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KEY FINDINGS

Registration-based reporting of live births

The total number of live birth registrations for any given year comprises both current registrations (for live births registered in the year of birth) and late registrations (for live births registered later than the year of birth). **There was a slight increase in the annual number of registered live births in South Africa in 2003, as compared to 2002 (1 677 415 and 1 517 671 respectively).** This increase reflects a continued pattern over the years since 1992 (Figure 1). A significant number of birth registrations for 2003, constitutes late registrations (Figure 1). Moreover, the rate of increase in registrations of current births was lower prior to 2002 than that of total registrations. Nevertheless, from 1994 there has been a steady increase in the number of registrations of current births. This could be attributed to the nationwide campaign geared towards improving birth registrations.

Occurrence-based reporting of live births

The population register provides the number of live births that have been updated for lateness in reporting. Details on the South African population register can be found in the explanatory notes below. Table 1.1 shows the number of live births broken down by sex and citizenship of the child from 1991 till 2003, as reflected in the population register as at 02 April 2004. Overall, there were more male than female births in all the years except for the year 1992, where the number of female births was slightly higher than that of male births.

A comparison of the trend of registered live births (corrected for lateness) at two or more points in time can help to show the actual-trend in births. Figure 2 shows such an annual comparison of recorded births, for the periods 1991–1997 (as at 11 September 1999) and for the period 1991–2003 (as at 02 April 2004). Even with the updating (1991–2000) that occurred between these two periods, the pattern of declining fertility remains the same. There is a smooth gradual decline followed by a drastic increase in 2002 and 2003 and this supports the evidence of declining fertility in South Africa.

Comparison between occurrence and registration-based reporting of live births

There was an increase in the number of births occurrences from 645 882 in 2002 to 720 260 in 2003. This increase in the number of occurrences is confirmed by the increase in the number of registrations for 2003 (621 887) compared to 2002 (557 573). The relationship between the year of occurrence of births and the year of registration are illustrated in Tables 1.2 Table and 1.3 shows that the number of births occurring during a particular year and registered in the same year has been increasing since 1993.

Between 1991 and 1994, the number of birth registrations was far below that of birth occurrence. From 1994 to 2003, the total number of birth registrations far exceeded birth occurrences; however, the difference between the two is expected to decrease as the population register is updated. It is difficult to give a definite interpretation of what is going on. The births that occurred in the earlier years, 1991–1994, have been updated for a longer period than those of the more recent years, 1994–2002. It is possible that, given sufficient time for updating live births at a later period, a similar pattern as shown for the earlier period will emerge. Also, it is possible that the increase in birth registration five to seven years after birth (largely due to enrolment in school) is now being overtaken by an increase in birth registration two years after birth. This situation could be due to increased awareness about birth registration or due to the enrolment of children at school and registration for the child support grant.

Registration-based reporting of live births with geographic breakdown

The patterns of total registrations for 2003 by current and late registrations are shown in Figures 4 and 5. Gauteng, KwaZulu-Natal and Western Cape had the highest number of current total registrations (excluding late registration (Fig 4) for 2003. KwaZulu-Natal, Eastern Cape and Limpopo recorded a high number of late registrations (Fig5). Northern Cape consistently recorded the lowest number of current and late registrations. Just above a quarter of registrations for 2003 occurred in KwaZulu-Natal (26,2%); Eastern Cape had the second highest number of live birth registrations (19,1%), followed by Limpopo (14,3%).

There were 621 887 births that were registered in 2003 compared to 557 573 in 2002. Table 2.1 illustrates the geographical breakdown of registrations for 2003. Across all provinces, all the births that occurred in a particular year were concentrated in a few districts. This was the case for the provinces with the highest number of births as well as those with the lowest number. In Gauteng, a significant number of births occurred in the City of Johannesburg (54 099), followed by KwaZulu-Natal, Durban (47 459) and Western Cape, Cape Town (46 277). North West, City of Tshwane (Cross Boundary) had the lowest (5 524).

Table 3.1 shows a geographical breakdown of registrations by gender. There were no dramatic differences in the number of births of each gender registered. Generally, there was fluctuation in the dominance of either given gender in registration in the districts within a province. With a similar pattern to 2002, the peak childbearing age-group for women in 2003 was between the age of 20 and 29, whereas for men the peak childbearing age-group is much later (30-34 years).



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EXPLANATORY NOTES

Source of data

The two sets of birth statistics that are reported here (occurrence-based and reporting-based) come from the same source, namely, Nucleus Bureau. When the clerks at the various offices of the Department of Home Affairs (DHA) capture the information about a birth, they do so directly onto the database at Nucleus Bureau. These transactions are used to update the population register database. A more detailed narrative on eligibility for inclusion in the population register is given below.

For the purpose of producing vital statistics, the following system is followed: every day all the (civil) transactions carried out at all the DHA offices are written onto a cassette. At the end of every month, a combined set of cassettes is created containing all the transactions done for the month. These transactions are read and the birth transactions are extracted for processing at Stats SA. The year in which the births are registered is the registration or processing year. Using this information, Stats SA provides the breakdown of the registered births according to the year in which the births occurred.

While birth information sent to Stats SA is the same as that in the population register, there is a difference of format between the two. Stats SA's data is based on births registered during the year (registration-based). On the other hand, entries on the population register reflect the date of birth. The date of registration of birth is not stored on the population registration file. For this reason, the population register can only be used to obtain births data broken down by date of birth (occurrence-based). By continuously updating the population register for late registration, the occurrence-based data from the population register gets closer and closer to the true level of births. In a situation where birth registrations are complete (with very few late registrations), the occurrence-based perspective (with births updated for late registrations) is very similar to the registration based perspective (with all registration births considered irrespective of year). However, if there is a large number of late registrations, the two perspectives become widely dissimilar. With improvements in birth registration, the recorded data from the two sources will gradually converge.

South African population register

The South African population register deals with births, deaths, identity, marriages, divorces and movements of all South African citizens and permanent residents. Thus, each of the Acts dealing with any aspect of civil registration has implications for the information inputted onto the Population Register. The Births and Deaths Registration Act, 1992 (Act No. 51 of 1992) guides the registration of births and death throughout South Africa. The act was subsequently amended in 1997 (Act No. 67 of 1997) and in 1998 (Act No. 43 of 1998). Another act pertinent to the population register is the Identification (Act No. 68 of 1997). This act repealed previous Identification Acts (Act No.72 of 1986, Act No. 21 of 1991, Act No. 4 of 1993 and Act No. 47 of 1995). From these various acts and amendments, the following persons and particulars are eligible to be included on the population register:

- All children born of South African citizens and permanent residents when the notice of the birth is given within one year after the birth of the child.
- All children born of South African citizens and permanent residents when the notice of the birth is given one year after the birth of the child together with the prescribed requirement for a late registration of birth.
- All South African citizens and permanent residents who upon attainment of the age of 16 applied for and were granted identification cards.
- All South African citizens and permanent residents who die at any age after birth.
- All South African citizens and permanent residents who depart permanently from South Africa.

Persons whose particulars are not eligible for inclusion on the population register are listed below:

- Non-South African citizens who sojourn temporarily in the country.
- All South African citizens and permanent residents who died before notice of his/her birth had been given.

Municipal Demarcation

Prior to 1994, there were about 1 300 municipalities throughout South Africa. These were reduced to 843 following the 1995/1996 local government elections. Subsequently, the Municipal Demarcation Act of 1998 (Act 27 of 1998) established the Municipal Demarcation Board and charged it with the responsibility of determining new municipal boundaries for the country. In this report we have included the municipalities in accordance with their magisterial districts.

Population group – As from 1991 no distinction is made between the different population groups in the information collected by the Department of Home Affairs. The statistics collected, therefore, refer to all population groups combined.

DEFINITION OF CONCEPTS USED

- 1.1 **Live birth** is the complete expulsion or extraction from its mother's womb of a product of conception, irrespective of duration of the pregnancy, which after such separation, breathes or shows any other evidence of life.
- 1.2 **Recorded live births** – Recorded live births (birth registrations) indicate the number of births recorded (registered) in a specific year, irrespective of when the birth actually occurred. The births recorded in any given year include the births that occurred during that year plus other births that occurred in years prior to the year of registration. It should be noted that not all births are recorded (registered).
- 1.3 **Late registration** – Births occurring in a given calendar year but recorded in subsequent calendar years.
- 1.4 **Magisterial districts** – (Tables 2.1 and 3.1). Due to changes in boundaries of magisterial districts, the data from 1994 are not comparable in all regards with those of previous years. As from 1994 the twelfth edition of the Statistics South Africa, *Standard Code List of Areas*, Report No. 09-09-03 (1994), has been followed.
- 1.5 **Municipality boundary** – (Tables 2.1 and 3.1) There are three categories of municipalities in terms of the Constitution: category A (metropolitan), category B (local) and category C (district).
- 1.6 **Stillbirths** – A stillbirth is a death prior to the expulsion or extraction from its mother's womb of a product of conception, irrespective of duration of pregnancy. That indicates the death after such separation, the child does not breathe or show other evidence of life. Prior to 1997, stillbirths were reported as a separate column but in the same release as live births. Stillbirths for 1997 and later years are now to be published in a separate statistical release.

