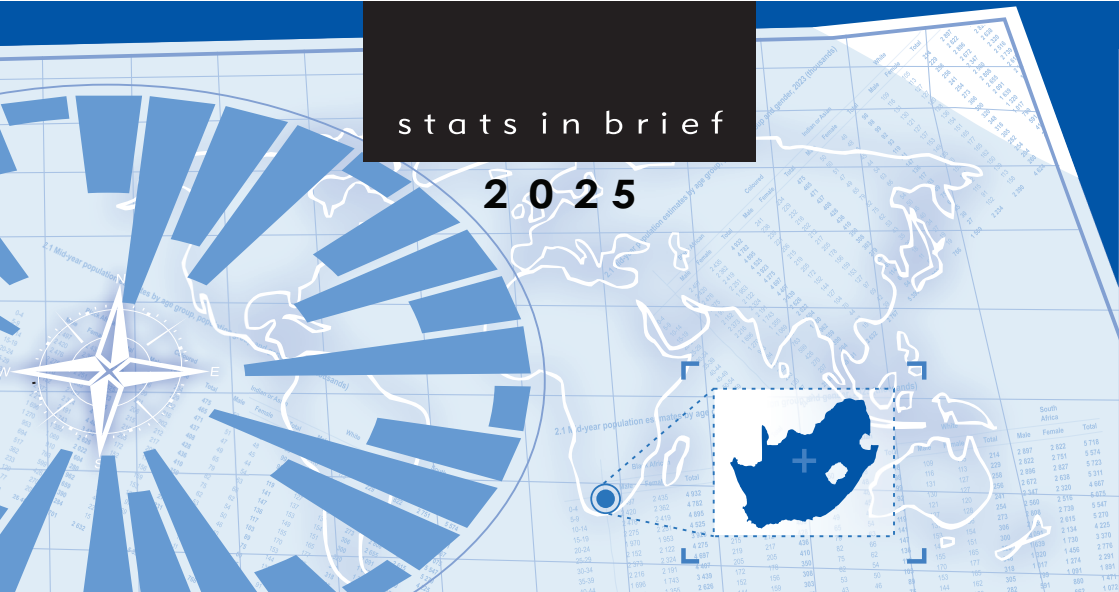


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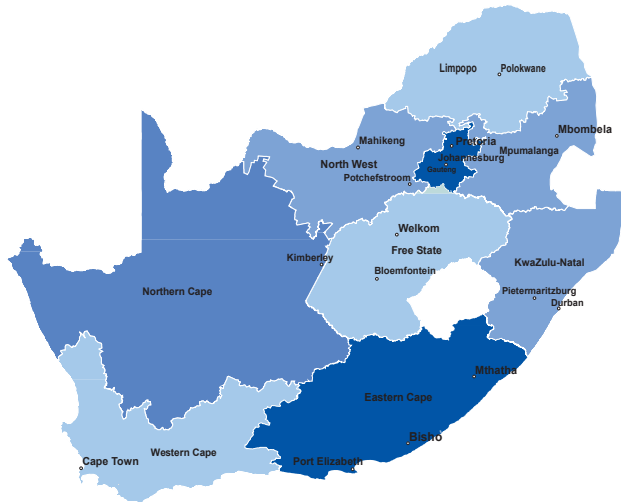
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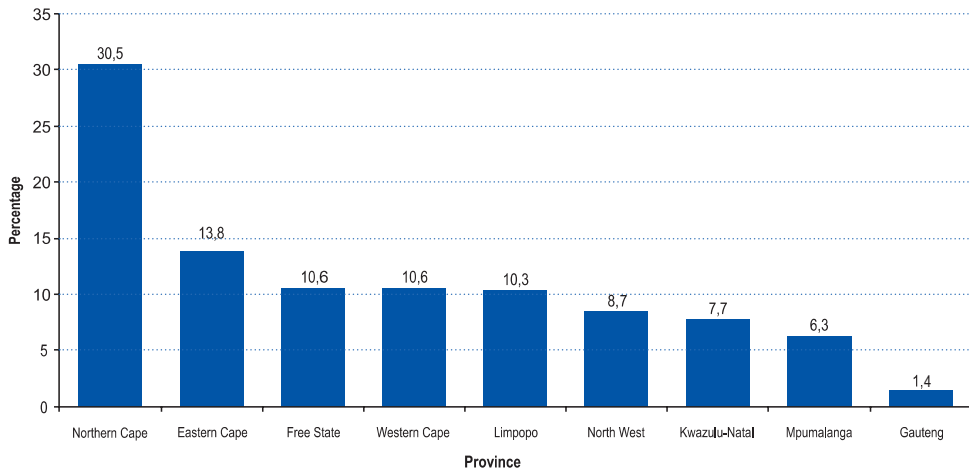
1.1 Area per province in square kilometres

Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
129 462	168 966	372 889	129 825	94 361	104 882	18 178	76 495	125 755	1 220 813

Source: Stats SA, Geography Division

The land area per province has changed due to provincial boundary changes in certain provinces.

1.2 Area by province in South Africa (percentages)



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2.1 Mid-year population estimates by population group, age group and gender, 2025 (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	2 452	2 395	4 847	216	209	425	41	40	81	81	79	160	2 790	2 723	5 513
5-9	2 380	2 325	4 705	206	200	406	46	44	90	98	96	194	2 730	2 665	5 396
10-14	2 438	2 394	4 833	219	213	433	51	49	100	122	119	242	2 831	2 776	5 607
15-19	2 360	2 336	4 696	228	223	451	50	47	97	129	127	257	2 767	2 733	5 500
20-24	2 037	2 027	4 064	204	200	405	52	45	98	113	113	227	2 407	2 386	4 793
25-29	2 107	2 087	4 194	211	207	418	66	53	120	117	118	235	2 501	2 465	4 966
30-34	2 337	2 336	4 673	217	213	429	81	65	146	128	128	256	2 762	2 742	5 504
35-39	2 393	2 374	4 767	213	209	421	85	71	156	145	144	289	2 836	2 798	5 634
40-44	1 910	1 885	3 795	185	188	372	84	71	155	152	152	303	2 330	2 296	4 626
45-49	1 398	1 396	2 793	153	152	305	69	60	130	148	154	301	1 768	1 762	3 530
50-54	1 074	1 132	2 205	147	153	300	60	56	116	170	178	347	1 450	1 518	2 968
55-59	762	977	1 739	133	156	289	49	50	99	160	171	332	1 105	1 355	2 459
60-64	611	886	1 497	112	136	248	39	45	84	145	161	306	908	1 227	2 135
65-69	444	710	1 154	79	106	185	29	37	67	137	156	293	690	1 009	1 699
70-74	295	522	818	49	77	126	21	30	51	118	141	259	483	770	1 253
75-79	156	332	488	26	48	74	13	22	34	97	121	217	290	522	813
80+	87	248	335	16	42	59	9	22	31	110	169	280	223	482	705
Total	25 242	26 363	51 604	2 613	2 731	5 344	847	808	1 655	2 171	2 327	4 497	30 872	32 229	63 101

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

2.2 Provincial mid-year population estimates by age group and gender, 2025 (thousands)

	Western Cape			Eastern Cape			Northern Cape			Free State			KwaZulu-Natal		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
0-4	272	262	534	353	348	701	67	66	132	135	134	269	601	585	1 186
5-9	272	261	533	354	350	703	64	63	127	130	130	260	580	565	1 145
10-14	296	286	582	371	368	739	64	64	127	136	138	275	597	584	1 181
15-19	306	296	601	345	346	691	61	60	121	138	144	283	574	569	1 142
20-24	289	273	562	251	271	521	54	52	106	117	125	241	481	489	970
25-29	315	293	608	228	253	481	54	51	106	113	121	233	493	509	1 002
30-34	342	326	668	252	284	536	58	54	112	120	129	249	530	550	1 080
35-39	361	349	710	242	270	512	58	55	113	123	132	255	521	531	1 052
40-44	314	303	617	195	211	406	49	44	93	99	108	207	400	422	822
45-49	246	237	483	154	173	327	38	34	72	76	86	162	284	319	603
50-54	213	209	422	130	165	295	31	31	63	64	78	143	230	278	509
55-59	172	195	368	103	159	262	25	29	54	52	73	125	166	246	412
60-64	140	172	312	90	158	247	20	26	46	44	66	110	138	231	369
65-69	105	139	244	75	143	218	16	22	38	34	54	88	104	188	291
70-74	74	101	175	57	110	167	11	18	30	24	43	67	75	143	217
70-79	48	71	119	38	79	117	7	13	20	13	28	41	45	101	146
80+	37	51	88	57	112	169	5	15	20	8	25	33	31	73	104
Total	3 803	3 825	7 628	3 294	3 797	7 091	682	697	1 379	1 427	1 613	3 040	5 852	6 381	12 232

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, 2025 (thousands) (concl.)

	North West			Gauteng			Mpumalanga			Limpopo			South Africa		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
0-4	190	185	376	597	582	1 179	231	226	458	344	335	679	2 790	2 723	5 513
5-9	182	177	359	590	573	1 164	219	216	436	339	330	669	2 730	2 665	5 396
10-14	191	187	378	606	591	1 197	228	226	453	341	332	674	2 831	2 776	5 607
15-19	190	186	376	614	603	1 216	228	227	456	313	302	615	2 767	2 733	5 500
20-24	168	159	327	607	582	1 189	195	194	389	246	241	487	2 407	2 386	4 793
25-29	173	154	328	682	647	1 328	213	210	423	229	229	458	2 501	2 465	4 966
30-34	192	169	361	784	756	1 540	232	222	454	252	253	505	2 762	2 742	5 504
35-39	197	173	369	850	824	1 673	240	223	463	244	242	486	2 836	2 798	5 634
40-44	163	138	302	712	697	1 408	201	180	381	197	192	390	2 330	2 296	4 626
45-49	127	109	237	553	499	1 052	144	139	283	145	166	311	1 768	1 762	3 530
50-54	102	97	199	453	391	845	111	120	231	114	149	263	1 450	1 518	2 968
55-59	81	84	165	338	334	672	82	104	186	86	129	215	1 105	1 355	2 459
60-64	68	74	141	273	290	564	67	90	157	68	121	189	908	1 227	2 135
65-69	50	59	110	208	236	444	48	68	117	50	100	150	690	1 009	1 699
70-74	30	45	75	142	174	316	34	54	88	36	83	119	483	770	1 253
70-79	16	30	46	83	113	196	19	33	52	21	55	76	290	522	813
80+	7	30	37	44	77	121	16	36	51	19	63	81	223	482	705
Total	2 127	2 057	4 184	8 136	7 968	16 105	2 507	2 569	5 076	3 045	3 322	6 366	30 872	32 229	63 101

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, 2025 (thousands)

	Male		Female		Total	
	Thousands	% of total population	Thousands	% of total population	Thousands	% of total population
Black African	25 242	81,8	26 363	81,8	51 604	81,8
Coloured	2 613	8,5	2 731	8,5	5 344	8,5
Indian or Asian	847	2,7	808	2,5	1 655	2,6
White	2 171	7,0	2 327	7,2	4 497	7,1
Total	30 872	100,0	32 229	100,0	63 101	100,0

2.4 Percentage distributions of the projected provincial share of the total population, 2015-2025

Province	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Western Cape	11,6	11,7	11,7	11,8	11,8	11,9	11,9	12,0	12,0	12,0	12,1
Eastern Cape	12,5	12,4	12,3	12,1	12,0	11,9	11,7	11,6	11,5	11,4	11,2
Northern Cape	2,2	2,2	2,2	2,2	2,2	2,2	2,2	2,2	2,2	2,2	2,2
Free State	5,2	5,1	5,1	5,1	5,0	5,0	4,9	4,9	4,9	4,8	4,8
KwaZulu-Natal	19,8	19,8	19,7	19,6	19,6	19,5	19,5	19,5	19,4	19,4	19,4
North West	6,5	6,5	6,5	6,6	6,6	6,6	6,6	6,6	6,6	6,6	6,6
Gauteng	23,8	24,0	24,2	24,4	24,6	24,8	24,9	25,1	25,2	25,4	25,5
Mpumalanga	7,9	7,9	7,9	8,0	8,0	8,0	8,0	8,0	8,0	8,0	8,0
Limpopo	10,4	10,4	10,3	10,3	10,3	10,2	10,2	10,2	10,1	10,1	10,1
South Africa	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)

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

2.5 Estimated annual population growth rates by population group and gender, 2015-2025

		2015- 2016	2016- 2017	2017- 2018	2018- 2019	2019- 2020	2020- 2021	2021- 2022	2022- 2023	2023- 2024	2024- 2025
Black African	Male	1,69	1,69	1,77	1,77	1,63	1,11	1,26	1,39	1,47	1,50
	Female	1,52	1,51	1,59	1,61	1,52	1,03	1,18	1,32	1,36	1,38
	Total	1,60	1,60	1,67	1,69	1,57	1,07	1,22	1,35	1,42	1,44
Coloured	Male	0,95	0,95	1,05	1,08	1,05	0,76	0,94	1,03	1,03	1,02
	Female	0,89	0,89	0,98	1,02	1,00	0,75	0,85	0,95	0,94	0,92
	Total	0,92	0,92	1,01	1,05	1,03	0,75	0,89	0,99	0,99	0,96
Indian or Asian	Male	1,62	1,61	1,64	1,62	1,29	0,40	0,73	0,96	1,14	1,31
	Female	1,32	1,32	1,37	1,38	1,04	0,42	0,58	0,75	0,84	0,93
	Total	1,47	1,47	1,51	1,50	1,17	0,41	0,65	0,86	0,99	1,12
White	Male	-0,48	-0,51	-0,53	-0,55	-0,49	-0,61	-0,60	-0,68	-0,81	-0,85
	Female	-0,41	-0,44	-0,44	-0,46	-0,40	-0,39	-0,43	-0,54	-0,65	-0,70
	Total	-0,44	-0,48	-0,48	-0,50	-0,45	-0,50	-0,51	-0,60	-0,73	-0,77
Total	Male	1,44	1,44	1,51	1,53	1,41	0,93	1,08	1,19	1,26	1,29
	Female	1,29	1,29	1,36	1,39	1,31	0,88	1,01	1,13	1,17	1,18
	Total	1,37	1,36	1,44	1,46	1,36	0,90	1,04	1,16	1,21	1,23

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

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3.1 Recorded marriages by province, 2011-2023 (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
2022	16 312	10 243	3 334	7 205	18 349	7 481	29 096	5 946	7 631	5 775	412	-	111 784
2023	15 240	9 392	2 956	6 095	15 967	6 230	26 054	5 226	7 150	4 691	288	-	99 289

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, 2011-2023 (numbers)

	Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu- Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpuma- langa	Limpopo	Unspeci- fied	Outside South Africa	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
2022	3 591	1 942	299	1 684	3 074	1 216	5 778	933	1 679	..	..	20 196
2023	3 730	2 109	238	2 060	3 532	1 460	6 110	1 181	1 810	..	..	22 230

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, 2011-2023

	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
2022	11 254	3 146	695	2 762	454	539	18 850
2023	12 710	3 256	656	3 048	551	466	20 687

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, 2009-2023

	Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu- Natal	North west	Gauteng	Mpuma- langa	Limpopo	Outside SA	Unspeci- fied	South Africa
2009	108 339	130 977	24 675	55 654	225 221	64 161	220 723	87 105	122 054	2 182	185	1 041 276
2010	106 234	126 855	24 656	56 023	222 211	62 489	222 757	85 056	125 066	606	222	1 032 175
2011	105 179	129 051	24 713	54 845	221 156	63 227	222 802	88 725	130 707	283	678	1 041 366
2012	104 438	127 767	25 508	54 926	217 206	64 217	223 061	89 403	130 314	172	788	1 037 800
2013	99 415	124 197	25 406	52 443	218 808	60 236	229 947	83 606	130 006	0	7 219	1 031 283
2014	103 765	126 080	25 625	53 629	218 070	60 579	226 086	85 949	130 989	0	2 517	1 033 289
2015	100 720	118 359	25 266	49 923	204 595	58 369	216 987	78 576	128 330	0	3 367	984 492
2016	95 866	106 663	23 465	46 964	193 097	56 236	208 664	77 359	121 651	0	43	930 008
2017	98 639	110 040	24 085	48 517	193 639	57 230	212 510	78 449	120 291	0	771	944 171
2018	99 796	110 810	24 789	48 531	205 039	56 787	216 120	80 012	126 547	0	129	968 560
2019	106 687	118 269	24 972	50 012	226 860	59 979	226 657	86 396	135 248	0	181	1 035 261
2020	100 147	121 009	24 769	46 018	210 506	57 687	213 140	96 889	128 536	0	0	998 701
2021	95 580	116 121	26 037	48 564	206 897	58 482	211 348	94 903	129 530	0	†	987 463
2022	91 623	106 615	24 180	45 664	206 844	56 525	202 656	82 061	121 918	0	0	938 086
2023	87 132	92 215	23 417	41 854	181 309	52 633	188 508	70 688	110 581	0	0	848 337

Source: Stats SA, *Recorded live births 2009–2023 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, 2009-2022

	Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu- Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpuma- langa	Limpopo	Unspeci- fied	Outside South Africa	Total
2009	46 204	85 628	15 252	47 975	129 971	41 054	116 637	46 223	53 651	1 078	952	584 625
2010	46 229	84 534	15 293	45 272	117 996	40 367	106 744	42 149	50 596	76	4 111	553 367
2011	46 576	79 528	14 893	41 425	107 670	38 186	102 274	38 558	48 040	130	3 494	520 774
2012	47 595	71 294	14 092	35 612	103 440	36 205	99 563	36 913	49 957	2 229	1 317	498 217
2013	46 524	69 117	13 761	34 058	95 309	35 705	98 924	35 777	48 083	1 522	935	479 715
2014	46 658	72 337	14 127	33 335	92 117	35 435	99 759	35 312	48 732	1 074	1 185	480 071
2015	50 941	73 485	13 802	32 486	89 358	35 207	99 249	34 693	47 648	427	802	478 098
2016	50 585	71 426	14 034	32 274	90 904	35 764	98 879	33 654	46 424	660	316	474 920
2017	47 462	70 765	13 161	31 771	86 968	32 987	94 548	29 739	44 484	17 724	79	469 688
2018	50 032	71 937	14 137	29 875	87 202	32 231	93 887	31 207	44 701	16 057	122	471 388
2019	52 062	73 633	14 145	31 307	88 160	30 426	98 985	31 594	45 883	949	457	467 601
2020	58 054	89 860	15 216	32 918	97 344	32 486	110 038	31 686	47 423	0	866	515 891
2021	70 100	89 240	19 311	39 716	115 115	43 655	139 531	40 983	61 937	0	806	620 394
2022	55 742	77 160	15 121	30 499	90 552	32 553	106 293	31 850	45 458	0	813	486 041

Source: Stats SA, *Mortality and causes of death in South Africa, trends dataset 2009–2022*

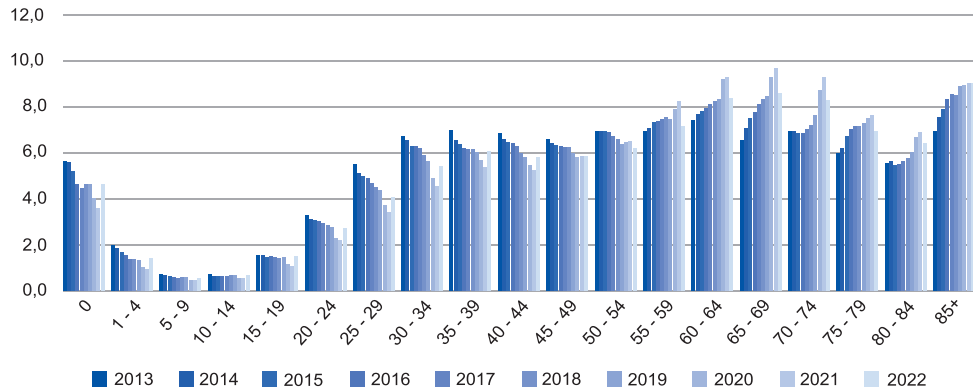
The completeness of the death register varies by year and province of death. Deaths are reported for the province in which the death took place, not for the usual province of residence.

