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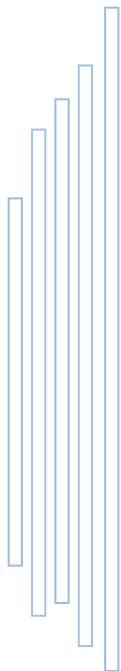
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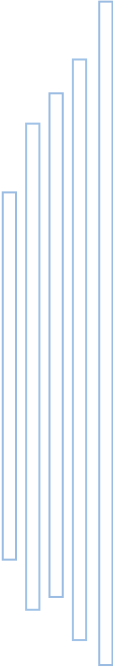




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n.e.c.	:	not elsewhere classified
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SA	:	South Africa(n)
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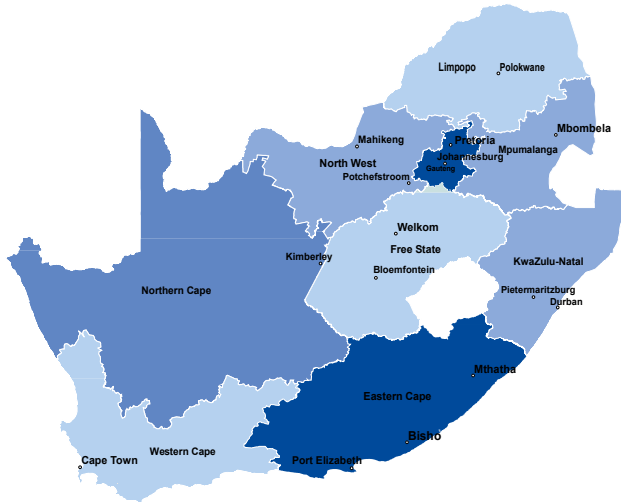


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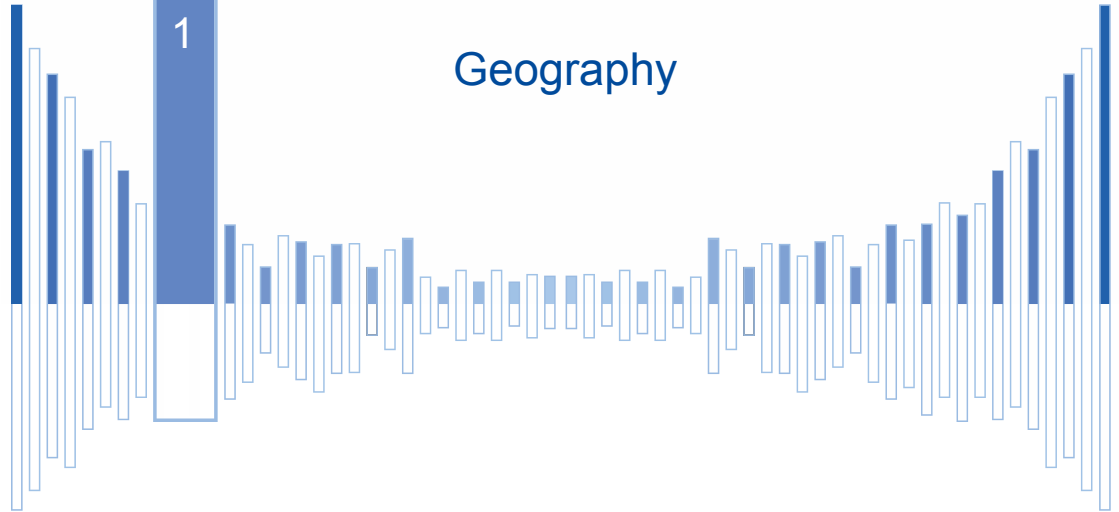
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1.1 Area per province in square kilometres

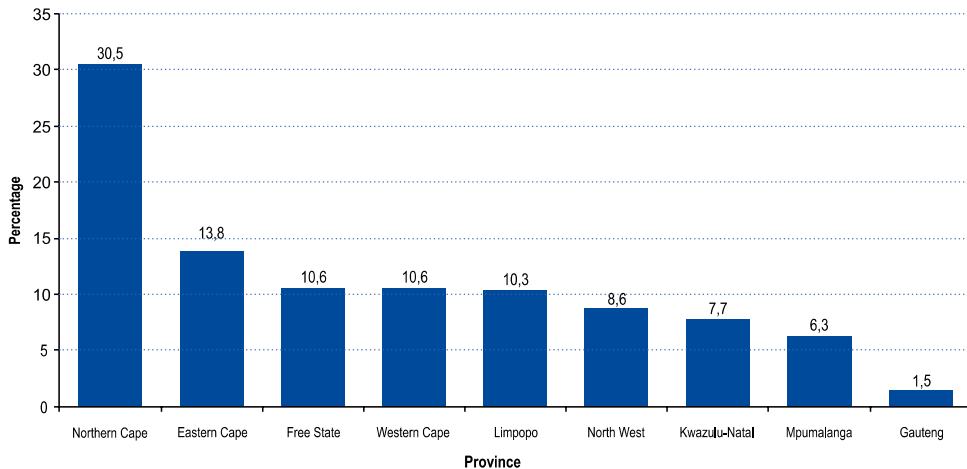
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Source: Stats SA, Geography Division

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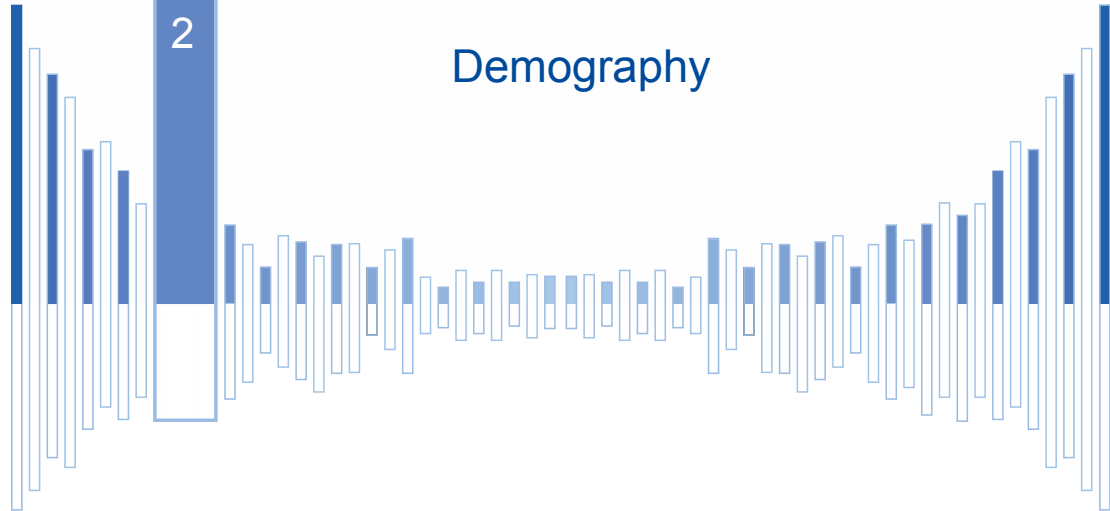
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2.1 Mid-year population estimates by age group, population group and gender, 2023 (thousands)

	Black African			Coloured			Indian or Asian			White			South Africa		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
0-4	2 497	2 435	4 932	241	234	475	50	48	98	109	105	214	2 897	2 822	5 718
5-9	2 420	2 362	4 782	236	229	465	50	48	98	116	113	229	2 822	2 751	5 574
10-14	2 476	2 419	4 895	239	232	471	51	48	99	131	127	258	2 896	2 827	5 723
15-19	2 275	2 251	4 525	221	216	437	47	45	92	130	127	256	2 672	2 638	5 311
20-24	1 970	1 953	3 923	206	202	408	49	44	93	121	120	241	2 347	2 320	4 667
25-29	2 152	2 122	4 275	215	212	428	65	54	119	127	128	254	2 560	2 516	5 075
30-34	2 373	2 324	4 697	219	217	436	79	63	141	137	136	273	2 808	2 739	5 547
35-39	2 216	2 191	4 407	205	205	410	82	66	147	153	154	306	2 655	2 615	5 270
40-44	1 696	1 743	3 439	172	178	350	75	62	136	149	151	300	2 091	2 134	4 225
45-49	1 270	1 355	2 626	152	156	308	62	54	117	155	165	320	1 639	1 730	3 370
50-54	953	1 069	2 022	144	159	303	53	50	103	170	177	348	1 320	1 456	2 776
55-59	694	910	1 604	127	153	279	43	46	89	153	165	318	1 017	1 274	2 291
60-64	517	763	1 280	104	127	231	35	40	75	144	162	305	799	1 091	1 891
65-69	362	599	962	70	97	167	26	34	60	132	150	282	591	880	1 471
70-74	233	426	659	44	69	114	18	27	45	115	139	254	410	662	1 072
75-79	120	270	390	22	42	64	11	19	30	91	113	204	244	444	687
80+	77	207	284	15	39	54	8	19	27	102	158	260	202	424	626
Total	24 301	25 400	49 701	2 632	2 767	5 399	803	766	1 569	2 234	2 390	4 624	29 970	31 324	61 293

Source: Stats SA, *Mid-year population estimates* (Statistical release P0302)



2.2 Provincial mid-year population estimates by age group and gender, 2023 (thousands)

	Eastern Cape			Free State			Gauteng			KwaZulu-Natal			Limpopo		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
0-4	354	346	701	133	130	263	665	650	1 315	615	598	1 212	337	326	662
5-9	361	351	712	133	130	263	635	620	1 255	598	582	1 180	336	326	662
10-14	380	368	747	145	141	286	628	620	1 248	606	591	1 197	342	327	669
15-19	324	317	641	136	134	270	622	621	1 243	553	546	1 098	298	283	580
20-24	222	220	442	113	113	225	666	666	1 333	467	465	933	215	204	418
25-29	217	214	430	114	114	227	797	803	1 600	483	486	969	209	200	409
30-34	248	248	497	126	124	250	865	858	1 723	505	511	1 017	231	232	463
35-39	238	249	486	121	122	244	799	782	1 581	459	484	943	222	228	450
40-44	187	206	393	95	102	197	634	620	1 254	342	389	730	177	195	372
45-49	146	176	322	75	86	161	513	472	985	259	313	571	132	170	302
50-54	118	160	278	63	75	138	414	377	791	200	258	458	102	142	244
55-59	93	150	243	51	66	116	314	320	634	150	227	377	77	124	201
60-64	79	142	221	41	55	96	246	269	515	117	197	315	58	107	165
65-69	63	121	184	31	46	76	179	213	392	87	157	245	43	90	133
70-74	47	92	139	21	35	57	121	153	274	63	122	185	31	72	102
75-79	32	67	98	12	23	35	69	97	165	38	83	120	17	47	64
80+	46	91	137	9	19	28	36	63	99	29	61	89	19	64	83
Total	3 154	3 517	6 671	1 419	1 513	2 931	8 203	8 204	16 406	5 570	6 069	11 639	2 844	3 135	5 979

Source: Stats SA, *Mid-year population estimates* (Statistical release P0302)

Provincial estimates are based on the latest available boundary information obtained from the Demarcation Board.

2.2 Provincial mid-year population estimates by age group and gender, 2023 (thousands) (concl.)

	Mpumalanga			Northern Cape			North West			Western Cape			South Africa		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
0-4	225	220	444	65	63	128	202	198	400	302	291	593	2 897	2 822	5 718
5-9	213	211	424	64	62	126	196	193	389	286	277	563	2 822	2 752	5 574
10-14	230	228	458	63	63	126	206	201	407	296	289	586	2 896	2 827	5 723
15-19	211	210	422	57	58	115	187	185	372	285	285	570	2 672	2 638	5 311
20-24	187	184	371	48	49	96	157	150	307	272	270	542	2 347	2 320	4 667
25-29	208	196	404	51	49	100	174	154	327	309	300	609	2 560	2 516	5 076
30-34	231	211	442	59	54	113	201	173	374	342	328	670	2 808	2 739	5 547
35-39	223	204	427	59	52	111	197	170	367	337	324	661	2 655	2 615	5 270
40-44	173	167	340	48	42	90	161	141	302	275	273	548	2 091	2 134	4 225
45-49	126	137	263	37	35	72	126	117	244	225	225	450	1 640	1 731	3 370
50-54	96	114	210	30	31	61	102	98	200	194	202	396	1 320	1 456	2 776
55-59	74	97	170	23	27	50	82	83	164	155	181	336	1 017	1 274	2 291
60-64	56	77	133	18	23	41	66	68	134	120	153	273	800	1 092	1 891
65-69	41	60	101	14	20	34	46	55	101	87	119	206	591	880	1 471
70-74	28	45	74	10	16	25	28	40	69	61	87	148	410	662	1 072
75-79	16	28	43	6	11	17	17	28	45	39	61	99	244	444	687
80+	15	35	50	5	12	17	11	31	42	32	48	79	202	424	626
Total	2 353	2 423	4 775	654	667	1 322	2 158	2 085	4 243	3 617	3 711	7 328	29 970	31 324	61 294

Source: Stats SA, *Mid-year population estimates* (Statistical release P0302)

Provincial estimates are based on the latest available boundary information obtained from the Demarcation Board.



2.3 Mid-year population distributions by population group and gender, 2023 (thousands)

	Male		Female		Total	
	Thousands	% of total population	Thousands	% of total population	Thousands	% of total population
African	24 301	81,1	25 400	81,1	49 701	81,1
Coloured	2 632	8,8	2 767	8,8	5 399	8,8
Indian or Asian	803	2,7	766	2,4	1 569	2,6
White	2 234	7,5	2 390	7,6	4 624	7,5
Total	29 970	100,0	31 324	100,0	61 293	100,0



2.4 Percentage distributions of the projected provincial share of the total population, 2013-2023

Province	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Eastern Cape	12,4	12,2	12,0	11,9	11,7	11,6	11,4	11,3	11,1	11,0	10,9
Free State	5,2	5,2	5,1	5,1	5,0	5,0	4,9	4,9	4,9	4,8	4,8
Gauteng	24,3	24,5	24,8	25,1	25,4	25,6	25,9	26,1	26,4	26,6	26,8
KwaZulu-Natal	19,7	19,6	19,5	19,4	19,4	19,3	19,2	19,2	19,1	19,0	19,0
Limpopo	10,3	10,2	10,2	10,1	10,1	10,0	10,0	9,9	9,9	9,8	9,8
Mpumalanga	7,8	7,8	7,8	7,8	7,8	7,8	7,8	7,8	7,8	7,8	7,8
Northern Cape	2,2	2,2	2,2	2,2	2,2	2,2	2,2	2,2	2,2	2,2	2,2
North West	6,8	6,8	6,8	6,8	6,8	6,9	6,9	6,9	6,9	6,9	6,9
Western Cape	11,4	11,5	11,5	11,6	11,6	11,7	11,7	11,8	11,8	11,9	12,0
Total	100,0	100,0	100,0	100,0	100,0	100,0	100,0	100,0	100,0	100,0	100,0

Source: Stats SA, *Mid-year population estimates* (Statistical release P0302)

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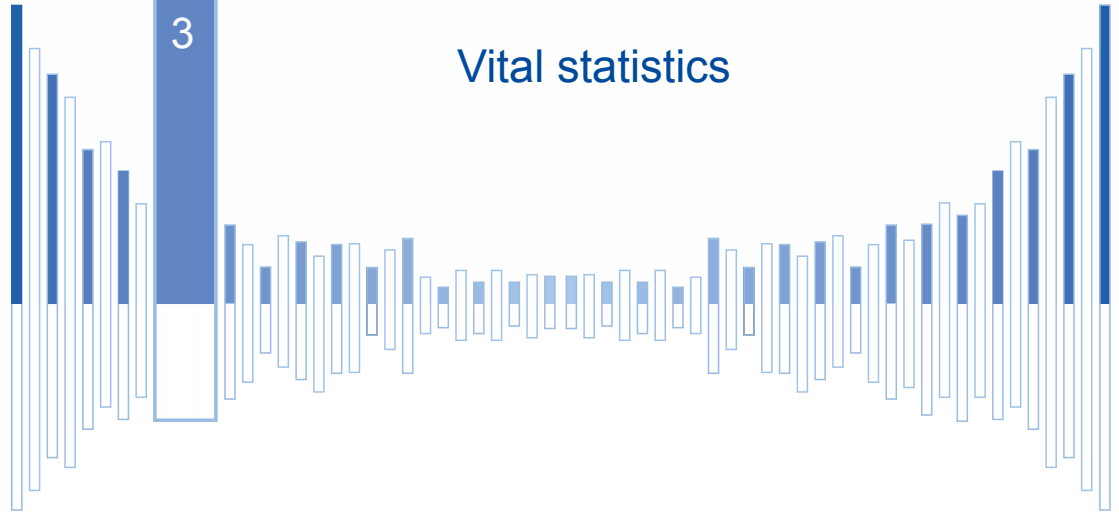
2.5 Estimated annual population growth rates by population group and gender, 2014-2023

		2014– 2015	2015– 2016	2016– 2017	2017– 2018	2018– 2019	2019– 2020	2020– 2021	2021– 2022	2022– 2023
Black African	Male	1,83	1,77	1,75	1,74	1,77	1,63	1,22	1,23	1,31
	Female	1,66	1,61	1,59	1,60	1,64	1,54	1,13	1,19	1,25
	Total	1,74	1,69	1,67	1,67	1,70	1,59	1,18	1,21	1,28
Coloured	Male	1,35	1,27	1,27	1,26	1,25	1,24	1,05	1,11	1,15
	Female	1,28	1,20	1,19	1,18	1,18	1,18	1,00	1,04	1,07
	Total	1,31	1,24	1,23	1,22	1,21	1,21	1,02	1,07	1,11
Indian or Asian	Male	1,76	1,70	1,66	1,66	1,65	1,33	0,43	0,76	1,00
	Female	1,28	1,24	1,22	1,22	1,22	1,05	0,49	0,66	0,80
	Total	1,53	1,47	1,44	1,44	1,44	1,19	0,46	0,71	0,91
White	Male	-0,30	-0,36	-0,39	-0,43	-0,46	-0,35	-0,43	-0,47	-0,40
	Female	-0,24	-0,30	-0,34	-0,35	-0,37	-0,28	-0,24	-0,29	-0,28
	Total	-0,27	-0,33	-0,36	-0,39	-0,42	-0,31	-0,33	-0,38	-0,34
Total	Male	1,60	1,54	1,53	1,52	1,54	1,44	1,05	1,08	1,16
	Female	1,45	1,40	1,38	1,39	1,42	1,35	1,00	1,05	1,10
	Total	1,52	1,47	1,45	1,46	1,48	1,39	1,03	1,06	1,13

Source: Stats SA, *Mid-year population estimates* (Statistical release P0302)

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3.1 Recorded marriages by province, 2011-2021 (numbers)

	Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu- Natal	North west	Gauteng	Mpumala- langa	Limpopo	Unspeci- fied	Foreign	Unknown	South Africa
2011	27 596	26 980	5 063	10 560	27 545	10 846	34 267	7 268	11 044	5 784	311	-	167 264
2012	26 632	18 311	5 044	9 830	27 231	10 609	40 287	6 881	11 597	4 480	210	-	161 112
2013	25 738	16 970	4 763	7 765	23 739	10 172	36 407	6 675	9 516	1 554	558	14 785	158 642
2014	25 865	16 020	5 778	8 909	24 146	9 709	39 213	7 533	10 202	1 740	567	1 170	150 852
2015	22 311	15 279	4 107	8 707	21 097	9 302	37 180	7 550	9 165	3 003	460	466	138 627
2016	20 565	15 438	4 278	9 219	21 440	9 699	36 413	7 663	9 409	4 898	372	118	139 512
2017	22 144	14 550	3 950	9 479	21 206	9 238	35 359	7 071	9 894	2 114	418	35	135 458
2018	19 478	14 080	4 004	9 165	21 180	9 071	33 300	6 866	9 258	4 407	403	28	131 240
2019	16 783	13 333	3 692	8 700	21 753	8 477	32 352	7 103	10 084	6 745	557	18	129 597
2020	13 046	8 649	2 798	5 955	14 948	6 083	22 019	4 646	6 029	4 835	325	5	89 338
2021	16 150	10 548	3 198	6 778	17 253	7 374	26 522	5 286	6 760	6 306	300	24	106 499

Source: Stats SA, *Marriages and divorces* (Statistical release P0307)

All population groups are included.

Those marriages are registered under civil marriages.



3.2 Recorded divorces by province, 2011-2021 (numbers)

	Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu- Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpuma- langa	Limpopo	Unspeci- fied	Foreign	South Africa
2011	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
2012	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
2013	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
2014	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
2015	4 854	3 398	589	2 187	4 140	665	6 544	1 747	1 136	..	..	25 260
2016	6 224	3 352	638	2 361	4 314	558	5 816	1 035	1 028	..	..	25 326
2017	6 050	3 285	768	2 254	4 349	426	6 046	997	1 215	..	..	25 390
2018	6 274	3 325	370	2 457	3 868	483	6 623	677	1 207	..	..	25 284
2019	6 108	3 137	521	1 745	4 033	176	6 318	587	1 085	..	..	23 710
2020	3 029	2 234	515	1 092	3 239	629	4 044	818	497	..	..	16 097
2021	3 833	2 138	652	1 365	2 851	632	4 859	828	1 050	..	..	18 208

Source: Stats SA, *Marriages and divorces* (Statistical release P0307)

All population groups are included.

Divorces were not published by province between 2007 and 2014.

3.3 Number of minor children involved in recorded divorces by population group, 2011-2021

	Black African	Coloured	Indian or Asian	White	Mixed	Unspecified	Total
2011	6 937	3 753	1 224	5 169	-	1 488	18 571
2012	6 993	4 347	872	5 550	17	1 934	19 713
2013	8 171	4 184	1 257	5 683	29	1 749	21 073
2014	8 680	5 527	1 254	5 187	643	927	22 218
2015	10 468	4 609	1 366	4 970	649	904	22 966
2016	10 345	4 933	1 254	4 561	656	1 001	22 750
2017	11 481	4 643	1 156	4 322	679	889	23 170
2018	12 005	4 721	989	4 229	689	1 094	23 727
2019	10 956	4 815	1 050	3 744	699	820	22 084
2020	7 705	2 572	750	2 693	389	518	14 627
2021	9 642	745	2 579	3 367	406	606	17 345

Source: Stats SA, *Marriages and divorces* (Statistical release P0307)

Figures include minor children of all population groups as recorded in the law courts. The age of a minor child is defined as 0-17 years.



3.4 Registered live birth occurrences by province, 2001-2020 (numbers)

	Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu- Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpuma- langa	Limpopo	Outside SA	Unspeci- fied	South Africa
2001	87 008	129 996	21 140	49 694	234 081	52 676	179 032	75 742	98 469	4 674	108	932 620
2002	86 296	127 449	21 196	49 471	236 109	50 953	179 704	71 418	93 909	4 352	96	920 953
2003	87 361	136 331	21 781	51 775	221 376	53 143	181 294	75 281	96 909	4 355	84	929 690
2004	98 101	150 103	23 659	55 488	231 045	58 718	203 119	83 655	110 173	4 473	119	1 018 653
2005	104 163	154 103	23 897	57 946	241 119	62 205	211 151	87 306	119 427	4 460	171	1 065 948
2006	109 310	156 375	24 391	58 181	250 519	61 986	219 064	87 075	123 044	4 440	170	1 094 555
2007	109 510	148 194	24 719	58 461	240 846	64 267	218 750	87 743	123 489	4 912	253	1 081 144
2008	112 641	144 021	25 357	59 662	242 822	65 694	227 767	90 218	128 015	4 044	178	1 100 419
2009	108 254	130 465	24 619	55 486	224 678	64 012	219 546	86 636	121 775	2 182	185	1 037 838
2010	106 138	126 295	24 601	55 844	221 633	62 340	221 507	84 706	124 782	606	222	1 028 674
2011	105 041	128 427	24 655	54 672	220 507	63 040	221 617	88 376	130 415	283	678	1 037 711
2012	104 269	127 111	25 450	54 703	216 472	64 035	221 723	89 041	130 056	172	788	1 033 820
2013	99 147	123 425	25 312	52 203	217 846	60 024	228 487	83 242	129 700	0	7 219	1 026 605
2014	103 372	125 101	25 538	53 310	216 709	60 296	224 057	85 429	130 495	0	2 517	1 026 824
2015	100 116	117 045	25 118	49 525	202 550	57 951	214 160	77 918	127 651	0	3 367	975 401
2016	95 162	105 313	23 316	46 544	190 502	55 756	205 250	76 650	120 817	0	43	919 353
2017	97 968	108 608	23 927	48 096	190 146	56 719	208 818	77 698	119 339	0	771	932 090
2018	99 126	109 169	24 610	48 095	200 472	56 205	212 071	79 220	125 541	0	129	954 638
2019	105 983	115 977	24 699	49 466	220 033	59 332	221 666	85 560	134 091	0	181	1 016 988
2020	90 380	104 483	21 911	42 897	181 286	54 374	194 557	87 244	122 171	0	0	899 303

Source: Stats SA, *Recorded live births 1999–2018 data sets* (Statistical release P0307)

Birth occurrences refer to the number of births that occurred in a specific year and were registered.

Birth occurrences are updated daily on the National Population Register due to late registrations of births. Outside SA are births occurring to South African citizens abroad.

Outside SA births for 2013 are reflected in the province of birth registration.



3.5 Number of registered deaths by province and year of death, 2000-2018

	Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu- Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpuma- langa	Limpopo	Outside South Africa	Unspeci- fied	South Africa
2000	38 534	62 204	11 079	34 141	96 870	30 748	84 018	28 186	31 462	191	0	417 485
2001	41 081	67 882	11 780	36 919	106 988	34 690	90 186	31 236	35 410	317	39	456 546
2002	43 593	75 038	12 699	40 971	118 911	38 553	99 470	35 280	38 764	326	38	503 660
2003	44 604	83 603	13 717	45 901	131 611	43 197	109 580	41 155	44 916	406	48	558 761
2004	44 274	88 952	14 542	49 249	134 642	43 229	113 588	43 152	46 393	597	68	578 725
2005	45 597	93 860	14 351	50 470	141 584	43 558	115 328	46 324	48 134	599	80	599 919
2006	44 712	92 086	15 128	52 412	140 336	43 028	120 075	48 838	53 180	683	2 386	614 471
2007	46 896	88 254	15 079	51 062	137 020	43 222	119 104	48 543	53 063	671	2 264	606 517
2008	47 111	85 577	15 263	49 535	133 510	43 174	118 898	47 870	53 485	738	2 343	598 553
2009	46 195	85 538	15 252	47 963	129 884	41 045	116 606	46 213	53 632	767	1 076	584 334
2010	46 215	83 365	15 288	45 264	117 876	40 355	106 707	42 122	50 576	849	65	551 917
2011	46 536	77 292	14 883	41 403	107 540	38 176	102 226	38 545	48 007	925	121	518 206
2012	47 560	69 288	14 082	35 591	103 325	36 189	99 505	36 905	49 926	831	2 214	495 877
2013	46 510	67 447	13 759	34 047	95 146	35 687	98 893	35 751	48 059	674	1 505	477 718
2014	46 625	70 423	14 115	33 314	91 917	35 416	99 708	35 284	48 702	820	1 058	477 719
2015	50 835	70 522	13 800	32 453	89 183	35 188	99 194	34 671	47 587	677	401	474 616
2016	50 438	69 455	14 028	32 236	90 443	35 730	98 753	33 604	46 362	216	585	471 955
2017	46 507	68 230	13 014	31 551	81 589	32 880	93 959	29 580	44 083	0	17 213	459 083
2018	48 376	67 119	13 962	28 927	84 778	31 486	90 974	30 122	42 270	0	0	454 014

Source: Stats SA, *Mortality and causes of death in South Africa, trends dataset 1998–2018*

The completeness of the death register varies by year and province of death. Deaths are reported for the province in which the death took place, not for the usual province of residence.

