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South Africa

Census Results

1904-xx-xx 5,174,000
1911-xx-xx 5,972,000
1921-xx-xx 6,926,000
1936-xx-xx 9,588,000
1946-05-07 11,415,000
1951-05-08 12,671,452
1960-09-06 15,994,181
1970-05-06 21,794,328
1980-05-06 25,016,525
1985-03-05 23,385,645
1991-03-07 37,944,000
1996-10-09 40,583,573
2001-10-10 44,819,778
2011-10-10 51,770,560

General Information

Official name	Republic of South Africa (the) Republiek van Suid-Afrika «Afrikaans» Republic of South Africa (the) «English» iRiphabliki ySewula Afrika «Ndebele» Rephaboliki ya Afrika-Borwa «Pedi»
Official name [native]	Rephaboliki ya Afrika-Borwa «Sesotho» iRiphabhulikhi yeNingizimu Afrika «Swati» Riphabliki ra Afrika Dzonga «Tsonga» Rephaboliki ya Aforika Borwa «Tswana» Riphabuḽiki ya Afurika Tshipembe «Venda»

	iRiphabliki yaseMzantsi Afrika «Xhosa»
	iRiphabliki yaseNingizimu Afrika «Zulu»
Capital	Pretoria
Capital [native]	Pretoria «English»
Region	Southern Africa
ISO code	ZA
Statistical agency	Statistics South Africa

Name in Chinese

Name in Arabic جمهورية جنوب أفريقيا

Name in Spanish la República de Sudáfrica

Name in Russian Южно-Африканская Республика

Name in French la République sud-africaine

Administrative units

code	province	capital	area (sq.km.)	population 2001-10-10 census	population 2011-10-10 prelim. census
EC	Eastern Cape	King Williams Town/ Bisho	168,966	6,278,651	6,562,053
FS	Free State	Bloemfontein	129,825	2,706,776	2,745,590
GP	Gauteng	Johannesburg	18,178	9,389,355	12,272,263
KZN	KwaZulu- Natal	Pietermaritzburg/ Ulundi	94,361	9,584,129	10,267,300
LP	Limpopo	Polokwane	125,754	4,995,535	5,404,868
MP	Mpumalanga	Nelspruit	76,495	3,365,886	4,039,939
NW	North West	Mahiking	104,882	2,983,195	3,509,953
NC	Northern Cape	Kimberley	372,889	991,919	1,145,861
WC	Western Cape	Cape Town	129,462	4,524,334	5,822,734
	total		1,220,813	44,819,778	51,770,560

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Expanded administrative units

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EC	Eastern Cape	King Williams Town/Bisho	168,966	6,278,651	6,562,053
DC10	Cacadu DM	Port Elizabeth	58,243	388,207	450,584
EC101	Camdeboo Loc.Mun.	Graaff-Reinet	12,422	44,372	50,993
EC102	Blue Crane Route Loc.Mun.	Somerset East	11,069	35,010	36,002
EC103	Ikwezi Loc.Mun.	Jansenville	4,563	10,367	10,537
EC104	Makana Loc.Mun.	Grahamstown	4,376	75,302	80,390
EC105	Ndlambe Loc.Mun.	Port Alfred	1,841	54,717	61,176
EC106	Sunday's River Valley Loc.Mun.	Kirkwood	5,994	39,862	54,504
EC107	Baviaans Loc.Mun.	Willowmore	11,668	23,589	17,761
EC108	Kouga Loc.Mun.	Jeffrey's Bay	2,670	70,695	98,558
EC109	Kou-Kamma Loc.Mun.	Kareedouw	3,642	34,293	40,663
DC12	Amathole DM	East London	21,595	969,206	892,636
EC121	Mbhashe Loc.Mun.	Dutywa [Idutywa]	3,169	255,071	254,909
EC122	Mnquma Loc.Mun.	Butterworth [Gcuwa]	3,270	286,307	252,390
EC123	Great Kei Loc.Mun.	Komga	1,736	44,459	38,990
EC124	Amahlati Loc.Mun.	Stutterheim	4,820	138,649	122,778
EC126	Ngqushwa Loc.Mun.	Peddie	2,241	84,233	72,190
EC127	Nkonkobe Loc.Mun.	Fort Beaufort	3,626	135,663	127,115
EC128	Nxuba Loc.Mun.	Adelaide	2,732	24,824	24,264
DC13	Chris Hani DM	Queenstown	36,144	809,580	795,460
EC131	Inxuba Yethemba Loc.Mun.	Cradock	11,663	60,385	65,559
EC132	Tsolwana Loc.Mun.	Tarkastad	6,087	32,516	33,281
EC133	Inkwanca Loc.Mun.	Molteno	3,584	20,244	21,971
EC134	Lukhanji Loc.Mun.	Queenstown	3,813	184,542	190,723