3.6 Percentage distribution of registered deaths by age and year of death, 2013-2022

Age	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
0	5,6	5,6	5,2	4,6	4,5	4,7	4,6	4,0	3,6	4,7
1-4	2,0	1,9	1,7	1,6	1,4	1,4	1,3	1,0	1,0	1,4
5-9	0,7	0,7	0,7	0,7	0,6	0,6	0,6	0,5	0,5	0,6
10-14	0,7	0,7	0,7	0,7	0,6	0,7	0,7	0,6	0,6	0,7
15-19	1,5	1,5	1,5	1,5	1,5	1,5	1,5	1,2	1,1	1,5
20-24	3,3	3,1	3,1	3,0	3,0	2,8	2,8	2,3	2,2	2,8
25-29	5,5	5,1	5,0	4,9	4,7	4,5	4,4	3,7	3,5	4,1
30-34	6,7	6,5	6,3	6,3	6,2	5,9	5,7	4,9	4,6	5,4
35-39	6,9	6,6	6,4	6,2	6,1	6,1	6,0	5,7	5,4	6,1
40-44	6,8	6,6	6,4	6,4	6,3	6,0	5,8	5,5	5,2	5,8
45-49	6,6	6,4	6,3	6,2	6,2	6,2	6,0	5,8	5,9	5,9
50-54	6,9	6,9	6,9	6,9	6,7	6,6	6,4	6,5	6,5	6,2
55-59	6,9	7,1	7,3	7,4	7,4	7,5	7,5	7,9	8,2	7,2
60-64	7,4	7,7	7,8	7,9	8,1	8,2	8,3	9,2	9,3	8,4
65-69	6,5	7,0	7,5	7,8	8,1	8,3	8,5	9,3	9,7	8,6
70-74	6,9	6,9	6,8	6,8	7,0	7,2	7,6	8,7	9,3	8,3
75-79	6,0	6,2	6,7	7,0	7,1	7,2	7,3	7,5	7,6	7,0
80-84	5,6	5,6	5,4	5,5	5,6	5,8	6,1	6,7	6,9	6,4
85+	6,9	7,5	7,9	8,3	8,5	8,5	8,9	9,0	9,0	9,0
Unspecified	0,4	0,4	0,4	0,3	0,4	0,3	0,0	-	-	-
Total	100,0	100,0	100,0	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, 2022: Findings from death notification* (Statistical release P0309.3)

3.7 Percentage distribution of registered deaths by age group and year of death, 2013-2022



3.8 Percentage distribution of deaths by main group of underlying cause of death (CD-10), 2013-2022

Main group of underlying causes	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Certain infectious and parasitic diseases (A00-B99)	22,5	21,6	19,5	18,1	17,5	16,6	16,8	13,5	11,4	14,4
Neoplasms (C00-D48)	8,3	8,7	9,1	9,3	9,6	9,8	9,8	8,2	6,7	8,8
Diseases of the blood and immune mechanism (D50-D89)	2,2	2,1	2,8	2,7	2,3	2,1	1,4	1,3	1,0	1,0
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases (E00-E90)	6,3	6,6	6,9	7,0	7,0	7,2	7,0	7,8	7,0	8,2
Mental and behavioural disorders (F00-F99)	0,4	0,4	0,4	0,5	0,6	0,6	0,6	0,6	0,4	0,5
Diseases of the nervous system (G00-G99)	2,4	2,3	2,3	2,1	2,1	2,2	2,0	1,7	1,5	1,9
Diseases of the eye and adnexa (H00-H59)	0,0	0,0	0,0	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	0,0	0,0	0,0
Diseases of the circulatory system (I00-I99)	16,7	17,4	17,8	18,4	18,3	18,6	17,5	17,8	15,0	20,3
Diseases of the respiratory system (J00-J99)	10,3	9,9	9,6	9,3	9,4	9,0	8,7	8,8	7,8	9,1
Diseases of the digestive system (K00-K93)	2,6	2,6	2,6	2,6	2,6	2,6	2,5	2,1	1,7	2,3
Diseases of the skin and subcutaneous tissue (L00-L99)	0,2	0,2	0,3	0,2	0,3	0,3	0,2	0,2	0,2	0,3
Diseases of the musculoskeletal system etc. (M00-M99)	0,3	0,4	0,4	0,4	0,4	0,4	0,4	0,3	0,4	0,4
Diseases of the genitourinary system (N00-N99)	1,9	1,9	2,0	2,0	2,1	2,2	2,2	2,1	1,7	2,1
Pregnancy, childbirth and puerperium (O00-O99)	0,2	0,2	0,2	0,2	0,1	0,1	0,1	0,1	0,1	0,1
Perinatal conditions (P00-P96)1	2,1	2,1	2,1	1,9	2,0	1,8	1,8	1,9	1,4	1,4
Congenital malformations (Q00-Q99)	0,4	0,5	0,5	0,5	0,5	0,6	0,6	0,4	0,4	0,5
Symptoms and signs not elsewhere classified (R00-R99)	12,8	12,4	12,3	13,2	13,5	13,7	15,9	16,6	18,7	13,8
COVID-19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,1	15,0	1,7
External causes of morbidity and mortality (V01-Y98)	10,5	10,7	11,3	11,4	11,6	12,0	12,4	9,6	9,8	13,3
Total	100,0	100,0	100,0	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 2013-2022*

3.9 Leading underlying natural causes of death, 2013-2022 (percentages)

Broad group of underlying causes	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Covid-19 (U071-U072)	12,0	..	..	9,9	8,8	8,3	7,2	6,5	6,4	0,0
Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	3,6	..	..	4,4	4,9	5,0	5,4	5,5	5,7	0,0
Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	4,3	..	..	5,0	4,9	5,1	5,0	5,0	5,0	0,0
Hypertensive diseases (I10-I15)	4,6	..	..	4,5	4,7	4,8	4,9	5,2	4,9	0,0
Influenza and pneumonia (J09-J18)	3,1	..	..	3,9	5,0	4,8	4,8	4,8	4,8	0,0
Tuberculosis (A15-A19)	7,5	..	..	5,5	5,1	4,8	4,4	4,3	4,2	0,0
Human immunodeficiency virus [HIV] disease (B20-B24)	2,7	..	..	4,4	3,6	3,9	4,2	4,3	4,5	0,0
Ischaemic heart diseases (I20-I25)	..	..	..	3,1	3,0	3,1	3,5	3,6	2,8	0,0
Other forms of heart disease (I30-I52)	2,5	..	..	2,5	2,6	2,7	2,7	2,8	2,9	0,0
Other viral diseases (B25-B34)	5,4	..	..	3,1	3,4	3,1	2,1	1,4	1,5	0,0
Other natural causes	38,6	..	..	44,8	43,7	43,7	44,5	45,2	45,8	0,0
Non-natural causes	8,6	..	..	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	100,0	100,0	100,0

Source: South African death registration data

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



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Tourism



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4.1 Tourists by mode of travel, 2013-2024 (thousands)

	Mode of travel					Total
	Road	Air	Sea	Rail	Unspecified	
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
2023	5 959	2 509	16	..	..	8 483
2024	6 215	2 674	30	..	..	8 919

4.2 Tourists by purpose of visit, 2013-2024 (thousands)

	Purpose of visit					Total
	Holiday	Business	Study	Transit ¹	Medical ²	
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
2023	8 182	251	47	..	3	8 483
2024	8 640	240	36	..	3	8 919

Source: Stats SA, *Tourism 2009-2023* (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, 2014-2024 (thousands)

	Europe								Total
	France	Germany	Italy	Netherlands	Portugal	Switzerland	UK	Other	
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
2023	120	245	52	131	19	43	356	279	1 245
2024	126	255	51	132	20	42	350	283	1 259

4.3 Tourists by country of residence, 2014-2024 (thousands) (cont.)

	North America			Central and South America				Australasia			
	USA	Other	Total	Argentina	Brazil	Other	Total	Australia	New Zealand	Other	Total
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
2023	354	55	409	4	26	17	47	86	19	1	106
2024	372	58	430	5	50	20	75	99	20	0	119

4.3 Tourists by country of residence, 2014-2024 (thousands) (cont.)

	Middle East				Asia			
	Israel	Saudi Arabia	Other	Total	India	China	Other	Total
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
2023	20	16	18	54	80	37	82	199
2024	7	18	21	46	76	41	91	208

4.3 Tourists by country of residence, 2014-2024 (thousands) (cont.)

	SADC						
	Botswana	Lesotho	Mozambique	Namibia	Swaziland	Zimbabwe	Other
2014	556	1 502	1 283	211	918	2 144	489
2015	594	1 395	1 200	213	838	1 901	434
2016	680	1 757	1 268	215	894	2 028	472
2017	681	1 747	1 339	209	877	2 040	494
2018	689	1 739	1 361	200	884	2 209	528
2019	668	1 563	1 333	184	918	2 259	516
2020	129	449	423	55	215	685	141
2021	103	355	523	91	178	411	163
2022	262	836	944	137	404	1 234	322
2023	363	1 164	1 341	160	734	2 107	407
2024	396	974	1 592	165	842	2 183	450

4.3 Tourists by country of residence, 2014-2024 (thousands) (concl.)

		Other African								
	Cameroon	Egypt	Ghana	Kenya	Nigeria	Uganda	Other	Total	Unspecified	Grand Total
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
2023	4	6	15	42	19	13	35	134	13	8 483
2024	4	6	37	48	23	13	37	168	12	8 919



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5.1 Documented immigrants by country of previous permanent residence, 1994-2015 (numbers)

	Europe	Austra- lasia	Middle East	Asia	North America	Central and South Americas	Africa	Indian Ocean Islands	Unspecified	Total
1994	2 784	80	148	1 497	177	72	1 548	80	12	6 398
1995	2 272	85	136	927	238	43	1 304	39	20	5 064
1996	2 315	86	117	1 020	207	50	1 549	52	11	5 407
1997	1 494	56	84	1 034	173	45	1 155	46	16	4 103
1998	1 614	61	77	1 207	146	57	1 169	31	9	4 371
1999	1 213	40	46	693	98	33	1 504	28	14	3 669
2000	978	33	50	991	111	22	831	24	13	3 053
2001	1 714	51	109	1 289	172	41	1 419	31	6	4 832
2002	1 847	65	103	1 738	184	60	2 472	61	15	6 545
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

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)

As from February 2004, statistics on self-declared emigrants are no longer collected due to the Immigration Act, 2002 (Act No. 13 of 2002).

Emigration in this context refers to South Africans leaving the country permanently. These figures are obtained from South Africa's three international airports, Johannesburg, Cape Town and Durban.

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)

Statistics of documented immigrants are unavailable as from July 2004.

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).

5.4 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)

As from February 2004, statistics on self-declared emigrants are no longer collected due to the Immigration Act, 2002 (Act No. 13 of 2002).

Emigration in this context refers to South Africans leaving the country permanently. These figures are obtained from South Africa's three international airports, Johannesburg, Cape Town and Durban.

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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, 2021-2025 (thousands)

		Economically active			Unemployment rate (%)	Not economically active	Total
Gender: Male		Employed	Unemployed	Total			
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
	Sep	9 236	3 983	13 218	30,1	7 068	20 287
	Dec	9 294	4 000	13 294	30,1	7 064	20 357
2024	Mar	9 269	4 172	13 441	31,0	6 988	20 429
	Jun	9 204	4 237	13 441	31,5	7 060	20 501
	Sep	9 402	4 050	13 452	30,1	7 119	20 572
	Dec	9 442	4 069	13 512	30,1	7 129	20 640
2025	Mar	9 375	4 150	13 524	30,7	7 185	20 709
	Jun	9 407	4 218	13 625	31,0	7 153	20 778

6.1 Population of working age (15-64 years) by gender and labour market status according to the official definition of unemployment, 2021-2025 (thousands) (cont.)

		Economically active			Unemployment rate (%)	Not economically active	Total
Gender: Female		Employed	Unemployed	Total			
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
	Sep	7 509	3 867	11 375	34,0	9 224	20 599
	Dec	7 429	3 896	11 325	34,4	9 339	20 664
2024	Mar	7 476	4 054	11 529	35,2	9 200	20 729
	Jun	7 448	4 147	11 595	35,8	9 200	20 795
	Sep	7 545	3 960	11 505	34,4	9 354	20 859
	Dec	7 636	3 922	11 557	33,9	9 363	20 920
2025	Mar	7 412	4 078	11 491	35,5	9 491	20 982
	Jun	7 400	4 149	11 549	35,9	9 494	21 043

6.1 Population of working age (15-64 years) by gender and labour market status according to the official definition of unemployment, 2021-2025 (thousands) (concl.)

		Economically active					
Gender: Total		Employed	Unemployed	Total	Unemployment rate (%)	Not economically active	Total
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
	Sep	16 745	7 849	24 594	31,9	16 292	40 886
	Dec	16 723	7 895	24 619	32,1	16 403	41 022
2024	Mar	16 745	8 226	24 971	32,9	16 188	41 158
	Jun	16 652	8 384	25 036	33,5	16 260	41 296
	Sep	16 946	8 011	24 957	32,1	16 474	41 431
	Dec	17 078	7 991	25 069	31,9	16 492	41 561
2025	Mar	16 787	8 228	25 015	32,9	16 676	41 691
	Jun	16 807	8 367	25 174	33,2	16 648	41 822

6.2 Population of working age (15-64 years) by population group and labour market status according to the official definition of unemployment, 2021-2025 (thousands)

		Economically active			Unemployment rate (%)	Not economically active	Total
Population group:	Black African	Employed	Unemployed	Total			
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
	Sep	12 703	7 155	19 858	36,0	13 593	33 451
	Dec	12 746	7 189	19 935	36,1	13 654	33 589
2024	Mar	12 744	7 460	20 204	36,9	13 524	33 728
	Jun	12 668	7 632	20 300	37,6	13 567	33 867
	Sep	12 934	7 291	20 225	36,1	13 780	34 004
	Dec	13 048	7 275	20 323	35,8	13 814	34 137
2025	Mar	12 727	7 469	20 196	37,0	14 074	34 270
	Jun	12 848	7 586	20 434	37,1	13 969	34 403

6.2 Population of working age (15-64 years) by population group and labour market status according to the official definition of unemployment, 2021-2025 (thousands) (cont.)

		Economically active					
Population group: Coloured		Employed	Unemployed	Total	Unemployment rate (%)	Not economically active	Total
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
	Sep	1 729	475	2 204	21,5	1 387	3 591
	Dec	1 711	475	2 186	21,7	1 410	3 596
2024	Mar	1 716	511	2 228	23,0	1 374	3 601
	Jun	1 685	513	2 197	23,3	1 409	3 606
	Sep	1 726	462	2 188	21,1	1 423	3 611
	Dec	1 737	500	2 237	22,3	1 379	3 616
2025	Mar	1 730	533	2 263	23,6	1 357	3 620
	Jun	1 683	532	2 215	24,0	1 409	3 624

6.2 Population of working age (15-64 years) by population group and labour market status according to the official definition of unemployment, 2020-2024 (thousands) (cont.)

		Economically active					
Population group: Indian or Asian		Employed	Unemployed	Total	Unemployment rate (%)	Not economically active	Total
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
	Sep	553	74	627	11,8	420	1 047
	Dec	538	71	609	11,7	440	1 049
2024	Mar	542	78	620	12,6	432	1 051
	Jun	552	89	641	13,9	413	1 053
	Sep	564	104	669	15,6	387	1 055
	Dec	569	92	661	14,0	396	1 058
2025	Mar	562	86	649	13,3	411	1 060
	Jun	527	94	621	15,1	441	1 062

6.2 Population of working age (15-64 years) by population group and labour market status according to the official definition of unemployment, 2021-2025 (thousands) (cont.)

		Economically active					
Population group:		Employed	Unemployed	Total	Unemployment rate (%)	Not economically active	Total
White							
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
	Sep	1 760	145	1 905	7,6	892	2 797
	Dec	1 728	160	1 888	8,5	899	2 787
2024	Mar	1 743	177	1 919	9,2	859	2 778
	Jun	1 748	150	1 898	7,9	871	2 769
	Sep	1 723	153	1 875	8,2	884	2 760
	Dec	1 724	124	1 848	6,7	902	2 750
2025	Mar	1 768	139	1 907	7,3	834	2 741
	Jun	1 748	156	1 904	8,2	829	2 733

6.2 Population of working age (15-64 years) by population group and labour market status according to the official definition of unemployment, 2021-2025 (thousands) (concl.)

		Economically active					
Population group:		Employed	Unemployed	Total	Unemployment rate (%)	Not economically active	Total
Total							
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
	Sep	16 745	7 849	24 594	31,9	16 292	40 886
	Dec	16 723	7 895	24 619	32,1	16 403	41 022
2024	Mar	16 745	8 226	24 971	32,9	16 188	41 158
	Jun	16 652	8 384	25 036	33,5	16 260	41 296
	Sep	16 946	8 011	24 957	32,1	16 474	41 431
	Dec	17 078	7 991	25 069	31,9	16 492	41 561
2025	Mar	16 787	8 228	25 015	32,9	16 676	41 691
	Jun	16 807	8 367	25 174	33,2	16 648	41 822

6.3 The employed¹ (ages 15-64 years) by main occupation and province, 2021-2025 (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
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
	Sep	227	68	17	28	136	41	473	67	47	1 105
	Dec	274	89	19	35	213	65	621	100	64	1 481
2024	Mar	224	69	~	39	188	61	551	102	58	1 303
	Jun	273	79	16	42	217	56	625	80	61	1 451
	Sep	307	92	25	36	206	73	564	87	70	1 457
	Dec	287	96	26	66	211	74	599	69	67	1 496
2025	Mar	308	83	19	50	193	47	597	67	67	1 430
	Jun	313	82	18	53	197	67	617	78	83	1 507

6.3 The employed¹ (ages 15-64 years) by main occupation and province, 2021-2025 (thousands) (cont.)

Main occupation: Professional		Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu- Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpuma- langa	Limpopo	South Africa
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
	Sep	255	96	13	48	156	52	609	52	72	1 354
	Dec	254	83	16	58	176	53	558	59	84	1 341
2024	Mar	227	91	13	49	155	44	531	45	74	1 229
	Jun	220	79	13	26	146	41	482	33	63	1 102
	Sep	177	59	11	34	118	29	307	25	66	826
	Dec	183	69	13	34	120	29	317	28	74	869
2025	Mar	202	59	†	39	101	34	394	50	91	980
	Jun	212	55	12	38	107	38	411	35	74	983

6.3 The employed¹ (ages 15-64 years) by main occupation and province, 2021-2025 (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
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
	Sep	226	128	18	52	226	51	529	88	126	1 444
	Dec	245	121	13	49	223	55	517	96	121	1 441
2024	Mar	271	131	23	57	274	51	561	113	110	1 590
	Jun	292	178	28	73	253	59	633	109	155	1 780
	Sep	240	133	24	46	270	53	562	78	98	1 504
	Dec	236	115	23	41	217	59	520	86	101	1 398
2025	Mar	257	148	20	39	269	61	503	117	88	1 503
	Jun	236	143	23	55	257	65	586	109	91	1 565

6.3 The employed¹ (ages 15-64 years) by main occupation and province, 2021-2025 (thousands) (cont.)

Main occupation: Clerks		Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu- Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpuma- langa	Limpopo	South Africa
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
	Sep	349	143	30	60	276	79	724	100	126	1 889
	Dec	301	117	24	65	278	53	686	88	115	1 727
2024	Mar	350	140	34	63	276	72	652	93	129	1 808
	Jun	314	141	33	61	273	72	601	90	120	1 705
	Sep	344	144	39	70	276	75	668	108	117	1 841
	Dec	367	136	33	73	317	82	669	109	112	1 897
2025	Mar	351	134	31	70	263	75	719	94	117	1 854
	Jun	367	139	39	61	241	74	694	83	115	1 813

