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1. Introduction

1.1 Aim and collection unit

This publication presents estimates in respect of the Census of Commercial Agriculture (CoCA), 2017 – Mpumalanga. The survey aims to provide financial, production, employment and related information for the commercial agriculture industry in South Africa.

The last CoCA was conducted in 2007 (Reports No. 11-02-02 (2007)).

It is important to note that in 2007 the collection unit was a farming enterprise. The collection unit for CoCA 2017 is a farming unit, where a farming unit consists of one or more farms, holdings or pieces of land, whether adjacent or not, operated as a single unit and situated within the same local municipality. In this report, the word farm means farming unit.

1.2 Scope and coverage

CoCA 2017 covers enterprises registered for value added tax (VAT) and which are mainly or primarily engaged in the following activities classified according to the January 1993 edition of the Standard Industrial Classification of all Economic Activities (SIC), Fifth edition.

- Growing of crops, market gardening and horticulture (SIC 111),
- Farming of animals (SIC 112),
- A combination of the above (mixed farming) (SIC 113),
- Agricultural and animal husbandry services, except veterinary activities (SIC 114), and
- Game propagation, including related services (SIC 1151).

1.3 Data items

The following categories of data items were collected: general information, land use, field crops, horticultural crops, animals, employment, income, expenditure and details of purchases.

1.4 Reference period

The questionnaires were completed for the financial year ended on any date between 1 March 2017 and 28 February 2018, according to the usual reporting schedule of the enterprise, with the following exceptions:

- Animals on farms as at 30 September 2018, and
- Employment as at 30 June 2018.

1.5 Current prices

The rand values are at current prices.

1.6 Reliability of data

The following are some of the likely sources of non-sampling errors: frame not up to date, wrong definitions and classification, phrasing of questions, non-response, processing and estimation. Every effort is made to minimise non-sampling errors by updating the frame, careful design of questionnaires, testing them with a sample of respondents, editing reported data and implementing efficient operating procedures. Non-sampling errors occur in both sample surveys and censuses.

1.7 Confidentiality

According to section 17 of the Statistics Act, 1999 (Act No. 6 of 1999), completed questionnaires remain confidential to Statistics South Africa (Stats SA). Individual business information is never disclosed. Results are presented in aggregated form only.

2. Key findings

2.1 Farming units, income, and employment

Table A - Number of farms/ farming units, income and employment in the commercial agriculture industry, 2017

Type of activity	Number of farms		Income		Employment	
	Number	% contribution	R'000	% contribution	Number	% contribution
Growing of cereals and other crops	628	22,2	5 625 373	14,6	13 175	18,0
Horticulture	275	9,7	5 317 560	13,8	27 485	37,4
Farming of animals	661	23,4	11 608 011	30,2	11 345	15,5
Mixed farming (growing of crops combined with farming of animals)	1 211	43,0	15 336 713	40,0	20 540	28,0
Agricultural services and fertiliser production	48	1,7	557 190	1,4	774	1,1
Mpumalanga	2 823	100,0	38 444 846	100,0	73 319	100,0

The total number of farms/ farming units involved in the commercial agriculture industry in 2017 was 2 823. The largest proportion of farms was in mixed farming (1 211 farms or 43,0% of the total), followed by farming of animals (661 or 23,4%) and growing of cereals and other crops (628 or 22,2%).

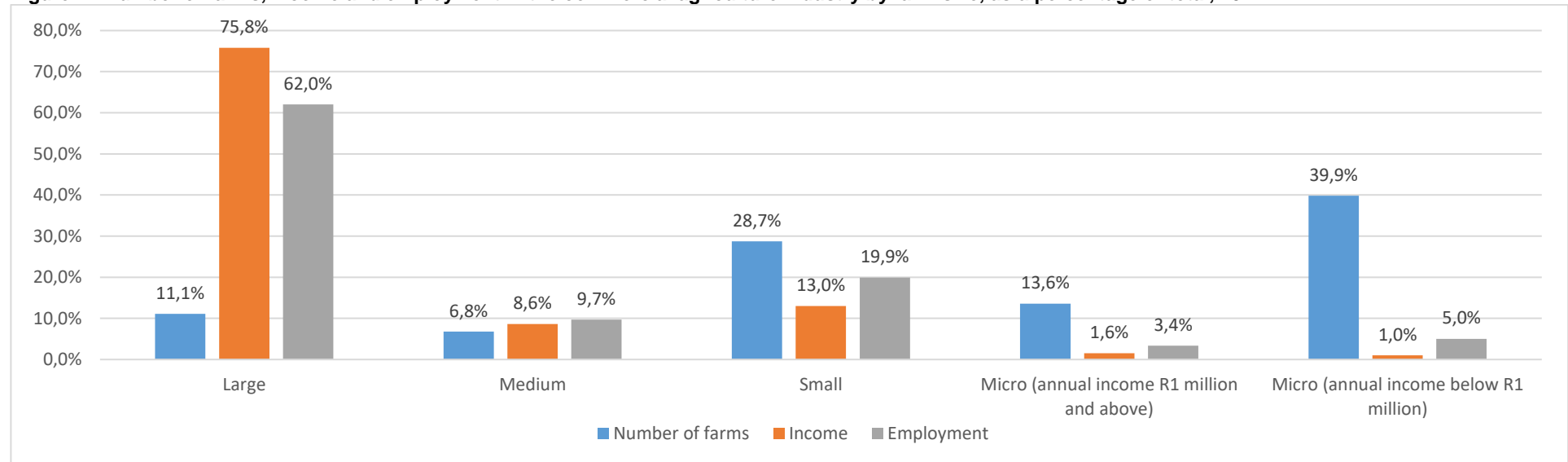
The district municipality with the highest number of farms in 2017 was Gert Sibande (1 524 farms or 54,0% of the provincial total), followed by Ehlanzeli (655 or 23,2%) and Nkangala (644 or 22,8%).

The total income for the commercial agriculture industry in 2017 was R38,4 billion, which was 256% higher than the R10,8 billion recorded for 2007. In 2017, the major contributor to total income was mixed farming (R15,3 billion or 40,0%), followed by farming of animals (R11,6 billion or 30,2%).

The district municipality contributing the most to total income in 2017 was Gert Sibande (R18,5 billion or 48,2%), followed by Nkangala (R11,7 billion or 30,3%) and Ehlanzeli (R8,3 billion or 21,5%).

The total number of persons employed in commercial agriculture on 30 June 2018 was 73 319, down from 86 890 on 28 February 2007 (-15,6%). In terms of employment, the major commercial agriculture activity in 2017 was horticulture (27 485 employees or 37,4% of the total), followed by mixed farming (20 540 or 28,0%) and growing of cereals and other crops (13 175 or 18,0%).

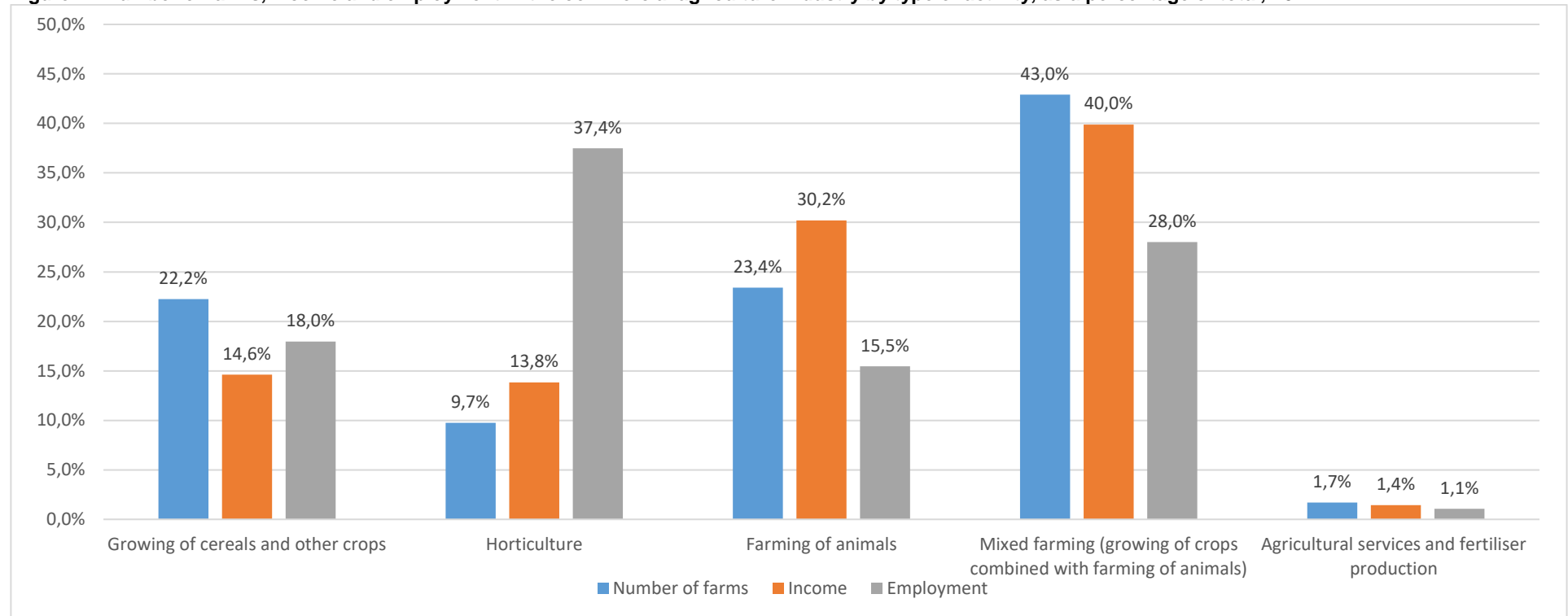
Figure 1 - Number of farms, income and employment in the commercial agriculture industry by farm size, as a percentage of total, 2017



In 2017, 313 large farms (those with annual income of more than R22,5 million) constituted 11,1% of the total number of farms in the commercial agriculture industry, and accounted for 75,8% of total income and 62,0% of total employment. This was in contrast to the 1 125 micro farms (annual income below R1 million) which made up 39,9% of the total number of farms, but which accounted for just 1,0% of total income and 5,0% of total employment. Taken together, there were 1 315 large, medium and small farms in 2017, with combined shares of 46,5% of the number of farms, 97,4% of income, and 91,6% of employment.