Fig. 1: Recorded live births - A comparison of annual total and current registrations 1991-2003

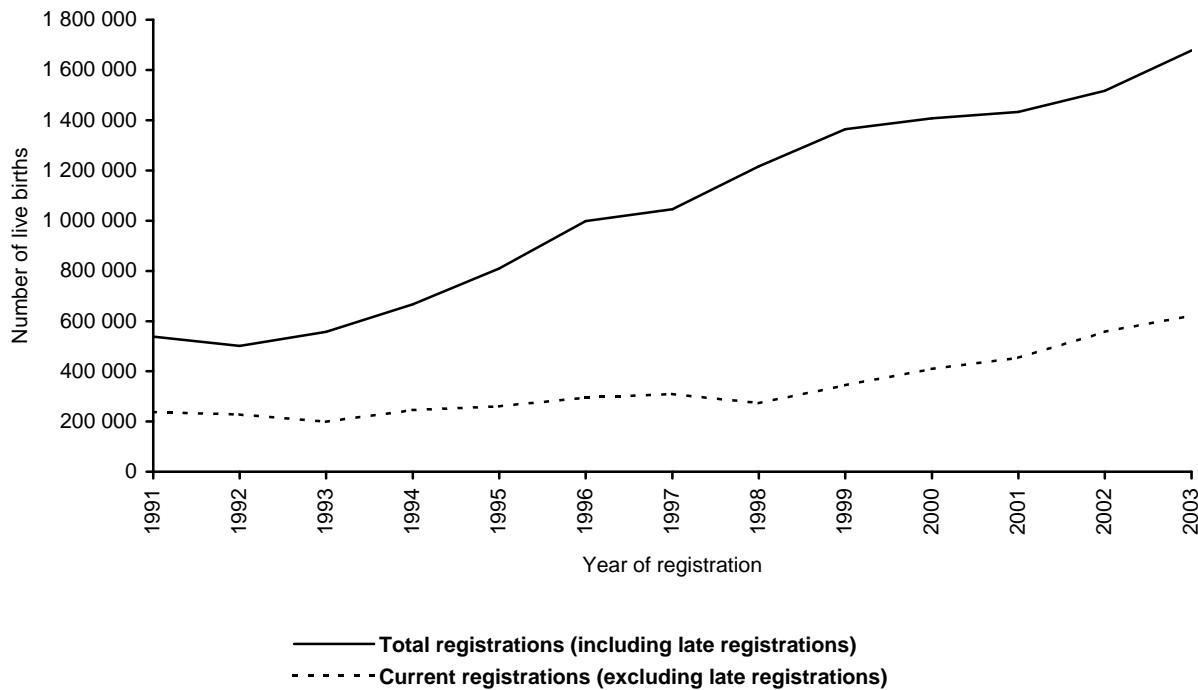


Fig. 2: Recorded live births - Comparison of updated occurrences over three periods at three points in time: 1991-1997, 1991-2000 and 1991-2003

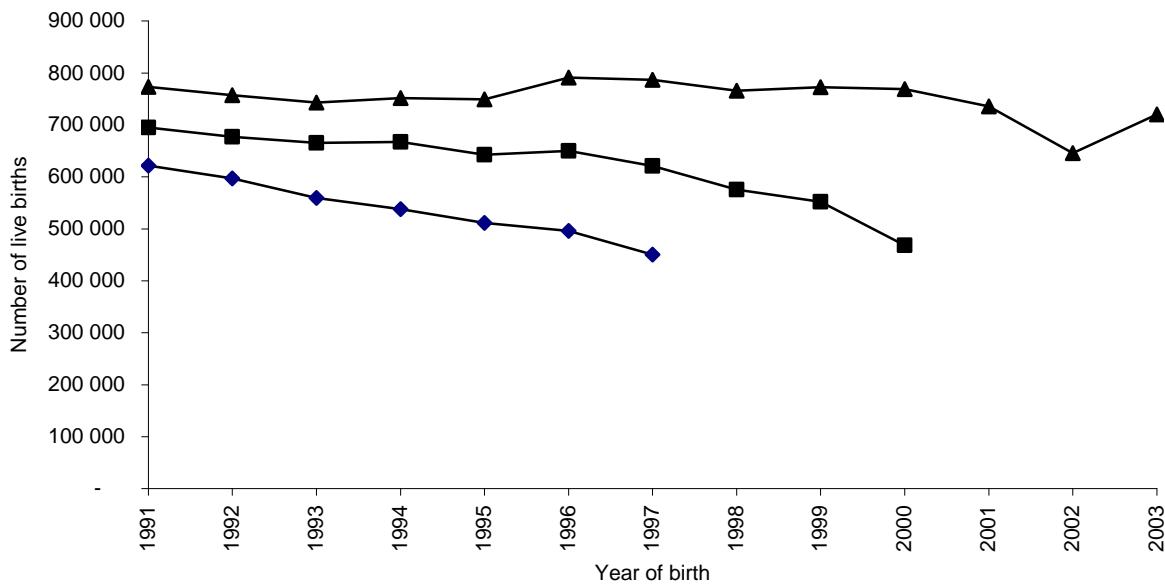


Fig. 3: Distribution of current live birth registrations in numbers and percentages by province, 2003

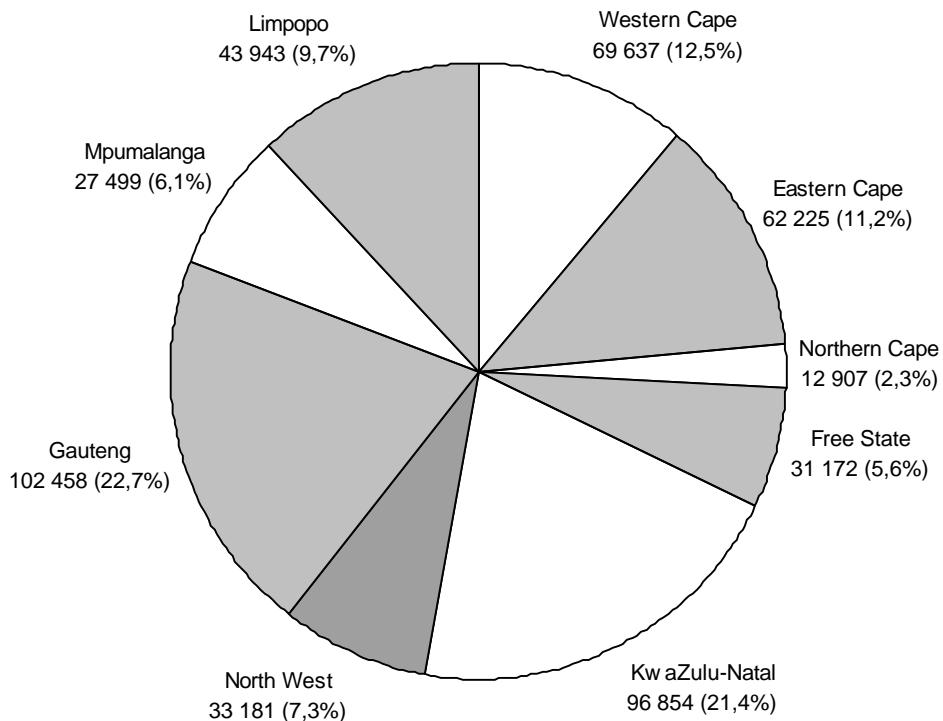
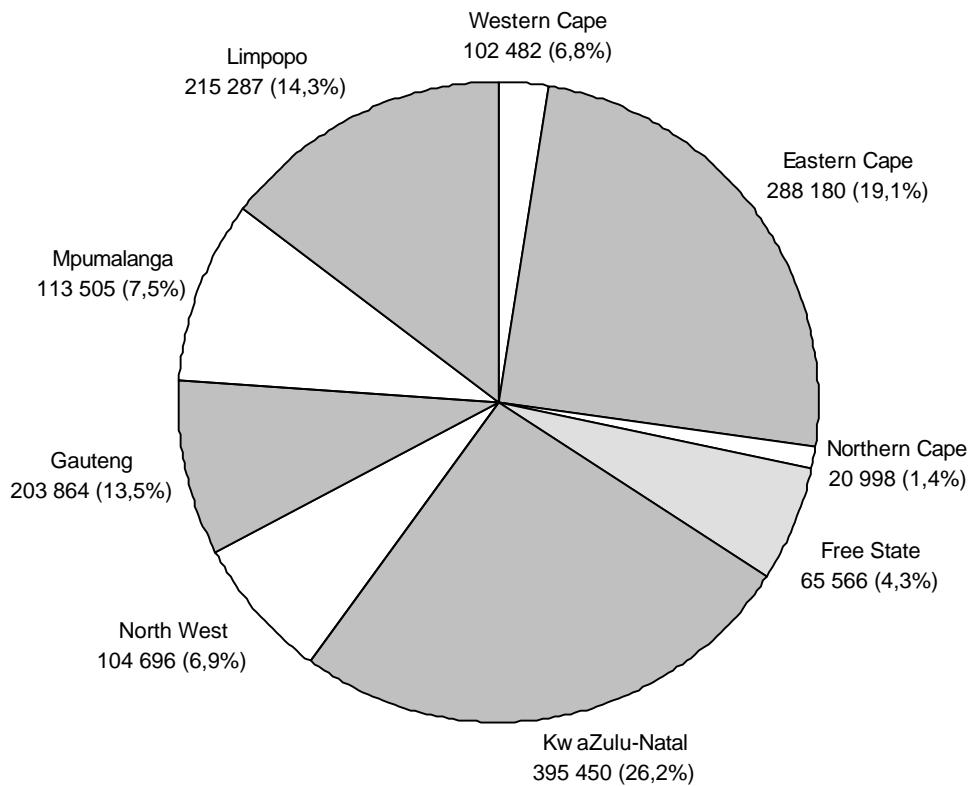


Fig. 4: Distribution of total live birth registrations in numbers and percentages by province, 2003



1. RECORDED LIVE BIRTHS - OCCURRENCES**1.1 YEAR OF OCCURRENCE BY SEX AND CITIZENSHIP, 1991-2003**

PERIOD	SA CITIZENS*			NON-CITIZENS*			OTHER**			TOTAL		GRAND TOTAL	
	Year	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	
1991		386 149	386 055	772 204	143	132	275	444	440	884	386 736	386 627	773 363
1992		377 993	378 501	756 494	110	107	217	386	449	835	378 489	379 057	757 546
1993		370 940	371 228	742 168	95	107	202	384	371	755	371 419	371 706	743 125
1994		375 618	375 013	750 631	94	89	183	418	364	782	376 130	375 466	751 596
1995		374 550	373 460	748 010	67	81	148	489	558	1 047	375 106	374 099	749 205
1996		396 257	393 789	790 046	73	67	140	489	558	1 047	396 819	394 414	791 233
1997		393 381	392 920	786 301	39	31	70	304	281	585	393 724	393 232	786 956
1998		382 671	382 339	765 010	33	29	62	267	225	492	382 971	382 593	765 564
1999		386 752	385 326	772 078	22	13	35	247	240	487	387 021	385 579	772 600
2000		385 818	383 127	768 945	15	8	23	66	85	151	385 899	383 220	769 119
2001		368 894	367 008	735 902	0	0	0	24	18	42	368 918	367 026	735 944
2002		323 681	322 185	645 866	0	0	0	7	9	16	323 688	322 194	645 882
2003		362 471	357 774	720 245	3	3	6	4	5	9	362 478	357 782	720 260

* Citizenship of the person whose birth has been reported.