6.3 The employed¹ (ages 15-64 years) by main occupation and province, 2021-2025 (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
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
	Sep	437	291	57	141	544	195	812	211	267	2 953
	Dec	426	265	45	135	512	178	824	219	257	2 862
2024	Mar	424	266	47	134	475	155	795	189	262	2 746
	Jun	402	213	44	129	457	139	782	182	236	2 584
	Sep	425	290	49	153	527	185	859	224	279	2 992
	Dec	439	285	51	134	525	171	882	206	256	2 949
2025	Mar	449	263	63	145	549	152	876	186	245	2 929
	Jun	426	254	50	136	528	155	879	205	243	2 875

6.3 The employed¹ (ages 15-64 years) by main occupation and province, 2021-2025 (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
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
	Sep	13	†	†	†	16	†	14	†	†	76
	Dec	†	†	†	†	†	†	14	†	18	63
2024	Mar	†	23	†	†	14	12	12	†	12	94
	Jun	†	25	†	†	19	†	16	13	14	105
	Sep	†	†	†	†	15	†	16	†	†	68
	Dec	†	12	†	†	16	†	†	†	†	71
2025	Mar	†	†	†	†	15	†	†	†	†	62
	Jun	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	47

6.3 The employed¹ (ages 15-64 years) by main occupation and province, 2021-2025 (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
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
	Sep	259	91	34	74	320	116	444	164	215	1 717
	Dec	267	113	39	72	296	110	454	148	195	1 693
2024	Mar	264	88	34	62	337	111	456	155	185	1 693
	Jun	253	102	31	69	320	110	442	151	195	1 672
	Sep	275	124	37	94	311	144	486	159	244	1 876
	Dec	278	138	38	78	339	110	530	159	262	1 932
2025	Mar	270	119	31	93	302	116	525	166	238	1 862
	Jun	269	127	38	87	305	126	523	163	220	1 858

6.3 The employed¹ (ages 15-64 years) by main occupation and province, 2021-2025 (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
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
	Sep	208	116	24	60	279	91	401	99	131	1 408
	Dec	175	97	32	59	303	92	347	90	126	1 323
2024	Mar	236	119	36	53	320	96	438	97	171	1 568
	Jun	189	90	19	52	273	88	385	86	125	1 308
	Sep	204	113	22	51	275	82	416	95	143	1 401
	Dec	224	106	31	51	256	80	410	102	129	1 389
2025	Mar	205	118	29	56	266	87	408	110	106	1 386
	Jun	190	120	29	54	272	89	392	129	121	1 396

6.3 The employed¹ (ages 15-64 years) by main occupation and province, 2021-2025 (thousands) (cont.)

Main occupation: Elementary occupations		Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu- Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpuma- langa	Limpopo	South Africa
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
	Sep	645	440	111	212	665	272	789	335	466	3 935
	Dec	674	395	122	215	680	253	772	365	436	3 912
2024	Mar	607	363	118	222	676	261	799	378	420	3 845
	Jun	597	396	112	230	739	282	889	371	478	4 094
	Sep	631	421	113	233	690	278	916	387	460	4 128
	Dec	664	408	121	216	733	293	896	421	462	4 215
2025	Mar	686	374	118	211	678	266	824	357	449	3 964
	Jun	592	457	91	230	650	249	826	349	480	3 923

6.3 The employed¹ (ages 15-64 years) by main occupation and province, 2021-2025 (thousands) (cont.)

Main occupation: Domestic workers		Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu- Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpuma- langa	Limpopo	South Africa
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
	Sep	116	79	23	50	170	40	226	78	79	860
	Dec	132	66	15	52	164	49	239	78	82	876
2024	Mar	132	53	13	56	176	36	266	62	75	869
	Jun	129	65	15	58	146	32	243	76	77	843
	Sep	142	70	16	54	150	33	243	72	73	854
	Dec	123	91	17	51	158	33	251	65	72	861
2025	Mar	131	64	17	47	151	37	233	61	76	818
	Jun	133	80	13	48	138	29	253	63	81	839

6.3 The employed¹ (ages 15-64 years) by main occupation and province, 2021-2025 (thousands) (cont.)

Main occupation: Other		Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
2021	Mar	..	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	26	↑	↑	45
	Jun	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	30	↑	↑	46
	Sep	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Dec	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
2022	Mar	..	..	..	..	↑	..	..	..	..	↑
	Jun	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Sep	..	..	..	..	..	..	↑	..	..	↑
	Dec	↑	..	..	..	..	..	↑	↑	..	↑
2023	Mar	↑	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	↑
	Jun	↑	..	..	..	↑	..	↑	..	..	↑
	Sep	↑	..	..	..	↑	..	..	..	..	↑
	Dec	↑	..	..	..	↑	..	↑	..	..	↑
2024	Mar	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Jun	↑	..	..	..	..	..	↑	..	↑	↑
	Sep	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Dec	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	↑	..	↑
2025	Mar	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Jun	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

6.3 The employed¹ (ages 15-64 years) by main occupation and province, 2021-2025 (thousands) (concl.)

Main occupation: Total		Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
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
	Sep	2 734	1 459	328	727	2 794	942	5 019	1 202	1 539	16 745
	Dec	2 757	1 348	327	742	2 856	912	5 034	1 250	1 498	16 723
2024	Mar	2 740	1 344	331	742	2 891	899	5 061	1 242	1 495	16 745
	Jun	2 675	1 369	314	745	2 842	887	5 103	1 192	1 526	16 652
	Sep	2 749	1 452	337	775	2 840	956	5 037	1 241	1 559	16 946
	Dec	2 812	1 455	355	750	2 892	935	5 081	1 255	1 543	17 078
2025	Mar	2 861	1 373	343	754	2 788	879	5 091	1 212	1 488	16 787
	Jun	2 744	1 462	314	766	2 702	895	5 186	1 223	1 515	16 807

6.4 The employed¹ (ages 15-64 years) by main industry and province, 2021-2025 (thousands)

Main industry: Agriculture, hunting, forestry and fishing		Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu- Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumala- langa	Limpopo	South Africa
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
	Sep	238	136	52	65	150	51	39	87	138	956
	Dec	234	96	58	73	153	53	38	86	129	920
2024	Mar	215	99	54	79	143	77	47	105	123	941
	Jun	162	113	33	84	151	56	33	126	136	896
	Sep	175	124	39	78	145	62	47	109	156	935
	Dec	193	90	52	66	152	63	49	131	128	924
2025	Mar	244	78	62	64	132	58	38	116	138	930
	Jun	202	99	38	85	118	67	25	126	146	906

6.4 The employed¹ (ages 15-64 years) by main industry and province, 2021-2025 (thousands) (cont.)

Main industry: Mining and quarrying		Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
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
	Sep	†	..	24	16	†	113	64	60	119	409
	Dec	†	†	33	19	†	106	79	74	120	446
2024	Mar	†	†	42	18	†	112	66	72	132	454
	Jun	†	†	43	16	†	113	76	70	121	457
	Sep	11	†	39	21	†	125	88	70	127	484
	Dec	†	†	39	20	†	107	88	70	126	466
2025	Mar	†	..	37	21	†	110	81	55	112	431
	Jun	†	†	32	25	†	98	93	50	126	434

6.4 The employed¹ (ages 15-64 years) by main industry and province, 2021-2025 (thousands) (cont.)

Main industry:		Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
Manufacturing											
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
	Sep	336	124	15	51	318	36	462	93	72	1 508
	Dec	304	105	14	51	328	42	507	89	67	1 507
2024	Mar	310	92	†	60	379	44	538	102	76	1 606
	Jun	314	118	†	61	382	47	557	90	77	1 655
	Sep	321	140	†	52	344	46	540	105	77	1 635
	Dec	307	139	11	46	368	45	568	106	86	1 675
2025	Mar	337	135	11	62	331	48	548	109	96	1 677
	Jun	301	146	15	52	355	45	548	99	110	1 672

6.4 The employed¹ (ages 15-64 years) by main industry and province, 2021-2025 (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
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
	Sep	18	†	..	†	†	†	34	29	12	113
	Dec	16	†	†	†	13	†	33	31	12	123
2024	Mar	†	†	†	†	11	†	24	29	16	105
	Jun	†	†	†	†	†	†	29	27	18	114
	Sep	13	12	†	†	†	†	27	25	22	127
	Dec	†	†	†	†	†	†	29	26	16	111
2025	Mar	11	13	†	†	17	†	43	31	22	145
	Jun	12	†	†	†	19	†	41	33	16	139

6.4 The employed¹ (ages 15-64 years) by main industry and province, 2021-2025 (thousands) (cont.)

Main industry: Construction		Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu- Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpuma- langa	Limpopo	South Africa
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
	Sep	253	125	34	33	241	68	347	101	156	1 357
	Dec	242	127	26	34	239	64	312	99	179	1 322
2024	Mar	237	105	21	35	245	52	290	107	123	1 215
	Jun	210	108	21	39	240	56	302	100	130	1 204
	Sep	251	127	26	58	249	76	323	113	159	1 381
	Dec	245	126	19	54	240	73	340	97	164	1 359
2025	Mar	245	111	18	53	200	65	334	90	124	1 240
	Jun	224	132	19	45	212	74	325	97	131	1 259

6.4 The employed¹ (ages 15-64 years) by main industry and province, 2021-2025 (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
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
	Sep	483	281	38	174	578	183	1 052	271	330	3 390
	Dec	510	284	39	150	568	177	1 044	276	315	3 362
2024	Mar	521	291	49	163	581	193	1 079	253	340	3 471
	Jun	493	256	47	146	572	191	1 085	237	333	3 360
	Sep	525	278	54	151	590	222	1 080	235	335	3 469
	Dec	509	295	58	144	595	203	1 029	241	347	3 421
2025	Mar	492	232	55	148	579	153	1 027	226	315	3 228
	Jun	535	292	57	144	533	159	1 062	223	311	3 315

6.4 The employed¹ (ages 15-64 years) by main industry and province, 2021-2025 (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
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
	Sep	163	77	12	32	183	45	351	51	52	966
	Dec	148	84	14	34	227	31	365	56	64	1 023
2024	Mar	170	94	†	35	230	30	382	47	65	1 062
	Jun	158	97	†	33	192	25	415	63	73	1 064
	Sep	162	94	†	39	180	40	392	56	76	1 047
	Dec	184	101	12	38	176	36	377	67	74	1 064
2025	Mar	195	117	†	28	176	48	425	68	69	1 131
	Jun	181	105	†	29	181	44	430	67	71	1 115

6.4 The employed¹ (ages 15-64 years) by main industry and province, 2021-2025 (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
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
	Sep	474	182	31	74	437	131	1 218	138	152	2 836
	Dec	544	178	33	85	461	136	1 224	156	145	2 964
2024	Mar	546	209	28	76	418	120	1 179	174	163	2 914
	Jun	574	190	32	92	424	127	1 155	129	181	2 905
	Sep	530	169	37	87	398	103	1 097	140	155	2 716
	Dec	587	185	49	94	424	128	1 182	148	152	2 948
2025	Mar	595	193	42	101	461	122	1 193	157	145	3 008
	Jun	550	187	34	99	441	121	1 223	166	163	2 983

6.4 The employed¹ (ages 15-64 years) by main industry and province, 2021-2025 (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
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
	Sep	601	426	98	213	660	247	1 150	278	411	4 084
	Dec	576	372	84	221	658	229	1 119	276	378	3 913
2024	Mar	537	370	96	201	653	208	1 103	260	362	3 791
	Jun	552	384	94	195	668	209	1 116	246	361	3 827
	Sep	573	415	99	211	722	233	1 115	292	360	4 021
	Dec	608	397	90	216	711	222	1 067	285	363	3 959
2025	Mar	576	408	87	201	686	221	1 088	278	370	3 914
	Jun	571	386	90	214	654	235	1 111	275	336	3 872

6.4 The employed¹ (ages 15-64 years) by main industry and province, 2021-2025 (thousands) (cont.)

Main industry: Private households		Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
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
	Sep	163	105	26	65	205	63	297	94	97	1 116
	Dec	179	94	23	67	199	69	307	106	90	1 134
2024	Mar	188	76	23	73	229	55	348	93	94	1 178
	Jun	190	94	22	73	198	58	327	104	95	1 160
	Sep	190	92	20	72	198	43	324	95	93	1 128
	Dec	158	113	19	67	216	52	349	85	88	1 146
2025	Mar	158	86	22	72	197	55	309	82	96	1 078
	Jun	165	106	17	71	184	49	324	85	104	1 106

6.4 The employed¹ (ages 15-64 years) by main industry and province, 2020-2024 (thousands) (concl.)

Main industry: Other		Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
2021	Mar	..	†	†	..	..	..	11	..	..	14
	Jun	†	..	..	..	..	†	19	..	..	27
	Sep	..	..	..	..	..	..	†	..	..	†
	Dec	..	..	..	..	..	..	†	..	..	†
2022	Mar	†	..	..	..	..	..	†	..	..	4
	Jun	†	†	0	†	†	..	12	..	†	18
	Sep	†	†	..	†	†	..	†	..	..	15
	Dec	†	..	†	..	†	..	†	†	..	15
2023	Mar	†	..	†	†	..	..	†	†	..	15
	Jun	†	..	..	..	†	..	†	†	..	12
	Sep	0	..	..	..	†	..	†	..	..	10
	Dec	0	0	†	..	†	..	†	..	..	10
2024	Mar	..	..	..	..	..	..	†	..	†	6
	Jun	†	..	..	..	..	..	†	..	†	10
	Sep	..	..	..	..	..	..	†	..	..	†
	Dec	..	..	..	..	..	..	†	..	..	†
2025	Mar	†	..	..	..	..	..	†	..	..	†
	Jun	..	..	..	..	..	..	†	†	..	†

6.5 Number of employees and gross earnings by industry, 2024

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, 2024

Industry	Number of employees (thousands)				Gross earnings (R millions)			
	Mar	Jun	Sep	Dec	Mar	Jun	Sep	Dec
Mining and quarrying ¹	479	474	472	469	48 127	48 389	49 853	48 848
Manufacturing	1 314	1 295	1 294	1 284	95 476	95 380	94 640	108 233
Electricity, gas and water supply	63	64	64	64	10 223	10 154	10 466	12 989
Construction	588	591	612	598	41 324	43 272	44 215	50 619
Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles, motor cycles and personal and household goods; hotels and restaurants	2 323	2 325	2 340	2 387	130 659	135 465	134 555	148 480
Transport, storage and communication	487	479	477	479	47 074	48 527	47 799	52 356
Financial intermediation, insurance, real estate and business services	2 483	2 483	2 474	2 504	284 494	263 087	275 827	284 599
Community, social and personal services	2 907	3 004	2 873	2 843	297 355	308 004	310 181	322 342
Total (all industries)	10 673	10 736	10 627	10 652	957 001	954 089	969 420	1 030 493

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, 2024 (Rands)

	Including bonuses and overtime payments				Excluding bonuses and overtime payments			
	Feb	May	Aug	Nov	Feb	May	Aug	Nov
Mining and quarrying ¹	32 504	33 915	36 175	34 224	..	..	..	..
Manufacturing	23 287	23 649	23 735	24 290	21 585	22 082	22 298	22 609
Electricity, gas and water supply	52 432	52 249	54 158	55 566	48 802	48 652	50 953	52 268
Construction	22 601	23 408	23 687	23 847	21 606	22 344	22 591	22 693
Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles, motor cycles and personal and household goods; hotels and restaurants	17 064	17 855	17 936	17 954	16 618	17 300	17 475	17 467
Transport, storage and communication	30 726	31 319	31 874	32 569	28 973	29 831	30 389	31 021
Financial intermediation, insurance, real estate and business services	30 913	31 997	32 347	32 274	30 219	31 235	31 541	31 568
Community, social and personal services	31 532	31 758	34 030	34 235	30 580	30 773	32 920	33 119
Total (all industries)	26 791	27 511	28 274	28 316	..	..	..	..

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Prices

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7.1 Producer price indices (PPI) (base year Dec 2020=100) and consumer price indices (CPI) (base year Dec 2021=100), 2015-2024

		2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
PPI	Headline ¹	59,2	63,4	66,5	70,1	73,4	75,2	80,5	92,1	98,3	101,3
CPI	All items, all urban areas ²	63,8	67,9	71,4	74,7	77,8	80,4	84,0	89,8	95,1	99,3
	Food, all urban areas	55,9	61,9	66,2	68,4	70,5	73,8	78,6	86,1	95,5	99,4

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.

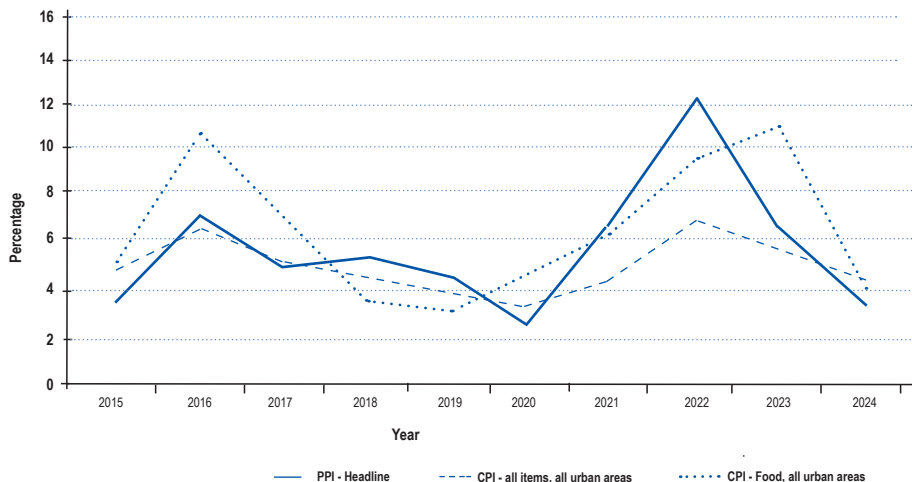
7.2 PPI and CPI percentage changes compared with the previous year, 2015-2024

		2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
PPI	Domestic output	3,6	7,0	4,8	5,5	4,6	2,6	7,1	14,4	6,7	3,1
CPI	All items, metropolitan areas	4,6	6,4	5,3	4,7	4,1	3,3	4,5	6,9	6,0	4,4
	All items, all urban areas	5,1	10,7	6,9	3,3	3,1	4,7	6,5	9,5	10,9	4,1

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

Based on average annual indices.