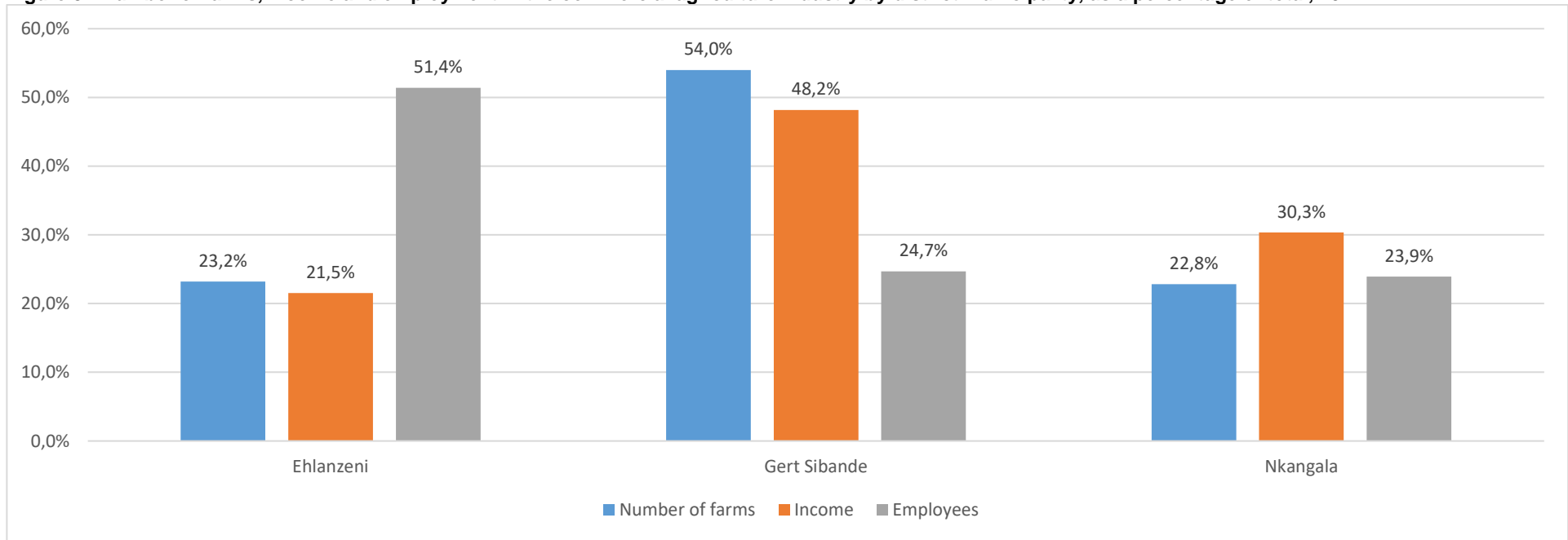
Measured by farm size, small farming units were the second largest in terms of number of farms, income and employment in 2017.

Figure 2 - Number of farms, income and employment in the commercial agriculture industry by type of activity, as a percentage of total, 2017



Mixed farming had the largest share of the number of farms in 2017 (43,0%) as well as the highest share of income (40,0%), while horticulture had the largest share of employment (37,4%).

Figure 3 - Number of farms, income and employment in the commercial agriculture industry by district municipality, as a percentage of total, 2017



Gert Sibande district municipality recorded the largest share of the province in terms of the number of farms (54,0%) and income (48,2%) in 2017, while Ehlanzeni had the largest share of employment (51,4%).

Table B - Commodity group contribution to gross farming income in the commercial agriculture industry, by district municipality, 2017

District municipality	Total		Field crops		Horticultural products		Animals and animal products		Other agricultural income	
	R'000	% contribution to region	R'000	% contribution to region	R'000	% contribution to region	R'000	% contribution to region	R'000	% contribution to region
Ehlanzeni	7 378 219	100,0	2 023 698	27,4	4 272 924	57,9	949 966	12,9	131 633	1,8
Gert Sibande	16 598 988	100,0	5 194 680	31,3	94 779	0,6	10 785 123	65,0	524 407	3,2
Nkangala	10 418 682	100,0	3 576 352	34,3	790 513	7,6	6 044 445	58,0	7 369	0,1
Mpumalanga	34 395 889	100,0	10 794 730	31,4	5 158 216	15,0	17 779 534	51,7	663 409	1,9

Of the total income of R38 445 million in the commercial agriculture industry in 2017, R34 396 million was derived directly from agricultural activities, which is herein referred to as gross farming income. The animals and animal products category was the biggest contributor to gross farming income with 51,7% of the provincial total, followed by field crop products (31,4%). Animals and animal products accounted for 65,0% of gross farming income in the Gert Sibande district municipality, and horticultural products accounted for 31,3%.

2.2 Land use

Table C - Land use by district municipality as at 30 September 2018

District municipality	Total		Arable land		Grazing land		Other land	
	Hectares	% contribution	Hectares	% contribution	Hectares	% contribution	Hectares	% contribution
Ehlanzeni	192 250	7,8	82 344	8,7	72 877	6,2	37 026	10,7
Gert Sibande	1 801 759	73,0	575 236	61,0	925 462	78,6	301 051	86,9
Nkangala	472 990	19,2	285 575	30,3	179 187	15,2	8 221	2,4
Mpumalanga	2 467 007	100,0	943 163	100,0	1 177 535	100,0	346 307	100,0

On 30 September 2018, the total land used for commercial agriculture in the Mpumalanga province was 2,5 million hectares, which represents 32,2% of the total land area of Mpumalanga (7,6 million hectares). Commercial agricultural land in Mpumalanga comprised mainly grazing land (1,2 million hectares) and arable land (0,9 million hectares). Grazing land is used for livestock and game farming, and arable land is used for crop production.

The Gert Sibande district accounted for the largest share of Mpumalanga's commercial agricultural land (73,0%), followed by Nkangala (19,2%) and Ehlanzeni (7,8%).

Regarding grazing land, 93,8% was located in two districts, namely Gert Sibande (78,6%) and Nkangala (15,2%). Similarly, Gert Sibande (61,0%) and Nkangala (30,3%) accounted for over 90% of arable land.

2.3 Field crops

Table D - Field crops: area planted and production, 2007 and 2017

Type of crop	Planted hectares						Production in metric tons					
	Total		Dry land		Irrigated		Total		Dry land		Irrigated	
	2007	2017	2007	2017	2007	2017	2007	2017	2007	2017	2007	2017
Maize	400 322	422 823	355 844	394 856	44 477	27 967	1 633 648	2 456 543	1 356 158	2 207 709	277 489	248 833
Soya beans	56 734	207 149	52 461	202 673	4 272	4 476	87 302	366 677	77 926	353 950	9 375	12 726

Field crops are important for food security, and they account for the largest portion of cultivated land in South Africa. In terms of area planted, the major field crops in Mpumalanga in both 2007 and 2017 were maize and soya beans. The major field crops were mostly planted under dry land, i.e. their main source of water was rain. In 2017, soya beans had the highest proportion (97,8% of soya beans) of area planted under dry land.

Between 2007 and 2017, maize production increased by 50,4% (from 1,6 million to 2,5 million tons). This was mainly driven by an increase in the volume of production per hectare from 4,1 to 5,8 tons. The Gert Sibande district produced 56,7% of maize in the province in 2017, followed by Nkangala (42,7%) and Ehlanzeni (0,7%).

There was strong growth in soya beans between 2007 and 2017, namely 320% (from 87 thousand to 367 thousand tons), due to a large increase in area planted. The leading districts for soya production in 2017 were Gert Sibande (69,7% of the province's total) and Nkangala (28,9%).

2.4 Horticultural crops

2.4.1 Vegetables

Table E - Vegetables: area planted and production, 2007 and 2017

Commodity	Area planted in hectares		Production in metric tons	
	2007	2017	2007	2017
Potatoes	3 640	1 430	115 800	62 361
Tomatoes	498	166	15 724	10 963
Carrots	226	102	4 558	3 085

The major vegetables in terms of production were potatoes, tomatoes and carrots. All major vegetables showed a decrease in area planted, but all three made gains in the volume of production per hectare.

Regarding production, there was a decrease of 46,1% in potatoes (from 116 thousand to 62 thousand tons) between 2007 and 2017. Over the same period tomatoes fell by 30,3% (from 16 thousand to 11 thousand tons) and carrots fell by 32,3% (from 5 thousand to 3 thousand tons).

In 2017, the largest proportion of the province's potatoes was produced in the Nkangala district (80,9%). Ehlanzeni produced 99,1% of the province's tomatoes in 2017. Nkangala produced all (100,0%) of the province's carrots in 2017.

The largest proportions of all major vegetables were sold through fresh produce markets in 2017. Fresh produce markets were the largest marketing channel for potatoes (51,3%), tomatoes (76,1%) and carrots (100,0%).

2.5 Fruits

2.5.1 Citrus fruits

Table F - Citrus fruits: area planted and production, 2007 and 2017

Commodity	Area planted in hectares		Production in metric tons	
	2007	2017	2007	2017
Oranges	10 605	4 446	311 770	159 794
Lemons	418	1 035	16 503	34 606
Naartjies	159	672	4 575	6 209

Citrus fruits continue to play an important role in the economy, with strong links to packaging, processing and distribution in the agricultural value chain. Oranges accounted for 4 446 hectares planted in 2017, down by 58,1% from 2007.

Regarding production, lemons increased by 109,7% between 2007 and 2017 (from 17 thousand to 35 thousand tons) and naartjies increased by 35,7% (from 5 thousand to 6 thousand tons). Oranges fell by 48,7% (from 312 thousand to 160 thousand tons). Compared with 2007, both naartjies and lemons showed a decrease in volume of production per hectare in 2017 while oranges showed an increase.

The two leading districts in orange production were Ehlanzeni (78,4% of the province's total) and Nkangala (21,6%) in 2017. Also, lemons were produced in Nkangala (56,0% of the province's total) and Ehlanzeni (44,0%) in 2017. Naartjies were produced only in Ehlanzeni district (100,0%) in 2017.

Most of the 2017 production of naartjies (81,2%), lemons (68,2%) and oranges (61,1%) was exported. The second largest marketing channel for oranges (27,0%) and lemons (16,0%) was through processing factories, while 5,2% of naartjies were sold directly to retailers, chain stores and consumers.

2.5.2 Subtropical fruits

Table G - Subtropical fruits: area planted and production, 2007 and 2017

Commodity	Area planted in hectares		Production in metric tons	
	2007	2017	2007	2017
Bananas	4 810	5 745	142 344	147 258
Avocados		2 922		34 150

The cultivation of subtropical fruits is only possible in certain parts of the country due to the nature of their climatic requirements.

Between 2007 and 2017, banana production increased by 3,5% (from 142 thousand to 147 thousand tons). Compared with 2007, bananas showed a decrease (from 29,6 to 25,6) in volume of production per hectare in 2017.

Bananas and avocados were produced mainly in Ehlanzeni district in 2017.

Most of the banana production (79,3%) was sold to fresh produce markets in 2017 while a significant amount of avocado production (43,2%) was exported.

2.5.3 Tree nuts

Table H - Tree nuts: area planted and production, 2007 and 2017

Commodity	Area planted in hectares		Production in metric tons	
	2007	2017	2007	2017
Macadamia nuts	4 773	16 236	6 205	28 121

There was substantial growth in the tree nut industry between 2007 and 2017. Macadamia nuts grew by 240% in terms of area planted and by 353% in terms of production (production per hectare increased).

Macadamia nuts were mainly produced in Ehlanzeni district in 2017.

Over half the production of macadamia nuts (53,7%) was exported in 2017.