** Other refers to those people whose citizenship was under investigation and had not been resolved on

1. RECORDED LIVE BIRTHS**1.2 TOTAL BIRTH REGISTRATIONS AND OCCURRENCES****FOR VARIOUS YEARS, 1991 - 2003**

YEAR	TOTAL OCCURENCES	TOTAL REGISTRATIONS
1991	773 363	537 999
1992	757 546	501 461
1993	743 125	557 995
1994	751 596	667 107
1995	749 205	809 439
1996	791 233	998 798
1997	786 956	1 046 095
1998	765 564	1 216 337
1999	772 600	1 363 800
2000	769 100	1 407 833
2001	735 951	1 433 432
2002	645 882	1 517 671
2003	720 260	1 677 415

1. RECORDED LIVE BIRTHS - OCCURENCES**1.3 YEAR AND MONTH OF OCCURRENCE BY SEX AND CITIZENSHIP, 1991-2003**

PERIOD		SA CITIZENS*		NON CITIZENS*		OTHER**		TOTAL		GRAND TOTAL
	Month	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	
1991	January	36 261	36 333	24	14	46	47	36 331	36 394	72 725
	February	32 482	32 157	10	13	32	32	32 524	32 202	64 726
	March	35 722	35 826	16	15	40	37	35 778	35 878	71 656
	April	33 896	34 313	9	11	33	39	33 938	34 363	68 301
	May	34 753	34 834	13	19	47	47	34 813	34 900	69 713
	June	35 540	35 255	13	12	45	41	35 598	35 308	70 906
	July	33 489	33 370	17	11	33	36	33 539	33 417	66 956
	August	34 832	34 471	13	15	36	41	34 881	34 527	69 408
	September	39 062	39 380	9	18	42	35	39 113	39 433	78 546
	October	32 793	32 949	10	10	28	22	32 831	32 981	65 812
	November	30 353	30 686	14	7	28	26	30 395	30 719	61 114
	December	33 952	33 541	15	14	30	30	33 997	33 585	67 582
	Total	413 134	413 115	163	159	436	433	413 733	413 707	827 440
1992	January	34 948	34 662	12	13	39	48	34 999	34 723	69 722
	February	34 579	34 270	8	11	41	45	34 628	34 326	68 954
	March	36 175	36 701	9	9	40	41	36 224	36 751	72 975
	April	34 458	34 666	11	7	33	35	34 502	34 708	69 210
	May	33 983	34 214	8	11	24	41	34 015	34 266	68 281
	June	34 302	34 551	11	11	30	30	34 343	34 592	68 935
	July	32 914	33 243	12	10	38	39	32 964	33 292	66 256
	August	33 723	33 971	5	11	27	31	33 755	34 013	67 768
	September	37 774	37 465	14	12	35	32	37 823	37 509	75 332
	October	31 716	31 479	14	7	34	32	31 764	31 518	63 282
	November	29 141	29 553	8	15	25	26	29 174	29 594	58 768
	December	32 595	32 312	8	8	20	39	32 623	32 359	64 982
	Total	406 308	407 087	120	125	386	439	406 814	407 651	814 465
1993	January	33 919	34 007	9	11	36	25	33 964	34 043	68 007
	February	30 555	30 416	10	7	35	26	30 600	30 449	61 049
	March	34 690	35 064	11	12	38	31	34 739	35 107	69 846
	April	33 060	32 827	11	7	25	34	33 096	32 868	65 964
	May	33 060	33 154	12	12	32	34	33 104	33 200	66 304
	June	34 038	34 089	13	12	29	32	34 080	34 133	68 213
	July	32 908	33 070	7	12	30	29	32 945	33 111	66 056
	August	34 205	34 025	7	15	23	27	34 235	34 067	68 302
	September	37 648	37 779	6	12	40	32	37 694	37 823	75 517
	October	32 134	32 446	5	8	37	34	32 176	32 488	64 664
	November	30 814	30 764	5	10	21	32	30 840	30 806	61 646
	December	34 323	33 975	10	9	33	29	34 366	34 013	68 379
	Total	401 354	401 616	106	127	379	365	401 839	402 108	803 947

1. RECORDED LIVE BIRTHS - OCCURENCES**1.3 YEAR AND MONTH OF OCCURRENCE BY SEX AND CITIZENSHIP, 1991-2003**

PERIOD		SA CITIZENS*		NON CITIZENS*		OTHER**		TOTAL		GRAND TOTAL
Year	Month	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	
1994	January	34 819	34 557	8	3	40	34	34 867	34 594	69 461
	February	31 553	31 647	11	7	38	21	31 602	31 675	63 277
	March	34 652	34 611	7	15	36	30	34 695	34 656	69 351
	April	34 410	34 708	11	5	32	35	34 453	34 748	69 201
	May	34 445	34 401	8	6	34	32	34 487	34 439	68 926
	June	34 629	35 011	16	5	35	27	34 680	35 043	69 723
	July	33 648	33 506	9	8	40	26	33 697	33 540	67 237
	August	34 941	34 892	8	10	27	42	34 976	34 944	69 920
	September	38 327	38 034	6	11	34	23	38 367	38 068	76 435
	October	33 512	33 185	7	10	27	33	33 546	33 228	66 774
	November	31 374	31 635	9	7	29	33	31 412	31 675	63 087
	December	35 353	35 247	9	8	43	24	35 405	35 279	70 684
	Total	411 663	411 434	109	95	415	360	412 187	411 889	824 076
1995	January	35 652	35 450	5	8	43	42	35 700	35 500	71 200
	February	31 271	31 076	10	8	39	42	31 320	31 126	62 446
	March	34 861	34 730	3	6	48	46	34 912	34 782	69 694
	April	33 317	33 619	5	7	47	43	33 369	33 669	67 038
	May	34 798	34 328	12	9	27	51	34 837	34 388	69 225
	June	35 293	35 045	4	10	40	37	35 337	35 092	70 429
	July	34 248	34 477	7	4	44	54	34 299	34 535	68 834
	August	35 547	35 208	6	8	30	45	35 583	35 261	70 844
	September	38 994	39 073	13	10	52	64	39 059	39 147	78 206
	October	33 768	33 841	11	5	28	43	33 807	33 889	67 696
	November	31 861	31 696	2	7	39	37	31 902	31 740	63 642
	December	35 497	35 181	7	10	45	36	35 549	35 227	70 776
	Total	415 107	413 724	85	92	482	540	415 674	414 356	830 030
1996	January	37 730	37 635	7	6	35	43	37 772	37 684	75 456
	February	33 342	33 177	11	6	49	20	33 402	33 203	66 605
	March	36 346	36 600	10	8	30	28	36 386	36 636	73 022
	April	35 241	34 803	7	7	18	25	35 266	34 835	70 101
	May	35 971	35 881	5	7	27	34	36 003	35 922	71 925
	June	36 975	36 764	4	5	31	29	37 010	36 798	73 808
	July	35 745	35 741	8	4	30	26	35 783	35 771	71 554
	August	36 925	36 629	10	8	43	38	36 978	36 675	73 653
	September	40 707	40 606	9	7	39	37	40 755	40 650	81 405
	October	34 900	34 311	7	5	30	25	34 937	34 341	69 278
	November	32 418	32 658	3	6	25	21	32 446	32 685	65 131
	December	37 179	36 632	5	6	37	42	37 221	36 680	73 901
	Total	433 479	431 437	86	75	394	368	433 959	431 880	865 839

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Year	Month	SA CITIZENS*		NON CITIZENS*		OTHER**		TOTAL		GRAND TOTAL
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	
1997	January	37 177	37 156	6	5	27	35	37 210	37 196	74 406
	February	33 222	33 189	2	2	31	19	33 255	33 210	66 465
	March	37 753	37 796	7	6	43	32	37 803	37 834	75 637
	April	35 277	35 643	3	5	20	21	35 300	35 669	70 969
	May	35 533	35 532	3	5	19	20	35 555	35 557	71 112
	June	35 930	36 172	3	7	26	18	35 959	36 197	72 156
	July	35 934	35 958	3	3	14	25	35 951	35 986	71 937
	August	36 095	36 380	3	3	23	30	36 121	36 413	72 534
	September	40 103	39 667	7	3	19	22	40 129	39 692	79 821
	October	34 204	33 782	2	3	21	16	34 227	33 801	68 028
	November	32 031	31 663	3	6	26	23	32 060	31 692	63 752
	December	36 088	35 904	4	1	24	15	36 116	35 920	72 036
	Total	429 347	428 842	46	49	293	276	429 686	429 167	858 853
1998	January	36 317	36 667	8	3	33	32	36 358	36 702	73 060
	February	32 890	32 950	2	2	34	15	32 926	32 967	65 893
	March	37 076	36 950	6	6	23	14	37 105	36 970	74 075
	April	34 524	35 055	3	2	13	23	34 540	35 080	69 620
	May	35 379	34 921	2	5	28	21	35 409	34 947	70 356
	June	35 166	35 201	4	1	21	10	35 191	35 212	70 403
	July	34 639	34 421	1	3	20	19	34 660	34 443	69 103
	August	35 016	35 349	5	5	21	15	35 042	35 369	70 411
	September	38 990	38 640	2	3	20	17	39 012	38 660	77 672
	October	33 510	33 290	5	3	20	23	33 535	33 316	66 851
	November	31 121	30 802	2	3	22	23	31 145	30 828	61 973
	December	34 373	34 553	5	2	12	12	34 390	34 567	68 957
	Total	419 001	418 799	45	38	267	224	419 313	419 061	838 374
1999	January	35 127	35 218	1	4	26	17	35 154	35 239	70 393
	February	31 476	31 189	2	0	10	10	31 488	31 199	62 687
	March	36 360	36 492	6	1	34	20	36 400	36 513	72 913
	April	36 141	36 386	2	2	20	24	36 163	36 412	72 575
	May	36 470	36 687	6	1	28	18	36 504	36 706	73 210
	June	36 391	36 210	4	2	26	25	36 421	36 237	72 658
	July	35 186	35 084	2	2	20	22	35 208	35 108	70 316
	August	35 691	35 458	7	1	20	29	35 718	35 488	71 206
	September	39 076	38 742	3	2	20	24	39 099	38 768	77 867
	October	33 448	33 950	2	3	15	21	33 465	33 974	67 439
	November	32 534	31 889	2	0	13	14	32 549	31 903	64 452
	December	35 915	35 900	4	1	12	16	35 931	35 917	71 848
	Total	423 815	423 205	41	19	244	240	424 100	423 464	847 564