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EC135	Intsika Yethu Loc.Mun.	Comfimvaba	2,711	175,221	145,372
EC136	Emalahleni Loc.Mun.	Lady Frere	3,447	125,413	119,459
EC137	Engcobo Loc.Mun.	Engcobo	2,484	148,403	155,513
EC138	Sakhisizwe Loc.Mun.	Cala	2,355	62,856	63,582
DC14	Joe Gqabi DM	Barkley East	25,663	341,831	349,767
EC141	Elundini Loc.Mun.	Madear	5,065	137,476	138,140
EC142	Senqu Loc.Mun.	Lady Grey	7,329	135,734	134,151
EC143	Maletswai Loc.Mun.	Aliwal North	4,358	37,307	43,800
EC144	Gariep Loc.Mun.	Burgersdorp	8,911	31,314	33,676
DC15	Oliver R.Tambo DM	Umtata	12,096	1,295,062	1,364,944
EC153	Ingquza Hill Loc.Mun.	Flagstaff	2,477	254,480	278,481
EC154	Port St Johns Loc.Mun.	Port St Johns	1,291	146,967	156,136
EC155	Nyandeni Loc.Mun.	Libode	2,474	274,416	290,390
EC156	Mhlontlo Loc.Mun.	Qumbu	2,826	202,851	188,226
EC157	King Sabata Dalindyebo Loc.Mun.	Mthatha	3,027	416,348	451,711
DC44	Alfred Nzo DM	Mount Ayliff	10,731	773,709	801,344
EC441	Matatiele Loc.Mun.	Matatiele	4,352	194,630	203,843
EC442	Umzimvubu Loc.Mun.	Mount Frere	2,577	197,550	191,620
EC443	Mbizana Loc.Mun.	Bizana	2,417	245,730	281,905
EC444	Ntabankulu Loc.Mun.	Ntabankulu	1,385	135,799	123,976
BUF	Buffalo City MM	East London	2,536	695,278	755,200
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NMA	Nelson Mandela Bay MM	Port Elizabeth	1,959	1,005,779	1,152,115
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FS	Free State	Bloemfontein	129,825	2,706,776	2,745,590
DC16	Xhariep DM	Trompsburg	37,674	162,726	146,258
FS161	Letsemeng Loc.Mun.	Koffiefontein	9,829	42,982	38,629
FS162	Kopanong Loc.Mun.	Trompsburg	15,645	55,944	49,170
FS163	Mohokare Loc.Mun.	Zastron	8,776	36,321	34,145
FS164	Naledi Loc.Mun.	Dewetsdorp	3,424	27,479	24,314
DC18	Lejweleputswa DM	Welkom	31,930	657,012	627,627
FS181	Masilonyana Loc.Mun.	Theunissen	6,796	64,409	63,335
FS182	Tokologo Loc.Mun.	Boshoff	9,326	32,455	28,986
FS183	Tswelopele Loc.Mun.	Bultfontein	6,524	53,714	47,625
FS184	Matjhabeng Loc.Mun.	Welkom	5,155	408,170	406,461
FS185	Nala Loc.Mun.	Bothaville	4,129	98,264	81,220
DC19	Thabo Mofutsanyane DM	Phuthaditjhaba	33,269	781,280	736,238
FS191	Setsoto Loc.Mun.	Ficksburg	5,966	123,194	112,597
FS192	Dihlabeng Loc.Mun.	Bethlehem	4,880	128,929	128,704
FS193	Nketoana Loc.Mun.	Reitz	5,611	61,951	60,324
FS194	Maluti a Phofung Loc.Mun.	Phuthaditjhaba	4,338	360,958	335,784
FS195	Phumelela Loc.Mun.	Vrede	8,183	50,906	47,773
FS196	Mantsopa Loc.Mun.	Ladybrand	4,291	55,342	51,056
DC20	Fezile Dabi DM	Sasolburg	20,668	460,316	488,036
FS201	Moqhaka Loc.Mun.	Kroonstad	7,925	167,892	160,532
FS203	Ngwathe Loc.Mun.	Parys	7,055	118,810	120,520