2.6 Animals

Table I - Number of animals sold and on farm, 2007 and 2017/2018

Type of animal	Number sold		Number on farm	
	2007	2017	2007	2018
Cattle	378 783	378 166	584 351	637 459
Sheep	140 541	69 563	426 619	378 571
Pigs	482 054	152 949	122 207	81 382
Chickens	222 807 665	180 969 161	32 373 948	21 972 284

Cattle, sheep, pigs and chickens are the most reared animals in commercial agriculture in the Mpumalanga province.

Between 2007 and 2017, the number of cattle sold decreased by 0,2% (from 379 thousand to 378 thousand). The leading districts in cattle sales in 2017 were Nkangala (51,8% of the province's total) and Gert Sibande (47,3%). However, the number of cattle on farm in the province increased by 9,1% (from 584 thousand to 637 thousand) between 2007 and 2018.

Compared with 2007, the number of sheep sold in 2017 decreased by 50,5% (from 141 thousand to 70 thousand). Most sheep were sold in the Gert Sibande district (93,0%) in 2017. The number of sheep on farm fell by 11,3% (from 427 thousand to 379 thousand) between 2007 and 2018. In 2018, Gert Sibande district (93,3%) had the highest number of sheep on farm.

There was a decrease of 68,3% (from 482 thousand to 153 thousand) in the number of pigs sold between 2007 and 2017. Pigs were sold mainly in the Nkangala district (98,0%) in 2017. Between 2007 and 2018, the number of pigs on farm fell by 33,4% (from 122 thousand to 81 thousand). Nkangala district (80,8%) had the highest number of pigs on farm in 2018.

The number of chickens sold decreased by 18,8% between 2007 and 2017 (from 223 million to 181 million). In 2017, the largest number of chicken sales took place in Gert Sibande (71,5%) and Nkangala (27,1%); and Gert Sibande (59,6%) and Nkangala (34,7%) reported the largest number of chickens on farm in 2018.



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3. Tables

Table 1.1 - Selected principal statistics, 2017

Item/Unit	2017
Farms/farming units	Number 2 820
Gross farming income	R'000 (current prices) 34 395 878
Field crops - income	R'000 (current prices) 10 794 724
Horticultural products - income	R'000 (current prices) 5 158 222
Animals and animal products - income	R'000 (current prices) 17 779 529
Other agricultural income	R'000 (current prices) 663 406
Employees' remuneration (salaries, cash wages and cash bonus)	R'000 (current prices) 3 947 906
Paid employees (18 June 2018)	Number 73 318
Expenditure (excluding employees' remuneration)	R'000 (current prices) 32 128 343

Table 1.2 - Municipal breakdown of selected key statistics, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Farms/farming units	Paid employees (18 June 2018)	Income	Expenditure (excluding employees' remuneration)	Employees' remuneration (salaries, cash wages and cash bonus)
		Number	Number	R'000	R'000	R'000
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	30	3 028	136 724	139 352	53 777
	City of Mbombela	345	15 973	3 841 365	2 357 980	702 811
	Nkomazi	137	16 470	3 773 863	2 583 263	702 753
	Thaba Chweu	143	2 215	518 655	445 433	82 774
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	117	1 774	878 487	885 142	114 919
	Dipaleseng	137	1 285	2 853 258	2 398 026	168 524
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	228	3 696	1 242 850	1 164 813	132 865
	Govan Mbeki	244	2 075	2 584 924	2 367 300	184 985
	Lekwa	339	4 336	7 255 428	6 965 435	447 221
	Mkhondo	155	2 150	1 488 109	1 267 947	115 964
Nkangala	Msukaligwa	304	2 768	2 210 464	1 985 100	173 695
	Emakhazeni	107	1 170	471 056	339 133	71 196
	Emalahleni	111	966	1 097 131	1 045 401	75 916
	Steve Tshwete	280	5 847	6 748 763	5 675 600	452 827
	Victor Khanye	143	9 561	3 343 769	2 508 418	467 679
Mpumalanga		2 820	73 318	38 444 846	32 128 343	3 947 906

Table 1.3 - Selected key statistics by type of ownership, 2017

Ownership type	Farms/farming units	Paid employees (18 June 2018)	Income	Expenditure (excluding employees' remuneration)	Employees' remuneration (salaries, cash wages and cash bonus)
	Number	Number	R'000	R'000	R'000
Close corporation	330	7 964	4 317 060	3 690 144	381 879
Co-operative society	16	540	60 618	100 424	10 998
Individual/Sole proprietor	1 389	11 422	8 054 919	6 753 375	665 471
Partnership	99	2 488	1 118 086	978 228	140 805
Private company (PTY) LTD	620	43 954	16 162 205	12 809 072	2 107 561
Public company	13	2 094	5 856 788	5 446 249	360 276
Public corporation	1	23	12 311	9 588	1 869
State owned enterprise (SOE)	2	147	59 082	51 433	3 804
Trust	113	2 618	1 865 635	1 479 235	185 566
Other	235	2 065	938 161	810 594	89 675
Mpumalanga	2 820	73 318	38 444 865	32 128 342	3 947 904

Table 1.4 - Agricultural income, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Total	Field crops	Horticultural products	Animals and animal products	Other agricultural income
		R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	128 601	36 001	92 601		
	City of Mbombela	3 371 516	287 909	2 330 890	651 897	100 820
	Nkomazi	3 467 172	1 563 147	1 697 694	205 785	546
	Thaba Chweu	410 930	136 641	151 738	92 285	30 265
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	827 619	400 647	3 095	269 955	153 923
	Dipaleseng	2 833 255	199 644		2 633 612	
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	1 005 106	338 517	16 895	649 694	
	Govan Mbeki	2 102 138	1 367 044		735 094	
	Lekwa	6 546 704	1 784 843	7 115	4 707 076	47 670
	Mkhondo	1 418 789	517 513	26 501	586 392	288 383
	Msukaligwa	1 865 370	586 468	41 179	1 203 293	34 430
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	441 348	150 501	152 887	130 590	7 369
	Emalahleni	898 408	798 386	2 846	97 177	
	Steve Tshwete	6 159 893	1 659 874	60 195	4 439 824	
	Victor Khanye	2 919 029	967 589	574 586	1 376 855	
Mpumalanga	34 395 878	10 794 724	5 158 222	17 779 529	663 406	

Table 1.5 - Income earned from other agricultural activities and products, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Total	Fisheries/aquaculture	Forestry products
		R'000	R'000	R'000
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	100 820	1 040	99 780
	Nkomazi	546		546
	Thaba Chweu	30 265		30 265
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	153 923		153 923
	Lekwa	47 670		47 670
	Mkhondo	288 383		288 383
	Msukaligwa	34 430		34 430
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	7 369	1 234	6 135
Mpumalanga		663 406	2 274	661 132

Table 1.6 - Details of income received from services rendered, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Income received from services rendered				
		Total	Farming related services	Other agricultural services rendered	Other services (non-agricultural) rendered	Forestry services
		R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	17 575	10 592	71	6 913	
	Nkomazi	54 806	4 580	26 284	23 943	
	Thaba Chweu	28 295	5 599		19 598	3 098
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	3 003	1 971	1 033		
	Dipaleseng	605	605			
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	5 863	1 845	2 899	1 120	
	Govan Mbeki	223 181	42 114		181 067	
	Lekwa	23 801	23 565	236		
	Mkhondo	6 975	4 825	1 644		505
	Msukaligwa	173 285	163 172	9 898	215	
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	2 974	1 296	526	1 152	
	Emalahleni	19 856	18 252	1 604		
	Steve Tshwete	31 810	11 735		5 869	14 206
	Victor Khanye	155 999	124 998	31 001		
Mpumalanga	748 028	415 149	75 196	239 877	17 809	

Table 1.7 - Other income, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Total	Interest received	Rental income (livestock, machinery, land, buildings and other structures)	Rebates	Other income	Government grants and sponsorship	Insurance	Profit on financial and other assets	Share-cropping income
		R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	8 123	1 751	313	372	5 686				
	City of Mbombela	452 273	65 423	23 288	180 149	56 979	62	32 342	93 260	770
	Nkomazi	251 884	14 331	34 778	8 220	124 612	796	6 625	48 342	14 178
	Thaba Chweu	79 431	2 536	1 624	1 041	69 044		369	4 817	
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	47 865	1 665	1 709	7 647	16 174		6 948	13 291	430
	Dipaleseng	19 398	514	2 169	866	9 852		2 324	2 775	898
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	231 881	3 494	97 299	6 993	15 204	28 996	7 026	70 582	2 286
	Govan Mbeki	259 604	17 544	4 849	5 221	196 452		12 123	19 770	3 645
	Lekwa	684 922	44 089	71 628	7 918	340 820	2	21 993	27 266	171 206
	Mkhondo	62 346	11 070	5 650	2 235	37 781		2 357	3 162	90
	Msukaligwa	171 809	19 825	12 114	5 154	63 515	170	16 153	22 566	32 312
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	26 734	2 820	2 218	1 214	17 560	103	1 991	829	
	Emalahleni	178 867	54 972	4 710	1 562	6 156		9 224	102 046	197
	Steve Tshwete	557 060	58 472	8 732	54 784	368 864	3 658	22 400	37 362	2 789
	Victor Khanye	268 741	16 136	5 492	16 580	216 467		7 294	6 771	
Mpumalanga	3 300 938	314 642	276 573	299 956	1 545 166	33 787	149 169	452 839	228 801	

Table 1.8 - Expenditure, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Total	Purchases	Employment costs	Payments to subcontractors	Advertising and marketing
		R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	193 128	23 888	53 777	15 293	6 245
	City of Mbombela	3 060 790	1 112 618	702 811	38 865	114 342
	Nkomazi	3 286 016	906 694	702 753	134 934	55 155
	Thaba Chweu	528 207	200 724	82 774	2 472	5 152
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	1 000 061	476 015	114 919	22 837	520
	Dipaleseng	2 566 550	1 906 147	168 524	3 327	24 296
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	1 297 677	801 227	132 865	4 213	1 179
	Govan Mbeki	2 552 285	1 137 032	184 985	12 142	3 236
	Lekwa	7 412 657	4 824 018	447 221	61 042	56 130
	Mkhondo	1 383 911	921 793	115 964	22 101	1 264
	Msukaligwa	2 158 795	1 311 846	173 695	15 975	1 653
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	410 329	167 244	71 196	768	163
	Emalahleni	1 121 317	508 332	75 916	4 191	406
	Steve Tshwete	6 128 427	4 204 876	452 827	6 836	15 175
	Victor Khanye	2 976 097	1 394 934	467 679	3 114	1 932
Mpumalanga	36 076 247	19 897 388	3 947 906	348 110	286 848	