7.2 PPI and CPI percentage changes compared with the previous year, 2015-2024 (concl.)



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, 2024

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
PPI - Headline	100,1	100,6	101,7	102,2	102,3	102,0	101,8	101,5	101,2	100,5	100,5	100,7
CPI - All items, all urban areas	97,2	98,1	98,9	99,1	99,3	99,4	99,8	99,9	100,0	99,9	99,9	100,0

7.4 PPI and CPI annual inflation on a monthly basis, 2024

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

7.5 CPI (all items, all urban areas) by province, 2015-2024 (base year Dec 2021=100)

	Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
2015	61,4	62,8	64,8	62,9	63,5	64,9	64,6	64,6	63,5	63,8
2016	65,3	67,4	68,3	67,2	67,9	68,9	68,6	68,8	68,5	67,9
2017	69,4	71,0	71,1	70,6	71,3	72,0	72,2	71,8	71,8	71,4
2018	73,1	74,1	73,9	73,7	74,1	74,7	75,6	74,6	74,5	74,7
2019	76,6	76,9	76,9	76,7	76,9	77,3	78,7	77,6	77,8	77,8
2020	79,5	79,3	79,6	79,1	79,3	79,7	81,0	79,9	80,3	80,4
2021	83,4	83,0	83,3	82,6	83,0	83,9	84,6	83,4	84,1	84,0
2022	88,8	89,3	89,5	88,6	88,9	89,7	90,4	89,5	90,5	89,8
2023	94,3	95,0	95,2	94,6	94,9	95,2	95,5	95,4	95,8	95,1
2024	99,0	99,1	99,2	98,9	99,0	99,2	99,6	99,3	99,4	99,3

7.6 CPI (all items, all urban areas) percentage changes compared with the previous year by province, 2015-2024

	Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
2015	5,0	4,5	4,3	5,0	4,1	4,3	4,7	4,2	3,9	4,6
2016	6,4	7,3	5,4	6,8	6,9	6,2	6,2	6,5	7,9	6,4
2017	6,3	5,3	4,1	5,1	5,0	4,5	5,2	4,4	4,8	5,2
2018	5,3	4,4	3,9	4,4	3,9	3,8	4,7	3,9	3,8	4,6
2019	4,8	3,8	4,1	4,1	3,8	3,5	4,1	4,0	4,4	4,1
2020	3,8	3,1	3,5	3,1	3,1	3,1	2,9	3,0	3,2	3,3
2021	4,9	4,7	4,6	4,4	4,7	5,3	4,4	4,4	4,7	4,5
2022	6,5	7,6	7,4	7,3	7,1	6,9	6,9	7,3	7,6	6,9
2023	6,2	6,4	6,4	6,8	6,7	6,1	5,6	6,6	5,9	5,9
2024	5,0	4,3	4,2	4,5	4,3	4,2	4,3	4,1	3,8	4,4

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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	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Including gold										
Actual indices	102,2	98,9	102,5	100,9	100,0	89,1	100,9	93,0	93,1	93,4
Excluding gold										
Actual indices	96,5	93,0	98,1	99,2	100,0	88,8	101,1	94,3	93,3	94,7

8.2 Total value of mineral sales, 2015-2024 (R million)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Including gold Actual values	387 647	437 590	473 885	498 501	552 881	613 192	857 280	883 741	794 233	802 596
Excluding gold Actual values	324 947	349 165	391 698	428 817	476 249	526 756	755 070	794 171	679 829	659 965

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Manufacturing

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9.1 Indices of the physical volumes of manufacturing production by manufacturing division (actual indices), 2015-2024 (base year 2019=100)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Food and beverages	89,9	89,5	91,8	96,1	100,0	94,4	100,4	100,6	100,5	104,2
Textiles, clothing, leather and footwear	115,8	114,6	109,8	106,4	100,0	82,6	93,2	93,6	91,2	88,5
Wood, paper, publishing and printing	108,9	111,3	106,9	105,2	100,0	86,7	95,2	92,6	93,9	95,6
Petroleum, chemical products, rubber and plastic products	101,8	106,2	102,0	101,2	100,0	89,1	79,6	77,5	77,8	79,7
Glass and non-metallic mineral products	110,7	108,5	106,4	108,2	100,0	85,5	102,4	103,3	101,7	102,1
Basic iron and steel, non-ferrous metal products, metal products and machinery	99,7	97,6	101,4	101,6	100,0	87,6	96,0	95,9	97,4	94,7
Electrical machinery	118,3	117,5	111,7	104,4	100,0	84,9	96,6	100,3	107,4	108,5
Radio, television, communication apparatus and professional equipment	119,3	125,9	120,4	107,5	100,0	93,0	93,5	101,2	97,9	98,2
Motor vehicles, parts and accessories and other transport equipment	96,3	96,9	96,6	101,6	100,0	75,4	101,2	103,2	105,4	91,4
Other manufacturing not elsewhere classified	99,8	97,9	97,1	101,6	100,0	78,9	89,4	91,2	89,5	87,7
Total manufacturing	100,1	100,8	100,1	101,1	100,0	87,7	93,1	92,8	93,4	93,0

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), 2015-2024 (R million)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Food and beverages	472 498	524 559	541 825	570 854	613 531	618 387	694 136	763 681	820 941	867 459
Textiles, clothing, leather and footwear	64 476	67 443	67 605	67 295	65 083	53 885	62 016	67 399	72 357	74 968
Wood, paper, publishing and printing	151 738	162 385	165 408	173 351	175 520	159 602	181 908	197 578	222 985	226 671
Petroleum, chemical products, rubber and plastic products	518 033	517 364	543 639	584 239	581 991	499 518	530 694	620 401	682 006	723 557
Glass and non-metallic mineral products	67 639	69 779	71 928	74 428	73 004	64 141	78 962	86 714	91 606	96 694
Basic iron and steel, non-ferrous metal products, metal products and machinery	433 040	458 084	499 744	543 451	572 801	507 258	656 400	716 193	718 566	728 381
Electrical machinery	61 871	64 563	59 249	58 788	58 063	52 258	61 163	68 201	79 178	80 867
Radio, television, communication apparatus and professional equipment	22 502	25 299	25 306	24 351	23 780	21 846	23 815	25 781	27 551	28 880
Motor vehicles, parts and accessories and other transport equipment	288 562	320 659	336 982	371 572	405 082	326 813	362 785	440 545	562 306	547 695
Other manufacturing not elsewhere classified	67 626	70 609	77 044	85 551	87 045	73 286	99 519	109 164	121 845	125 860
Total manufacturing	2 147 986	2 280 744	2 388 730	2 553 879	2 655 900	2 376 995	2 751 398	3 095 658	3 399 340	3 501 032

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

9.3 Utilisation of production capacity by manufacturing division, 2015-2024 (percentages)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Food and beverages	83,5	84,1	83,5	82,7	83,1	73,9	79,8	81,2	81,9	81,8
Textiles, clothing, leather and footwear	75,8	74,1	71,9	72,1	71,6	60,7	69,7	71,3	70,9	70,8
Wood, paper, publishing and printing	80,7	82,6	82,6	82,3	81,8	72,4	82,3	79,9	78,5	78,8
Petroleum, chemical products, rubber and plastic products	81,1	84,0	83,2	83,6	83,7	77,5	77,3	77,3	77,4	77,1
Glass and non-metallic mineral products	80,0	81,9	80,8	81,1	77,2	66,3	76,5	80,6	78,6	79,5
Basic iron and steel, non-ferrous metal products, metal products and machinery	77,4	77,8	78,2	77,3	76,4	67,6	74,5	75,5	74,7	75,8
Electrical machinery	80,4	79,5	79,6	78,5	79,1	68,0	79,6	80,0	79,3	80,1
Radio, television, communication apparatus and professional equipment	83,6	85,4	85,3	82,6	80,7	73,4	80,9	81,0	79,5	79,6
Motor vehicles, parts and accessories and other transport equipment	80,6	81,1	81,1	82,1	80,5	67,3	77,6	77,0	79,9	78,8
Other manufacturing not elsewhere classified	78,9	80,7	81,6	80,8	79,6	62,8	78,3	81,6	81,2	80,6
Total manufacturing	80,3	81,7	81,3	81,1	80,6	71,5	77,6	78,1	78,2	78,3

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, 2015-2024 (R thousands)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Residential buildings	2 165 885	1 050 352	1 325 873	1 909 510	993 158	783 842	1 321 559	1 820 876	1 578 471	2 167 469
Non-residential buildings	15 530 112	21 265 956	18 133 286	16 812 354	11 545 763	8 892 682	8 787 208	8 932 652	8 431 561	9 109 786
Roads, streets and bridges	17 325 224	17 789 585	22 973 317	23 696 690	20 823 429	20 345 219	16 360 641	21 386 376	25 487 913	32 796 581
Sewerage and sanitation	1 586 710	1 899 325	2 121 637	2 197 643	1 776 870	2 433 807	3 275 973	3 071 611	2 732 047	3 656 539
Electricity	67 053 967	71 826 492	74 529 931	63 168 818	49 364 819	38 903 945	34 806 670	36 407 640	38 776 769	46 067 352
Community and social works	1 933 618	1 886 360	2 246 966	4 341 346	4 982 701	3 484 982	3 340 204	3 650 471	3 056 270	3 684 021
Sport facilities	51 711	543	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Refuse sites	297 838	456 851	236 917	147 111	284 075	164 542	268 108	845 893	312 578	326 948
Water	9 952 212	14 433 909	12 515 402	8 424 231	9 731 898	11 234 675	12 287 290	12 069 234	12 499 346	16 702 594
Port facilities	32 000	32 000	211 000	122 000	624	24 048	0	0	11 323	20 295
Airports	0	961 109	3 489	9 241	906 310	1 202 756	692 104	468 419	186 394	292 788
Pipeline networks	489 421	1 121 221	97 080	120 813	230 333	730 815	677 682	671 461	426 932	794 891
Other	58 026 407	60 978 222	47 609 431	39 757 982	41 070 749	28 226 502	31 361 229	29 442 740	31 838 367	35 115 398
Total	174 445 105	193 701 925	182 004 329	160 707 739	141 710 729	116 427 815	113 178 668	118 767 373	125 337 971	150 734 662

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.

RDP figures are included in Table 10.1 - Actual capital expenditure on new construction works by the public sector. As from 2007, RDP figures are not collected separately anymore.

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Energy

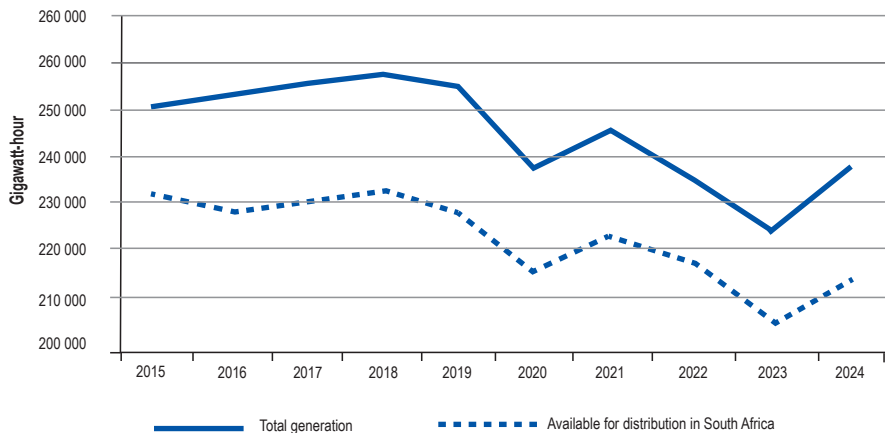


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	Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
2015	23 021	8 678	6 027	11 689	40 460	21 715	59 969	33 231	19 864	224 654
2016	22 909	9 191	5 589	11 777	39 977	21 053	60 778	32 518	19 650	223 442
2017	23 109	9 237	5 897	11 778	41 314	21 509	60 988	32 719	19 353	225 904
2018	22 641	8 930	6 257	11 704	41 340	22 119	60 839	32 857	20 617	227 304
2019	22 668	8 911	6 416	11 571	40 748	20 658	59 265	32 489	20 654	223 380
2020	20 639	8 555	5 903	11 198	39 577	18 132	57 203	31 316	19 673	212 195
2021	20 209	8 795	5 975	10 837	39 599	22 053	57 913	31 150	20 725	217 257
2022	19 488	8 865	5 809	10 251	38 957	22 488	54 781	30 051	20 184	210 876
2023	18 388	8 358	5 941	10 203	37 749	20 746	51 819	30 104	20 221	203 528
2024	19 560	8 781	5 974	10 877	38 534	21 070	53 303	30 580	20 904	209 579

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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12.1 Freight transport, 2015-2024

		2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Payload (1 000 tons)	Rail	219 026	215 012	225 228	216 542	214 030	190 267	177 155	155 913	160 100	160 745
	Road	739 871	767 230	845 099	921 112	895 499	789 109	860 549	1 048 547	1 060 419	979 798
	Total	958 897	982 242	1 070 327	1 137 654	1 109 529	979 376	1 037 704	1 204 460	1 220 519	1 140 543
Income (R millions)	Rail	36 932	37 527	41 918	42 438	43 793	39 631	37 589	34 608	40 071	43 198
	Road	126 166	133 468	149 422	164 014	162 808	146 990	164 864	205 532	210 398	199 799
	Total	163 098	170 995	191 340	206 452	206 601	186 621	202 453	240 140	250 469	242 997

12.2 Passenger transport, 2015-2024

		2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Number of passengers (thousands)	Rail	477 550	398 743	316 892	254 643	175 447	29 750	21 762	19 118	41 759	73 557
	Road	342 974	317 102	335 998	330 440	319 239	219 070	232 225	255 476	275 394	274 359
	Total	820 524	715 845	652 890	585 083	494 686	248 820	253 987	274 594	317 153	347 916
Income (R millions)	Rail	3 040	2 939	2 641	2 434	2 164	605	444	945	1 453	1 703
	Road	9 627	9 818	10 112	10 018	10 573	7 016	8 285	9 458	10 388	10 892
	Total	12 667	12 757	12 753	12 452	12 737	7 621	8 729	10 403	11 841	12 595

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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Source: Stats SA, *Annual financial statistics survey* (Statistical release P0021)

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 Carry value of property, plant and intangible assets at the end of the financial year (right of use assets are included from 2020).

⁶ Turnover divided by total assets.

⁷ Net profit after providing for company tax divided by turnover.

⁸ 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, 2015-2024 (R million)

		2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Income	Turnover ¹	27 968	31 370	35 449	33 909	36 295	34 712	39 392	39 986	46 565	49 964
	Interest received	107	191	200	206	334	288	205	221	306	538
	Other income	236	497	1 169	707	618	903	1 173	950	1 233	1 704
Inventories ²	Opening value	2 816	2 687	2 818	3 025	3 557	4 128	5 284	5 922	4 419	6 461
	Closing value	2 651	2 788	3 293	3 113	4 144	4 903	5 104	5 829	6 421	6 861
Expenditure	Purchases	11 477	12 659	16 490	16 581	17 733	17 860	19 286	19 265	25 106	25 896
	Employment cost	5 269	5 740	6 378	6 615	6 655	6 831	7 872	8 138	8 817	9 669
	Interest paid	474	634	968	1 071	1 121	1 363	1 106	1 179	1 357	1 821
	Interest paid on lease liabilities	..	..	..	..	..	335	314	389	355	392
	Other interest paid	..	..	..	..	..	1 028	792	790	1 002	1 429
	Other expenditure	3 020	2 992	3 628	3 133	3 715	3 800	4 016	4 130	5 163	5 324
	Total expenditure	25 613	28 459	34 372	34 602	36 925	37 679	41 529	42 581	50 381	53 599
Net profit or loss before providing for company tax and dividends ³		4 016	5 333	5 983	3 126	4 864	3 215	3 304	3 183	6 996	5 767
Company tax paid or provided for during the financial year		958	1 329	1 563	720	1 159	868	878	574	1 671	1 538
Net profit after providing for company tax and dividends		1 898	2 714	2 743	1 002	-1 080	857	1 743	1 254	4 621	2 259
Additions (capital expenditure) ⁴		1 816	2 544	2 736	2 454	2 191	2 556	2 860	3 612	2 726	3 847
Carrying value of property, plant and intangible assets at the end of the financial year ⁵		10 958	12 501	13 382	14 276	15 657	16 484	18 492	22 124	21 277	22 722

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, 2015-2024 (R million)

		2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Income	Turnover ¹	538 596	547 305	606 712	667 413	751 319	834 149	953 338	1 206 859	1 291 699	1 264 803
	Interest received	9 563	10 107	7 972	9 699	10 445	12 074	9 655	14 168	20 725	24 110
	Other income	8 272	8 564	9 909	12 277	13 276	18 984	24 428	17 204	18 105	21 347
Inventories ²	Opening value	70 825	70 718	68 588	68 908	78 010	98 494	118 003	153 643	152 082	203 419
	Closing value	71 699	69 116	69 302	77 881	98 630	116 899	154 278	153 816	176 653	192 028
Expenditure	Purchases	191 020	213 976	220 527	258 893	293 673	350 998	367 436	431 148	505 886	530 298
	Employment cost	108 623	115 032	122 004	131 363	139 735	147 644	157 174	168 124	181 142	215 994
	Interest paid	19 439	23 857	20 845	23 513	23 220	23 911	22 532	25 221	31 916	39 515
	Interest paid on lease liabilities	..	..	..	..	..	1 239	966	770	819	966
	Other interest paid	..	..	..	..	..	22 672	21 566	24 451	31 097	38 549
	Other expenditure	54 802	57 266	47 040	60 184	69 866	75 556	65 958	61 574	82 985	105 422
	Total expenditure	586 953	625 463	612 321	713 732	752 510	841 201	866 542	975 756	1 118 530	1 230 958
Net profit or loss before providing for company tax and dividends ³		-7 871	-35 651	42 665	25 244	85 560	75 120	223 875	348 426	326 175	131 615
Company tax paid or provided for during the financial year		9 392	8 159	15 783	15 937	25 685	29 654	56 317	89 146	82 058	40 835
Net profit after providing for company tax and dividends		-29 257	-53 555	1 799	-7 579	26 171	3 363	136 027	193 357	75 099	-49 439
Additions (capital expenditure) ⁴		88 681	80 173	58 784	74 208	82 581	86 948	76 392	102 130	119 106	139 602
Carrying value of property, plant and intangible assets at the end of the financial year ⁵		561 167	538 587	540 731	513 398	547 878	573 129	591 330	614 096	650 698	716 503

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, 2015-2024 (R million)

		2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Income	Turnover ¹	2 344 892	2 452 044	2 611 338	2 676 526	2 772 340	2 819 411	2 650 428	3 353 730	3 927 159	4 099 218
	Interest received	12 248	14 911	16 860	17 378	18 994	23 118	24 406	21 864	21 573	29 730
	Other income	21 397	20 571	21 712	23 029	22 822	25 850	30 359	44 180	35 930	31 147
Inventories ²	Opening value	287 959	297 860	321 627	327 110	358 381	390 390	398 719	394 985	500 460	548 321
	Closing value	295 927	321 771	333 861	362 697	380 942	401 790	400 346	486 642	577 413	574 810
Expenditure	Purchases	1 552 688	1 610 014	1 725 785	1 787 671	1 841 484	1 875 736	1 737 277	2 325 435	2 721 656	2 828 197
	Employment cost	247 068	267 073	282 344	300 264	315 406	326 361	311 143	341 490	359 154	373 297
	Interest paid	31 568	35 028	40 121	42 438	40 283	53 082	50 361	49 231	49 722	64 406
	<i>Interest paid on lease liabilities</i>	..	..	..	..	..	5 137	4 942	5 211	6 036	6 174
	<i>Other interest paid</i>	..	..	..	..	..	47 945	45 419	44 020	43 686	58 232
	Other expenditure	116 776	118 176	117 219	122 530	127 788	132 905	130 109	188 398	228 690	209 731
	Total expenditure	2 291 302	2 459 257	2 582 013	2 673 888	2 760 044	2 889 031	2 688 816	3 352 196	3 914 691	4 052 486
	Net profit or loss before providing for company tax and dividends ³	132 713	103 457	169 138	135 649	125 443	46 403	82 730	230 629	190 287	186 950
	Company tax paid or provided for during the financial year	35 977	34 456	39 082	39 061	34 548	21 230	25 352	57 897	53 830	59 508
	Net profit after providing for company tax and dividends	34 877	14 769	73 607	31 405	19 164	-36 281	7 445	115 045	73 208	61 724
Additions (capital expenditure) ⁴	Carrying value of property, plant and intangible assets at the end of the financial year ⁵	91 684	91 288	100 016	106 285	112 067	110 048	92 964	124 713	128 594	144 015
		549 620	555 800	584 715	593 187	625 334	634 569	625 374	660 749	717 321	775 063

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, 2015-2024 (R million)