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FS204	Metsimaholo Loc.Mun.	Sasolburg	1,717	115,955	149,108
FS205	Mafube Loc.Mun.	Frankfort	3,971	57,659	57,876
MAN	Mangaung MM	Bloemfontein	6,284	645,440	747,431
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GP	Gauteng	Johannesburg	18,178	9,389,355	12,272,263
DC42	Sedibeng DM	Vereeniging	4,173	796,754	916,483
GT421	Emfuleni Loc.Mun.	Vanderbijlpark	966	658,420	721,662
GT422	Midvaal Loc.Mun.	Meyerton	1,722	64,642	95,301
GT423	Lesedi Loc.Mun.	Heidelberg	1,484	73,692	99,520
DC48	West Rand DM	Randfontein	4,087	744,156	820,994
GT481	Mogale City Loc.Mun.	Krugersdorp	1,342	295,616	362,422
GT482	Randfontein Loc.Mun.	Randfontein	475	128,731	149,285
GT483	Westonaria Loc.Mun.	Westonaria	640	109,328	111,767
GT484	Merafong City Loc.Mun.	Carletonville	1,631	210,481	197,520
EKU	Ekurhuleni MM	Germiston	1,975	2,478,631	3,178,471
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JHB	City of Johannesburg MM	Johannesburg	1,645	3,225,309	4,434,827
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TSH	City of Tshwane MM	Pretoria	6,298	2,144,505	2,921,488
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KZN	KwaZulu-Natal	Pietermaritzburg/ Ulundi	94,361	9,584,129	10,267,300
DC21	Ugu DM	Port Shepstone	5,047	704,030	722,484
KZ211	Vulamehlo Loc.Mun.	Scottburgh	960	83,044	77,403