Table 1.8 - Expenditure, 2017 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Depreciation	Electricity	Insurance premiums	Interest paid	Import and export (excise and custom duties)
		R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	28 391	8 316	2 657	805	
	City of Mbombela	161 056	102 678	72 173	95 050	20 560
	Nkomazi	181 643	199 400	25 246	87 997	6 485
	Thaba Chweu	27 481	35 612	11 855	8 702	89
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	84 473	11 031	20 244	39 566	22
	Dipaleseng	39 668	54 688	13 022	24 291	
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	52 382	20 347	23 045	36 901	393
	Govan Mbeki	249 790	25 046	61 637	279 941	
	Lekwa	304 116	163 521	119 025	167 836	288
	Mkhondo	45 985	19 799	26 570	30 957	
	Msukaligwa	105 167	24 876	56 604	53 688	97
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	38 273	17 024	14 255	12 944	
	Emalahleni	108 556	36 856	50 161	68 307	57
	Steve Tshwete	256 634	96 925	59 810	148 305	484
	Victor Khanye	310 841	65 630	41 068	30 718	3
Mpumalanga	1 994 456	881 749	597 372	1 086 008	28 478	

Table 1.8 - Expenditure, 2017 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Losses on financial and other assets, disposal of assets, revaluation of assets	Leasing and hiring of plant, machinery, equipment and vehicles	Rental of land, building and other structures	Repairs and maintenance	Railage and transport out
		R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	6 740	1 675	3 440	1 690	1 610
	City of Mbombela	16 398	10 714	31 046	177 300	61 295
	Nkomazi	60 233	48 653	83 044	190 973	186 741
	Thaba Chweu	231	4 170	5 123	43 702	8 572
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	4 552	3 383	40 291	42 489	5 445
	Dipaleseng	186	40 460	8 130	75 297	53 277
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	12 933	8 139	27 153	50 458	9 016
	Govan Mbeki	1 327	7 486	78 530	139 736	17 280
	Lekwa	7 917	75 010	48 794	293 520	110 984
	Mkhondo	1 994	4 504	20 794	51 615	19 829
	Msukaligwa	2 639	7 839	35 902	46 465	27 090
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	3 169	1 192	10 133	32 926	2 482
	Emalahleni	602	7 817	25 595	81 454	11 636
	Steve Tshwete	4 644	44 428	77 933	294 932	71 268
	Victor Khanye	94	27 698	27 735	344 553	46 193
Mpumalanga	123 659	293 168	523 643	1 867 110	632 718	

Table 1.8 - Expenditure, 2017 (concluded)

District/Local Municipality		Water, including water taxes	Other expenditure
		R'000	R'000
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	305	38 297
	City of Mbombela	9 701	334 184
	Nkomazi	33 058	383 008
	Thaba Chweu	1 469	90 077
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	1 807	132 468
	Dipaleseng	2 658	152 580
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	900	116 526
	Govan Mbeki	1 604	352 514
	Lekwa	19 204	714 031
	Mkhondo	1 350	99 391
	Msukaligwa	1 744	293 514
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	1 530	37 031
	Emalahleni	817	140 613
	Steve Tshwete	27 992	365 355
	Victor Khanye	3 172	210 732
Mpumalanga	107 311	3 460 321	

Table 1.9 - Purchases, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Total	Animal products	Packaging material	Animals
		R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	23 888	306	1 902	
	City of Mbombela	1 112 618	3 637	149 503	28 221
	Nkomazi	906 694	203	198 970	5 275
	Thaba Chweu	200 724	6	17 525	13 391
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	476 015	4	2 007	44 833
	Dipaleseng	1 906 147	8 301	52 801	121 239
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	801 227	1 551	1 141	214 924
	Govan Mbeki	1 137 032	78	5 634	193 617
	Lekwa	4 824 018	31 968	87 547	417 793
	Mkhondo	921 793	747	2 480	99 595
	Msukaligwa	1 311 846	3 399	6 760	542 948
	Emakhazeni	167 244	1 434	6 221	17 791
Nkangala	Emalahleni	508 332	6 309	1 184	6 047
	Steve Tshwete	4 204 876	7 180	92 206	1 454 987
	Victor Khanye	1 394 934	1 046	64 822	278 528
	Mpumalanga	19 897 388	66 169	690 703	3 439 189

Table 1.9 - Purchases, 2017 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Fuel	Fertilisers	Feed and supplements for livestock, poultry and aquaculture	Remedies for livestock, poultry and aquaculture
		R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	2 903	10 052		
	City of Mbombela	76 947	202 367	188 520	113 927
	Nkomazi	69 310	264 301	7 133	1 052
	Thaba Chweu	25 411	39 528	63 971	1 553
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	133 637	101 612	51 416	10 087
	Dipaleseng	24 286	63 758	1 061 699	12 475
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	79 044	157 061	257 597	8 985
	Govan Mbeki	144 991	191 937	238 182	9 620
	Lekwa	154 805	393 980	2 384 354	78 814
	Mkhondo	61 339	257 569	131 551	77 854
	Msukaligwa	108 323	142 579	320 479	26 568
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	23 177	29 375	38 990	2 339
	Emalahleni	133 945	207 098	32 672	556
	Steve Tshwete	208 436	371 660	1 077 312	62 767
	Victor Khanye	91 950	119 463	460 124	6 639
Mpumalanga	1 338 504	2 552 340	6 314 000	413 236	

Table 1.9 - Purchases, 2017 (concluded)

District/Local Municipality		Remedies for field and horticultural crops	Seeds, seedlings and other plant propagation material	Other purchases
		R'000	R'000	R'000
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	6 570	97	2 058
	City of Mbombela	56 287	41 917	251 291
	Nkomazi	122 834	91 433	146 184
	Thaba Chweu	5 520	7 836	25 983
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	37 029	59 166	36 222
	Dipaleseng	8 107	13 117	540 365
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	22 223	11 630	47 072
	Govan Mbeki	9 906	228 370	114 696
	Lekwa	50 606	141 308	1 082 844
	Mkhondo	86 632	93 211	110 817
	Msukaligwa	26 528	54 524	79 737
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	5 151	17 504	25 260
	Emalahleni	42 142	61 330	17 048
	Steve Tshwete	78 836	173 925	677 568
	Victor Khanye	29 522	73 163	269 677
Mpumalanga		587 893	1 068 531	3 426 822

Table 1.10 - Details of purchases of animals, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Total	Cattle	Goats	Sheep
		R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	28 221	334		
	Nkomazi	5 275	778	29	
	Thaba Chweu	13 391	8 669		
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	44 833	43 458		1 375
	Dipaleseng	121 239	55 661		34
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	214 924	169 019	247	6 282
	Govan Mbeki	193 617	148 865	503	2 773
	Lekwa	417 793	125 767		6 772
	Mkhondo	99 595	84 534	15	1 929
	Msukaligwa	542 948	486 232	94	9 119
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	17 791	17 145	6	546
	Emalahleni	6 047	4 628		6
	Steve Tshwete	1 454 987	1 364 171	387	23 257
	Victor Khanye	278 528	58 985		21 331
Mpumalanga		3 439 189	2 568 246	1 281	73 424

Table 1.10 - Details of purchases of animals, 2017 (concluded)

District/Local Municipality		Game	Chickens	Other animals
		R'000	R'000	R'000
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	1 417	25 808	663
	Nkomazi	867	3 161	440
	Thaba Chweu	4 464		258
Gert Sibande	Dipaleseng		65 543	
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	23	39 220	132
	Govan Mbeki		41 280	196
	Lekwa	3 809	281 229	215
	Mkhondo	58	5 438	7 621
	Msukaligwa	195	47 253	55
Nkangala	Emakhazeni			93
	Emalahleni			1 414
	Steve Tshwete	10 029	48 376	8 766
	Victor Khanye	129	192 062	6 021
Mpumalanga		20 991	749 370	25 874

Table 1.11 - Number of owners who farm for themselves and unpaid family members involved in agricultural activities as at 30 June 2018

District/Local Municipality		Owners who farm full-time or part-time			Unpaid family members involved in agricultural activities		
		Total	Female	Male	Total	Female	Male
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	262	57	205	63	31	31
	Nkomazi	109	23	86	23	8	15
	Thaba Chweu	327	83	244	19	8	10
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	111	23	88	29	11	18
	Dipaleseng	139	30	109	27	12	14
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	222	43	179	57	21	36
	Govan Mbeki	230	45	185	39	13	26
	Lekwa	386	83	303	79	23	56
	Mkhondo	160	32	128	45	21	24
	Msukaligwa	317	67	250	84	29	54
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	96	20	76	22	9	13
	Emalahleni	104	22	82	16	3	12
	Steve Tshwete	271	52	219	24	5	18
	Victor Khanye	119	22	97	21	7	14
Mpumalanga		2 853	602	2 251	556	207	349

Table 1.12 - Number of paid employees by type of employment, as at 30 June 2018

District/Local Municipality		Total	Full-time employees	Part-time and seasonal employees
		Number	Number	Number
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	3 028	873	2 155
	City of Mbombela	15 973	12 852	3 120
	Nkomazi	16 470	12 184	4 285
	Thaba Chweu	2 215	1 369	845
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	1 774	1 201	572
	Dipaleseng	1 285	1 106	178
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	3 696	1 658	2 037
	Govan Mbeki	2 075	1 605	469
	Lekwa	4 336	3 888	447
	Mkhondo	2 150	1 866	283
	Msukaligwa	2 768	1 909	858
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	1 170	1 054	116
	Emalahleni	966	808	158
	Steve Tshwete	5 847	4 269	1 577
	Victor Khanye	9 561	6 105	3 455
Mpumalanga	73 318	52 755	20 563	

Table 1.13 - Number of full-time paid employees according to occupation, as at 30 June 2018

District/Local Municipality		Total	Ordinary farm workers	Farm managers	Farm foremen, supervisors	Administration (office and site staff)
		Number	Number	Number	Number	Number
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	873	743	17	85	28
	City of Mbombela	12 852	11 277	457	737	380
	Nkomazi	12 184	10 985	267	679	252
	Thaba Chweu	1 369	1 217	60	59	32
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	1 201	1 045	65	55	35
	Dipaleseng	1 106	979	27	86	12
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	1 658	1 396	67	106	88
	Govan Mbeki	1 605	1 406	80	74	43
	Lekwa	3 888	3 487	171	147	81
	Mkhondo	1 866	1 635	76	105	49
	Msukaligwa	1 909	1 697	107	44	60
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	1 054	933	37	59	23
	Emalahleni	808	676	37	23	71
	Steve Tshwete	4 269	3 600	119	378	170
	Victor Khanye	6 105	5 589	91	318	105
Mpumalanga	52 755	46 671	1 686	2 961	1 435	

Table 1.14 - Full-time paid employees by sex, as at 30 June 2018

District/Local Municipality		Full-time employees		
		Total	Female	Male
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	873	425	448
	City of Mbombela	12 852	6 174	6 678
	Nkomazi	12 184	5 831	6 353
	Thaba Chweu	1 369	487	882
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	1 201	239	962
	Dipaleseng	1 106	484	621
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	1 658	373	1 285
	Govan Mbeki	1 605	229	1 375
	Lekwa	3 888	1 164	2 723
	Mkhondo	1 866	702	1 163
	Msukaligwa	1 909	429	1 480
	Emakhazeni	1 054	297	756
Nkangala	Emalahleni	808	123	685
	Steve Tshwete	4 269	1 050	3 218
	Victor Khanye	6 105	2 235	3 870
	Mpumalanga	52 755	20 248	32 506

Table 1.15 - Number of full-time paid employees according to occupation and sex, as at 30 June 2018

