	158	151	187
	Livestock	112	134	151	169	181	194	202	233	261	296
	Forestry and logging	105	105	126	144	177	235	242	255	303	339
	Fishing and aquaculture	99	110	122	124	130	154	147	158	175	213
	Industry	105	127	143	138	150	147	137	141	153	180
B	Mining and quarrying	96	97	103	133	132	134	111	122	138	136
C	Manufacturing	117	126	132	124	138	146	147	168	192	202
D	Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	100	112	112	110	196	206	205	205	204	269
E	Water supply, sewerage, waste management and remediation activities	100	110	110	110	109	109	109	109	109	144
F	Construction	95	134	156	150	155	145	131	134	147	173
	Services	105	110	116	124	133	141	150	164	186	209
G	Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motors and motorcycles	105	113	121	131	139	149	158	170	189	221
H	Transport and storage	110	116	115	117	120	124	126	138	156	166
I	Accommodation and food service activities	105	113	122	133	139	155	166	176	243	278
J	Information and Communication	99	100	100	100	99	99	106	104	102	105
K	Financial and insurance activities	108	99	98	118	181	190	226	234	251	227
L	Real estate activities	93	103	107	111	114	119	138	142	170	190
M	Professional, scientific and technical activities	104	109	115	122	130	124	148	148	165	174
N	Administrative and support service activities	103	105	114	128	130	141	147	161	158	196
O	Public administration and defense; compulsory social security	106	113	121	131	140	150	158	170	190	222
P	Education	100	101	102	101	101	102	118	202	268	415
Q	Human health and social work activities	122	128	131	133	134	137	137	149	203	213
R	Arts, entertainment and recreation	102	104	108	115	124	129	124	127	135	183
S	Other service activities	104	108	115	122	128	140	145	151	203	181
	GDP basic price (Gross Value Added)	104	113	122	128	137	145	148	161	177	204
	Taxes less subsidies on products (+)	122	148	153	145	160	172	177	169	151	192
<i>2023* Provisional data</i>											

Source: Gambia Bureau of Statistics (GBoS)

2.2 GDP by Expenditure Approach

2.2.1 GDP by Expenditure approach at market prices (Millions of Dalasis), 2013 base year

Table 2.2.1: GDP by Expenditure approach at market prices (Millions of Dalasis), 2013 base year

Description	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023*
Gross Domestic Product - Production	70,142,188.25	80,445,799.94	90,793,764.45	93,329,809.13	105,487,037.53	121,093,207.36	146,701,897.25
Total Final Consumption Expenditure	65,856,705.23	76,683,770.88	85,935,964.62	90,281,050.77	106,167,568.14	120,987,692.44	136,859,406.07
Government	5,517,984.33	5,490,248.86	7,484,024.91	8,392,313.83	10,293,464.32	10,126,374.89	10,816,082.80
Households	58,810,620.03	69,621,608.29	76,710,991.74	80,031,609.34	93,708,688.87	108,248,526.79	122,772,600.90
NPISH	1,528,100.87	1,571,913.73	1,740,947.97	1,857,127.60	2,165,414.95	2,612,790.77	3,270,722.36
Gross Fixed Capital Formation	16,104,456.85	16,795,815.41	22,384,152.28	30,184,777.94	32,037,246.88	34,661,294.86	40,031,052.97
Total Construction	13,013,277.90	13,574,940.19	17,818,258.65	20,726,893.77	25,559,266.12	27,234,976.33	33,119,304.25
Construction- Govt.	4,674,374.50	4,735,753.85	6,013,074.34	5,552,006.97	10,926,074.16	11,642,406.70	14,157,838.99
Construction-Private	8,338,903.41	8,839,186.34	11,805,184.31	15,174,886.80	14,633,191.96	15,592,569.63	18,961,465.27
Machinery and Equipment	2,176,432.36	2,314,017.72	3,637,380.27	8,330,870.12	5,085,487.39	6,369,720.22	5,718,731.96
Livestock	914,746.59	906,857.50	928,513.36	1,127,014.05	1,392,493.37	1,056,598.31	1,193,016.76
Net Export	-13,167,168.66	-16,279,096.11	-14,223,868.38	-26,300,557.10	-30,447,054.17	-33,400,195.18	-34,074,464.87
Exports of Goods and Services	12,962,791.81	17,929,904.50	18,309,371.80	8,966,795.71	6,980,430.37	10,377,507.00	14,089,977.98
Exports of Goods	6,497,001.82	7,799,738.13	7,851,176.39	3,575,642.93	1,631,413.19	2,859,591.35	4,373,975.70
Exports of Services	6,465,789.99	10,130,166.36	10,458,195.41	5,391,152.78	5,349,017.18	7,517,915.65	9,716,002.28
Imports of Goods and Services	-26,129,960.47	-34,209,000.61	-32,533,240.18	-35,267,352.81	-37,427,484.54	-43,777,702.18	-48,164,442.85
Imports of Goods (FOB)	-21,903,910.43	-28,640,176.04	-27,065,936.03	-29,695,625.78	-31,301,400.52	-36,047,504.36	-38,763,595.28
Imports of Services	-4,226,050.04	-5,568,824.57	-5,467,304.14	-5,571,727.03	-6,126,084.02	-7,730,197.83	-9,400,847.57
Statistical discrepancies and Changes in inventories	1,348,194.82	3,245,309.76	-3,302,484.08	-835,462.48	-2,270,723.32	-1,155,584.75	3,885,903.09
GDP By Expenditure	70,142,188.25	80,445,799.94	90,793,764.45	93,329,809.13	105,487,037.53	122,248,792.11	142,815,994.17

2023* Provisional data

Source: Gambia Bureau of Statistics (GBoS)

2.2.2 GDP by Expenditure approach at constant prices (Millions of Dalasis), (2013 base year)

Table 2.2.2: GDP by Expenditure approach at constant prices (Millions of Dalasis), 2013 base year

Description	2017*	2018*	2019*	2020*	2021*	2022*	2023*
Gross Domestic Product - Production	54,227,526	58,150,828	61,769,003	62,134,359	65,400,121	68,992,549	72,302,472
Total Final Consumption Expenditure	51,447,763	56,185,013	58,912,755	59,811,434	63,149,358	64,478,375	62,042,780
Government	4,209,296	4,365,522	5,003,525	6,569,650	6,050,536	5,893,386	6,232,460
Households	45,868,791	50,444,343	52,436,870	51,808,997	55,755,893	56,996,383	53,860,677
NPISH	1,369,676	1,375,149	1,472,361	1,432,787	1,342,929	1,588,607	1,949,644
Gross Fixed Capital Formation	13,020,831	13,280,504	17,084,437	24,613,614	22,464,886	23,273,032	25,053,971
Total Construction	10,721,664	11,120,151	13,745,992	16,649,890	18,528,694	18,343,407	19,260,578
Construction- Govt.	3,851,226	3,879,376	4,638,819	4,459,921	7,920,646	7,841,439	8,233,511
Construction-Private	6,870,438	7,240,775	9,107,173	12,189,969	10,608,049	10,501,968	11,027,067
Machinery and Equipment	1,740,980	1,660,080	2,862,073	7,485,933	3,345,715	4,309,689	5,171,627
Livestock	558,187	500,273	476,372	477,792	590,476	619,936	621,766
Net Export	-10,592,968	-10,992,918	-11,827,619	-21,506,956	-18,994,534	-18,143,878	-17,829,944
Exports of Goods and Services	10,515,897	14,143,394	13,247,498	6,631,821	4,854,273	5,292,332	6,722,920
Exports of Goods	4,988,858	5,695,909	5,100,141	2,339,559	962,972	1,620,777	2,078,900
Exports of Services	5,527,039	8,447,485	8,147,357	4,292,262	3,891,301	3,671,555	4,644,021
Imports of Goods and Services	-21,108,864	-25,136,312	-25,075,117	-28,138,777	-23,848,807	-23,436,210	-24,552,865
Imports of Goods (FOB)	-17,521,454	-20,546,508	-20,539,163	-23,702,748	-19,392,206	-19,180,831	-20,116,184
Imports of Services	-3,587,410	-4,589,804	-4,535,954	-4,436,029	-4,456,601	-4,255,379	-4,436,680
Statistical discrepancies and Changes in inventories	351,899	-321,772	-2,400,570	-783,733	-1,219,588	-614,981	3,035,665
GDP By Expenditure	54,227,526	58,150,828	61,769,003	62,134,359	65,400,121	68,992,549	72,302,472
2015* - 2023* Balance of Payment Manual Six (BPM6) was used to compile the Trade Balance							

Source: Gambia Bureau of Statistics (GBoS)

2.2.3 Real growth rates of GDP by Expenditure approach

Table 2.2.3: Real growth rates of GDP by Expenditure approach

Description	2015*	2016*	2017*	2018*	2019*	2020*	2021*	2022*	2023*
Final Consumption Expenditure	0.8%	0.9%	8.1%	9.2%	4.9%	1.5%	5.6%	2.1%	-3.8%
Households Final Consumption Expenditures	0.8%	0.4%	9.8%	10.0%	3.9%	-1.2%	-7.9%	-2.6%	5.8%
General Government final consumption	0.7%	4.0%	-6.1%	3.7%	14.6%	31.3%	7.6%	2.2%	-5.5%
NPISH final consumption	1.4%	6.2%	0.9%	0.4%	7.1%	-2.7%	-6.3%	18.3%	22.7%
Gross Fixed Capital Formation	33.1%	33.5%	-1.2%	2.0%	28.6%	44.1%	-8.7%	3.6%	7.7%
Total Construction	50.1%	43.8%	-1.1%	3.7%	23.6%	21.1%	11.3%	-1.0%	5.0%
Machinery and Equipment	3.4%	6.2%	-0.4%	-4.6%	72.4%	161.6%	-55.3%	28.8%	20.0%
Livestock	-14.2%	-13.2%	-7.1%	-10.4%	-4.8%	0.3%	23.6%	5.0%	0.3%
Domestic Demand	5.3%	6.5%	6.0%	7.8%	9.4%	11.1%	0.9%	2.5%	-0.7%
Net exports	21.3%	12.0%	35.2%	3.8%	7.6%	81.8%	-11.6%	9.0%	27.0%
Export of Goods and Services (FOB)	-23.5%	-12.6%	51.1%	34.5%	-6.3%	-49.9%	-27.2%	68.3%	28.3%
<i>Exports of Goods</i>	-17.6%	-18.4%	51.1%	14.2%	-10.5%	-54.1%	-59.8%	-5.6%	26.5%
<i>Exports of Services</i>	-28.7%	-6.7%	51.1%	52.8%	-3.6%	-47.3%	-9.3%	-1.7%	4.8%
Import of Goods and Services (FOB)	-7.5%	-1.1%	42.7%	19.1%	-0.2%	12.2%	-15.2%	-1.1%	4.9%
<i>Imports of Goods</i>	7.2%	-1.2%	40.8%	17.3%	0.0%	15.4%	-18.2%	-4.5%	4.3%
<i>Imports of Services</i>	-46.4%	-0.8%	52.4%	27.9%	-1.2%	-2.2%	0.5%	4.5%	-0.5%
Statistical discrepancies and Changes in inventories	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
GDP By Expenditure	88.8%	-46.4%	-0.8%	52.4%	27.9%	-1.2%	-2.2%	0.5%	-4.5%

2015* - 2023* Balance of Payment Manual Six (BPM6) was used to compile the Trade Balance

Source: Gambia Bureau of Statistics (GBoS)

2.3 Producer Price Index (PPI) Quarterly Index and Inflation 2023

ISIC Name	Weights	Quarterly Index				Quarterly Inflation			
Description		1 st quarter 2023	2 nd quarter 2023	3 rd quarter 2023	4 th quarter 2023	1 st quarter 2023	2 nd quarter 2023	3 rd quarter 2023	4 th quarter 2023
Quarrying of stone, sand Index	2.05	113.25	114.33	114.33	114.33	0.48	0.95	0.00	0.00
Stone Index	1.43	118.92	120.46	120.46	120.46	0.65	1.29	0.00	0.00
Sand Index	0.61	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
All Food Index	25.83	148.36	153.80	154.68	157.16	2.04	3.67	0.57	1.60
Processed and preserved fish, crustaceans and molluscs Index	8.66	141.74	143.05	145.66	146.97	1.79	0.92	1.82	0.90
Manufacture nuts, vegetable and animal oils and fats Index	0.10	152.67	152.65	152.24	152.24	5.84	-0.01	-0.27	0.00
Manufacture of dairy products Index	0.17	104.12	106.82	106.82	110.59	0.00	2.59	0.00	3.53
Manufacture of grain mill products Index	0.58	128.65	135.22	135.22	169.45	2.62	5.11	0.00	25.31
Manufacture of bakery products Index	12.40	162.77	170.76	170.76	172.86	1.68	4.91	0.00	1.23
Manufacture of other food products n.e.c. (vinegar, salt) Index	1.47	141.99	149.21	149.21	153.45	5.72	5.08	0.00	2.84
Manufacture of prepared animal feed Index	2.44	110.08	116.28	116.28	116.28	2.90	5.63	0.00	0.00
Drinks Index	17.95	103.21	103.21	103.21	103.72	0.09	0.00	0.00	0.49
Manufacture of beverages Index	0.35	134.96	134.96	134.96	134.96	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Manufacture of soft drinks; production of mineral waters and other bottled Index	17.60	102.58	102.58	102.58	103.10	0.09	0.00	0.00	0.51
All None-Food Index	53.30	166.74	169.52	170.10	170.59	0.40	1.67	0.34	0.29
Clothing Index	29.87	196.57	196.57	196.57	197.45	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.45
Leather and related products Index	0.13	111.57	111.57	111.57	111.57	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Wood products Index	0.84	165.39	168.12	170.81	170.81	0.00	1.65	1.60	0.00
Printing and service activities related to printing Index	2.15	118.83	118.83	118.83	118.83	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Manufacture of basic chemicals- fuel for industries Index	1.13	103.99	146.38	162.92	162.92	0.00	40.76	11.30	0.00
Manufacture of soap and detergents, cleaning and polishing preparations, Index	2.49	132.24	140.05	140.05	140.05	11.51	5.91	0.00	0.00
Other non-metallic mineral products Index	0.14	130.76	131.42	132.08	132.08	10.12	0.50	0.50	0.00
Metal products Index	8.16	139.52	147.25	147.25	147.25	0.00	5.54	0.00	0.00
Manufacture of other fabricated metal products n. e. c. Index	0.16	176.22	176.22	178.74	178.74	0.00	0.00	1.43	0.00
Furniture Index	7.46	119.95	122.00	123.21	123.21	0.00	1.71	0.99	0.00
Other Index	0.77	104.59	104.59	104.59	104.59	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Service	0.88	197.91	197.91	204.42	204.42	0.00	0.00	3.29	0.00
Industrial services Index	0.69	105.65	105.65	113.96	113.96	0.00	0.00	7.87	0.00
Repair of transport equipment except motor vehicle Index	0.19	533.13	533.13	533.13	533.13	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
All Items Index	100.00	149.77	152.68	153.27	154.26	0.77	1.94	0.39	0.65