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Year	Period	SA CITIZENS*		NON CITIZENS*		OTHER**		TOTAL		GRAND TOTAL	
		Month	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male		
2000	January		36 876	36 563	2	1	8	15	36 886	36 579	73 465
	February		34 728	34 328	1	0	6	11	34 735	34 339	69 074
	March		37 351	37 061	4	5	8	14	37 363	37 080	74 443
	April		35 364	35 165	3	1	10	11	35 377	35 177	70 554
	May		36 141	36 223	0	2	11	15	36 152	36 240	72 392
	June		36 117	35 774	2	2	5	4	36 124	35 780	71 904
	July		35 270	35 117	3	1	5	3	35 278	35 121	70 399
	August		35 797	35 431	3	3	3	5	35 803	35 439	71 242
	September		38 171	38 048	1	2	1	2	38 173	38 052	76 225
	October		33 839	33 588	2	1	4	1	33 845	33 590	67 435
	November		31 892	31 981	3	1	2	2	31 897	31 984	63 881
	December		34 052	33 861	3	0	0	0	34 055	33 861	67 916
	Total		425 598	423 140	27	19	63	83	425 688	423 242	848 930
2001	January		37 581	37 392	0	0	3	3	37 584	37 395	74 979
	February		32 175	32 243	4	3	2	0	32 181	32 246	64 427
	March		37 017	36 460	2	1	0	2	37 019	36 463	73 482
	April		35 075	34 788	1	1	5	3	35 081	34 792	69 873
	May		35 521	35 594	1	0	3	0	35 525	35 594	71 119
	June		34 692	34 937	0	1	1	2	34 693	34 940	69 633
	July		34 452	33 786	1	2	2	1	34 455	33 789	68 244
	August		34 510	34 582	3	0	1	3	34 514	34 585	69 099
	September		37 478	37 028	0	0	0	0	37 478	37 028	74 506
	October		33 037	33 322	2	1	1	2	33 040	33 325	66 365
	November		31 616	31 093	1	0	3	2	31 620	31 095	62 715
	December		34 058	33 529	1	0	1	1	34 060	33 530	67 590
	Total		417 212	414 754	16	9	22	19	417 250	414 782	832 032
2002	January		37 609	36 901	0	1	1	2	37 610	36 904	74 514
	February		32 605	32 507	0	2	0	1	32 605	32 510	65 115
	March		35 257	35 420	0	1	0	0	35 257	35 421	70 678
	April		33 786	33 755	3	2	1	0	33 790	33 757	67 547
	May		34 726	34 914	1	1	0	0	34 727	34 915	69 642
	June		34 855	34 501	0	1	0	3	34 855	34 505	69 360
	July		34 742	34 797	1	1	2	1	34 745	34 799	69 544
	August		34 429	33 580	0	1	0	1	34 429	33 582	68 011
	September		37 285	36 731	0	0	0	2	37 285	36 733	74 018
	October		32 641	32 866	3	0	0	0	32 644	32 866	65 510
	November		30 425	30 100	0	0	2	0	30 427	30 100	60 527
	December		32 974	32 880	0	1	1	2	32 975	32 883	65 858
	Total		411 334	408 952	8	11	7	12	411 349	408 975	820 324

1. RECORDED LIVE BIRTHS - OCCURENCES**1.3 YEAR AND MONTH OF OCCURRENCE BY SEX AND CITIZENSHIP, 1991-2003**

Year	Month	SA CITIZENS*		NON CITIZENS*		OTHER**		TOTAL		GRAND TOTAL
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	
2003	January	35 046	34 574	1	0	0	0	35 047	34 574	69 621
	February	30 748	30 403	0	0	0	0	30 748	30 403	61 151
	March	34 721	34 013	0	1	0	0	34 721	34 014	68 735
	April	32 264	31 735	0	0	0	0	32 264	31 735	63 999
	May	32 387	32 016	0	0	0	1	32 387	32 017	64 404
	June	31 115	30 690	0	1	1	0	31 116	30 691	61 807
	July	29 963	29 604	0	0	1	1	29 964	29 605	59 569
	August	29 501	29 416	0	0	1	0	29 502	29 416	58 918
	September	31 457	31 018	1	1	1	2	31 459	31 021	62 480
	October	26 493	26 310	1	0	0	1	26 494	26 311	52 805
	November	23 596	23 525	0	0	0	0	23 596	23 525	47 121
	December	25 180	24 471	0	0	0	0	25 180	24 471	49 651
Total		362 471	357 774	3	3	4	5	362 478	357 782	720 260

* Citizenship of the person whose birth has been reported.

** Other refers to those people whose citizenship was under investigation and had not been resolved on

02 April 2004. This figure varies each time data is extracted from the population register.

2. RECORDED LIVE BIRTHS**2.1 REGISTRATIONS FOR 2003 BY YEAR OF BIRTH, PROVINCE AND MUNICIPALITY**

PROVINCE AND MUNICIPALITY	GRAND TOTAL	2003	LATE REGISTRATIONS						
			TOTAL	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998	<1997
TOTAL SA	1 677 415	621 887	1 055 528	194 204	94 588	77 256	72 533	69 795	547 152
WESTERN CAPE	95 251	69 507	25 744	8 028	2 818	2 203	1 882	1 760	9 053
BEAUFORT WEST	673	631	42	17	4	1	5	1	14
CITY OF CAPE TOWN	63 153	46 277	16 876	4 820	1 803	1 406	1 277	1 200	6 370
CAPE AGULHAS	411	267	144	62	19	17	15	5	26
THEEWATERSKLOOF	1 211	802	409	144	43	51	28	26	117
KANNALAND	6	3	3	-	-	-	1	1	1
BREDE RIVER DMA	2 031	1 396	635	283	66	51	41	26	168
CEDERBERG	569	450	119	59	18	10	5	3	24
SOUTH CAPE DMA	3 142	2 376	766	225	93	63	52	43	290
LANGEBERG	1 132	700	432	176	57	29	36	22	112
OVERSTRAND	845	538	307	149	36	34	23	16	49
SALDANHA BAY	50	30	20	5	3	1	5	2	4
KNYSNA	1 909	929	980	321	133	91	75	73	287
SWARTLAND	2 205	1 698	507	183	47	38	31	35	173
MOSSEL BAY	1 320	825	495	185	60	38	39	31	142
CENTRAL KAROO DMA	112	78	34	15	1	1	3	5	9
OUDTSHOORN	1 868	1 409	459	133	50	41	29	43	163
DRAKENSTEIN	4 474	3 558	916	254	112	75	54	76	345
BERGRIVIER	610	467	143	64	11	9	12	4	43
PRINCE ALBERT	161	132	29	16	2	3	2	-	6
BREEDE RIVER/WINELANDS	846	610	236	83	25	32	21	12	63
STELLENBOSCH	1 966	1 416	550	159	63	47	42	39	200
SWELLENDAM	546	290	256	118	30	27	12	14	55
WITZENBERG	49	19	30	8	1	-	1	1	19
SOUTH CAPE DMA	229	146	83	52	10	3	4	6	8
MATZIKAMA	931	706	225	89	22	15	10	10	79
SALDANHA BAY	1 340	1 014	326	174	41	29	12	8	62
DRAKENSTEIN	14	8	6	-	1	2	-	-	3
BREEDE VALLEY	3 448	2 732	716	234	67	89	47	58	221

2. RECORDED LIVE BIRTHS**2.1 REGISTRATIONS FOR 2003 BY YEAR OF BIRTH, PROVINCE AND MUNICIPALITY (continued)**

PROVINCE AND MUNICIPALITY	GRAND TOTAL	2003	LATE REGISTRATIONS						
			TOTAL	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998	<1997
EASTERN CAPE	337 137	76 661	260 476	35 159	16 782	14 855	15 128	14 770	163 782
ABERDEEN PLAINS DMA	5 548	2 932	2 616	738	261	213	182	166	1 056
NXUBA	470	183	287	53	22	12	12	13	175
MAKANA	2 589	1 110	1 479	268	121	113	99	95	783
GARIEP	1 394	481	913	122	64	78	67	71	511
SUNDAY'S RIVER VALLEY	1211	267	944	174	87	71	82	71	459
MALETSWAI	1 717	442	1 275	238	127	100	95	91	624
SENQU	8 142	1 556	6 586	755	366	281	285	299	4 600
NDLAMBE	940	273	667	113	64	55	71	57	307
BLUE CRANE ROUTE	1 466	467	999	156	73	56	75	75	564
MBIZANA	1 965	195	1 770	159	87	111	115	134	1 164
MNQUMA	10 077	2 217	7 860	1 250	512	493	536	515	4 554
SAKHISIZWE	4 431	699	3 732	353	155	168	174	183	2 699
AMAHLATI	6 609	2 022	4 587	529	242	194	236	212	3 174
INTSIKA YETHU	7 452	1 255	6 197	372	193	216	253	258	4 905
INXUBA YETHEMBA	7 452	1 255	6 197	372	193	216	253	258	4 905
BUFFALO CITY	23 429	10 205	13 224	1 477	978	894	858	851	7 166
MBASHE	10 161	723	9 438	649	352	316	417	453	7 251
ENGOBO	12 833	2 110	10 723	1 030	546	536	693	690	7 228
INGQUZA	25 928	3 742	22 186	2 505	1 562	1 307	1 356	1 396	14 060
CAMDEBOKA	884	394	490	213	53	38	29	23	134
KOUGA	201	27	174	31	22	14	14	8	85
LUKHANJI	7 218	3 669	3 549	586	203	165	140	149	2 306
TSOLWANA	866	186	680	61	24	34	39	37	485
KOU-KAMMA	2 464	991	1 473	436	214	159	168	124	372
EMALAHLENI	4 565	873	3 692	326	142	84	119	127	2 894
IKWEZI	253	117	136	31	17	10	12	9	57
GREAT KEI	268	100	168	38	9	9	6	6	100
NYANDENI	13 877	1 569	12 308	1 304	515	486	506	567	8 930
ELUNDINI	9 598	791	8 807	566	387	360	398	426	6 670
UMZIMVUBU	24 232	3 946	20 286	2 052	1 136	1 047	1 065	1 091	13 895
NKONKOBÉ	3 031	926	2 105	194	86	75	61	91	1 598
KING SABATA DALINDYEBO	55 441	12 214	43 227	7 676	3 934	3 563	3 347	2 751	21 956
MNQUMA	23 782	3 111	20 671	2 073	932	850	955	1 047	14 814
NGQUSHWA	1 714	325	1 389	110	57	45	60	71	1 046
NELSON MANDELA	28 002	10 874	17 128	5 247	1 962	1 654	1 460	1 320	5 485
PORT ST JOHNS	8 183	1 826	6 357	732	371	306	259	240	4 449
MHLONTLO	14 281	1 631	12 650	736	328	281	343	410	10 552
INKWANCA	190	64	126	18	8	7	11	6	76
BAVIAANS	66	18	48	16	3	6	3	4	16
NTABANKULU	7 660	917	6 743	680	336	263	408	430	4 626
UMZUMKULU	12 309	2 518	9 791	1 139	672	617	592	660	6 111