District/Local Municipality		Ordinary farm workers		Farm managers	
		Female	Male	Female	Male
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	362	380		17
	City of Mbombela	5 599	5 678	98	358
	Nkomazi	5 386	5 598	10	256
	Thaba Chweu	432	784	12	48
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	216	829		65
	Dipaleseng	462	517	3	24
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	268	1 128	16	51
	Govan Mbeki	175	1 230	4	75
	Lekwa	1 058	2 428	36	135
	Mkhondo	634	1 001	6	69
	Msukaligwa	351	1 346	21	86
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	271	662	4	33
	Emalahleni	95	581	3	33
	Steve Tshwete	814	2 786	24	95
	Victor Khanye	2 049	3 540	15	76
Mpumalanga	18 179	28 492	257	1 428	

Table 1.15 - Number of full-time paid employees according to occupation and sex, as at 30 June 2018 (concluded)

District/Local Municipality		Farm foremen, supervisors		Administration (office and site staff)	
		Female	Male	Female	Male
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	34	51	28	
	City of Mbombela	244	493	232	147
	Nkomazi	273	406	160	92
	Thaba Chweu	18	41	24	7
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	3	52	19	15
	Dipaleseng	11	75	7	4
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	13	93	75	12
	Govan Mbeki	9	64	38	4
	Lekwa	4	142	64	16
	Mkhondo	21	84	40	8
	Msukaligwa	5	38	51	9
	Emakhazeni	2	56	18	4
Nkangala	Emalahleni		23	24	46
	Steve Tshwete	113	264	97	72
	Victor Khanye	81	236	88	17
	Mpumalanga	837	2 123	974	461

Table 1.16 - Number of part-time and seasonal paid employees by sex, as at 30 June 2018

District/Local Municipality		Part-time and seasonal employees		
		Total	Female	Male
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	2 155	1 599	555
	City of Mbombela	3 120	1 809	1 311
	Nkomazi	4 285	2 686	1 598
	Thaba Chweu	845	540	304
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	572	286	286
	Dipaleseng	178	80	98
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	2 037	1 125	911
	Govan Mbeki	469	163	306
	Lekwa	447	218	228
	Mkhondo	283	178	105
	Msukaligwa	858	614	244
	Emakhazeni	116	70	46
Nkangala	Emalahleni	158	67	90
	Steve Tshwete	1 577	738	839
	Victor Khanye	3 455	1 768	1 687
	Mpumalanga	20 563	11 947	8 616

Table 1.17 - Sex of farm operator/manager, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Sex of the farm operator/manager		
		Male	Female	Unspecified
		Number	Number	Number
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	20	9	
	City of Mbombela	383	71	2
	Nkomazi	177	14	
	Thaba Chweu	148	13	
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	118	7	
	Dipaleseng	116	24	
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	218	37	
	Govan Mbeki	234	21	3
	Lekwa	371	39	1
	Mkhondo	147	15	
	Msukaligwa	304	33	1
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	115	10	
	Emalahleni	108	12	
	Steve Tshwete	276	32	
	Victor Khanye	147	9	
Mpumalanga		2 890	352	8

Table 1.18 - Age of farm operator/manager, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Age of the farm operator/manager					
		15-34	35-44	55-64	45-54	65+	Unspecified
		Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	9	9	9			
	City of Mbombela	110	107	84	98	45	11
	Nkomazi	37	61	29	47	14	1
	Thaba Chweu	16	25	41	50	27	
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	10	35	33	20	25	
	Dipaleseng	10	27	41	20	41	
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	27	62	52	82	29	1
	Govan Mbeki	45	70	45	63	30	3
	Lekwa	72	111	68	98	58	2
	Mkhondo	10	31	42	56	15	7
	Msukaligwa	38	80	73	76	66	4
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	10	32	19	33	30	
	Emalahleni	12	30	27	33	18	
	Steve Tshwete	42	52	100	66	42	5
	Victor Khanye	14	38	38	45	19	
Mpumalanga		468	776	711	794	465	35

Table 1.19 - Population group of farm operator/manager, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Population group of the farm operator/manger					Unspecified Number
		White	Black African	Coloured	Indian/Asian	Other	
		Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	30					
	City of Mbombela	365	87	2			2
	Nkomazi	127	64				
	Thaba Chweu	136	25				
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	105	15		5		
	Dipaleseng	116	24				
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	218	32		4		
	Govan Mbeki	201	54				3
	Lekwa	358	43	3		3	2
	Mkhondo	148	14				
	Msukaligwa	303	35				
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	101	24				
	Emalahleni	114	6				
	Steve Tshwete	278	30				
	Victor Khanye	152	2		2		
Mpumalanga	2 759	461	5	12	3	8	

Table 2.1 - Land use, as at 30 September 2018

District/Local Municipality		Total	Arable land	Grazing land	Forest/woodland	Other land
		Hectares	Hectares	Hectares	Hectares	Hectares
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	2 024	2 024			
	City of Mbombela	61 716	26 260	11 807	19 436	4 212
	Nkomazi	60 184	41 680	14 558	1 454	2 491
	Thaba Chweu	68 326	12 380	46 512	9 385	48
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	262 485	76 814	176 540	8 842	288
	Dipaleseng	39 204	17 297	21 252		653
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	333 913	101 347	232 452	70	43
	Govan Mbeki	192 342	90 499	101 707	55	80
	Lekwa	543 924	136 885	156 724	1	250 313
	Mkhondo	142 353	35 514	71 158	35 288	391
	Msukaligwa	287 538	116 880	165 629	4 613	414
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	50 334	11 260	38 252	771	49
	Emalahleni	116 269	85 073	30 917		278
	Steve Tshwete	235 717	140 416	93 405	651	1 243
	Victor Khanye	70 670	48 826	16 613	33	5 196
Mpumalanga	2 467 007	943 163	1 177 535	80 602	265 705	

Table 2.2 - Arable land use as at 30 September 2018

District/Local Municipality		Arable land				
		Total	Used for crop production	Cultivated pastures	Temporarily fallow	Under protective covers e.g. green house
		Hectares	Hectares	Hectares	Hectares	Hectares
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	2 024	2 024			
	City of Mbombela	26 260	22 848	1 900	1 177	334
	Nkomazi	41 680	39 005	340	2 198	136
	Thaba Chweu	12 380	10 057	2 215	68	39
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	76 814	68 426	7 833	554	
	Dipaleseng	17 297	15 807	1 440	50	
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	101 347	68 265	31 779	1 294	8
	Govan Mbeki	90 499	83 693	6 805		
	Lekwa	136 885	119 400	17 260	223	
	Mkhondo	35 514	31 359	4 055	100	
	Msukaligwa	116 880	105 958	9 782	889	250
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	11 260	9 517	1 694	23	25
	Emalahleni	85 073	63 940	21 035	93	3
	Steve Tshwete	140 416	134 692	5 229	493	1
	Victor Khanye	48 826	46 546	2 271		9
Mpumalanga	943 163	821 545	113 644	7 165	807	

Table 2.3 - Grazing land use as at 30 September 2018

District/Local Municipality		Grazing/browsing land		
		Total	Grazing (livestock)	Grazing/browsing (game)
		Hectares	Hectares	Hectares
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	11 807	8 867	2 939
	Nkomazi	14 558	6 916	7 642
	Thaba Chweu	46 512	30 546	15 966
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	176 540	174 731	1 809
	Dipaleseng	21 252	20 654	598
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	232 452	230 180	2 272
	Govan Mbeki	101 707	101 577	130
	Lekwa	156 724	154 563	2 161
	Mkhondo	71 158	64 350	6 808
	Msukaligwa	165 629	160 505	5 123
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	38 252	38 193	59
	Emalahleni	30 917	30 067	850
	Steve Tshwete	93 405	89 652	3 753
	Victor Khanye	16 613	15 136	1 477
Mpumalanga	1 177 535	1 125 943	51 591	

Table 2.4 - Land use by ownership as at 30 September 2018

District/Local Municipality		Total	Owned	Leased/rented from government	Leased/rented from traditional administration	Lease/rented from other
		Hectares	Hectares	Hectares	Hectares	Hectares
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	2 024	34	1 990		
	City of Mbombela	61 716	53 734	525	441	7 015
	Nkomazi	60 184	33 038	3 353	18 963	4 829
	Thaba Chweu	68 326	61 811	65		6 449
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	262 485	173 560	13 868		75 057
	Dipaleseng	39 204	32 030	1 120		6 054
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	333 913	253 100	13 791	243	66 777
	Govan Mbeki	192 342	145 996	646	60	45 638
	Lekwa	543 924	504 308	3 065	1 819	34 730
	Mkhondo	142 353	109 859		9 542	22 951
	Msukaligwa	287 538	235 689	6 508	1 856	43 484
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	50 334	33 029	390	303	16 611
	Emalahleni	116 269	64 375	119		51 773
	Steve Tshwete	235 717	165 825	323	709	68 859
	Victor Khanye	70 670	50 696	50		19 923
Mpumalanga	2 467 007	1 917 090	45 819	33 940	470 157	

Table 2.5 - Detailed land ownership as at 30 September 2018

District/Local Municipality		Arable land				
		Total	Owned	Leased/rented from government	Leased/rented from traditional administration	Leased/rented from other
		Hectares	Hectares	Hectares	Hectares	Hectares
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	2 024	34	1 990		
	City of Mbombela	26 260	22 687	341	281	2 950
	Nkomazi	41 680	19 042	1 943	15 865	4 829
	Thaba Chweu	12 380	10 447			1 932
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	76 814	46 383	5 169		25 262
	Dipaleseng	17 297	14 309	420		2 568
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	101 347	70 519	6 273	243	24 310
	Govan Mbeki	90 499	66 080	194		24 224
	Lekwa	136 885	114 406	1 342	1 176	19 959
	Mkhondo	35 514	30 588		1 130	3 796
	Msukaligwa	116 880	102 247	3 313	663	10 655
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	11 260	7 668		303	3 288
	Emalahleni	85 073	53 656	119		31 297
	Steve Tshwete	140 416	91 995	190	709	47 520
	Victor Khanye	48 826	32 855	50		15 920
Mpumalanga	943 163	682 922	21 350	20 373	218 516	

Table 2.5 - Detailed land ownership as at 30 September 2018 (concluded)

District/Local Municipality		Grazing/browsing land				
		Total	Owned	Leased/rented from government	Leased/rented from other	Leased/rented from traditional administration
		Hectares	Hectares	Hectares	Hectares	Hectares
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	11 807	10 890	179	737	
	Nkomazi	14 558	10 753	1 343		2 462
	Thaba Chweu	46 512	41 942	65	4 504	
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	176 540	118 426	8 699	49 414	
	Dipaleseng	21 252	17 066	700	3 486	
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	232 452	182 467	7 517	42 467	
	Govan Mbeki	101 707	79 786	451	21 409	60
	Lekwa	156 724	139 806	1 723	14 552	642
	Mkhondo	71 158	47 955		15 893	7 309
	Msukaligwa	165 629	128 426	3 190	32 820	1 192
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	38 252	24 566	362	13 323	
	Emalahleni	30 917	10 719		20 197	
	Steve Tshwete	93 405	72 488	132	20 784	
	Victor Khanye	16 613	12 678		3 935	
Mpumalanga	1 177 535	897 976	24 364	243 527	11 667	