2.4 The National Consumer Price Indices, January 2020 = 100

Table 2.4.1 Consumer Price Index

INDICATOR	Jan-23	Feb-23	Mar-23	Apr-23	May-23	Jun-23	Jul-23	Aug-23	Sep-23	Oct-23	Nov-23	Dec-23
Consumer Price Index, All items	131.2213	132.302	135.0622	141.5423	142.8528	144.4879	146.4027	147.4771	148.5728	149.6439	150.4275	151.554
FOOD AND NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES	139.8532	141.219	144.6391	152.8966	154.6332	156.6157	159.4662	160.9762	162.6778	164.1399	165.1353	167.0644
FOOD	141.2937	142.7136	146.2718	154.9222	156.589	158.5892	161.5737	163.1147	164.9192	166.4697	167.5254	169.5301
Bread Cereals	141.1593	141.8275	145.5984	155.6616	156.277	157.3934	159.5879	160.965	161.1846	161.5504	162.0107	162.5188
Meat	132.4314	136.7355	140.0676	148.6927	148.9233	149.4605	150.0922	150.9154	150.9997	153.7181	154.4485	154.8907
Fish	145.3834	146.9433	154.79	173.5871	178.7068	180.4482	183.207	184.2833	186.1991	188.4487	191.3111	197.7517
Milk, Cheese and Eggs	135.1664	137.9754	142.602	144.8611	146.7964	147.3218	148.5113	150.1362	151.3923	153.6982	153.1641	153.614
Oils and fats	180.4301	180.6063	181.3117	184.8993	189.4927	192.1997	192.2605	192.4827	194.7044	192.0823	192.0823	192.0823
Fruits & nuts	148.2591	148.5804	150.0925	159.2883	160.0845	164.4029	166.8146	169.3966	171.4357	172.2338	174.4316	174.2744
Vegetables, root crops & tubers	130.5104	131.5785	133.6784	134.4496	135.2172	139.8871	148.5745	151.2676	156.5789	159.2081	161.1007	163.5539
Sugar, jam, honey & sweets	144.7984	146.0562	147.4747	151.503	152.7254	154.7702	154.8775	155.7904	157.7528	164.9685	164.871	171.7413
Other food products	121.2332	123.2275	128.7718	152.0519	153.7095	154.4769	158.9405	162.2332	164.061	164.1731	166.5247	168.5666
Non-alcoholic beverages	116.0284	116.4985	117.6358	119.3932	122.2842	123.9745	124.6093	125.6054	125.6054	125.6054	125.6054	126.283
NON-FOOD PRODUCTS AND SERVICES	121.4471	122.2087	124.2303	128.7209	129.5545	130.8009	131.6676	132.2542	132.6713	133.3046	133.7936	134.0211
ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, TOBACCO AND NARCOTIC	145.3494	145.6191	145.6054	146.8156	148.2553	148.2553	151.2696	151.2696	151.2746	151.2746	151.2753	151.2753
Alcoholic beverages	141.7249	142.7738	142.7681	144.2051	144.3737	144.3737	144.4313	144.4313	144.601	144.601	144.625	144.625
Tobacco	150.7851	151.0876	151.0704	152.5511	154.3706	154.3706	158.1914	158.1914	158.1914	158.1914	158.1914	158.1914
CLOTHING, TEXTILES & FOOTWEAR	116.4715	117.3599	118.6225	122.427	122.797	125.0408	127.033	127.618	128.5461	129.9477	130.1654	130.3374
CLOTHING, GARMENTS AND TAILORING SERVICES	116.0621	116.3983	116.4913	120.8229	121.0016	122.1829	123.2087	123.3687	124.293	125.4008	125.4792	125.6735
Clothing materials	111.3892	111.3892	111.3892	124.2312	124.2312	124.2312	124.2312	124.2312	126.3301	126.3301	126.4081	126.4081
Garments	132.8524	134.0449	134.3748	134.3748	135.0085	139.199	142.8374	143.405	144.1725	148.1021	148.2865	148.976
Repair and hire of clothing	107.7706	107.7706	107.7706	107.7706	107.7706	107.7706	107.7706	107.7706	107.7706	107.7706	107.7706	107.7706
Footwear	118.5972	122.354	129.6901	130.7573	132.1212	139.8821	146.8936	149.6856	150.6328	153.5603	154.5021	154.5577
HOUSING, WATER, ELECTRICITY, GAS AND OTHER F	113.5308	113.8911	122.4408	140.3661	141.5344	145.609	145.6242	145.6349	145.503	145.5199	145.7236	146.118
Actual rentals for housing	153.6697	153.6697	153.6697	153.6697	153.6697	153.6697	153.6697	153.6697	153.6697	153.6697	153.6697	153.6697
Other services relating to the dwelling	100	100	100	117.8182	117.8182	117.8182	117.8182	117.8182	117.8182	117.8182	117.8182	117.8182
Electricity, gas and other fuels	113.6985	113.6985	123.4286	142.7282	144.0507	148.9681	148.966	148.966	148.9675	148.988	149.2348	149.6604
FURNISHINGS, HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT, ETC	116.9552	119.0149	121.2239	125.7793	127.6205	131.4388	132.9861	133.5852	134.3	134.427	135.4236	135.6656
Furniture, decorations, floor coverings and repairs	123.5863	124.7865	125.8416	130.1704	131.1791	131.3359	132.7308	133.308	133.4029	134.1273	134.1273	134.5266
Household textiles	118.543	118.543	124.2565	125.0065	125.0065	129.3041	129.5146	129.5146	129.6231	129.9718	129.9718	131.3596
Household appliances	115.407	115.407	115.996	116.514	116.8262	116.903	117.0119	117.0119	117.0166	117.2109	117.2109	117.2109
Goods and services for routine household maintenance	114.8685	117.3496	119.7755	125.1678	127.4414	131.8026	133.6428	134.3102	134.9318	135.0245	136.1988	136.1988
HEALTH	154.8834	156.0643	156.383	157.4074	157.5378	157.5378	157.8177	157.8177	157.8177	157.8177	157.8177	157.8177
TRANSPORT	133.9261	134.1452	133.4078	133.521	133.8083	131.5548	131.5548	133.287	133.3361	134.7983	135.9185	136.302
COMMUNICATIONS	97.16354	97.16354	97.1732	97.1732	97.17498	97.14185	97.14275	97.14275	97.14275	97.14275	97.11898	97.11898
RECREATION AND CULTURE	135.5527	136.2217	139.924	139.9349	140.9441	141.9574	142.437	142.437	142.5339	142.8256	143.0487	143.2753

Audio-visual, photographic equipment, cultural activities	113.6783	113.6783	113.6783	113.6783	113.6783	113.6783	113.6783	113.6783	113.6783	113.6783	113.6783	113.6783
Newspapers, books and stationery	160.4225	160.4225	160.4225	160.4412	160.4412	161.0963	161.0963	161.0963	161.2633	161.3198	161.3198	161.3198
Education	370.9573	370.9573	370.9573	370.9573	370.9573	370.9573	370.9573	370.9573	370.9573	370.9573	509.6434	509.6434
HOTELS, CAFES AND RESTAURANTS	153.4179	156.8189	161.5941	176.5155	178.751	181.102	182.557	183.291	184.0295	184.2281	184.2281	184.7751
MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND SERVICES	152.3851	153.8072	156.1444	156.9693	159.166	159.7493	162.222	162.6831	164.6431	165.6796	166.2534	166.417
Personal care	163.5868	166.2923	170.7388	172.3082	176.4876	177.5974	182.3017	183.1789	186.9079	188.8797	189.2159	189.5272

Other items (net)	Gambian Dalasi	-4992.005	-5629.67	-5628.13727	-6294.691	-5778.35394	-5858.19852	-6392.01	-6570.78299	-6235.37	-6845.88913	-6264.52996	-5825.51
Net claims on other DMB	Gambian Dalasi	834.492	977.484	1248.633272	968.425	875.686	820.9502723	685.2	668.91	389.91	54.665	100.584	528.98
of which: Capital account	Gambian Dalasi	-8661.74	-8888.424	-8891.62436	-9020.119	-9190.798	-9180.91393	-9531.64	-9659.662	-990.03	-10120.545	-10207.898	-10285.37
Total deposit liabilities	Gambian Dalasi	53323.398	53130.292	53124.2706	53598.937	52671.561	52565.38459	55522.04	55380.762	55618.97	55204.858	55880.959	58729.6
Demand deposits	Gambian Dalasi	24778.731	24772.006	25178.88853	25686.286	25232.56	25181.10648	27252.47	26799.073	27125.44	26310.863	26364.542	29195.2
Savings deposits	Gambian Dalasi	23711.098	23800.532	23869.89057	23623.697	23370.254	23043.04676	23871.03	24378.938	24395.03	24671.224	24941.179	24807.65
Time deposits	Gambian Dalasi	4833.569	4557.754	4075.4915	4288.954	4068.747	4341.23135	4398.54	4202.751	4098.5	4222.771	4575.238	4726.75

Source: Central Bank of The Gambia (CBG)

2.6 Official Reserve Assets (Monthly)

Table 2.6.1: Official Reserve Assets

INDICATORS	Scale	Jan 23	Feb 23	Mar 23	Apr 23	May 23	Jun 23	Jul 23	Aug 23	Sep 23	Oct 23	Nov 23	Dec 23
International Liquidity, Total Reserves excluding Gold, US Dollars	Millions	574.8590	569.0563	568.6039	556.6594	528.0519	535.5473	506.9713	523.8259	475.5476	530.0976	506.6653	577.0494
International Liquidity, Total Reserves excluding Gold, SDR Holdings, US Dollars	Millions	78.7617	77.6122	78.5724	77.6275	76.0298	76.1793	75.3502	74.2971	73.4613	72.3927	73.0879	73.5654
International Liquidity, Total Reserves excluding Gold, Reserve Position in the Fund, US Dollars	Millions	12.6059	12.4219	12.5756	12.5922	12.4095	12.4339	12.5542	12.4326	12.2928	12.2849	12.4640	12.5454
International Liquidity, Total Reserves excluding Gold, Foreign Exchange, US Dollars	Millions	483.4914	479.0222	477.4558	466.4396	439.6127	446.9342	419.0669	437.0962	389.7935	445.4200	421.1134	490.9387

Source: Central Bank of The Gambia (CBG)

2.7 Exchange Rates

Table 2.7.1: Exchange Rates

INDICATOR	Units	Jan 23	Feb 23	Mar 23	Apr 23	May 23	Jun 23	Jul 23	Aug 23	Sep 23	Oct 23	Nov 23	Dec 23
Gambian Dalasi per GB Pound Sterling, Period Average	Rate	74.13	74.14	74.51	75.26	73.48	74.24	75.37	76.35	76.19	76.41	77.67	79.66
Gambian Dalasi per US Dollar, Period Average	Rate	60.99	60.91	61.66	61.08	59.43	59.27	59.69	60.48	61.27	61.89	62.88	63.61
Gambian Dalasi per US Dollar, End of Period	Rate	60.76	60.94	62.50	59.85	58.97	59.25	60.40	60.56	61.92	60.02	63.13	64.30
Gambian Dalasi per Euro, Period Average	Rate	64.75	65.88	66.48	66.91	64.83	64.60	65.88	66.48	66.01	66.49	67.68	68.86
Gambian Dalasi per Euro, End of Period	Rate	65.71	66.34	67.30	65.62	63.77	64.55	66.24	65.72	66.39	66.17	68.88	70.50
Gambian Dalasi per Swiss Franc, Period Average	Rate	64.54	65.73	66.41	65.52	65.28	65.44	64.70	65.21	65.92	66.37	68.03	71.13
Gambian Dalasi per 100 Swedish Kroner, Period Average	Rate	608.95	626.53	566.59	598.95	562.06	555.18	541.42	552.34	541.00	543.73	550.25	578.16
Gambian Dalasi per 5000 Franc CFA, Period Average	Rate	475.87	494.87	481.35	501.99	499.09	478.09	491.38	483.77	484.28	492.70	504.49	518.95
Gambian Dalasi per Swiss Franc, End of Period	Rate	64.81	64.78	64.83	64.74	65.39	66.00	64.65	66.07	66.68	68.19	67.77	76.50
Gambian Dalasi per 100 Swedish Kroner, End of Period	Rate	614.47	585.57	562.65	574.25	557.99	556.16	555.25	544.99	513.58	546.84	544.59	560.37
Gambian Dalasi per 5000 Franc CFA, End of Period	Rate	458.69	480.82	497.20	486.65	487.61	501.99	488.65	490.39	498.88	501.74	516.37	514.05
Gambian Dalasi per GB Pound Sterling, End of Period	Rate	75.61	74.02	75.38	73.20	73.11	74.42	74.83	75.99	75.85	76.35	78.39	81.08

Source: Central Bank of The Gambia (CBG)

2.8 Interest Rates

Table 2.8.1: Interest rates

Time	Units	Sep-21	Oct-21	Nov-21	Dec-21	Jan-22	Feb-22	Mar-22	Apr-22	May-22	Jun-22	Jul-22	Aug-22
Discount on T Bills (T-Bill Rate)	Percent per Annum	1.538	2.435	1.19	1.554	2.77	1.3175	2.25	1.6875	2.505	5.314	7.5925	4.986
Rediscount on T Bills (Policy; Eop)	Percent per Annum	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	11	11	11	11
Min Rate for Industry	Percent per Annum	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Max Rate Industrial Credit	Percent per Annum	19	19	19	19	19	19	19	19	19	19	19	19
Min Rate for Building	Percent per Annum	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Max Rate for Building	Percent per Annum	19	19	19	19	19	19	19	19	19	19	19	19
Min Rate for Trade	Percent per Annum	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Max Rate Trade Credit	Percent per Annum	19	19	19	19	19	19	19	19	19	19	19	19
Min Rate for Other	Percent per Annum	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Max Rate Other Sectors	Percent per Annum	19	19	19	19	19	19	19	19	19	19	19	19
Min Savings Bank Rate	Percent per Annum	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Max Savings Bank Rate	Percent per Annum	2.75	2.75	2.75	2.75	2.75	2.75	3	3	3	3	3	3
Max 3 Months Deposits	Percent per Annum	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	5	5	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8
Short Term Account	Percent per Annum	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5
Min 3 Months Deposits	Percent per Annum	0.24	0.01	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15
Min 6 Months Deposits	Percent per Annum	0.06	0.19	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25
Max 6 Months Deposits	Percent per Annum	5.45	5.45	5.45	5.45	5.45	5.45	6	6	5.45	5.45	5.45	5.45
Min 9 Months Deposits	Percent per Annum	0.14	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25
Max 9 Months Deposits	Percent per Annum	5	5	5	5	5	5	6	6	5	5	5	5
Min 12 Months Deposits	Percent per Annum	0.04	0.09	0.25	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.25	0.25	0.25
Max 12 Months Deposits	Percent per Annum	8	8	8	8	8	8	10	10	8	8	8	8
Sukuk Al Salam 3 Months Deposits	Percent per Annum	2.448	1.4375	0.54	1.3	3.2625	3.9125	0.942	1.7575	2.93	2.324	2.03	4.05
Sukuk Al Salam 6 Months Deposits	Percent per Annum	1.87	2.90575	3.0775	1.74	4.3575	3.6825	1.852	1.705	2.28	1.58	2.665	5.68
Sukuk Al Salam 12 Months Deposits	Percent per Annum	2.1	3.34	2.0725	2.454	2.66	4.1275	4.08	3.2925	1.7125	1.614	2.4975	5.462

Source: Central Bank of The Gambia (CBG)

2.9 Distribution of Outstanding Treasury Bills (In millions)

Table 2.9.1: Distribution of Outstanding Treasury Bills (In millions)

INDICATORS	Units	Jan 23	Feb 23	Mar 23	Apr 23	May 23	Jun 23	Jul 23	Aug 23	Sep 23	Oct 23	Nov 23	Dec 23
Treasury Bills, Total	Gambian Dalasi	17127.51	17383.27	18275.727	17876.52	18094.7	18086.454	17898.222	18137.605	18786.6	19031.92	19371.666	19265.687
Treasury Bills, Total Banks	Gambian Dalasi	14129.83	14181.48	14923.728	14529.054	14765.75	14730.504	14479.063	14875.645	15340.974	15500.01	15897.704	15926.863
Treasury Bills, Central Bank	Gambian Dalasi	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Treasury Bills, Commercial Banks	Gambian Dalasi	14129.83	14181.48	14923.728	14529.054	14765.75	14730.504	14479.063	14875.645	15340.974	15500.01	15897.704	15926.863
Treasury Bills, Total Non-Bank Entities	Gambian Dalasi	2997.68	3201.79	3351.9992	3347.4655	3328.9501	3355.9495	3419.1594	3261.9599	3445.6266	3531.91	3473.9619	3338.8248
Treasury Bills, Public Non-Bank Entities	Gambian Dalasi	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Treasury Bills, Private Non-Bank Entities	Gambian Dalasi	2997.68	3201.79	3351.9992	3347.4655	3328.9501	3355.9495	3419.1594	3261.9599	3445.6266	3531.91	3473.9619	3338.8248

Source: Central Bank of The Gambia (CBG)

	Sex		Residence		Local government area					Functional difficulty		Age (yrs.)		Subsistence agriculture		Total			
	Male	Female	Urban	Rural	Banjul	Kanifing	Brikama	Mansakonko	Kerewan	Kuntaur	Janjanbureh	Basse	With functional difficulty	Without functional difficulty	Youth (15–35)		Adult (36+)	Participate in subsistence agriculture	Not Participate in subsistence agriculture
and unemployment (%)	16.3	26.1	20.1	22.2	17.6	21.0	21.1	26.3	19.0	22.4	21.0	19.6	21.3	20.9	25.1	15.5	29.2	20.0	20.9
LU3: Combined rate of unemployment and potential labour force (%)	24.9	37.9	27.6	37.2	21.2	28.6	28.0	31.1	28.6	48.6	34.0	47.3	26.7	31.8	38.6	21.0	52.2	28.3	31.6
LU4: Composite measure of labour underutilization (%)	31.8	50.5	36.2	48.8	28.1	36.1	38.1	47.1	39.9	58.5	46.2	55.4	37.8	41.6	48.6	30.6	62.5	38.1	41.5