		2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Income	Turnover ¹	189 566	211 961	233 416	244 658	258 083	289 274	291 471	346 815	367 858	437 667
	Interest received	3 186	4 018	5 811	3 811	3 887	4 119	3 391	3 675	5 073	8 442
	Other income	6 213	1 275	2 456	2 259	3 550	3 355	4 859	1 964	6 028	7 551
Inventories ²	Opening value	12 823	16 465	18 394	23 477	25 659	27 811	34 883	23 803	24 958	31 876
	Closing value	16 553	18 430	23 284	25 491	28 005	34 844	23 519	26 871	26 275	31 977
Expenditure	Purchases	94 541	102 140	100 332	104 681	127 339	150 840	147 753	172 942	210 431	250 704
	Employment cost	26 417	29 356	33 059	30 648	34 446	35 669	34 319	36 261	37 078	42 611
	Interest paid	11 649	16 830	24 433	32 482	37 900	42 488	45 561	47 094	54 226	62 053
	Interest paid on lease liabilities	..	..	..	..	..	1 935	2 501	1 573	1 331	1 281
	Other interest paid	..	..	..	..	..	40 553	43 060	45 521	52 895	60 772
	Other expenditure	5 417	4 185	18 380	9 538	14 172	13 641	10 638	17 789	15 593	24 214
	Total expenditure	197 373	228 600	255 832	255 487	310 208	355 132	345 827	363 861	436 518	491 138
Net profit or loss before providing for company tax and dividends ³		11 598	14 882	10 183	9 836	-17 176	-12 138	-17 760	1 588	-20 654	-14 658
Company tax paid or provided for during the financial year		2 679	3 739	2 188	2 000	-6 198	-2 768	-5 626	211	-6 084	31 490
Net profit after providing for company tax and dividends		7 264	9 958	6 367	3 415	-18 507	-19 286	-20 019	-12 426	-24 947	-54 680
Additions (capital expenditure) ⁴		77 335	88 580	95 461	79 859	56 617	49 532	43 899	41 449	38 912	58 250
Carrying value of property, plant and intangible assets at the end of the financial year ⁵		516 018	607 720	721 244	911 767	791 736	801 546	813 820	815 984	832 802	784 727

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, 2015-2024 (R million)

		2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Income	Turnover ¹	421 946	469 544	504 554	475 336	484 556	466 462	434 581	471 441	592 483	686 457
	Interest received	5 856	6 272	10 047	7 611	7 973	8 794	7 233	7 682	8 371	9 160
	Other income	4 937	5 583	5 795	5 402	6 881	8 823	8 508	4 782	6 273	12 152
Inventories ²	Opening value	24 218	40 780	26 713	55 111	27 487	25 508	30 803	26 714	47 691	42 578
	Closing value	25 465	38 344	28 452	57 480	26 088	25 106	35 326	25 201	46 344	39 537
Expenditure	Purchases	230 755	241 778	259 754	248 363	255 577	260 574	258 090	280 874	368 985	423 837
	Employment cost	72 297	84 708	96 030	93 035	91 887	83 959	76 506	75 216	77 836	93 821
	Interest paid	7 626	10 838	9 428	10 773	10 925	10 459	11 369	14 504	20 356	13 057
	<i>Interest paid on lease liabilities</i>	..	..	..	..	..	690	789	766	894	1 668
	<i>Other interest paid</i>	..	..	..	..	..	9 769	10 580	13 738	19 462	11 389
	Other expenditure	22 595	24 396	25 331	21 952	25 169	27 093	22 988	24 095	34 940	42 817
	Total expenditure	427 547	472 452	511 652	490 274	486 490	472 290	449 332	484 561	598 777	674 345
Net profit or loss before providing for company tax and dividends ³		18 573	20 809	22 437	14 030	20 583	20 027	10 244	6 760	22 011	36 586
Company tax paid or provided for during the financial year		6 097	5 209	7 018	6 495	6 034	6 366	6 283	6 368	8 407	10 893
Net profit after providing for company tax and dividends		8 421	10 815	11 865	4 810	11 655	10 883	1 662	-4 779	9 622	21 014
Additions (capital expenditure) ⁴		15 011	13 931	16 740	17 819	13 431	13 355	13 732	12 382	19 872	24 477
Carrying value of property, plant and intangible assets at the end of the financial year ⁵		49 230	51 987	59 353	72 639	80 337	75 394	73 567	70 654	69 066	86 866

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, 2015-2024 (R million)

		2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Income	Turnover ¹	3 034 283	3 297 026	3 494 745	3 694 520	3 979 693	4 242 116	4 092 272	4 807 525	5 685 783	5 859 157
	Interest received	16 747	20 469	22 920	26 033	29 065	32 815	28 665	19 820	28 034	37 562
	Other income	25 752	23 246	26 842	27 608	28 735	31 058	41 855	49 790	153 117	48 208
Inventories ²	Opening value	289 635	334 747	371 318	382 257	413 076	455 683	449 312	472 581	519 150	632 679
	Closing value	322 617	379 847	377 948	396 686	449 707	464 403	462 140	525 798	630 368	661 138
Expenditure	Purchases	2 388 418	2 623 579	2 739 573	2 834 776	3 096 936	3 309 688	3 212 294	3 858 025	4 678 383	4 704 835
	Employment cost	258 193	268 781	281 552	304 166	320 811	332 405	308 405	352 773	378 554	415 928
	Interest paid	29 771	34 592	45 647	47 447	40 173	51 449	42 719	38 113	53 441	70 664
	Interest paid on lease liabilities	..	..	..	..	..	10 667	13 545	13 793	12 130	12 525
	Other interest paid	..	..	..	..	..	40 782	29 174	24 320	41 311	58 139
	Other expenditure	96 753	106 869	117 837	137 365	148 820	158 649	148 473	170 867	220 820	238 393
	Total expenditure	3 029 601	3 322 775	3 477 566	3 659 053	3 973 203	4 223 220	4 072 897	4 773 356	5 732 474	5 865 393
	Net profit or loss before providing for company tax and dividends ³	111 458	96 692	128 642	130 289	130 646	130 365	136 231	191 430	303 779	161 650
	Company tax paid or provided for during the financial year	31 560	29 246	31 726	35 237	36 206	32 780	35 653	48 911	51 607	56 386
Net profit after providing for company tax and dividends	Net profit after providing for company tax and dividends	52 161	35 245	65 618	61 389	55 741	55 299	55 648	91 782	199 806	62 608
	Additions (capital expenditure) ⁴	57 706	65 294	64 506	61 954	62 266	70 989	89 482	89 328	116 529	108 486
	Carrying value of property, plant and intangible assets at the end of the financial year ⁵	259 960	277 041	308 136	329 660	335 858	409 340	418 576	402 991	439 209	458 476

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, 2015-2024 (R million)

		2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Income	Turnover ¹	746 372	781 984	820 177	867 572	899 672	899 854	840 406	883 516	1 052 560	1 139 613
	Interest received	5 248	7 944	10 087	11 933	11 165	10 402	9 371	10 605	12 380	18 652
	Other income	7 757	8 940	12 497	12 421	11 359	13 780	22 107	13 624	25 084	35 604
Inventories ²	Opening value	14 807	17 165	20 117	18 206	17 539	20 536	16 239	13 270	15 348	17 763
	Closing value	16 412	19 964	19 786	17 623	18 698	18 262	15 798	15 881	17 234	22 058
Expenditure	Purchases	239 889	260 706	284 618	310 467	320 573	331 451	318 243	359 127	442 641	477 778
	Employment cost	113 433	121 637	124 218	134 625	142 330	148 533	142 795	135 131	145 290	165 046
	Interest paid	21 879	25 568	32 074	33 944	33 623	39 696	37 401	35 327	45 219	57 849
	<i>Interest paid on lease liabilities</i>	..	..	..	..	..	7 185	7 384	7 086	9 224	11 978
	<i>Other interest paid</i>	..	..	..	..	..	32 511	30 017	28 241	35 995	45 871
	Other expenditure	84 880	81 768	66 198	69 688	77 752	76 452	81 561	85 453	118 258	137 412
	Total expenditure	731 510	774 466	817 399	858 412	907 823	922 267	885 962	893 710	1 098 324	1 173 880
Net profit or loss before providing for company tax and dividends ³		46 045	50 454	52 803	60 948	44 814	38 447	15 659	73 765	51 994	85 745
Company tax paid or provided for during the financial year		14 890	16 237	15 440	15 857	21 348	15 196	12 795	18 050	13 658	17 856
Net profit after providing for company tax and dividends		10 656	-12 363	10 721	24 284	3 712	-4 688	-21 593	30 285	10 119	51 777
Additions (capital expenditure) ⁴		106 832	106 406	106 154	91 511	86 250	89 322	73 221	103 484	149 347	204 669
Carrying value of property, plant and intangible assets at the end of the financial year ⁵		546 738	586 658	619 194	654 987	649 902	685 647	679 811	707 578	756 369	864 302

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), 2015-2024 (R million)

		2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Income	Turnover ¹	763 367	807 962	870 129	994 995	1 066 641	1 067 398	1 049 508	1 146 800	1 354 984	1 428 699
	Interest received	25 167	26 991	32 303	43 477	42 882	36 417	44 163	45 607	60 405	70 038
	Other income	18 163	19 585	22 480	25 388	24 972	28 281	38 464	37 637	63 721	52 441
Inventories ²	Opening value	27 292	24 123	25 060	29 063	32 994	35 081	36 737	32 383	41 948	33 963
	Closing value	26 101	22 576	27 022	32 700	35 384	33 823	33 953	33 875	43 227	31 423
Expenditure	Purchases	176 183	186 116	221 362	238 863	253 521	278 520	254 476	280 264	326 319	327 710
	Employment cost	225 867	250 335	269 669	300 172	311 187	319 851	347 117	323 637	358 032	415 070
	Interest paid	44 908	43 004	48 004	55 218	69 095	65 032	77 188	82 428	118 665	110 637
	Interest paid on lease liabilities	..	..	..	..	..	4 693	6 902	9 830	12 656	12 651
	Other interest paid	..	..	..	..	..	60 339	70 286	72 598	106 009	97 986
	Other expenditure	98 905	110 783	123 829	144 561	146 898	160 223	159 465	195 172	211 907	255 906
	Total expenditure	724 840	790 640	868 522	974 117	1 039 775	1 153 500	1 094 569	1 126 413	1 375 287	1 520 357
	Net profit or loss before providing for company tax and dividends ³	181 408	174 720	215 449	205 134	201 278	58 884	159 941	231 316	259 683	210 659
	Company tax paid or provided for during the financial year	32 409	30 299	29 145	34 433	33 260	31 140	35 072	51 115	40 514	40 702
	Net profit after providing for company tax and dividends	105 998	66 993	121 761	106 398	94 092	-28 615	68 171	119 655	138 786	96 597
	Additions (capital expenditure) ⁴	35 191	37 501	40 316	42 172	40 511	46 464	48 006	55 011	59 172	65 604
	Carrying value of property, plant and intangible assets at the end of the financial year ⁵	155 658	167 647	201 421	221 690	218 546	290 160	264 659	261 665	312 346	321 065

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), 2015-2024 (R million)

		2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Income	Turnover ¹	203 757	237 297	258 919	287 532	298 738	315 574	309 096	369 509	533 125	699 207
	Interest received	1 974	2 534	3 670	4 534	3 839	4 433	3 458	3 415	5 597	7 027
	Other income	7 293	8 478	9 963	11 137	12 954	16 656	16 070	19 481	15 569	18 228
Inventories ²	Opening value	2 784	3 005	3 385	3 707	3 892	6 681	6 295	7 546	7 469	7 632
	Closing value	2 834	3 331	3 977	4 136	4 538	7 058	8 182	7 692	7 525	7 811
Expenditure	Purchases	47 567	53 808	62 609	67 804	70 318	90 265	96 405	120 042	103 569	115 540
	Employment cost	57 964	70 856	79 241	87 668	93 127	92 220	92 161	107 949	107 491	124 930
	Interest paid	3 261	4 559	4 852	6 097	6 882	11 057	10 271	8 455	10 173	10 980
	Interest paid on lease liabilities	..	..	..	..	..	2 760	3 544	3 318	3 764	4 044
	Other interest paid	..	..	..	..	..	8 297	6 727	5 137	6 409	6 936
	Other expenditure	37 777	43 654	41 014	50 015	55 706	56 980	60 382	61 503	238 462	352 818
	Total expenditure	191 008	226 850	249 585	283 473	301 253	325 512	322 384	366 211	534 435	690 892
	Net profit or loss before providing for company tax and dividends ³	31 842	31 342	33 190	32 495	27 832	30 055	28 695	39 384	36 540	51 407
	Company tax paid or provided for during the financial year	5 939	5 854	6 717	6 288	5 219	5 916	7 108	8 284	7 996	11 351
	Net profit after providing for company tax and dividends	17 383	18 260	18 772	21 085	15 947	16 885	14 769	20 165	20 052	29 372
Additions (capital expenditure) ⁴		10 728	12 010	14 774	15 486	14 412	13 915	14 234	13 078	23 339	26 377
	Carrying value of property, plant and intangible assets at the end of the financial year ⁵	72 654	84 080	89 279	120 232	109 305	143 779	147 911	122 684	138 031	178 780

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 2015 and 2024 - Assets turnover ratio⁶

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Forestry and fishing	0,77	0,73	0,72	0,68	0,67	0,62	0,65	0,6036	0,6395	0,6367
Mining and quarrying	0,45	0,50	0,55	0,59	0,62	0,65	0,66	0,7659	0,7660	0,7087
Manufacturing	1,50	1,47	1,42	1,44	1,42	1,40	1,23	1,4776	1,5069	1,5517
Electricity, gas and water supply	0,30	0,27	0,27	0,23	0,27	0,28	0,29	0,3369	0,3479	0,3979
Construction	1,35	1,16	1,22	1,01	1,06	0,97	0,84	1,1035	1,2288	1,5275
Trade	2,41	2,32	2,34	2,36	2,25	2,08	2,01	2,2897	2,3169	2,3131
Transport, storage and communication	0,86	0,81	0,80	0,80	0,81	0,75	0,72	0,7143	0,7760	0,7285
Activities auxiliary to financial intermediation, real estate and other business services (excluding financial intermediation, insurance, pension funding and business services not elsewhere classified)	0,35	0,35	0,34	0,33	0,31	0,32	0,29	0,2606	0,2904	0,3467
Community, social and personal services (excluding government and educational institutions)	1,27	1,20	1,23	1,11	1,12	0,99	0,93	1,1894	1,5770	1,6497

13.11 Comparison of operating ratios between 2015 and 2024 - Net profit margin ratio⁷

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Forestry and fishing	0,11	0,13	0,12	0,07	0,10	0,07	0,06	0,0652	0,1144	0,0846
Mining and quarrying	-0,03	-0,08	0,04	0,01	0,08	0,05	0,18	0,2148	0,1890	0,0718
Manufacturing	0,04	0,03	0,05	0,04	0,03	0,01	0,02	0,0515	0,0347	0,0311
Electricity, gas and water supply	0,05	0,05	0,03	0,03	-0,04	-0,03	-0,04	0,0040	-0,0396	-0,1054
Construction	0,03	0,03	0,03	0,02	0,03	0,03	0,01	0,0008	0,0230	0,0374
Trade	0,03	0,02	0,03	0,03	0,02	0,02	0,02	0,0296	0,0444	0,0180
Transport, storage and communication	0,04	0,04	0,05	0,05	0,03	0,03	0,00	0,0631	0,0364	0,0596
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	0,18	0,21	0,17	0,16	0,03	0,12	0,1571	0,1618	0,1190
Community, social and personal services (excluding government and educational institutions)	0,13	0,11	0,10	0,09	0,08	0,08	0,07	0,0842	0,0535	0,0573

13.12 Comparison of operating ratios between 2015 and 2024 - Return on equity⁸

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Forestry and fishing	0,18	0,20	0,20	0,11	0,14	0,09	0,08	0,0761	0,1473	0,1071
Mining and quarrying	-0,04	-0,11	0,06	0,02	0,13	0,10	0,30	0,4331	0,3884	0,1470
Manufacturing	0,17	0,12	0,18	0,15	0,13	0,04	0,08	0,2399	0,1649	0,1389
Electricity, gas and water supply	0,06	0,05	0,04	0,04	-0,06	-0,04	-0,05	0,0047	-0,0499	-0,1672
Construction	0,15	0,18	0,17	0,07	0,13	0,11	0,03	0,0038	0,1117	0,1694
Trade	0,22	0,18	0,24	0,21	0,17	0,14	0,16	0,2104	0,3192	0,1239
Transport, storage and communication	0,13	0,13	0,13	0,13	0,07	0,07	0,01	0,1326	0,0856	0,1261
Activities auxiliary to financial intermediation, real estate and other business services (excluding financial intermediation, insurance, pension funding and business services not elsewhere classified)	0,17	0,14	0,16	0,15	0,13	0,02	0,09	0,1007	0,1410	0,1329
Community, social and personal services (excluding government and educational institutions)	0,36	0,29	0,30	0,24	0,20	0,19	0,18	0,2620	0,2248	0,2026



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Selected internal trade activities



Selected internal trade activities

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14.1 Summary of internal trade statistics, 2015-2024 (R million)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Wholesale trade sales										
Sales at current prices	2 228 907	2 423 313	2 467 169	2 629 690	2 703 518	2 541 851	2 973 499	3 539 948	3 625 531	3 516 988
Sales at constant (2019) prices	2 780 011	2 841 446	2 757 120	2 743 204	2 703 517	2 526 560	2 708 320	2 693 863	2 610 980	2 482 656
Retail trade sales										
Sales at current prices	924 640	999 195	1 071 264	1 114 301	1 156 787	1 106 305	1 213 121	1 299 797	1 370 495	1 450 339
Sales at constant (2019) prices	1 058 142	1 080 517	1 116 854	1 140 673	1 156 787	1 080 685	1 147 420	1 162 218	1 145 007	1 174 062
Motor trade sales										
Sales at current prices	645 127	657 592	684 631	714 738	719 320	598 879	725 249	862 550	899 639	897 483

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, 2015-2024

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Stay units										
Stay units available (thousands)	146,1	146,6	146,8	147,2	147,1	147,0	146,9	147,3	147,4	147,4
Stay unit nights sold (thousands)	27 620,8	28 133,2	27 501,3	26 546,8	26 544,7	10 792,6	13 663,1	19 585,7	21 116,7	21 794,2
Occupancy rate (%)	51,8	52,4	51,4	49,5	49,5	20,1	25,5	36,4	39,3	40,4
Income (R million)										
Income from accommodation	30 546,7	34 071,6	35 867,7	35 833,3	36 611,8	13 962,5	15 573,3	25 774,2	33 419,7	37 402,2
Income from restaurant and bar sales	9 576,6	10 660,2	10 840,9	10 808,3	10 799,2	4 089,5	4 920,0	8 817,4	10 930,6	11 767,5
Other income	18 431,3	18 799,2	18 564,3	18 564,4	19 247,3	7 209,7	9 730,3	17 484,3	18 864,9	18 932,6
Total income	58 554,6	63 531,0	65 272,9	65 206,0	66 658,3	25 261,7	30 223,6	52 075,9	63 215,2	68 102,3

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, 2015-2024 (R million)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Income from food sales at current prices	53 083,8	57 834,8	61 649,1	68 612,2	73 483,1	44 515,7	60 424,1	77 099,0	86 331,4	89 888,6
Income from food sales at constant (2019) prices	67 142,0	68 143,2	68 373,6	71 521,0	73 483,5	43 377,1	57 208,1	68 624,5	71 403,3	70 165,5
Income from bar sales at current prices	18 348,0	19 059,0	20 369,4	20 792,2	21 416,9	8 972,9	10 348,1	12 325,4	12 686,1	13 092,3
Income from bar sales at constant (2019) prices	21 869,2	21 796,9	22 378,2	21 661,1	21 416,1	8 780,7	9 562,4	10 635,1	10 603,3	10 593,4
Other income at current prices	4 115,2	3 657,7	3 691,3	3 600,8	3 741,2	1 658,4	1 406,9	1 802,6	2 205,7	2 138,2
Other income at constant (2019) prices	5 160,5	4 290,2	4 086,0	3 752,7	3 740,7	1 617,0	1 326,0	1 593,4	1 825,5	1 680,3
Total income at current prices	75 547,0	80 551,5	85 709,8	93 005,2	98 641,2	55 147,0	72 179,1	91 227,0	101 223,2	105 119,1
Total income at constant (2015) prices	94 171,7	94 230,3	94 837,8	96 934,8	98 640,3	53 774,8	68 096,5	80 853,0	83 832,1	82 439,2