Table 3.1 - Field crop products: area planted, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Planted area		
		Total	Dry land	Irrigated land
		Hectares	Hectares	Hectares
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	960	216	743
	Nkomazi	23 252	1 626	21 626
	Thaba Chweu	7 198	4 090	3 108
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	58 625	58 211	413
	Dipaleseng	16 066	15 886	180
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	62 936	58 907	4 028
	Govan Mbeki	71 637	70 950	686
	Lekwa	107 655	104 486	3 168
	Mkhondo	35 784	30 799	4 984
	Msukaligwa	85 036	82 776	2 259
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	9 163	8 538	624
	Emalahleni	59 052	57 201	1 851
	Steve Tshwete	112 901	99 765	13 136
	Victor Khanye	42 685	39 729	2 955
Mpumalanga	692 956	633 188	59 767	

Table 3.2 - Field crop products: area planted and volume of production, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Grains/cereals					
		Planted hectares			Production in metric tons		
		Total	Dry land	Irrigated	Total	Dry land	Irrigated
Ehlanzeni	Thaba Chweu	4 152	1 963	2 188	19 414	6 157	13 256
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	38 389	38 008	380	204 882	200 338	4 544
	Dipaleseng	11 153	10 973	180	47 441	46 241	1 200
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	39 740	35 756	3 983	243 077	211 025	32 052
	Govan Mbeki	41 380	40 818	562	222 026	215 391	6 635
	Lekwa	58 676	57 104	1 571	291 051	277 731	13 320
	Mkhondo	23 711	19 920	3 790	168 741	135 739	33 002
	Msukaligwa	52 722	51 297	1 425	233 447	219 303	14 143
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	5 665	5 158	507	30 285	27 358	2 927
	Emalahleni	36 271	34 759	1 511	262 133	247 041	15 091
	Steve Tshwete	95 570	83 860	11 710	528 994	437 844	91 150
	Victor Khanye	30 083	27 559	2 524	227 786	197 937	29 849
Mpumalanga		437 517	407 181	30 336	2 479 283	2 222 110	257 173

Table 3.2 - Field crop products: area planted and volume of production, 2017 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Oil seeds					
		Planted hectares			Production in metric tons		
		Total	Dry land	Irrigated	Total	Dry land	Irrigated
Ehlanzeni	Nkomazi	8	8				
	Thaba Chweu	2 448	1 716	731	5 300	2 998	2 301
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	19 512	19 510	2	32 083	32 083	
	Dipaleseng	4 442	4 442		4 591	4 591	
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	22 230	22 185	45	35 136	35 001	135
	Govan Mbeki	27 207	27 082	124	52 352	51 978	374
	Lekwa	46 764	45 322	1 442	69 143	66 029	3 113
	Mkhondo	10 800	10 160	640	26 542	24 084	2 458
	Msukaligwa	28 396	27 652	743	38 020	36 388	1 631
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	2 562	2 495	67	3 835	3 835	
	Emalahleni	19 789	19 545	243	45 069	44 568	500
	Steve Tshwete	14 188	13 965	222	28 569	27 658	911
	Victor Khanye	10 555	10 158	396	28 511	26 837	1 674
Mpumalanga		208 904	204 246	4 658	369 156	356 055	13 100

Table 3.2 - Field crop products: area planted and volume of production, 2017 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Legumes					
		Planted hectares			Production in metric tons		
		Total	Dry land	Irrigated	Total	Dry land	Irrigated
Ehlanzeni	Thaba Chweu	32	2	30	50		50
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	250	250		500	500	
	Dipaleseng	1	1		3	3	
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	59	59		106	106	
	Lekwa	50	50		100	100	
	Mkhondo	44		44			
	Msukaligwa	1 290	1 289	1	1 560	1 560	
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	75	75		147	147	
	Emalahleni	2 146	2 050	96			
	Steve Tshwete	151	115	36	130	22	108
	Victor Khanye	853	853		1 532	1 532	
Mpumalanga		4 951	4 744	207	4 129	3 971	158

Table 3.2 - Field crop products: area planted and volume of production, 2017 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Fodder					
		Planted hectares			Production in metric tons		
		Total	Irrigated	Dry land	Total	Irrigated	Dry land
Ehlanzeni	Nkomazi	70	70		247	247	
	Thaba Chweu	566	157	408	1 106	900	205
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	473	31	442	868		868
	Dipaleseng	469		469	1 218		1 218
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	906		906	3 770		3 770
	Govan Mbeki	3 050		3 050	5 705		5 705
	Lekwa	1 464	154	1 309	9 019	257	8 761
	Mkhondo	218		218	391		391
	Msukaligwa	2 627	90	2 537	9 188	3 500	5 688
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	860	50	810	4 850	30	4 820
	Emalahleni	845		845	2 445		2 445
	Steve Tshwete	2 992	1 167	1 824	8 517	5 561	2 955
	Victor Khanye	1 193	34	1 158	2 881	189	2 692
Mpumalanga		15 738	1 756	13 981	50 212	10 685	39 526

Table 3.2 - Field crop products: area planted and volume of production, 2017 (concluded)

District/Local Municipality		Other field crops		
		Planted hectares		
		Total	Dry land	Irrigated
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	960	216	743
	Nkomazi	23 174	1 618	21 555
Gert Sibande	Lekwa	700	700	
	Mkhondo	1 010	500	510
Mpumalanga		25 844	3 035	22 809

Table 3.3 - Grain and cereal: maize area planted and volume of production, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Maize					
		Planted hectares			Production in metric tons		
		Total	Dry land	Irrigated	Total	Dry land	Irrigated
Ehlanzeni	Thaba Chweu	3 001	1 407	1 594	16 437	6 157	10 280
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	37 544	37 163	380	204 882	200 338	4 544
	Dipaleseng	10 803	10 683	120	47 321	46 241	1 080
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	38 220	34 984	3 235	238 049	209 726	28 322
	Govan Mbeki	41 040	40 478	562	221 526	214 891	6 635
	Lekwa	51 173	49 621	1 551	280 328	267 107	13 220
	Mkhondo	22 433	19 172	3 260	168 047	135 724	32 322
	Msukaligwa	51 700	50 274	1 425	231 703	217 559	14 143
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	5 375	5 038	337	30 005	27 318	2 687
	Emalahleni	36 271	34 759	1 511	262 133	247 041	15 091
	Steve Tshwete	95 196	83 731	11 464	528 321	437 664	90 657
	Victor Khanye	30 061	27 539	2 522	227 786	197 937	29 849
Mpumalanga		422 823	394 856	27 967	2 456 543	2 207 709	248 833

Table 3.4 - Grain and cereal: white maize area planted and volume of production, 2017

District/Local Municipality		White maize					
		Planted hectares			Production in metric tons		
		Total	Dry land	Irrigated	Total	Dry land	Irrigated
Ehlanzeni	Thaba Chweu	2 614	1 238	1 375	13 335	5 183	8 151
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	14 737	14 669	67	63 600	62 752	848
	Dipaleseng	3 882	3 882		17 412	17 412	
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	1 035	985	50	5 327	4 627	700
	Govan Mbeki	8 689	8 681	8	14 581	14 581	
	Lekwa	13 344	12 555	789	80 555	74 191	6 363
	Mkhondo	16 054	13 644	2 410	107 499	85 846	21 652
	Msukaligwa	23 951	23 771	180	70 632	68 792	1 840
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	4 033	3 890	143	23 517	22 517	999
	Emalahleni	7 419	7 419		51 684	51 684	
	Steve Tshwete	57 071	54 220	2 851	278 042	248 743	29 299
	Victor Khanye	14 866	13 225	1 640	126 313	106 758	19 554
Mpumalanga		167 700	158 184	9 516	852 501	763 091	89 410

Table 3.5 - Grain and cereal: yellow maize area planted and volume of production, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Yellow maize					
		Planted hectares			Production in metric tons		
		Total	Dry land	Irrigated	Total	Dry land	Irrigated
Ehlanzeni	Thaba Chweu	387	168	218	3 102	974	2 128
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	22 807	22 494	313	141 281	137 585	3 696
	Dipaleseng	6 920	6 800	120	29 909	28 829	1 080
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	37 185	33 999	3 185	232 721	205 099	27 622
	Govan Mbeki	32 350	31 796	554	206 945	200 309	6 635
	Lekwa	37 828	37 066	762	199 772	192 916	6 856
	Mkhondo	6 378	5 527	850	60 548	49 877	10 670
	Msukaligwa	27 748	26 503	1 245	161 071	148 767	12 303
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	1 341	1 148	193	6 488	4 800	1 687
	Emalahleni	28 852	27 340	1 511	210 448	195 357	15 091
	Steve Tshwete	38 125	29 511	8 613	250 279	188 920	61 358
	Victor Khanye	15 195	14 313	881	101 473	91 178	10 294
Mpumalanga		255 122	236 671	18 451	1 604 042	1 444 618	159 423

Table 3.6 - Grain and cereal: sorghum area planted and volume of production, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Grain sorghum					
		Planted hectares			Production in metric tons		
		Total	Dry land	Irrigated	Total	Dry land	Irrigated
Ehlanzeni	Thaba Chweu	30	6	24	96		96
Gert Sibande	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	172	172		258	258	
	Govan Mbeki	320	320		480	480	
	Lekwa	6 883	6 883		10 143	10 143	
	Msukaligwa	272	272		544	544	
Nkangala	Steve Tshwete	120	120		180	180	
Mpumalanga		7 797	7 773	24	11 702	11 605	96

Table 3.7 - Grain and cereal: wheat area planted and volume of production, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Wheat					
		Planted hectares			Production in metric tons		
		Total	Irrigated	Dry land	Total	Irrigated	Dry land
Ehlanzeni	Thaba Chweu	515	515		2 840	2 840	
Gert Sibande	Dipaleseng	60	60		120	120	
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	1 265	745	520	4 769	3 729	1 040
	Lekwa	20	20		100	100	
	Mkhondo	190	190				
	Msukaligwa	200		200	800		800
Nkangala	Steve Tshwete	144	144		493	493	
Mpumalanga		2 396	1 676	720	9 123	7 283	1 840

Table 3.8 - Grain and cereal: barley area planted and volume of production, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Barley			
		Planted hectares		Production in metric tons	
		Total	Dry land	Total	Dry land
Gert Sibande	Lekwa	300	300	450	450
	Msukaligwa	200	200	400	400
Mpumalanga		500	500	850	850

Table 3.9 - Grain and cereal: oats area planted and production, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Oats					
		Planted hectares			Production in metric tons		
		Total	Irrigated	Dry land	Total	Irrigated	Dry land
Ehlanzeni	Thaba Chweu	44	44		39	39	
Gert Sibande	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	2	2				
	Govan Mbeki	20		20	20		20
	Lekwa	30		30	30		30
	Mkhondo	343	339	4	694	679	15
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	160	120	40	280	240	40
	Steve Tshwete	8	8				
	Victor Khanye	2	2				
Mpumalanga		609	515	94	1 063	958	105