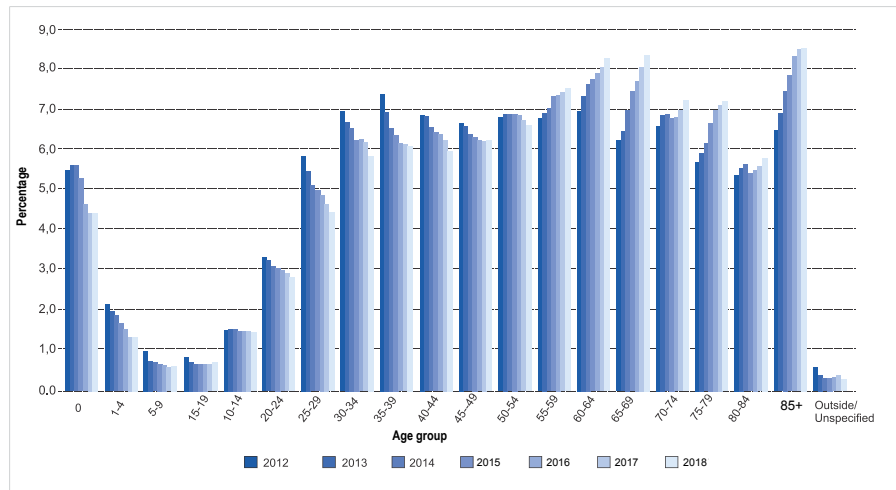


3.6 Percentage distribution of registered deaths by age and year of death, 2012-2018

Age	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
0	5,5	5,6	5,6	5,3	4,6	4,4	4,4
1-4	2,2	2,0	1,9	1,7	1,5	1,4	1,4
5-9	1,0	0,7	0,7	0,7	0,7	0,6	0,6
10-14	0,8	0,7	0,7	0,7	0,7	0,6	0,7
15-19	1,5	1,5	1,5	1,5	1,5	1,5	1,5
20-24	3,3	3,3	3,1	3,1	3,0	2,9	2,8
25-29	5,9	5,5	5,1	5,0	4,9	4,7	4,5
30-34	7,0	6,7	6,6	6,3	6,3	6,2	5,9
35-39	7,4	7,0	6,6	6,4	6,2	6,2	6,1
40-44	6,9	6,8	6,6	6,4	6,4	6,3	6,0
45-49	6,7	6,6	6,4	6,3	6,3	6,3	6,3
50-54	6,8	6,9	6,9	6,9	6,9	6,8	6,6
55-59	6,8	6,9	7,1	7,3	7,4	7,5	7,6
60-64	7,0	7,4	7,7	7,8	7,9	8,1	8,3
65-69	6,3	6,5	7,0	7,5	7,8	8,1	8,4
70-74	6,6	6,9	6,9	6,8	6,8	7,0	7,3
75-79	5,8	6,0	6,2	6,7	7,0	7,1	7,2
80-84	5,4	5,6	5,7	5,4	5,5	5,6	5,8
85+	6,5	6,9	7,5	7,9	8,3	8,5	8,6
Unsp.	0,6	0,4	0,3	0,3	0,3	0,3	0,3
Total	100,0	100,0	100,0	100,0	100,0	100,0	100,0



3.7 Percentage distribution of registered deaths by age group and year of death, 2012-2018



Source: Stats SA, *Mortality and causes of death in South Africa, 2013-2018*



3.8 Percentage distribution of deaths by main group of underlying cause of death (CD-10), 2012-2018

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Certain infectious and parasitic diseases (A00-B99)	22,2	22,5	21,6	19,5	18,1	17,6	0,0
Neoplasms (C00-D48)	7,8	8,3	8,7	9,1	9,3	9,7	0,0
Diseases of the blood and immune mechanism (D50-D89)	2,9	2,2	2,1	2,8	2,7	2,3	0,0
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases (E00-E90)	5,8	6,3	6,5	6,9	7,0	7,0	0,0
Mental and behavioural disorders (F00-F99)	0,4	0,4	0,4	0,4	0,5	0,6	0,0
Diseases of the nervous system (G00-G99)	2,5	2,4	2,3	2,3	2,1	2,1	0,0
Diseases of the eye and adnexa (H00-H59)	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0
Diseases of the ear and mastoid process (H60-H95)	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0
Diseases of the circulatory system (I00-I99)	16,4	16,7	17,4	17,8	18,4	18,4	0,0
Diseases of the respiratory system (J00-J99)	10,8	10,3	9,9	9,6	9,3	9,5	0,0
Diseases of the digestive system (K00-K93)	2,6	2,6	2,6	2,6	2,6	2,6	0,0
Diseases of the skin and subcutaneous tissue (L00-L99)	0,2	0,2	0,2	0,3	0,2	0,3	0,0
Diseases of the musculoskeletal system etc. (M00-M99)	0,3	0,3	0,4	0,4	0,4	0,4	0,0
Diseases of the genitourinary system (N00-N99)	1,7	1,9	1,9	2,0	2,1	2,1	0,0
Pregnancy, childbirth and puerperium (O00-O99)	0,2	0,2	0,2	0,2	0,2	0,2	0,0
Perinatal conditions (P00-P96)1	2,1	2,1	2,1	2,1	1,9	1,9	0,0
Congenital malformations (Q00-Q99)	0,4	0,4	0,5	0,5	0,5	0,5	0,0
Symptoms and signs not elsewhere classified (R00-R99)	13,6	12,7	12,4	12,3	13,2	13,4	0,0
External causes of morbidity and mortality (V01-Y98)	9,9	10,4	10,7	11,3	11,4	11,5	0,0
Total	100,0	100,0	100,0	100,0	100,0	100,0	100,0

Source: Stats SA, *Mortality and causes of death in South Africa, trends dataset 2012–2018*



3.9 Leading underlying natural causes of death, 2012-2018 (percentages)

Broad group of underlying causes	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Tuberculosis (A15-A19)	9,9	8,8	8,3	7,2	6,5	6,4	0,0
Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	4,4	4,9	5,0	5,4	5,5	5,7	0,0
Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	5,0	4,9	5,1	5,0	5,0	5,0	0,0
Other forms of heart disease (I30-I52)	4,5	4,7	4,8	4,9	5,2	4,9	0,0
Human immunodeficiency virus [HIV] disease (B20-B24)	3,9	5,0	4,8	4,8	4,8	4,8	0,0
Hypertensive diseases (I10-I15)	5,5	5,1	4,8	4,4	4,3	4,2	0,0
Influenza and pneumonia (J09-J18)	4,4	3,6	3,9	4,2	4,3	4,5	0,0
Other viral diseases (B25-B34)	3,1	3,0	3,1	3,5	3,6	2,8	0,0
Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	2,5	2,6	2,7	2,7	2,8	2,9	0,0
Intestinal infectious diseases (A00-A09)	3,1	3,4	3,1	2,1	1,4	1,5	0,0
Other natural causes	44,8	43,7	43,7	44,5	45,2	45,8	0,0
Non-natural causes	9,9	10,4	10,7	11,3	11,4	11,5	0,0
All causes	100,0	100,0	100,0	100,0	100,0	100,0	100,0
Total number	495 877	477 718	477 719	474 616	471 955	459 083	454 014

Source: South African death registration data

Causes of death are based on the Tenth Revision, *International Classification of Disease*, 1992.



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4.1 Tourists by mode of travel, 2009-2022 (thousands)

	Mode of travel					Total
	Road	Air	Sea	Rail	Unspecified	
2009	4 854	2 152	1	3	2	7 012
2010	5 328	2 739	5	1	1	8 074
2011	3 849	1 569	6	..	0	5 424
2012	6 240	2 937	12	..	0	9 188
2013	6 365	3 164	7	..	0	9 537
2014	6 971	2 573	4	..	..	9 549
2015	6 361	2 535	7	..	..	8 904
2016	7 140	2 893	11	..	..	10 044
2017	7 216	3 060	9	..	..	10 285
2018	7 368	3 089	15	..	..	10 472
2019	7 206	3 006	16	..	..	10 228
2020	2 018	774	10	..	..	2 802
2021	1 650	606	0	..	..	2 256
2022	3 855	1 838	6	..	..	5 698



4.2 Tourists by purpose of visit, 2009-2022 (thousands)

	Purpose of visit					Total
	Holiday	Business	Study	Transit ¹	Medical ²	
2009	6 803	106	91	12	..	7 012
2010	7 552	247	84	191	..	8 074
2011	5 115	122	65	122	..	5 424
2012	8 310	205	88	585	..	9 188
2013	8 610	200	72	655	..	9 537
2014	9 142	335	73	..	..	9 549
2015	8 503	325	75	..	..	8 904
2016	9 707	256	82	..	..	10 044
2017	9 951	255	79	..	..	10 285
2018	10 149	242	74	..	7	10 472
2019	9 947	209	66	..	6	10 228
2020	2 689	86	25	..	2	2 802
2021	2 057	163	31	..	4	2 256
2022	5 430	222	41	..	5	5 698

Source: Stats SA, *Tourism 2009-2022* (Report No. 03-51-02)

¹Travellers in transit were not included in the program for January 2014 going forward.

²Medical treatment tourists were now included in the program for 2018 going forward.



4.3 Tourists by country of residence, 2013-2022 (thousands)

	Europe								Total
	France	Germany	Italy	Netherlands	Portugal	Switzerland	UK	Other	
2013	134	301	67	121	53	59	437	322	1 492
2014	132	275	59	131	44	49	402	289	1 379
2015	128	257	52	122	40	49	407	276	1 331
2016	154	312	61	148	41	55	448	325	1 544
2017	196	349	61	160	38	59	448	350	1 661
2018	186	343	64	147	32	58	431	358	1 619
2019	165	323	65	144	30	55	437	337	1 556
2020	41	106	11	35	7	16	132	98	446
2021	20	44	7	22	6	11	46	61	217
2022	76	173	32	90	16	33	283	198	901

4.3 Tourists by country of residence, 2013-2022 (thousands) (cont.)

	North America			Central and South America				Australasia			Total
	USA	Other	Total	Argentina	Brazil	Other	Total	Australia	New Zealand	Other	
2013	347	69	416	19	83	27	129	125	23	0	148
2014	309	61	370	9	39	17	65	111	21	0	132
2015	297	56	353	5	29	16	50	99	19	1	119
2016	345	61	406	10	39	19	68	109	22	1	132
2017	371	67	438	15	68	24	107	116	17	1	134
2018	377	68	445	19	71	27	117	116	15	0	131
2019	374	66	440	16	77	27	120	111	16	1	128
2020	72	18	90	5	19	6	30	21	4	0	25
2021	7	82	89	0	5	5	10	4	0	0	4
2022	262	36	298	2	15	12	29	54	11	0	65



4.3 Tourists by country of residence, 2013-2022 (thousands) (cont.)

	Middle East				Asia			
	Israel	Saudi Arabia	Other	Total	India	China	Other	Total
2013	22	6	14	43	112	151	169	432
2014	19	7	13	39	86	83	100	269
2015	19	7	13	39	78	85	88	251
2016	25	11	18	54	95	117	116	328
2017	26	11	19	56	98	97	122	317
2018	26	8	16	50	93	97	121	311
2019	29	11	16	56	96	93	122	311
2020	6	3	3	12	19	13	25	57
2021	3	5	5	13	18	7	19	44
2022	17	11	13	41	56	12	50	118

4.3 Tourists by country of residence, 2013-2021 (thousands) (cont.)

	SADC							Total
	Botswana	Lesotho	Mozambique	Namibia	Swaziland	Zimbabwe	Other	
2013	537	1 461	1 117	222	836	1 935	567	6 856
2014	556	1 502	1 283	211	918	2 144	489	7 280
2015	594	1 395	1 200	213	838	1 901	434	6 575
2016	680	1 757	1 268	215	894	2 028	472	7 314
2017	681	1 747	1 339	209	877	2 040	494	7 387
2018	689	1 739	1 361	200	884	2 209	528	7 610
2019	668	1 563	1 333	184	918	2 259	516	7 441
2020	129	449	423	55	215	685	141	2 097
2021	103	355	523	91	178	411	163	1 824
2022	262	836	944	137	404	1 234	322	4 139

4.3 Tourists by country of residence, 2013-2022 (thousands) (concl.)

	Other African							Total	Unspecified	Grand Total
	Cameroon	Egypt	Ghana	Kenya	Nigeria	Uganda	Other			
2013	6	8	27	36	85	17	58	237	20	9 537
2014	5	7	20	30	66	13	45	186	15	9 549
2015	5	7	16	27	59	12	45	171	13	8 904
2016	5	9	17	29	66	14	48	188	12	10 044
2017	5	9	18	29	51	14	46	172	13	10 285
2018	5	7	21	29	54	14	46	176	13	10 472
2019	5	8	18	30	39	15	45	160	16	10 228
2020	1	3	5	7	10	4	11	41	4	2 802
2021	2	2	8	8	12	4	14	50	4	2 256
2022	4	5	14	21	16	9	29	98	10	5 698



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Documented migration

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5.1 Documented immigrants by country of previous permanent residence, 2003-2019 (numbers)

	Europe	Austra- lasia	Middle East	Asia	North America	Central and South Americas	Africa	Indian Ocean Islands	Unspecified	Total
2003	2 567	99	190	2 328	272	82	4 961	58	21	10 578
2011	1 252	34	68	2 519	149	62	5 922	..	5	10 011
2012	305	11	9	230	25	21	682	..	..	1 283
2013	791	28	41	1 228	112	45	4 555	..	1	6 801
2014	451	12	41	929	46	19	2 638	..	1	4 136
2015	728	23	61	1 610	57	44	3 872	..	2	6 397
2016	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	0
2017	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	0
2018	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	0
2019	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	0

Sources: Stats SA, *Documented immigrants in South Africa* (Statistical release P0351.4), *Tourism and migration* (Statistical release P0351) and *Tourism* (Report No. 03-51-02)

Statistics of documented immigrants are unavailable as from 2004-2010.

The immigration figures are obtained from all legal ports of entry into South Africa.

Africa refers to all the countries in Africa (both mainland and island countries).



5.2 Self-declared emigrants by country of destination, 1994-2003 (numbers)

	Europe	Austra- lasia	Middle East	Asia	North America	Central and South Americas	Africa	Indian Ocean Islands	Unspecified	Total
1994	4 198	2 766	358	173	1 699	45	854	88	54	10 235
1995	2 963	2 449	281	163	1 561	51	1 114	66	77	8 725
1996	3 198	3 035	266	136	1 737	49	1 151	72	64	9 708
1997	2 962	2 671	244	166	1 389	43	1 339	71	61	8 946
1998	3 138	2 513	230	169	1 338	45	1 425	77	96	9 031
1999	3 071	2 506	200	187	1 168	43	1 131	86	95	8 487
2000	3 811	2 441	243	198	1 581	64	1 655	151	118	10 262
2001	5 316	2 912	280	226	1 659	54	1 584	126	103	12 260
2002	4 637	2 523	323	218	1 430	43	1 461	144	111	10 890
2003	6 827	3 248	580	445	1 998	92	2 611	196	168	16 165

Sources: Stats SA, *Documented immigrants in South Africa* (Statistical release P0351.4), *Tourism and migration* (Statistical release P0351) and *Tourism* (Report No. 03-51-02)

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5.3 Documented immigrants by occupation group, 1994-2003 (numbers)

	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Professional occupations	1 103	798	843	551	449	378	331	524	576	499
Managerial and administrative occupations	490	374	461	418	424	258	241	258	381	416
Clerical and sales occupations	400	250	315	64	48	199	21	62	26	25
Transport and communication occupations	19	7	18	19	8	25	5	3	5	7
Service occupations	115	79	84	43	27	58	4	16	21	15
Farming and related occupations	20	5	4	2	0	48	4	0	2	0
Artisan and related occupations	184	103	117	93	52	169	15	10	14	10
Production and related workers	78	58	62	31	17	218	5	10	9	0
Occupations unspecified or n.e.c.	161	88	74	424	173	36	36	69	19	39
Not economically active	3 830	3 302	3 412	2 555	3 173	2 304	2 391	3 879	5 491	9 567
Total	6 398	5 064	5 407	4 103	4 371	3 669	3 053	4 832	6 545	10 578

Sources: Stats SA, *Documented immigrants in South Africa* (Statistical release P0351.4), *Tourism and migration* (Statistical release P0351) and *Tourism* (Report No. 03-51-02)

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5.4 Self-declared emigrants by occupation group, 1994-2003 (numbers)

	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Professional occupations	1 960	1 679	1 970	1 924	1 968	1 855	2 439	2 929	2 689	3 370
Managerial and administrative occupations	638	664	737	703	787	680	891	954	1 146	1 218
Clerical and sales occupations	1 008	859	921	877	873	794	1 057	1 279	596	1 400
Transport and communication occupations	45	41	23	34	43	32	67	53	54	99
Service occupations	122	102	116	99	113	116	146	208	129	214
Farming and related occupations	14	26	26	29	34	16	34	33	25	25
Artisan and related occupations	402	319	339	327	323	257	289	304	253	297
Production and related workers	67	40	32	31	19	28	61	79	39	62
Occupations unspecified or n.e.c.	604	793	999	824	945	970	1 450	1 752	1 880	1 376
Not economically active	5 375	4 198	4 545	4 039	3 926	3 639	3 828	4 669	3 556	4 649
Total	10 235	8 725	9 708	8 946	9 031	8 487	10 262	12 260	10 890	16 165

Sources: Stats SA, *Documented immigrants in South Africa* (Statistical release P0351.4), *Tourism and migration* (Statistical release P0351) and *Tourism* (Report No. 03-51-02)

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Statistics South Africa has revised the *Quarterly labour force survey* (QLFS) series from Quarter 3: 2013 backwards to reflect the new population estimates from the Census 2011. The resulting estimates are comparable for the entire series to date.

Due to rounding, numbers do not necessarily add up to totals.

¹ Includes employers, employees and self-employed.

† For numbers of 10 000 or less the sample size is too small for reliable estimates.



6.1 Population of working age (15-64 years) by gender and labour market status according to the official definition of unemployment, 2019-2023 (thousands)

		Economically active				Not economically active	
Gender: Male		Workers	Unemployed	Total	Unemployment rate (%)		Total
2019	Mar	9 100	3 219	12 319	26,1	6 625	18 944
	Jun	9 180	3 406	12 585	27,1	6 436	19 022
	Sep	9 133	3 491	12 624	27,7	6 475	19 099
	Dec	9 201	3 431	12 632	27,2	6 542	19 174
2020	Mar	9 149	3 607	12 755	28,3	6 494	19 249
	Jun	7 978	2 258	10 236	22,1	9 089	19 325
	Sep	8 281	3 480	11 761	29,6	7 639	19 400
	Dec	8 432	3 789	12 221	31,0	7 253	19 474
2021	Mar	8 404	3 841	12 245	31,4	7 303	19 548
	Jun	8 462	4 047	12 508	32,4	7 114	19 623
	Sep	8 130	3 986	12 116	32,9	7 582	19 698
	Dec	8 270	4 046	12 316	32,8	7 456	19 771
2022	Mar	8 407	4 137	12 544	33,0	7 302	19 846
	Jun	8 642	4 185	12 827	32,6	7 093	19 920
	Sep	8 831	3 969	12 801	31,0	7 194	19 995
	Dec	8 955	3 917	12 871	30,4	7 196	20 067
2023	Mar	9 091	4 034	13 126	30,7	7 015	20 140
	Jun	9 186	3 939	13 125	30,0	7 089	20 214


6.1 Population of working age (15-64 years) by gender and labour market status according to the official definition of unemployment, 2019-2023 (thousands) (cont.)

		Economically active					
Gender: Female		Workers	Unemployed	Total	Unemployment rate (%)	Not economically active	Total
2019	Mar	7 192	2 982	10 174	29,3	9 165	19 339
	Jun	7 133	3 250	10 383	31,3	9 029	19 411
	Sep	7 242	3 243	10 485	30,9	8 999	19 483
	Dec	7 220	3 295	10 514	31,3	9 039	19 554
2020	Mar	7 234	3 463	10 697	32,4	8 928	19 625
	Jun	6 170	2 037	8 207	24,8	11 489	19 696
	Sep	6 410	3 053	9 463	32,3	10 304	19 767
	Dec	6 592	3 445	10 036	34,3	9 800	19 837
2021	Mar	6 591	3 401	9 992	34,0	9 914	19 907
	Jun	6 480	3 779	10 259	36,8	9 717	19 977
	Sep	6 152	3 657	9 810	37,3	10 237	20 047
	Dec	6 274	3 876	10 150	38,2	9 967	20 117
2022	Mar	6 507	3 725	10 232	36,4	9 955	20 187
	Jun	6 920	3 809	10 729	35,5	9 528	20 257
	Sep	6 934	3 756	10 690	35,1	9 637	20 327
	Dec	6 980	3 837	10 817	35,5	9 578	20 395
2023	Mar	7 101	3 899	10 999	35,4	9 464	20 463
	Jun	7 160	3 983	11 143	35,7	9 389	20 532



6.1 Population of working age (15-64 years) by gender and labour market status according to the official definition of unemployment, 2019-2023 (thousands) (concl.)

		Economically active					
Gender: Total		Workers	Unemployed	Total	Unemployment rate (%)	Not economically active	Total
2019	Mar	16 291	6 201	22 492	27,6	15 791	38 283
	Jun	16 313	6 655	22 968	29,0	15 465	38 433
	Sep	16 375	6 734	23 109	29,1	15 474	38 582
	Dec	16 420	6 726	23 146	29,1	15 581	38 727
2020	Mar	16 383	7 070	23 452	30,1	15 422	38 874
	Jun	14 148	4 295	18 443	23,3	20 578	39 021
	Sep	14 691	6 533	21 224	30,8	17 944	39 167
	Dec	15 024	7 233	22 257	32,5	17 054	39 311
2021	Mar	14 995	7 242	22 237	32,6	17 218	39 455
	Jun	14 942	7 826	22 768	34,4	16 832	39 599
	Sep	14 282	7 643	21 925	34,9	17 820	39 745
	Dec	14 544	7 921	22 466	35,3	17 423	39 888
2022	Mar	14 914	7 862	22 776	34,5	17 257	40 033
	Jun	15 562	7 994	23 556	33,9	16 621	40 177
	Sep	15 765	7 725	23 491	32,9	16 831	40 322
	Dec	15 934	7 753	23 688	32,7	16 774	40 462
2023	Mar	16 192	7 933	24 125	32,9	16 479	40 604
	Jun	16 346	7 921	24 268	32,6	16 478	40 746


6.2 Population of working age (15-64 years) by population group and labour market status according to the official definition of unemployment, 2019-2023 (thousands)

Population group: Black African		Economically active			Unemployment rate (%)	Not economically active	Total
		Workers	Unemployed	Total			
2019	Mar	12 201	5 513	17 714	31,1	13 130	30 844
	Jun	12 250	5 951	18 201	32,7	12 791	30 992
	Sep	12 262	5 974	18 236	32,8	12 903	31 140
	Dec	12 365	5 934	18 298	32,4	12 986	31 284
2020	Mar	12 317	6 299	18 616	33,8	12 813	31 429
	Jun	10 555	3 770	14 325	26,3	17 250	31 575
	Sep	11 015	5 815	16 830	34,6	14 889	31 720
	Dec	11 228	6 468	17 696	36,5	14 169	31 865
2021	Mar	11 205	6 488	17 693	36,7	14 314	32 007
	Jun	11 264	6 976	18 240	38,2	13 912	32 152
	Sep	10 699	6 735	17 434	38,6	14 865	32 299
	Dec	10 875	6 970	17 845	39,1	14 598	32 442
2022	Mar	11 208	7 039	18 247	38,6	14 342	32 589
	Jun	11 789	7 159	18 948	37,8	13 786	32 734
	Sep	11 867	6 912	18 779	36,8	14 101	32 880
	Dec	11 977	6 977	18 953	36,8	14 069	33 022
2023	Mar	12 133	7 194	19 328	37,2	13 838	33 165
	Jun	12 358	7 195	19 554	36,8	13 755	33 309



6.2 Population of working age (15-64 years) by population group and labour market status according to the official definition of unemployment, 2019-2023 (thousands) (cont.)

		Economically active				Not economically active	
Population group:		Workers	Unemployed	Total	Unemployment rate (%)		Total
Coloured							
2019	Mar	1 711	489	2 201	22,2	1 268	3 468
	Jun	1 687	489	2 175	22,5	1 302	3 477
	Sep	1 719	529	2 248	23,5	1 237	3 485
	Dec	1 680	556	2 235	24,9	1 257	3 493
2020	Mar	1 667	526	2 193	24,0	1 307	3 500
	Jun	1 412	332	1 744	19,0	1 764	3 508
	Sep	1 448	446	1 893	23,5	1 623	3 517
	Dec	1 528	527	2 055	25,7	1 468	3 523
2021	Mar	1 513	510	2 023	25,2	1 508	3 531
	Jun	1 416	565	1 981	28,5	1 556	3 537
	Sep	1 391	606	1 997	30,3	1 547	3 543
	Dec	1 453	618	2 072	29,8	1 479	3 550
2022	Mar	1 525	532	2 057	25,9	1 499	3 556
	Jun	1 531	577	2 108	27,4	1 455	3 562
	Sep	1 609	579	2 188	26,5	1 380	3 568
	Dec	1 666	529	2 195	24,1	1 379	3 574
2023	Mar	1 743	503	2 247	22,4	1 333	3 580
	Jun	1 727	483	2 210	21,9	1 375	3 586

6.2 Population of working age (15-64 years) by population group and labour market status according to the official definition of unemployment, 2019-2023 (thousands) (cont.)

Population group: Indian or Asian		Economically active				Unemployment rate (%)	Not economically active	Total
		Workers	Unemployed	Total				
2019	Mar	524	67	591	11,4	418	1 009	
	Jun	530	67	597	11,2	414	1 011	
	Sep	535	82	617	13,3	396	1 013	
	Dec	523	85	608	13,9	407	1 016	
2020	Mar	535	80	615	13,0	402	1 018	
	Jun	488	82	571	14,4	449	1 020	
	Sep	478	108	586	18,4	436	1 022	
	Dec	512	68	580	11,8	444	1 024	
2021	Mar	496	87	583	14,9	444	1 026	
	Jun	487	118	605	19,5	423	1 029	
	Sep	445	125	571	22,0	460	1 031	
	Dec	423	161	584	27,5	449	1 033	
2022	Mar	499	103	601	17,1	433	1 035	
	Jun	543	99	643	15,5	394	1 037	
	Sep	547	87	634	13,7	405	1 039	
	Dec	543	92	634	14,4	407	1 041	
2023	Mar	545	91	635	14,3	408	1 043	
	Jun	522	104	626	16,6	419	1 045	



6.2 Population of working age (15-64 years) by population group and labour market status according to the official definition of unemployment, 2019-2023 (thousands) (cont.)

		Economically active				Not economically active	
Population group:		Workers	Unemployed	Total	Unemployment rate (%)		Total
White							
2019	Mar	1 855	131	1 986	6,6	976	2 961
	Jun	1 845	148	1 994	7,4	959	2 953
	Sep	1 859	148	2 007	7,4	937	2 944
	Dec	1 853	152	2 005	7,6	931	2 935
2020	Mar	1 863	164	2 027	8,1	899	2 926
	Jun	1 693	111	1 803	6,1	1 114	2 918
	Sep	1 750	164	1 914	8,6	994	2 909
	Dec	1 756	170	1 926	8,8	973	2 899
2021	Mar	1 781	157	1 938	8,1	952	2 891
	Jun	1 774	167	1 941	8,6	940	2 881
	Sep	1 747	177	1 924	9,2	948	2 872
	Dec	1 793	172	1 965	8,8	897	2 863
2022	Mar	1 683	188	1 871	10,0	982	2 853
	Jun	1 699	159	1 858	8,6	986	2 844
	Sep	1 742	148	1 889	7,8	945	2 834
	Dec	1 749	156	1 905	8,2	920	2 825
2023	Mar	1 771	144	1 915	7,5	900	2 815
	Jun	1 739	139	1 878	7,4	928	2 806


6.2 Population of working age (15-64 years) by population group and labour market status according to the official definition of unemployment, 2019-2023 (thousands) (concl.)