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



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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, 2020-2024 (thousands)

Type of dwelling	Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu- Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumala- langa	Limpopo	South Africa
House on a separate yard or farm										
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
2023	1 218	1 238	300	740	2 413	1 031	2 810	1 237	1 539	12 526
2024	1 199	1 256	291	769	2 474	1 053	2 856	1 253	1 559	12 710
Traditional dwelling made of traditional material										
2020	..	360	†	20	279	†	..	55	16	740
2021	†	373	†	19	289	†	†	43	12	748
2022	†	330	†	16	384	†	†	33	17	789
2023	†	301	†	†	340	†	†	40	42	739
2024	†	315	†	11	349	†	†	41	39	766
Flat or apartment in a block of flats										
2020	216	30	†	17	83	11	358	13	†	737
2021	144	†	†	16	123	..	344	†	†	653
2022	165	29	†	33	110	21	429	25	†	826
2023	179	34	†	33	121	25	508	20	†	933
2024	158	22	12	30	100	33	532	24	†	915

15.1 Number of households by type of dwelling by province, 2020-2024 (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										
2020	16	..	..	†	†	..	35	..	..	58
2021	22	†	..	†	†	..	28	†	..	74
2022	19	†	†	†	17	†	100	†	..	146
2023	25	†	†	†	†	..	74	..	†	114
2024	46	†	†	†	†	..	108	†	†	164
Town house										
2020	44	†	†	24	†	..	208	..	..	283
2021	56	†	†	15	15	†	212	..	..	304
2022	67	†	†	†	18	†	155	†	†	269
2023	50	†	..	15	15	†	174	†	†	268
2024	46	†	†	19	12	..	206	†	†	296
Semi detached house										
2020	161	38	11	..	35	†	..	..	..	246
2021	121	57	18	†	29	†	†	..	..	242
2022	178	45	12	†	88	..	24	†	†	353
2023	189	41	11	†	†	..	23	..	†	277
2024	215	29	12	†	31	..	30	†	†	322

15.1 Number of households by type of dwelling by province, 2020-2024 (thousands) (cont.)

Type of dwelling	Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu- Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumala- langa	Limpopo	South Africa
Formal dwelling in backyard										
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
2023	18	†	†	30	33	39	805	22	60	1 014
2024	29	†	†	13	36	36	922	27	73	1 147
Informal dwelling in backyard										
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
2023	138	16	†	33	29	40	438	19	20	736
2024	150	21	†	39	37	65	412	17	15	763
Informal dwelling not in backyard										
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
2023	273	70	46	112	148	198	625	88	24	1 585
2024	260	61	48	114	129	181	616	86	31	1 526

15.1 Number of households by type of dwelling by province, 2020-2024 (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										
2020	†	21	†	†	158	48	217	27	34	522
2021	†	15	†	12	117	43	203	14	50	473
2022	35	28	†	23	181	49	313	40	87	761
2023	35	38	†	22	166	46	288	65	75	740
2024	82	46	†	26	207	62	266	87	95	881
Other										
2020	†	†	†	..	..	..	56	..	..	75
2021	†	†	†	..	..	..	74	..	..	95
2022	†	†	†	..	†	..	30	†	..	45
2023	†	†	†	†	14	†	35	..	†	69
2024	†	†	†	..	†	..	28	..	†	58
Total										
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
2023	2 136	1 761	380	999	3 292	1 390	5 779	1 493	1 775	19 005
2024	2 195	1 780	388	1 024	3 387	1 432	5 981	1 542	1 822	19 551

15.2 Number of households by energy source for cooking by province, 2020-2024 (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										
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
2023	1 578	1 352	294	849	2 784	1 094	4 428	1 086	1 159	14 624
2024	1 624	1 377	297	867	2 905	1 202	4 591	1 103	1 145	15 111
Electricity from generator										
2020	97	25	†	14	139	63	512	11	†	871
2021	66	24	†	21	153	107	569	21	†	970
2022	74	13	†	21	152	91	513	29	†	907
2023	89	15	†	21	104	96	485	37	11	864
2024	69	11	†	21	99	41	584	42	†	878
Gas										
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
2023	437	143	52	65	83	39	390	37	37	1 283
2024	486	155	57	67	83	35	420	70	32	1 406
Paraffin										
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
2023	†	56	†	25	29	41	293	22	†	483
2024	†	48	†	27	28	34	254	16	†	426

15.2 Number of households by energy source for cooking by province, 2020-2024 (thousands) (cont.)

Energy source for cooking	Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
Wood										
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
2023	13	163	22	31	272	109	56	266	556	1 487
2024	†	152	22	40	250	113	44	257	625	1 512
Coal										
2020	..	†	†	†	†	..	†	35	..	50
2021	..	..	..	†	†	..	†	50	..	66
2022	..	..	..	†	†	..	†	51	†	73
2023	..	†	..	†	†	..	†	38	†	55
2024	..	..	..	†	†	..	†	46	..	56
Animal dung										
2020	..	†	..	..	†	†	..	..	..	†
2021	..	..	..	..	†	†	..	..	..	†
2022	†	†	..	†	†	†	..	..	..	†
2023	..	†	..	..	†	†	†	..	..	†
2024	..	..	..	..	†	†	†	..	..	†

15.2 Number of households by energy source for cooking by province, 2020-2024 (thousands) (concl.)

Energy source for cooking	Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
Other										
2020	..	†	..	†	13	..	15	†	†	38
2021	†	22	..	†	20	..	42	†	†	94
2022	†	32	..	..	30	11	83	..	†	157
2023	†	29	..	†	†	†	100	†	†	151
2024	†	35	†	†	†	†	68	†	..	119
None										
2020	†	†	..	..	..	..	†	..	..	12
2022	†	†	†	..	†	†	†	..	†	19
2023	†	†	†	†	11	†	20	†	†	54
2024	†	†	†	..	†	†	15	†	†	39
Total										
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
2023	2 136	1 761	380	999	3 292	1 390	5 779	1 493	1 775	19 005
2024	2 195	1 780	388	1 024	3 387	1 432	5 981	1 542	1 822	19 551

15.3 Number of households by energy source for heating by province, 2020-2024 (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										
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
2023	987	337	131	444	1 895	645	3 362	451	747	9 000
2024	1 157	398	139	517	1 977	769	3 527	563	867	9 916
Electricity from generator										
2020	27	†	..	†	130	13	428	†	†	631
2021	27	†	†	12	100	51	449	†	†	658
2022	32	†	†	†	65	66	403	11	†	607
2023	25	†	†	†	80	58	340	12	11	545
2024	29	†	†	†	70	31	428	19	†	605
Gas										
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
2023	102	85	14	67	25	11	304	37	†	654
2024	101	91	18	76	25	†	336	36	†	697
Paraffin										
2020	276	510	†	219	16	14	122	†	†	1 177
2021	215	507	†	180	37	14	126	†	†	1 090
2022	137	408	†	196	14	16	79	†	†	859
2023	156	347	†	155	†	15	82	†	†	770
2024	140	295	†	149	12	†	90	†	†	700

15.3 Number of households by energy source for heating by province, 2020-2024 (thousands) (cont.)

Energy source for heating	Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
Wood										
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
2023	113	347	71	97	374	160	157	262	504	2 086
2024	118	337	79	80	333	153	177	226	469	1 973
Coal										
2020	..	†	†	†	21	..	90	128	..	252
2021	..	†	†	20	14	..	56	126	†	220
2022	†	†	†	11	21	†	68	101	†	219
2023	†	†	..	14	†	..	57	81	†	165
2024	†	†	†	†	†	†	67	79	†	169
Animal dung										
2020	..	†	..	..	†	†	..	..	†	16
2021	..	†	..	..	†	†	..	†	..	†
2022	..	..	..	†	†	†	..	..	..	†
2023	..	†	..	..	†	†	†	..	..	†
2024	..	†	..	..	†	†	..	†	..	†

15.3 Number of households by energy source for heating by province, 2020-2024 (thousands) (concl.)

Energy source for heating	Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
Other										
2020	..	†	†	†	†	†	29	†	†	63
2021	12	18	†	†	11	†	58	12	†	128
2022	†	26	†	†	29	†	121	†	†	203
2023	†	25	†	†	†	†	95	35	†	184
2024	†	34	†	†	19	†	79	†	†	153
None										
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
2023	748	609	154	209	895	495	1 381	611	494	5 595
2024	639	615	140	183	941	458	1 277	611	467	5 331
Total										
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
2023	2 136	1 761	380	999	3 292	1 390	5 779	1 493	1 775	19 005
2024	2 195	1 780	388	1 024	3 387	1 432	5 981	1 542	1 822	19 551

15.4 Number of households by energy source for lighting by province, 2020-2024 (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										
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
2023	1 971	1 617	344	910	3 071	1 170	4 692	1 331	1 687	16 791
2024	2 063	1 651	351	945	3 139	1 280	4 901	1 368	1 748	17 445
Electricity from generator										
2020	99	34	†	20	138	81	551	22	17	966
2021	71	30	†	25	152	108	627	28	†	1 061
2022	84	33	†	27	149	97	596	47	17	1 058
2023	108	30	15	29	119	106	576	60	26	1 069
2024	91	25	16	31	109	53	689	73	25	1 111
Gas										
2020	20	..	†	†	†	..	†	†	..	31
2021	†	†	†	..	†	†	†	..	..	23
2022	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	..	†	31
2023	13	†	†	†	†	..	16	†	†	42
2024	14	†	†	..	12	..	†	..	†	37
Paraffin										
2020	12	64	†	†	†	25	65	†	†	193
2021	†	58	†	†	15	20	77	12	..	201
2022	†	48	†	†	†	19	62	11	†	160
2023	†	35	†	†	†	†	44	..	†	106
2024	†	28	†	†	†	17	36	†	†	109

15.4 Number of households by energy source for lighting by province, 2020-2024 (thousands) (cont.)

Energy source for lighting	Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
Candles										
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
2023	34	44	18	51	82	94	341	93	49	805
2024	19	36	18	43	95	77	269	87	39	683
Other										
2020	..	..	..	†	13	..	15	†	†	39
2021	†	23	..	†	19	..	53	†	†	107
2022	†	30	..	..	28	13	99	†	..	174
2023	†	31	†	†	†	†	106	†	†	170
2024	†	35	†	†	†	†	76	†	†	137
None										
2020	†	†	..	..	..	..	..	†	..	†
2021	..	..	..	..	†	..	†	..	..	†
2022	..	†	†	†	†	..	†	†	†	15
2023	†	†	..	..	†	..	†	..	†	22
2024	†	†	..	..	13	†	†	†	†	29
Total										
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
2023	2 136	1 761	380	999	3 292	1 390	5 779	1 493	1 775	19 005
2024	2 195	1 780	388	1 024	3 387	1 432	5 981	1 542	1 822	19 551

15.5 Number of households by main source of water by province, 2020-2024 (thousands) (cont.)

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										
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
2023	1 661	631	177	388	1 254	367	3 429	420	272	8 598
2024	1 704	653	193	416	1 370	366	3 641	462	263	9 068
Piped water in yard										
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
2023	218	256	112	480	972	548	1 881	663	537	5 668
2024	290	295	127	493	985	575	1 878	678	619	5 941
Rain-water tank in yard										
2020	12	172	..	..	19	†	†	..	..	212
2021	..	237	..	..	32	..	†	†	†	274
2022	†	281	†	..	48	†	†	†	†	345
2023	†	365	†	†	68	†	†	†	13	466
2024	†	351	..	..	61	†	†	†	23	449
Neighbours tap										
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
2023	13	36	11	19	87	61	52	70	80	429
2024	†	40	†	28	95	64	55	71	53	419

15.5 Number of households by main source of water by province, 2020-2024 (thousands) (cont.)

Main source of water	Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu-Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumalanga	Limpopo	South Africa
Borehole in the yard										
2020	..	†	21	..	33	60	18	21	165	325
2021	†	†	†	†	25	85	44	20	204	405
2022	†	†	†	†	39	76	25	43	212	421
2023	†	†	†	14	32	65	45	39	234	448
2024	†	12	†	12	30	86	47	46	265	506
Communal tap										
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
2023	230	260	42	46	371	222	279	140	251	1 841
2024	171	257	44	35	358	226	289	137	210	1 727
Tanker										
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
2023	..	42	20	37	139	106	77	103	199	725
2024	†	†	†	23	144	88	42	93	234	644
Borehole outside yard										
2020	14	†	..	†	59	18	†	29	52	189
2021	..	†	†	†	39	25	†	45	29	167
2022	†	†	†	19	53	25	†	19	57	197
2023	†	†	†	12	88	12	†	26	58	212
2024	†	†	†	12	98	20	17	24	56	242

15.5 Number of households by main source of water by province, 2020-2024 (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										
2020	..	171	†	†	116	..	..	†	32	327
2021	†	124	†	..	148	..	..	†	33	318
2022	†	82	†	..	158	†	†	11	19	276
2023	†	56	†	..	165	..	..	11	28	264
2024	†	58	..	..	150	..	..	†	20	241
Stagnant pool or dam										
2020	..	†	..	..	13	..	..	†	..	26
2021	..	†	..	..	12	..	..	..	†	25
2022	..	11	..	..	†	..	†	..	†	22
2023	†	†	..	†	†	†	..	..	†	15
2024	..	†	..	†	†	†	..	†	†	12
Well										
2020	..	..	..	..	33	†	..	†	†	43
2021	..	†	..	†	19	..	..	†	†	36
2022	..	†	..	..	23	†	..	†	†	43
2023	..	†	..	..	47	†	..	†	†	68
2024	..	†	..	†	40	†	..	†	†	61
Spring										
2020	..	75	..	†	13	..	..	..	†	101
2021	..	74	..	..	12	..	..	†	†	101
2022	†	85	..	†	22	..	..	†	15	131
2023	..	74	..	..	36	..	..	†	14	130
2024	†	87	..	†	32	..	..	†	16	142

15.5 Number of households by main source of water by province, 2020-2024 (thousands) (concl.)

Main source of water	Western Cape	Eastern Cape	Northern Cape	Free State	KwaZulu- Natal	North West	Gauteng	Mpumala- langa	Limpopo	South Africa
Other										
2020	†	†	..	..	15	†	†	†	23	56
2021	†	13	..	..	19	†	†	†	47	96
2022	†	32	†	†	17	†	†	†	48	123
2023	..	16	†	..	28	†	†	†	83	140
2024	†	†	†	†	19	†	†	†	51	99
Total										
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
2023	2 136	1 761	380	999	3 292	1 390	5 779	1 493	1 775	19 005
2024	2 195	1 780	388	1 024	3 387	1 432	5 981	1 542	1 822	19 551

15.6 Number of households by energy source for cooking, for heating and for lighting, by population group of the household head, 2020-2024 (thousands)

Energy source	Cooking			Heating			Lighting		
	Black African	Other ¹	Total	Black African	Other ¹	Total	Black African	Other ¹	Total
Electricity from mains									
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
2023	12 095	2 529	14 624	7 061	1 939	9 000	13 679	3 112	16 791
2024	12 572	2 539	15 111	7 884	2 033	9 916	14 321	3 123	17 445
Electricity from generator									
2020	836	34	871	622	†	631	918	47	966
2021	940	30	970	648	†	658	1 020	41	1 061
2022	871	35	907	578	28	607	989	68	1 058
2023	808	56	864	509	35	545	970	99	1 069
2024	819	59	878	557	49	605	1 003	109	1 111
Gas									
2020	374	407	781	269	231	500	25	†	31
2021	420	443	863	397	258	655	14	†	23
2022	580	656	1 236	383	325	708	16	15	31
2023	650	634	1 283	399	255	654	27	15	42
2024	758	648	1 406	442	255	697	18	18	37
Paraffin									
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
2023	479	†	483	760	†	770	104	†	106
2024	422	†	426	690	11	700	109	†	109

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, 2020-2024 (thousands) (cont.)

Energy source	Cooking			Heating			Lighting		
	Black African	Other ¹	Total	Black African	Other ¹	Total	Black African	Other ¹	Total
Wood									
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	..	..	..
2023	1 455	33	1 487	1 924	162	2 086	..	..	..
2024	1 482	30	1 512	1 790	183	1 973	..	..	..
Coal									
2020	49	†	50	249	†	252	..	..	..
2021	66	..	66	218	†	220	..	..	..
2022	72	†	73	204	15	219	..	..	..
2023	55	†	55	158	†	165	..	..	..
2024	56	..	56	161	†	169	..	..	..
Candles									
2020	..	..	..	..	..	..	644	†	651
2021	..	..	..	..	..	..	674	24	697
2022	..	..	..	..	..	..	660	29	689
2023	..	..	..	..	..	..	772	33	805
2024	..	..	..	..	..	..	658	25	683
Animal dung									
2020	†	..	†	16	..	16	..	..	..
2021	..	†	†	†	†	†	..	..	..
2022	†	†	†	†	..	†	..	..	..
2023	†	..	†	†	..	†	..	..	..
2024	†	..	†	†	..	†	..	..	..

15.6 Number of households by energy source for cooking, for heating and for lighting, by population group of the household head, 2020-2024 (thousands) (concl.)

Energy source	Cooking			Heating			Lighting		
	Black African	Other ¹	Total	Black African	Other ¹	Total	Black African	Other ¹	Total
Other									
2020	38	..	38	63	†	63	39	..	39
2021	91	†	94	116	11	128	104	†	107
2022	157	†	157	189	14	203	173	†	174
2023	147	†	151	176	†	184	167	†	170
2024	116	†	119	143	†	153	132	†	137
None									
2020	†	†	12	3 438	612	4 050	†	†	†
2021	..	..	..	3 863	672	4 535	†	..	†
2022	18	†	19	3 608	755	4 364	14	†	15
2023	45	†	54	4 743	852	5 595	19	†	22
2024	37	†	39	4 594	738	5 331	26	†	29
Total									
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
2023	15 738	3 267	19 005	15 738	3 267	19 005	15 738	3 267	19 005
2024	16 267	3 283	19 551	16 267	3 283	19 551	16 267	3 283	19 551

15.7 Number of households by sanitation facility and population group of the household head, 2020-2024 (thousands)

Sanitation facility	Black African	Coloured	Indian or Asian	White	Total ¹
Flush toilet connected to public sewerage					
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
2023	8 558	1 157	430	1 436	11 582
2024	9 000	1 180	442	1 434	12 056
Flush toilet connected to septic tank					
2020	533	59	20	82	694
2021	584	68	15	83	749
2022	768	43	†	103	922
2023	797	52	†	105	960
2024	834	47	†	101	989
Chemical toilet					
2020	186	..	..	..	186
2021	141	†	†	..	152
2022	186	†	..	†	192
2023	176	†	..	..	179
2024	179	†	†	..	181
Pit latrine with ventilation pipe					
2020	3 149	39	..	†	3 190
2021	3 437	26	..	..	3 463
2022	3 203	19	†	..	3 225
2023	3 270	16	†	†	3 290
2024	3 180	11	†	..	3 192

¹ Total includes other and unspecified population groups.

15.7 Number of households by sanitation facility and population group of the household head, 2020-2024 (thousands) (cont.)

Sanitation facility	Black African	Coloured	Indian or Asian	White	Total ¹
Pit latrine without ventilation pipe					
2020	2 433	20	..	..	2 454
2021	2 389	↑	↑	..	2 400
2022	2 468	15	..	↑	2 485
2023	2 559	14	↑	..	2 577
2024	2 731	22	..	↑	2 754
Bucket toilet					
2020	109	22	..	..	131
2021	127	24	..	..	151
2022	138	13	..	..	150
2023	171	14	..	↑	186
2024	140	17	..	..	157
None					
2020	102	↑	..	..	106
2021	108	↑	..	..	112
2022	164	13	..	..	178
2023	147	18	..	..	164
2024	128	13	..	..	140

¹ Total includes other and unspecified population groups.