Table 3.10 - Oil seed production: sunflower seeds area planted and volume of production, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Sunflower seeds					
		Planted hectares			Production in metric tons		
		Total	Dry land	Irrigated	Total	Dry land	Irrigated
Ehlanzeni	Thaba Chweu	7	4	2	13	4	8
Gert Sibande	Dipaleseng	187	187		134	134	
	Msukaligwa	1 156	1 156		1 966	1 966	
Mpumalanga		1 351	1 348	2	2 114	2 105	8

Table 3.11 - Oil seed production: soya beans area planted and volume of production, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Soya beans					
		Planted hectares			Production in metric tons		
		Total	Dry land	Irrigated	Total	Dry land	Irrigated
Ehlanzeni	Thaba Chweu	2 441	1 711	729	5 286	2 994	2 292
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	19 512	19 510	2	32 083	32 083	
	Dipaleseng	4 254	4 254		4 456	4 456	
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	22 230	22 185	45	35 136	35 001	135
	Govan Mbeki	27 207	27 082	124	52 352	51 978	374
	Lekwa	46 764	45 322	1 442	69 143	66 029	3 113
	Mkhondo	10 800	10 160	640	26 542	24 084	2 458
Nkangala	Msukaligwa	26 923	26 360	563	35 688	34 422	1 266
	Emakhazeni	2 562	2 495	67	3 835	3 835	
	Emalahleni	19 789	19 545	243	45 069	44 568	500
	Steve Tshwete	14 108	13 885	222	28 569	27 658	911
	Victor Khanye	10 555	10 158	396	28 511	26 837	1 674
Mpumalanga		207 149	202 673	4 476	366 677	353 950	12 726

Table 3.12 - Oil seed production: canola area planed and volume of production, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Canola			
		Planted hectares		Production in metric tons	
		Total	Irrigated	Total	Irrigated
Gert Sibande	Msukaligwa	180	180	365	365
Mpumalanga		180	180	365	365

Table 3.13 - Legumes: dry beans area planted and volume of production, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Dry beans					
		Planted hectares			Production in metric tons		
		Total	Irrigated	Dry land	Total	Irrigated	Dry land
Ehlanzeni	Thaba Chweu	28	28		50	50	
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	250		250	500		500
	Dipaleseng	1		1	3		3
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	59		59	106		106
	Lekwa	50		50	100		100
	Msukaligwa	789		789	1 560		1 560
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	75		75	147		147
	Steve Tshwete	50	36	14	130	108	22
	Victor Khanye	853		853	1 532		1 532
Mpumalanga		2 155	64	2 091	4 129	158	3 971

Table 3.14 - Fodder crops: grass area planted and volume of production, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Grass					
		Planted hectares			Production in metric tons		
		Total	Irrigated	Dry land	Total	Irrigated	Dry land
Ehlanzeni	Nkomazi	70	70		247	247	
	Thaba Chweu	455	79	376	261	116	145
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	393	6	387	798		798
	Dipaleseng	449		449	818		818
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	645		645	1 710		1 710
	Govan Mbeki	2 985		2 985	4 897		4 897
	Lekwa	933	154	779	1 516	257	1 259
	Mkhondo	156		156	191		191
	Msukaligwa	2 106		2 106	4 276		4 276
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	589	50	539	1 221	30	1 191
	Emalahleni	725		725	2 445		2 445
	Steve Tshwete	2 636	901	1 734	5 694	3 156	2 537
	Victor Khanye	1 033	34	998	2 616	189	2 427
Mpumalanga	13 182	1 297	11 885	26 695	3 996	22 698	

Table 3.15 - Fodder crops: lucerne/alfalfa area planted and volume of production, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Lucerne/Alfalfa				
		Planted hectares			Quantity in metric tons	
		Total	Dry land	Irrigated	Total	Dry land
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	50	25	25		
	Lekwa	147	147		2 217	2 217
	Mkhondo	29	29			
	Msukaligwa	66	46	20	92	92
Nkangala	Steve Tshwete	57	32	25	241	241
	Victor Khanye	10	10		15	15
Mpumalanga	360	290	70	2 566	2 566	

Table 3.16 - Fodder crops: maize for silage area planted and volume of production, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Maize for silage					
		Planted hectares			Quantity in metric tons		
		Total	Dry land	Irrigated	Total	Dry land	Irrigated
Ehlanzeni	Thaba Chweu	90	12	78	844	60	784
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	30	30		70	70	
	Dipaleseng	20	20		400	400	
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	183	183		2 060	2 060	
	Govan Mbeki	64	64		808	808	
	Lekwa	382	382		5 285	5 285	
	Mkhondo	33	33		200	200	
	Msukaligwa	335	265	70	4 820	1 320	3 500
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	157	157		3 629	3 629	
	Steve Tshwete	253	13	240	2 581	176	2 405
	Victor Khanye	100	100		250	250	
Mpumalanga		1 650	1 261	388	20 950	14 261	6 689

Table 3.17 - Other field crops: sugarcane area planted and volume of production, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Sugarcane					
		Planted hectares			Quantity in metric tons		
		Total	Dry land	Irrigated	Total	Dry land	Irrigated
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	797	192	604	62 901	6 747	56 153
	Nkomazi	23 134	1 603	21 531	1 376 482	13 934	1 362 547
Mpumalanga		23 932	1 795	22 136	1 439 383	20 681	1 418 701

Table 3.18 - Quantity sold and income earned from sales of field crop products, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Field crop						
		Livestock/ animal feed (grain based)		Maize meal (mealie meal)		Malt, whether or not roasted		Other field crop products
		Tons	R'000	Tons	R'000	Tons	R'000	R'000
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	21 664	71 610					
	Nkomazi							22 649
	Thaba Chweu			4 000	15 000			
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	2 269	3 152	6	16			
	Dipaleseng	83	461	6 986	18 972			
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	9 083	24 162	34 458	60 306			294
	Govan Mbeki	886	5 294					
	Lekwa	1 808	9 943	6 370	14 756			30 386
	Mkhondo	371	458	2 253	4 808			2
	Msukaligwa	94	455	8 353	15 869			6 342
Nkangala	Emakhazeni			5 268	8 965	620	1 431	8 270
	Steve Tshwete	96 508	321 079	529	1 221			110
	Victor Khanye	46	256	33	78			
Mpumalanga		132 815	436 870	68 258	139 991	620	1 431	68 053

Table 4.1 - Horticultural crop products: area planted, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Planted area	Citrus fruits	Subtropical fruits	Vegetables
		Planted hectares	Planted hectares	Planted hectares	Planted hectares
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	1 834	602	149	
	City of Mbombela	22 966	2 420	5 062	220
	Nkomazi	10 154	3 383	5 421	847
	Thaba Chweu	1 939	532	480	241
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	204		19	43
	Dipaleseng	0			0
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	56			45
	Govan Mbeki	44			
	Lekwa	178			155
	Mkhondo	137			62
	Msukaligwa	215			25
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	210		1	28
	Steve Tshwete	901			901
	Victor Khanye	2 895	1 472		1 423
Mpumalanga		41 740	8 411	11 133	3 996

Table 4.1 - Horticultural crop products: area planted, 2017 (concluded)

District/Local Municipality		Tree nuts	Deciduous fruits and viticulture	Other horticultural crops
		Planted hectares	Planted hectares	Planted hectares
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	1 083		
	City of Mbombela	14 988	99	38
	Nkomazi	169		
	Thaba Chweu	550	10	121
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	16	126	
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme		11	
	Govan Mbeki	44		
	Lekwa		23	
	Mkhondo	59	16	
	Msukaligwa		189	
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	13	2	164
Mpumalanga		16 925	478	323

Table 4.2 - Vegetables: area planted and volume of production, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Beetroot		Cabbages	
		Area planted	Production	Area planted	Production
		Hectares	Metric tons	Hectares	Metric tons
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	1	43	3	61
	Thaba Chweu			111	7 951
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli			12	315
	Dipaleseng	0	6	0	5
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	0	3	0	3
	Msukaligwa			25	1 295
Nkangala	Steve Tshwete			9	316
	Victor Khanye	102	3 085	140	3 635
Mpumalanga		104	3 138	302	13 582

Table 4.2 - Vegetables: area planted and volume of production, 2017 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Green beans		Carrots	
		Area planted	Production	Area planted	Production
		Hectares	Metric tons	Hectares	Metric tons
Ehlanzeni	Nkomazi	12	111		
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	3	18		
	Victor Khanye	5	25	102	3 085
Mpumalanga		21	154	102	3 085

Table 4.2 - Vegetables: area planted and volume of production, 2017 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Potatoes		Onions	
		Area planted	Production	Area planted	Production
		Hectares	Metric tons	Hectares	Metric tons
Ehlanzeni	Thaba Chweu	121	3 631		
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	31	1 263		
	Dipaleseng	0	3	0	5
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	37	1 423		
	Lekwa	115	4 627		
	Mkhondo	22	960		
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	1	5	1	45
	Steve Tshwete	885	38 488		
	Victor Khanye	216	11 958		
Mpumalanga		1 430	62 361	2	50

Table 4.2 - Vegetables: area planted and volume of production, 2017 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Tomatoes		Pumpkins (excluding melons)	
		Area planted	Production	Area planted	Production
		Hectares	Metric tons	Hectares	Metric tons
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	52	1 561		
	Nkomazi	110	9 299		
Gert Sibande	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	1	33	1	28
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	1	54	10	272
	Steve Tshwete	0	15	3	100
	Victor Khanye			16	493
Mpumalanga		166	10 963	31	893

Table 4.2 - Vegetables: area planted and volume of production, 2017 (concluded)

District/Local Municipality		Butternut		Sweet potatoes	
		Area planted	Production	Area planted	Production
		Hectares	Metric tons	Hectares	Metric tons
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	8	345	2	30
	Nkomazi	280	7 302	111	6 715
Gert Sibande	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	1	33		
Nkangala	Emakhazeni			1	54
Mpumalanga		290	7 681	115	6 799

Table 4.3 - Peppers: area planted and volume of production, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Peppers	
		Area planted	Production
		Hectares	Metric tons
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	28	980
	Nkomazi	256	8 832
	Thaba Chweu	6	302
Nkangala	Steve Tshwete	1	40
Mpumalanga		291	10 155

Table 4.4 - Citrus fruit: area planted and volume of production, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Oranges		Naartjies	
		Area planted	Production	Area planted	Production
		Hectares	Metric tons	Hectares	Metric tons
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	527	18 972		
	City of Mbombela	1 749	74 220	360	486
	Nkomazi	1 398	31 782	11	8
	Thaba Chweu	108	326	300	5 713
Nkangala	Victor Khanye	662	34 492		
Mpumalanga		4 446	159 794	672	6 209

Table 4.4 - Citrus fruit: area planted and volume of production, 2017 (concluded)