2. RECORDED LIVE BIRTHS**2.1 REGISTRATIONS FOR 2003 BY YEAR OF BIRTH, PROVINCE AND MUNICIPALITY (continued)**

PROVINCE AND MUNICIPALITY	GRAND TOTAL	2003	LATE REGISTRATIONS						
			TOTAL	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998	<1997
NORTHERN CAPE	24 189	14 104	10 085	2 362	1 035	836	805	743	4 304
DIAMONDFIELDS DMA	9 560	5 666	3 894	936	438	308	347	323	1 542
ENTHANJENI	1 051	787	264	84	20	18	21	14	107
HANTAM	380	287	93	21	10	8	7	5	42
KAREEBERG	227	158	69	13	9	13	7	5	22
UMSOBOMVU	564	312	252	61	27	25	19	9	111
KAROO HOOGLAND	201	154	47	17	4	4	4	5	13
IKHEIS	4 008	2 815	1 193	296	113	92	72	89	531
PHOKWANE	2 018	573	1 445	233	137	130	120	117	708
BO-KAROO DMA	163	71	92	36	7	7	8	9	25
THEMBELIHLE	342	178	164	35	15	16	14	10	74
BEN. ORANJE DMA	208	149	59	22	5	7	1	1	23
KALAHARI CROSS BDMA	2 924	1 397	1 527	298	150	128	123	103	725
NAMA KHOI	1 081	891	190	51	15	16	10	14	84
RENOSTERBERG	79	25	54	14	1	6	4	4	25
SIYATHEMBA	420	218	202	81	23	18	10	7	63
UBUNTU	238	152	86	33	10	7	7	5	24
MAGARENG	725	271	454	131	51	33	31	23	185

2. RECORDED LIVE BIRTHS**2.1 REGISTRATIONS FOR 2003 BY YEAR OF BIRTH, PROVINCE AND MUNICIPALITY (continued)**

PROVINCE AND MUNICIPALITY	GRAND TOTAL	2003	LATE REGISTRATIONS						
			TOTAL	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998	<1997
FREE STATE	100 246	39 094	61 152	10 636	5 433	4 453	4 157	4 085	32 388
DIHLABENG	3 800	2 517	1 283	318	115	95	86	93	576
KOPANONG	1 063	420	643	150	70	60	57	51	255
MANGAUNG	21 152	11 615	9 537	1 872	920	671	583	582	4 909
TOKOLOGO	190	47	143	29	13	10	7	11	73
NALA	21 342	11 662	9 680	1 901	933	681	590	593	4 982
MASILONYANA	269	50	219	45	18	20	17	13	106
TSWELOPELE	1 119	304	815	173	101	86	88	72	295
SETSOTO	4 417	1 730	2 687	651	331	243	230	174	1 058
NALEDI	383	58	325	18	22	16	29	23	217
MANTSOPA	1 184	438	746	163	87	61	68	48	319
MAFUBE	1 580	728	852	235	115	71	62	56	313
MALUTI aPHOFUNG	16 512	5 468	11 044	1 495	816	701	565	589	6 878
NGWATHE	2 807	1 287	1 520	329	215	146	120	125	585
MATJHABENG	189	49	140	27	5	9	7	9	83
LETSEMENG	386	123	263	47	24	34	15	17	126
MOQHAKA	4 075	2 574	1 501	434	175	147	102	99	544
NKETOANA	1615	652	963	258	107	75	68	63	392
MOHOKARE	23 354	3 127	20 227	2 410	1 357	1 288	1 413	1 425	12 334
METSIMAHOLO	1 925	1 078	847	322	88	68	52	61	256
PHUMELELA	1 185	349	836	152	87	57	53	66	421

2. RECORDED LIVE BIRTHS**2.1 REGISTRATIONS FOR 2003 BY YEAR OF BIRTH, PROVINCE AND MUNICIPALITY (continued)**

PROVINCE AND MUNICIPALITY	GRAND TOTAL	2003	LATE REGISTRATIONS						
			TOTAL	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998	<1997
KWAZULU-NATAL	400 767	127 123	273 644	52 926	28 771	24 639	23 699	21 571	122 038
uMUZIWABANTU	5 527	888	4 639	585	269	208	235	238	3 104
ULUNDI	26 637	5 964	20 673	4 022	2 034	1 794	1 848	1 684	9 291
OKHAHLAMBA	4 761	783	3 978	522	354	329	319	345	2 109
MKHAMBATHINI	3 011	607	2 404	469	213	181	187	148	1 206
DURBAN METRO.	115 004	47 459	67 545	13 319	8 984	8 202	7 829	6 584	22 627
DANNHAUSER	1 107	102	1 005	125	65	71	55	47	642
ENDUMENI	6 132	1 498	4 634	943	421	331	308	314	2 317
UMTSHEZI	14 574	3 827	10 747	1 677	903	698	686	787	5 996
HLABISA	11 879	3 149	8 730	1 729	924	765	787	694	3 831
IMPEMDLE	249	26	223	28	17	10	13	18	137
UMHLABUYALINGANA	12 037	2 500	9 537	2 026	918	905	877	716	4 095
IXOPO	6 255	1 624	4 631	1 053	436	352	319	314	2 157
EMNAM/LADY	14 609	4 326	10 283	1 913	1 078	850	780	716	4 946
UMVOTI	6 726	1 843	4 883	950	475	318	313	361	2 466
uMNGENI	15	1	14	2	1	-	1	3	7
KWA DUKUZA	7 791	2 786	5 005	1 291	561	409	368	369	2 007
MBONAMBI	24 211	9 647	14 564	3 677	1 969	1 538	1 560	1 149	4 671
MAPHUMULO	4 270	884	3 386	686	306	264	231	236	1 663
MOOI MPOFANA	56	12	44	8	3	5	4	3	21
GREATER KOKSTAD	10 017	2 308	7 709	997	579	556	545	559	4 473
MSINGA	5 985	1 670	4 315	1 189	451	327	266	260	1 822
MTHONJANENI	3 138	903	2 235	422	203	189	148	159	1 114
NDWEDWE	2 886	505	2 381	302	125	121	140	147	1 546
uMSHWATHI	97	19	78	7	4	5	6	8	48
NEWCASTLE	20 937	5 249	15 688	3 296	1 644	1 307	1 234	1 276	6 931
uPHONGOLO	6 072	1 554	4 518	800	366	364	324	310	2 354
NKANDLA	4 481	789	3 692	573	256	205	212	244	2 202
NONGOMA	10 706	2 009	8 697	1 283	675	560	587	627	4 965
NQUTU	8 452	2 256	6 196	1 275	574	423	416	421	3 087
eDUMBE	2 165	331	1 834	239	171	101	115	113	1 095
THE MSUNDUZI	22 428	8 668	13 760	2 376	1 279	1 155	1 028	986	6 936
INGWE	608	77	531	91	34	23	28	32	323
HIBISCUS COAST	14 128	5 185	8 943	1 775	685	547	539	525	4 872
RICHMOND	2 968	754	2 214	412	219	192	206	188	997
VULAMEHLO	8 501	3 260	5 241	1 067	739	751	641	457	1 586
KWA SANI	407	37	370	44	28	29	18	22	229
UTRECHT	1 053	218	835	173	84	42	53	62	421

2. RECORDED LIVE BIRTHS**2.1 REGISTRATIONS FOR 2003 BY YEAR OF BIRTH, PROVINCE AND MUNICIPALITY (continued)**

PROVINCE AND MUNICIPALITY	GRAND TOTAL	2003	LATE REGISTRATIONS						
			TOTAL	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998	<1997
NORTH WEST	124 524	48 222	76 302	15 622	7 341	5 559	4 830	4 698	38 252
RUSTENBURG	3 012	978	2 034	461	212	142	131	110	978
LEKWA-TEEMANE	1 400	544	856	222	75	65	62	52	380
MADIBENG	4 862	2 122	2 740	756	366	291	249	186	892
LICHENBURG	9 874	3 451	6 423	1 483	684	474	406	428	2 948
TSWAING	1 786	349	1 437	209	158	136	131	126	677
KAGISANO	11 381	3 793	7 588	1 147	615	478	424	455	4 469
CITY OF KLERKS DORP	11 200	5 352	5 848	1 418	644	538	448	432	2 368
KGETLENG RIVIER	10 497	4 757	5 740	1 454	710	552	442	409	2 173
ZEERUST	7 733	2 849	4 884	1 060	456	285	230	208	2 645
MANKWE-MADIKEWE	5 555	1 818	3 737	629	265	214	187	167	2 275
MOLOPO	10 587	4 229	6 358	1 423	564	417	408	404	3 142
MORETELE	11 728	3 746	7 982	1 419	637	484	438	436	4 568
CITY OF TSHWANE	11 977	5 524	6 453	1 324	599	397	366	383	3 384
POTCHEFSTROOM	4 333	2 348	1 985	417	217	205	171	136	839
SCHWEIZER-RENEKE	2 422	834	1 588	370	169	122	112	120	695
GREATER TAUNG	8 526	2 973	5 553	962	478	374	288	315	3 136
VENTERSDORP	1 241	383	858	148	72	57	39	45	497
NALEDI	4 143	1 402	2 741	420	256	211	179	173	1 502
MQUASSI HIILS	2 267	770	1 497	300	164	117	119	113	684