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KZ212	Umdoni Loc.Mun.	Scottburgh	252	62,293	78,875
KZ213	Umzumbe Loc.Mun.	Hibberdene	1,259	193,768	160,975
KZ214	Umuziwabantu Loc.Mun.	Harding	1,089	92,327	96,556
KZ215	Ezingolweni Loc.Mun.	Izingolweni	648	54,429	52,540
KZ216	Hibiscus Coast Loc.Mun.	Port Shepstone	839	218,170	256,135
DC22	uMgungundlovu DM	Pietermaritzburg	9,513	927,846	1,017,764
KZ221	Umshwathi Loc.Mun.	Wartburg	1,818	108,422	106,374
KZ222	uMngeni Loc.Mun.	Howick	1,567	73,896	92,710
KZ223	Mpofana Loc.Mun.	Mooi River	1,820	36,831	38,104
KZ224	Impendle Loc.Mun.	Impendle	1,528	33,569	33,105
KZ225	Msunduzi Loc.Mun.	Pietermaritzburg	634	552,837	618,536
KZ226	Mkhambathini Loc.Mun.	Camperdown	891	59,067	63,142
KZ227	Richmond Loc.Mun.	Richmond	1,256	63,223	65,793
DC23	uThukela DM	Ladysmith	11,326	656,985	668,846
KZ232	Emnambithi- Ladysmith Loc.Mun.	Ladysmith	2,965	225,459	237,437
KZ233	Indaka Loc.Mun.	Wasbank	992	113,644	103,116
KZ234	Umtshezi Loc.Mun.	Estcourt	1,972	59,920	83,153
KZ235	Okhahlamba Loc.Mun.	Bergville	3,971	138,037	132,067
KZ236	Imbabazane Loc.Mun.	Estcourt	1,426	119,925	113,073
DC24	Umzinyathi DM	Dundee	8,589	480,411	510,837
KZ241	Endumeni Loc.Mun.	Dundee	1,610	51,101	64,862
KZ242	Nquthu Loc.Mun.	Nquthu	1,962	168,991	165,307
KZ244	Msinga Loc.Mun.	Tugela Ferry	2,501	168,025	177,576
KZ245	Umvoti Loc.Mun.	Greytown	2,516	92,294	103,092
DC25	Amajuba DM	Newcastle	6,911	468,036	499,839

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KZ252	Newcastle Loc.Mun.	Madadeni	1,855	332,981	363,236
KZ253	eMadlangeni Loc.Mun.	Utrecht	3,539	32,277	34,442
KZ254	Dannhauser Loc.Mun.	Dannhauser	1,516	102,779	102,161
DC26	Zululand DM	Ulundi	14,799	780,497	803,574
KZ261	eDumbe Loc.Mun.	Paulpietersburg	1,943	82,241	82,052
KZ262	uPhongolo Loc.Mun.	Pongola	3,239	119,781	127,238
KZ263	Abaqulusi Loc.Mun.	Vryheid	4,185	191,019	211,060
KZ265	Nongoma Loc.Mun.	Nongoma	2,182	198,443	194,908
KZ266	Ulundi Loc.Mun.	Ulundi	3,250	189,013	188,316
DC27	uMkhanyakude DM	Mkuze	13,855	573,341	625,846
KZ271	uMhlabuyalingana Loc.Mun.	Mbazwana	4,402	140,958	156,736
KZ272	Jozini Loc.Mun.	Jozini	3,442	184,052	186,502
KZ273	The Big Five False Bay Loc.Mun.	Hluhluwe	2,487	31,291	35,258
KZ274	Hlabisa	Hlabisa	1,555	176,890	71,925
KZ275	Mtubatuba Loc.Mun.	Mtubatuba	1,970	33,612	175,425
KZDMA27	Umkhanyakude DMA			6,538	
DC28	uThungulu DM	Richards Bay	8,213	885,965	907,521
KZ281	Mfolozi Loc.Mun.	Kwambonambi	1,210	106,942	122,889
KZ282	City of uMhlathuze Loc.Mun.	Richards Bay	793	289,190	334,459
KZ283	Ntambanana Loc.Mun.	Empangeni	1,083	84,771	74,337
KZ284	Umlalazi Loc.Mun.	Eshowe	2,214	221,078	213,601
KZ285	Mthonjaneni Loc.Mun.	Melmoth	1,086	50,382	47,818