Source: Gambia Bureau of Statistics, Integrated Household Survey, 2020

2.10.2 Youth (15-35) Key Labour Market Indicators by sex, residence and local government area

Table 2.10.2: Youth (15-35) Key Labour Market Indicators by sex, residence and local government area

	Sex		Residence				Local government area						Total
	Male	Female	Urban	Rural	Banjul	Kanifing	Brikama	Mansakonko	Kerewan	Kuntaur	Janjanbureh	Basse	
Population (15-35)	428,011	469,395	565,269	332,137	10,116	159,770	430,329	30,222	88,024	41,025	46,229	91,690	897,406*
Labour force	178,923	163,195	216,937	125,181	4,343	69,109	160,323	11,739	40,852	12,109	17,916	25,727	342,118
-Employed	160,170	146,092	188,325	117,937	3,666	57,693	141,881	11,131	38,865	11,586	17,206	24,234	306,262
-Unemployed	18,753	17,103	28,612	7,244	677	11,416	18,442	608	1,987	523	710	1,493	35,856
Outside the labour force	249,089	306,200	348,333	206,956	5,772	90,662	270,006	18,484	47,172	28,917	28,312	65,964	555,289
Labour underutilization	90,161	152,324	129,755	112,730	1,916	41,217	102,752	9,604	27,146	16,024	14,912	28,913	242,485
-Unemployed	18,753	17,103	28,612	7,244	677	11,416	18,442	608	1,987	523	710	1,493	35,856
-Time-related underemployed	16,583	33,358	25,247	24,694	382	6,993	23,249	2,823	6,848	2,588	3,459	3,599	49,941
-Potential labour force	54,825	101,863	75,896	80,792	857	22,808	61,061	6,173	18,311	12,913	10,743	23,821	156,688
Discouraged job-seekers	25,566	43,075	28,827	39,814	155	8,961	21,906	3,285	8,265	5,530	8,323	12,216	68,640
Discouraged job-seekers (%)	10.3	14.1	8.3	19.2	2.7	9.9	8.1	17.8	17.5	19.1	29.4	18.5	12.4
Employees	86,175	36,447	88,254	34,369	1,909	29,587	63,273	2,579	9,633	3,475	5,189	6,979	122,623
Self-employed	73,899	109,333	100,011	83,222	1,757	28,106	78,491	8,527	29,170	8,095	11,911	17,174	183,233
NEET	184,456	221,976	248,354	158,078	4,220	64,054	194,445	13,603	35,025	24,223	21,043	49,819	406,432
Employees (%)	53.8	24.9	46.9	29.1	52.1	51.3	44.6	23.2	24.8	30.0	30.2	28.8	40.0
Self-employed (%)	46.1	74.8	53.1	70.6	47.9	48.7	55.3	76.6	75.1	69.9	69.2	70.9	59.8
NEET (%)	43.1	47.3	43.9	47.6	41.7	40.1	45.2	45	39.8	59	45.5	54.3	45.3
Labour force participation rate	41.8	34.8	38.4	37.7	42.9	43.3	37.3	38.8	46.4	29.5	38.8	28.1	38.1
Employment-to-population ratio	37.4	31.1	33.3	35.5	36.2	36.1	33.0	36.8	44.2	28.2	37.2	26.4	34.1
Time related underemployment rate (%)	9.3	20.4	11.6	19.7	8.8	10.1	14.5	24.0	16.8	21.4	19.3	14.0	14.6
LU1: Unemployment rate (%)	10.5	10.5	13.2	5.8	15.6	16.5	11.5	5.2	4.9	4.3	4.0	5.8	10.5
LU2: Combined rate of time-related underemployment and unemployment (%)	19.7	30.9	24.8	25.5	24.4	26.6	26.0	29.2	21.6	25.7	23.3	19.8	25.1
LU3: Combined rate of unemployment and potential labour force (%)	31.5	44.9	35.7	42.7	29.5	37.2	35.9	37.9	34.3	53.7	40.0	51.1	38.6
LU4: Composite measure of labour underutilization (%)	38.6	57.5	44.3	54.7	36.9	44.8	46.4	53.6	45.9	64.0	52.0	58.4	48.6

Source: Gambia Bureau of Statistics, Integrated Household Survey, 2020

2.10.3 Employed persons by branch of economic activity in main job

Table 2.10.3: Employed persons by branch of economic activity in main job

Branch of economic activity (main job)	Persons with informal employment	Persons with formal employment	Total	Percent
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	114,159	4,261	118,420	21.0
Mining and quarrying	3,743	*1,192	4,936	0.9
Manufacturing	41,917	9,600	51,517	9.1
Electricity, gas, steam and air con	*433	*822	1,254	0.2
Water supply; sewerage, waste management	*682	*271	953	0.2
Construction	57,518	2,994	60,511	10.7
Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles, motorcycles	119,945	27,943	147,887	26.2
Transportation and storage	22,588	9,074	31,662	5.6
Accommodation and food service activities	28,879	4,780	33,659	6.0
Information and communication	(2,686)	(2,395)	5,082	0.9
Financial and insurance activities	(2,246)	(3,172)	5,417	1.0
Real estate activities	*647	*527	1,174	0.2
Professional, scientific and technical activities	3,695	4,488	8,183	1.5
Administrative and support service	8,525	8,768	17,293	3.1
Public administration and defense;	(1,816)	10,445	12,261	2.2
Education	9,546	16,221	25,767	4.6
Human health and social work activities	2,471	4,837	7,308	1.3
Arts, entertainment and recreation	2,320	*838	3,158	0.6
Other service activities	15,437	(2,583)	18,020	3.2
Activities of households as employers	7,506	*578	8,084	1.4
Activities of extraterritorial organisations and bodies	*70	*121	191	0.0
Total	447,487	115,908	563,395	100.0

Source: Gambia Bureau of Statistics, Integrated Household Survey, 2020

2.10.4 Discouraged jobseekers by sex, residence, LGA, disability and age

Table 2.10.4: Discouraged jobseekers by sex, residence, LGA, disability and age

Characteristics		Number	Per cent
Sex	Male	33,930	9.7
	Female	59,356	13.6
Residence	Urban	34,962	7.3
	Rural	58,323	18.9
LGA	Banjul	241	2.9
	Kanifing	11,004	8.5
	Brikama	26,922	7.3
	Mansakonko	4,837	17.5
	Kerewan	11,205	16.2
	Kuntaur	7,846	18.6
	Janjanbureh	12,476	29.6
	Basse	18,754	18.8
	With functional difficulty	1,840	4.6
	Without functional difficulty	91,445	12.2
Disability	Youth (15-35 yrs.)	68,640	12.4
	Adult (36+ yrs.)	24,645	10.6
Age			
Total		93,285	11.8

Source: Gambia Bureau of Statistics, Integrated Household Survey, 2020

2.10.5 Child labour

Table 2.10.5: Percentage distribution of children in child labour, by age group, sex, residence and LGA

		Children aged 5-11 in child labour		Children aged 12-14 in child labour		Children aged 15-17 in child labour		Total childlabour 5-17 years			
		%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.		
Sex	Male	18.8	46,108	30.0	30,240	22.0	76,348	29.7	25,162	23.5	101,510
	Female	18.6	43,118	28.2	26,041	21.3	69,159	27.3	23,451	22.6	92,610
Residence	Urban	6.6	16,503	13.7	15,044	8.8	31,547	16.2	16,477	10.4	48,024
	Rural	32.1	72,723	49.2	41,237	36.7	113,960	46.7	32,136	38.5	146,096
LGA	Banjul	*0.5	19	*0.7	11	0.5	30	*3.2	57	1.1	87
	Kanifing	(3.5)	2,209	(9.7)	2,666	5.4	4,875	14.6	3,849	7.5	8,724
	Brikama	12.8	26,456	16.2	13,490	13.8	39,946	16.7	13,164	14.4	53,110
	Mansakonko	41.8	8,691	53.4	4,507	45.2	13,198	59.0	3,938	47.7	17,136
	Kerewan	20.8	12,210	44.3	11,153	27.9	23,363	42.3	8,233	30.6	31,595
	Kuntaur	36.6	11,089	62.4	6,435	43.1	17,523	61.4	5,236	46.3	22,760
	Janjanbureh	39.3	12,887	55.9	6,975	43.9	19,862	54.8	5,236	45.8	25,098
	Basse	25.6	15,666	44.9	11,045	31.2	26,711	45.8	8,899	33.9	35,610
TOTAL		18.7	89,226	29.1	56,281	21.7	145,507	28.5	48,613	23.1	194,120

Source: Gambia Bureau of Statistics, Integrated Household Survey, 2020

Chapter 3 International Merchandise Trade statistics

3.1 Annual Trade Summary Statistics from 2008-2023 (in '000' GMD)

Table 3.1.1: Annual Trade Summary Statistics from 2008-2023 (in '000' GMD)

Year	Imports	Exports	Re-Exports	Total Export	Total Trade	Trade Balance
2008	7,098,069	226,797	73,305	300,102	7,398,171	-6,797,967
2009	8,084,622	669,026	1,086,141	1,755,167	9,839,789	-6,329,455
2010	7,930,693	927,081	980,519	1,907,600	9,838,293	-6,023,093
2011	10,051,043	323,788	2,465,996	2,789,784	12,840,828	-7,261,259
2012	12,158,600	587,804	3,206,142	3,793,946	15,952,546	-8,364,653
2013	12,550,253	413,409	3,393,833	3,807,241	16,357,494	-8,743,012
2014	16,140,200	669,632	3,638,552	4,308,183	20,448,383	-11,832,017
2015	16,640,430	814,775	2,929,893	3,744,668	20,385,098	-12,895,763
2016	15,898,749	744,428	3,179,193	3,923,621	19,822,370	-11,975,128
2017	25,678,051	639,284	403,587	1,042,871	26,720,923	-24,635,180
2018	32,621,590	225,018	403,141	628,159	33,249,749	-31,993,431
2019	31,076,150	451,891	1,121,193	1,573,084	32,649,234	-29,503,066
2020	34,913,753	261,188	1,175,122	1,436,310	36,350,063	-33,477,443
2021	36,521,225	567,330	792,676	1,360,006	37,881,231	-35,161,219
2022	44,888,775	1,289,703	1,738,182	3,027,885	47,916,659	-41,860,890
2023	51,346,221	864,896	4,319,559	5,184,456	56,530,676	-46,161,765

Source: Gambia Bureau of Statistics

Note: trade balance is total exports minus imports (TE-IM)

Total trade is total exports plus imports (TE+IM)

Total export is export plus re-exports (E+R)

3.2 Monthly Trade Summary by Trade Flow from 2020-2023 (in '000' GMD)

Table 3.2.1: Monthly Trade Summary by Trade Flow from 2020-2023 (in '000' GMD)

Year	2020			2021			2022			2023		
Month	Imports	Exports	Re-Exports	Imports	Exports	Re-Exports	Imports	Exports	Re-Exports	Imports	Exports	Re-Exports
January	6,644,619	20,402	41,004	2,472,429	89,375	90,383	3,288,580	31,342	748,792	3,521,424	138,739	37,158
February	2,899,635	18,014	639,066	2,463,468	159,951	57,926	3,291,458	94,426	147,757	3,573,436	86,281	169,399
March	2,915,896	21,208	32,113	3,437,210	67,038	148,020	4,316,399	176,329	105,960	4,344,245	68,223	18,637
April	2,730,723	49,038	4,855	3,223,870	28,818	68,739	2,775,259	116,939	20,565	5,117,616	54,738	3,068,827
May	2,534,976	20,265	14,556	2,664,381	54,660	18,996	3,496,513	169,140	33,570	4,289,628	82,574	110,433
June	2,295,261	37,453	77,014	2,546,399	54,614	50,465	2,487,368	94,990	22,492	4,405,438	112,194	42,569
July	3,230,939	31,805	178,775	2,873,814	35,730	121,625	4,349,964	61,063	14,427	3,725,828	36,224	66,891
August	2,588,114	13,964	3,486	3,167,477	21,171	36,186	3,211,602	173,758	116,220	5,130,631	47,023	57,406
September	2,285,349	12,874	69,500	2,685,400	24,785	19,721	3,761,992	56,025	503,159	4,241,989	34,336	411,634
October	2,183,161	7,861	55,803	3,012,228	10,707	55,250	5,949,418	35,060	2,320	3,449,136	41,429	110,250
November	2,361,687	2,680	5,039	4,671,980	16,247	31,302	5,165,486	45,649	10,260	5,540,362	31,275	143,830
December	2,243,392	25,624	53,910	3,302,569	4,232	94,063	2,794,736	234,982	12,661	4,006,487	131,859	82,527

Source: Gambia Bureau of Statistics

3.3 Exports to Continents, Economic and Geographical Regions from 2013-2023, (in '000' GMD)

Table 3.3.1: Exports to Continents, Economic and Geographical Regions from 2013-2023 (in '000' GMD)

Year	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Partner	Exports	Exports	Exports	Exports	Exports	Exports	Exports	Exports	Exports	Exports	Exports
AFRICA	20,791	43,678	40,561	11,632	19,242	33,043	28,334	40,229	49,382	117,628	29,014
<i>OF WHICH</i>											
ECOWAS	9,759	24,674	36,370	5,604	6,543	22,306	19,688	38,172	48,341	115,006	25,613
REST OF AFRICA	11,032	19,005	4,191	6,028	12,700	10,738	8,645	2,057	1,041	2,623	3,401
EUROPE	74,093	78,700	347,696	44,242	57,203	64,717	52,367	40,059	19,694	264,017	223,988
<i>OF WHICH</i>											
EU	70,136	78,021	347,342	44,242	55,681	64,717	38,886	31,205	19,560	213,470	110,119
AMERICAS	2,795	1,972	1,328	2,347	11,230	7,212	27,162	12,540	4,554	12,230	11,382
ASIA	307,931	545,281	425,175	686,207	550,853	120,045	344,028	168,360	493,700	895,828	601,189
SUBTOTAL	405,610	669,632	814,760	744,428	638,529	225,018	451,891	261,188	565,303	1,289,703	865,573
REST OF THE WORLD	7,798	0	15	0	755	0	0	0	2,027	0	0
TOTAL EXPORTS	413,409	669,632	814,775	744,428	639,284	225,018	451,891	261,188	567,330	1,289,703	865,573

Source: Gambia Bureau of Statistics

3.4 Imports to Continents, Economic and Geographical Regions from 2013-2023, (in '000' GMD)

Table 3.4.1: Imports to Continents, Economic and Geographical Regions from 2013-2023 (in '000' GMD)

Year	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Partner	Imports	Imports	Imports	Imports	Imports	Imports	Imports	Imports	Imports	Imports	Imports
AFRICA	3,888,011	4,446,781	5,863,389	3,732,071	12,312,844	14,891,631	11,335,901	11,048,196	16,207,988	19,645,043	15,828,419
<i>OF WHICH</i>											
ECOWAS	3,674,445	4,187,582	5,594,754	3,482,740	12,050,509	14,412,478	10,464,440	10,338,745	15,554,426	17,764,870	14,596,092
REST OF AFRICA	213,566	259,199	268,636	249,332	262,335	479,153	871,461	709,451	653,562	1,880,173	1,232,327
EUROPE	3,547,323	4,673,378	4,365,498	5,653,128	5,442,008	8,375,551	7,044,110	11,720,447	9,422,698	8,810,278	15,311,264
<i>OF WHICH</i>											
EU	2,782,553	3,984,703	3,878,043	5,044,862	4,519,782	7,255,099	5,670,350	4,712,551	7,611,099	6,103,205	10,606,874
AMERICAS	1,753,637	2,227,515	2,438,200	2,439,320	2,506,917	3,480,980	3,675,664	3,183,999	3,390,194	3,790,234	3,590,068
ASIA	3,292,876	4,754,192	3,931,370	4,031,442	5,326,138	5,837,451	8,986,479	8,927,585	7,482,617	12,627,003	16,596,847
SUBTOTAL	12,481,847	16,101,865	16,598,457	15,855,961	25,587,908	32,585,612	31,042,153	34,880,227	36,503,496	44,872,558	51,326,597
REST OF THE WORLD	68,407	38,335	41,973	42,788	90,144	35,978	33,996	33,526	17,728	16,216	19,623
TOTAL IMPORTS	12,550,253	16,140,200	16,640,430	15,898,749	25,678,051	32,621,590	31,076,150	34,913,753	36,521,225	44,888,775	51,326,597