2. RECORDED LIVE BIRTHS**2.1 REGISTRATIONS FOR 2003 BY YEAR OF BIRTH, PROVINCE AND MUNICIPALITY (continued)**

PROVINCE AND MUNICIPALITY	GRAND TOTAL	2003	LATE REGISTRATIONS						
			TOTAL	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998	<1997
GAUTENG	218 975	126 848	92 127	24 366	10 169	7 430	6 415	6 152	37 595
EKURHULENI METRO.	46 322	27 075	19 247	5 349	2 267	1 677	1 414	1 315	7 225
KUNGWINI	515	134	381	55	31	28	32	21	214
NOKENG tsa TAEMANE	1 089	355	734	181	64	58	50	52	329
LESEDI	4 454	2 369	2 085	628	254	144	175	175	709
CITY OF JHB METRO.	93 680	54 099	39 581	9 673	4 163	3 190	2 765	2 566	17 224
MOGALE CITY	10 534	5 719	4 815	1 318	496	399	303	313	1 986
MERAFONG CITY	5 314	2 839	2 475	518	272	241	202	197	1 045
CITY OF TSHWANE	41 048	25 197	15 851	4 355	1 902	1 223	1 024	1 081	6 266
RANDFONTEIN	1 511	866	645	129	78	53	47	56	282
EMFULENI	9 330	4 734	4 596	1 527	455	269	292	269	1 784
MIDVAAL	5 178	3 461	1 717	633	187	148	111	107	531
MERAFONG CITY	1 941	934	1 007	182	99	113	106	77	430

2. RECORDED LIVE BIRTHS**2.1 REGISTRATIONS FOR 2003 BY YEAR OF BIRTH, PROVINCE AND MUNICIPALITY (continued)**

PROVINCE AND MUNICIPALITY	GRAND TOTAL	2003	LATE REGISTRATIONS						
			TOTAL	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998	<1997
MPUMALANGA	139 131	44 179	94 952	18 932	9 535	7 607	6 627	6 764	45 487
MSUKALIGWA	8 849	2 295	6 554	1 222	738	607	546	524	2 917
DIPALESENG	380	82	298	51	16	33	22	18	158
NKOMAZI	20 114	5 535	14 579	2 830	1 323	1 097	880	860	7 589
HIGHLANDS	1 082	299	783	178	99	72	65	63	306
HIGHVELD EAST	7 932	3 415	4 517	982	554	454	483	484	1 560
ALBERT LUTHULI	9 811	2 184	7 627	1 256	719	613	520	603	3 916
DELMAS	1 671	527	1 144	221	131	126	95	116	455
GREATER GROBLER.	10 617	3 620	6 997	1 593	699	533	456	533	3 183
EMALAHLENI	8 836	4 326	4 510	1 139	530	373	354	305	1 809
THEMBISILE	9 672	2 878	6 794	1 467	722	522	417	417	3 249
THABA CHWEU	15 187	4 496	10 691	1 973	911	745	673	715	5 674
Dr JS MOROKA	7 217	1 645	5 572	884	457	360	333	292	3 246
MIDDELBURG	5 591	2 499	3 092	753	315	227	199	230	1 368
MBOMBELA	17 427	6 447	10 980	2 252	1 092	884	702	725	5 325
KRUGER N.P DMA	3 869	995	2 874	505	279	219	181	206	1 484
MKHONDO	5 225	1 408	3 817	791	449	353	352	300	1 572
LEKWA	3 077	954	2 123	425	259	214	207	208	810
SEME	2 574	574	2 000	410	242	175	142	165	866

2. RECORDED LIVE BIRTHS**2.1 REGISTRATIONS FOR 2003 BY YEAR OF BIRTH, PROVINCE AND MUNICIPALITY (concluded)**

PROVINCE AND MUNICIPALITY	GRAND TOTAL	2003	LATE REGISTRATIONS						
			TOTAL	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998	<1997
NORTHERN PROVINCE	230 124	74 191	155 933	25 040	12 304	9 424	8 781	9 033	91 351
BLOUERG	7 543	2 693	4 850	705	359	230	224	288	3 044
GREATER LETABA	10 246	2 328	7 918	743	368	296	290	347	5 874
MAKHADO	21 498	6 579	14 919	2 301	1 149	823	723	757	9 166
LEPHALALE	13 580	6 261	7 319	1 591	622	461	457	462	3 726
GREATER GIYANI	11 246	3 539	7 707	1 403	623	463	447	493	4 278
GREATER TZANEEN	11 497	3 745	7 752	1 002	531	435	407	423	4 954
BA-PHALABORWA	3 664	1 575	2 089	413	196	152	143	135	1 050
THOHOY/MALA	31 461	8 548	22 913	3 838	1 782	1 365	1 134	1 169	13 625
BUSHBUCKRIDGE	35 255	6 645	28 610	3 654	2 548	2 162	2 049	2 019	16 178
MUSINA	2 093	745	1 348	261	140	108	97	97	645
MOGALAKWENA	3 530	492	3 038	490	276	192	179	185	1 716
MUTALE	2 397	709	1 688	292	113	104	107	102	970
MAULENG	7 633	2 245	5 388	716	332	209	260	270	3 601
MAKHUDUTAMAGA	15 968	5 128	10 840	2 104	863	613	579	551	6 130
KRUGER N. P. DMA	671	398	273	59	18	19	21	10	146
MOLEMOLE	11 937	5 332	6 605	903	404	330	364	415	4 189
GREATER TUBATSE	7 557	2 390	5 167	983	456	322	270	300	2 836
AGANANG	11 465	5 513	5 952	1 250	545	448	352	337	3 020
LEPELLE-NKUMPI	13 470	6 511	6 959	1 478	536	330	294	319	4 002
THABAZIMBI	1 612	725	887	145	79	54	63	66	480
BELA-BELA	2 791	1 092	1 699	405	170	157	149	148	670
MODIMOLLE	3 010	998	2 012	304	194	151	172	140	1 051
UNSPECIFIED	84	21	63	10	6	4	5	4	34
FOREIGN	6 987	1 937	5 050	1 123	394	246	204	215	2 868

3. RECORDED LIVE BIRTHS**3.1 REGISTRATIONS FOR 2003 BY PROVINCE, MUNICIPALITY AND SEX**

PROVINCE AND MUNICIPALITY	TOTAL REGISTRATIONS			CURRENT REGISTRATIONS			LATE REGISTRATIONS		
	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE
TOTAL SA	1 677 415	840 597	836 818	621 887	313 148	308 739	1 055 528	527 449	528 079
WESTERN CAPE	95 251	47 772	47 479	69 507	34 822	34 685	25 744	12 950	12 794
BEAUFORT WEST	673	324	349	631	306	325	42	18	24
CITY OF CAPE TOWN	63 153	31 809	31 344	46 277	23 226	23 051	16 876	8 583	8 293
CAPE AGULHAS	411	223	188	267	140	127	144	83	61
THEEWATERSKLOOF	1 211	602	609	802	392	410	409	210	199
KANNALAND	6	2	4	3	1	2	3	1	2
BREDE RIVER DMA	1 476	777	699	1 032	531	501	444	246	198
CEDERBERG	569	300	269	450	238	212	119	62	57
SOUTH CAPE DMA	3 371	1 684	1 687	2 522	1 291	1 231	849	393	456
LANGEBERG	525	252	273	278	125	153	247	127	120
OVERSTRAND	845	410	435	538	258	280	307	152	155
SALDANHA BAY	1 390	648	742	1 044	492	552	346	156	190
KNYSNA	1 909	932	977	929	444	485	980	488	492
SWARTLAND	2 205	1 076	1 129	1 698	830	868	507	246	261
BREEDE RIVER/WINE.	1 401	683	718	974	486	488	427	197	230
MOSSEL BAY	1 320	669	651	825	428	397	495	241	254
CENTRAL KAROO DMA	112	50	62	78	34	44	34	16	18
OUDTSHOORN	1 868	906	962	1 409	686	723	459	220	239
DRAKENSTEIN	4 488	2 236	2 252	3 566	1 790	1 776	922	446	473
BERGRIVIER	610	300	310	467	227	240	143	73	70
PRINCE ALBERT	161	70	91	132	56	76	29	14	15
LANGEBERG	607	283	324	422	197	225	185	86	99
STELLENBOSCH	1 966	979	987	1 416	716	700	550	263	287
SWELLENDAM	546	280	266	290	153	137	256	127	129
WITZENBERG	49	28	21	19	13	6	30	15	15
MATZIKAMA	931	478	453	706	369	337	225	109	116
BREEDE VALLEY	3 448	1 771	1 677	2 732	1 393	1 339	716	378	338