		Economically active				Not economically active	
Population group:		Workers	Unemployed	Total	Unemployment rate (%)		Total
Total							
2019	Mar	16 291	6 201	22 492	27,6	15 791	38 283
	Jun	16 313	6 655	22 968	29,0	15 465	38 433
	Sep	16 375	6 734	23 109	29,1	15 474	38 582
	Dec	16 420	6 726	23 146	29,1	15 581	38 727
2020	Mar	16 383	7 070	23 452	30,1	15 422	38 874
	Jun	14 148	4 295	18 443	23,3	20 578	39 021
	Sep	14 691	6 533	21 224	30,8	17 944	39 167
	Dec	15 024	7 233	22 257	32,5	17 054	39 311
2021	Mar	14 995	7 242	22 237	32,6	17 218	39 455
	Jun	14 942	7 826	22 768	34,4	16 832	39 599
	Sep	14 282	7 643	21 925	34,9	17 820	39 745
	Dec	14 544	7 921	22 466	35,3	17 423	39 888
2022	Mar	14 914	7 862	22 776	34,5	17 257	40 033
	Jun	15 562	7 994	23 556	33,9	16 621	40 177
	Sep	15 765	7 725	23 491	32,9	16 831	40 322
	Dec	15 934	7 753	23 688	32,7	16 774	40 462
2023	Mar	16 192	7 933	24 125	32,9	16 479	40 604
	Jun	16 346	7 921	24 268	32,6	16 478	40 746



6.3 The employed¹ (15-64 years) by main occupation and province, 2019-2023 (thousands)

Main occupation: Legislators, senior officials and managers		Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu- Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpuma- langa	Limpopo	South Africa
2019	Mar	251	96	18	44	169	51	706	75	55	1 463
	Jun	267	113	20	54	171	41	714	70	76	1 528
	Sep	284	92	18	53	182	45	628	67	66	1 436
	Dec	277	90	21	44	168	58	645	65	73	1 440
2020	Mar	258	95	26	52	169	58	675	55	55	1 444
	Jun	225	81	19	49	151	38	619	66	42	1 288
	Sep	240	80	22	45	169	48	588	74	48	1 313
	Dec	247	87	18	45	138	59	614	68	48	1 324
2021	Mar	273	104	20	38	137	59	597	66	47	1 342
	Jun	259	97	†	67	134	62	670	59	48	1 406
	Sep	264	73	†	60	141	58	635	59	43	1 342
	Dec	274	75	†	61	164	52	524	53	49	1 257
2022	Mar	278	61	25	44	135	43	550	68	37	1 241
	Jun	297	79	19	52	150	27	503	56	69	1 253
	Sep	298	87	33	61	177	34	648	87	55	1 479
	Dec	359	95	32	50	193	49	622	72	65	1 537
2023	Mar	298	78	27	47	160	44	579	70	52	1 356
	Jun	233	73	20	31	123	33	523	61	55	1 153


 6.3 The employed¹ (15-64 years) by main occupation and province, 2019-2023 (thousands) (cont.)

Main occupation:		Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
2019	Professional										
	Mar	156	46	†	25	128	43	384	37	56	884
	Jun	141	58	17	34	103	40	356	36	55	840
	Sep	167	49	19	37	120	45	422	43	58	962
Dec	162	56	13	40	118	45	428	46	62	970	
2020	Mar	159	53	12	51	132	46	396	43	57	948
	Jun	182	63	13	44	147	43	443	59	78	1 072
	Sep	164	60	†	40	122	39	466	52	66	1 019
	Dec	153	53	14	35	129	47	413	43	66	952
2021	Mar	172	55	13	33	122	49	447	37	62	990
	Jun	185	57	†	33	122	46	454	37	53	992
	Sep	212	64	†	26	117	22	417	31	55	946
	Dec	200	57	†	36	154	42	370	26	46	933
2022	Mar	222	78	†	33	129	33	415	41	38	997
	Jun	217	79	14	30	160	32	507	53	73	1 166
	Sep	214	75	†	42	132	32	449	41	53	1 049
	Dec	214	72	†	35	110	39	483	48	66	1 077
2023	Mar	224	86	13	48	132	50	563	41	61	1 218
	Jun	244	91	15	40	134	37	589	37	74	1 261



6.3 The employed¹ (15-64 years) by main occupation and province, 2019-2023 (thousands) (cont.)

Main occupation: Technical and associate professionals		Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu- Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpuma- langa	Limpopo	South Africa
2019	Mar	213	137	23	50	214	63	534	105	109	1 448
	Jun	221	123	25	51	244	66	505	94	108	1 436
	Sep	202	123	24	50	221	67	519	83	107	1 395
	Dec	216	124	22	47	207	74	520	92	100	1 401
2020	Mar	180	119	24	41	193	74	529	87	110	1 357
	Jun	187	108	17	36	206	75	424	78	81	1 213
	Sep	189	114	21	61	231	85	442	77	97	1 318
	Dec	193	111	27	58	239	91	444	97	93	1 352
2021	Mar	200	113	37	49	236	78	473	99	115	1 399
	Jun	193	121	16	43	233	77	449	86	101	1 320
	Sep	235	107	29	60	206	49	398	77	74	1 235
	Dec	214	114	19	52	192	64	446	86	78	1 265
2022	Mar	241	144	22	56	258	61	454	91	94	1 421
	Jun	255	104	17	68	227	55	468	98	78	1 369
	Sep	255	136	21	77	252	59	556	98	88	1 540
	Dec	260	114	22	72	227	67	503	97	116	1 477
2023	Mar	251	124	21	66	215	69	512	91	126	1 476
	Jun	248	121	23	73	227	87	469	90	133	1 472


 6.3 The employed¹ (15-64 years) by main occupation and province, 2019-2023 (thousands) (cont.)

Main occupation: Clerks		Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
2019	Mar	297	131	37	79	231	72	635	94	103	1 679
	Jun	296	121	27	65	245	75	679	86	114	1 708
	Sep	298	132	26	60	244	68	660	91	118	1 696
	Dec	297	144	29	70	250	68	699	84	94	1 733
2020	Mar	272	127	25	69	247	97	658	87	93	1 674
	Jun	259	113	25	77	215	89	541	63	89	1 470
	Sep	251	113	22	68	241	87	582	80	83	1 526
	Dec	302	119	31	63	240	107	551	78	87	1 579
2021	Mar	286	119	26	69	217	99	613	67	98	1 595
	Jun	250	108	27	81	216	92	543	80	77	1 474
	Sep	234	111	34	72	220	80	505	85	71	1 411
	Dec	232	84	30	75	228	57	520	58	87	1 371
2022	Mar	296	101	47	81	218	62	507	60	93	1 466
	Jun	248	126	39	85	235	81	588	92	105	1 601
	Sep	263	113	37	57	246	75	589	91	113	1 583
	Dec	244	128	44	57	241	81	567	90	139	1 591
2023	Mar	290	133	40	71	282	78	638	82	132	1 747
	Jun	336	135	38	60	282	87	705	95	118	1 857



6.3 The employed¹ (15-64 years) by main occupation and province, 2019-2023 (thousands) (cont.)

Main occupation: Service workers and, shop and market sales workers		Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
2019	Mar	394	254	44	126	436	172	810	180	252	2 667
	Jun	387	260	41	148	456	140	772	207	276	2 687
	Sep	385	254	52	144	499	158	805	227	252	2 777
	Dec	391	257	56	138	490	158	779	222	248	2 738
2020	Mar	423	263	62	128	498	149	771	235	224	2 753
	Jun	333	212	59	111	405	133	655	194	198	2 302
	Sep	377	210	66	125	438	128	672	197	187	2 400
	Dec	385	224	72	141	450	137	692	178	199	2 476
2021	Mar	375	244	55	134	456	137	682	204	196	2 483
	Jun	357	220	55	105	424	145	658	178	180	2 322
	Sep	289	223	54	95	379	130	645	162	170	2 149
	Dec	302	245	49	102	409	133	731	166	179	2 316
2022	Mar	264	255	41	127	418	164	779	177	258	2 483
	Jun	336	248	60	128	462	144	759	181	264	2 582
	Sep	366	236	58	118	450	149	770	210	261	2 618
	Dec	389	262	40	130	476	118	773	199	238	2 625
2023	Mar	422	262	52	131	455	147	810	186	240	2 706
	Jun	419	276	56	129	521	162	809	200	253	2 824

6.3 The employed¹ (15-64 years) by main occupation and province, 2019-2023 (thousands) (cont.)

Main occupation: Skilled agricultural and fishery workers		Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
2019	Mar	†	†	†	†	13	..	†	†	†	47
	Jun	†	†	†	†	12	†	†	†	†	54
	Sep	14	16	†	†	12	†	†	†	†	66
	Dec	†	†	†	†	28	†	†	†	13	79
2020	Mar	12	†	†	†	13	†	†	†	†	69
	Jun	13	†	†	†	11	†	†	†	†	67
	Sep	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	11	61
	Dec	17	†	†	†	20	†	†	†	†	85
2021	Mar	14	†	†	†	11	†	†	†	13	62
	Jun	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	45
	Sep	†	†	†	†	11	†	14	†	†	63
	Dec	..	†	†	†	21	†	†	†	†	68
2022	Mar	†	†	†	†	12	†	13	†	†	68
	Jun	14	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	15	72
	Sep	†	†	†	†	12	†	17	12	†	75
	Dec	16	†	†	†	13	†	14	†	†	88
2023	Mar	†	†	†	†	16	..	†	†	15	68
	Jun	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	11	51



6.3 The employed¹ (15-64 years) by main occupation and province, 2019-2023 (thousands) (cont.)

Main occupation: Craft and related trades workers		Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
2019	Mar	285	134	32	100	317	112	569	204	217	1 972
	Jun	289	140	26	96	325	114	561	204	203	1 957
	Sep	249	162	31	82	294	119	557	198	221	1 912
	Dec	287	156	47	92	294	106	527	185	213	1 907
2020	Mar	273	160	43	78	286	114	555	182	248	1 940
	Jun	215	108	27	62	241	117	441	147	162	1 521
	Sep	221	125	32	57	249	97	437	169	189	1 575
	Dec	251	102	34	71	250	97	460	189	207	1 660
2021	Mar	240	129	32	66	250	97	476	177	164	1 630
	Jun	238	91	29	61	250	130	437	167	195	1 599
	Sep	235	105	21	69	263	118	396	157	161	1 526
	Dec	225	94	25	73	250	88	425	156	183	1 519
2022	Mar	188	103	28	79	276	114	477	158	189	1 613
	Jun	198	123	27	84	258	104	542	168	169	1 673
	Sep	211	140	29	78	247	104	514	171	170	1 664
	Dec	238	133	32	76	244	114	499	159	169	1 664
2023	Mar	249	136	29	91	293	86	467	176	197	1 724
	Jun	258	102	26	78	287	87	441	159	194	1 633


 6.3 The employed¹ (15-64 years) by main occupation and province, 2019-2023 (thousands) (cont.)

Main occupation: Plant and machine operators and assembler		Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
2019	Mar	175	99	29	80	266	98	390	126	118	1 380
	Jun	186	95	28	82	259	118	374	129	117	1 386
	Sep	187	87	27	71	282	91	372	125	101	1 343
	Dec	185	96	19	63	284	109	378	138	102	1 374
2020	Mar	193	93	19	59	291	103	382	144	102	1 385
	Jun	156	100	19	44	237	98	342	136	85	1 217
	Sep	155	91	17	62	242	107	320	127	95	1 216
	Dec	160	106	17	52	262	87	363	112	98	1 257
2021	Mar	173	109	24	55	270	109	332	107	107	1 285
	Jun	141	89	18	60	242	91	358	133	109	1 242
	Sep	125	96	17	57	237	77	379	129	102	1 219
	Dec	171	115	18	69	235	85	347	108	88	1 236
2022	Mar	197	117	24	83	234	61	372	130	106	1 324
	Jun	161	118	27	70	272	86	361	130	116	1 340
	Sep	163	110	29	77	251	84	343	100	102	1 259
	Dec	153	101	26	75	247	102	359	123	96	1 281
2023	Mar	168	114	23	56	257	98	351	101	106	1 274
	Jun	183	104	22	56	237	105	344	89	124	1 263



6.3 The employed¹ (15-64 years) by main occupation and province, 2019-2023 (thousands) (cont.)

Main occupation: Elementary occupations		Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu- Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpuma- langa	Limpopo	South Africa
2019	Mar	631	317	108	212	632	302	826	301	407	3 737
	Jun	598	370	97	203	628	271	810	328	417	3 721
	Sep	595	377	102	216	623	312	797	309	427	3 759
	Dec	585	348	109	207	661	309	805	324	414	3 762
2020	Mar	615	375	105	201	670	276	838	320	408	3 806
	Jun	522	309	61	152	551	245	723	294	333	3 191
	Sep	522	331	80	196	556	297	698	299	406	3 384
	Dec	529	331	81	194	578	268	714	299	401	3 393
2021	Mar	478	334	96	192	589	258	692	300	378	3 317
	Jun	513	378	78	208	620	291	763	345	411	3 605
	Sep	525	379	85	220	565	271	779	315	396	3 534
	Dec	548	386	96	193	576	295	823	316	397	3 630
2022	Mar	512	340	104	220	525	337	797	288	369	3 492
	Jun	527	368	87	224	538	335	818	325	425	3 648
	Sep	564	385	85	230	604	277	794	320	413	3 673
	Dec	617	384	107	233	616	272	826	314	354	3 722
2023	Mar	646	407	111	220	627	268	843	314	387	3 824
	Jun	660	457	99	215	664	241	872	345	429	3 982


 6.3 The employed¹ (15-64 years) by main occupation and province, 2019-2023 (thousands) (cont.)

Main occupation: Domestic workers		Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu- Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpuma- langa	Limpopo	South Africa
2019	Mar	108	88	19	85	192	58	299	82	82	1 013
	Jun	106	102	17	73	192	49	285	86	84	995
	Sep	113	109	21	78	196	52	290	86	81	1 027
	Dec	109	106	18	76	165	62	309	85	83	1 013
2020	Mar	117	91	18	70	171	47	323	85	82	1 004
	Jun	77	64	11	55	124	32	248	65	69	745
	Sep	88	82	†	65	133	36	285	79	84	864
	Dec	99	91	†	75	140	48	288	76	72	897
2021	Mar	98	86	†	63	138	40	279	70	66	848
	Jun	113	69	13	64	172	38	276	73	74	892
	Sep	103	54	19	57	158	40	279	80	66	856
	Dec	97	69	19	61	195	35	331	75	68	949
2022	Mar	94	84	17	52	166	35	222	65	72	808
	Jun	90	90	22	59	174	52	233	60	77	858
	Sep	88	71	21	52	168	40	243	69	74	826
	Dec	102	83	19	57	175	35	255	71	66	863
2023	Mar	101	73	20	54	158	36	212	72	72	797
	Jun	121	77	21	46	156	41	231	74	77	844



6.3 The employed¹ (15-64 years) by main occupation and province, 2019-2023 (thousands) (cont.)

Main occupation: Other		Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
2019	Mar	..	..	..	..	..	..	†	..	..	†
	Jun	..	..	..	..	†	..	..	..	..	†
	Sep	..	..	..	..	..	..	†	..	..	†
	Dec	..	..	..	..	..	..	†	..	..	†
2020	Mar	..	..	..	..	†	..	†	..	..	†
	Jun	11	†	†	†	†	..	30	†	†	62
	Sep	†	..	†	..	†	..	†	..	..	15
	Dec	†	†	†	†	†	..	25	..	†	47
2021	Mar	..	†	†	†	†	†	26	†	†	45
	Jun	†	†	†	†	†	†	30	†	†	46
	Sep	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Dec	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
2022	Mar	..	..	..	..	†	..	..	..	..	†
	Jun	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Sep	..	..	..	..	..	..	†	..	..	†
	Dec	†	..	..	..	..	..	†	†	..	†
2023	Mar	†	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	†
	Jun	†	..	..	..	†	..	†	..	..	†


6.3 The employed¹ (15-64 years) by main occupation and province, 2019-2023 (thousands) (concl.)

Main occupation: Total		Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
2019	Mar	2 520	1 308	321	803	2 598	970	5 162	1 209	1 401	16 291
	Jun	2 497	1 388	301	808	2 635	918	5 066	1 243	1 456	16 313
	Sep	2 494	1 402	322	795	2 674	960	5 060	1 233	1 435	16 375
	Dec	2 518	1 384	335	785	2 664	992	5 098	1 244	1 400	16 420
2020	Mar	2 501	1 382	336	756	2 672	969	5 134	1 246	1 387	16 383
	Jun	2 179	1 169	255	638	2 297	874	4 473	1 112	1 151	14 148
	Sep	2 216	1 212	287	723	2 389	930	4 506	1 161	1 266	14 691
	Dec	2 338	1 236	308	745	2 454	944	4 570	1 148	1 281	15 024
2021	Mar	2 309	1 301	313	703	2 429	933	4 626	1 133	1 248	14 995
	Jun	2 256	1 235	256	723	2 421	979	4 648	1 166	1 257	14 942
	Sep	2 225	1 216	275	720	2 297	851	4 448	1 104	1 145	14 282
	Dec	2 263	1 247	264	727	2 424	858	4 524	1 052	1 184	14 544
2022	Mar	2 298	1 293	321	781	2 371	917	4 586	1 082	1 265	14 914
	Jun	2 344	1 343	318	807	2 481	924	4 787	1 167	1 391	15 562
	Sep	2 428	1 360	324	798	2 539	858	4 923	1 199	1 337	15 765
	Dec	2 596	1 380	336	794	2 541	881	4 905	1 186	1 317	15 934
2023	Mar	2 658	1 421	339	790	2 594	877	4 984	1 141	1 388	16 192
	Jun	2 711	1 444	322	730	2 642	881	4 988	1 158	1 469	16 346



6.4 The employed¹ (15-64 years) by main industry and province, 2019-2023 (thousands)

Main industry: Agriculture, hunting, forestry and fishing		Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu- Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpuma- langa	Limpopo	South Africa
2019	Mar	225	84	41	60	134	62	31	76	124	837
	Jun	182	97	33	60	134	61	33	101	141	842
	Sep	215	96	33	56	143	59	40	98	140	880
	Dec	236	77	36	66	162	48	30	92	140	885
2020	Mar	255	80	41	62	133	51	30	86	126	865
	Jun	197	67	24	57	126	45	32	108	142	799
	Sep	137	98	28	49	132	66	41	117	142	808
	Dec	178	101	28	54	141	40	33	100	136	810
2021	Mar	136	101	39	55	130	40	43	113	136	792
	Jun	185	82	31	74	137	70	35	95	153	862
	Sep	197	107	34	72	113	52	28	92	133	829
	Dec	178	108	41	66	132	71	41	106	124	868
2022	Mar	203	93	49	84	85	51	28	95	155	844
	Jun	187	110	35	86	91	54	36	104	170	874
	Sep	203	118	36	93	119	34	38	93	140	873
	Dec	223	89	52	90	130	44	33	92	107	860
2023	Mar	251	90	41	82	143	45	32	81	124	888
	Jun	200	121	38	71	148	39	28	101	149	894

6.4 The employed¹ (15-64 years) by main industry and province, 2019-2023 (thousands) (cont.)

Main industry: Mining and quarrying		Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
2019	Mar	↑	↑	28	17	↑	136	50	71	100	417
	Jun	↑	...	26	20	↑	122	50	68	86	381
	Sep	↑	↑	29	15	↑	130	65	78	89	419
	Dec	↑	↑	33	17	↑	134	73	80	84	430
2020	Mar	↑	↑	35	20	↑	125	83	69	93	436
	Jun	↑	↑	27	18	↑	122	53	67	76	373
	Sep	↑	↑	34	16	↑	140	61	65	89	419
	Dec	↑	↑	32	13	↑	120	59	61	90	384
2021	Mar	↑	↑	28	16	↑	123	61	62	95	395
	Jun	↑	↑	18	18	↑	138	73	47	98	398
	Sep	↑	↑	20	19	↑	124	34	50	86	345
	Dec	↑	↑	↑	23	↑	126	53	65	76	370
2022	Mar	↑	..	30	18	↑	109	93	78	67	406
	Jun	↑	↑	27	21	↑	120	81	71	79	407
	Sep	↑	..	22	25	↑	126	69	57	97	407
	Dec	↑	↑	19	26	↑	137	57	72	111	436
2023	Mar	↑	↑	18	22	↑	123	74	65	101	413
	Jun	↑	↑	25	21	↑	129	69	66	117	444



6.4 The employed¹ (15-64 years) by main industry and province, 2019-2023 (thousands) (cont.)

Main industry:		Western	Eastern	Northern	Free State	KwaZulu-	North West	Gauteng	Mpuma-	Limpopo	South
Manufacturing		Cape	Cape	Cape		Natal			langa		Africa
2019	Mar	346	113	17	77	348	75	620	97	86	1 780
	Jun	357	119	17	62	352	72	627	101	81	1 789
	Sep	330	134	15	59	333	74	627	104	84	1 760
	Dec	305	127	17	55	338	70	624	103	81	1 720
2020	Mar	309	127	14	53	324	62	616	105	96	1 706
	Jun	273	115	†	54	249	63	534	97	65	1 456
	Sep	303	107	†	48	272	44	504	91	81	1 460
	Dec	311	102	14	49	272	51	525	90	76	1 491
2021	Mar	311	108	20	48	277	72	510	82	69	1 497
	Jun	265	115	11	45	253	44	505	106	72	1 415
	Sep	283	126	11	31	271	63	459	98	60	1 402
	Dec	305	115	†	33	228	39	454	78	60	1 316
2022	Mar	341	141	13	52	285	53	554	73	67	1 579
	Jun	277	157	14	51	294	59	502	80	71	1 507
	Sep	327	147	12	56	309	46	545	123	65	1 630
	Dec	356	167	11	67	296	42	554	105	56	1 656
2023	Mar	360	146	17	57	340	43	540	96	56	1 654
	Jun	345	127	12	51	323	42	501	81	76	1 558

6.4 The employed¹ (15-64 years) by main industry and province, 2019-2023 (thousands) (cont.)

Main industry: Electricity, gas and water supply		Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
2019	Mar	†	†	†	†	†	†	52	38	14	150
	Jun	11	†	†	12	12	†	53	40	12	151
	Sep	17	†	†	†	†	†	44	26	11	133
	Dec	16	12	†	†	11	†	31	28	†	120
2020	Mar	†	†	†	†	14	†	35	26	13	116
	Jun	†	†	†	†	16	†	35	19	13	113
	Sep	†	†	..	†	†	†	32	25	13	90
	Dec	†	†	†	12	†	†	30	26	†	99
2021	Mar	†	†	†	†	†	†	42	23	†	115
	Jun	†	†	†	†	†	†	45	40	11	118
	Sep	†	†	†	†	..	†	33	29	†	96
	Dec	..	†	..	†	11	†	20	27	†	82
2022	Mar	†	†	†	†	†	†	21	28	18	103
	Jun	†	†	†	†	13	†	21	34	†	104
	Sep	†	†	†	†	19	†	23	38	11	116
	Dec	15	†	†	†	14	†	31	32	17	124
2023	Mar	16	†	†	†	14	†	42	33	14	135
	Jun	17	†	†	†	18	†	33	29	12	129



6.4 The employed¹ (15-64 years) by main industry and province, 2019-2023 (thousands) (cont.)

Main industry: Construction		Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu- Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpuma- langa	Limpopo	South Africa
2019	Mar	220	136	18	56	230	65	375	101	137	1 339
	Jun	214	147	16	60	237	70	382	109	128	1 363
	Sep	185	161	20	46	238	56	383	107	142	1 339
	Dec	204	155	20	66	229	63	367	105	141	1 350
2020	Mar	188	169	24	57	222	59	382	101	142	1 343
	Jun	148	119	12	40	189	51	343	69	96	1 066
	Sep	167	109	16	53	192	53	305	70	115	1 080
	Dec	199	115	20	46	199	60	329	75	124	1 166
2021	Mar	179	120	11	30	184	64	315	80	96	1 079
	Jun	198	112	19	34	228	82	339	88	121	1 222
	Sep	192	122	†	33	227	60	307	69	137	1 157
	Dec	169	128	12	32	211	56	290	80	154	1 133
2022	Mar	156	116	20	38	203	67	251	80	142	1 073
	Jun	141	122	13	50	225	70	346	91	118	1 177
	Sep	176	124	26	45	243	58	333	90	129	1 223
	Dec	197	122	23	47	237	55	344	80	107	1 212
2023	Mar	169	134	25	44	225	64	338	79	123	1 201
	Jun	244	141	31	52	231	49	317	98	142	1 304


 6.4 The employed¹ (15-64 years) by main industry and province, 2019-2023 (thousands) (cont.)

Main industry: Wholesale and retail trade		Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
2019	Mar	506	265	46	155	534	191	1 066	258	325	3 345
	Jun	518	294	49	168	556	161	1 070	257	355	3 429
	Sep	513	298	47	179	557	186	1 025	256	349	3 408
	Dec	457	277	57	161	559	170	1 008	263	298	3 249
2020	Mar	483	269	65	170	585	176	1 019	265	288	3 320
	Jun	450	240	57	115	519	180	905	249	231	2 946
	Sep	443	249	43	160	524	178	914	250	248	3 008
	Dec	473	231	46	149	564	176	906	251	268	3 063
2021	Mar	447	244	40	159	543	175	909	235	227	2 979
	Jun	423	252	40	155	532	187	971	269	257	3 087
	Sep	370	198	46	163	480	160	899	235	226	2 778
	Dec	443	228	38	190	514	154	909	185	234	2 896
2022	Mar	412	229	45	181	472	224	950	209	274	2 994
	Jun	485	227	53	173	473	211	999	236	307	3 163
	Sep	465	268	58	166	477	186	1 077	253	296	3 245
	Dec	507	309	55	174	531	164	1 032	247	278	3 297
2023	Mar	525	312	48	164	528	171	1 006	233	282	3 269
	Jun	520	297	43	161	545	182	1 092	251	270	3 361



6.4 The employed¹ (15-64 years) by main industry and province, 2019-2023 (thousands) (cont.)

Main industry: Transport, storage and communication		Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu- Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpuma- langa	Limpopo	South Africa
2019	Mar	133	82	14	42	184	45	389	69	66	1 025
	Jun	126	76	†	37	171	38	386	66	73	983
	Sep	152	61	†	40	192	37	358	63	64	975
	Dec	166	73	11	34	180	38	377	70	62	1 011
2020	Mar	169	81	†	34	189	30	363	65	57	995
	Jun	125	65	†	33	161	33	354	69	38	885
	Sep	131	59	†	42	168	35	324	67	47	878
	Dec	123	82	†	46	180	29	362	64	50	943
2021	Mar	128	81	†	35	168	30	333	48	70	903
	Jun	139	70	†	49	173	38	378	70	48	969
	Sep	147	78	†	48	163	28	381	68	47	964
	Dec	125	84	†	54	163	19	387	59	54	951
2022	Mar	175	72	11	37	174	27	348	64	53	960
	Jun	99	72	13	42	191	17	349	70	54	906
	Sep	131	73	18	44	182	28	354	59	50	939
	Dec	135	67	18	41	186	40	362	69	64	982
2023	Mar	137	86	14	38	191	37	364	59	65	992
	Jun	172	82	11	36	177	43	353	58	55	986


6.4 The employed¹ (15-64 years) by main industry and province, 2019-2023 (thousands) (cont.)

Main industry: Financial intermediation, insurance, real estate and business services		Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
		2019	Mar	444	127	20	77	335	89	1 168	155	101	2 516
	Jun	455	147	22	88	347	93	1 089	143	112	2 495
	Sep	457	137	21	83	337	93	1 105	158	101	2 492
	Dec	448	137	29	79	343	126	1 145	143	117	2 568
2020	Mar	422	141	20	66	338	106	1 152	150	123	2 517
	Jun	388	114	23	73	304	85	1 020	135	93	2 234
	Sep	421	150	27	78	309	110	1 075	145	119	2 434
	Dec	407	125	37	59	313	107	1 013	147	102	2 312
2021	Mar	483	157	31	72	355	96	1 063	152	119	2 527
	Jun	447	118	16	65	309	92	996	120	87	2 248
	Sep	481	133	21	88	303	93	1 047	130	91	2 386
	Dec	464	147	21	74	361	92	1 021	125	99	2 404
2022	Mar	427	139	24	64	318	103	1 048	115	94	2 332
	Jun	512	129	27	71	333	80	1 084	111	114	2 460
	Sep	471	141	22	58	301	80	1 061	130	116	2 380
	Dec	474	146	28	63	329	98	1 084	130	130	2 484
2023	Mar	491	166	42	82	353	112	1 142	136	142	2 667
	Jun	453	155	31	74	354	108	1 161	120	142	2 599



6.4 The employed¹ (15-64 years) by main industry and province, 2019-2023 (thousands) (cont.)

Main industry: Community, social and personal services		Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
2019	Mar	492	388	109	198	580	212	1 026	240	328	3 574
	Jun	491	381	101	210	593	227	1 020	248	352	3 622
	Sep	473	378	116	206	631	245	1 043	239	347	3 679
	Dec	542	396	107	201	624	267	1 038	258	360	3 792
2020	Mar	521	384	106	198	626	283	1 026	274	341	3 759
	Jun	489	346	84	175	561	240	836	217	296	3 244
	Sep	476	340	107	194	598	242	889	236	299	3 381
	Dec	513	365	106	222	589	282	907	243	324	3 551
2021	Mar	492	365	119	190	577	265	957	251	352	3 567
	Jun	441	376	98	195	563	269	912	238	310	3 401
	Sep	417	367	102	178	529	216	874	236	272	3 191
	Dec	448	333	106	171	551	224	920	227	286	3 264
2022	Mar	446	389	105	222	618	216	992	253	304	3 546
	Jun	516	402	109	224	646	226	1 040	285	373	3 821
	Sep	511	391	103	248	666	238	1 090	269	331	3 849
	Dec	535	373	106	209	589	231	1 057	268	360	3 727
2023	Mar	564	397	109	231	593	222	1 134	266	387	3 902
	Jun	587	416	108	205	634	223	1 134	260	399	3 965

6.4 The employed¹ (15-64 years) by main industry and province, 2019-2023 (thousands) (cont.)

Main industry: Private households		Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
2019	Mar	139	107	25	112	232	84	378	103	120	1 301
	Jun	140	124	25	92	226	70	351	110	115	1 251
	Sep	144	127	30	100	231	74	366	106	108	1 286
	Dec	142	129	26	97	212	75	395	103	108	1 286
2020	Mar	145	122	24	89	233	72	418	105	107	1 316
	Jun	95	97	12	65	164	50	341	81	100	1 005
	Sep	125	95	15	81	184	61	351	94	114	1 121
	Dec	126	107	17	94	188	72	398	92	103	1 197
2021	Mar	118	111	11	93	186	59	383	89	78	1 127
	Jun	146	105	18	84	222	51	375	92	101	1 194
	Sep	128	79	24	82	206	50	381	97	82	1 130
	Dec	124	97	25	80	246	72	426	100	88	1 258
2022	Mar	125	108	20	76	204	62	298	87	92	1 072
	Jun	113	119	25	78	210	82	316	85	95	1 124
	Sep	125	91	24	61	216	58	325	86	101	1 088
	Dec	145	101	21	74	219	65	342	89	85	1 142
2023	Mar	140	81	24	65	199	54	304	93	96	1 056
	Jun	165	99	23	54	201	57	295	94	106	1 093



6.4 The employed¹ (15-64 years) by main industry and province, 2019-2023 (thousands) (cont.)

Main industry: Total		Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
2019	Mar	2 520	1 308	321	803	2 598	970	5 162	1 209	1 401	16 291
	Jun	2 497	1 388	301	808	2 635	918	5 066	1 243	1 456	16 313
	Sep	2 494	1 402	322	795	2 674	960	5 060	1 233	1 435	16 375
	Dec	2 518	1 384	335	785	2 664	992	5 098	1 244	1 400	16 420
2020	Mar	2 501	1 382	336	756	2 672	969	5 134	1 246	1 387	16 383
	Jun	2 179	1 169	255	638	2 297	874	4 473	1 112	1 151	14 148
	Sep	2 216	1 212	287	723	2 389	930	4 506	1 161	1 266	14 691
	Dec	2 338	1 236	308	745	2 454	944	4 570	1 148	1 281	15 024
2021	Mar	2 309	1 301	313	703	2 429	933	4 626	1 133	1 248	14 995
	Jun	2 256	1 235	256	723	2 421	979	4 648	1 166	1 257	14 942
	Sep	2 225	1 216	275	720	2 297	851	4 448	1 104	1 145	14 282
	Dec	2 263	1 247	264	727	2 424	858	4 524	1 052	1 184	14 544
2022	Mar	2 298	1 293	321	781	2 371	917	4 586	1 082	1 265	14 914
	Jun	2 344	1 343	318	807	2 481	924	4 787	1 167	1 391	15 562
	Sep	2 428	1 360	324	798	2 539	858	4 923	1 199	1 337	15 765
	Dec	2 596	1 380	336	794	2 541	881	4 905	1 186	1 317	15 934
2023	Mar	2 658	1 421	339	790	2 594	877	4 984	1 141	1 388	16 192
	Jun	2 711	1 444	322	730	2 642	881	4 988	1 158	1 469	16 346



6.5 Number of employees and gross earnings by industry, 2021

As from December 2004, Stats SA introduced a new employment statistics survey that covers employing enterprises in the formal non-agricultural business sector of the South African economy that are registered for Income Tax (IT), resulting in the extensive coverage of all small businesses. Previously the coverage was restricted to both employing and non-employing VAT registered enterprises with an annual turnover of R300 000 or more. By restricting the coverage to employing businesses, the new survey is able to provide estimates for employment and earnings as well as estimates for average monthly earnings and it is in accordance with the International Labour Organisation (ILO) definitions and concepts.