Source: Gambia Bureau of Statistics

3.5 Imports from Main Countries, 2021-2023 (in '000' GMD)

Table 3.5.1: Imports from Main Countries, 2021-2023 (in '000' GMD)

2021		2022			
Country	Imports	Country	Imports	Country	Imports
Togo	9,287,664	Cote d'Ivoire	13,447,993	Senegal	8,466,270
Cote d'Ivoire	4,518,704	China	4,139,504	India	5,316,516
China	2,779,751	United Arab Emirates	3,172,087	China	5,246,634
Denmark	2,178,526	Senegal	3,071,645	Belgium	4,536,604
India	2,056,274	India	2,726,702	Cote d'Ivoire	3,501,457
Brazil	1,783,709	Brazil	1,743,026	Turkey	2,424,529
Senegal	1,597,159	Turkey	1,715,912	United Arab Emirates	2,388,409
Spain	1,446,511	Morocco	1,413,967	Togo	1,940,454
Turkey	1,344,457	Belgium	1,402,879	Brazil	1,761,318
Belgium	845,507	United States	1,036,505	United Kingdom	1,433,452

Source: Gambia Bureau of Statistics

3.6 Exports from Main Countries, 2021-2023 (in '000' GMD)

Table 3.6.1: Exports from Main Countries, 2021-2023 (in '000' GMD)

2021		2022			
Country	Exports	Country	Exports	Country	Exports
China	395,313	China	643,313	China	359,572
India	49,714	India	99,723	India	146,350
Senegal	35,416	Spain	99,162	United Kingdom	73,641
Viet Nam	29,711	Viet Nam	92,214	Viet Nam	52,182
Republic of Korea	8,309	Belgium	55,920	Spain	46,380
Greece	7,477	Italy	43,944	Turkey	38,534
Thailand	5,461	Turkey	42,865	Korea, Republic of	35,048
Netherlands	5,174	Republic of Korea	27,515	Italy	33,286
Guinea-Bissau	3,935	Guinea	14,684	Senegal	9,464
Mali	3,136	Malaysia	14,154	Belgium	8,555

Source: Gambia Bureau of Statistics

3.7 Imports of Top Ten Products from 2021-2023, Value (in '000' GMD)

Table 3.7.1: Imports of Top Ten Products from 2021-2023, Value (in '000' GMD)

2021		2022		2023	
PRODUCT	IMPORTS	PRODUCT	IMPORTS	PRODUCT	IMPORTS
Mineral fuels, mineral oils and products of their distillation; bituminous substances; mineral waxes	14,052,681	Mineral fuels, mineral oils, and products of their distillation; bituminous substances; mineral waxes	17,744,995	Mineral fuels, mineral oils and products of their distillation; bituminous substances; mineral waxes	15,844,215
Vehicles other than railway or tramway rolling-stock, and parts and accessories thereof	3,886,285	Vehicles other than railway or tramway rolling stock, and parts and accessories thereof	4,286,900	CEREALS	4,429,543
CEREALS	2,889,842	Cereals	3,013,113	Vehicles other than railway or tramway rolling-stock, and parts and accessories thereof	3,684,834
Salt; sulphur; earths and stone; plastering materials, lime and cement	1,343,695	Electrical machinery and equipment and parts thereof; sound recorders and reproducers, television image and sound recorders and reproducers, and parts and accessories of such articles	2,183,020	FERTILISERS	2,871,524
Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes	1,175,392	Salt; Sulphur; earths and stone; plastering materials, lime, and cement	1,389,622	Electrical machinery and equipment and parts thereof; sound recorders and reproducers, television image and sound recorders and reproducers, and parts and accessories of such articles	2,774,832
Electrical machinery and equipment and parts thereof; sound recorders and reproducers, television image and sound recorders and reproducers, and parts and accessories of such articles	1,118,006	Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery, and mechanical appliances; parts thereof	1,309,800	Salt; sulphur; earths and stone; plastering materials, lime and cement	1,893,663
SUGARS AND SUGAR CONFECTIONERY	1,011,349	Fertilizers	1,191,597	ARTICLES OF IRON OR STEEL	1,789,931
Dairy produce; birds' eggs; natural honey; edible products of animal origin, not elsewhere specified or included	795,863	Sugars and sugar confectionery	1,089,783	Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes	1,633,237
Tools, implements, cutlery, spoons and forks, of base metal; parts thereof of base metal	782,447	Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes	1,005,653	PLASTICS AND ARTICLES THEREOF	1,399,364
Meat AND EDIBLE MEAT OFFAL	548,529	Articles of iron or steel	990,645	CERAMIC PRODUCTS	1,058,870
SUB TOTAL	27,604,090	SUBTOTAL	34,205,128	SUB TOTAL	37,380,011
OTHER PRODUCTS	8,917,135	OTHER PRODUCTS	10,683,646	OTHER PRODUCTS	13,966,209
TOTAL IMPORTS	36,521,225	TOTAL IMPORTS	44,888,775	TOTAL IMPORTS	51,346,221

Source: Gambia Bureau of Statistics

3.8 Exports of Top Ten Products from 2021-2023, Values (in '000' GMD)

Table 3.8.1: Exports of Top Ten Products from 2021-2023, Values (in '000' GMD)

2021		2022		2023	
PRODUCT	EXPORTS	PRODUCT	EXPORTS	PRODUCT	EXPORTS
CEREALS	191,986	Edible fruit and nuts; peel of citrus fruit or melons	308,291	EDIBLE FRUIT AND NUTS; PEEL OF CITRUS FRUIT OR MELONS	179,325
Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits; miscellaneous grains, seeds and fruit; industrial or medicinal plants; straw and fodder	146,123	Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits; miscellaneous grains, seeds, and fruit; industrial or medicinal plants; straw and fodder	300,565	Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits; miscellaneous grains, seeds and fruit; industrial or medicinal plants; straw and fodder	170,827
EDIBLE FRUIT AND NUTS; PEEL OF CITRUS FRUIT OR MELONS	81,979	Fish and crustaceans, molluscs, and other aquatic invertebrates	212,287	Fish and crustaceans, molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates	154,401
Fish and crustaceans, molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates	75,146	Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes	162,873	Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes	101,331
Residues and waste from the food industries; prepared animal fodder	27,689	Preparations of vegetables, fruit, nuts, or other parts of plants	77,030	Salt; sulphur; earths and stone; plastering materials, lime and cement	91,206
Salt; sulphur; earths and stone; plastering materials, lime and cement	24,292	Iron and steel	41,944	IRON AND STEEL	60,686
Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes	7,658	Salt; Sulphur; earths and stone; plastering materials, lime, and cement	21,231	Residues and waste from the food industries; prepared animal fodder	23,126
IRON AND STEEL	2,882	Residues and waste from the food industries; prepared animal fodder	15,935	Products of animal origin, not elsewhere specified or included	14,761
SUGARS AND SUGAR CONFECTIONERY	2,234	Ores, slag, and ash	14,309	EDIBLE VEGETABLES AND CERTAIN ROOTS AND TUBERS	14,315
Products of the milling industry; malt; starches; inulin; wheat gluten	1,701	Products of animal origin, not elsewhere specified or included	10,644	Articles of apparel and clothing accessories, knitted or crocheted	7,272
SUB TOTAL	561,691	SUBTOTAL	1,165,110	SUB TOTAL	817,251
OTHER PRODUCTS	5,639	OTHER PRODUCTS	51,720	OTHER PRODUCTS	47,645
TOTAL	567,330	TOTAL EXPORTS	1,216,830	TOTAL EXPORTS	864,896

Source: Gambia Bureau of Statistics

3.9 Imports from Ecowas Countries from 2019-2023, Value (in '000' GMD)

Table 3.9.1: Imports from Ecowas Countries from 2019-2023, Value (in '000' GMD)

Year	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Country	Imports	Imports	Imports	Imports	Imports
Burkina Faso	0	0	356	0	0
Benin	512	0	144	371	425
Cote d'Ivoire	9,467,126	6,327,659	4,518,704	13,447,993	3,501,457
Cape Verde	214	0	0	0	221
Ghana	30,206	26,570	23,066	33,711	62,815
Guinea	23,617	10,039	16,333	90,421	158,282
Guinea-Bissau	14,765	0	0	2,017	7,013
Liberia	930	2,665	3,391	12,177	140,216
Mali	720	249	777	148	1,121
Niger	7,651	32,114	0	1,394	1,848
Nigeria	145,845	87,230	61,775	51,677	287,178
Sierra Leone	120,788	12,251	45,057	22,392	28,793
Senegal	642,810	1,010,328	1,597,159	3,071,645	8,466,270
Togo	9,256	2,829,640	9,287,664	1,030,924	1,940,454

Source: Gambia Bureau of Statistics

3.10 Exports to Ecowas Countries from 2019-2023, Value (in '000' GMD)

Table 3.10.1: Exports to Ecowas Countries from 2019-2023, Value (in '000' GMD)

Year	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Country	Exports	Exports	Exports	Exports	Exports
Burkina Faso	0	0	0	672	0
Benin	0	0	2,027	5,116	0
Cote d'Ivoire	426	1,391	0	1,579	4,423
Ghana	0	0	641	111	3,109
Guinea	660	1,553	2,020	14,684	1,396
Guinea-Bissau	3,837	2,196	3,935	5,309	529
Liberia	0	675	1,167	8,738	3,078
Mali	0	2,250	3,136	73,511	0
Niger	7,418	0		136	1,200
Nigeria	1,303	0	0	404	1,714
Sierra Leone	0	0	0	0	200
Senegal	5,713	30,107	35,416	904	9,464
Togo	332	0	0	3,842	500

Source: Gambia Bureau of Statistics

3.11 Imports of Selected Basic Products from 2017-2023 (in '000' GMD)

Table 3.11.1: Imports of Selected Basic Products from 2017-2023 (in '000' GMD)

Year	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Products	Imports	Imports	Imports	Imports	Imports	Imports	Imports
EDIBLE VEGETABLES AND CERTAIN ROOTS AND TUBERS	219,917	289,488	166,391	186,085	230,147	171,751	371,889
OF WHICH							
Potatoes, fresh or chilled	27,956	50,916	21,077	29,366	54,357	28,825	77,341
Onions and shallots	167,237	210,505	104,558	108,703	131,647	87,495	169,884
RICE	2,047,739	2,459,754	2,003,105	2,335,242	1,978,688	2,027,004	3,207,130
Wheat or meslin flour	848,005	375,519	389,148	1,076,550	276,538	379,362	1,215,228
REFINED CANE SUGAR	1,123,735	1,458,687	1,767,627	1,372,476	1,799,569	1,089,783	668,033
Total Cement	887,870	733,723	961,459	1,523,279	1,001,164	985,105	2,339,597
OF WHICH							
Portland Cement	868,592	652,339	959,141	1,329,171	979,386	732,138	1,433,523
White cement	18,200	1,744	2,294	3,101	5,044	3,783	4,645
Tomatoes Paste	50,573	70,025	44,976	93,809	98,304	63,131	133
Beverages, spirits and vinegar	83,805	128,782	233,819	210,700	312,533	261,307	278,445
OF WHICH							
Vinegar	210	604	564	960	607	1,452	3,117
Alcohol	3,947	5,332	5,002	9,018	11,427	15,033	30,324
Mineral Water	79,648	122,846	228,254	200,722	297,029	244,822	245,003
Eggs	44,014	62,710	79,011	88,507	129,910	112,777	109,745
Milk and Milk Products	267,150	314,251	409,389	506,274	664,797	500,417	631,428
Vegetable Oil	1,440,513	1,003,041	1,680,609	1,311,068	1,175,285	972,337	1,590,125

Source: Gambia Bureau of Statistics

Chapter 4 Transport and Tourism

4.1 Visitor Arrivals

4.1.1 Air arrivals to The Gambia by nationality, 2013-2023

Table 4.1.1: Air arrivals to The Gambia by nationality, 2013-2023

Nationality	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
British	45,866	46,802	33,288	41,532	37,250	52,102	43,839	13,554	13,068	31,511	32,957
Swedish	7,953	6,209	5,856	7,423	8,565	17,569	15,700	6,160	3,235	4,486	4,517
Danish	1,448	1,765	947	1,216	1,695	2,675	4,547	2,155	771	1,175	1,523
Finnish	2,624	2,696	1,687	4,264	4,631	4,287	4,674	1,723	467	899	935
Norwegian	1,878	2,631	1,730	1,623	1,979	2,365	2,498	878	779	1,597	1,712
German	6,250	4,842	3,752	4,201	5,346	5,397	22,611	7,636	4,391	6,876	6,995
Belgian	5,068	4,297	3,535	5,063	7,346	8,533	8,864	3,669	2,254	5,058	6,337
Dutch	25,517	19,497	14,340	24,260	25,770	31,509	34,723	14,909	3,960	13,932	20,861
Spanish	5,680	5,560	5,671	5,488	6,001	7,587	8,077	2,515	5,595	9,619	10,087
French	1,568	1,377	1,292	1,571	2,536	2,439	2,634	1,232	2,495	4,216	4,312
American	3,104	3,746	3,764	3,997	4,257	5,131	6,284	3,028	8,930	11,141	11,266
Italian	562	487	364	666	816	1,728	1,512	985	691	1,056	1,246
Austrian	910	305	312	759	582	720	830	265	284	566	524
Czechs	113	2,195	5,875	4,997	418	358	307	208	87	318	312
Polish	1,980	2,527	1,900	2,565	2,536	3,349	4,886	3,967	309	2,072	4,035
Irish	1,539	668	227	356	534	602	536	209	160	473	537
Nigerian	7,124	4,426	4,542	3,102	3,888	5,388	6,019	1,818	3,456	5,930	5,638
Gambian	29,175	30,204	28,532	30,544	29,322	32,652	40,484	15,751	34,615	52,876	59,206
African	15,684	10,288	10,294	10,333	9,337	11,171	16,093	4,229	7,851	11,978	13,737
Others	7,156	5,200	6,652	7,166	9,266	10,620	10,527	3,752	5,137	9,938	256
Russian	0	0	0	0	0	2,961	144	63	121	82	1,195
China	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	484	276	422	130
Saudi Araba	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	42	125	205	7,847
Senegal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3,403	6,369	10,671
Total	171,199	155,722	134,560	161,126	162,075	209,143	235,789	89,232	102,460	182,795	206,836

Source: Gambia Tourism Board

4.1.2 Tourist Arrivals by port of entry, 2018-2023

Table 4.1.2: Tourist Arrivals by port of entry, 2018-2023

Port of Entry	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Air	209,135	235,788	89,232	102,460	182,795	206,836
Land	332,413	370,554	148,024	217,593	374,352	440,015
Sea	10,475	14,094	8,927	11,669	12,835	14,279
Total	552,023	620,436	246,183	331,722	569,982	661,130

Source: Gambia Tourism Board

4.2 Air Transport

4.2.1 Air traffic at Banjul International Airport, 2017 -2023

Table 4.2.1: Air traffic at Banjul International Airport, 2017 -2023

Air Traffic	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Aircraft Movements	3,618	4,364	5,462	2,398	3,008	2497	2,402
Passengers disembarked	5,426	6,543	241,637	102,529	98,315	180473	210,482
Passengers embarked	157,911	202,800	232,396	93,504	101,624	176392	208,325
Total Passengers Handled	163,337	209,343	474,033	196,033	199,939	356865	418,807
Freight unloaded (Kgs)	565,440	629,612	1,043,740	606,426	748,122	647586	858,974
Freight loaded (Kgs)	830,135	821,853	632,616	539,475	754,322	793852	772,012
Total Freight Handled	1,395,575	1,451,465	1,676,356	1,145,901	1,502,444	1,441,438	1,630,986
Mail unloaded (Kgs)	23,367	29,101	9,713	5,869	22,789	8781	7,310
Mail loaded (Kgs)	21,653	11,833	26,608	14,815	15,083	12833	25,120
Total Mail Handled (Kgs)	45,020	40,934	36,321	20,684	37,872	21614	32,430