15.7 Number of households by sanitation facility by population group of the household head, 2020-2024 (thousands) (concl.)

Sanitation facility	Black African	Coloured	Indian or Asian	White	Total ¹
Other					
2020	36	†	..	..	41
2021	27	†	†	..	35
2022	88	†	..	†	94
2023	59	†	..	†	67
2024	75	†	..	..	80
Total					
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
2023	15 737	1 277	444	1 546	19 004
2024	16 267	1 296	451	1 536	19 550

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, 2020-2024 (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					
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
2023	8 448	1 167	414	1 367	11 396
2024	8 990	1 192	422	1 376	11 980
Removed by local authority/private company/community members less often than once a week					
2020	344	12	..	22	378
2021	403	21	17	23	463
2022	418	18	12	47	495
2023	432	25	†	28	493
2024	390	21	†	35	451
Communal refuse dump					
2020	856	33	..	77	966
2021	1 126	31	†	21	1 186
2022	975	26	13	45	1 059
2023	1 058	25	13	49	1 145
2024	1 122	24	18	51	1 215
Own refuse dump					
2020	4 887	48	†	57	5 003
2021	4 976	44	†	76	5 101
2022	5 195	37	†	92	5 329
2023	5 364	40	†	85	5 498
2024	5 386	37	†	70	5 500

¹Total includes other and unspecified population groups.

15.8 Number of households by type of refuse removal by population group of the household head, 2020-2024 (thousands) (concl.)

Type of refuse removal	Black African	Coloured	Indian or Asian	White	Total ¹
Dump or leave rubbish anywhere					
2020	404	†	..	†	415
2021	274	†	..	..	279
2022	438	20	..	†	462
2023	370	13	†	†	389
2024	328	16	..	..	344
Other					
2020	91	†	..	†	103
2021	76	14	..	†	92
2022	49	†	†	†	66
2023	64	†	†	12	83
2024	51	†	..	†	61
Total					
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
2023	15 737	1 277	444	1 545	19 003
2024	16 267	1 296	451	1 536	19 550

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, 2020-2024 (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															
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
2023	8 501	6 634	15 135	656	527	1 182	305	132	437	1 040	496	1 536	10 503	7 788	18 290
2024	8 760	6 845	15 605	659	559	1 218	312	134	446	1 024	497	1 521	10 755	8 035	18 790
No															
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	†	†	†	16	14	30	465	295	760
2023	405	198	603	44	51	95	†	†	†	†	†	11	461	254	715
2024	441	221	662	44	34	78	†	†	†	11	†	16	498	264	761
Total															
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
2023	8 906	6 832	15 738	700	577	1 277	310	134	444	1 047	499	1 546	10 963	8 042	19 005
2024	9 201	7 066	16 267	703	593	1 296	314	138	451	1 035	502	1 536	11 253	8 298	19 551

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, 2013-2023

	Western Cape			Eastern Cape			Northern Cape		
	Basic water	Free basic water	% free	Basic water	Free basic water	% free	Basic water	Free basic water	% free
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	1 466 358	583 716	39,8	1 579 129	393 782	24,9	322 527	64 214	19,9
2022	1 498 726	687 239	45,9	1 622 643	334 984	20,6	325 607	65 719	20,2
2023	1 529 556	629 269	41,1	1 667 482	293 627	17,6	332 811	68 696	20,6

15.10 Number of consumer units receiving water and free basic water services from municipalities, by province, 2013-2023 (cont.)

	Free State			KwaZulu-Natal			North West		
	Basic water	Free basic water	% free	Basic water	Free basic water	% free	Basic water	Free basic water	% free
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	898 747	165 792	18,4	2 542 583	646 198	25,4	1 167 698	113 756	9,7
2022	943 075	158 649	16,8	2 848 667	657 067	23,1	1 280 974	96 179	7,5
2023	951 883	171 468	18,0	2 927 844	651 232	22,2	1 298 116	95 464	7,4

15.10 Number of consumer units receiving water and free basic water services from municipalities, by province, 2013-2023 (concl.)

	Gauteng			Mpumalanga			Limpopo			South Africa		
	Basic water	Free basic water	% free	Basic water	Free basic water	% free	Basic water	Free basic water	% free	Basic water	Free basic water	% free
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	3 857 089	547 875	14,2	1 253 724	84 705	6,8	1 400 961	117 178	8,4	14 488 816	2 717 216	18,8
2022	4 079 304	408 667	10,0	1 263 937	79 596	6,3	1 411 369	107 096	7,6	15 274 302	2 595 196	17,0
2023	4 245 409	364 153	8,6	1 354 453	84 994	6,3	1 459 167	121 223	8,3	15 766 721	2 480 126	15,7

15.11 Number of consumer units receiving electricity and free basic electricity services from municipalities, by province, 2013-2023

	Western Cape			Eastern Cape			Northern Cape		
	Basic electricity	Free basic electricity	% free	Basic electricity	Free basic electricity	% free	Basic electricity	Free basic electricity	% free
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	264 628	18,7	312 395	67 549	21,6
2022	1 671 310	460 021	27,5	1 423 448	2 60 056	18,3	321 694	67 561	21,0
2023	1 685 497	434 763	25,6	1 467 367	241 557	16,5	337 949	71 484	21,2

15.11 Number of consumer units receiving electricity and free basic electricity services from municipalities, by province, 2013-2023 (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
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	205 054	10,0	1 081 641	120 441	11,1
2022	875 480	158 218	18,1	2 044 708	207 506	10,1	1 081 573	118 773	11,0
2023	901 626	171 513	19,0	2 079 545	323 029	15,5	1 089 596	107 092	9,8

15.11 Number of consumer units receiving electricity and free basic electricity services from municipalities, by province, 2013-2023 (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
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	2 665 143	420 201	15,8	1 072 112	80 824	7,5	1 600 355	83 625	5,2	12 682 244	1 863 526	14,7
2022	2 692 113	523 746	15,7	1 134 278	75 875	6,6	1 613 262	68 333	4,2	12 857 866	1 840 089	14,3
2023	2 866 014	357 414	12,5	1 189 662	74 680	6,3	1 634 578	68 214	4,2	13 261 834	1 849 746	13,9

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Debts



Debts

16.1 Liquidations and insolvencies, 2015-2024 (numbers)

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16.1 Liquidations and insolvencies, 2015-2024 (numbers)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Companies liquidated										
Compulsory	140	113	123	128	135	156	105	139	130	120
Voluntary	829	899	835	844	944	1 008	952	952	791	731
Total	969	1 012	958	972	1 079	1 164	1 057	1 091	921	851
Close corporations liquidated										
Compulsory	98	87	88	71	123	106	65	91	70	63
Voluntary	895	835	822	802	840	765	810	725	666	637
Total	993	922	910	873	963	871	875	816	736	700
Total liquidations										
Compulsory	238	200	211	199	258	262	170	230	200	183
Voluntary	1 724	1 734	1 657	1 646	1 784	1 773	1 762	1 677	1 457	1 368
Total	1 962	1 934	1 868	1 845	2 042	2 035	1 932	1 907	1 657	1 551
Total insolvencies										
Individuals and partnerships	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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17.1 Gross domestic product (GDP), 2015-2024 (R million)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
GDP at constant 2015 market prices	4 420 793	4 450 171	4 501 702	4 571 783	4 583 667	4 300 904	4 509 870	4 602 690	4 639 792	4 664 608
GDP at current market prices	4 420 793	4 759 555	5 078 190	5 363 190	5 625 207	5 562 760	6 206 842	6 666 581	7 037 674	7 352 449

17.2 GDP percentage changes relative to the previous year, 2015-2024

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
GDP at constant 2015 market prices	1,3	0,7	1,2	1,6	0,3	-6,2	4,9	2,1	0,8	0,5

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

The GDP has been revised from 2013 and the base year has been changed from 2005 to 2010.

17.3 Annualised percentage changes¹ of the seasonally adjusted GDP at constant 2015 market prices, 2015-2024

	First quarter	Second quarter	Third quarter	Fourth quarter
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	0,0	-16,8	13,8	2,8
2021	0,6	1,4	-1,7	1,6
2022	1,5	-0,9	1,9	-1,4
2023	0,7	0,8	-0,4	0,4
2024	0,1	0,3	-0,3	0,4

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

The GDP has been revised from 2013 and the base year has been changed from 2005 to 2010.

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, 2015-2024 (R million)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Agricultural, forestry and fishing	98 760	93 672	111 545	112 095	104 785	122 870	128 983	131 771	125 747	114 792
Mining and quarrying	227 875	220 141	225 420	223 613	222 100	194 985	219 636	204 453	204 229	205 126
Manufacturing	553 392	555 880	554 833	563 250	559 322	491 447	524 905	523 091	524 994	523 151
Electricity, gas and water supply	114 058	109 947	110 275	111 280	107 571	101 405	103 787	100 918	96 689	100 040
Construction	153 831	155 996	147 076	144 861	139 986	115 374	112 427	110 065	109 565	103 625
Wholesale and retail trade, hotels and restaurants	555 536	564 281	556 707	562 325	559 935	491 413	524 188	543 447	534 955	528 762
Transport, storage and communication	360 326	365 766	369 580	380 339	378 211	319 642	339 443	367 702	383 231	378 590
Finance, real estate and business services	921 868	938 154	961 364	994 663	1 016 210	1 021 809	1 047 807	1 086 089	1 101 706	1 137 339
General government services	344 540	351 165	356 086	362 957	367 515	371 364	368 231	368 425	370 829	372 000
Personal services	651 572	659 643	668 356	672 452	681 249	667 187	704 480	724 472	739 456	748 449
Total value added at basic prices	3 981 758	4 014 646	4 061 243	4 127 833	4 136 884	3 897 495	4 073 887	4 160 431	4 191 400	4 211 873
Taxes less subsidies on products	439 035	435 525	440 458	443 950	446 783	403 409	435 984	442 258	448 392	452 734
GDP at market prices	4 420 793	4 450 171	4 501 702	4 571 783	4 583 667	4 300 904	4 509 870	4 602 690	4 639 792	4 664 608

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

The GDP has been revised from 2013 and the base year has been changed from 2005 to 2010.

17.5 GDP by industry at current prices, 2015-2024 (R million)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Agricultural, forestry and fishing	98 760	114 905	126 640	121 246	109 710	143 445	152 556	173 716	178 417	206 692
Mining and quarrying	227 875	251 631	268 306	287 588	314 590	351 429	477 451	488 585	438 605	442 733
Manufacturing	553 392	594 166	635 419	668 094	697 576	652 236	749 635	829 683	913 491	940 915
Electricity, gas and water supply	114 058	125 723	135 534	143 270	150 939	156 535	176 338	196 880	219 437	244 372
Construction	153 831	160 423	159 730	163 385	165 682	138 117	142 118	150 299	157 199	159 399
Wholesale and retail trade, hotels and restaurants	555 536	594 486	631 789	670 007	701 085	658 894	757 682	820 747	887 958	915 326
Transport, storage and communication	360 326	375 966	397 780	406 015	417 542	374 137	407 572	459 382	497 047	518 359
Finance, real estate and business services	921 868	992 299	1 068 220	1 139 110	1 206 137	1 224 768	1 313 888	1 397 454	1 477 823	1 555 513
General government services	344 540	375 698	401 769	428 613	451 551	467 632	468 533	499 580	537 648	575 764
Personal services	651 572	703 544	767 264	802 276	843 354	868 683	946 779	974 248	1 013 593	1 066 506
Total value added at basic prices	3 981 758	4 288 841	4 592 450	4 829 603	5 058 166	5 035 875	5 592 551	5 990 574	6 321 218	6 625 579
Taxes less subsidies on products	439 035	470 714	485 740	533 587	567 041	526 885	614 291	676 007	716 456	726 870
GDP at market prices	4 420 793	4 759 555	5 078 190	5 363 190	5 625 207	5 562 760	6 206 842	6 666 581	7 037 674	7 352 449

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

The GDP has been revised from 2013 and the base year has been changed from 2005 to 2010.

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Figures are for the year 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, 2015-2024 (R billions)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
New construction works										
National Government	7,14	10,51	7,93	5,71	5,45	4,68	4,47	5,63	5,25	5,83
Provincial Government	23,78	27,87	24,13	21,60	18,72	14,54	13,40	15,05	15,41	17,24
Extra-Budgetary Accounts and Funds	12,76	15,99	15,84	14,45	10,37	7,78	5,79	9,38	12,65	16,98
Municipalities	49,24	53,02	52,03	50,46	52,62	46,38	47,49	47,48	48,69	57,70
Public corporations	79,67	83,20	80,46	66,80	52,88	41,42	39,21	38,71	41,44	49,38
Higher education institutions	1,87	3,11	1,62	1,68	1,67	1,63	2,82	2,52	1,91	3,61
Total	174,46	193,70	182,01	160,70	141,71	116,43	113,18	118,77	125,35	150,74
Plant, machinery and equipment										
National Government	3,26	2,19	1,91	1,75	3,31	2,86	2,42	2,64	2,65	2,53
Provincial Government	3,06	2,79	3,55	3,33	3,46	4,51	4,79	4,61	4,75	4,98
Extra-Budgetary Accounts and Funds	2,86	2,05	2,22	1,95	2,19	1,74	1,80	2,82	16,73	24,03
Municipalities	3,60	5,39	5,04	4,40	4,96	3,91	3,87	3,69	4,67	4,59
Public corporations	46,87	40,51	37,14	37,32	29,09	27,98	25,74	26,12	21,97	25,98
Higher education institutions	2,49	2,09	2,05	1,86	2,22	1,79	2,34	2,31	3,25	3,20
Total	62,14	55,02	51,91	50,61	45,23	42,79	40,96	42,19	54,02	65,31
Transport equipment¹										
National Government	1,66	2,02	1,81	2,34	2,35	1,92	2,06	1,99	2,31	2,20
Provincial Government	1,70	1,23	0,84	1,14	0,80	1,17	1,70	1,17	1,61	2,14
Extra-Budgetary Accounts and Funds	0,94	0,81	0,80	1,03	0,92	0,80	1,22	0,73	1,33	1,51
Municipalities	1,27	1,48	1,24	1,71	2,16	2,68	2,19	1,81	3,03	4,23
Public corporations	0,76	2,16	1,62	0,99	1,54	0,78	0,14	0,17	0,38	0,82
Higher education institutions	0,07	0,07	0,08	0,08	0,12	0,06	0,07	0,12	0,19	0,16
Total	6,40	7,77	6,39	7,29	7,89	7,40	7,38	5,99	8,85	11,06

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, 2015-2024 (R billions) (cont.)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Land and existing buildings										
National Government	4,17	3,00	2,92	3,69	3,69	2,56	2,35	3,40	4,79	4,84
Provincial Government	2,26	2,99	4,02	7,53	8,76	9,88	10,72	11,10	11,47	11,26
Extra-Budgetary Accounts and Funds	4,57	5,76	5,53	4,72	4,62	3,85	3,19	3,50	3,19	3,20
Municipalities	1,45	2,13	1,25	1,19	0,85	1,44	2,68	2,27	3,39	2,35
Public corporations	0,59	0,37	2,07	2,04	1,76	0,83	1,43	0,83	0,52	1,54
Higher education institutions	1,29	1,50	2,29	2,07	2,66	1,95	2,12	2,50	3,41	2,98
Total	14,33	15,75	18,08	21,24	22,34	20,51	22,49	23,60	26,77	26,17
Other fixed assets										
National Government	0,18	0,14	0,77	0,56	0,48	0,51	0,48	0,38	0,83	0,52
Provincial Government	0,21	0,31	0,22	0,22	0,20	0,31	0,33	0,32	0,26	0,37
Extra-Budgetary Accounts and Funds	0,96	1,31	2,00	1,13	0,97	2,67	1,69	2,92	3,26	6,01
Municipalities	0,61	1,54	1,45	1,28	1,16	1,36	1,34	0,83	1,09	2,15
Public corporations	3,89	4,04	5,21	2,97	3,32	3,12	2,15	1,97	3,59	3,27
Higher education institutions	0,11	0,06	0,03	0,17	0,16	0,14	0,19	0,35	0,18	0,16
Total	5,96	7,40	9,68	6,33	6,29	8,10	6,18	6,77	9,21	12,48

18.1 Actual capital expenditure by public sector institutions by type of expenditure, 2015-2024 (R billions) (concl.)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Leased assets² and Investment property²										
National Government	0,00	0,49	0,70	1,06	0,99	0,96	0,96	0,84	0,82	0,92
Provincial Government	0,00	1,24	1,26	1,14	1,24	1,56	1,44	1,53	1,63	1,56
Extra-Budgetary Accounts and Funds	0,42	0,82	0,43	0,80	1,04	2,17	1,61	1,43	2,71	2,49
Municipalities	0,66	0,64	1,08	0,17	0,60	0,44	0,47	0,38	0,16	0,55
Public corporations	0,82	0,39	0,40	0,43	1,15	2,70	3,88	7,30	4,12	3,50
Higher education institutions	0,01	0,04	0,01	0,00	1,70	1,26	1,27	1,10	0,55	1,26
Total	1,91	3,62	3,88	3,60	6,72	9,09	9,63	12,58	9,99	10,28
Total capital expenditure										
National Government	16,41	18,36	16,03	15,11	16,26	13,48	12,74	14,88	16,64	16,85
Provincial Government	31,01	36,43	34,02	34,96	33,18	31,97	32,38	33,8	35,13	37,54
Extra-Budgetary Accounts and Funds	22,51	26,74	26,82	24,08	20,10	19,01	15,30	20,77	39,86	54,20
Municipalities	56,83	64,20	62,09	59,22	62,34	56,21	58,03	56,46	61,02	71,57
Public corporations	132,59	130,68	126,91	110,54	89,74	76,83	72,55	75,1	72,01	84,50
Higher education institutions	5,83	6,87	6,08	5,85	8,52	6,82	8,81	8,91	9,49	11,38
Total	265,18	283,28	271,95	249,76	230,14	204,32	199,81	209,92	234,15	276,04

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

18.2 Expenditure incurred by municipalities, by province, 2017-2024 (R thousands)

	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Western Cape								
Employee related costs	14 678 081	16 438 809	18 363 370	19 247 488	22 185 881	22 532 274	22 855 376	25 375 019
Remuneration of councillors	382 679	417 414	434 656	451 538	449 977	455 563	480 926	501 394
Interest paid	1 207 447	1 302 738	1 306 718	1 385 302	1 431 367	1 403 559	1 517 610	1 621 951
Bad debts	2 350 523	2 459 031	2 442 684	3 982 426	4 085 550	4 191 399	4 863 053	4 404 488
Contracted services	5 895 632	3 755 709	4 066 888	8 829 948	7 169 315	10 144 713	11 680 117	12 671 533
Repairs and maintenance	459 036	328 616	118 649	0	0	0	0	0
Purchases of water	521 076	360 477	494 985	693 529	586 210	548 552	562 291	577 862
Purchases of electricity	12 013 568	11 809 145	12 532 000	14 190 539	14 899 220	17 678 239	17 836 127	21 160 137
Eastern Cape								
Employee related costs	9 669 033	10 219 334	11 142 651	11 836 705	13 187 199	13 100 164	13 055 339	14 106 854
Remuneration of councillors	565 439	630 292	648 227	676 537	674 363	675 350	710 399	738 519
Interest paid	399 189	386 859	387 053	412 587	389 672	466 598	657 956	688 709
Bad debts	1 874 731	2 330 915	2 761 687	3 528 156	4 466 613	5 983 296	7 405 336	9 046 706
Contracted services	1 872 399	2 255 867	2 659 796	2 301 771	2 588 920	3 251 117	3 757 681	4 345 696
Repairs and maintenance	701 065	552 024	508 960	0	0	0	0	0
Purchases of water	517 486	549 989	594 326	601 485	308 210	526 474	885 328	1 011 570
Purchases of electricity	5 581 433	5 592 049	5 962 225	6 517 915	7 040 601	8 305 847	8 662 388	10 333 017