Introduction of the new sample from the June quarter 2006 enables Stats SA to provide users with survey results for the June and September 2006 quarters from the new sample.

Stats SA has been working for some years to improve the quality of its economic statistics. The latest series to benefit from these improvements are those for employment and average monthly earnings derived from the Quarterly Employment Statistics (QES) survey, a survey of formal non-agricultural businesses and other entities which are employers.

Considerable work has been undertaken over the last two years to improve the completeness of the list of employers in the economy, held on Stats SA's Business Register, from which the samples for the survey are drawn. Greater use has been made of additional administrative sources of employer entities, particularly the lists maintained by the South African Revenue Service (SARS) of employers making contributions on behalf of their employees for Pay As You Earn (PAYE), and the Department of Labour's Unemployment Insurance Fund (UIF).

It is important to distinguish between the lift in the level of the series from improvements in the coverage of employers and the growth in employment shown by the series due to new employer entities entering the economy and continuing employers taking on additional staff. This break in series relates mainly to the level of employment, rather than the growth rate of employment. However, an outcome of not publishing data from a sample revised in 2005 has been that any new employer entity commencing operations from early 2004 onwards would not have had a chance of being selected until the reselection of the sample in March 2006. The effect is that the published series based on the 2004 sample show somewhat smaller growth than would have been shown from a sample revised in 2005.

Further factors affecting the growth of the series between 2004 and 2006 were the expansion of the formal sector as a result of legislative changes, growth resulting from small businesses moving from the informal to the formal sector and greater overall compliance by businesses leading to their registration for PAYE and/or UIF.

Employment and gross earnings - Unless otherwise indicated in a subscription, the following is applicable: Employment refers to the number of people employed by the business, who received payment (in salaries; wages; commission, in addition to a retainer, salary or wage; piece rates; or payments in kind) for any part of the reference period. This excludes independent contractors and consultants; working proprietors; sole and joint owners; employees paid on a commission basis where a retainer, salary or wage was not paid; and employees based in South Africa but paid from abroad, e.g. embassy employees

Annual employment data are shown as at 30 June of the relevant year, whereas quarterly data are shown as at the last pay-day of the relevant quarter.



Gross earnings are payments for ordinary, standard or agreed hours during the reference period for all permanent, temporary, casual, executive and managerial employees, before taxation and other deductions. Gross earnings include salaries and/or fees paid to all directors, executives and managers; employers' contributions to holiday, pension, provident and medical funds and contributions to the Unemployment Insurance and Compensation Funds; payments paid from South Africa to employees based abroad, e.g. embassy employees; payments for all types of leave, except those paid on termination; fringe benefits paid in cash such as housing, mortgage and rent subsidies, transport allowances, and cell phone allowances; allowances and penalty payments relating to ordinary-time hours. Annual gross earnings data reflect the total for the relevant year, whereas quarterly data are the sum of the gross earnings for the three months of the relevant quarter.

Source: Stats SA, *Quarterly employment statistics* (Statistical release P0277)

Due to rounding, industrial numbers do not necessarily add up to the total.

¹ Data are obtained from the Minerals Bureau, Department of Minerals and energy.

6.5.1 Number of employees and gross earnings by industry, 2022

Industry	Number of employees (thousands)				Gross earnings (R millions)			
	Mar	Jun	Sep	Dec	Mar	Jun	Sep	Dec
Mining and quarrying ¹	458	478	469	472	41 475	42 537	44 553	45 605
Manufacturing	1 182	1 174	1 177	1 190	78 055	78 084	79 937	93 542
Electricity, gas and water supply	59	59	58	58	8 602	8 534	8 649	10 396
Construction	534	522	521	508	31 947	33 811	32 802	35 788
Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles, motor cycles and personal and household goods; hotels and restaurants	2 123	2 134	2 136	2 181	111 864	113 371	114 079	126 440
Transport, storage and communication	411	411	414	412	35 166	38 733	36 056	39 705
Financial intermediation, insurance, real estate and business services	2 325	2 320	2 336	2 359	217 201	208 742	217 210	226 829
Community, social and personal services	2 973	2 875	2 808	2 810	262 520	265 362	265 439	285 892
Total (all industries)	10 066	9 975	9 920	9 991	786 829	789 174	798 726	864 196

Average monthly earnings at current prices are calculated by dividing the total gross earnings, excluding severance, termination and redundancy payments, for the reference month by the number of employees as at the end of the reference month.

¹ Data are obtained from the Minerals Bureau, Department of Mineral Resources. At this stage the Department of Mineral Resources is unable to provide data items with regard to bonuses and overtime payments separately.



6.6 Average monthly earnings, at current prices, by industry, 2022 (Rands)

	Including bonuses and overtime payments				Excluding bonuses and overtime payments			
	Feb	May	Aug	Nov	Feb	May	Aug	Nov
Mining and quarrying ¹	29 693	30 226	32 453	31 465	..	..	..	..
Manufacturing	20 890	21 499	21 907	22 525	19 603	20 100	20 467	20 870
Electricity, gas and water supply	47 226	47 812	48 866	52 306	44 192	44 384	46 166	49 314
Construction	19 097	21 021	20 190	20 030	18 354	19 839	19 319	18 990
Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles, motor cycles and personal and household goods; hotels and restaurants	15 864	16 324	16 497	16 327	15 418	15 815	16 071	15 787
Transport, storage and communication	26 717	27 808	28 048	29 010	25 232	26 096	26 370	27 290
Financial intermediation, insurance, real estate and business services	25 988	26 821	27 356	27 717	25 482	26 187	26 721	27 089
Community, social and personal services	28 084	29 702	29 350	32 991	27 280	28 714	28 438	31 979
Total (all industries)	23 697	24 668	24 916	26 002

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**7.1 Production price indices (PPI) (base year Dec 2020=100) and Consumer price indices (CPI) (base year Dec 2021=100), 2013-2022**

		2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
PPI	Headline ¹	69,6	74,8	77,4	82,9	87,0	91,7	96,0	98,3	105,3	120,5
CPI	All items, all urban areas ²	66,8	70,8	74,1	78,8	82,9	86,8	90,3	93,3	97,5	104,2
	Food, all urban areas	61,3	66,1	69,5	77,0	82,4	85,1	87,7	91,9	97,8	107,1

Sources: Stats SA, *Producer price index* (PPI) (Statistical release P0142.1) and *Consumer price index* (CPI) (Statistical release P0141)

¹ This series has become the PPI headline since January 2012.

² This series has become the CPI headline since January 2008.



7.2 PPI and CPI percentage changes compared with the previous year, 2013-2022

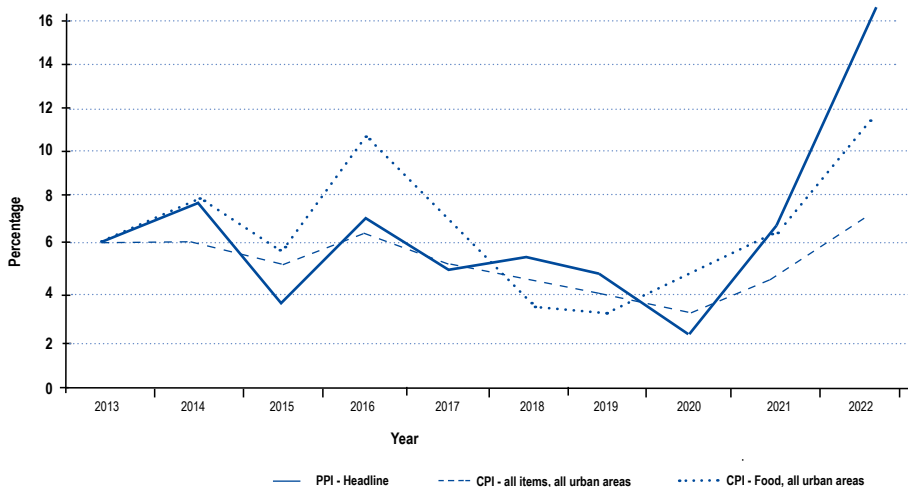
		2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
PPI	Domestic output	5,9	7,5	3,5	7,1	4,9	5,4	4,7	2,4	7,1	14,4
CPI	All items, metropolitan areas	5,9	6,0	4,7	6,3	5,2	4,7	4,0	3,3	4,5	6,9
	All items, all urban areas	5,9	7,8	5,1	10,8	7,0	3,3	3,1	4,8	6,4	9,5

Sources: Stats SA, *Producer price index (PPI)* (Statistical release P0142.1) and *Consumer price index (CPI)* (Statistical release P0141)

Based on average annual indices.



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Sources: Stats SA, *Producer price index (PPI)* (Statistical release P0142.1) and *Consumer price index (CPI)* (Statistical release P0141)

Based on average annual indices.



7.3 PPI (base year Dec 2020=100) and CPI (base year Dec 2021=100) on a monthly basis, 2022

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
PPI - Headline	111,0	112,2	115,0	117,1	119,2	121,7	124,4	123,8	124,7	125,2	125,8	125,8
CPI - All items, all urban areas	100,2	100,8	101,8	102,4	103,1	104,2	105,8	106,0	106,1	106,5	106,8	107,2

7.4 PPI and CPI annual inflation on a monthly basis, 2022

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
PPI - Headline	10,1	10,5	11,9	13,1	14,7	16,2	18,0	16,6	16,3	16,0	15,0	13,5
CPI - All items, all urban areas	5,7	5,7	5,9	5,9	6,5	7,4	7,8	7,6	7,5	7,6	7,4	7,2

7.5 CPI (all items, all urban areas) by province, 2013-2022 (base year Dec 2021=100)

	Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
2013	64,6	66,5	68,5	66,9	67,4	68,1	67,1	68,5	66,3	66,8
2014	68,5	70,7	72,6	70,9	71,7	72,2	71,1	72,5	70,9	70,8
2015	71,9	73,9	75,8	74,4	74,6	75,4	74,4	75,6	73,7	74,1
2016	76,4	79,3	79,8	79,6	79,8	80,1	79,1	80,4	79,4	78,8
2017	81,2	83,5	83,1	83,6	83,8	83,7	83,2	83,9	83,3	82,9
2018	85,6	87,1	86,4	87,2	87,1	86,8	87,1	87,2	86,4	86,8
2019	89,7	90,4	89,9	90,7	90,5	89,9	90,6	90,7	90,3	90,3
2020	93,1	93,2	93,0	93,5	93,3	92,6	93,3	93,4	93,1	93,3
2021	97,6	97,7	97,4	97,7	97,6	97,5	97,5	97,5	97,6	97,5
2022	104,0	105,0	104,6	104,8	104,6	104,2	104,2	104,6	105,0	104,2

7.6 CPI (all items, all urban areas) percentage changes compared with the previous year by province, 2013-2022

	Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
2013	5,6	5,2	5,7	5,9	5,6	5,6	6,0	5,5	5,9	5,9
2014	6,0	6,3	6,0	6,0	6,4	6,0	6,0	5,8	6,9	6,0
2015	5,0	4,5	4,4	4,9	4,0	4,4	4,6	4,3	3,9	4,7
2016	6,3	7,3	5,3	7,0	7,0	6,2	6,3	6,3	7,7	6,3
2017	6,3	5,3	4,1	5,0	5,0	4,5	5,2	4,4	4,9	5,2
2018	5,4	4,3	4,0	4,3	3,9	3,7	4,7	3,9	3,7	4,7
2019	4,8	3,8	4,1	4,0	3,9	3,6	4,0	4,0	4,5	4,0
2020	3,8	3,1	3,4	3,1	3,1	3,0	3,0	3,0	3,1	3,3
2021	4,8	4,8	4,7	4,5	4,6	5,3	4,5	4,4	4,8	4,5
2022	6,6	7,5	7,4	7,3	7,2	6,9	6,9	7,3	7,6	6,9

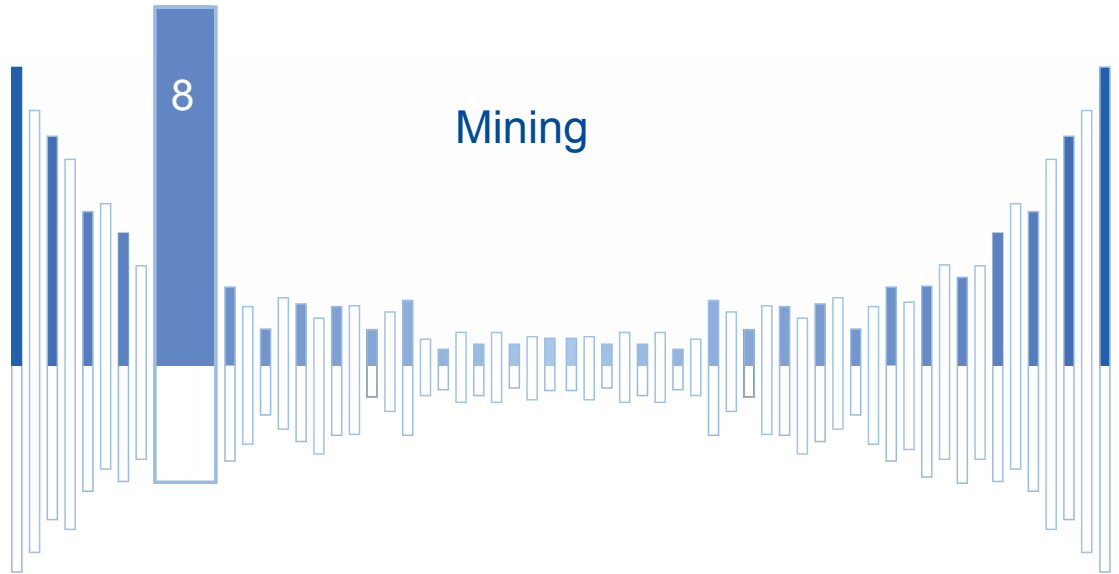
Source: Consumer price index (CPI) (Statistical release P0141)

Percentage change compared with the previous year (inflation rate) is based on the annual average weighted index.



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**8.1 Indices of the physical volume of mining production, 2013-2022 (base year 2019=100)**

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Including gold Actual indices	101,1	99,0	102,2	98,9	102,5	100,9	100,0	89,6	100,0	93,0
Excluding gold Actual indices	94,3	91,9	96,5	93,0	98,1	99,2	100,0	89,3	100,0	94,5



8.2 Total value of mineral sales, 2013-2022 (R million)

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Including gold Actual values	397 678	396 278	387 647	437 590	473 885	498 501	552 881	613 192	856 421	882 893
Excluding gold Actual values	327 691	332 929	324 947	349 165	391 698	428 817	476 249	526 756	754 211	793 322

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**9.1 Indices of the physical volumes of manufacturing production by manufacturing division (actual indices), 2013-2022 (base year 2019=100)**

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Food and beverages	85,5	87,4	89,9	89,5	91,8	96,1	100,0	94,4	100,3	100,3
Textiles, clothing, leather and footwear	115,7	116,7	115,8	114,6	109,8	106,4	100,0	82,6	93,4	93,7
Wood, paper, publishing and printing	108,5	109,5	108,9	111,3	106,9	105,2	100,0	86,7	95,1	92,4
Petroleum, chemical products, rubber and plastic products	102,0	102,0	101,8	106,2	102,0	101,2	100,0	89,2	79,6	77,7
Glass and non-metallic mineral products	119,1	112,3	110,7	108,5	106,4	108,2	100,0	85,5	102,4	103,3
Basic iron and steel, non-ferrous metal products, metal products and machinery	106,4	103,1	99,7	97,6	101,4	101,6	100,0	87,6	96,2	96,2
Electrical machinery	113,7	111,4	118,3	117,5	111,7	104,4	100,0	84,1	96,4	97,7
Radio, television, communication apparatus and professional equipment	114,6	125,5	119,3	125,9	120,4	107,5	100,0	93,3	93,8	102,9
Motor vehicles, parts and accessories and other transport equipment	93,5	92,8	96,3	96,9	96,6	101,6	100,0	75,3	100,3	102,7
Furniture and other manufacturing	104,7	107,5	99,8	97,9	97,1	101,6	100,0	78,8	88,4	90,2
Total manufacturing	100,0	100,1	100,1	100,8	100,1	101,1	100,0	87,5	92,9	92,6

Source: Stats SA, *Manufacturing: Production and sales* (Statistical release P3041.2)

The sample of manufacturing production and sales is based on an updated version of Stats SA's business register, based on the database of units registered for value-added tax (VAT) and income tax (IT), obtained from the South African Revenue Service (SARS).



9.2 Value of sales of manufactured products by manufacturing division (actual values), 2013-2022 (R million)

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Food and beverages	374 175	408 466	443 550	491 127	506 286	534 006	573 828	575 299	649 127	717 473
Textiles, clothing, leather and footwear	59 685	64 356	66 263	69 470	69 747	69 683	67 393	55 683	64 488	70 038
Wood, paper, publishing and printing	133 339	140 667	147 174	157 463	160 178	167 169	169 093	152 792	174 376	189 463
Petroleum, chemical products, rubber and plastic products	527 130	560 231	520 140	516 525	542 490	583 915	580 666	491 380	523 750	613 056
Glass and non-metallic mineral products	62 116	64 290	65 882	67 972	70 070	72 566	71 258	62 679	77 090	84 757
Basic iron and steel, non-ferrous metal products, metal products and machinery	387 501	420 668	421 537	444 837	485 137	526 433	554 101	490 058	633 958	692 306
Electrical machinery	58 270	61 462	67 509	69 892	62 691	61 590	60 748	55 779	64 165	72 442
Radio, television, communication apparatus and professional equipment	22 312	24 695	24 404	27 432	27 410	26 376	25 740	23 673	25 791	27 974
Motor vehicles, parts and accessories and other transport equipment	229 241	264 208	277 768	308 317	324 180	357 311	389 654	314 029	348 681	424 069
Furniture and other manufacturing	64 744	70 665	69 652	72 712	79 402	88 122	89 588	75 413	102 413	112 327
Total manufacturing	1 918 514	2 079 708	2 103 879	2 225 746	2 327 591	2 487 170	2 582 069	2 296 785	2 663 840	3 003 903

Source: Stats SA, *Manufacturing: Production and sales* (Statistical release P3041.2)



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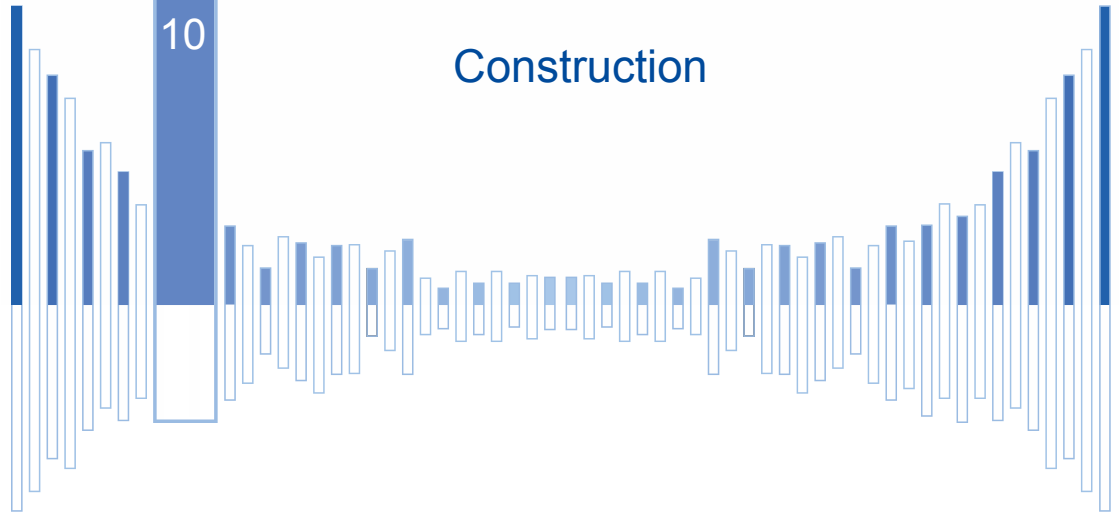
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Food and beverages	82,5	82,5	83,5	84,1	83,5	82,7	83,1	73,9	79,7	81,3
Textiles, clothing, leather and footwear	76,7	75,0	75,8	74,1	71,9	72,1	71,6	60,6	69,7	71,2
Wood, paper, publishing and printing	83,4	82,4	80,7	82,6	82,6	82,3	81,8	72,4	82,2	79,9
Petroleum, chemical products, rubber and plastic products	82,1	81,7	81,1	84,0	83,2	83,6	83,7	77,5	77,3	77,3
Glass and non-metallic mineral products	80,4	80,6	80,0	81,9	80,8	81,1	77,2	66,3	76,2	80,5
Basic iron and steel, non-ferrous metal products, metal products and machinery	79,5	79,0	77,4	77,8	78,2	77,3	76,4	67,7	74,6	75,5
Electrical machinery	81,5	80,1	80,4	79,5	79,6	78,5	79,1	68,0	80,5	81,0
Radio, television, communication apparatus and professional equipment	84,0	86,1	83,6	85,4	85,3	82,6	80,7	73,0	81,1	81,2
Motor vehicles, parts and accessories and other transport equipment	81,3	80,4	80,6	81,1	81,1	82,1	80,5	67,3	77,3	76,8
Furniture and other manufacturing	81,4	80,2	78,9	80,7	81,6	80,8	79,6	62,9	78,6	81,8
Total manufacturing	81,6	81,1	80,3	81,7	81,3	81,1	80,6	71,4	77,6	78,2

Source: Stats SA, *Manufacturing: Utilisation of production capacity by large enterprises* (Statistical release P3043)



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10.1 Actual capital expenditure on new construction works by the public sector, by type of construction work, 2006-2013 (R thousands)

	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
Residential buildings	1 581 761	1 242 263	1 919 972	1 275 839	1 055 211	894 688	477 709	655 775
Non-residential buildings	6 386 824	8 444 282	4 932 733	5 273 689	5 475 194	6 492 049	8 732 573	9 793 792
Roads, streets and bridges	6 995 584	8 352 832	3 799 881	5 930 786	6 287 762	5 867 023	11 916 447	13 960 085
Sewerage and sanitation	2 190 689	2 538 829	2 234 539	1 991 306	1 968 361	2 099 023	1 510 292	1 534 274
Electricity	1 716 548	2 006 327	2 335 934	2 677 383	2 976 536	2 888 561	1 559 198	1 997 532
Community and social works	786 591	2 121 087	5 770 371	5 775 541	4 115 292	1 581 339	1 925 423	2 074 133
Sport facilities	6 131	3 232	236	0	0	0	0	13 395
Refuse sites	153 297	242 374	152 239	361 404	195 238	272 398	177 089	230 615
Water	4 041 454	2 643 922	3 363 380	5 568 695	5 296 914	5 758 260	3 776 984	3 822 087
Port facilities	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Airports	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pipeline networks	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other	24 063 394	30 307 609	43 286 450	81 127 967	86 843 107	106 767 374	106 759 869	87 913 215
Total	47 922 273	57 902 757	67 795 735	109 982 610	114 213 615	132 620 715	136 835 584	121 994 903

Source: Stats SA, *Capital expenditure by the public sector* (Statistical release P9101)



10.1 Actual capital expenditure on new construction works by the public sector, by type of construction work, 2014-2022 (R thousands) (concl.)

	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Residential buildings	1 031 312	2 165 885	1 050 352	1 325 873	1 909 510	783 842	783 842	1 321 559	1 808 387
Non-residential buildings	11 183 656	15 530 112	21 265 956	18 133 286	16 812 354	8 892 682	8 892 682	8 787 208	8 981 834
Roads, streets and bridges	7 915 321	17 325 224	17 789 585	22 973 317	23 696 690	20 345 219	20 345 219	16 360 641	20 932 889
Sewerage and sanitation	1 585 500	1 586 710	1 899 325	2 121 637	2 197 643	2 433 807	2 433 807	3 275 973	3 058 120
Electricity	2 492 698	67 053 967	71 826 492	74 529 931	63 168 818	38 903 945	38 903 945	34 806 670	36 523 939
Community and social works	1 998 719	1 933 618	1 886 360	2 246 966	4 341 346	3 484 982	3 484 982	3 340 204	3 420 857
Sport facilities	2 498	51 711	543	0	0	0	0	0	0
Refuse sites	364 589	297 838	456 851	236 917	147 111	164 542	164 542	268 108	803 764
Water	5 201 793	9 952 212	14 433 909	12 515 402	8 424 231	11 234 675	11 234 675	12 287 290	12 036 324
Port facilities	...	32 000	32 000	211 000	122 000	24 048	24 048	0	0
Airports	...	0	961 109	3 489	9 241	1 202 756	1 202 756	692 104	468 419
Pipeline networks	...	489 421	1 121 221	97 080	120 813	730 815	730 815	677 682	671 461
Other	93 591 392	58 026 407	60 978 222	47 609 431	39 757 982	28 226 502	28 226 502	31 361 229	30 087 211
Total	125 367 478	174 445 105	193 701 925	182 004 329	160 707 739	116 427 815	116 427 815	113 178 668	118 793 205

Source: Stats SA, *Capital expenditure by the public sector* (Statistical release P9101)

**10.2 Actual capital expenditure on reconstruction and development programmes (RDP) by the national and provincial governments, by type of construction work, 2001-2006 (R thousands)**

	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Residential buildings	446 714	824 306	1 160 983	970 370	1 025 327	0
Non-residential buildings	62 455	4 399	8 172	2 881	4 500	0
Roads, streets and bridges	9 561	75 324	13 707	1 000	0	0
Sewerage and sanitation	19 107	22 701	22 904	126 114	143 947	96 471
Electricity	43	3 597	0	0	0	160
Water	107 174	94 115	109 215	584 205	242 743	100 015
Other	195 541	97 650	93 121	16 515	0	0
Total	840 595	1 122 092	1 408 102	1 701 085	1 416 517	196 646

Source: Stats SA, *Capital expenditure by the public sector* (Statistical release P9101)

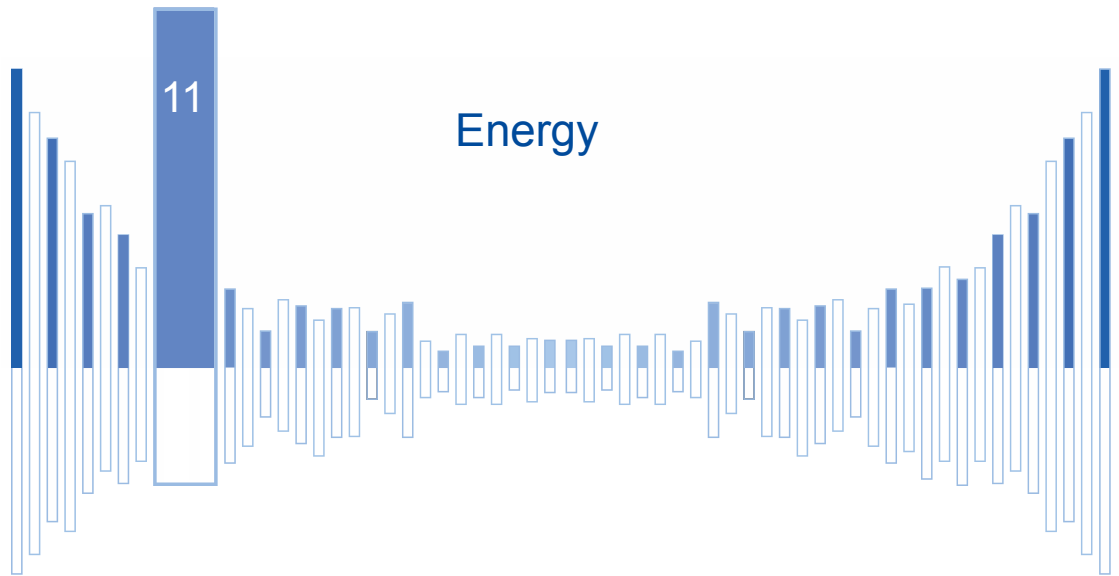
For the financial year ended 31 March.