Source: Gambia Civil Aviation Authority and Gambia International Airline

4.3 Road Transport

4.3.1 Countrywide Motor Traffic Accident Statistics, 2013-2023

Table 4.3.1: Countrywide Motor Traffic Accident Statistics, 2013-2023

Year	No of Accident Cases Reported	A Persons involved			B Serious injury	C Persons involved			D Non-injury	Persons involved			Number of persons killed annually	
		Fatal	M	F		M	F	Minor injury		M	F	M		F
2013	804	95	79	56	243	248	171	247	223	107	219	0	0	135
2014	875	105	91	34	300	273	157	305	253	201	165	0	0	125
2015	729	87	89	37	244	265	137	247	217	128	151	120	42	126
2016	860	102	32	47	280	334	184	273	244	161	205	183	39	79
2017	802	123	102	36	269	399	190	228	234	122	182	190	49	138
2018	970	141	93	36	319	308	152	280	298	173	230	234	42	129
2019	1,123	129	113	39	386	430	189	385	370	204	223	312	28	152
2020	1,107	138	111	42	349	402	133	408	419	176	212	287	36	153
2021	1218	155	156	44	350	309	131	362	325	138	351	403	68	200
2022	1002	130	144	43	391	502	158	306	337	158	173	230	52	187
2023	1044	130	150	34	373	338	107	306	264	76	235	297	38	180
Total	10,534	1,335	1,160	448	3,504	3,808	1,709	3,347	3,184	1,644	2,346	2,256	394	1,604

Source: Gambia Police Force

Chapter 5 Education

5.1 Early Childhood Care and Development

5.1.1 Day Care Centre (DCC), Historical Trend - Global Figures - National Level, 2014-2023

Table 5.1.1: Day Care Centre (DCC), Historical Trend - Global Figures - National Level, 2014-2023

Year	Total DCC Centres	Children Boys	Children Girls	Children Total	Carers Male	Carers Female	Carers Total	Average Children per Centre	Children %Girls	Average Children per Carer	%Female Carers
2014	57	914	940	1,854	17	78	95	33	51	20	82
2015	65	793	882	1,675	22	90	112	26	53	15	80
2016	70	887	978	1,865	11	89	100	27	52	19	91
2017	74	1,005	1,081	2,086	21	127	148	28	52	14	86
2018	83	1,053	1,115	2,168	23	134	157	26	51	14	85
2019	113	1,401	1,470	2,871	37	199	236	25	51	12	84
2020	112	1,375	1,405	2,780	61	206	267	25	51	10	77
2021	114	1,251	1,275	2,526	43	168	211	22	50	12	80
2022	114	1,267	1,346	2,613	23	186	209	23	52	13	89
2023	112	1,262	1,340	2,602	20	212	232	23	51	11	91

Source: MoBSE / PPARBD – Statistical Yearbook – 2022/2023

5.1.2 Early Childhood Development (ECD), Historical Trend - Global Figures - National Level, 2014-2023

Table 5.1.2: Early Childhood Development (ECD), Historical Trend - Global Figures - National Level, 2014-2023

Year	Total ECD Centres	Centres with Permanent Structure	Classes Total	Participant Boys	Participant Girls	Participant Total	Facilitators Male	Facilitators Female	Facilitators Total	Facilitators Trained
2014	1,014	551	2,646	42,625	44,396	87,021	1,165	1,236	2,401	1,716
2015	1,115	586	3,087	48,118	49,436	97,554	1,321	1,365	2,686	1,964
2016	1,141	613	3,076	49,255	51,094	100,349	1,458	1,614	3,072	2,182
2017	1,154	663	3,092	50,528	53,161	103,689	1,444	1,686	3,130	2,189
2018	1,257	813	3,259	57,852	60,135	117,987	1,496	1,976	3,472	2,456
2019	1,382	839	3,535	61,164	64,617	125,781	1,412	2,047	3,459	2,470
2020	1,432	880	3,751	63,664	66,448	130,112	1,354	2,289	3,643	2,684
2021	1,460	956	3,958	61,358	65,215	126,573	1,446	2,600	4,046	3,018
2022	1,497	1,041	4,084	63,336	67,616	130,952	1,354	2,951	4,305	3,283
2023	1,556	1,070	4,340	65,531	70,752	136,283	1,326	3,283	4,609	3,442

Source: MoBSE / PPARBD – Statistical Yearbook – 2022/2023

5.2 Lower Basic Education (LBE)

5.2.1 LBE, Historical Trend - Global Figures - National Level, 2013-2023

Table 5.2.1: LBE, Historical Trend - Global Figures - National Level, 2013-2023

Year	LBE Schools	Permanent Classrooms	Total Seats	Total Desks	Total Classes	Total Enrolment	Total Girls	Total Repeaters	Total Teacher	Qualified Teachers
2013	789	5,797	158,129	147,178	7,173	256,912	130,184	8,835	6,868	5,592
2014	861	5,915	152,786	137,400	7,662	274,939	140,069	10,203	7,464	6,278
2015	928	6,380	167,400	150,381	8,203	293,503	150,320	15,543	7,902	6,781
2016	958	6,632	176,090	159,019	8,586	308,729	158,636	16,038	8,730	7,592
2017	994	6,978	188,406	169,585	9,009	329,828	170,065	17,940	9,049	7,973
2018	1,061	7,483	193,173	173,490	9,513	350,323	181,513	17,598	9,585	8,371
2019	1,153	7,961	200,772	179,820	10,109	374,962	195,439	17,646	10,110	8,878
2020	1,186	8,257	204,453	187,450	10,513	393,057	205,804	19,785	10,780	9,452
2021	1,229	8,792	208,495	192,881	12,298	401,333	211,129	19,105	12,116	10,614
2022	1,260	9,147	232,187	216,247	11,851	414,477	218,878	17,600	12,786	11,302
2023	1,320	9,368	254,407	239,256	12,047	428,053	226,633	19,628	13,259	11,893

Source: MoBSE / PPARBD – Statistical Yearbook – 2022/2023

5.2.2 LBE, 2023 - Global Figures - National Level

Table 5.2.2: LBE, 2023 - Global Figures - National Level

Local Management	LBE Schools	Perm. Classrooms	Total Seats	Total Desks	Total Classes	Total Enrolment	Total Girls	Total Repeaters	Total Teachers	Qualified Teachers
Public										
Government	583	4,799	133,496	128,930	6,933	257,178	138,552	13,355	8,081	8,050
Grant-Aided	47	511	14,632	14,314	648	28,327	15,268	665	798	737
Total Public	630	5,310	148,128	143,244	7,581	285,505	153,820	14,020	8,879	8,787
Private										
Private - Conventional.	254	1,777	47,216	43,313	1,744	47,005	25,552	506	2,115	1,803
Madrassa	436	2,281	59,063	52,699	2,722	95,543	47,261	5,102	2,265	1,303
Total Private	690	4,058	106,279	96,012	4,466	142,548	72,813	5,608	4,380	3,106
National Total	1,320	9,368	254,407	239,256	12,047	428,053	226,633	19,628	13,259	11,893

Source: MoBSE / PPARBD – Statistical Yearbook – 2022/2023

5.2.3 LBE, 2023 - Enrolment - By Grade & Gender National Level

Table 5.2.3: LBE, 2023 - Enrolment - By Grade & Gender National Level

Local Management	Grade 1		Grade 2		Grade 3		Grade 4		Grade 5		Grade 6		Total	Total
	#Boys	#Girls	#Boys	#Girls	#Boys	#Girls	#Boys	#Girls	#Boys	#Girls	#Boys	#Girls	#Boys	#Girls
Public														
Government	23,878	26,726	21,946	25,253	18,817	22,274	19,990	23,187	17,955	21,645	16,040	19,467	118,626	138,552
Grant-Aided	2,298	2,571	2,245	2,557	2,081	2,530	2,234	2,693	2,188	2,498	2,013	2,419	13,059	15,268
Public - Total	26,176	29,297	24,191	27,810	20,898	24,804	22,224	25,880	20,143	24,143	18,053	21,886	131,685	153,820
Private														
Private - Conventional	3,991	4,690	4,213	4,640	3,712	4,489	3,589	4,362	3,159	3,908	2,789	3,463	21,453	25,552
Madrassa	10,699	9,993	9,596	9,125	8,719	8,523	7,856	8,068	6,511	6,670	4,901	4,882	48,282	47,261
Private - Total	14,690	14,683	13,809	13,765	12,431	13,012	11,445	12,430	9,670	10,578	7,690	8,345	69,735	72,813
National - Total	40,866	43,980	38,000	41,575	33,329	37,816	33,669	38,310	29,813	34,721	25,743	30,231	201,420	226,633

Source: MoBSE / PPARBD – Statistical Yearbook – 2022/2023

5.2.4 LBE, 2023 - Teaching Staff - By Qualification & Gender - National Level

Table 5.2.4: LBE, 2023 - Teaching Staff - By Qualification & Gender - National Level

Local Management	Male Teachers	Female Teachers	Total Teachers	%			Male Qualified	Female Qualified	% Female Qualified (Out of All Qualified)	% Female Qualified (Out of All Female)
				Female Teachers	Total Qualified	% Total Qualified				
Public										
Government	3,827	4,253	8,081	52.6	8,050	100.0	3,809	4,240	52.7	100.0
Grant-Aided	351	447	798	56.0	737	92.0	322	415	56.3	93.0
Private										
Private- Conventional	1,320	795	2,115	37.6	1,803	85.0	1,137	666	36.9%	84.0
Madrassa	1,645	620	2,265	27.4	1,303	58.0	948	355	27.2	57.0
National – Total	7,143	6,115	13,259	46.1	11,893	90.0	6,216	5,676	47.7	93.0

Source: MoBSE / PPARBD – Statistical Yearbook – 2022/2023

5.2.5 LBE, 2023 - Teaching Staff - By Qualification & Nationality - National Level

Table 5.2.5: LBE, 2023 - Teaching Staff - By Qualification & Nationality - National Level

Local Management	No. of Total Teachers		Share of Total Teachers		Qualified Teachers		Share of Qualified Teachers	
	Gambians	Non-Gambians	Gambians	Non-Gambians	Gambians	Non-Gambians	Gambians	Non-Gambians
Public								
Government	7,965	116	98.6	1.4	7,936	114	98.6	1.4
Grant-Aided	747	51	93.6	6.4	692	45	93.9	6.1
Private								
Private-Conv.	1,566	549	74.0	26.0	1,318	485	73.1	26.9
Madrassa	2,226	39	98.3	1.7	1,271	32	97.5	2.5
National - Total	12,504	755	94.3	5.7	11,217	676	94.3	5.7

Source: MoBSE / PPARBD – Statistical Yearbook – 2022/2023

5.2.6 LBE, 2023 - Special Needs Children - By Grade & Sex - National Level

Table 5.2.6: LBE, 2023 - Special Needs Children - By Grade & Sex - National Level

Local Management	Grade 1		Grade 2		Grade 3		Grade 4		Grade 5		Grade 6		Total
	#Boys	#Girls	#Boys	#Girls	#Boys	#Girls	#Boys	#Girls	#Boys	#Girls	#Boys	#Girls	
Public													
Visual	112	109	114	106	118	110	160	146	153	155	100	120	1,503
Hearing	64	67	69	50	64	70	79	86	66	60	55	60	790
Speaking	120	44	76	44	59	53	55	25	45	26	34	18	599
Physical	56	38	50	43	53	32	55	48	40	35	32	34	516
Mental	68	51	54	37	60	48	52	35	35	26	12	17	495
Other	20	11	10	13	10	4	18	15	13	26	6	16	162
Multiple Impairments	44	35	32	20	28	32	31	33	35	18	21	18	347
Private													
Visual	55	42	59	55	73	62	46	59	68	60	61	68	708
Hearing	25	24	34	29	30	43	23	27	25	36	23	10	329
Speaking	65	33	50	21	56	35	29	13	22	6	19	13	362
Physical	40	24	39	26	26	15	27	24	24	18	13	14	290
Mental	35	17	33	19	28	12	23	21	18	9	11	10	236
Other	8	7	9	6	24	15	9	14	9	12	8	13	134
Multiple Impairments	17	7	16	10	5	10	5	6	8	2	7	3	96
Total	729	509	645	479	634	541	612	552	561	489	402	414	6,567

Source: MoBSE / PPARBD – Statistical Yearbook – 2022/2023

5.3 Upper Basic Education (UBE)

5.3.1 UBE, Historical Trend Global Figures National Level, 2014-2023

Table 5.3.1: UBE, Historical Trend Global Figures National Level, 2014-2023

Year	UBE Schools	Perm. Classrooms	Total Seats	Total Desks	Total Classes	Total Enrolment	Total Girls	Total Repeaters	Total Teachers	Qualified Teachers
2014	325	1,866	56,932	54,221	2,023	87,391	44,146	2,973	3,154	2,853
2015	361	1,970	58,279	55,009	2,155	90,176	45,617	4,082	3,837	3,472
2016	390	2,004	62,453	59,731	2,246	90,838	46,554	2,791	3,901	3,652
2017	399	2,094	64,991	60,301	2,353	94,357	49,400	3,078	4,201	3,968
2018	438	2,125	66,692	61,024	2,448	98,108	51,997	3,114	4,770	4,493
2019	481	2,287	68,058	62,932	2,598	104,554	55,470	3,854	5,310	5,061
2020	505	2,472	69,551	64,662	2,771	111,752	60,179	4,034	5,592	5,307
2021	524	2,765	70,671	66,431	3,544	119,405	64,821	3,129	6,083	5,787
2022	539	2,823	84,039	80,892	3,258	123,081	67,970	3,811	6,212	5,881
2023	576	2,874	93,581	89,740	3,434	133,672	74,435	3,976	6,683	6,361

Source: MoBSE / PPARBD – Statistical Yearbook – 2021/2022

5.3.2 UBE, Historical Trend Main Statistics School Indicators National Level, 2014-2023

Table 5.3.2: UBE, Historical Trend Main Statistics School Indicators National Level, 2014-2023

Year	UBE: Enr/Sch	UBE: Enr/Clrm	UBE: Enr/Class	UBE: Enr/Seat	UBE: Enr/Desk	UBE: %QT	UBE: PTR	UBE: PqTR	UBE: %Girls	UBE: %Rep
2014	269	47	43	1.5	1.6	90.5	28	31	50.5	3.4
2015	250	46	42	1.5	1.6	90.5	24	26	50.6	4.5
2016	233	45	40	1.5	1.5	93.6	23	25	51.2	3.1
2017	236	45	40	1.5	1.6	94.5	22	24	52.4	3.3
2018	224	46	40	1.5	1.6	94.2	21	22	53.0	3.2
2019	217	46	40	1.5	1.7	95.3	20	21	53.1	3.7
2020	221	45	40	1.6	1.7	94.9	20	21	53.9	3.6
2021	228	43	34	1.7	1.8	95.1	20	21	54.3	2.6
2022	228	44	38	1.5	1.5	94.7	20	21	55.2	3.1
2023	232	47	39	1.4	1.5	95.2	20	21	55.7	3.0

Source: MoBSE / PPARBD – Statistical Yearbook – 2022/2023

5.3.3 UBE, 2023 - Global Figures - National Level

Table 5.3.3: UBE, 2023 - Global Figures - National Level

Local Management	UBE Schools	Perm. Classrooms	Total Seats	Total Desks	Total Classes	Total Enrolment	Total Girls	Total Repeaters	Total Teachers	Qualified Teachers
Public										
Government	216	1,396	49,388	47,753	1,927	79,789	44,994	2,946	4,186	4,178
Grant-Aided	40	313	15,090	14,778	403	20,872	12,110	461	709	679
Private										
Private-Conv.	101	535	14,208	13,646	434	13,615	7,786	234	808	781
Madrasa	219	630	14,895	13,563	670	19,396	9,545	335	980	723
National – Total	576	2,874	93,581	89,740	3,434	133,672	74,435	3,976	6,683	6,361

Source: MoBSE / PPARBD – Statistical Yearbook – 2022/2023

5.3.4 UBE, 2023 - Enrolment - By Grade & Gender

Table 5.3.4: UBE, 2023 - Enrolment - By Grade & Gender – National level

Local Management	Grade 7			Grade 8			Grade 9			Total	Total	Total
	#Boys Enrol.	#Girls Enrol.	#Total Enrol.	#Boys Enrol.	#Girls Enrol.	#Total Enrol.	#Boys Enrol.	#Girls Enrol.	#Total Enrol.	#Boys Enrol.	#Girls Enrol.	#Total Enrol.
Public												
Government	13,679	17,236	30,915	11,924	15,134	27,058	9,192	12,624	21,816	34,795	44,994	79,789
Grant-Aided	3,371	4,267	7,638	3,012	4,421	7,433	2,379	3,422	5,801	8,762	12,110	20,872
Private												
Private-Conv.	2,111	2,814	4,925	2,025	2,660	4,685	1,693	2,312	4,005	5,829	7,786	13,615
Madrasa	4,020	3,836	7,856	3,291	3,174	6,465	2,540	2,535	5,075	9,851	9,545	19,396
National - Total	23,181	28,153	51,334	20,252	25,389	45,641	15,804	20,893	36,697	59,237	74,435	133,672