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KZ286	Nkandla Loc.Mun.	Nkandla	1,828	133,602	114,417
DC29	iLembe DM	KwaDukuza	3,269	560,389	606,820
KZ291	Mandeni Loc.Mun.	Mandeni	545	128,670	138,078
KZ292	KwaDukuza Loc.Mun.	KwaDukuza	735	158,582	231,188
KZ293	Ndwedwe Loc.Mun.	Ndwedwe	1,093	152,495	140,830
KZ294	Maphumulo Loc.Mun.	Maphumulo	896	120,643	96,724
DC43	Sisonke DM	Ixopo	10,547	456,506	461,420
KZ431	Ingwe Loc.Mun.	Creighton	1,976	107,558	100,547
KZ432	Kwa Sani Loc.Mun.	Himeville	1,852	16,123	12,898
KZ433	Greater Kokstad Loc.Mun.	Kokstad	2,680	56,528	65,982
KZ434	Ubuhlebezwe Loc.Mun.	Ixopo	1,604	101,959	101,691
KZ435	Umzimkhulu Loc.Mun.	Umzimkhulu	2,435	174,338	180,302
ETH	eThekwini MM	Durban	2,291	3,090,122	3,442,361
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LP	Limpopo	Polokwane	125,754	4,995,535	5,404,868
DC33	Mopani DM	Giyani	20,011	1,061,448	1,092,507
NP331	Greater Giyani Loc.Mun.	Giyani	4,172	239,287	244,218
NP332	Greater Letaba Loc.Mun.	Modjadjiskloof	1,891	220,102	212,701
NP333	Greater Tzaneen Loc.Mun.	Tzaneen	3,243	375,586	390,094
NP334	Ba-Phalaborwa Loc.Mun.	Phalaborwa	7,462	131,091	150,637
NP335	Maruleng Loc.Mun.	Hoedspruit	3,244	94,383	94,857
LIMDMA33	Mopani DMA			999	
DC34	Vhembe DM	Thohoyandou	25,597	1,198,055	1,294,722
NP341	Musina Loc.Mun.	Musina	7,577	39,310	68,359
NP342	Mutale Loc.Mun.	Mutale	3,886	82,656	91,870

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NP343	Thulamela Loc.Mun.	Thohoyandou	5,834	580,829	618,462
NP344	Makhado Loc.Mun.	Louis Trichardt	8,300	495,261	516,031
DC35	Capricorn DM	Polokwane	21,705	1,154,692	1,261,461
NP351	Blouberg Loc.Mun.	Senwabaranwa	9,248	161,323	162,628
NP352	Aganang Loc.Mun.	Koloti	1,881	147,682	131,163
NP353	Molemole Loc.Mun.	Mogwadi	3,347	109,441	108,321
NP354	Polokwane Loc.Mun.	Polokwane	3,766	508,277	628,999
NP355	Lepele-Nkumpi Loc.Mun.	Chuenespoort	3,463	227,970	230,350
DC36	Waterberg DM	Nylstroom	44,913	614,155	679,335
NP361	Thabazimbi Loc.Mun.	Thabazimbi	11,190	63,921	85,234
NP362	Lephalale Loc.Mun.	Lephalale	13,784	96,102	115,767
NP364	Mookgopong Loc.Mun.	Mookgophong	5,689	30,759	35,639
NP365	Modimolle Loc.Mun.	Modimolle	4,678	72,809	68,513
NP366	Bela-Bela Loc.Mun.	Bela-Bela	3,406	52,124	66,500
NP367	Mogalakwena Loc.Mun.	Mokopane	6,166	298,439	307,682
DC47	Sekhukhune DM	Groblersdal	13,528	967,185	1,076,839
LIM471	Ephraim Mogale Loc.Mun.	Marble Hall	2,011	121,327	123,649
LIM472	Elias Motsoaledi Loc.Mun.	Groblersdal	3,713	221,647	249,363
LIM473	Makhuduthamaga Loc.Mun.	Jane Furse	2,097	262,005	274,357
LIM474	Fetakgomo Loc.Mun.	Apel	1,105	92,083	93,794
LIM475	Greater Tubatse Loc.Mun.	Burgersfort	4,602	270,123	335,676