18.2 Expenditure incurred by municipalities, by province, 2017-2024 (R thousands) (cont.)

	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Northern Cape								
Employee related costs	2 167 910	2 419 402	2 560 583	2 649 156	2 893 556	2 970 734	3 094 758	3 418 192
Remuneration of councillors	142 653	163 144	170 465	174 618	173 723	195 947	219 916	232 642
Interest paid	192 285	222 661	302 400	306 728	232 973	303 237	490 710	584 243
Bad debts	447 463	212 249	379 805	393 953	801 013	864 631	1 660 169	1 163 149
Contracted services	236 229	329 495	275 947	377 514	615 222	568 822	679 101	698 568
Repairs and maintenance	219 720	252 728	229 332	0	0	0	0	0
Purchases of water	239 692	244 956	283 506	313 069	247 743	239 949	236 049	226 133
Purchases of electricity	1 242 804	1 283 780	1 380 377	1 543 952	1 646 234	1 926 511	1 949 131	2 288 811
Free State								
Employee related costs	4 759 952	5 183 276	5 627 791	6 096 029	6 297 541	6 598 093	6 901 872	7 203 829
Remuneration of councillors	258 268	277 709	297 908	309 963	308 203	307 050	326 263	339 427
Interest paid	755 093	689 398	1 317 786	907 567	671 364	951 802	1 524 521	1 365 944
Bad debts	2 258 690	2 143 849	2 836 171	2 958 564	2 930 186	4 708 751	5 662 264	5 951 985
Contracted services	1 449 401	1 434 313	1 317 565	1 604 397	1 498 559	1 700 380	1 357 486	1 635 661
Repairs and maintenance	342 817	329 907	232 243	0	0	0	0	0
Purchases of water	1 231 124	1 327 952	1 773 638	1 845 834	1 614 915	1 771 305	1 723 062	2 052 302
Purchases of electricity	3 616 583	3 044 053	3 224 587	4 395 920	4 661 997	5 326 853	5 369 970	6 217 153

18.2 Expenditure incurred by municipalities, by province, 2017-2024 (R thousands) (cont.)

	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
KwaZulu-Natal								
Employee related costs	15 815 270	17 875 136	19 137 827	20 480 394	22 508 698	22 039 294	23 358 352	25 194 176
Remuneration of councillors	657 339	748 349	774 168	808 615	811 099	816 559	900 008	957 482
Interest paid	1 229 404	1 207 296	1 177 781	1 288 449	1 189 937	1 237 392	1 556 790	1 647 471
Bad debts	3 061 533	3 015 891	2 667 163	5 300 146	5 229 236	6 060 113	6 551 621	10 208 112
Contracted services	7 064 852	8 398 507	8 180 269	9 371 726	8 790 550	10 852 969	11 589 216	12 788 941
Repairs and maintenance	720 959	416 707	391 196	0	0	0	0	0
Purchases of water	2 813 602	3 334 457	4 113 907	5 244 813	4 953 042	5 434 066	5 220 146	5 839 342
Purchases of electricity	13 205 595	12 899 987	13 725 948	15 248 565	16 416 407	18 793 534	19 811 498	23 241 773
North West								
Employee related costs	3 919 664	4 199 527	4 679 802	5 073 214	5 359 612	5 493 112	5 866 500	6 216 553
Remuneration of councillors	299 256	350 765	384 359	391 373	408 510	402 313	424 987	449 050
Interest paid	442 511	310 936	323 714	467 541	360 783	478 530	830 976	894 629
Bad debts	1 879 306	1 772 594	2 444 659	3 443 931	2 436 822	3 445 781	4 191 325	4 474 070
Contracted services	1 022 919	1 145 635	1 430 584	1 422 432	1 546 017	2 111 933	2 786 702	2 514 454
Repairs and maintenance	574 434	602 767	560 179	0	0	0	0	0
Purchases of water	1 000 413	1 284 729	1 583 012	1 579 632	1 358 079	1 362 192	1 479 086	1 668 112
Purchases of electricity	3 481 629	3 223 362	4 289 669	3 913 681	4 517 364	5 930 386	5 987 678	5 254 144

18.2 Expenditure incurred by municipalities, by province, 2017-2024 (R thousands) (cont.)

	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Gauteng								
Employee related costs	28 061 854	29 840 405	33 912 179	38 973 498	40 628 365	41 028 419	43 156 721	45 757 920
Remuneration of councillors	539 330	597 624	628 167	624 583	631 757	633 034	673 757	701 582
Interest paid	5 000 842	5 540 882	5 500 643	5 717 906	5 927 579	6 358 747	7 230 471	7 660 706
Bad debts	9 798 171	8 749 324	12 881 904	17 117 327	14 737 511	16 239 823	21 219 331	25 611 848
Contracted services	4 788 477	5 242 342	6 905 143	7 987 823	8 404 163	8 806 024	9 162 829	9 404 590
Repairs and maintenance	4 567 864	4 897 430	4 591 019	0	0	0	0	0
Purchases of water	10 041 973	11 609 718	13 784 474	14 639 871	14 649 416	15 594 441	17 705 503	19 622 098
Purchases of electricity	30 777 108	30 644 566	32 327 629	36 408 326	38 698 515	45 064 041	45 925 539	53 140 844
Mpumalanga								
Employee related costs	4 568 822	5 266 099	5 777 771	6 327 169	6 923 078	7 224 730	7 545 027	8 096 240
Remuneration of councillors	314 033	349 159	369 083	403 119	386 720	390 871	423 513	457 645
Interest paid	418 227	566 859	1 029 872	923 255	672 668	1 089 511	1 832 523	1 975 482
Bad debts	1 121 180	1 787 047	2 025 134	2 501 410	3 521 320	3 029 876	4 565 284	4 600 070
Contracted services	1 906 965	1 804 144	2 227 798	2 587 003	2 705 904	2 923 963	3 210 298	4 438 064
Repairs and maintenance	275 868	113 274	58 291	0	0	0	0	0
Purchases of water	843 711	973 275	1 220 176	878 567	863 695	836 375	833 128	900 836
Purchases of electricity	3 557 346	3 599 777	4 010 297	4 502 638	4 805 740	5 588 194	5 672 466	6 791 230

18.2 Expenditure incurred by municipalities, by province, 2017-2024 (R thousands) (concl.)

	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Limpopo								
Employee related costs	4 625 065	5 165 129	5 678 959	6 174 526	6 567 714	6 676 338	6 999 130	7 501 035
Remuneration of councillors	423 217	471 593	501 604	512 676	513 431	511 656	536 305	572 715
Interest paid	161 842	239 164	297 474	357 891	287 019	292 864	383 745	359 765
Bad debts	862 784	1 517 803	1 120 586	1 144 323	2 193 751	2 547 606	2 967 123	2 752 229
Contracted services	1 718 846	2 225 752	2 380 121	2 571 273	3 222 144	3 402 896	3 736 753	4 526 217
Repairs and maintenance	626 263	520 698	528 998	0	0	0	0	0
Purchases of water	727 005	715 869	704 298	682 355	396 504	781 317	778 782	1 042 165
Purchases of electricity	2 091 782	2 106 593	2 277 920	2 399 642	2 568 767	2 876 120	2 894 126	3 425 231
South Africa								
Employee related costs	88 265 651	96 607 117	106 880 933	116 858 179	126 551 644	127 663 158	132 833 075	142 869 818
Remuneration of councillors	3 582 214	4 006 049	4 208 637	4 353 022	4 357 783	4 388 343	4 696 074	4 950 456
Interest paid	9 806 840	10 466 793	11 643 441	11 767 226	11 163 362	12 582 240	16 025 302	16 798 900
Bad debts	23 654 381	23 988 703	29 559 793	40 370 236	40 402 002	47 071 276	59 085 506	68 212 657
Contracted services	25 955 720	26 591 764	29 444 111	37 053 887	36 540 794	43 762 817	47 960 183	53 023 724
Repairs and maintenance	8 488 026	8 014 151	7 218 867	0	0	0	0	0
Purchases of water	17 936 082	20 401 422	24 552 322	26 479 155	24 977 814	27 094 671	29 423 375	32 940 420
Purchases of electricity	75 567 848	74 203 312	79 730 652	89 121 178	95 254 845	111 489 725	114 108 923	131 852 340

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, 2017-2024 (R thousands)

	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Western Cape								
Property rates received	11 808 804	11 229 156	13 741 426	12 980 862	13 214 808	13 884 271	15 046 354	16 195 715
Sales of water	4 026 442	4 569 536	4 824 848	4 738 820	4 786 807	5 374 842	5 810 164	6 927 088
Sales of electricity	17 325 581	17 469 293	19 066 723	20 897 560	21 161 491	24 173 869	24 088 893	28 842 243
Refuse removal charges	1 764 644	1 956 248	2 137 660	2 256 798	1 963 199	2 068 104	2 253 531	2 414 899
Sewerage and sanitation charges	2 449 223	2 438 592	2 594 440	2 581 620	2 625 392	2 967 259	3 240 496	3 767 785
Interest received	1 629 504	1 818 307	2 136 405	2 330 225	1 813 360	1 877 326	2 758 408	3 261 199
Fines	2 109 799	2 479 511	2 378 058	2 068 877	2 314 956	2 796 334	3 006 596	2 876 778
Licences and permits	98 603	99 130	107 472	85 152	90 891	97 757	100 330	103 651
Grants and subsidies received	9 427 285	10 097 620	10 861 783	11 444 478	12 347 583	12 507 902	13 808 349	15 559 629
Eastern Cape								
Property rates received	3 561 937	4 117 739	4 705 565	5 257 743	5 634 872	6 048 799	6 285 105	6 847 891
Sales of water	2 021 197	2 334 318	2 578 601	2 962 453	4 022 738	5 353 107	6 478 177	5 467 880
Sales of electricity	6 754 786	6 688 059	7 133 956	7 338 336	7 788 781	8 412 553	8 662 661	9 800 757
Refuse removal charges	627 322	713 156	839 707	906 932	993 876	1 104 706	1 205 730	1 259 784
Sewerage and sanitation charges	951 873	1 077 023	1 238 388	1 383 025	1 533 433	1 632 995	1 707 945	1 923 184
Interest received	1 065 090	1 116 151	1 379 648	1 497 934	1 308 734	1 707 963	2 870 609	3 792 436
Fines	345 179	328 412	349 442	300 595	135 257	206 726	351 055	265 595
Licences and permits	108 267	113 670	111 189	86 380	101 493	101 986	103 792	109 612
Grants and subsidies received	15 354 981	16 700 698	17 333 977	17 243 972	19 182 690	18 211 698	19 346 157	20 601 699

18.3 Revenue generated by municipalities, by province, 2017-2024 (R thousands) (cont.)

	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Northern Cape								
Property rates received	1 361 186	1 035 973	1 164 876	1 306 852	1 301 854	1 346 216	1 408 505	1 513 516
Sales of water	597 302	561 651	641 721	676 872	688 050	695 599	744 710	748 420
Sales of electricity	1 587 715	1 600 212	1 669 264	1 868 187	1 889 896	2 055 672	2 016 827	2 348 120
Refuse removal charges	220 975	204 089	250 881	268 673	247 011	279 635	305 738	336 982
Sewerage and sanitation charges	291 025	261 905	288 911	319 658	288 692	326 622	356 151	390 000
Interest received	304 411	335 535	360 169	394 798	341 891	431 619	646 119	820 202
Fines	86 730	102 416	124 697	92 963	62 882	57 830	91 132	91 693
Licences and permits	21 617	25 364	19 295	17 947	21 941	27 109	26 740	25 383
Grants and subsidies received	2 366 464	2 781 471	3 038 784	3 123 222	3 518 147	3 584 001	3 568 035	4 009 780
Free State								
Property rates received	2 132 484	2 396 513	2 488 989	2 728 324	2 662 704	2 806 221	2 928 306	3 352 198
Sales of water	1 966 997	1 995 871	2 194 740	2 283 305	2 470 208	2 662 192	5 015 386	5 753 060
Sales of electricity	4 157 017	4 213 222	4 365 495	4 641 324	4 868 640	5 070 345	789 941	846 953
Refuse removal charges	482 510	541 045	554 219	590 244	600 204	655 036	1 309 515	1 382 021
Sewerage and sanitation charges	722 850	828 237	873 153	926 368	1 017 515	1 093 779	1 895 189	2 528 455
Interest received	826 469	808 791	962 941	1 037 885	954 272	1 245 836	54 915	110 463
Fines	125 081	94 091	126 295	48 005	48 700	35 929	624	906
Licences and permits	335	385	312	434	327	1 235	7 791 959	8 304 374
Grants and subsidies received	5 991 068	5 926 594	6 383 518	6 376 260	7 772 590	7 429 336	2 928 306	3 352 198

18.3 Revenue generated by municipalities, by province, 2017-2024 (R thousands) (cont.)

	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
KwaZulu-Natal								
Property rates received	10 202 219	11 695 896	12 902 446	13 685 870	14 369 570	14 958 032	17 470 125	18 567 052
Sales of water	4 731 073	5 265 636	6 110 351	6 964 569	8 261 353	8 497 315	9 019 402	10 412 503
Sales of electricity	18 171 304	18 321 509	18 783 457	20 196 438	20 593 613	22 808 831	23 681 758	26 027 085
Refuse removal charges	1 075 446	1 231 763	1 347 325	1 370 062	1 445 898	1 540 850	1 726 553	1 825 267
Sewerage and sanitation charges	1 278 509	1 513 514	1 514 804	1 696 906	1 712 102	2 015 659	2 122 264	2 493 979
Interest received	1 586 997	1 837 332	1 859 263	1 807 995	1 086 616	1 489 666	3 272 143	4 787 602
Fines	712 523	625 894	393 882	371 736	360 189	277 251	445 911	460 275
Licences and permits	137 520	144 308	149 921	93 982	107 920	130 053	137 375	130 835
Grants and subsidies received	19 613 583	20 200 022	20 777 639	23 139 677	25 750 269	25 167 256	28 111 658	31 305 760
North West								
Property rates received	1 689 853	1 859 652	2 013 904	2 084 576	2 289 007	2 355 137	2 580 643	2 701 274
Sales of water	1 552 122	1 617 783	1 873 109	2 035 194	1 961 575	1 875 197	2 103 414	1 957 085
Sales of electricity	4 277 410	4 378 562	4 618 522	4 543 931	5 107 685	6 095 030	6 114 650	5 074 680
Refuse removal charges	484 473	497 128	512 655	541 227	579 708	641 799	675 852	711 091
Sewerage and sanitation charges	482 831	487 564	531 605	576 119	602 826	626 789	632 976	665 839
Interest received	685 665	791 471	1 230 722	1 337 087	1 314 113	1 607 607	2 040 443	2 487 638
Fines	167 825	181 918	234 338	92 715	68 230	59 063	100 771	83 434
Licences and permits	54 057	59 098	71 041	45 000	51 509	67 149	60 724	72 567
Grants and subsidies received	7 017 747	7 677 135	8 254 023	8 865 112	10 566 353	9 673 841	10 593 279	11 518 270

18.3 Revenue generated by municipalities, by province, 2017-2024 (R thousands) (cont.)

	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Gauteng								
Property rates received	19 921 340	23 414 443	27 379 108	28 197 984	30 068 635	32 687 718	34 088 675	38 892 391
Sales of water	13 627 190	15 473 339	18 206 251	18 750 369	19 381 856	21 177 602	22 713 514	24 241 482
Sales of electricity	42 513 487	40 859 695	43 662 870	46 609 270	48 417 607	53 304 803	53 130 418	60 121 932
Refuse removal charges	4 330 141	4 581 571	5 109 414	4 986 830	5 280 446	5 845 624	5 929 304	6 713 157
Sewerage and sanitation charges	5 773 720	6 542 099	7 595 137	8 676 360	9 060 555	10 077 442	11 728 238	12 259 080
Interest received	2 530 047	2 835 371	3 319 401	2 950 181	2 248 790	2 612 298	5 624 425	6 168 627
Fines	1 015 298	1 335 003	2 031 746	2 517 140	2 682 474	1 179 761	1 753 330	1 715 052
Licences and permits	118 836	128 811	112 273	94 275	112 477	92 262	106 834	91 245
Grants and subsidies received	25 413 037	26 827 296	28 576 798	30 475 291	35 324 521	28 897 052	31 413 902	33 712 610
Mpumalanga								
Property rates received	2 424 889	2 671 305	3 051 016	3 020 892	3 410 385	3 552 002	3 660 845	4 110 677
Sales of water	1 318 798	1 447 727	1 537 734	1 761 807	1 811 463	1 890 373	1 868 620	1 977 376
Sales of electricity	3 752 217	3 800 903	4 069 987	4 325 960	4 599 906	4 931 022	5 022 024	5 986 956
Refuse removal charges	502 982	533 694	598 078	569 810	694 180	725 992	784 604	861 927
Sewerage and sanitation charges	452 896	527 266	504 347	668 853	584 389	590 464	651 107	717 311
Interest received	777 215	933 816	1 159 538	1 225 600	1 097 571	1 115 929	1 525 213	1 839 006
Fines	149 204	171 277	477 222	363 851	282 032	402 086	363 301	309 652
Licences and permits	27 441	26 401	32 913	23 246	25 034	27 912	34 024	31 798
Grants and subsidies received	7 556 471	7 949 536	8 527 272	9 273 193	10 715 377	10 487 584	11 566 873	12 398 184

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

18.3 Revenue generated by municipalities, by province, 2017-2024 (R thousands) (concl.)

	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Limpopo								
Property rates received	1 243 239	1 423 326	1 625 425	1 881 846	1 903 764	2 040 987	2 221 600	2 475 368
Sales of water	751 495	911 721	975 318	1 703 777	1 078 093	1 447 762	1 617 422	1 210 635
Sales of electricity	2 513 487	2 642 482	2 767 320	3 143 217	3 199 122	3 581 359	3 558 594	4 236 734
Refuse removal charges	277 655	314 807	308 369	336 728	366 293	388 273	403 927	432 746
Sewerage and sanitation charges	172 701	217 997	252 508	293 056	539 040	350 308	345 281	421 369
Interest received	613 910	660 534	643 992	734 717	720 360	861 806	1 283 572	1 631 708
Fines	159 209	208 912	155 009	129 398	315 460	171 416	426 032	281 219
Licences and permits	118 458	106 668	86 945	86 611	83 580	99 297	83 533	88 604
Grants and subsidies received	11 487 517	12 657 869	13 533 594	14 338 344	16 871 459	15 429 275	17 022 129	19 129 137
South Africa								
Property rates received	54 345 951	59 844 003	69 072 755	71 144 949	74 855 599	79 679 383	85 683 420	94 292 501
Sales of water	30 592 616	34 177 582	38 942 673	41 877 166	44 462 143	48 973 989	53 283 729	56 294 667
Sales of electricity	101 053 004	99 973 937	106 137 594	113 564 223	117 626 741	130 433 484	131 291 211	148 191 567
Refuse removal charges	9 766 148	10 573 501	11 658 308	11 827 304	12 170 815	13 250 019	14 075 180	15 402 806
Sewerage and sanitation charges	12 575 628	13 894 197	15 393 293	17 121 965	17 963 944	19 681 317	22 093 973	24 020 568
Interest received	10 019 308	11 137 308	13 052 079	13 316 422	10 885 707	12 950 050	21 916 121	27 316 873
Fines	4 870 848	5 527 434	6 270 689	5 985 280	6 270 180	5 186 396	6 593 043	6 194 161
Licences and permits	685 134	703 835	691 361	533 027	595 172	644 760	653 976	654 601
Grants and subsidies received	104 228 153	110 818 241	117 287 388	124 279 549	142 048 989	131 387 945	143 222 341	156 539 443

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