Source: MoBSE / PPARBD – Statistical Yearbook – 2022/2023

5.3.5 UBE, 2023 - Enrolment - By Age & Gender

Table 5.3.5: UBE, 2023 - Enrolment - By Age & Gender

Local Management/ Gender	< 13 years	13 years	14 years	15 years	16 years	17 years	18 years	> 18 years	National- Total
Public									
Government	1,868	8,431	15,944	17,875	14,990	10,544	5,912	4,225	79,789
Boys	1,121	4,887	9,146	10,195	8,593	5,735	3,242	2,075	44,994
Girls	747	3,544	6,798	7,680	6,397	4,809	2,670	2,150	34,795
Grant-Aided	244	2,242	4,719	5,506	4,465	2,254	969	473	20,872
Boys	141	1,353	2,790	3,218	2,608	1,277	500	223	12,110
Girls	103	889	1,929	2,288	1,857	977	469	250	8,762
Private									
Private-Conv.	732	2,112	3,538	3,054	2,344	1,137	513	185	13,615
Boys	427	1,264	2,080	1,774	1,271	633	256	81	7,786
Girls	305	848	1,458	1,280	1,073	504	257	104	5,829
Madrassa	468	2,116	3,600	3,940	3,466	2,603	1,756	1,447	19,396
Boys	238	1,091	1,837	2,020	1,795	1,229	796	539	9,545
Girls	230	1,025	1,763	1,920	1,671	1,374	960	908	9,851
National - Total	3,312	14,901	27,801	30,375	25,265	16,538	9,150	6,330	133,672

Source: MoBSE / PPARBD – Statistical Yearbook – 2022/2023

5.3.6 UBE, 2023 - Special Needs Children - By Grade & Gender - National Level

Table 5.3.6: UBE, 2023 - Special Needs Children - By Grade & Gender - National Level

Local Management	Grade 7		Grade 7 Total	Grade 8		Grade 8 Total	Grade 9		Grade 9 Total	Total
	#Boys Sp. Needs	#Girls Sp. Needs		#Boys Sp. Needs	#Girls Sp. Needs		#Boys Sp. Needs	#Girls Sp. Needs		
Public										
Vision	145	204	349	140	183	323	83	163	246	918
Hearing	49	61	110	56	61	117	31	53	84	311
Speaking	41	26	67	30	26	56	21	25	46	169
Physical	53	37	90	33	28	61	17	15	32	183
Mental	5	26	31	18	27	45	5	12	17	93
Other	21	25	46	21	42	63	6	26	32	141
Multiple Impair.	32	33	65	17	13	30	8	12	20	115
Private										
Vision	72	118	190	41	66	107	37	77	114	411
Hearing	20	14	34	20	19	39	9	10	19	92
Speaking	23	8	31	21	6	27	13	7	20	78
Physical	20	17	37	15	8	23	27	11	38	98
Mental	5	16	21	3	8	11	6	15	21	53
Other	1	0	1	2	5	7	1	9	10	18
Multiple Impair.	5	5	10	4	8	12	3	7	10	32
Total	492	590	1,082	421	500	921	267	442	709	2,712

Source: MoBSE / PPARBD – Statistical Yearbook – 2022/2023

5.3.7 UBE, 2023 - Teaching Staff - By Qualification & Gender - National Level

Table 5.3.7: UBE, 2023 - Teaching Staff - By Qualification & Gender - National Level

Local Management	Male Teachers	Female Teachers	Total Teachers	%Female Teachers	Total Qualified	% Total Qualified	Male Qualified	Female Qualified	% Female Qualified (Out of All Qualified)	% Female Qualified (Out. of All Female)
Public										
Government	2,683	1,503	4,186	35.9	4,178	99.8	2,677	1,501	35.9	99.9
Grant-Aided	545	164	709	23.1	679	95.8	521	158	23.3	96.3
Private										
Private-Conv.	660	148	808	18.3	781	96.7	635	146	18.7	98.6
Madrassa	835	145	980	14.8	723	73.8	616	107	14.8	73.8
National - Total	4,723	1,960	6,683	29.3	6,361	95.2	4,449	1,912	30.1	97.6

Source: MoBSE / PPARBD – Statistical Yearbook – 2022/2023

5.3.8 UBE, 2023 - Teaching Staff - By Qualification & Nationality - National Level

Table 5.3.8: UBE, 2023 - Teaching Staff - By Qualification & Nationality - National Level

Local Management	No. of Total Teachers		Share of Total Teachers		No. of Qualified Teachers		Share of Qualified Teachers	
	Gambians	Non-Gambians	Gambians	Non-Gambians	Gambians	Non-Gambians	Gambians	Non-Gambians
Public								
Government	4,075	111	97.3	2.7	4,067	111	97.3	2.7
Grant-Aided	617	92	87.0	13.0	591	88	87.0	13.0
Private								
Private-Conv.	568	240	70.3	29.7	551	230	70.6	29.4
Madrassa	961	19	98.1	1.9	707	16	97.8	2.2
National - Total	6,221	462	93.1	6.9	5,916	445	93.0	7.0

Source: MoBSE / PPARBD – Statistical Yearbook – 2022/2023

5.4 Senior Secondary Education (SSE)

5.4.1 SSE – Historical Trend - Global Figures - National Level, 2013-2023

Table 5.4.1: SSE, Historical Trend - Global Figures - National Level, 2013-2023

Year	SSE Schools	Perm. Classrooms	Total Seats	Total Desks	Total Classes	Total Enrolment	Total Girls	Total Repeaters	Total Teachers	Qualified Teachers
2013	120	1,027	34,039	31,812	1,038	45,041	21,802	1,641	1,590	1,496
2014	134	1,156	38,487	36,602	1,117	49,113	24,006	1,734	1,971	1,844
2015	145	1,182	42,605	39,909	1,228	51,225	25,613	2,360	2,099	1,974
2016	160	1,253	44,111	42,160	1,302	56,001	28,629	1,972	2,312	2,218
2017	171	1,319	48,228	45,071	1,415	60,310	31,781	1,879	2,430	2,338
2018	189	1,425	51,247	46,560	1,471	64,957	34,696	2,717	2,623	2,536
2019	193	1,504	52,528	46,991	1,537	69,315	36,982	2,979	2,802	2,719
2020	201	1,526	53,195	47,238	1,646	73,563	39,550	2,395	2,957	2,873
2021	213	1,571	53,151	47,328	2,108	76,537	42,045	2,470	3,326	3,211
2022	222	1,686	57,001	52,166	1,886	78,706	44,250	2,465	3,486	3,394
2023	237	1,727	59,744	56,299	2,048	85,026	48,543	3,034	3,768	3,686

Source: MoBSE / PPARBD – Statistical Yearbook – 2022/2023

5.4.2 SSE, Historical Trend - Main Statistics - School Indicators - National Level, 2013-2023

Table 5.4.2: SSE, Historical Trend - Main Statistics - School Indicators - National Level, 2013-2023

Year	SSE: Enr/School	SSE: Enr/Classroom	SSE: Enr/Class	SSE: Enr/Seat	SSE: Enr/Desk	SSE: %QT	SSE: PTR	SSE: PqTR	SSE: %Girls	SSE: %Repeaters
2013	375	44	43	1.3	1.4	94.1	28	30	48.4	3.6
2014	367	42	44	1.3	1.3	93.6	25	27	48.9	3.5
2015	353	43	42	1.2	1.3	94.0	24	26	50.0	4.6
2016	350	45	43	1.3	1.3	95.9	24	25	51.1	3.5
2017	353	46	43	1.3	1.3	96.2	25	26	52.7	3.1
2018	344	46	44	1.3	1.4	96.7	25	26	53.4	4.2
2019	359	46	45	1.3	1.5	97.0	25	25	53.4	4.3
2020	366	48	45	1.4	1.6	97.2	25	26	53.8	3.3
2021	359	49	36	1.4	1.6	96.5	23	24	54.9	3.2
2022	355	47	42	1.4	1.5	97.4	23	23	56.2	3.1
2023	359	49	42	1.4	1.5	97.8	23	23	57.1	3.6

Source: MoBSE / PPARBD – Statistical Yearbook – 2022/2023

5.4.3 SSE, 2023 - Global Figures - National Level

Table 5.4.3: SSE, 2023- Global Figures - National Level

Local Management	SSE Schools	Perm. Classrooms	Total Seats	Total Desks	Total Classes	Total Enrolment	Total Girls	Total Repeaters	Total Teachers	Qualified Teachers
Public										
Government	80	502	16,064	15,562	719	27,055	15,739	762	1,427	1,419
Grant-Aided	46	581	25,869	24,280	748	37,827	21,700	1,886	1,261	1,225
Private										
Private-Conv.	46	402	10,965	10,144	346	10,826	6,528	269	609	600
Madrassa	65	242	6,846	6,313	235	9,318	4,576	117	471	442
National - Total	237	1,727	59,744	56,299	2,048	85,026	48,543	3,034	3,768	3,686

Source: MoBSE / PPARBD – Statistical Yearbook – 2022/2023

5.4.4 SSE, 2023 - Enrolment - By Grade & Gender - National Level

Table 5.4.4: SSE, 2023 - Enrolment - By Grade & Gender - National Level

	Grade 10			Grade 11			Grade 12			Total	Total	Total
	#Boys Enrol.	#Girls Enrol.	#Total Enrol.	#Boys Enrol.	#Girls Enrol.	#Total Enrol.	#Boys Enrol.	#Girls Enrol.	#Total Enrol.	#Boys Enrol.	#Girls Enrol.	#Total Enrol.
Local Management												
Public												
Government	4,594	6,368	10,962	3,784	5,313	9,097	2,938	4,058	6,996	11,316	15,739	27,055
Grant-Aided	6,088	7,962	14,050	5,756	7,583	13,339	4,283	6,155	10,438	16,127	21,700	37,827
Private												
Private-Conv.	1,509	2,311	3,820	1,554	2,352	3,906	1,235	1,865	3,100	4,298	6,528	10,826
Madrassa	1,827	1,719	3,546	1,533	1,556	3,089	1,382	1,301	2,683	4,742	4,576	9,318
National - Total	14,018	18,360	32,378	12,627	16,804	29,431	9,838	13,379	23,217	36,483	48,543	85,026

Source: MoBSE / PPARBD – Statistical Yearbook – 2022/2023

5.4.5 SSE, 2023 - Enrolment - By Age & Gender - National Level

Table 5.4.5: SSE, 2023 - Enrolment - By Age & Gender - National Level

Local Management/ Gender	< 16 years	16 years	17 years	18 years	19 years	20 years	21 years	> 21 years	National- Total
Public									
Government	820	3,366	5,907	6,104	5,077	3,047	1,533	1,201	27,055
Boys	466	2,073	3,557	3,638	2,935	1,704	782	584	15,739
Girls	354	1,293	2,350	2,466	2,142	1,343	751	617	11,316
Grant-Aided	1,072	4,097	9,649	9,725	6,486	3,725	1,911	1,162	37,827
Boys	616	2,256	5,538	5,776	3,760	2,229	972	553	21,700
Girls	456	1,841	4,111	3,949	2,726	1,496	939	609	16,127
Private									
Madrassa	187	967	1,831	2,058	1,606	1,309	829	531	9,318
Boys	118	545	968	1,059	734	582	379	191	4,576
Girls	69	422	863	999	872	727	450	340	4,742
Private-Conv.	634	1,552	2,317	2,387	1,723	1,128	690	395	10,826
Boys	358	957	1,414	1,420	1,007	721	425	226	6,528
Girls	276	595	903	967	716	407	265	169	4,298
National - Total	2,713	9,982	19,704	20,274	14,892	9,209	4,963	3,289	85,026

Source: MoBSE / PPARBD – Statistical Yearbook – 2022/2023

5.4.6 SSE, 2023 - Special Needs Children - By Grade & Gender - National Level

Table 5.4.6: SSE, 2023 - Special Needs Children - By Grade & Gender - National Level

Local Management	Grade 10		Grade 10 Total	Grade 11		Grade 11 Total	Grade 12		Grade 12 Total	Total
	#Boys Sp. Needs	#Girls Sp. Needs		#Boys Sp. Needs	#Girls Sp. Needs		#Boys Sp. Needs	#Girls Sp. Needs		
Public										
Vision	99	202	301	70	156	226	46	76	122	649
Hearing	40	41	81	27	51	78	19	24	43	202
Speaking	15	9	24	11	10	21	6	11	17	62
Physical	43	52	95	25	40	65	10	3	13	173
Mental	7	19	26	14	25	39	15	15	30	95
Other	18	55	73	3	31	34	10	9	19	126
Multiple Impair.	9	7	16	6	12	18	5	20	25	59
Private										
Vision	36	53	89	30	40	70	14	26	40	199
Hearing	7	8	15	7	6	13	3	4	7	35
Speaking	2	1	3	4	1	5	4	3	7	15
Physical	5	4	9	4	4	8	3	0	3	20
Mental	2	2	4	2	1	3	0	0	0	7
Other	4	5	9	0	1	1	0	0	0	10
Multiple Impair.	1	4	5	0	0	0	0	1	1	6
Total	288	462	750	203	378	581	135	192	327	1,658

Source: MoBSE / PPARBD – Statistical Yearbook – 2022/2023

5.4.7 Teaching Staff - By Qualification & Gender - National Level

Table 5.4.7: SSE, 2023 - Teaching Staff - By Qualification & Gender - National Level

Local Management	Male Teachers	Female Teachers	Total Teachers	% Female Teachers	Total Qualified	% Total Qualified	Male Qualified	Female Qualified	% Female Qualified (Out of All Qualified)	% Female Qualified (Out of All Female)
Public										
Government	1,120	307	1,427	21.5	1,419	99.4	1,114	305	21.5	99.3
Grant-Aided	1,109	152	1,261	12.1	1,225	97.1	1,074	151	12.3	99.3
Private										
Private-Conv.	510	99	609	16.3	600	98.5	501	99	16.5	100.0
Madrassa	446	25	471	5.3	442	93.8	421	21	4.8	84.0
National - Total	3,185	583	3,768	15.5	3,686	97.8	3,110	576	15.6	98.8

Source: MoBSE / PPARBD – Statistical Yearbook – 2022/2023

5.4.8 Teaching Staff - By Qualification & Nationality - National Level

Table 5.4.8: SSE, 2023 - Teaching Staff - By Qualification & Nationality - National Level

Local Management	Number Total Teachers		% Share of Total Teachers		Number Qualified Teachers		% Share of Qualified Teachers	
	Gambians	Non-Gambians	Gambians	Non-Gambians	Gambians	Non-Gambians	Gambians	Non-Gambians
Public								
Government	1,398	29	98.0	2.0	1,390	29	98.0	2.0
Grant-Aided	1,070	191	84.9	15.1	1,036	189	84.6	15.4
Private								
Private-Conv.	333	276	54.7	45.3	328	272	54.7	45.3
Madrassa	453	18	96.2	3.8	425	17	96.2	3.8
National - Total	3,254	514	86.4	13.6	3,179	507	86.2	13.8

Source: MoBSE / PPARBD – Statistical Yearbook – 2022/2023

Chapter 6 Health and Nutrition

6.1 Health Facilities and Personnel

Table 6.1.1: Number of service delivery points, The Gambia, 2023

REGION	CRR	URR	LRR	NBWR	NBER	WHR1	WHR2	Total
Teaching Hospital	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
General Hospital	1	0	0	0	1	2	1	5
Specialized Hospital	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Private Hospital	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
District Hospital	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	4
Major Health Centre	1	1	1	1	0	1	1	6
Minor Health Centre	11	9	6	4	6	8	6	50
Specialized RMNCAH Clinics	1	0	0	0	1	2	0	4
Community clinic/Health post	12	11	10	9	7	11	30	90
Private Clinic	0	2	1	1	0	20	6	34
NGOs Clinic	2	2	3	1	0	4	6	19
Service Clinics	1	2	1	0	1	7	0	12
No of outreach Clinics	80	66	42	45	33	18	37	321
No of Based Clinics	23	22	14	13	15	142	44	273
No of PHC Circuit	34	18	15	16	14	8	14	119
PHC Villages	308	145	102	116	127	29	116	942
No of non PHC villages	339	223	45	36	35	34	205	947

Source: Health Management Information Systems (HMIS) 2023

Table 6.1.2: Number and percentage of PHC villages by health region, The Gambia, 2023