3. RECORDED LIVE BIRTHS**3.1 REGISTRATIONS FOR 2003 BY PROVINCE, MUNICIPALITY AND SEX (continued)**

PROVINCE AND MUNICIPALITY	TOTAL REGISTRATIONS			CURRENT REGISTRATIONS			LATE REGISTRATIONS		
	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE
EASTERN CAPE	337 137	168 927	168 210	76 661	38 790	37 871	260 476	130 137	130 339
CAMDEBOO	1 027	490	537	450	212	238	577	278	299
INXUBA YETHEMBA	2 237	1 110	1 127	1 095	546	549	1 142	564	578
MAKANA	2 589	1 313	1 276	1 110	548	562	1 479	765	714
GARIEP	1 394	687	707	481	233	248	913	454	459
SUNDAYS' RIVER VALLEY	1 211	600	611	267	129	138	944	471	473
MALETSWAI	1 717	847	870	442	215	227	1 275	632	643
SENQU	8 142	4 043	4 099	1 556	741	815	6 586	3 302	284
NDLAMBE	940	467	473	273	141	132	667	326	341
BLUE CRANE ROUTE	1 466	714	752	467	232	235	999	482	517
MBIZANA	1 965	1 000	965	195	97	98	1 770	903	867
MNQUMA	23 782	11 947	11 835	3 111	1 577	1 534	20 671	10 370	10 301
SAKHISIZWE	4 431	2 228	2 203	699	332	367	3 732	1 896	1 836
AMAHLATI	6 609	3 357	3 252	2 022	1 003	1 019	4 587	2 354	2 233
INTSIKA YETHU	7 452	3 676	3 776	1 255	616	639	6 197	3 060	3 137
BUFFALO CITY	23 429	11 888	11 541	10 205	5 212	4 993	13 224	6 676	6 548
MBASHE	10 161	5 157	5 004	723	373	350	9 438	4 784	4 654
ENGOBO	12 833	6 408	6 425	2 110	1 080	1 030	10 723	5 328	395
INGQUZA	25 928	12 910	13 018	3 742	1 906	1 836	22 186	11 004	11 182
NKONKOBE	3 031	1 478	1 553	926	477	449	2 105	1 001	1 104
KOUGA	201	96	105	27	13	14	174	83	91
LUKHANJI	7 218	3 760	3 458	3 669	1 908	1 761	3 549	1 852	1 697
INXUBA YETHEMBA	91	55	36	15	6	9	76	49	27
KOU-KAMMA	2 464	1 192	1 272	991	497	494	1 473	695	778
EMALAHLENI	4 565	2 339	2 226	873	471	402	3 692	1 868	1 824
IKWEZI	253	120	133	117	49	68	136	71	65
GREAT KEI	268	136	132	100	50	50	168	86	82
NYANDENI	13 877	6 875	7 002	1 569	802	767	12 308	6 073	6 235
ELUNDINI	9 598	4 746	4 852	791	386	405	8 807	4 360	4 447
UMZIMVUBU	24 232	12 040	12 192	3 946	2 021	1 925	20 286	10 019	267
10									21
KING SABATA DALINDYEBO	55 441	28 131	27 310	12 214	6 192	6 022	43 227	21 939	288
TSOLWANA	775	398	377	171	78	93	604	320	284
NGQUSHWA	1 714	835	879	325	150	175	1 389	685	704
8									8
NELSON MANDELA	28 002	14 028	13 974	10 874	5 535	5 339	17 128	8 493	635
3									3
PORT ST JOHNS	8 183	4 064	4 119	1 826	925	901	6 357	3 139	218
MHLONTLO	14 281	6 971	7 310	1 631	803	828	12 650	6 168	6 482
INKWANCA	190	103	87	64	31	33	126	72	54
BAVIAANS	66	37	29	18	9	9	48	28	20
3									3
NTABANKULU	7 660	3 794	3 866	917	469	448	6 743	3 325	418
ABERDEEN PLAINS DMA	5 405	2 728	2 677	2 876	1 461	1 415	2 529	1 267	1 262
4									4
UMZUMKULU	12 309	6 159	6 150	2 518	1 264	1 254	9 791	4 895	896

3. RECORDED LIVE BIRTHS**3.1 REGISTRATIONS FOR 2003 BY PROVINCE, MUNICIPALITY AND SEX (continued)**

PROVINCE AND MUNICIPALITY	TOTAL REGISTRATIONS			CURRENT REGISTRATIONS			LATE REGISTRATIONS		
	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE
NORTHERN CAPE	24 189	12 262	11 927	14 104	7 172	6 932	10 085	5 090	4 995
DIAMONDFIELDS DMA	9 560	4 843	4 717	5 666	2 902	2 764	3 894	1 941	1 953
ENTHANJENI	1 051	525	526	787	392	395	264	133	131
HANTAM	380	202	178	287	155	132	93	47	46
KAREEBERG	227	109	118	158	76	82	69	33	36
UMSOBOMVU	564	265	299	312	142	170	252	123	129
KAROO HOOGLAND	201	104	97	154	79	75	47	25	22
IKHEIS	4 008	2 057	1 951	2 815	1 440	1 375	1 193	517	576
PHOKWANE	2 018	1 026	992	573	292	281	1 445	734	711
BO-KAROO DMA	163	87	76	71	37	34	92	50	42
THEMBELIHLE	342	183	159	178	94	84	164	89	75
BEN. ORANJE DMA	208	111	97	149	85	64	59	26	33
KALAHARI CROSS BDMA	2 924	1 498	1 426	1 397	704	693	1 527	794	733
NAMA KHOI	1 081	531	550	891	441	450	190	90	100
RENOSTERBERG	79	32	47	25	10	15	54	22	32
SIYATHEMBA	420	208	212	218	107	111	202	101	101
UBUNTU	238	110	128	152	71	81	86	39	47
MAGARENG	725	371	354	271	145	126	454	226	228

3. RECORDED LIVE BIRTHS**3.1 REGISTRATIONS FOR 2003 BY PROVINCE, MUNICIPALITY AND SEX (continued)**

PROVINCE AND MUNICIPALITY	TOTAL REGISTRATIONS			CURRENT REGISTRATIONS			LATE REGISTRATIONS		
	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE
FREE STATE	100 246	50 495	49 751	39 094	19 786	19 308	61 152	30 709	30 443
DIHLABENG	3 800	1 943	1 857	2 517	1 270	1 247	1 283	673	610
KOPANONG	1 063	535	528	420	214	206	643	321	322
MANGAUNG	21 152	10 664	10 488	11 615	5 867	5 748	9 537	4 797	4 740
TOKOLOGO	190	95	95	47	25	22	143	70	73
NALA	2 012	989	1 023	763	394	369	1 249	595	654
MASILONYANA	495	240	255	70	41	29	425	199	226
TSWELOPELE	1 119	569	550	304	155	149	815	414	401
SETSOTO	4 417	2 213	2 204	1 730	879	851	2 687	1 334	1 353
NALEDI	383	198	185	58	26	32	325	172	153
MANTSOPA	1 184	560	624	438	192	246	746	368	378
MAFUBE	1 580	762	818	728	345	383	852	417	435
MALUTI aPHOFUNG	16 512	8 405	8 107	5 468	2 759	2 709	11 044	5 646	5 398
NGWATHE	2 807	1 398	1 409	1 287	688	599	1 520	710	810
MATJHABENG	10 992	5 595	5 397	5 746	2 904	2 842	5 246	2 691	2 555
LETSEMENG	386	193	193	123	65	58	263	128	135
MOQHAKA	4 075	2 040	2 035	2 574	1 300	1 274	1 501	740	761
NKETOANA	1 615	802	813	652	336	316	963	466	497
MOHOKARE	23 354	11 693	11 661	3 127	1 594	1 533	20 227	10 099	10 128
METSIMAHOLLO	1 925	1 006	919	1 078	566	512	847	440	407
PHUMELELA	1 185	595	590	349	166	183	836	429	407

3. RECORDED LIVE BIRTHS**3.1 REGISTRATIONS FOR 2003 BY PROVINCE, MUNICIPALITY AND SEX (continued)**

PROVINCE AND MUNICIPALITY	TOTAL REGISTRATIONS			CURRENT REGISTRATIONS			LATE REGISTRATIONS		
	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE
KWAZULU-NATAL	400 767	199 682	201 085	127 123	63 669	63 454	273 644	136 013	137 631
uMUZIWABANTU	5 527	2 771	2 756	888	447	441	4 639	2 324	2 315
ULUNDI	26 637	13 293	13 344	5 964	2 956	3 008	20 673	10 337	10 336
OKHAHLAMBA	4 761	2 374	2 387	783	374	409	3 978	2 000	1 978
MKHAMBATHINI	3 011	1 447	1 564	607	298	309	2 404	1 149	1 255
DURBAN METRO.	115 004	57 469	57 535	47 459	23 844	23 615	67 545	33 625	33 920
DANNHAUSER	1 107	563	544	102	48	54	1 005	515	490
ENDUMENI	6 132	2 996	3 136	1 498	761	737	4 634	2 235	2 399
UMLALAZI	10 887	5 344	5 543	3 405	1 724	1 681	7 482	3 620	3 862
UMTSHEZI	14 574	7 228	7 346	3 827	1 930	1 897	10 747	5 298	5 449
HLABISA	11 879	5 842	6 037	3 149	1 536	1 613	8 730	4 306	4 424
IMPEMDLE	249	126	123	26	14	12	223	112	111
UMHLA.	12 037	5 898	6 139	2 500	1 251	1 249	9 537	4 647	4 890
IXOPO	6 255	3 211	3 044	1 624	842	782	4 631	2 369	2 262
EMNAM/LADY	14 609	7 302	7 307	4 326	2 159	2 167	10 283	5 143	5 140
UMVOTI	6 726	3 358	3 368	1 843	930	913	4 883	2 428	2 455
uMNGENI	15	6	9	1	1	-	14	5	9
KWA DUKUZA	7 791	3 822	3 969	2 786	1 415	1 371	5 005	2 407	2 598
MBONAMBI	24 211	12 104	12 107	9 647	4 826	4 821	14 564	7 278	7 286
MAPHUMULO	4 270	2 059	2 211	884	395	489	3 386	1 664	1 722
MOOI MPOFANA	56	27	29	12	6	6	44	21	23
GREATER KOKSTAD	10 017	4 941	5 076	2 308	1 149	1 159	7 709	3 792	3 917
MSINGA	5 985	2 979	3 006	1 670	825	845	4 315	2 154	2 161
MTHONJANENI	3 138	1 607	1 531	903	468	435	2 235	1 139	1 096
NDWEDWE	2 886	1 391	1 495	505	247	258	2 381	1 144	1 237
uMSHWATHI	97	43	54	19	7	12	78	36	42
NEWCASTLE	20 937	10 642	10 295	5 249	2 674	2 575	15 688	7 968	7 720
uPHONGOLO	6 072	2 980	3 092	1 554	772	782	4 518	2 208	2 310
NKANDLA	4 481	2 225	2 256	789	378	411	3 692	1 847	1 845
NONGOMA	10 706	5 325	5 381	2 009	1 005	1 004	8 697	4 320	4 377
NQUTU	8 452	4 156	4 296	2 256	1 130	1 126	6 196	3 026	3 170
eDUMBE	2 165	1 035	1 130	331	153	178	1 834	882	952
THE MSUNDUZI	22 428	11 274	11 154	8 668	4 307	4 361	13 760	6 967	6 793
INGWE	608	288	320	77	38	39	531	250	281
HIBISCUS COAST	14 128	7 101	7 027	5 185	2 616	2 569	8 943	4 485	4 458
RICHMOND	2 968	1 481	1 487	754	381	373	2 214	1 100	1 114
VULAMEHLO	8 501	4 255	4 246	3 260	1 625	1 635	5 241	2 630	2 611
KWA SANI	407	211	196	37	24	13	370	187	183
UTRECHT	1 053	508	545	218	113	105	835	395	440