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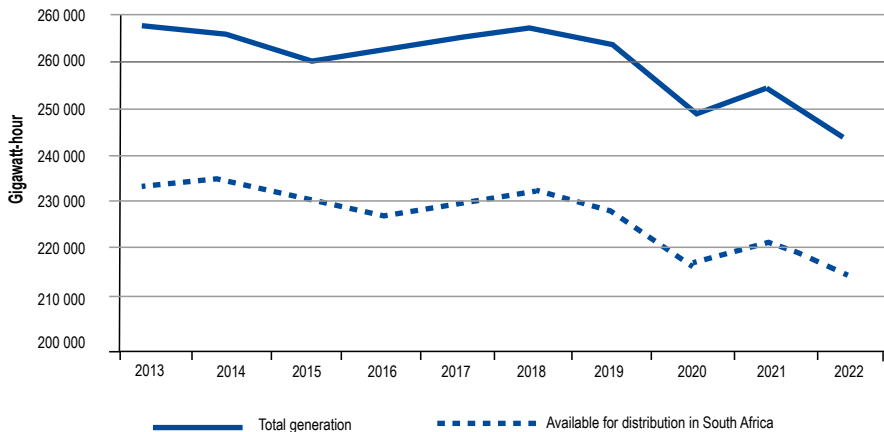


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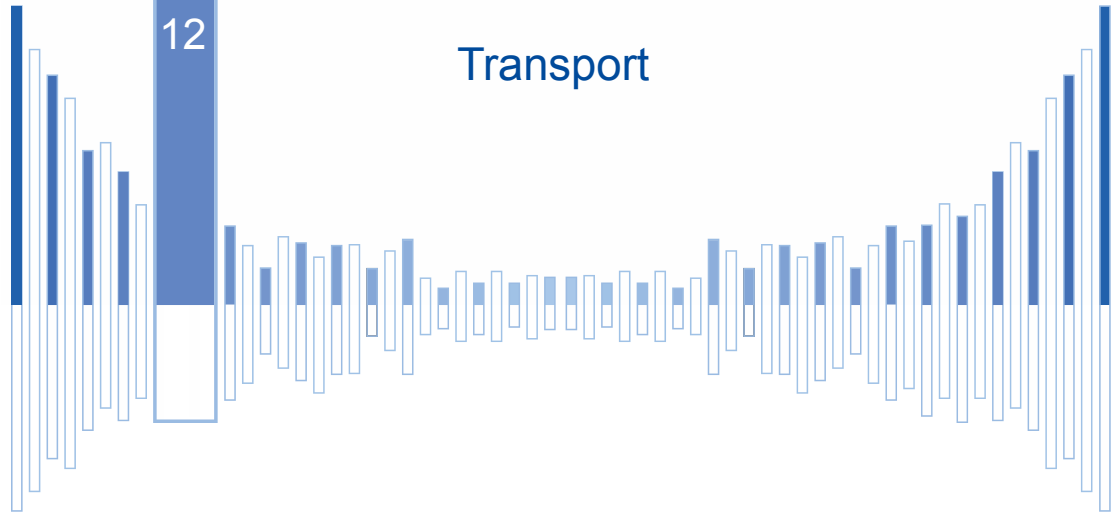
	Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
2013	23 209	7 858	5 987	11 999	43 531	21 297	61 698	32 562	18 693	226 834
2014	23 267	8 208	5 975	11 873	42 321	20 098	62 017	34 431	19 755	227 945
2015	22 779	8 678	6 027	11 663	40 430	21 715	59 969	33 211	19 864	224 336
2016	22 581	9 191	5 589	11 751	39 952	21 053	60 778	32 506	19 650	223 051
2017	22 770	9 237	5 897	11 749	41 303	21 509	60 988	32 706	19 353	225 512
2018	22 304	8 930	6 257	11 674	41 307	22 119	60 839	32 849	20 617	226 896
2019	22 373	8 911	6 416	11 547	40 713	20 658	59 265	32 480	20 654	223 017
2020	20 331	8 555	5 903	11 159	39 537	18 132	57 203	31 314	19 673	211 806
2021	19 918	8 795	5 964	10 792	39 573	22 053	57 913	31 150	20 725	216 884
2022	19 289	8 865	5 784	10 208	38 925	22 488	54 781	30 035	20 184	210 561

Source: Stats SA, *Electricity generated and available for distribution* (Statistical release P4141)

Wholesale energy as delivered by Eskom to the various provinces.

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Transport





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12.1 Freight transport, 2013-2022

		2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Payload (1 000 tons)	Rail	211 766	220 359	219 402	215 383	225 616	216 913	214 400	190 593	177 461	156 183
	Road	584 570	626 315	601 664	623 911	687 234	749 048	728 220	641 702	699 800	852 679
	Total	796 336	846 674	821 066	839 294	912 850	965 961	942 620	832 295	877 261	1 008 862
Income (R millions)	Rail	33 033	36 210	37 009	37 603	42 008	42 531	43 887	39 718	37 667	34 682
	Road	100 861	112 298	108 988	115 299	129 078	141 684	140 643	126 977	142 418	177 551
	Total	133 894	148 508	145 997	152 902	171 086	184 215	184 530	166 695	180 085	212 233

12.2 Passenger transport, 2013-2022

		2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Number of passengers (thousands)	Rail	544 895	529 949	477 550	398 743	316 892	254 643	175 447	29 750	21 762	19 118
	Road	307 845	330 287	326 958	302 295	320 311	315 010	304 330	208 843	221 382	243 547
	Total	852 740	860 236	804 508	701 038	637 203	569 653	479 777	238 593	243 144	262 665
Income (R millions)	Rail	2 839	3 085	3 040	2 939	2 641	2 434	2 164	605	444	945
	Road	7 998	9 101	9 344	9 531	9 815	9 726	10 265	6 810	8 041	9 180
	Total	10 837	12 186	12 384	12 470	12 456	12 160	12 429	7 415	8 485	10 125

Source: Stats SA, *Land transport survey* (Statistical release P7162)

This survey has been re-engineered and covers freight and passenger transport as from 2008.





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Financial statistics:

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- ¹ Includes the value of sales of goods; services rendered; leasing and hiring of motor vehicles and other transport equipment under operating leases; leasing and hiring of plant, machinery and equipment, mineral rights leased; and rental and leasing of land, buildings and other structures under operating leases for only South African-based activities of the enterprise is reflected in this publication.
- ² Includes raw materials or materials for processing, packaging materials, fuel and consumable and maintenance stores; work in progress (partially completed); finished goods (own manufactures) and finished goods not produced by the enterprise but purchased for resale.
- ³ Is calculated as total income less total expenditure less opening stock plus closing inventory.
- ⁴ Includes the acquisition of land, property, plant and equipment and intangible assets on new and existing assets.
- ⁵ Turnover divided by total assets.
- ⁶ Net profit after providing for company tax divided by turnover.
- ⁷ Net profit after providing for company tax divided by total equity.

Due to differences in sampling methods, sampling frames and coverage of industries, statistics of the Economic Activity surveys prior to 2003 are not comparable to surveys as from 2003, onwards.



13.1 Selected income and expenditure items: Forestry and fishing industry, 2014-2022 (R million)

		2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Income	Turnover ¹	24 638	27 968	31 370	35 449	33 909	36 295	34 712	39 392	39 026
	Interest received	120	107	191	200	206	334	288	205	236
	Other income	376	236	497	1 169	707	618	903	1 173	1 092
Inventories ²	Opening value	2 212	2 816	2 687	2 818	3 025	3 557	4 128	5 284	6 038
	Closing value	2 768	2 651	2 788	3 293	3 113	4 144	4 903	5 104	5 954
Expenditure	Purchases	10 808	11 477	12 659	16 490	16 581	17 733	17 860	19 286	18 476
	Employment cost	4 954	5 269	5 740	6 378	6 615	6 655	6 831	7 872	7 885
	Interest paid	476	474	634	968	1 071	1 121	1 363	1 106	1 207
	<i>Interest paid on lease liabilities</i>	..	..	..	..	..	..	335	314	392
	<i>Other interest paid</i>	..	..	..	..	..	..	1 028	792	815
	Other expenditure	2 622	3 020	2 992	3 628	3 133	3 715	3 800	4 016	4 070
	Total expenditure	24 369	25 613	28 459	34 372	34 602	36 925	37 679	41 529	41 466
Net profit or loss before providing for company tax and dividends ³		3 193	4 016	5 333	5 983	3 126	4 864	3 215	3 304	3 117
Company tax paid or provided for during the financial year		855	958	1 329	1 563	720	1 159	868	878	478
Net profit after providing for company tax and dividends		1 637	1 898	2 714	2 743	1 002	-1 080	857	1 743	1 318
Additions (capital expenditure) ⁴		1 714	1 816	2 544	2 736	2 454	2 191	2 556	2 860	3 501
Carrying value of property, plant and intangible assets at the end of the financial year		10 577	10 958	12 501	13 382	14 276	15 657	16 484	18 492	23 129

Information on interest paid on lease liabilities and other interest paid was not collected in periods prior to 2020.



13.2 Selected income and expenditure items: Mining and quarrying industry, 2014-2022 (R million)

		2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Income	Turnover ¹	523 234	538 596	547 305	606 712	667 413	751 319	834 149	953 338	1 222 149
	Interest received	7 648	9 563	10 107	7 972	9 699	10 445	12 074	9 655	14 198
	Other income	9 038	8 272	8 564	9 909	12 277	13 276	18 984	24 428	18 741
Inventories ²	Opening value	61 951	70 825	70 718	68 588	68 908	78 010	98 494	118 003	155 012
	Closing value	70 415	71 699	69 116	69 302	77 881	98 630	116 899	154 278	155 264
Expenditure	Purchases	184 434	191 020	213 976	220 527	258 893	293 673	350 998	367 436	450 474
	Employment cost	105 031	108 623	115 032	122 004	131 363	139 735	147 644	157 174	162 238
	Interest paid	16 643	19 439	23 857	20 845	23 513	23 220	23 911	22 532	25 357
	<i>Interest paid on lease liabilities</i>	..	..	..	..	..	..	1 239	966	2 514
	<i>Other interest paid</i>	..	..	..	..	..	..	22 672	21 566	22 843
	Other expenditure	48 356	54 802	57 266	47 040	60 184	69 866	75 556	65 958	76 986
	Total expenditure	557 713	586 953	625 463	612 321	713 732	752 510	841 201	866 542	992 128
Net profit or loss before providing for company tax and dividends ³		18 694	-7 871	-35 651	42 665	25 244	85 560	75 120	223 875	347 477
Company tax paid or provided for during the financial year		15 048	9 392	8 159	15 783	15 937	25 685	29 654	56 317	89 295
Net profit after providing for company tax and dividends		-9 277	-29 257	-53 555	1 799	-7 579	26 171	3 363	136 027	197 873
Additions (capital expenditure) ⁴		89 005	88 681	80 173	58 784	74 208	82 581	86 948	76 392	103 174
Carrying value of property, plant and intangible assets at the end of the financial year		540 516	561 167	538 587	540 731	513 398	547 878	573 129	591 330	621 880

Information on interest paid on lease liabilities and other interest paid was not collected in periods prior to 2020.



13.3 Selected income and expenditure items: Manufacturing industry, 2014-2022 (R million)

		2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Income	Turnover ¹	2 210 095	2 344 892	2 452 044	2 611 338	2 676 526	2 772 340	2 819 411	2 650 428	3 284 843
	Interest received	10 306	12 248	14 911	16 860	17 378	18 994	23 118	24 406	21 309
	Other income	18 343	21 397	20 571	21 712	23 029	22 822	25 850	30 359	43 166
Inventories ²	Opening value	261 903	287 959	297 860	321 627	327 110	358 381	390 390	398 719	397 090
	Closing value	290 248	295 927	321 771	333 861	362 697	380 942	401 790	400 346	477 620
Expenditure	Purchases	1 490 807	1 552 688	1 610 014	1 725 785	1 787 671	1 841 484	1 875 736	1 737 277	2 255 492
	Employment cost	226 323	247 068	267 073	282 344	300 264	315 406	326 361	311 143	340 010
	Interest paid	28 135	31 568	35 028	40 121	42 438	40 283	53 082	50 361	48 265
	<i>Interest paid on lease liabilities</i>	..	..	..	..	..	..	5 137	4 942	4 911
	<i>Other interest paid</i>	..	..	..	..	..	..	47 945	45 419	43 354
	Other expenditure	112 248	116 776	118 176	117 219	122 530	127 788	132 905	130 109	186 229
	Total expenditure	2 163 614	2 291 302	2 459 257	2 582 013	2 673 888	2 760 044	2 889 031	2 688 816	3 275 693
Net profit or loss before providing for company tax and dividends ³		131 832	132 713	103 457	169 138	135 649	125 443	46 403	82 730	227 118
Company tax paid or provided for during the financial year		40 182	35 977	34 456	39 082	39 061	34 548	21 230	25 352	56 088
Net profit after providing for company tax and dividends		42 053	34 877	14 769	73 607	31 405	19 164	-36 281	7 445	115 303
Additions (capital expenditure) ⁴		87 651	91 684	91 288	100 016	106 285	112 067	110 048	92 964	118 206
Carrying value of property, plant and intangible assets at the end of the financial year ⁵		509 799	549 620	555 800	584 715	593 187	625 334	634 569	625 374	648 704

Information on interest paid on lease liabilities and other interest paid was not collected in periods prior to 2020.

13.4 Selected income and expenditure items: Electricity, gas and water supply industry, 2014-2022 (R million)

		2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Income	Turnover ¹	175 144	189 566	211 961	233 416	244 658	258 083	289 274	291 471	350 292
	Interest received	3 335	3 186	4 018	5 811	3 811	3 887	4 119	3 391	3 715
	Other income	1 715	6 213	1 275	2 456	2 259	3 550	3 355	4 859	2 361
Inventories ²	Opening value	12 660	12 823	16 465	18 394	23 477	25 659	27 811	34 883	23 844
	Closing value	12 883	16 553	18 430	23 284	25 491	28 005	34 844	23 519	26 115
Expenditure	Purchases	72 325	94 541	102 140	100 332	104 681	127 339	150 840	147 753	176 344
	Employment cost	26 436	26 417	29 356	33 059	30 648	34 446	35 669	34 319	36 468
	Interest paid	8 005	11 649	16 830	24 433	32 482	37 900	42 488	45 561	47 130
	<i>Interest paid on lease liabilities</i>	..	..	..	..	..	..	1 935	2 501	1 674
	<i>Other interest paid</i>	..	..	..	..	..	..	40 553	43 060	45 456
	Other expenditure	8 995	5 417	4 185	18 380	9 538	14 172	13 641	10 638	17 457
	Total expenditure	179 346	197 373	228 600	255 832	255 487	310 208	355 132	345 827	367 420
Net profit or loss before providing for company tax and dividends ³		13 459	11 598	14 882	10 183	9 836	-17 176	-12 138	-17 760	1 364
Company tax paid or provided for during the financial year		2 797	2 679	3 739	2 188	2 000	-6 198	-2 768	-5 626	47
Net profit after providing for company tax and dividends		8 019	7 264	9 958	6 367	3 415	-18 507	-19 286	-20 019	-10 658
Additions (capital expenditure) ⁴		84 255	77 335	88 580	95 461	79 859	56 617	49 532	43 899	41 509
Carrying value of property, plant and intangible assets at the end of the financial year ⁵		443 816	516 018	607 720	721 244	911 767	791 736	801 546	813 820	815 201

Information on interest paid on lease liabilities and other interest paid was not collected in periods prior to 2020.



13.5 Selected income and expenditure items: Construction industry, 2014-2022 (R million)

		2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Income	Turnover ¹	399 380	421 946	469 544	504 554	475 336	484 556	466 462	434 581	470 045
	Interest received	3 354	5 856	6 272	10 047	7 611	7 973	8 794	7 233	7 723
	Other income	6 080	4 937	5 583	5 795	5 402	6 881	8 823	8 508	5 142
Inventories ²	Opening value	24 138	24 218	40 780	26 713	55 111	27 487	25 508	30 803	28 175
	Closing value	23 545	25 465	38 344	28 452	57 480	26 088	25 106	35 326	26 771
Expenditure	Purchases	216 979	230 755	241 778	259 754	248 363	255 577	260 574	258 090	270 550
	Employment cost	69 827	72 297	84 708	96 030	93 035	91 887	83 959	76 506	75 575
	Interest paid	3 974	7 626	10 838	9 428	10 773	10 925	10 459	11 369	14 177
	<i>Interest paid on lease liabilities</i>	..	..	..	..	..	..	690	789	878
	<i>Other interest paid</i>	..	..	..	..	..	..	9 769	10 580	13 299
	Other expenditure	18 207	22 595	24 396	25 331	21 952	25 169	27 093	22 988	23 718
	Total expenditure	398 881	427 547	472 452	511 652	490 274	486 490	472 290	449 332	479 004
Net profit or loss before providing for company tax and dividends ³		21 224	18 573	20 809	22 437	14 030	20 583	20 027	10 244	9 769
Company tax paid or provided for during the financial year		4 424	6 097	5 209	7 018	6 495	6 034	6 366	6 283	6 841
Net profit after providing for company tax and dividends		3 783	8 421	10 815	11 865	4 810	11 655	10 883	1 662	-1 894
Additions (capital expenditure) ⁴		17 038	15 011	13 931	16 740	17 819	13 431	13 355	13 732	12 685
Carrying value of property, plant and intangible assets at the end of the financial year ⁵		45 565	49 230	51 987	59 353	72 639	80 337	75 394	73 567	76 039

Information on interest paid on lease liabilities and other interest paid was not collected in periods prior to 2020.



13.6 Selected income and expenditure items: Trade industry, 2014-2022 (R million)

		2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Income	Turnover ¹	2 843 407	3 034 283	3 297 026	3 494 745	3 694 520	3 979 693	4 242 116	4 092 272	4 895 553
	Interest received	15 396	16 747	20 469	22 920	26 033	29 065	32 815	28 665	20 100
	Other income	25 560	25 752	23 246	26 842	27 608	28 735	31 058	41 855	49 617
Inventories ²	Opening value	279 903	289 635	334 747	371 318	382 257	413 076	455 683	449 312	474 691
	Closing value	313 755	322 617	379 847	377 948	396 686	449 707	464 403	462 140	531 814
Expenditure	Purchases	2 250 666	2 388 418	2 623 579	2 739 573	2 834 776	3 096 936	3 309 688	3 212 294	3 918 992
	Employment cost	240 374	258 193	268 781	281 552	304 166	320 811	332 405	308 405	357 243
	Interest paid	28 060	29 771	34 592	45 647	47 447	40 173	51 449	42 719	38 842
	<i>Interest paid on lease liabilities</i>	..	..	..	..	..	..	10 667	13 545	14 031
	<i>Other interest paid</i>	..	..	..	..	..	..	40 782	29 174	24 811
	Other expenditure	91 705	96 753	106 869	117 837	137 365	148 820	158 649	148 473	173 004
	Total expenditure	2 852 077	3 029 601	3 322 775	3 477 566	3 659 053	3 973 203	4 223 220	4 072 897	4 847 769
Net profit or loss before providing for company tax and dividends ³		92 680	111 458	96 692	128 642	130 289	130 646	130 365	136 231	210 577
Company tax paid or provided for during the financial year		24 280	31 560	29 246	31 726	35 237	36 206	32 780	35 653	56 010
Net profit after providing for company tax and dividends		45 125	52 161	35 245	65 618	61 389	55 741	55 299	55 648	104 361
Additions (capital expenditure) ⁴		51 024	57 706	65 294	64 506	61 954	62 266	70 989	89 482	98 127
Carrying value of property, plant and intangible assets at the end of the financial year ⁵		237 043	259 960	277 041	308 136	329 660	335 858	409 340	418 576	416 997

Information on interest paid on lease liabilities and other interest paid was not collected in periods prior to 2020.



13.7 Selected income and expenditure items: Transport, storage and communication industry, 2014-2022 (R million)

		2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Income	Turnover ¹	740 369	746 372	781 984	820 177	867 572	899 672	899 854	840 406	894 249
	Interest received	4 344	5 248	7 944	10 087	11 933	11 165	10 402	9 371	10 800
	Other income	9 288	7 757	8 940	12 497	12 421	11 359	13 780	22 107	13 632
Inventories ²	Opening value	14 479	14 807	17 165	20 117	18 206	17 539	20 536	16 239	13 596
	Closing value	13 776	16 412	19 964	19 786	17 623	18 698	18 262	15 798	15 797
Expenditure	Purchases	228 810	239 889	260 706	284 618	310 467	320 573	331 451	318 243	362 584
	Employment cost	103 029	113 433	121 637	124 218	134 625	142 330	148 533	142 795	134 609
	Interest paid	18 358	21 879	25 568	32 074	33 944	33 623	39 696	37 401	35 470
	<i>Interest paid on lease liabilities</i>	..	..	..	..	..	..	7 185	7 384	6 892
	<i>Other interest paid</i>	..	..	..	..	..	..	32 511	30 017	28 578
	Other expenditure	86 818	84 880	81 768	66 198	69 688	77 752	76 452	81 561	78 549
	Total expenditure	717 868	731 510	774 466	817 399	858 412	907 823	922 267	885 962	893 423
Net profit or loss before providing for company tax and dividends ³		53 136	46 045	50 454	52 803	60 948	44 814	38 447	15 659	74 713
Company tax paid or provided for during the financial year		14 157	14 890	16 237	15 440	15 857	21 348	15 196	12 795	18 134
Net profit after providing for company tax and dividends		14 372	10 656	-12 363	10 721	24 284	3 712	-4 688	-21 593	31 696
Additions (capital expenditure) ⁴		92 995	106 832	106 406	106 154	91 511	86 250	89 322	73 221	83 338
Carrying value of property, plant and intangible assets at the end of the financial year ⁵		441 658	546 738	586 658	619 194	654 987	649 902	685 647	679 811	715 109

Information on interest paid on lease liabilities and other interest paid was not collected in periods prior to 2020.

13.8 Selected income and expenditure items: Activities auxiliary to financial intermediation, real estate and other business services (excluding financial intermediation, insurance, pension funding and business services not elsewhere classified), 2014-2022 (R million)

		2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Income	Turnover ¹	729 804	763 367	807 962	870 129	994 995	1 066 641	1 067 398	1 049 508	1 157 974
	Interest received	32 304	25 167	26 991	32 303	43 477	42 882	36 417	44 163	46 981
	Other income	20 852	18 163	19 585	22 480	25 388	24 972	28 281	38 464	38 348
Inventories ²	Opening value	21 431	27 292	24 123	25 060	29 063	32 994	35 081	36 737	30 264
	Closing value	17 899	26 101	22 576	27 022	32 700	35 384	33 823	33 953	32 648
Expenditure	Purchases	170 057	176 183	186 116	221 362	238 863	253 521	278 520	254 476	288 740
	Employment cost	207 388	225 867	250 335	269 669	300 172	311 187	319 851	347 117	315 180
	Interest paid	65 619	44 908	43 004	48 004	55 218	69 095	65 032	77 188	79 640
	<i>Interest paid on lease liabilities</i>	..	..	..	..	..	..	4 693	6 902	10 739
	<i>Other interest paid</i>	..	..	..	..	..	..	60 339	70 286	68 901
	Other expenditure	96 662	98 905	110 783	123 829	144 561	146 898	160 223	159 465	203 884
	Total expenditure	716 596	724 840	790 640	868 522	974 117	1 039 775	1 153 500	1 094 569	1 121 632
Net profit or loss before providing for company tax and dividends ³		198 667	181 408	174 720	215 449	205 134	201 278	58 884	159 941	241 915
Company tax paid or provided for during the financial year		32 907	32 409	30 299	29 145	34 433	33 260	31 140	35 072	54 959
Net profit after providing for company tax and dividends		136 197	105 998	66 993	121 761	106 398	94 092	-28 615	68 171	139 497
Additions (capital expenditure) ⁴		33 706	35 191	37 501	40 316	42 172	40 511	46 464	48 006	52 839
Carrying value of property, plant and intangible assets at the end of the financial year ⁵		173 948	155 658	167 647	201 421	221 690	218 546	290 160	264 659	222 684

Information on interest paid on lease liabilities and other interest paid was not collected in periods prior to 2020.



13.9 Selected income and expenditure items: Community, social and personal services industry (excluding government and educational institutions), 2014-2022 (R million)

		2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Income	Turnover ¹	185 728	203 757	237 297	258 919	287 532	298 738	315 574	309 096	376 425
	Interest received	1 977	1 974	2 534	3 670	4 534	3 839	4 433	3 458	3 635
	Other income	6 171	7 293	8 478	9 963	11 137	12 954	16 656	16 070	17 832
Inventories ²	Opening value	2 573	2 784	3 005	3 385	3 707	3 892	6 681	6 295	7 645
	Closing value	2 701	2 834	3 331	3 977	4 136	4 538	7 058	8 182	7 765
Expenditure	Purchases	42 282	47 567	53 808	62 609	67 804	70 318	90 265	96 405	118 915
	Employment cost	54 280	57 964	70 856	79 241	87 668	93 127	92 220	92 161	112 514
	Interest paid	3 482	3 261	4 559	4 852	6 097	6 882	11 057	10 271	8 659
	<i>Interest paid on lease liabilities</i>	..	..	..	..	..	..	2 760	3 544	3 363
	<i>Other interest paid</i>	..	..	..	..	..	..	8 297	6 727	5 296
	Other expenditure	34 955	37 777	43 654	41 014	50 015	55 706	56 980	60 382	64 219
	Total expenditure	177 282	191 008	226 850	249 585	283 473	301 253	325 512	322 384	374 689
	Net profit or loss before providing for company tax and dividends ³	23 671	31 842	31 342	33 190	32 495	27 832	30 055	28 695	41 007
Company tax paid or provided for during the financial year	4 886	5 939	5 854	6 717	6 288	5 219	5 916	7 108	8 115	
Net profit after providing for company tax and dividends	14 300	17 383	18 260	18 772	21 085	15 947	16 885	14 769	22 332	
Additions (capital expenditure) ⁴	10 160	10 728	12 010	14 774	15 486	14 412	13 915	14 234	13 540	
Carrying value of property, plant and intangible assets at the end of the financial year ⁵	65 088	72 654	84 080	89 279	120 232	109 305	143 779	147 911	126 123	

Information on interest paid on lease liabilities and other interest paid was not collected in periods prior to 2020.