Region	Circuit	No. of PHC villages	No. of Non PHC villages	Total Villages	Percent
WHR1	8	29	34	63	46.0
WHR2	14	116	205	321	36.1
LRR	15	102	45	147	69.4
NBWR	16	116	36	152	76.3
NBER	14	127	35	162	78.4
CRR	34	307	369	676	45.4
URR	18	145	223	368	39.4
National	119	942	947	1,889	49.9

Source: Health Management Information Systems (HMIS) 2023

6.2 Expenditure on Health

6.2.1 Summary of Health Indicators, The Gambia, 2023

Table 6.2.1: Number and percentage of PHC villages by health region, The Gambia, 2023

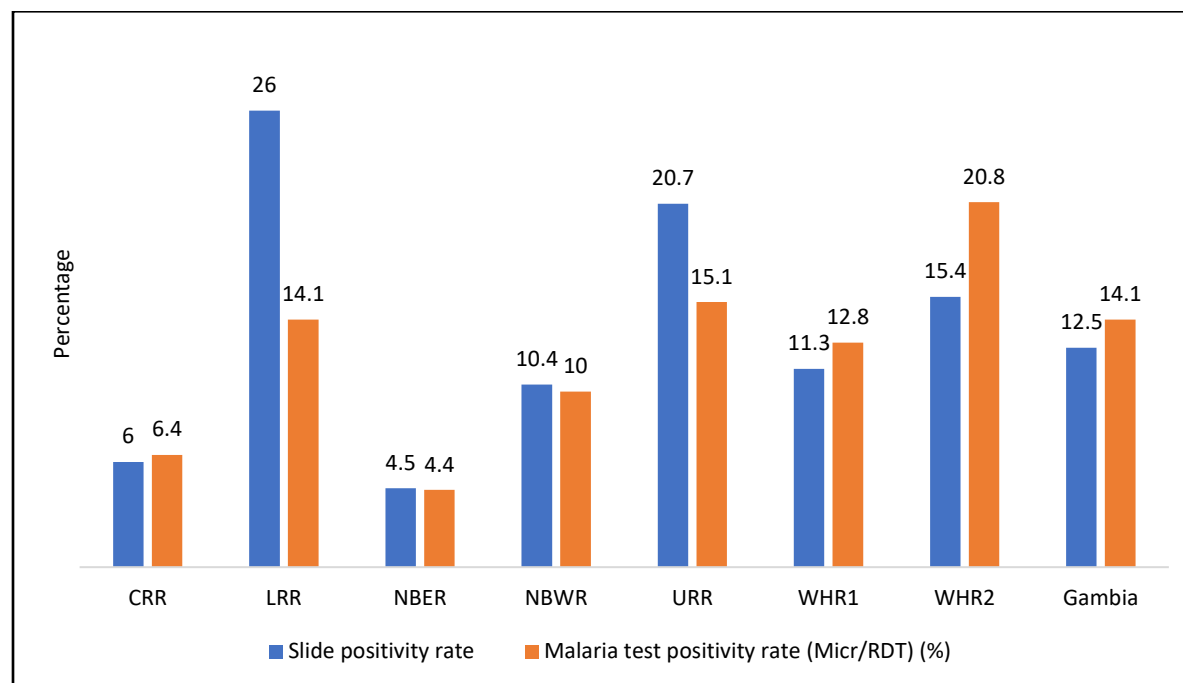
Indicators	Value	Source
OPD utilization rate	69.7%	DHIS2, 2023
Institutional Maternal Mortality Rate per 100,000	167.9	DHIS2, 2023
Proportion of pregnant women attending antenatal clinics who received three doses of intermittent preventive treatment (IPTp) for malaria	57.2	DHIS2, 2023
Percentage of ANC first trimester visits	44.9%	DHIS2, 2023
Percentage of Institutional Deliveries	98.4%	DHIS2, 2023
Caesarean Section Rate	7.5	DHIS2, 2023
BCG Immunization Coverage	76.0%	EPI, 2023
Penta 3 immunization coverage	73.0%	EPI, 2023
Measles immunization coverage	80.0%	EPI, 2023
Penta Dropout rate (Penta 1 versus Penta3)		EPI, 2023
BCG – Measles 1 dropout rate	2.0%	EPI, 2023
Percentage of deliveries conducted by skilled health attendant in health facilities	91.6	DHIS2, 2023
Malaria incidence per 1000 population	43.7	DHIS2, 2023
Utilization of public health facilities	66.4%	DHIS2, 2023
Contraceptive prevalence rate among currently married women age 15-49	19.0%	DHS, 2019-2020
Percentage of household members with an improved drinking water source on premises, whose source water was tested and free of E. coli and available when needed	33.0%	MICS, 2018
Percentage of household members using improved sanitation facilities which are not shared	47.1%	MICS, 2018
Percent of pregnant women with severe anaemia	1.0%	DHS, 2019-2020
Percentage of women of reproductive age with BMI < 18.5	14.0%	DHS, 2019-2020
Exclusive breastfeeding (<1 month)	75.0%	DHS, 2019-2020
Prevalence of early initiation of breastfeeding	36.0%	DHS, 2019-2020
Neonatal Mortality Rate	29/1000	DHS, 2019-2020
Under-Five Years Mortality Rate	56/1000	DHS, 2019-2020
Maternal Mortality Rate (MMR)	89/100,000	DHS, 2019-2020
Pregnancy-Related Mortality Rate (PRMR)	20/100,000	DHS, 2019-2020
Prevalence of Malnutrition < 5 years	17.5	DHS, 2019-2020
Prevalence of stunting < 5 years	17.5	DHS, 2019-2020
Under five years wasted	5.0%	DHS, 2019-2020
Under five years underweight	12.0%	DHS, 2019-2020

Under five years overweight	2.0%	DHS, 2019-2020
Inpatient malaria deaths per 10,000 persons per year	8.6	DHIS2, 2023
Malaria test positivity rate (Micr/RDT) (%)	14.1	DHIS2, 2023
Percentage of ITN usage	38%	DHIS2, 2023
Percentage of households with at least one ITN and or IRS during the last 12 months	83.4%	MICS, 2018
Completeness rate of Health Management Information System reporting.	88.9%	DHIS2, 2023
Timeliness rate of Health Management Information System reporting.	76.3%	DHIS2, 2023
Completeness rate of IDSR Weekly reporting	99.4	DHIS2, 2023
Timeliness rate of IDSR Weekly reporting	95	DHIS2, 2023
Doctor population ratio per 1000 population	0.07	HRH, 2023
Nurse population ratio per 100 population	0.67	HRH, 2023
Percentage of live births registered in the year	99.4%	DHIS2, 2023
Percentage of Out of Pockets (OOP) expenditure on health	24.5%	NHA, 2016/2017
General Government Expenditure (GGE) on health as a percentage of total government expenditure	9.04%	NHA, 2016/2017
General government Expenditure on health as a percentage of total Expenditure on health	32.71%	NHA, 2016/2017
Per capita total expenditure on health	\$23.00	NHA, 2016/2017
HIV Prevalence Rate	1.39	Spectrum 2023
HIV Incidence Rate	0.08	Spectrum 2023
TB Incidence Rate	145/100000	The Global TB report
TB Notification Rate	104	DHIS 2
Total Fertility Rate	4.8	DHS, 2019-2020

Source: Health Management Information Systems (HMIS) 2023

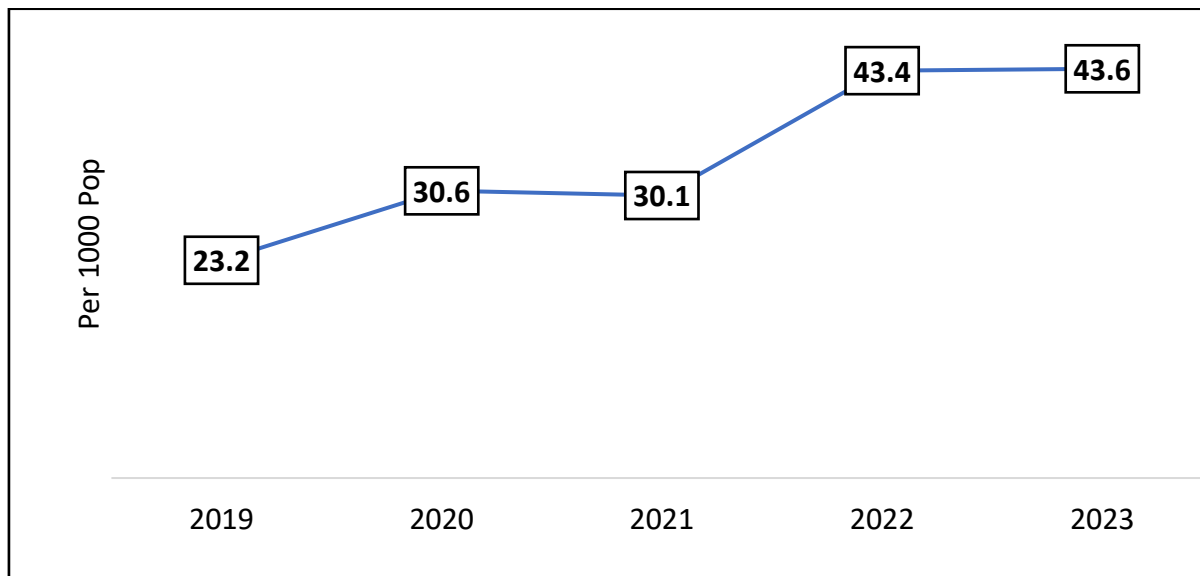
6.3 Malaria

Figure 6.3.1: Malaria test positivity rate by region, The Gambia 2023



Source: Health Management Information Systems (HMIS) 2023

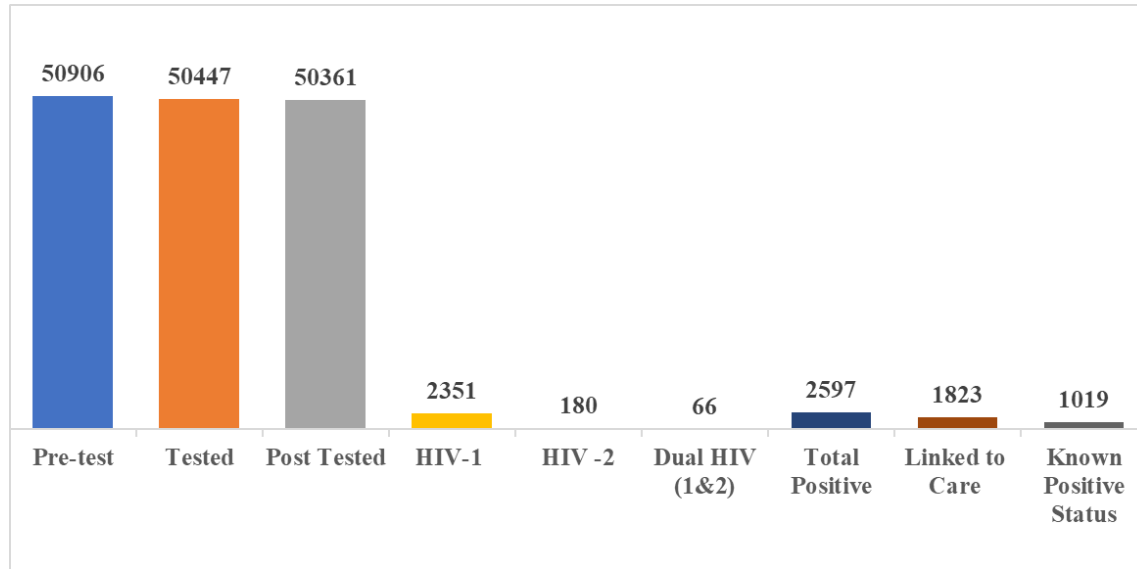
Figure 6.3.2: Reported Malaria cases per 1000 population from 2018 – 2023.



Source: Health Management Information Systems (HMIS) 2023

6.4 HIV & AIDS

Figure 6.4.1: HIV Counselling and Testing in General Population January – December 2023



Source: Health Management Information Systems (HMIS) 2023

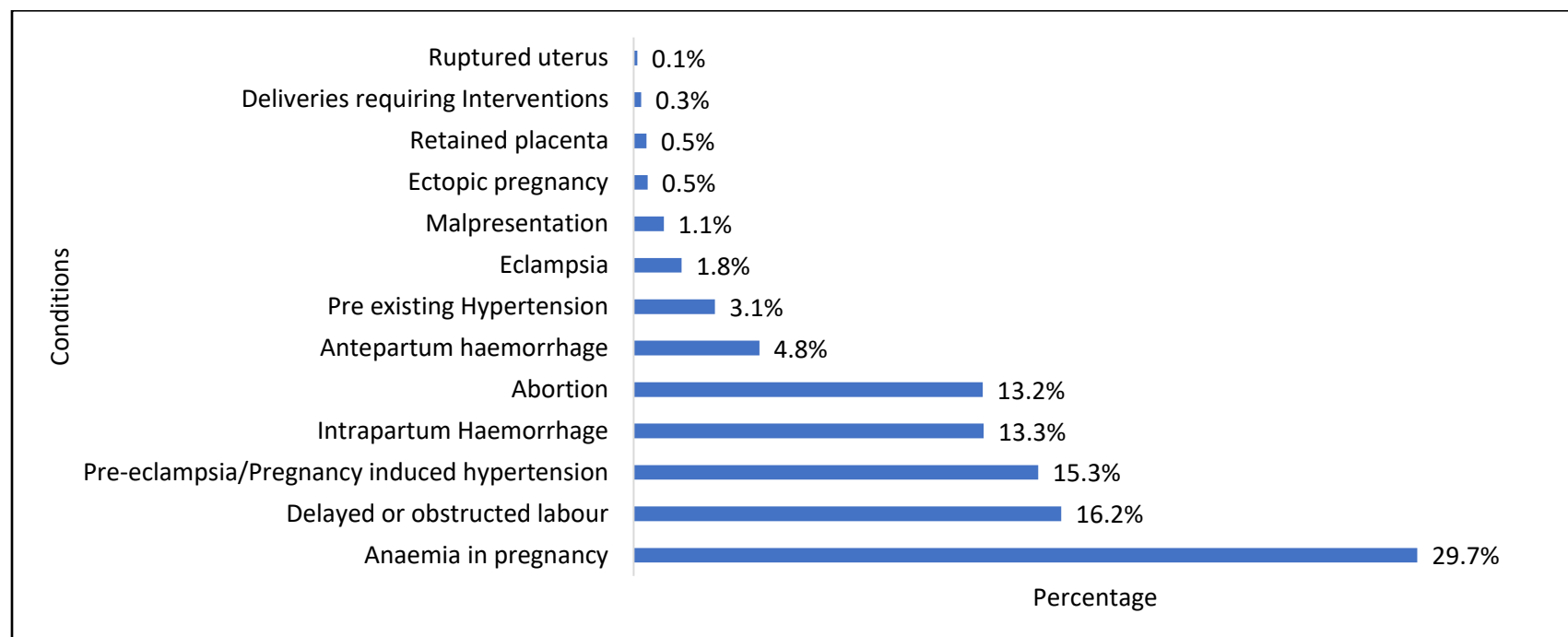
PLHIV (General Population) Currently on ART by Sub-Recipient (SR) and Gender, December 2023

Sub- Recipient	Currently on Treatment																						
	< 15 years					> 15 Years					Viral Load Test			Viral Load Test Suppressed			% viral suppression on Total Patients		% viral suppression on Total Test		Died on ART		
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Total ART	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total			
MOH/NACP	193	167	1279	4011	5650	797	2443	3240	372	1293	1665	29%	51%	48	78	126							
HOC	100	89	562	1898	2649	607	1795	2402	402	1323	1725	65%	72%	18	34	52							
EFSTH	29	26	359	854	1268	180	499	679	124	385	509	40%	75%	1	7	8							
Total	322	282	2200	6763	9567	1584	4737	6321	898	3001	3899	41%	62%	67	119	186							

Source: Health Management Information Systems (HMIS) 2023

6.5 Deliveries

Figure 6.5.1 Percentage of obstetric, labour and delivery complications recorded at health facilities, The Gambia, 2023