3. RECORDED LIVE BIRTHS**3.1 REGISTRATIONS FOR 2003 BY PROVINCE, MUNICIPALITY AND SEX (continued)**

PROVINCE AND MUNICIPALITY	TOTAL REGISTRATIONS			CURRENT REGISTRATIONS			LATE REGISTRATIONS		
	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE
NORTH WEST	124 524	62 970	61 554	48 222	24 416	23 806	76 302	38 554	37 748
RUSTENBURG	3 012	1 511	1 501	978	470	508	2 034	1 041	993
LEKWA-TEEMANE	1 400	684	716	544	270	274	856	414	442
MADIBENG	4 862	2 439	2 423	2 122	1 056	1 066	2 740	1 383	1 357
LICHTENBURG	9 874	4 973	4 901	3 451	1 754	1 697	6 423	3 219	3 204
TSWAING	1 786	919	867	349	175	174	1 437	744	693
KAGISANO	5 927	2 996	2 931	1 857	949	908	4 070	2 047	2 023
CITY OF KLERKSDORP	11 200	5 731	5 469	5 352	2 732	2 620	5 848	2 999	2 849
KGETLENG RIVIER	10 497	5 291	5 206	4 757	2 425	2 332	5 740	2 866	2 874
KAGISANO	5 454	2 784	2 670	1 936	1 012	924	3 518	1 772	1 746
ZEERUST	27 151	13 806	13 345	12 045	6 169	5 876	15 106	7 637	7 469
MANKWE-MADIKEWE	5 555	2 846	2 709	1 818	925	893	3 737	1 921	1 816
MOLOPO	10 587	5 375	5 212	4 229	2 167	2 062	6 358	3 208	3 150
MORETELE	11 728	5 925	5 803	3 746	1 900	1 846	7 982	4 025	3 957
CITY OF TSHWANE /CB	11 977	6 021	5 956	5 524	2 777	2 747	6 453	3 244	3 209
POTCHEFSTROOM	4 333	2 222	2 111	2 348	1 213	1 135	1 985	1 009	976
SCHWEIZER-RENEKE	2 422	1 236	1 186	834	409	425	1 588	827	761
GREATER TAUNG	8 526	4 324	4 202	2 973	1 519	1 454	5 553	2 805	2 748
VENTERSDORP	1 241	652	589	383	205	178	858	447	411
NALEDI	4 143	2 029	2 114	1 402	680	722	2 741	1 349	1 392
MQUASSI HIILS	2 267	1 118	1 149	770	364	406	1 497	754	743

3. RECORDED LIVE BIRTHS**3.1 REGISTRATIONS FOR 2003 BY PROVINCE, MUNICIPALITY AND SEX (continued)**

PROVINCE AND MUNICIPALITY	TOTAL REGISTRATIONS			CURRENT REGISTRATIONS			LATE REGISTRATIONS		
	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE
GAUTENG	218 975	110 138	108 837	126 848	63 954	62 894	92 127	46 184	45 943
EKURHULENI METROPOLITAN	46 322	23 332	22 990	27 075	13 625	13 450	19 247	9 707	9 540
KUNGWINI	515	254	261	134	63	71	381	191	190
NOKENG tsa TAE.	1 089	523	566	355	186	169	734	337	397
LESEDI	4 454	2 247	2 207	2 369	1 170	1 199	2 085	1 077	1 008
CITY OF JHB METROPOLITAN	93 680	47 269	46 411	54 099	27 404	26 695	39 581	19 865	19 716
MOGALE CITY	10 534	5 177	5 357	5 719	2 804	2 915	4 815	2 373	2 442
MERAFONG CITY	5 314	2 584	2 730	2 839	1 386	1 453	2 475	1 198	1 277
CITY OF TSHWANE	41 048	20 657	20 391	25 197	12 662	12 535	15 851	7 995	7 856
RANDFONTEIN	1 511	765	746	866	435	431	645	330	315
EMFULLENI	9 330	4 705	4 625	4 734	2 437	2 297	4 596	2 268	2 328
MIDVAAL	5 178	2 625	2 553	3 461	1 782	1 679	1 717	843	874

3. RECORDED LIVE BIRTHS**3.1 REGISTRATIONS FOR 2003 BY PROVINCE, MUNICIPALITY AND SEX (continued)**

PROVINCE AND MUNICIPALITY	TOTAL REGISTRATIONS			CURRENT REGISTRATIONS			LATE REGISTRATIONS		
	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE
MPUMALANGA	139 131	69 338	69 793	44 179	22 070	22 109	94 952	47 268	47 684
MSUKALIGWA	8 849	4 375	4 474	2 295	1 138	1 157	6 554	3 237	3 317
DIPALESENG	380	175	205	82	38	44	298	137	61
NKOMAZI	20 114	9 901	10 213	5 535	2 742	2 793	14 579	7 159	7 420
HIGHLANDS	1 082	527	555	299	138	161	783	389	394
HIGHVELD EAST	7 932	3 987	3 945	3 415	1 720	1 695	4 517	2 267	2 250
ALBERT LUTHULI	9 811	4 840	4 971	2 184	1 060	1 124	7 627	3 780	3 847
DELMAS	1 671	865	806	527	274	253	1 144	591	553
GREATER GROBLERSDAL	10 617	5 283	5 334	3 620	1 795	1 825	6 997	3 488	3 509
EMALAHLENI	8 836	4 411	4 425	4 326	2 149	2 177	4 510	2 262	2 248
THEMBISILE	9 672	4 910	4 762	2 878	1 459	1 419	6 794	3 451	3 343
THABA CHWEU	15 187	7 684	7 503	4 496	2 272	2 224	10 691	5 412	5 279
Dr JS MOROKA	7 217	3 587	3 630	1 645	820	825	5 572	2 767	2 805
MIDDELBURG	5 591	2 788	2 803	2 499	1 267	1 232	3 092	1 521	1 571
MBOMBELA	17 427	8 791	8 636	6 447	3 246	3 201	10 980	5 545	5 435
KRUGER N.P DMA	3 869	1 916	1 953	995	506	489	2 874	1 410	1 464
MKHONDO	5 225	2 525	2 700	1 408	689	719	3 817	1 836	1 981
LEKWA	3 077	1 516	1 561	954	469	485	2 123	1 047	1 076
SEME	2 574	1 257	1 317	574	288	286	2 000	969	1 031

3. RECORDED LIVE BIRTHS**3.1 REGISTRATIONS FOR 2003 BY PROVINCE, MUNICIPALITY AND SEX (concluded)**

PROVINCE AND MUNICIPALITY	TOTAL REGISTRATIONS			CURRENT REGISTRATIONS			LATE REGISTRATIONS		
	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE
NORTHERN PROVINCE	230 124	115 412	114 712	74 191	37 481	36 710	155 933	77 931	78 002
BLOUWERG	7 543	3 710	3 833	2 693	1 305	1 388	4 850	2 405	2 445
GREATER LETABA	10 246	5 106	5 140	2 328	1 169	1 159	7 918	3 937	3 981
LEPHALALE	13 580	6 861	6 719	6 261	3 192	3 069	7 319	3 669	3 650
GREATER GIYANI	11 246	5 580	5 666	3 539	1 749	1 790	7 707	3 831	3 876
MAKHADO	21 498	10 759	10 739	6 579	3 313	3 266	14 919	7 446	7 473
GREATER TZANEEN	11 497	5 766	5 731	3 745	1 870	1 875	7 752	3 896	3 856
BA-PHALABORWA	3 664	1 802	1 862	1 575	785	790	2 089	1 017	1 072
THOHOY/MALA	31 461	15 844	15 617	8 548	4 352	4 196	22 913	11 492	11 421
BUSHBUCKRIDGE	35 255	17 815	17 440	6 645	3 384	3 261	28 610	14 431	14 179
MUSINA	2 093	1 070	1 023	745	388	357	1 348	682	666
MOGALAKWENA	3 530	1 722	1 808	492	236	256	3 038	1 486	1 552
MUTALE	2 397	1 179	1 218	709	356	353	1 688	823	865
MAULENG	7 633	3 779	3 854	2 245	1 150	1 095	5 388	2 629	2 759
MAKHUDUTAMAGA	15 968	8 097	7 871	5 128	2 624	2 504	10 840	5 473	5 367
KRUGER N. P. DMA	671	348	323	398	203	195	273	145	128
MOLEMOLE	11 937	5 994	5 943	5 332	2 731	2 601	6 605	3 263	3 342
GREATER TUBATSE	7 557	3 829	3 728	2 390	1 224	1 166	5 167	2 605	2 562
AGANANG	11 465	5 668	5 797	5 513	2 727	2 786	5 952	2 941	3 011
LEPELLE-NKUMPI	13 470	6 769	6 701	6 511	3 291	3 220	6 959	3 478	3 481
THABAZIMBI	1 612	791	821	725	356	369	887	435	452
BELA-BELA	2 791	1 386	1 405	1 092	547	545	1 699	839	860
MODIMOLLE	3 010	1 537	1 473	998	529	469	2 012	1 008	1 004
UNSPECIFIED	84	37	47	21	8	13	63	29	34
FOREIGN	6 987	3 564	3 423	1 937	980	957	5 050	2 584	2 466

4. RECORDED LIVE BIRTHS**4.1 AGE OF MOTHER BY AGE OF FATHER 2003**

AGE OF FATHER	TOTAL	AGE OF MOTHER								
		15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49	50-54	Other and unspecified*
TOTAL SA	1 677 415	259 157	419 600	376 972	308 617	186 642	80 804	19 897	6 988	18 738
15-19	9 398	7 357	1 361	197	49	18	2	2	2	410
20-24	59 595	25 918	27 729	4 202	853	184	43	14	3	649
25-29	113 648	12 669	50 651	40 973	7 476	1 277	218	32	14	338
30-34	140 474	4 187	25 074	61 064	42 674	6 306	878	109	26	156
35-39	118 660	1 619	8 514	27 327	51 637	26 233	2 918	258	54	100
40-44	80 220	716	3 398	9 489	22 831	31 675	11 061	786	158	106
45-49	42 544	323	1 435	3 643	7 994	14 013	12 123	2 575	323	115
50-54	20 033	152	699	1 599	3 444	5 276	5 468	2 534	706	155
55-59	8 421	65	290	705	1 402	2 098	2 028	1 036	574	223
60+	7 669	73	236	626	1 314	1 918	1 868	830	432	372
Other and unspecified*	1 076 753	206 078	300 213	227 147	168 943	97 644	44 197	11 721	4 696	16 114

* Other and unspecified refers to the parents whose ages were unstated as well as females whose reported ages were outside the range 15-54 years and males whose reported ages were less than 15 years.

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