**13.10 Comparison of operating ratios between 2014 and 2022 - Assets turnover ratio⁶**

	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Forestry and fishing	0,73	0,77	0,73	0,72	0,68	0,67	0,62	0,65	0,58
Mining and quarrying	0,46	0,45	0,50	0,55	0,59	0,62	0,65	0,66	0,75
Manufacturing	1,52	1,50	1,47	1,42	1,44	1,42	1,40	1,23	1,47
Electricity, gas and water supply	0,31	0,30	0,27	0,27	0,23	0,27	0,28	0,29	0,34
Construction	1,45	1,35	1,16	1,22	1,01	1,06	0,97	0,84	1,06
Trade	2,47	2,41	2,32	2,34	2,36	2,25	2,08	2,01	2,30
Transport, storage and communication	1,01	0,86	0,81	0,80	0,80	0,81	0,75	0,72	0,71
Activities auxiliary to financial intermediation, real estate and other business services (excluding financial intermediation, insurance, pension funding and business services not elsewhere classified)	0,33	0,35	0,35	0,34	0,33	0,31	0,32	0,29	0,27
Community, social and personal services (excluding government and educational institutions)	1,30	1,27	1,20	1,23	1,11	1,12	0,99	0,93	1,20



13.11 Comparison of operating ratios between 2014 and 2022 - Net profit margin ratio⁷

	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Forestry and fishing	0,09	0,11	0,13	0,12	0,07	0,10	0,07	0,06	0,07
Mining and quarrying	0,01	-0,03	-0,08	0,04	0,01	0,08	0,05	0,18	0,21
Manufacturing	0,04	0,04	0,03	0,05	0,04	0,03	0,01	0,02	0,05
Electricity, gas and water supply	0,06	0,05	0,05	0,03	0,03	-0,04	-0,03	-0,04	0,00
Construction	0,04	0,03	0,03	0,03	0,02	0,03	0,03	0,01	0,01
Trade	0,02	0,03	0,02	0,03	0,03	0,02	0,02	0,02	0,03
Transport, storage and communication	0,05	0,04	0,04	0,05	0,05	0,03	0,03	0,00	0,06
Activities auxiliary to financial intermediation, real estate and other business services (excluding financial intermediation, insurance, pension funding and business services not elsewhere classified)	0,23	0,20	0,18	0,21	0,17	0,16	0,03	0,12	0,16
Community, social and personal services (excluding government and educational institutions)	0,10	0,13	0,11	0,10	0,09	0,08	0,08	0,07	0,09

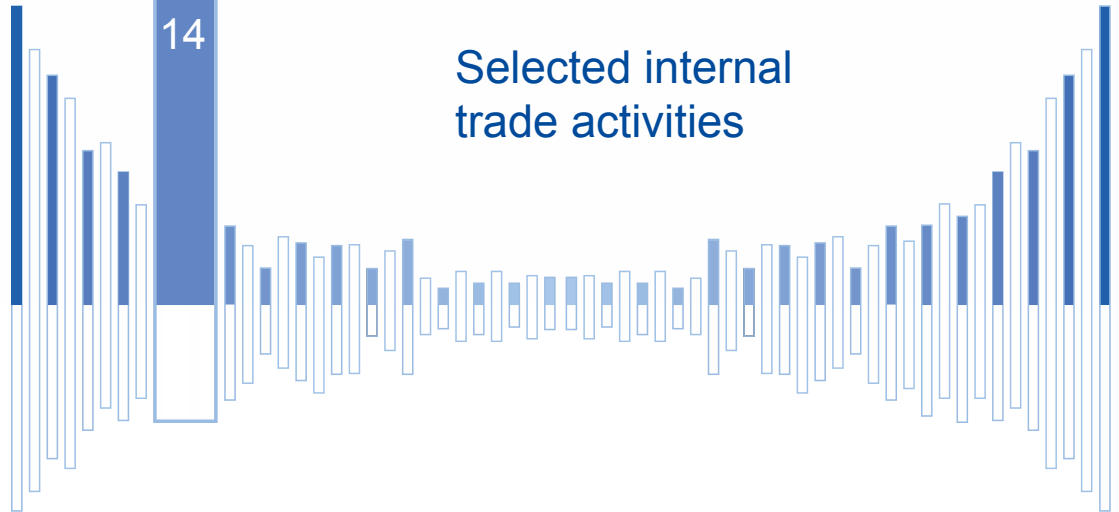
**13.12 Comparison of operating ratios between 2014 and 2022 - Return on equity⁸**

	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Forestry and fishing	0,15	0,18	0,20	0,20	0,11	0,14	0,09	0,08	0,08
Mining and quarrying	0,01	-0,04	-0,11	0,06	0,02	0,13	0,10	0,30	0,40
Manufacturing	0,17	0,17	0,12	0,18	0,15	0,13	0,04	0,08	0,24
Electricity, gas and water supply	0,08	0,06	0,05	0,04	0,04	-0,06	-0,04	-0,05	0,00
Construction	0,21	0,15	0,18	0,17	0,07	0,13	0,11	0,03	0,03
Trade	0,22	0,22	0,18	0,24	0,21	0,17	0,14	0,16	0,22
Transport, storage and communication	0,19	0,13	0,13	0,13	0,13	0,07	0,07	0,01	0,13
Activities auxiliary to financial intermediation, real estate and other business services (excluding financial intermediation, insurance, pension funding and business services not elsewhere classified)	0,20	0,17	0,14	0,16	0,15	0,13	0,02	0,09	0,11
Community, social and personal services (excluding government and educational institutions)	0,30	0,36	0,29	0,30	0,24	0,20	0,19	0,18	0,27



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Selected internal trade activities



Selected internal trade activities

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**14.1 Summary of internal trade statistics, 2013-2022 (R millions)**

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Wholesale trade sales										
Sales at current prices	2 072 806	2 227 238	2 256 717	2 453 554	2 497 954	2 662 501	2 737 253	2 573 570	3 010 600	3 584 119
Sales at constant (2019) prices	2 698 879	2 721 989	2 814 191	2 876 192	2 789 449	2 777 694	2 737 250	2 555 696	2 741 514	2 733 400
Retail trade sales										
Sales at current prices	797 643	856 298	921 273	995 549	1 067 358	1 110 239	1 152 558	1 102 268	1 208 694	1 295 054
Sales at constant (2019) prices	996 301	1 015 389	1 050 967	1 073 860	1 111 068	1 135 887	1 152 563	1 077 509	1 145 038	1 164 182
Motor trade sales										
Sales at current prices	644 450	666 180	665 161	678 014	705 896	736 937	741 660	617 481	747 778	889 343

Sources: Stats SA, *Wholesale trade sales* (Statistical release P6141.2), *Retail trade sales* (Statistical release P6242.1) and *Motor trade sales* (Statistical release P6343.2)

Stats SA introduced new wholesale trade sales, retail trade sales and motor trade sales surveys utilising an upgraded business register commencing with the month of July 2023. The previous surveys and the current ones were run side by side from April to June 2023, which provided a set of factors that could be applied to the old series to revise previous estimates back to the start of the series. The figures up to March 2023 were backcasted based on the movements of the old series and the level of the new series.



14.2 Summary of tourist accommodation statistics, 2013-2022

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Stay units										
Stay units available (thousands)	135,1	136,0	138,0	138,6	138,8	139,2	139,1	139,0	138,9	139,2
Stay unit nights sold (thousands)	22 898,9	23 669,1	23 286,4	23 713,5	23 054,5	22 253,1	22 230,7	8 946,4	11 102,8	16 331,7
Occupancy rate (%)	46,5	47,7	46,3	46,8	45,5	43,9	43,8	17,7	21,9	32,1
Income (R millions)										
Income from accommodation	23 524,6	25 836,9	28 021,2	31 230,4	32 760,5	32 642,5	33 253,8	12 517,2	13 781,9	23 486,9
Income from restaurant and bar sales	6 090,2	6 459,2	7 007,0	7 798,7	7 946,0	7 882,0	7 842,1	2 953,5	3 465,1	6 470,6
Other income	10 828,7	11 553,2	12 164,6	12 421,4	12 262,9	12 305,4	12 729,4	4 798,7	6 497,9	11 673,9
Total income	40 443,5	43 849,3	47 192,8	51 450,5	52 969,4	52 829,9	53 825,3	20 269,4	23 744,9	41 631,4

Source: Stats SA, *Tourist accommodation* (Statistical release P6410)

The hotel trading statistics survey has been discontinued since March 2004. It has been replaced by the Tourist accommodation survey, which started in September 2004. The Tourist accommodation survey includes bed and breakfast establishments, guest houses, hotels, lodges, self-catering accommodation, caravan parks and camping sites and, other accommodation establishments.

Figures for the last twelve months are regarded as preliminary.



14.3 Food and beverages, 2013-2022 (R millions)

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Income from food sales at current prices	42 456,9	45 611,8	49 271,4	53 682,4	57 272,3	63 778,7	68 293,8	40 724,6	55 061,2	70 373,9
Income from food sales at constant (2019) prices	61 576,7	61 398,6	62 319,8	63 250,8	63 519,9	66 482,7	68 294,2	39 680,5	52 130,1	62 638,9
Income from bar sales at current prices	16 728,1	16 238,6	16 694,0	17 300,2	18 501,6	18 980,2	19 715,6	8 238,0	9 353,2	11 097,0
Income from bar sales at constant (2019) prices	23 726,9	20 844,8	19 897,9	19 786,1	20 326,2	19 772,6	19 715,4	8 061,7	8 644,0	9 575,2
Other income at current prices	4 509,9	4 597,2	4 789,1	4 103,9	4 157,3	4 035,1	4 215,7	1 865,7	1 615,8	2 097,5
Other income at constant (2019) prices	6 517,2	6 147,6	6 006,2	4 813,4	4 601,4	4 205,3	4 215,8	1 818,8	1 522,7	1 854,4
Total income at current prices	63 694,9	66 447,6	70 754,5	75 086,5	79 931,2	86 794,0	92 225,1	50 828,3	66 030,2	83 568,4
Total income at constant (2015) prices	91 820,8	88 391,0	88 223,9	87 850,3	88 447,5	90 460,6	92 225,4	49 561,0	62 296,8	74 068,5

Source: Stats SA, *Food and beverages* (Statistical release P6420)

The food and beverages survey is a monthly survey covering a sample of public and private enterprises involved in the preparation of meals and drinks for immediate consumption in South Africa.

The purpose of this survey is to monitor trends in the food and beverages industry.

Figures for the last 12 months are regarded as preliminary.



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Social services and housing



Social services and housing

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Source: Stats SA, *General household survey* (Statistical release P0318)

† For numbers of 10 000 or less the sample size is too small for reliable estimates.



15.1 Number of households by type of dwelling by province, 2018-2022 (thousands)

Type of dwelling	Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
House on a separate yard or on farm										
2018	1 049	974	261	673	1 834	835	2 554	999	1 319	10 499
2019	1 127	1 113	274	684	2 039	909	2 698	1 127	1 449	11 420
2020	1 133	1 126	278	725	2 331	985	2 857	1 153	1 513	12 100
2021	1 288	1 156	278	725	2 329	961	3 010	1 222	1 548	12 518
2022	1 248	1 191	286	747	2 220	957	2 740	1 223	1 508	12 120
Traditional dwelling made of traditional material										
2018	..	345	†	20	365	†	†	50	34	831
2019	†	392	†	12	392	†	†	41	19	875
2020	..	360	†	20	279	†	..	55	16	740
2021	†	373	†	19	289	†	†	43	12	748
2022	†	330	†	16	384	†	†	33	17	789
Flat or apartment in a block of flats										
2018	182	59	†	13	141	17	340	22	†	786
2019	144	18	†	25	116	25	391	30	†	759
2020	216	30	†	17	83	11	358	13	†	737
2021	144	†	10	16	123	..	344	†	†	653
2022	165	29	†	33	110	21	429	25	†	826

15.1 Number of households by type of dwelling by province, 2018-2022 (thousands) (cont.)

Type of dwelling	Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
Cluster house in complex										
2018	11	†	0	†	†	†	104	†	..	143
2019	23	†	..	†	14	..	60	†	..	105
2020	16	..	..	†	†	..	35	..	..	58
2021	22	†	..	†	10	..	28	†	..	74
2022	19	†	†	†	17	†	100	†	..	146
Town house										
2018	46	†	†	14	†	10	191	†	†	286
2019	45	†	..	13	16	†	202	†	..	289
2020	44	†	†	24	†	..	208	..	..	283
2021	56	†	†	15	15	†	212	..	..	304
2022	67	†	†	†	18	†	155	†	†	269
Semi detached house										
2018	151	37	†	13	25	†	25	†	†	262
2019	177	33	†	..	57	..	15	†	†	292
2020	161	38	11	..	35	†	..	..	..	246
2021	121	57	18	†	29	†	†	..	..	242
2022	178	45	12	†	88	..	24	†	†	353



15.1 Number of households by type of dwelling by province, 2018-2022 (thousands) (cont.)

Type of dwelling	Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
Formal dwelling in backyard										
2018	15	17	†	22	41	42	446	19	65	671
2019	25	†	†	11	26	41	534	11	39	698
2020	31	15	†	†	44	34	500	18	28	677
2021	20	†	..	†	44	44	587	†	22	737
2022	15	†	..	12	15	36	749	15	48	897
Informal dwelling in backyard										
2018	153	23	†	34	33	65	553	24	28	923
2019	117	23	†	33	40	37	401	12	18	685
2020	85	29	†	30	16	37	327	15	20	561
2021	113	15	†	22	37	69	368	†	15	651
2022	91	18	†	22	42	45	372	†	26	627
Informal dwelling not in backyard										
2018	204	82	31	78	162	160	412	84	48	1 261
2019	244	70	48	132	124	193	549	86	40	1 485
2020	260	82	41	103	73	144	617	73	26	1 418
2021	236	79	42	124	120	181	547	91	34	1 453
2022	255	74	52	108	124	232	672	94	28	1 640

15.1 Number of households by type of dwelling by province, 2018-2022 (thousands) (concl.)

Type of dwelling	Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
Servants quarter or granny flats										
2018	40	125	17	26	284	65	159	81	76	875
2019	24	25	†	†	159	31	180	22	48	501
2020	†	21	†	†	158	48	217	27	34	522
2021	10	15	†	12	117	43	203	14	50	473
2022	35	28	†	23	181	49	313	40	87	761
Caravan or tent										
2018	..	†	0	..	†	..	†	..	..	10
2019	..	0	..	..	..	..	†	..	..	†
2020	†	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	†
2022	..	†	..	†	†	..	†	..	..	†
Other										
2018	26	†	0	†	†	..	88	..	0	125
2019	†	†	†	†	†	..	35	..	†	51
2020	†	†	†	..	..	..	56	..	..	75
2021	10	10	†	..	..	..	74	..	..	95
2022	†	†	†	..	†	..	30	†	..	45
Total										
2018	1 877	1 685	342	901	2 905	1 210	4 884	1 289	1 579	16 671
2019	1 933	1 702	350	921	2 985	1 248	5 072	1 332	1 621	17 163
2020	1 962	1 709	354	931	3 026	1 267	5 174	1 354	1 641	17 418
2021	2 021	1 725	363	952	3 111	1 308	5 384	1 399	1 684	17 947
2022	2 079	1 742	371	975	3 200	1 349	5 587	1 445	1 729	18 477



15.2 Number of households by energy source for cooking by province, 2018-2022 (thousands)

Energy source for cooking	Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
Electricity from mains										
2018	1 542	1 313	298	792	2 260	965	3 681	966	981	12 799
2019	1 475	1 309	295	795	2 362	961	3 723	959	1 008	12 886
2020	1 587	1 319	308	796	2 546	1 028	4 078	1 009	996	13 667
2021	1 627	1 341	301	830	2 561	1 031	4 167	998	1 086	13 943
2022	1 574	1 342	293	840	2 625	1 033	4 259	1 074	1 098	14 138
Electricity from generator										
2018	102	49	†	10	222	95	694	†	41	1 219
2019	163	47	†	18	219	88	722	32	45	1 340
2020	93	22	..	14	135	63	512	11	†	859
2021	56	18	†	21	153	107	564	21	†	949
2022	71	11	†	21	150	91	505	29	†	891
Gas										
2018	185	70	22	39	48	24	151	27	32	598
2019	255	81	25	33	62	25	193	27	19	719
2020	264	125	39	44	45	23	194	34	14	781
2021	308	115	33	36	55	20	262	24	11	863
2022	414	132	45	59	106	36	379	46	19	1 236
Paraffin										
2018	25	113	†	28	49	53	281	35	†	598
2019	13	68	10	29	57	62	368	43	21	671
2020	†	68	†	40	26	56	344	43	†	589
2021	14	68	†	34	50	67	312	61	22	629
2022	†	56	†	26	19	60	298	36	15	520



15.2 Number of households by energy source for cooking by province, 2018-2022 (cont.)

Energy source for cooking	Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
Wood										
2018	15	132	12	25	302	69	27	208	498	1 289
2019	↑	179	13	32	250	94	14	222	521	1 334
2020	↑	164	↑	32	252	93	21	221	609	1 402
2021	↑	155	27	25	265	83	25	243	553	1 380
2022	↑	162	22	24	256	114	40	209	584	1 419
Coal										
2018	..	↑	0	↑	↑	..	11	39	↑	71
2019	..	↑	..	↑	↑	↑	↑	40	↑	62
2020	..	↑	↑	↑	↑	..	↑	35	..	50
2021	..	..	..	↑	↑	..	↑	50	..	66
2022	..	..	..	↑	↑	..	10	51	↑	73
Animal dung										
2018	↑	↑	..	..	↑	..	↑	↑	..	11
2019	..	↑	0	..	..	..	..	..	↑	↑
2020	..	↑	..	..	↑	↑	..	..	..	↑
2021	..	..	..	..	↑	..	..	..	..	↑
2022	↑	↑	..	↑	↑	↑	..	..	..	↑


15.2 Number of households by energy source for cooking by province, 2018-2022 (thousands) (concl.)

Energy source for cooking	Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
Solar energy										
2018	†	0	†	..	†	..	†	†	†	19
2019	†	†	†	0	..	†	..	†	†	10
2020	†	†	†	..	†	..	..	..	..	12
2021	10	†	..	..	..	..	†	..	..	21
2022	†	†	†	..	†	..	†	..	..	15
Other										
2018	†	†	0	†	..	..	9	†	..	13
2019	15	†	†	†	26	10	32	†	†	108
2020	..	†	..	†	13	..	15	†	†	38
2021	†	22	..	†	20	..	42	†	†	94
2022	†	32	..	..	30	11	83	..	0	157
None										
2018	†	..	..	†	..	†	†	†	†	15
2019	†	†	..	†	†	†	13	†	†	31
2020	†	†	..	..	..	..	†	..	..	12
2022	†	†	†	..	†	†	†	..	†	19
Total										
2018	1 877	1 685	342	901	2 905	1 210	4 884	1 289	1 579	16 671
2019	1 933	1 702	350	921	2 985	1 248	5 072	1 332	1 621	17 163
2020	1 962	1 709	354	931	3 026	1 267	5 174	1 354	1 641	17 418
2021	2 021	1 725	363	952	3 111	1 308	5 384	1 399	1 684	17 947
2022	2 079	1 742	371	975	3 200	1 349	5 587	1 445	1 729	18 477

15.3 Number of households by energy source for heating by province, 2018-2022 (thousands)

Energy source for heating	Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
Electricity from mains										
2018	553	225	141	321	907	437	2 477	448	308	5 817
2019	923	410	172	416	1 718	619	2 846	481	704	8 288
2020	924	381	185	424	2 068	598	3 169	454	711	8 915
2021	994	267	171	471	1 869	635	3 143	438	740	8 727
2022	903	369	150	426	2 067	646	3 450	600	826	9 438
Electricity from generator										
2018	20	10	†	†	28	53	493	†	11	623
2019	59	23	†	†	136	68	619	15	40	965
2020	25	†	..	†	126	13	428	†	†	623
2021	20	†	..	12	100	51	449	†	†	651
2022	27	†	..	10	64	65	396	11	†	587
Gas										
2018	67	34	†	45	21	†	200	38	†	428
2019	83	32	11	33	25	12	217	28	†	445
2020	100	46	13	37	18	18	237	32	..	500
2021	107	100	12	63	18	12	298	39	†	655
2022	128	90	12	75	35	22	307	37	†	708
Paraffin										
2018	195	452	†	170	28	19	128	11	†	1 010
2019	172	417	†	209	21	21	149	†	12	1 016
2020	276	510	10	219	16	14	122	†	†	1 177
2021	215	507	†	180	37	14	126	†	†	1 090
2022	137	408	†	196	14	16	79	†	†	859



15.3 Number of households by energy source for heating by province, 2018-2022 (cont.)

Energy source for heating	Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
Wood										
2018	84	412	57	86	497	136	93	207	309	1 879
2019	55	363	48	69	367	129	105	194	367	1 698
2020	74	395	33	60	402	110	119	225	397	1 816
2021	104	367	75	58	452	144	97	231	399	1 928
2022	113	350	77	88	396	181	123	241	504	2 074
Coal										
2018	..	†	†	19	12	†	68	102	10	217
2019	†	†	..	11	13	..	73	82	†	188
2020	..	†	†	†	21	..	90	128	..	252
2021	..	†	†	20	14	..	56	126	†	220
2022	†	†	0	11	21	†	68	101	†	219
Animal dung										
2018	..	†	..	†	†	..	†	†	†	12
2019	†	†	..	†	†	..	..	†	†	11
2020	..	†	..	..	†	†	..	..	†	16
2021	..	†	..	..	†	†	..	†	..	†
2022	..	..	..	†	†	†	..	..	..	†
Solar energy										
2018	..	†	0	..	†	†	†	†	†	10
2019	†	..	†	0	†	†	†	†	0	†
2020	†	†	..	..	†	..	..	..	..	†
2021	†	..	0	..	..	..	..	..	..	†
2022	†	†	†	..	†	†	†	..	0	20

15.3 Number of households by energy source for heating by province, 2018-2022 (thousands) (concl.)

Energy source for heating	Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
Other										
2018	12	†	..	†	54	..	80	17	16	189
2019	14	†	†	†	41	†	51	†	†	146
2020	..	†	0	†	10	†	29	†	†	63
2021	12	18	†	†	11	†	58	12	†	128
2022	†	26	†	†	29	†	121	†	†	203
None										
2018	948	540	125	249	1 350	554	1 338	460	913	6 478
2019	621	439	107	166	658	388	1 010	515	490	4 396
2020	561	355	111	174	356	502	981	492	518	4 050
2021	562	454	94	147	609	447	1 158	545	518	4 535
2022	756	484	125	164	571	403	1 036	443	381	4 364
Total										
2018	1 877	1 685	342	901	2 905	1 210	4 884	1 289	1 579	16 671
2019	1 933	1 702	350	921	2 985	1 248	5 072	1 332	1 621	17 163
2020	1 962	1 709	354	931	3 026	1 267	5 174	1 354	1 641	17 418
2021	2 021	1 725	363	952	3 111	1 308	5 384	1 399	1 684	17 947
2022	2 079	1 742	371	975	3 200	1 349	5 587	1 445	1 729	18 477



15.4 Number of households by energy source for lighting by province, 2018-2022 (thousands)

Energy source for lighting	Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
Electricity from mains										
2018	1 731	1 495	318	852	2 500	1 034	3 868	1 207	1 465	14 471
2019	1 699	1 510	318	844	2 577	1 013	3 871	1 198	1 508	14 538
2020	1 816	1 583	344	843	2 789	1 097	4 225	1 243	1 589	15 531
2021	1 900	1 593	332	871	2 842	1 082	4 349	1 260	1 625	15 853
2022	1 957	1 594	339	902	2 943	1 116	4 530	1 311	1 658	16 351
Electricity from generator										
2018	98	47	†	11	231	92	698	†	45	1 226
2019	168	47	†	18	227	91	736	31	48	1 372
2020	87	18	..	14	138	70	518	18	13	875
2021	57	19	..	25	150	108	574	23	†	963
2022	72	14	†	22	145	92	531	36	12	930
Gas										
2018	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	26
2019	10	†	0	..	†	†	†	†	..	31
2020	20	..	0	†	†	..	†	†	..	31
2021	†	†	†	..	†	†	†	..	..	23
2022	†	†	†	†	†	†	10	..	†	31
Paraffin										
2018	16	78	†	†	†	20	57	12	..	196
2019	15	61	†	†	15	21	86	12	†	225
2020	12	64	†	10	†	25	65	†	†	193
2021	†	58	†	†	15	20	77	12	..	201
2022	†	48	†	†	†	19	62	11	†	160
Wood										
2018	†	†	0	†	11	†	†	†	10	34



15.4 Number of households by energy source for lighting by province, 2018-2022 (thousands) (cont.)

Energy source for lighting	Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
Coal										
2018	..	..	..	..	†	..	..	†	†	†
Candles										
2018	23	36	12	32	132	57	220	58	48	617
2019	15	46	15	47	130	102	303	80	47	786
2020	11	24	†	51	78	64	312	76	30	651
2021	31	18	15	49	81	96	267	95	45	697
2022	23	33	17	40	72	101	284	72	47	689
Animal dung										
2018	†	†	..	..	..	..	†	..	..	†
Solar energy										
2018	†	21	†	†	14	†	24	†	†	81
2019	12	24	†	†	4	†	22	†	†	89
2020	13	16	†	†	..	11	34	†	†	90
2021	14	12	†	..	†	..	53	†	†	98
2022	11	19	†	†	†	†	64	12	†	128
Other										
2018	†	..	0	..	†	†	†	†	†	13
2019	13	†	†	†	26	10	44	†	†	118
2020	..	..	..	†	13	..	15	†	†	39
2021	†	23	..	†	19	..	53	†	†	107
2022	†	30	..	..	28	13	99	†	..	174



15.4 Number of households by energy source for lighting by province, 2018-2022 (thousands) (concl.)

Energy source for lighting	Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
None										
2018	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	†
2019	..	†	..	..	..	..	†	..	..	†
2020	†	†	..	..	..	..	..	†	..	†
2021	..	..	..	..	†	..	†	..	..	†
2022	..	†	0	†	†	..	†	†	†	15
Total										
2018	1 877	1 685	342	901	2 905	1 210	4 884	1 289	1 579	16 671
2019	1 933	1 702	350	921	2 985	1 248	5 072	1 332	1 621	17 163
2020	1 962	1 709	354	931	3 026	1 267	5 174	1 354	1 641	17 418
2021	2 021	1 725	363	952	3 111	1 308	5 384	1 399	1 684	17 947
2022	2 079	1 742	371	975	3 200	1 349	5 587	1 445	1 729	18 477

15.5 Number of households by main source of water by province, 2018-2022 (thousands)

Main source of water	Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
Piped water in the dwelling or house										
2018	1 440	611	171	386	1 135	332	3 074	362	211	7 722
2019	1 467	579	184	367	1 122	325	3 073	396	194	7 708
2020	1 502	655	198	418	1 193	378	3 217	390	170	8 122
2021	1 578	651	185	353	1 141	302	3 302	416	191	8 119
2022	1 640	630	174	414	1 246	350	3 301	432	273	8 459
Piped water in yard										
2018	230	235	114	389	849	428	1 411	592	510	4 758
2019	225	252	96	400	905	429	1 507	537	548	4 898
2020	188	191	84	398	934	473	1 505	595	569	4 936
2021	223	177	83	467	1 032	532	1 642	574	550	5 280
2022	213	269	115	450	919	515	1 850	639	570	5 540
Borehole in yard										
2018	†	167	..	..	26	..	..	†	†	205
2019	11	196	..	†	28	†	†	..	†	244
2020	12	172	..	..	19	†	†	..	..	212
2021	..	237	..	..	32	..	†	†	†	274
2022	†	281	†	..	48	†	†	†	†	345
Rain-water tank in yard										
2018	†	18	†	11	71	40	22	63	82	314
2019	12	33	†	21	100	56	35	88	84	433
2020	†	11	†	21	49	49	30	55	65	288
2021	†	18	†	23	64	61	32	70	63	337
2022	†	17	†	17	104	45	41	64	67	370



15.5 Number of households by main source of water by province, 2018-2022 (thousands) (cont.)

Main source of water	Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
Neighbours tap										
2018	†	†	†	†	13	57	32	45	174	353
2019	10	†	11	15	29	76	27	32	165	373
2020	..	†	21	..	33	60	18	21	165	325
2021	†	†	†	10	25	85	44	20	204	405
2022	†	†	†	†	39	76	25	43	212	421
Communal tap										
2018	178	401	37	36	461	230	237	98	367	2 044
2019	200	394	44	59	423	215	337	113	310	2 095
2020	237	376	42	33	454	206	316	150	366	2 179
2021	205	379	58	49	469	195	324	145	366	2 190
2022	204	301	45	35	445	243	301	117	284	1 977
Tanker										
2018	†	14	0	46	78	93	82	73	115	506
2019	†	†	†	40	72	109	60	97	178	574
2020	..	34	†	50	96	77	69	96	187	616
2021	†	27	21	39	99	107	23	104	178	598
2022	..	18	14	27	118	86	52	92	167	575
Borehole outside yard										
2018	†	22	†	18	69	22	18	30	72	257
2019	†	†	†	15	82	33	18	24	53	234
2020	14	†	..	†	59	18	†	29	52	189
2021	..	†	†	10	39	25	†	45	29	167
2022	†	10	†	19	53	25	†	19	57	197

15.5 Number of households by main source of water by province, 2018-2022 (thousands) (cont.)

Main source of water	Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
River or stream										
2018	↑	131	↑	..	125	..	..	10	↑	279
2019	↑	113	..	..	122	..	..	↑	22	266
2020	..	171	↑	↑	116	..	..	↑	32	327
2021	↑	124	↑	..	148	..	..	↑	33	318
2022	↑	82	↑	..	158	↑	↑	11	19	276
Stagnant pool or dam										
2018	..	↑	15	..	↑	..	↑	23
2019	..	↑	14	..	..	..	↑	19
2020	..	↑	13	..	..	↑	..	26
2021	..	↑	12	..	..	..	↑	25
2022	..	11	..	..	↑	..	↑	..	↑	22
Well										
2018	..	↑	..	↑	27	↑	↑	↑	↑	42
2019	..	↑	..	↑	26	↑	↑	27	18	81
2020	33	↑	..	↑	↑	43
2021	..	↑	..	↑	19	..	..	↑	↑	36
2022	..	↑	23	↑	..	↑	↑	43
Spring										
2018	..	67	..	↑	22	..	..	↑	↑	104
2019	↑	99	..	..	49	..	..	↑	10	160
2020	..	75	..	↑	13	..	..	..	↑	101
2021	..	74	..	..	12	..	..	↑	↑	101
2022	↑	85	..	↑	22	..	..	↑	15	131

¹ Other includes Coloured, Indian or Asian, White and unspecified population groups. These groups are aggregated due to the small sample size.