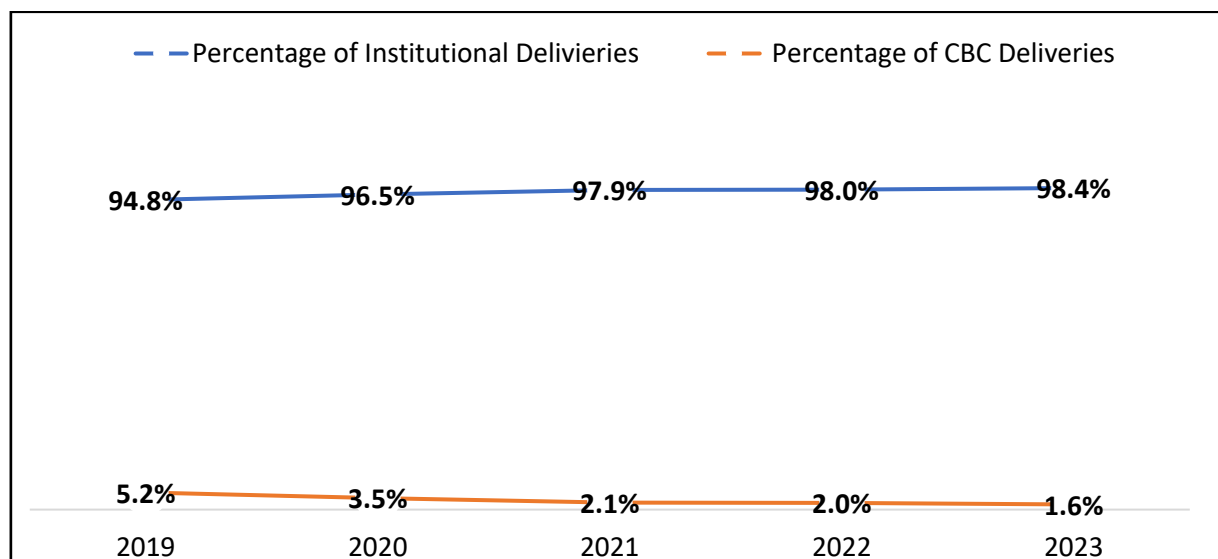
Source: Health Management Information Systems (HMIS) 2023

Table 6.5.1: Number and percentage deliveries reported by regions in 2023

Health Region	Total Deliveries	Health facility deliveries	Percentage	CBC Deliveries	Percentage
CRR	10,343	9,856	95.3%	487	4.7%
LRR	3,469	3,391	97.8%	78	2.2%
NBER	5,240	5,186	99.0%	54	1.0%
NBWR	4,279	4,171	97.5%	108	2.5%
URR	10,147	9,867	97.2%	280	2.8%
WHR1	28,760	28,715	99.8%	45	0.2%
WHR2	16,216	16,033	98.9%	183	1.1%
Gambia	78,454	77,219	98.4%	1,235	1.6%

Source: Health Management Information Systems (HMIS) 2023

Figure 6.2.2: Trend of facility deliveries and community deliveries against overall deliveries, The Gambia 2019-2023



Source: Health Management Information Systems (HMIS) 2023

6.6 Deaths

Table 6.6.1: Deaths at Facility by Region, The Gambia, 2023

Region	Infant death	Neonatal death	Maternal death	Deaths of child < 5 Years	Deaths of child 5-14 Years	Deaths over 14 years	Total
CRR	139	88	23	64	9	286	609
LRR	11	2	2	3	3	44	65
NBER	86	25	4	17	6	122	260
NBWR	5	0	3	7	2	15	32
URR	10	5	2	11	16	87	131
WHR1	667	220	83	188	67	1,895	3120
WHR2	1	3	12	15	2	210	243
National	919	343	129	305	105	2,659	4460

Source: Health Management Information Systems (HMIS) 2023

6.7 Family Planning

Table 6.7.1: Number and Percentage of Family Planning Services New Acceptors and revisits offered at Health Facilities, The Gambia 2023

FAMILY PLANNING METHODS	NEW ACCEPTORS				REVISIT S			
	< 15 years	15-24 years	> 24 years	Total	< 15 years	15-24 years	> 24 years	Total
Microgynon	4	1864	4179	6047	14	5597	11680	17291
Norigynon	0	38	29	67	0	15	58	73
Neogynon	0	2	4	6	0	1	6	7
Marvelon	0	24	62	86	0	29	74	103
Depo	21	9578	19736	29335	115	22675	49204	71994
Jadelle implant	1	486	1869	2356	0	29	133	162
Microlut	1	357	811	1169	1	566	1322	1889
Noristat	1	921	1957	2879	0	2786	5831	8617
Male condom	25	2477	7495	9997	8	1497	4097	5602
Bilateral Tubal Ligation	6	2	671	679	0	0	0	0
Female condom	0	4	23	27	0	2	9	11
IUCD	0	187	1022	1209	0	0	0	0
Implanon	14	7549	14695	22258	0	0	0	
Other Pills	0	63	139	202	0	68	239	307
Other Injectables	0	2	4	6	0	1	4	5
Emergency Contraceptives (Norlevo)	3	283	426	712	0	0	0	0
Vasectomy	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Foam	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
VSC	2	136	455	593	4	327	927	1258
Total	78	23973	53578	77629	142	33593	73584	107319

Source: Health Management Information Systems (HMIS) 2023

6.8 Immunization

Table 6.8.1: Vaccination coverage by region in The Gambia, 2023

COMMULATIVE VACCINATIONS AND COVERAGE 2023										
REGION	BCG		PENTA 2		IPV 1		TT2+		DPT	
	VACC	Coverage %	Vaccination	Coverage %	Vaccination	Coverage %	Vaccination	Coverage %	Vaccination	Coverage %
CRR	9437	96.0	9930	105.0	10035	106.0	5998	58.0	8577	102.0
LRR	3486	107.0	3540	113.0	3563	113.0	2299	66.0	2858	102.0
NBER	4693	95.0	4888	102.0	4854	101.0	2874	54.0	4091	96.0
NBWR	3837	77.0	4495	93.0	4577	95.0	3182	60.0	4483	104.0
URR	9146	84.0	10731	102.0	11038	105.0	6360	55.0	8068	86.0
WHR1	26449	70.0	28122	77.0	27540	75.0	17746	44.0	19978	61.0
WHR2	14178	65.0	14236	68.0	14000	67.0	8575	37.0	11133	60.0
National	71226	76.0	75942	84.0	75607	84.0	47034	47.0	59188	73.0

Source: Health Management Information Systems (HMIS) 2023

6.9 Noncommunicable Diseases

Table 6.9.1: Number of Noncommunicable Diseases Episodes and Conditions seen at OPD by Gender, The Gambia 2023.

Non-communicable diseases, major conditions	Newly diagnosed			Follow up			All Cases	
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Grant Total	Percentage
Asthma	2,776	3,361	6,137	2,958	3,879	6837	12,974	4.2
Breast cancer		28	28		109	109	137	0.0
COPD	846	1,626	2,472	377	363	740	3,212	1.0
Cardiac Disorder	344	429	773	950	1482	2432	3,205	1.0
Cervical cancer		54	54			0	54	0.0
Diabetes -T1DM	3,512	6,097	9,609	4,988	9,491	14479	24,088	7.7
Diabetes -T2DM		824	824	1,750	4,604	6354	7,178	2.3
Gestational diabetes		14	14			0	14	0.0
Hypertension	14,532	27,680	42,212	18,665	40,940	59605	101,817	32.6
Liver Cancer (liver/Hep)	27	24	51	6	13	19	70	0.0
Lung cancer	3	8	11	2	4	6	17	0.0
Other NCD	43,025	69,132	112,157	14,976	24,312	39288	151,445	48.5
Other cancer	43	38	81	36	45	81	162	0.1
Prostate cancer	27		27	13		13	40	0.0
Renal Failure	65	89	154	216	339	555	709	0.2
Sickle cell	766	1181	1,947	1,552	1,598	3150	5,097	1.6
Women Positive for Cervical Cancer Lesions		155	155			0	155	0.0
Women Treated for Cervical Lesions		264	264			0	264	0.1
Women manage for cervical cancer		314	314			0	314	0.1
women screen for cervical cancer		1429	1,429			0	1,429	0.5
Total	65,966	112,747	178,713	46,489	87,179	133,668	312,381	100.0

Source: Health Management Information Systems (HMIS) 2022

Table 6.9.2: Number and percentage of Non-Communicable Diseases Related Deaths by Gender, The Gambia 2023

Non-communicable diseases, major conditions	Newly diagnosed			Follow up			All Cases	
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Grant Total	Percentage
Asthma	2	2	4	13	1	14	18	1.8
Breast cancer		9	9		1	1	10	1.0
COPD	7	0	7	5	0	5	12	1.2
Cardiac Disorder1	56	47	103	20	11	31	134	13.2
Cervical cancer		21	21			0	21	2.1
Diabetes -T1DM	43	53	96	2	5	7	103	10.1
Diabetes -T2DM	2	0	2	3	5	8	10	1.0
Hypertension	59	66	125	34	36	70	195	19.2
Liver Cancer (liver/Hep)	31	7	38	11	11	22	60	5.9
Lung cancer	11	1	12	0	1	1	13	1.3
Other NCD	105	87	192	23	34	57	249	24.5
Other cancer	19	21	40	0	1	1	41	4.0
Prostate cancer	6		6	0		0	6	0.6
Renal Failure	64	47	111	13	6	19	130	12.8
Sickle cell	2	6	8	2	6	8	16	1.6
Total	407	367	774	126	118	244	1,018	100.0

Source: Health Management Information Systems (HMIS) 2023

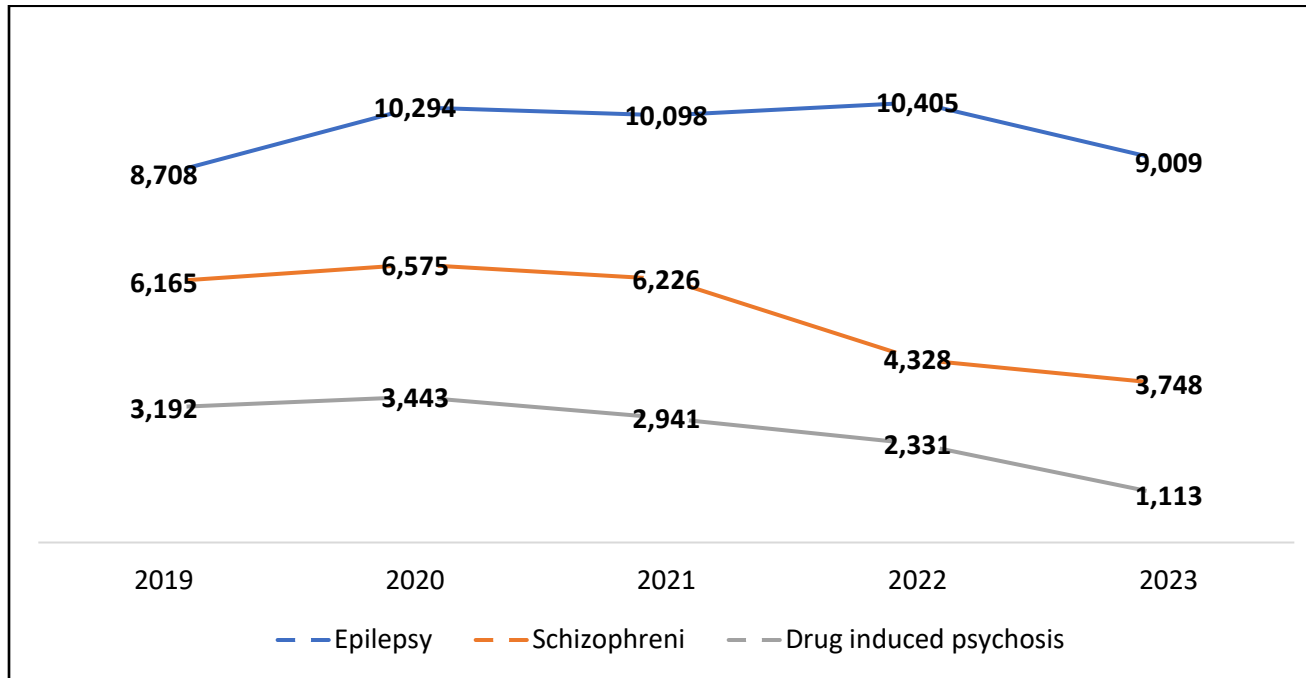
6.10 Mental Disorder

Table 6.10.1: Number and Percentage of Mental Disorders Reported at Health Facilities by Gender, The Gambia, 2023

Mental Disorders	Outpatient Cases				Inpatient Cases			
	Male	Female	Total	Percent	Male	Female	Total	Percent
Epilepsy	4528	4481	9009	56.2	5	1	6	1.4
Schizophrenia	2186	1562	3748	23.4	0	1	1	0.2
Organic psychosis	452	343	795	5.0	0	0	0	0.0
Drug induced psychosis	979	134	1113	6.9	14	5	19	4.4
Other mental disorders	269	226	495	3.1	0	0	0	0.0
Depression	166	216	382	2.4	18	7	25	5.7
Anxiety disorder	76	129	205	1.3	128	4	132	30.3
Phobia	42	71	113	0.7	0	0	0	0.0
Dementia the elderly	37	49	86	0.5	46	14	60	13.8
Child mental disorder	19	28	47	0.3	110	75	185	42.5
Mania	17	6	23	0.1	0	3	3	0.7
Malaria related mental disorders	9	3	12	0.1	2	1	3	0.7
Pregnancy related mental disorders		7	7	0.0		1	1	0.2
Total	8780	7255	16035	100.0	323	112	435	100.0

Source: Health Management Information Systems (HMIS) 2023

Figure 6.2: Trend of major mental disorder, The Gambia, 2019 - 2023



Source: Health Management Information Systems (HMIS) 2023

6.11 Eye Conditions

Table 6.11.1: Number and percentage of major eye conditions reported in The Gambia, 2023

Eye conditions	OPD cases				Inpatient cases			
	Male	Female	Total	Percent	Male	Female	Total	Percent
Conjunctivitis	10,130	12,449	22,579	41.6	172	335	507	18.5
Other eye conditions	6,849	8,663	15,512	28.6	3	2	5	0.2
Cataracts	4,043	4,398	8,441	15.6	421	482	903	32.9
Trauma	1,232	983	2,215	4.1	24	14	38	1.4
Glaucoma	952	851	1803	3.3	27	3	30	1.1
Refractive error	800	923	1723	3.2	9	0	9	0.3
Ophthalmia Neonatrum	439	488	927	1.7	30	8	38	1.4
Trachoma	275	365	640	1.2	23	0	23	0.8
Trachoma treated	144	228	372	0.7	64	40	104	3.8
Pterygium operated	0	0	0	0.0	332	433	765	27.9
Tribute done	0	0	0	0.0	169	152	321	11.7
Total	24,864	29,348	54,212	100.0	1,274	1,469	2,743	100.0

Source: Health Management Information Systems (HMIS) 2023

Table 6.11.2: Eye condition seen at outpatient department by region in |The Gambia, 20223

Health Region	Cataracts	Conjunctivitis	Glaucoma	Ophthalmia Neonatrum	Other Eye conditions	Refractive error	Trachoma	Trachoma treated	Trauma
CRR	2,181	2,565	254	12	990	61	0	0	467
LRR	319	1,424	75	23	655	44	64	135	77
NBER	733	1,903	265	5	1,818	120	0	12	36
NBWR	319	845	31	15	1,426	3	25	1	168
URR	1,547	3,135	263	83	2,897	63	9	4	312
WHR1	1,952	9,263	500	545	2,283	462	437	217	503
WHR2	1,390	3,444	415	244	5,443	970	105	3	652
Gambia	8,441	22,579	1,803	927	15,512	1,723	640	372	2,215

Source: Health Management Information Systems (HMIS) 2023

6.12 Nutrition

Table 6.12.1: Nutritional Indicators 2023 by LGA The Gambia

LGA	Stunting	Wasting	U/weight	Exclusive Breast Feeding	Minimum Acceptable Diet	Minimum Dietary Diversity	Minimum Meal Frequency
Banjul	10.9	11.4	6.4	40.7	21.3	37.7	50.8
Kanifing	15.7	10.0	10.0	52.2	23.9	32.8	43.3
Brikama	22.9	4.5	7.8	68.0	11.7	31.2	42.9
Mansakonko	19.2	8.8	17.0	57.5	16.8	29.7	55.4
Kerewan	18.2	8.6	13.5	55.0	31.8	47.3	53.6
Janjanbureh	16.1	10.1	14.7	59.0	3.4	17.1	18.8
Kuntaur	21.7	9.4	16.4	60.0	9.6	41.3	20.2
Basse	19.4	5.2	10.3	72.0	10.3	22.7	38.1
National	18.3	8.5	12.7	57.8	15.5	32.2	39.2

Source: National Nutrition Agency (NaNA)