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MP	Mpumalanga	Nelspruit	76,495	3,365,886	4,039,939
DC30	Gert Sibande DM	Ermelo	31,841	900,007	1,043,192
MP301	Chief Albert Luthuli Loc.Mun.	Carolina	5,559	187,936	186,010
MP302	Msukaligwa Loc.Mun.	Ermelo	6,016	124,812	149,377
MP303	Mkhondo Loc.Mun.	Piet Retief	4,882	142,892	171,982
MP304	Dr Pixley Kaisaka Seme Loc.Mun.	Volksrust	5,227	80,737	83,235
MP305	Lekwa Loc.Mun.	Standerton	4,585	103,265	115,661
MP306	Dipaleseng Loc.Mun.	Balfour	2,617	38,618	42,390
MP307	Govan Mbeki Loc.Mun.	Secunda	2,955	221,747	294,537
DC31	Nkangala DM	Middelburg	16,758	1,018,826	1,308,130
MP311	Victor Khanye Loc.Mun.	Delmas	1,568	56,208	75,452
MP312	Emalahleni Loc.Mun.	Witbank	2,678	276,413	395,466
MP313	Steve Tshwete Loc.Mun.	Middelburg	3,976	142,772	229,832
MP314	Emakhazeni Loc.Mun.	Belfast	4,736	43,007	47,216
MP315	Thembisile Hani Loc.Mun.	Empumalanga	2,384	257,113	310,459
MP316	Dr JS Moroka Loc.Mun.	Siyabuswa	1,416	243,313	249,705
DC32	Ehlanzeni DM	Nelspruit	27,896	1,447,053	1,688,615
MP321	Thaba Chweu Loc.Mun.	Lydenburg	5,719	81,681	98,387
MP322	Mbombela Loc.Mun.	Nelspruit	5,394	476,593	588,794
MP323	Umjindi Loc.Mun.	Barberton	1,745	53,744	69,577
MP324	Nkomazi Loc.Mun.	Malelane	4,787	334,420	390,610
MP325	Bushbuckridge Loc.Mun.	Bushbuckridge	10,250	497,958	541,247

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MPDMA32	Ehlanzeni DMA			2,656	
NW	North West	Mahiking	104,882	2,983,195	3,509,953
DC37	Bojanala Platimun DM	Rustenburg	18,333	1,188,457	1,507,506
NW371	Moretele Loc.Mun.	Makapanstad	1,379	181,033	186,948
NW372	Madibeng Loc.Mun.	Brits	3,839	346,675	477,381
NW373	Rustenburg Loc.Mun.	Rustenburg	3,423	387,096	549,575
NW374	Kgetleng Rivier Loc.Mun.	Koster	3,973	36,477	51,049
NW375	Moses Kotane Loc.Mun.	Mogwase	5,719	237,175	242,553
DC38	Ngaka Modiri Molema DM	Mafikeng	28,206	762,999	842,700
NW381	Ratlou Loc.Mun.	Stella	4,884	104,324	107,339
NW382	Tswaing Loc.Mun.	Delareyville	5,966	114,155	124,218
NW383	Mafikeng Loc.Mun.	Mmabatho	3,698	259,478	291,527
NW384	Ditsobotla Loc.Mun.	Lichtenburg	6,465	147,599	168,902
NW385	Ramotshere Moiloa Loc.Mun.	Zeerust	7,193	137,443	150,714
DC39	Dr Ruth Segomotsi Mompoti DM	Vryburg	43,700	432,069	463,814
NW392	Naledi Loc.Mun.	Vryburg	6,941	58,104	66,781
NW393	Mamusa Loc.Mun.	Schweizer-Reneke	3,615	48,366	60,355
NW394	Greater Taung Loc.Mun.	Taung	5,635	182,164	177,642
NW396	Lekwa-Teemane Loc.Mun.	Christiana	3,681	42,967	53,248
NW397	Kagasano-Molopo Loc.Mun.	Ganyesa	23,827	100,468	105,788
DC40	Dr Kenneth Kaunda DM	Klerksdorp	14,642	599,670	695,932
NW401	Ventersdorp Loc.Mun.	Ventersdorp	3,764	43,078	56,702