15.5 Number of households by main source of water by province, 2018-2022 (thousands) (concl.)

Main source of water	Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
Other										
2018	†	†	..	†	13	†	†	†	24	65
2019	†	†	†	..	13	†	13	†	33	77
2020	†	†	..	..	15	†	†	†	23	56
2021	†	13	..	..	19	†	†	†	47	96
2022	†	32	†	†	17	†	†	†	48	123
Total										
2018	1 877	1 685	342	901	2 905	1 210	4 884	1 289	1 579	16 671
2019	1 933	1 702	350	921	2 985	1 248	5 072	1 332	1 621	17 163
2020	1 962	1 709	354	931	3 026	1 267	5 174	1 354	1 641	17 418
2021	2 021	1 725	363	952	3 111	1 308	5 384	1 399	1 684	17 947
2022	2 079	1 742	371	975	3 200	1 349	5 587	1 445	1 729	18 477

¹ Other includes Coloured, Indian or Asian, White and unspecified population groups. These groups are aggregated due to the small sample size.


15.6 Number of households by energy source for cooking, for heating and for lighting, by population group of the household head, 2018-2022 (thousands)

Energy source	Cooking			Heating			Lighting		
	Black African	Other ¹	Total	Black African	Other ¹	Total	Black African	Other ¹	Total
Electricity from mains									
2018	10 036	2 763	12 799	4 193	1 624	5 817	11 378	3 092	14 471
2019	10 187	2 699	12 886	6 137	2 151	8 288	11 464	3 074	14 538
2020	10 919	2 747	13 667	6 671	2 244	8 915	12 397	3 133	15 531
2021	11 207	2 735	13 943	6 612	2 115	8 727	12 706	3 147	15 853
2022	11 611	2 527	14 138	7 476	1 962	9 438	13 220	3 131	16 351
Electricity from generator									
2018	1 178	42	1 219	610	14	623	1 186	39	1 226
2019	1 281	60	1 340	937	28	965	1 316	56	1 372
2020	830	29	859	616	†	623	842	33	875
2021	931	18	949	648	†	651	940	23	963
2022	863	28	891	569	18	587	890	40	930
Gas									
2018	271	327	598	244	184	428	23	†	26
2019	326	394	719	246	199	445	17	14	31
2020	374	407	781	269	231	500	25	†	31
2021	420	443	863	397	258	655	14	10	23
2022	580	656	1 236	383	325	708	16	15	31
Paraffin									
2018	589	†	598	997	13	1 010	191	†	196
2019	657	13	671	997	18	1 016	220	†	225
2020	576	12	589	1 125	51	1 177	181	12	193
2021	618	12	629	1 069	20	1 090	195	†	201
2022	515	†	520	843	15	859	154	†	160

¹ Other includes Coloured, Indian or Asian, White and unspecified population groups. These groups are aggregated due to the small sample size.



15.6 Number of households by energy source for cooking, for heating and for lighting, by population group of the household head, 2018-2022 (thousands) (cont.)

Energy source	Cooking			Heating			Lighting		
	Black African	Other ¹	Total	Black African	Other ¹	Total	Black African	Other ¹	Total
Wood									
2018	1 264	25	1 289	1 759	119	1 879	32	†	34
2019	1 315	19	1 334	1 606	92	1 698	..	..	..
2020	1 402	..	1 402	1 756	59	1 816	..	..	..
2021	1 373	†	1 380	1 789	140	1 928	..	..	..
2022	1 395	23	1 419	1 938	136	2 074	..	..	..
Coal									
2018	69	†	71	205	12	217	†	..	†
2019	61	†	62	179	†	188	..	..	..
2020	49	†	50	249	†	252	..	..	..
2021	66	..	66	218	†	220	..	..	..
2022	72	†	73	204	15	219	..	..	..
Candles									
2018	..	†	..	†	†	†	594	23	617
2019	..	..	..	..	..	..	762	24	786
2020	..	..	..	..	..	..	644	†	651
2021	..	..	..	..	..	..	674	24	697
2022	..	..	..	..	..	..	660	29	689
Animal dung									
2018	11	..	11	12	..	12	†	..	†
2019	†	..	†	11	†	11	..	..	..
2020	†	..	†	16	..	16	..	..	..
2021	..	†	†	†	†	†	..	..	..
2022	†	†	†	†	..	†	..	..	..

¹ Total includes other and unspecified population groups.

15.6 Number of households by energy source for cooking, for heating and for lighting, by population group of the household head, 2018-2022 (thousands) (concl.)

Energy source	Cooking			Heating			Lighting		
	Black African	Other ¹	Total	Black African	Other ¹	Total	Black African	Other ¹	Total
Solar energy									
2018	18	†	19	10	0	10	74	†	81
2019	†	†	10	†	†	†	69	20	89
2020	†	†	12	†	†	†	76	14	90
2021	10	11	21	0	†	†	80	18	98
2022	†	†	15	10	11	20	99	28	128
Other									
2018	†	†	13	157	32	189	†	†	13
2019	102	†	108	126	20	146	111	†	118
2020	38	..	38	63	0	63	39	..	39
2021	91	†	94	116	11	128	104	†	107
2022	157	†	157	189	14	203	173	†	174
None									
2018	12	†	15	5 301	1 178	6 478	†	..	†
2019	30	†	31	3 720	676	4 396	†	..	†
2020	†	†	12	3 438	612	4 050	†	†	†
2021	..	..	..	3 863	672	4 535	†	..	†
2022	18	†	19	3 608	755	4 364	14	†	15
Total									
2018	13 493	3 178	16 671	13 493	3 178	16 671	13 493	3 178	16 671
2019	13 964	3 199	17 163	13 964	3 199	17 163	13 964	3 199	17 163
2020	14 209	3 208	17 418	14 209	3 208	17 418	14 209	3 208	17 418
2021	14 716	3 230	17 947	14 716	3 230	17 947	14 716	3 230	17 947
2022	15 227	3 250	18 477	15 227	3 250	18 477	15 227	3 250	18 477

¹ Total includes other and unspecified population groups.



15.7 Number of households by sanitation facility by population group of the household head, 2018-2022 (thousands)

Sanitation facility	Black African	Coloured	Indian or Asian	White	Total ¹
Flush toilet connected to public sewerage					
2018	7 313	1 059	384	1 469	10 225
2019	7 309	1 107	399	1 474	10 289
2020	7 649	1 069	399	1 477	10 594
2021	7 887	1 096	403	1 482	10 867
2022	8 212	1 146	425	1 447	11 230
Flush toilet connected to septic tank					
2018	539	53	11	103	706
2019	577	40	10	94	721
2020	533	59	20	82	694
2021	584	68	15	83	749
2022	768	43	†	103	922
Chemical toilet					
2018	56	†	..	..	57
2019	109	†	..	†	113
2020	186	..	..	..	186
2021	141	10	†	..	152
2022	186	†	..	†	192
Pit latrine with ventilation pipe					
2018	2 836	27	†	†	2 867
2019	3 047	19	†	..	3 070
2020	3 149	39	..	†	3 190
2021	3 437	26	..	..	3 463
2022	3 203	19	†	..	3 225

¹ Total includes other and unspecified population groups.



15.7 Number of households by sanitation facility by population group of the household head, 2018-2022 (thousands) (cont.)

Sanitation facility	Black African	Coloured	Indian or Asian	White	Total ¹
Pit latrine without ventilation pipe					
2018	2 204	13	†	0	2 225
2019	2 446	10	†	†	2 457
2020	2 433	20	..	..	2 454
2021	2 389	†	†	..	2 400
2022	2 468	15	..	†	2 485
Bucket toilet					
2018	206	18	..	†	226
2019	174	13	†	..	187
2020	109	22	..	..	131
2021	127	24	..	..	151
2022	138	13	..	..	150
None					
2018	220	12	..	..	232
2019	218	13	..	..	231
2020	102	†	..	..	106
2021	108	†	..	..	112
2022	164	13	..	..	178

¹ Total includes other and unspecified population groups.

² The categories of the questionnaire were changed from 2019. Therefore, figures for this variable were discontinued.


15.7 Number of households by sanitation facility by population group of the household head, 2018-2022 (thousands) (concl.)

Sanitation facility	Black African	Coloured	Indian or Asian	White	Total ¹
Other					
2018	87	†	..	†	94
2019	84	†	..	†	90
2020	36	†	..	..	41
2021	27	†	†	..	35
2022	88	†	..	0	94
Total					
2018	13 461	1 187	405	1 578	16 631
2019	13 963	1 210	414	1 572	17 158
2020	14 197	1 219	418	1 560	17 395
2021	14 700	1 239	427	1 564	17 930
2022	15 227	1 258	436	1 555	18 476

¹ Total includes other and unspecified population groups.

**15.8 Number of households by type of refuse removal by population group of the household head, 2018-2022 (thousands)**

Type of refuse removal	Black African	Coloured	Indian or Asian	White	Total ¹
Removed by local authority/private company/community members at least once a week					
2018	7 619	1 077	382	1 458	10 536
2019	7 202	1 082	396	1 416	10 096
2020	7 614	1 108	408	1 399	10 530
2021	7 845	1 124	398	1 442	10 810
2022	8 152	1 148	404	1 360	11 064
Removed by local authority/private company/community members less often than once a week					
2018	224	17	†	27	275
2019	360	23	†	28	416
2020	344	12	..	22	378
2021	403	21	17	23	463
2022	418	18	12	47	495
Communal refuse dump					
2018	516	33	†	18	570
2019	727	28	†	43	801
2020	856	33	..	77	966
2021	1 126	31	†	21	1 186
2022	975	26	13	45	1 059
Own refuse dump					
2018	4 410	34	†	55	4 507
2019	5 079	61	†	77	5 224
2020	4 887	48	10	57	5 003
2021	4 976	44	†	76	5 101
2022	5 195	37	†	92	5 329

¹Total includes other and unspecified population groups.



15.8 Number of households by type of refuse removal by population group of the household head, 2018-2022 (thousands) (concl.)

Type of refuse removal	Black African	Coloured	Indian or Asian	White	Total ¹
Dump or leave rubbish anywhere					
2018	311	10	..	†	323
2019	526	13	†	†	543
2020	404	†	..	†	415
2021	274	†	..	..	279
2022	438	20	..	†	462
Other					
2018	73	†	..	†	84
2019	70	†	..	†	79
2020	91	10	..	†	103
2021	76	14	..	†	92
2022	49	10	†	†	66
Total					
2018	13 152	1 180	401	1 562	16 295
2019	13 963	1 210	414	1 572	17 159
2020	14 197	1 219	418	1 560	17 395
2021	14 700	1 239	427	1 564	17 930
2022	15 227	1 258	436	1 555	18 476

¹ Total includes other and unspecified population groups.


15.9 Number of households with or without a telephone facility, by population group and gender of the household head, 2018-2022 (thousands)

Telephone facility	Black African			Coloured			Indian or Asian			White			Total ¹		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Yes															
2018	7 348	5 684	13 032	629	465	1 094	308	95	403	1 098	479	1 577	9 383	6 723	16 106
2019	7 563	5 857	13 420	635	477	1 111	291	116	407	1 083	484	1 567	9 572	6 935	16 507
2020	7 891	6 021	13 912	681	532	1 213	297	119	416	1 068	472	1 540	9 936	7 145	17 081
2021	8 117	6 231	14 348	682	533	1 214	301	123	424	1 059	489	1 549	10 160	7 376	17 535
2022	8 227	6 382	14 609	646	510	1 156	301	124	425	1 044	482	1 526	10 218	7 499	17 717
No															
2018	298	163	461	54	43	97	†	†	†	†	†	†	354	211	565
2019	349	194	544	52	47	98	†	†	†	†	†	†	409	247	656
2020	162	135	297	†	†	†	..	†	†	15	16	31	182	155	337
2021	216	152	368	12	12	24	..	†	†	12	†	15	240	171	411
2022	394	224	618	50	52	102	†	†	10	16	14	30	465	295	760
Total															
2018	7 646	5 847	13 493	683	508	1 191	309	97	405	1 099	482	1 582	9 737	6 934	16 671
2019	7 913	6 052	13 964	686	523	1 210	294	120	414	1 088	487	1 575	9 982	7 181	17 163
2020	8 052	6 157	14 209	686	533	1 219	297	122	418	1 083	488	1 571	10 118	7 300	17 418
2021	8 334	6 382	14 716	694	545	1 239	301	126	427	1 072	493	1 564	10 400	7 546	17 947
2022	8 621	6 606	15 227	696	562	1 258	306	130	436	1 060	496	1 556	10 683	7 794	18 477

¹ Total includes other and unspecified population groups.



15.10 Number of consumer units receiving water and free basic water services from municipalities, by province, 2012-2021

	Western Cape			Eastern Cape			Northern Cape		
	Basic water	Free basic water	% free	Basic water	Free basic water	% free	Basic water	Free basic water	% free
2012	1 181 091	958 079	81,1	1 496 754	690 093	46,1	247 260	87 145	35,2
2013	1 202 348	944 844	78,6	1 494 344	678 014	45,4	271 919	91 240	33,6
2014	1 207 845	926 007	76,7	1 543 859	610 690	39,6	283 657	68 700	24,2
2015	1 273 861	1 019 484	80,0	1 578 702	696 452	44,1	290 293	93 856	32,3
2016	1 294 771	1 014 623	78,4	1 617 442	648 429	40,1	299 669	75 736	25,3
2017	1 307 972	1 006 413	76,9	1 618 670	680 697	42,1	296 706	65 665	22,1
2018	1 331 926	602 422	45,2	1 549 725	759 297	49,0	303 410	62 457	20,6
2019	1 359 588	591 999	43,5	1 439 206	520 322	36,2	317 165	65 704	20,7
2020	1 428 558	567 767	39,7	1 438 117	454 966	31,6	318 345	72 037	22,6
2021	1 465 910	583 716	39,8	1 580 136	393 782	24,9	322 527	64 214	19,9

15.10 Number of consumer units receiving water and free basic water services from municipalities, by province, 2012-2021

	Free State			KwaZulu-Natal			North West		
	Basic water	Free basic water	% free	Basic water	Free basic water	% free	Basic water	Free basic water	% free
2012	718 802	309 315	43,0	2 004 198	821 118	41,0	767 839	323 705	42,2
2013	770 967	272 151	35,3	2 068 512	814 266	39,4	840 751	188 894	22,5
2014	737 134	169 695	23,0	2 115 411	856 225	40,5	887 356	196 766	22,2
2015	763 988	151 112	19,8	2 145 210	764 438	35,6	889 140	133 443	15,0
2016	783 319	170 688	21,8	2 217 735	734 331	33,1	923 327	150 064	16,3
2017	781 950	143 615	18,4	2 264 355	763 835	33,7	915 237	118 297	12,9
2018	797 597	147 304	18,5	2 376 786	784 655	33,0	946 954	113 997	12,0
2019	890 873	137 433	15,4	2 376 876	765 633	32,2	1 085 427	88 074	8,1
2020	905 882	155 346	17,1	2 477 329	755 272	30,5	1 152 488	110 310	9,6
2021	928 320	165 792	17,9	2 542 583	646 198	25,4	1 166 984	113 756	9,7



15.10 Number of consumer units receiving water and free basic water services from municipalities, by province, 2012-2021 (concl.)

	Gauteng			Mpumalanga			Limpopo			South Africa		
	Basic electricity	Free basic electricity	% free	Basic electricity	Free basic electricity	% free	Basic electricity	Free basic electricity	% free	Basic electricity	Free basic electricity	% free
2012	2 790 624	819 931	29,4	1 008 688	435 729	43,2	1 207 169	451 424	37,4	11 422 425	4 896 539	42,9
2013	2 850 080	1 077 660	37,8	1 021 837	581 307	56,9	1 140 537	480 787	42,2	11 661 295	5 129 163	44,0
2014	3 161 842	950 551	30,1	1 049 447	433 979	41,4	1 221 715	459 973	37,6	12 208 266	4 672 586	38,3
2015	3 198 426	930 300	29,1	1 081 728	357 417	33,0	1 250 201	450 281	36,0	12 471 549	4 596 783	36,9
2016	3 224 103	1 211 302	37,6	1 099 355	316 846	28,8	1 258 327	366 904	29,2	12 718 048	4 688 923	36,9
2017	3 286 414	1 263 801	38,5	1 089 918	389 908	35,8	1 250 745	318 078	25,4	12 811 967	4 750 309	37,1
2018	3 327 192	1 141 828	34,3	1 159 228	331 439	28,6	1 348 179	122 755	9,1	13 140 997	4 066 154	30,9
2019	3 554 964	1 028 573	28,9	1 207 995	91 836	7,6	1 355 679	143 544	10,6	13 587 773	3 433 118	25,3
2020	3 780 072	1 050 874	27,8	1 236 463	104 481	8,4	1 364 687	111 295	8,2	14 101 941	3 382 348	24,0
2021	3 909 046	547 875	14,0	1 247 184	71 426	5,7	1 409 553	117 178	8,3	14 572 243	2 703 937	18,6

15.11 Number of consumer units receiving electricity and free basic electricity services from municipalities, by province, 2012-2021

	Western Cape			Eastern Cape			Northern Cape		
	Basic electricity	Free basic electricity	% free	Basic electricity	Free basic electricity	% free	Basic electricity	Free basic electricity	% free
2012	1 236 228	542 230	43,9	1 116 022	303 707	27,2	263 969	96 914	36,7
2013	1 241 350	560 877	45,2	1 144 731	313 343	27,4	267 951	68 292	25,5
2014	1 253 953	565 442	45,1	1 201 152	300 888	25,0	272 534	64 961	23,8
2015	1 304 843	549 590	42,1	1 239 198	329 928	26,6	281 695	68 528	24,3
2016	1 510 428	539 375	35,7	1 263 514	368 556	29,2	285 158	73 321	25,7
2017	1 555 668	501 721	32,3	1 294 748	359 715	27,8	283 419	67 055	23,7
2018	1 583 009	501 212	31,7	1 278 661	340 739	26,6	291 095	64 990	22,3
2019	1 610 901	458 960	28,5	1 359 406	366 355	26,9	309 713	66 284	21,4
2020	1 616 818	460 875	28,5	1 396 930	303 753	21,7	306 262	76 535	25,0
2021	1 625 148	453 886	27,9	1 418 785	262 763	18,5	312 395	67 549	21,6



1.5.11 Number of consumer units receiving electricity and free basic electricity services from municipalities, by province, 2012-2021 (cont.)

	Free State			KwaZulu-Natal			North West		
	Basic electricity	Free basic electricity	% free	Basic electricity	Free basic electricity	% free	Basic electricity	Free basic electricity	% free
2012	667 310	210 373	31,5	1 539 986	215 287	14,0	834 074	162 724	19,5
2013	697 926	171 847	24,6	1 609 718	180 181	11,2	876 531	152 030	17,3
2014	710 420	169 170	23,8	1 660 276	238 732	14,4	903 494	171 714	19,0
2015	729 206	144 663	19,8	1 733 630	282 547	16,3	929 815	156 862	16,9
2016	739 443	132 150	17,9	1 803 931	317 279	17,6	941 274	158 023	16,8
2017	744 624	142 705	19,2	1 836 827	317 187	17,3	954 109	167 976	17,6
2018	751 075	165 815	22,1	1 901 200	303 575	16,0	973 328	145 654	15,0
2019	814 880	146 418	18,0	1 934 004	306 022	15,8	1 059 097	109 181	10,3
2020	846 087	158 758	18,8	2 012 343	317 810	15,8	1 077 730	112 272	10,4
2021	865 690	167 318	19,3	2 040 975	203 954	10,0	1 081 641	120 441	11,1


1.5.11 Number of consumer units receiving electricity and free basic electricity services from municipalities, by province, 2012-2021 (concl.)

	Gauteng			Mpumalanga			Limpopo			South Africa		
	Basic electricity	Free basic electricity	% free	Basic electricity	Free basic electricity	% free	Basic electricity	Free basic electricity	% free	Basic electricity	Free basic electricity	% free
2012	2 137 638	548 372	25,7	784 485	276 172	35,2	1 169 008	199 398	17,1	9 748 720	2 555 177	26,2
2013	2 182 341	677 341	31,0	788 862	262 848	33,3	1 188 629	141 913	11,9	9 998 039	2 528 672	25,3
2014	2 392 766	784 362	32,8	818 561	176 270	21,5	1 227 732	151 804	12,4	10 440 888	2 623 343	25,1
2015	2 519 827	496 829	19,7	905 790	166 430	18,4	1 247 000	160 194	12,8	10 891 004	2 355 571	21,6
2016	2 572 198	522 535	20,3	947 671	179 929	19,0	1 286 058	163 735	12,7	11 349 675	2 454 903	21,6
2017	2 587 195	710 248	27,5	979 186	150 814	15,4	1 318 499	146 072	11,1	11 554 275	2 563 493	22,2
2018	2 581 983	416 914	16,1	1 006 137	110 357	11,0	1 417 608	130 265	9,2	11 784 096	2 179 521	18,5
2019	2 634 520	727 773	27,6	1 020 848	83 409	8,2	1 450 796	103 130	7,1	12 194 165	2 367 532	19,4
2020	2 714 343	784 735	28,9	1 035 927	83 708	8,1	1 537 694	76 674	5,0	12 544 134	2 375 120	18,9
2021	2 724 879	420 201	15,4	1 072 112	64 771	6,0	1 601 427	83 625	5,2	12 743 052	1 844 508	14,5



Debts

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Debts

16.1 Liquidations and insolvencies, 2013-2022 (numbers)

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**16.1 Liquidations and insolvencies, 2013-2022 (numbers)**

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Companies liquidated										
Compulsory	117	222	140	113	123	128	135	156	105	139
Voluntary	1 031	806	829	899	835	844	944	1 008	952	952
Total	1 148	1 028	969	1 012	958	972	1 079	1 164	1 057	1 091
Close corporations liquidated										
Compulsory	94	144	98	87	88	71	123	106	65	91
Voluntary	1 132	892	895	835	822	802	840	765	810	725
Total	1 226	1 036	993	922	910	873	963	871	875	816
Total liquidations										
Compulsory	211	366	238	200	211	199	258	262	170	230
Voluntary	2 163	1 698	1 724	1 734	1 657	1 646	1 784	1 773	1 762	1 677
Total	2 374	2 064	1 962	1 934	1 868	1 845	2 042	2 035	1 932	1 907
Total insolvencies										
Individuals and partnerships	3 254	3 252	2 771	2 684	2 667	2 502	3 018	1 857	..	..

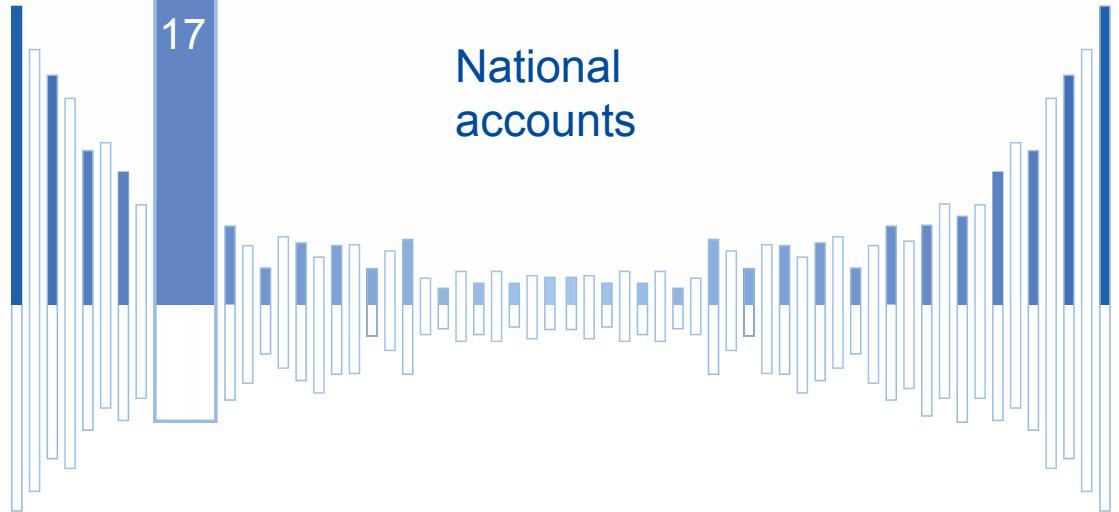
Source: Stats SA, *Statistics of liquidations and insolvencies* (Statistical release P0043)

Liquidations refer to corporate institutions such as companies and close corporations, while insolvencies refer to individuals.



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National accounts

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17.1 Gross domestic product (GDP), 2013-2022 (R million)

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
GDP at constant 2015 market prices	4 302 291	4 363 118	4 420 793	4 450 171	4 501 702	4 571 783	4 583 667	4 310 327	4 513 044	4 599 261
GDP at current market prices	3 868 630	4 133 873	4 420 793	4 759 555	5 078 190	5 363 190	5 625 207	5 567 974	6 208 786	6 628 550

17.2 GDP percentage changes relative to the previous year, 2013-2022

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
GDP at constant 2015 market prices	2,5	1,4	1,3	0,7	1,2	1,6	0,3	-6,0	4,7	1,9

Source: Stats SA, *Gross domestic product: Annual estimates* (Statistical release P0441)

The GDP has been revised from 2018 and the base year has been changed from 2010 to 2015.



17.3 Annualised percentage changes¹ of the seasonally adjusted GDP at constant 2015 market prices, 2013-2022

	First quarter	Second quarter	Third quarter	Fourth quarter
2013	0,8	0,7	0,5	0,5
2014	-0,1	0,4	0,5	0,7
2015	0,7	-0,8	0,5	0,4
2016	0,2	0,1	0,0	0,1
2017	0,5	0,5	0,2	0,4
2018	0,5	-0,2	1,2	0,3
2019	-0,9	0,5	0,1	0,0
2020	0,2	-16,9	13,7	2,7
2021	0,6	1,3	-1,9	1,4
2022	1,5	-0,8	1,8	-1,1

Source: Stats SA, *Gross domestic product: Annual estimates* (Statistical release P0441)

The GDP has been revised from 2018 and the base year has been changed from 2010 to 2015.

¹ The annualised percentage change is the growth rate for a given quarter from the previous quarter and compounded to an annual rate.



17.4 GDP by industry at constant 2015 prices, 2013-2022 (R million)

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Agricultural, forestry and fishing	92 374	102 488	98 760	93 672	111 545	112 095	104 785	123 482	132 672	133 843
Mining and quarrying	220 882	217 524	227 875	220 141	225 420	223 613	222 100	194 863	218 196	202 605
Manufacturing	558 021	554 420	553 392	555 880	554 833	563 250	559 322	493 681	526 711	524 771
Electricity, gas and water supply	120 986	119 530	114 058	109 947	110 275	111 280	107 571	101 365	103 295	100 745
Construction	150 333	152 382	153 831	155 996	147 076	144 861	139 986	115 076	112 718	108 906
Wholesale and retail trade, hotels and restaurants	543 628	549 235	555 536	564 281	556 707	562 325	559 935	492 829	523 439	541 821
Transport, storage and communication	342 841	351 904	360 326	365 766	369 580	380 339	378 211	320 394	336 408	364 246
Finance, real estate and business services	886 386	906 851	921 868	938 154	961 364	994 663	1 016 210	1 025 152	1 050 933	1 087 014
General government services	326 120	336 183	344 540	351 165	356 086	362 957	367 515	371 405	371 538	371 730
Personal services	635 411	645 987	651 572	659 643	668 356	672 452	681 249	669 642	705 466	724 014
Total value added at basic prices	3 876 980	3 936 505	3 981 758	4 014 646	4 061 243	4 127 833	4 136 884	3 907 890	4 081 378	4 159 695
Taxes less subsidies on products	425 311	426 614	439 035	435 525	440 458	443 950	446 783	402 436	431 666	439 566
GDP at market prices	4 302 291	4 363 118	4 420 793	4 450 171	4 501 702	4 571 783	4 583 667	4 310 327	4 513 044	4 599 261

Source: Stats SA, *Gross domestic product: Annual estimates* (Statistical release P0441)

The GDP has been revised from 2018 and the base year has been changed from 2010 to 2015.



17.5 GDP by industry at current prices, 2013-2022 (R million)

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Agricultural, forestry and fishing	74 543	87 876	98 760	114 905	126 640	121 246	109 710	143 788	158 777	187 606
Mining and quarrying	238 283	239 209	227 875	251 631	268 306	287 588	314 590	350 796	474 425	483 254
Manufacturing	478 425	515 937	553 392	594 166	635 419	668 094	697 576	654 550	740 233	813 121
Electricity, gas and water supply	95 570	104 168	114 058	125 723	135 534	143 270	150 939	157 189	171 389	192 762
Construction	137 538	145 436	153 831	160 423	159 730	163 385	165 682	137 624	142 388	146 600
Wholesale and retail trade, hotels and restaurants	492 456	527 520	555 536	594 486	631 789	670 007	701 085	658 259	756 061	807 486
Transport, storage and communication	317 838	338 284	360 326	375 966	397 780	406 015	417 542	373 686	402 825	451 394
Finance, real estate and business services	812 425	861 201	921 868	992 299	1 068 220	1 139 110	1 206 137	1 226 055	1 313 656	1 386 865
General government services	286 076	316 312	344 540	375 698	401 769	428 613	451 551	470 400	486 881	510 683
Personal services	569 207	602 848	651 572	703 544	767 264	802 276	843 354	870 211	948 671	972 938
Total value added at basic prices	3 502 361	3 738 791	3 981 758	4 288 841	4 592 450	4 829 603	5 058 166	5 042 558	5 595 306	5 952 708
Taxes less subsidies on products	366 269	395 082	439 035	470 714	485 740	533 587	567 041	525 416	613 480	675 842
GDP at market prices	3 868 630	4 133 873	4 420 793	4 759 555	5 078 190	5 363 190	5 625 207	5 567 974	6 208 786	6 628 550

Source: Stats SA, *Gross domestic product: Annual estimates* (Statistical release P0441)

The GDP has been revised from 2018 and the base year has been changed from 2010 to 2015.

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Government finances



Government finances

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Source: Stats SA, *Capital expenditure by the public sector* (Statistical release P9101)

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Source: Stats SA, *Financial census of municipalities* (Statistical release P9114)

Figures are for the years ended 30 June.

The questionnaire was changed to the new municipal accounting standard in 2005/2006. Not all municipalities are on the new standard yet.



18.1 Actual capital expenditure by public sector institutions by type of expenditure, 2012-2022 (R billions)

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
New construction works											
National Government	2,67	5,13	5,93	7,13	10,51	7,92	5,71	5,44	4,67	4,47	5,63
Provincial Government	18,45	20,62	21,86	23,77	27,87	24,13	21,60	18,72	14,54	13,40	15,05
Extra-Budgetary Accounts and Funds	11,94	12,71	7,26	12,75	15,98	15,84	14,45	10,36	7,78	5,79	9,25
Municipalities	30,79	32,91	43,96	49,23	53,01	52,02	50,46	52,62	46,38	47,49	47,70
Public corporations	72,23	49,96	44,31	79,66	83,19	80,45	66,80	52,87	41,41	39,21	38,64
Higher education institutions	0,73	0,63	1,74	1,86	3,11	1,61	1,67	1,67	1,62	2,82	2,52
Total	136,83	121,99	125,10	174,44	193,70	182,00	160,70	141,71	116,42	113,18	118,79
Plant, machinery and equipment											
National Government	2,71	2,58	2,58	3,26	2,19	1,90	1,74	3,30	2,86	2,42	2,64
Provincial Government	3,09	2,48	2,62	3,06	2,78	3,54	3,32	3,45	4,51	4,79	4,63
Extra-Budgetary Accounts and Funds	1,71	1,26	9,33	2,85	2,05	2,22	1,94	2,18	1,73	1,80	2,80
Municipalities	3,32	5,03	3,37	3,60	5,38	5,03	4,39	4,95	3,91	3,87	3,53
Public corporations	25,45	54,20	74,87	46,87	40,51	37,14	37,31	29,08	27,97	25,74	26,19
Higher education institutions	1,49	1,65	1,91	2,49	2,08	2,05	1,85	2,21	1,78	2,34	2,30
Total	37,80	67,23	94,71	62,14	55,02	51,90	50,59	45,21	42,79	40,96	42,09
Transport equipment¹											
National Government	2,27	2,44	2,24	1,65	2,01	1,80	2,33	2,34	1,91	2,06	1,99
Provincial Government	1,38	1,32	1,35	1,70	1,23	0,84	1,13	0,80	1,16	1,70	1,17
Extra-Budgetary Accounts and Funds	0,60	0,63	0,79	0,94	0,81	0,80	1,03	0,91	0,80	1,22	0,73
Municipalities	1,12	1,89	1,39	1,26	1,47	1,24	1,71	2,16	2,67	2,19	1,62
Public corporations	1,16	1,31	3,33	0,75	2,16	1,62	0,98	1,53	0,78	0,14	0,18
Higher education institutions	0,03	0,09	0,08	0,06	0,07	0,08	0,08	0,12	0,05	0,07	0,12
Total	6,60	7,71	9,20	6,38	7,77	6,39	7,29	7,89	7,40	7,38	5,81

¹ These values formed part of plant, machinery and equipment until 2005. Since 2006 these values are recorded separately.

18.1 Actual capital expenditure by public sector institutions by type of expenditure, 2012-2022 (R billions) (cont.)

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Land and existing buildings											
National Government	3,81	3,80	3,00	4,16	2,99	2,92	3,69	3,69	2,55	2,35	3,40
Provincial Government	4,31	3,99	4,03	2,26	2,99	4,02	7,52	8,76	9,87	10,72	11,02
Extra-Budgetary Accounts and Funds	0,98	2,38	1,66	4,57	5,75	5,52	4,71	4,61	3,85	3,19	3,48
Municipalities	3,05	2,06	1,71	1,44	2,13	1,24	1,19	0,84	1,44	2,68	2,20
Public corporations	1,16	4,92	2,69	0,58	0,36	2,06	2,03	1,75	0,83	1,43	0,83
Higher education institutions	2,22	2,17	1,70	1,29	1,50	2,28	2,06	2,65	1,95	2,12	2,50
Total	15,54	19,35	14,80	14,32	15,75	18,06	21,23	22,33	20,51	22,49	23,43
Other fixed assets											
National Government	0,47	0,06	0,21	0,18	0,14	0,76	0,56	0,47	0,50	0,48	0,38
Provincial Government	0,11	0,21	0,11	0,20	0,31	0,22	0,22	0,19	0,30	0,33	0,35
Extra-Budgetary Accounts and Funds	0,58	0,97	1,06	0,96	1,31	2,00	1,13	0,97	2,66	1,69	2,91
Municipalities	0,49	1,16	0,58	0,61	1,53	1,45	1,28	1,15	1,36	1,34	0,99
Public corporations	2,70	4,92	4,00	3,88	4,04	5,21	2,96	3,32	3,12	2,15	1,97
Higher education institutions	0,33	0,35	0,11	0,10	0,05	0,02	0,16	0,15	0,13	0,19	0,35
Total	4,70	7,70	6,10	5,95	7,40	9,68	6,33	6,28	8,09	6,18	6,95



18.1 Actual capital expenditure by public sector institutions by type of expenditure, 2012-2022 (R billions) (concl.)

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Leased assets and investment property²											
National Government	0,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	0,49	0,70	1,06	0,99	0,96	0,96	1,00
Provincial Government	0,00	0,00	0,01	0,00	1,24	1,26	1,14	1,24	1,56	1,44	1,52
Extra-Budgetary Accounts and Funds	0,11	0,22	1,21	0,42	0,82	0,43	0,80	1,04	2,17	1,61	1,45
Municipalities	1,09	0,33	0,61	0,66	0,64	1,08	0,17	0,60	0,44	0,47	0,33
Public corporations	0,15	0,20	0,62	0,82	0,39	0,40	0,43	1,15	2,70	3,88	6,60
Higher education institutions	0,00	0,04	0,01	0,01	0,04	0,01	0,00	1,70	1,26	1,27	1,10
Total	1,35	0,79	2,46	1,91	3,62	3,88	3,60	6,72	9,09	9,63	12,00
Total											
National Government	11,95	14,04	13,98	16,41	18,35	16,02	15,11	16,26	13,48	12,74	15,04
Provincial Government	27,36	28,63	29,99	31,00	36,42	34,02	34,95	33,18	31,96	32,38	33,73
Extra-Budgetary Accounts and Funds	15,94	18,20	21,34	22,51	26,73	26,82	24,08	20,09	19,01	15,30	20,61
Municipalities	39,89	43,40	51,65	56,82	64,19	62,08	59,21	62,34	56,21	58,03	56,38
Public corporations	102,86	115,54	129,85	132,58	130,67	126,90	110,54	89,73	76,82	72,55	74,40
Higher education institutions	4,83	4,95	5,57	5,83	6,87	6,07	5,84	8,52	6,82	8,81	8,91
Total	202,84	224,79	252,39	265,18	283,27	271,94	249,75	230,15	204,32	199,81	209,07

²This item was added as a new variable as from 2008.

**18.2 Expenditure incurred by municipalities, by province, 2015-2022 updated (R thousands)**

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Western Cape								
Employee related costs	12 370 625	13 952 463	14 678 081	16 438 809	18 363 370	19 247 944	22 185 881	22 540 248
Remuneration of councillors	343 737	360 384	382 679	417 414	434 656	526 251	449 977	455 179
Interest paid	1 178 870	1 205 585	1 207 447	1 302 738	1 306 718	1 396 285	1 431 367	1 411 594
Bad debts	2 136 579	2 789 662	2 350 523	2 459 031	2 442 684	3 655 534	4 085 550	4 010 291
Contracted services	4 332 014	4 801 804	5 895 632	3 755 709	4 066 888	4 290 806	7 169 315	7 789 495
Repairs and maintenance	722 074	678 989	459 036	328 616	118 649	63 732	0	0
Purchases of water	596 459	625 255	521 076	360 477	494 985	693 361	586 210	457 230
Purchases of electricity	9 870 756	11 293 642	12 013 568	11 809 145	12 532 000	14 184 055	14 899 220	17 677 179
Eastern Cape								
Employee related costs	7 458 518	8 308 783	9 669 033	10 219 334	11 142 651	11 706 602	13 187 199	13 017 169
Remuneration of councillors	528 613	571 328	565 439	630 292	648 227	672 004	674 363	673 177
Interest paid	444 157	417 034	399 189	386 859	387 053	393 292	389 672	439 212
Bad debts	1 856 968	2 126 014	1 874 731	2 330 915	2 761 687	3 629 084	4 466 613	6 365 236
Contracted services	569 998	795 900	1 872 399	2 255 867	2 659 796	2 176 931	2 588 920	2 709 079
Repairs and maintenance	1 236 024	1 267 490	701 065	552 024	508 960	623 522	0	0
Purchases of water	431 555	489 226	517 486	549 989	594 326	624 560	308 210	331 062
Purchases of electricity	4 492 602	5 214 321	5 581 433	5 592 049	5 962 225	6 514 716	7 040 601	8 332 577



18.2 Expenditure incurred by municipalities, by province, 2015-2022 updated (R thousands) (cont.)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Northern Cape								
Employee related costs	1 833 159	2 121 402	2 167 910	2 419 402	2 560 583	2 642 902	2 893 556	2 979 613
Remuneration of councillors	127 909	135 121	142 653	163 144	170 465	174 521	173 723	195 926
Interest paid	110 058	143 021	192 285	222 661	302 400	291 649	232 973	296 432
Bad debts	859 599	801 059	447 463	212 249	379 805	319 571	801 013	390 325
Contracted services	125 900	164 523	236 229	329 495	275 947	167 546	615 222	741 996
Repairs and maintenance	278 398	263 412	219 720	252 728	229 332	206 090	0	0
Purchases of water	169 833	228 583	239 692	244 956	283 506	310 364	247 743	263 166
Purchases of electricity	1 019 343	1 196 687	1 242 804	1 283 780	1 380 377	1 543 539	1 646 234	1 926 461
Free State								
Employee related costs	3 899 325	4 415 059	4 759 952	5 183 276	5 627 791	5 887 408	6 297 541	6 547 479
Remuneration of councillors	245 670	259 503	258 268	277 709	297 908	306 950	308 203	313 505
Interest paid	462 491	509 550	755 093	689 398	1 317 786	1 400 891	671 364	878 675
Bad debts	1 550 037	2 220 686	2 258 690	2 143 849	2 836 171	3 159 150	2 930 186	4 373 718
Contracted services	696 605	827 707	1 449 401	1 434 313	1 317 565	1 287 045	1 498 559	1 384 387
Repairs and maintenance	1 040 901	895 845	342 817	329 907	232 243	292 123	0	0
Purchases of water	1 116 048	1 150 024	1 231 124	1 307 721	1 773 638	1 381 667	1 614 915	1 641 394
Purchases of electricity	2 932 992	3 308 634	3 616 583	3 044 053	3 224 587	3 646 982	4 661 997	5 335 774



18.2 Expenditure incurred by municipalities, by province, 2015-2022 updated (R thousands) (cont.)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
KwaZulu-Natal								
Employee related costs	12 829 751	14 662 263	15 815 270	17 875 136	19 137 827	20 491 347	22 508 698	21 926 351
Remuneration of councillors	602 382	648 965	657 339	748 349	774 168	807 779	811 099	818 218
Interest paid	1 340 753	1 299 077	1 229 404	1 207 296	1 177 781	1 260 203	1 189 937	1 233 994
Bad debts	3 026 615	2 677 788	3 061 533	3 015 891	2 667 163	5 076 344	5 229 236	5 403 238
Contracted services	2 314 124	3 060 184	7 064 852	8 398 507	8 180 269	8 491 562	8 790 550	9 633 461
Repairs and maintenance	3 631 587	3 359 491	720 959	416 707	391 196	295 433	0	0
Purchases of water	2 636 624	2 691 167	2 813 602	3 334 457	4 113 907	5 232 157	4 953 042	4 548 644
Purchases of electricity	10 740 263	12 145 925	13 205 595	12 899 987	13 725 948	15 041 688	16 416 407	18 794 533
North West								
Employee related costs	3 452 310	3 743 332	3 919 664	4 199 527	4 679 802	5 047 441	5 359 612	5 464 022
Remuneration of councillors	294 937	299 303	299 256	350 765	384 359	897 874	408 510	405 464
Interest paid	337 904	319 776	442 511	310 936	323 714	396 169	360 783	452 343
Bad debts	1 409 664	1 757 111	1 879 306	1 772 594	2 444 659	3 079 360	2 436 822	2 579 290
Contracted services	809 642	858 438	1 022 919	1 145 635	1 430 584	1 329 242	1 546 017	1 960 222
Repairs and maintenance	560 842	542 663	574 434	602 767	560 179	572 373	0	0
Purchases of water	808 631	1 060 252	1 000 413	1 284 729	1 583 012	1 510 533	1 358 079	1 449 613
Purchases of electricity	2 776 705	3 145 247	3 481 629	3 223 362	4 289 669	3 905 081	4 517 364	5 846 395



18.2 Expenditure incurred by municipalities, by province, 2015-2022 updated (R thousands) (cont.)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Gauteng								
Employee related costs	23 706 931	26 098 266	28 061 854	29 840 405	33 912 179	39 396 256	40 628 365	41 374 503
Remuneration of councillors	488 147	517 581	539 330	597 624	628 167	625 147	631 757	626 395
Interest paid	3 344 127	4 111 577	5 000 842	5 540 882	5 500 643	5 688 608	5 927 579	7 908 477
Bad debts	8 701 952	6 011 832	9 798 171	8 749 324	12 881 904	16 990 177	14 737 511	16 287 706
Contracted services	7 068 960	7 354 005	4 788 477	5 242 342	6 905 143	7 479 239	8 404 163	8 854 433
Repairs and maintenance	4 156 586	5 264 249	4 567 864	4 897 430	4 591 019	4 127 173	0	0
Purchases of water	8 439 063	9 520 735	10 041 973	11 609 718	13 784 474	14 594 343	14 649 416	15 347 455
Purchases of electricity	25 663 630	28 478 711	30 777 108	30 644 566	32 327 629	36 401 946	38 698 515	45 056 970
Mpumalanga								
Employee related costs	3 787 547	4 247 192	4 568 822	5 266 099	5 777 771	6 314 971	6 923 078	7 214 249
Remuneration of councillors	295 355	304 718	314 033	349 159	369 083	391 553	386 720	388 411
Interest paid	367 490	408 102	418 227	566 859	1 029 872	1 060 941	672 668	1 043 030
Bad debts	1 205 335	1 731 725	1 121 180	1 787 047	2 025 134	2 423 948	3 521 320	3 137 207
Contracted services	884 274	941 812	1 906 965	1 804 144	2 227 798	2 289 923	2 705 904	2 930 998
Repairs and maintenance	674 386	774 706	275 868	113 274	58 291	36 649	0	0
Purchases of water	692 820	921 540	843 711	973 275	1 220 176	861 676	863 695	766 773
Purchases of electricity	2 929 563	3 307 350	3 557 346	3 599 777	4 010 297	4 365 107	4 805 740	5 627 064


18.2 Expenditure incurred by municipalities, by province, 2015-2022 updated (R thousands) (concl.)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Limpopo								
Employee related costs	4 061 552	4 453 245	4 625 065	5 165 129	5 678 959	6 176 331	6 567 714	6 705 578
Remuneration of councillors	379 366	407 862	423 217	471 593	501 604	512 507	513 431	511 004
Interest paid	130 655	156 698	161 842	239 164	297 474	412 163	287 019	288 244
Bad debts	987 309	932 351	862 784	1 517 803	1 120 586	1 036 850	2 193 751	1 569 345
Contracted services	312 781	366 432	1 718 846	2 225 752	2 380 121	2 386 597	3 222 144	3 454 240
Repairs and maintenance	730 830	861 497	626 263	520 698	528 998	452 559	0	0
Purchases of water	536 073	721 260	727 005	715 869	715 604	751 642	396 504	434 594
Purchases of electricity	1 703 437	1 963 591	2 091 782	2 106 593	2 277 920	2 425 407	2 568 767	2 932 696
South Africa								
Employee related costs	73 399 718	82 002 005	88 265 651	96 607 117	106 880 933	116 911 202	126 551 644	127 769 212
Remuneration of councillors	3 306 116	3 504 765	3 582 214	4 006 049	4 208 637	4 914 586	4 357 783	4 387 279
Interest paid	7 716 505	8 570 420	9 806 840	10 466 793	11 643 441	12 300 201	11 163 362	13 952 001
Bad debts	21 734 058	21 048 228	23 654 381	23 988 703	29 559 793	39 370 018	40 402 002	44 116 356
Contracted services	17 114 298	19 170 805	25 955 720	26 591 764	29 444 111	29 898 891	36 540 794	39 458 311
Repairs and maintenance	13 031 628	13 908 342	8 488 026	8 014 151	7 218 867	6 669 654	0	0
Purchases of water	15 427 106	17 408 042	17 936 082	20 381 191	24 563 628	25 960 303	24 977 814	25 239 931
Purchases of electricity	62 129 291	70 054 108	75 567 848	74 203 312	79 730 652	88 028 521	95 254 845	111 529 649

 Source: Stats SA, *Financial census of municipalities* (Statistical release P9114)

Figures are for the years ended 30 June.



18.3 Revenue generated by municipalities, by province, 2015-2022 updated (R thousands)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Western Cape								
Property rates received	9 339 929	10 281 532	11 823 446	11 235 812	13 747 738	14 260 404	13 214 808	13 888 360
Sales of water	3 864 330	4 428 661	4 026 442	4 569 536	4 824 848	4 832 041	4 786 807	5 361 275
Sales of electricity	14 587 526	16 377 674	17 325 581	17 469 293	19 066 723	20 918 191	21 161 491	24 171 301
Refuse removal charges	1 488 516	1 677 563	1 764 644	1 956 248	2 137 660	2 296 708	1 963 199	2 071 106
Sewerage and sanitation charges	2 051 542	2 335 651	2 449 223	2 438 592	2 594 440	2 635 033	2 625 392	2 948 045
Interest received	1 131 149	1 349 459	1 629 504	1 818 307	2 136 405	2 319 478	1 813 360	1 886 575
Fines	1 553 240	1 864 454	2 109 799	2 479 511	2 378 058	2 057 232	2 314 956	2 791 241
Licences and permits	95 890	94 404	98 603	99 130	107 472	84 723	90 891	94 957
Grants and subsidies received	9 218 187	9 517 339	9 427 285	10 097 620	10 861 783	11 348 047	12 108 968	12 452 552
Eastern Cape								
Property rates received	3 058 905	3 428 763	3 561 937	4 117 739	4 705 565	5 326 358	5 634 872	6 090 503
Sales of water	1 623 586	2 038 893	2 021 197	2 334 318	2 578 601	3 069 469	4 022 738	5 466 984
Sales of electricity	5 888 197	6 604 195	6 754 786	6 688 059	7 133 956	7 332 317	7 788 781	8 461 478
Refuse removal charges	632 937	696 028	627 322	713 156	839 707	959 364	993 876	1 086 511
Sewerage and sanitation charges	890 521	959 715	951 873	1 077 023	1 238 388	1 395 316	1 533 433	1 619 539
Interest received	829 102	965 735	1 065 090	1 116 151	1 379 648	1 499 553	1 308 734	1 689 914
Fines	76 700	271 742	345 179	328 412	349 442	317 135	135 257	205 223
Licences and permits	92 280	93 678	108 267	113 670	111 189	88 724	101 493	99 097
Grants and subsidies received	14 069 337	14 859 909	15 354 981	16 700 698	17 333 977	17 239 255	19 030 273	17 458 359


18.3 Revenue generated by municipalities, by province, 2015-2022 updated (R thousands) (cont.)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Northern Cape								
Property rates received	1 202 064	1 300 985	1 362 209	1 037 107	1 166 062	1 334 034	1 301 854	1 397 990
Sales of water	550 541	586 171	597 302	561 651	641 721	667 213	688 050	710 485
Sales of electricity	1 439 553	1 605 998	1 587 715	1 600 212	1 669 264	1 908 699	1 889 896	2 094 023
Refuse removal charges	190 557	209 284	220 975	204 089	250 881	290 685	247 011	266 552
Sewerage and sanitation charges	229 626	256 887	291 025	261 905	288 911	305 046	288 692	331 954
Interest received	194 480	251 689	304 411	335 535	360 169	369 978	341 891	438 503
Fines	109 853	64 057	86 730	102 416	124 697	96 678	62 882	55 845
Licences and permits	21 058	15 327	21 617	25 364	19 295	20 562	21 941	27 194
Grants and subsidies received	2 331 373	2 443 147	2 366 464	2 781 471	3 038 784	3 082 251	3 433 448	3 418 472
Free State								
Property rates received	1 713 425	1 914 951	2 132 484	2 396 513	2 488 989	2 749 103	2 662 704	2 815 748
Sales of water	1 711 567	1 764 681	1 966 997	1 995 871	2 194 740	2 351 872	2 470 208	2 628 139
Sales of electricity	3 757 606	3 861 686	4 157 017	4 213 222	4 365 495	4 780 109	4 868 640	5 166 630
Refuse removal charges	409 535	433 590	482 510	541 045	554 219	603 756	600 204	630 294
Sewerage and sanitation charges	610 587	661 161	722 850	828 237	873 153	928 448	1 017 515	1 128 906
Interest received	608 523	670 358	826 469	808 791	962 941	1 006 552	954 272	1 255 981
Fines	155 736	134 804	125 081	94 091	126 295	49 405	48 700	35 970
Licences and permits	512	1 097	335	385	312	402	327	323
Grants and subsidies received	5 755 333	5 885 442	5 991 068	5 926 594	6 383 518	6 198 579	7 736 473	7 352 817



18.3 Revenue generated by municipalities, by province, 2015-2022 updated (R thousands) (cont.)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
KwaZulu-Natal								
Property rates received	9 053 924	9 903 171	10 442 235	11 957 104	13 321 459	14 159 614	14 369 570	14 862 899
Sales of water	4 141 637	4 350 812	4 731 073	5 265 636	6 110 351	6 987 122	8 261 353	8 282 897
Sales of electricity	15 414 291	17 051 923	18 171 304	18 321 509	18 783 457	20 065 808	20 593 613	22 693 420
Refuse removal charges	982 064	1 049 592	1 075 446	1 231 763	1 347 325	1 373 921	1 445 898	1 536 584
Sewerage and sanitation charges	1 325 494	1 344 601	1 278 509	1 513 514	1 514 804	1 595 706	1 712 102	1 987 788
Interest received	1 131 594	1 477 546	1 586 997	1 837 332	1 859 263	1 803 357	1 086 616	1 451 952
Fines	630 057	949 055	712 523	625 894	393 882	363 232	360 189	269 841
Licences and permits	127 496	132 968	137 520	144 308	149 921	118 152	107 920	127 394
Grants and subsidies received	17 937 314	20 372 413	19 613 583	20 200 022	20 777 639	22 448 335	25 565 784	24 892 364
North West								
Property rates received	1 485 152	1 636 600	1 693 006	1 868 292	2 021 556	2 285 467	2 289 007	2 349 857
Sales of water	1 259 949	1 326 103	1 552 122	1 617 783	1 873 109	2 024 708	1 961 575	2 026 928
Sales of electricity	3 465 487	3 927 282	4 277 410	4 378 562	4 618 522	4 548 129	5 107 685	6 173 429
Refuse removal charges	393 366	454 572	484 473	497 128	512 655	575 939	579 708	639 344
Sewerage and sanitation charges	352 107	420 918	482 831	487 564	531 605	534 443	602 826	647 877
Interest received	587 994	713 547	685 665	791 471	1 230 722	1 488 935	1 314 113	1 608 157
Fines	190 799	256 279	167 825	181 918	234 338	97 462	68 230	61 118
Licences and permits	62 769	61 012	54 057	59 098	71 041	43 118	51 509	71 007
Grants and subsidies received	6 301 549	6 806 678	7 017 747	7 677 135	8 254 023	8 492 680	10 202 376	9 526 646

18.3 Revenue generated by municipalities, by province, 2015-2022 updated (R thousands) (cont.)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Gauteng								
Property rates received	19 140 785	20 450 032	20 016 776	23 474 994	27 468 049	28 357 011	30 068 635	32 710 503
Sales of water	11 492 619	13 384 387	13 627 190	15 473 339	18 206 251	19 017 587	19 381 856	21 247 571
Sales of electricity	35 936 261	39 512 164	42 513 487	40 859 695	43 662 870	46 718 120	48 417 607	53 361 372
Refuse removal charges	3 573 871	3 798 343	4 330 141	4 581 571	5 109 414	4 987 527	5 280 446	5 973 142
Sewerage and sanitation charges	4 661 770	5 207 104	5 773 720	6 542 099	7 595 1370	8 821 774	9 060 555	10 216 750
Interest received	2 020 854	2 610 929	2 530 047	2 835 371	3 319 401	2 914 916	2 248 790	2 630 831
Fines	1 363 661	1 218 743	1 015 298	1 335 003	2 031 746	2 493 760	2 682 474	1 147 742
Licences and permits	172 947	174 745	118 836	128 811	112 273	85 261	112 477	92 212
Grants and subsidies received	23 004 805	24 633 734	25 413 037	26 827 296	28 576 798	29 354 259	33 212 988	32 041 303
Mpumalanga								
Property rates received	2 126 643	2 278 798	2 424 889	2 671 305	3 051 016	3 128 897	3 410 385	3 628 021
Sales of water	1 038 460	1 219 056	1 318 798	1 447 727	1 537 734	1 722 897	1 811 463	1 891 357
Sales of electricity	3 177 169	3 540 785	3 752 217	3 800 903	4 069 987	4 348 414	4 599 906	4 955 470
Refuse removal charges	449 746	466 953	502 982	533 694	598 078	629 928	694 180	726 409
Sewerage and sanitation charges	402 664	421 527	452 896	527 266	504 347	555 127	584 389	598 300
Interest received	406 790	652 670	777 215	933 816	1 159 538	1 230 025	1 097 571	1 129 269
Fines	165 227	198 810	149 204	171 277	477 222	333 884	282 032	401 142
Licences and permits	40 522	38 694	27 441	26 401	32 913	31 935	25 034	26 821
Grants and subsidies received	6 446 707	7 363 420	7 556 471	7 949 536	8 527 272	9 054 885	10 538 022	10 324 521

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18.3 Revenue generated by municipalities, by province, 2015-2022 updated (R thousands) (concl.)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Limpopo								
Property rates received	1 047 051	1 138 825	1 264 451	1 450 976	1 667 706	1 970 269	1 903 764	2 074 263
Sales of water	664 727	807 504	751 495	911 721	975 318	1 149 715	1 078 093	1 420 346
Sales of electricity	2 135 122	2 437 873	2 513 487	2 642 482	2 767 320	3 132 098	3 199 122	3 586 861
Refuse removal charges	252 745	270 718	277 655	314 807	308 369	325 638	366 293	389 870
Sewerage and sanitation charges	153 073	176 852	172 701	217 997	252 508	296 800	539 040	395 999
Interest received	494 545	651 393	613 910	660 534	643 992	740 745	720 360	804 887
Fines	114 075	117 124	159 209	208 912	155 009	117 802	315 460	291 954
Licences and permits	96 513	95 581	118 458	106 668	86 945	74 900	83 580	117 537
Grants and subsidies received	9 451 528	11 246 766	11 487 517	12 657 869	13 533 594	14 241 384	16 802 714	15 356 482
South Africa								
Property rates received	48 167 878	52 333 657	54 721 433	60 209 842	69 638 140	73 571 157	74 855 599	79 818 144
Sales of water	26 347 416	29 906 268	30 592 616	34 177 582	38 942 673	41 822 624	44 462 143	49 035 982
Sales of electricity	85 801 212	94 919 580	101 053 004	99 973 937	106 137 594	113 751 885	117 626 741	130 663 984
Refuse removal charges	8 373 337	9 056 643	9 766 148	10 573 501	11 658 308	12 043 466	12 170 815	13 319 812
Sewerage and sanitation charges	10 677 384	11 784 416	12 575 628	13 894 197	15 393 293	17 067 693	17 963 944	19 875 158
Interest received	7 405 031	9 343 326	10 019 308	11 137 308	13 052 079	13 373 539	10 885 707	12 896 069
Fines	4 359 348	5 075 068	4 870 848	5 527 434	6 270 689	5 926 590	6 270 180	5 260 076
Licences and permits	709 987	707 506	685 134	703 835	691 361	547 777	595 172	656 542
Grants and subsidies received	94 516 133	103 128 848	104 228 153	110 818 241	117 287 388	121 459 675	138 631 046	132 823 516

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