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NW402	Tlokwe Loc.Mun.	Potchefstroom	2,674	128,353	162,761
NW403	City of Matlosana Mun.	Klerksdorp	3,561	359,202	398,675
NW404	Maquassi Hills Loc.Mun.	Wolmaransstad	4,643	69,037	77,794
NC	Northern Cape	Kimberley	372,889	991,919	1,145,861
DC6	Namakwa DM	Springbok	126,836	108,111	115,841
NC061	Richtersveld Loc.Mun.	Port Nolloth	9,608	10,125	11,982
NC062	Nama Khoi Loc.Mun.	Springbok	17,989	44,750	47,041
NC064	Kamiesberg Loc.Mun.	Garies	14,210	10,754	10,187
NC065	Hantam Loc.Mun.	Calvinia	36,128	19,813	21,578
NC066	Karoo Hoogland Loc.Mun.	Williston	32,274	10,512	12,588
NC067	Khai-Ma Loc.Mun.	Pofadder	16,628	11,344	12,465
NCDMA06	Namakwa DMA			813	
DC7	Pixley Ka Seme DM	De Aar	103,410	164,607	186,350
NC071	Ubuntu Loc.Mun.	Victoria West	20,389	16,375	18,601
NC072	Umsobomvu Loc.Mun.	Colesberg	6,819	23,641	28,376
NC073	Enthajeni Loc.Mun.	De Aar	13,472	35,549	42,356
NC074	Kareeberg Loc.Mun.	Carnarvon	17,702	9,488	11,673
NC075	Renosterberg Loc.Mun.	Petrusville	5,527	9,070	10,978
NC076	Thembelihle Loc.Mun.	Hopetown	8,023	13,987	15,700
NC077	Siyathemba Loc.Mun.	Prieska	14,725	17,512	21,591
NC078	Siyancuma Loc.Mun.	Douglas	16,753	35,810	37,075
NCDMA07				3,175	

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	Pixley ka Seme DMA				
DC8	Siyanda DM	Upington	102,524	202,160	236,783
NC081	Mier Loc.Mun.	Mier	22,468	6,844	7,003
NC082	Kai !Garib Loc.Mun.	Kakamas	26,358	55,702	65,869
NC083	//Khara Hais Loc.Mun.	Upington	21,780	75,671	93,494
NC084	!Kheis Loc.Mun.	Groblershoop	11,107	16,123	16,637
NC085	Tsantsabane Loc.Mun.	Postmasburg	18,333	23,987	35,093
NC086	Kgatelopele Loc.Mun.	Danielskuil	2,478	14,743	18,687
NCDMA08	Siyanda DMA			9,090	
DC9	Frances Baard DM	Kimberley	12,836	325,503	382,086
NC091	Sol Plaatje Loc.Mun.	Kimberley	3,145	201,465	248,041
NC092	Dikgatlong Loc.Mun.	Barkly West	7,315	35,765	46,840
NC093	Magareng Loc.Mun.	Warrenton	1,542	21,733	24,205
NC094	Phokwane Loc.Mun.	Hartswater	834	61,321	63,000
NCDMA09	Frances Baard DMA			5,218	
DC45	John Taolo Gaetsewe DM	Kuruman	27,283	191,539	224,799
NC451	Joe Morolong Loc.Mun.	Mothibistad	20,172	91,708	89,530
NC452	Ga-Segonyana Loc.Mun.	Kuruman	4,492	70,392	93,652
NC453	Gamagara Loc.Mun.	Kathu	2,619	23,202	41,617
NCDMA45	Kgalagadi DMA			6,237	
WC	Western Cape	Cape Town	129,462	4,524,334	5,822,734
DC1	West Coast DM	Moorreesburg	31,124	282,672	391,767
WC011	Matzikama Loc.Mun.	Vredendal	12,981	50,208	67,147

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WC012	Cederberg Loc.Mun.	Clanwilliam	8,007	39,326	49,768
WC013	Bergrivier Loc.Mun.	Piketberg	4,407	46,325	61,897
WC014	Saldanha Bay Loc.Mun.	Vredenburg	2,015	70,440	99,193
WC015	Swartland Loc.Mun.	Malmesbury	3,713	72,115	113,762
WCDMA01	West Coast DMA			4,258	
DC2	Cape Winelands DM	Worcester	21,473	630,493	787,491
WC022	Witzenberg Loc.Mun.	Ceres	10,753	83,567	115,946
WC023	Drakenstein Loc.Mun.	Paarl	1,538	194,417	251,262
WC024	Stellenbosch Loc.Mun.	Stellenbosch	831	118,709	155,733
WC025	Breede Valley Loc.Mun.	Worcester	3,834	146,028	166,825
WC026	Langeberg Loc.Mun.	Ashton	4,518	81,271	97,725
WCDMA02	Cape Winelands DMA			6,500	
DC3	Overberg DM	Bredasdorp	12,241	203,519	258,175
WC031	Theewaterskloof Loc.Mun.	Caledon	3,232	93,276	108,790
WC032	Overstrand Loc.Mun.	Hermanus	1,708	55,451	80,432
WC033	Cape Agulhas Loc.Mun.	Bredasdorp	3,467	26,468	33,037
WC034	Swellendam Loc.Mun.	Swellendam	3,835	28,324	35,916
DC4	Eden DM	George	23,331	454,924	574,266
WC041	Kannaland Loc.Mun.	Ladismith	4,758	23,971	24,767
WC042	Hessequa Loc.Mun.	Riversdale	5,733	44,114	52,642

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WC043	Mossel Bay Loc.Mun.	Mossel Bay	2,011	71,494	89,430
WC044	George Loc.Mun.	George	5,191	150,003	193,672
WC045	Oudtshoorn Loc.Mun.	Oudtshoorn	3,537	84,692	95,934
WC047	Bitou Loc.Mun.	Plettenberg Bay	992	29,182	49,162
WC048	Knysna Loc.Mun.	Knysna	1,109	51,468	68,659
DC5	Central Karoo DM	Beaufort-West	38,854	60,483	71,011
WC051	Laingsburg Loc.Mun.	Laingsburg	8,784	6,680	8,289
WC052	Prince Albert Loc.Mun.	Prince Albert	8,153	10,512	13,136
WC053	Beaufort West Loc.Mun.	Beaufort West	21,917	43,290	49,586
CPT	City of Cape Town MM	Cape Town	2,440	2,892,243	3,740,026
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	total		1,220,813	44,819,778	51,770,560

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Johannesburg	2,639,110	3,225,309	4,434,827	-26.04/27.98
Cape Town	2,563,612	2,892,243	3,740,026	-33.93/18.42
eThekweni (Durban)	2,751,193	3,090,122	3,442,361	-29.89/30.97
Ekurhuleni - Germiston (East Rand)	2,026,807	2,478,631	3,178,471	-26.23/28.17

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Tshwane (Pretoria)	1,682,701	1,982,235	2,921,488	-25.72/28.25
Nelson Mandela Bay (Port Elizabeth)	969,771	1,005,779	1,152,115	-33.91/25.57
Buffalo City (East London)	682,287	702,281	755,200	-33.02/27.88
Mangaung (Bloemfontein)	603,704	645,440	747,431	-29.14/26.27
Emfuleni (Vanderbijlpark)	..	658,420	721,662	-26.70/27.84
Polokwane (Pietersburg)	..	508,277	628,999	-24.08/29.32
Msunduzi (Pietermaritzburg)	521,805	552,837	618,536	-29.63/30.39
Thulamela - Thohoyandou	..	580,829	618,462	-22.95/30.47
Mbombela (Nelspruit)	..	476,593	588,794	-25.48/30.98
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