District/Local Municipality		Lemons	
		Area planted	Production
		Hectares	Metric tons
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	74	
	City of Mbombela	191	4 984
	Nkomazi	178	3 605
	Thaba Chweu	123	6 648
Nkangala	Victor Khanye	467	19 368
Mpumalanga		1 035	34 606

Table 4.5 - Citrus fruit: area planted and volume of production, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Other soft citrus		Grapefruit	
		Area planted	Production	Area planted	Production
		Hectares	Metric tons	Hectares	Metric tons
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	118			
	Nkomazi	19		1 773	73 936
Nkangala	Victor Khanye	343	2 666		
Mpumalanga		480	2 666	1 773	73 936

Table 4.6 - Subtropical fruit: area planted and volume of production, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Other subtropical fruits		Bananas	
		Area planted		Area planted	Production
		Hectares		Hectares	Metric tons
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge		149		
	City of Mbombela		3 247	1 815	30 688
	Nkomazi		1 582	3 838	112 425
	Thaba Chweu		388	92	4 144
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli		19		
Nkangala	Emakhazeni		1		
Mpumalanga			5 387	5 745	147 258

Table 4.6 - Subtropical fruit: area planted and volume of production, 2017 (Continued)

District/Local Municipality		Berries (all kinds)		Avocados	
		Area planted	Production	Area planted	Production
		Hectares	Metric tons	Hectares	Metric tons
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	34			
	City of Mbombela			2 518	31 142
	Nkomazi			1	
	Thaba Chweu	6	22	382	3 002
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli			19	
Nkangala	Emakhazeni			1	6
Mpumalanga		40	22	2 922	34 150

Table 4.6 - Subtropical fruit: area planted and volume of production, 2017 (concluded)

District/Local Municipality		Mangos		Paw paws	
		Area planted	Production	Area planted	Production
		Hectares	Metric tons	Hectares	Metric tons
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	115			
	City of Mbombela	160	2 151	564	7 229
	Nkomazi	1 055	13 417	526	10 132
Mpumalanga		1 331	15 568	1 090	17 361

Table 4.7 - Deciduous fruit: area planted and volume of production, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Apples	
		Area planted	Production
		Hectares	Metric tons
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	126	1 260
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	11	
	Lekwa	23	993
	Mkhondo	16	320
	Msukaligwa	189	4 648
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	1	1
Mpumalanga		367	7 223

Table 4.7 - Deciduous fruit: area planted and volume of production, 2017 (concluded)

District/Local Municipality		Peaches	
		Area planted	Production
		Hectares	Metric tons
Ehlanzeni	Thaba Chweu	10	200
Mpumalanga		10	200

Table 4.8 - Tree nuts: area planted and volume of production, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Macadamia nuts		Pecan nuts	
		Area planted	Production	Area planted	Production
		Hectares	Metric tons	Hectares	Metric tons
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	1 083	4 650		
	City of Mbombela	14 470	22 117	344	690
	Nkomazi	169	225		
	Thaba Chweu	513	1 128	28	
Gert Sibande	Govan Mbeki			44	49
	Mkhondo			59	105
Nkangala	Emakhazeni			13	27
Mpumalanga		16 236	28 121	490	872

Table 4.9 - Number of fruit and nut trees as at 30 September 2018

District/Local Municipality		Orange		Lemon		Naartjie		Other soft citrus or easy peelers		Grapefruit	
		Bearing	Non-bearing	Bearing	Non-bearing	Bearing	Non-bearing	Bearing	Non-bearing	Bearing	Non-bearing
		Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	210 828			33 180						
	City of Mbombela	765 992	75 914	75 059		7 469	31 852		107 624		
	Nkomazi	546 847	22 760	42 220	43 075	992	5 039	2 216		735 084	33 426
	Thaba Chweu	3 631	7 263	85 520		180 989	44 356				
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	130	20	60							
	Victor Khanye	252 382	31 098	141 663	123 618			29 627	208 575		
Mpumalanga		1 779 811	137 055	344 523	199 873	189 450	81 248	31 843	316 199	735 084	33 426

Table 4.9 - Number of fruit and nut trees as at 30 September 2018 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Avocado		Banana		Berry	
		Bearing	Non-bearing	Bearing	Non-bearing	Bearing	Non-bearing
		Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	668 859	92 633	2 823 432	312 090		
	Nkomazi			9 610 376	1 810 261		
	Thaba Chweu	30 505	9 200	184 003		600	50
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli		5 700				
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	20					
Mpumalanga		699 385	107 533	12 617 812	2 122 351	600	50

Table 4.9 - Number of fruit and nut trees as at 30 September 2018 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Mango		Paw paw/ papaya	
		Bearing	Non-bearing	Bearing	Non-bearing
		Number	Number	Number	Number
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	36 169			
	City of Mbombela	73 048		15 641	401 645
	Nkomazi	394 488		49 263	161 384
Mpumalanga		503 706		64 905	563 029
					34 281

Table 4.9 - Number of fruit and nut trees as at 30 September 2018 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Apple		Pear
		Bearing	Non-bearing	Bearing
		Number	Number	Number
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	189 111		
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme		20 084	
	Lekwa	34 347		
	Mkhondo	19 200		
	Msukaligwa	187 012	107 856	
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	20		10
Mpumalanga		429 691	127 940	10

Table 4.9 - Number of fruit and nut trees as at 30 September 2018 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Peach
		Bearing
		Number
Ehlanzeni	Thaba Chweu	8 000
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	10
	Steve Tshwete	50
Mpumalanga		8 060

Table 4.9 - Number of fruit and nut trees as at 30 September 2018 (concluded)

District/Local Municipality		Macadamia nut		Pecan nut	
		Bearing	Non-bearing	Bearing	Non-bearing
		Number	Number	Number	Number
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	372 079			
	City of Mbombela	2 905 851	1 440 187	65 389	16 867
	Nkomazi	15 883	969		
	Thaba Chweu	68 875	93 754	256	35
Gert Sibande	Govan Mbeki			4 493	
	Mkhondo			706	4 303
Nkangala	Emakhazeni			2 177	
Mpumalanga		3 362 690	1 534 912	73 022	21 205

Table 4.10 - Marketing/distribution channels for selected vegetables, 2017

Vegetables	Production	Fresh produce market	Direct to retailers, chain stores, including contract farming, etc.	Processing factories	Exported	Direct sales from farmer to consumer
	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons
Beetroot	3 138	3 138				
Butternut	7 681	5 856	814	886		123
Cabbage (including red cabbage)	13 582	4 200	1 570		200	7 611
Peppers	10 155	7 857	1 705			591
Sweet potatoes	6 799	1 173	3 357	2 238		30
Tomatoes	10 963	8 343	2 577			42
Green beans	154	140				14
Potatoes	62 361	32 010	1 722	9 643	4 402	14 582
Onions	50	5				45
Pumpkins (excluding melons)	893	890				3
Carrots	3 085	3 085				

Table 4.10 - Marketing/distribution channels for selected vegetables, 2017 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Beetroot	
		Total	Fresh produce market
		Metric tons	Metric tons
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	43	43
Gert Sibande	Dipaleseng	6	6
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	3	3
Nkangala	Victor Khanye	3 085	3 085
Mpumalanga		3 138	3 138

Table 4.10 - Marketing/distribution channels for selected vegetables by municipality, 2017 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Butternut				
		Total	Fresh produce market	Direct to retailers, chain stores, including contract farming, etc.	Processing factories	Direct sales from farmer to consumer
		Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	345	104	240		
	Nkomazi	7 302	5 718	573	886	123
Gert Sibande	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	33	33			
Mpumalanga		7 681	5 856	814	886	123

Table 4.10 - Marketing/distribution channels for selected vegetables by municipality, 2017 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Cabbage (including red cabbage)				
		Total	Fresh produce market	Direct to retailers, chain stores, including contract farming, etc.	Exported	Direct sales from farmer to consumer
		Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	61	61			
	Thaba Chweu	7 951		225	200	7 526
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	315	315			
	Dipaleseng	5	5			
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	3	3			
	Msukaligwa	1 295		1 295		
Nkangala	Steve Tshwete	316	181	50		85
	Victor Khanye	3 635	3 635			
Mpumalanga		13 582	4 200	1 570	200	7 611

Table 4.10 - Marketing/distribution channels for selected vegetables by municipality, 2017 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Carrots	
		Total	Fresh produce market
		Metric tons	Metric tons
Nkangala	Victor Khanye	3 085	3 085
Mpumalanga		3 085	3 085

Table 4.10 - Marketing/distribution channels for selected vegetables by municipality, 2017 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Green beans		
		Total	Fresh produce market	Direct sales from farmer to consumer
		Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons
Ehlanzeni	Nkomazi	111	106	5
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	18	9	9
	Victor Khanye	25	25	
Mpumalanga		154	140	14

Table 4.10 - Marketing/distribution channels for selected vegetables by municipality, 2017 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Onions		
		Total	Fresh produce market	Direct sales from farmer to consumer
		Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons
Gert Sibande	Dipaleseng	5	5	
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	45		45
Mpumalanga		50	5	45

Table 4.10 - Marketing/distribution channels for selected vegetables by municipality, 2017 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Peppers			
		Total	Fresh produce market	Direct to retailers, chain stores, including contract farming, etc.	Direct sales from farmer to consumer
		Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	980	594	385	
	Nkomazi	8 832	7 233	1 007	591
	Thaba Chweu	302		302	
Nkangala	Steve Tshwete	40	30	10	
Mpumalanga		10 155	7 857	1 705	591

Table 4.10 - Marketing/distribution channels for selected vegetables by municipality, 2017 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Potatoes					
		Total	Fresh produce market	Direct to retailers, chain stores, including contract farming, etc.	Processing factories	Exported	Direct sales from farmer to consumer
		Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons
Ehlanzeni	Thaba Chweu	3 631				3 631	
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	1 263	240				1 023
	Dipaleseng	3					3
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	1 423	1 423				
	Lekwa	4 627			3 856	771	
	Mkhondo	960	960				
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	5	3				1
	Steve Tshwete	38 489	23 211	1 722			13 554
	Victor Khanye	11 958	6 171		5 786		
Mpumalanga		62 361	32 010	1 722	9 643	4 402	14 582

Table 4.10 - Marketing/distribution channels for selected vegetables by municipality, 2017 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Pumpkins		
		Total	Fresh produce market	Direct sales from farmer to consumer
		Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons
Gert Sibande	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	28	25	3
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	272	272	
	Steve Tshwete	100	100	
	Victor Khanye	493	493	
Mpumalanga		893	890	3

Table 4.10 - Marketing/distribution channels for selected vegetables by municipality, 2017 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Sweet potatoes				
		Total	Fresh produce market	Direct to retailers, chain stores, including contract farming, etc.	Processing factories	Direct sales from farmer to consumer
		Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	30				30
	Nkomazi	6 715	1 119	3 357	2 238	
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	54	54			
Mpumalanga		6 799	1 173	3 357	2 238	30

Table 4.10 - Marketing/distribution channels for selected vegetables by municipality, 2017 (concluded)

District/Local Municipality		Tomatoes			
		Total	Fresh produce market	Direct to retailers, chain stores, including contract farming, etc.	Direct sales from farmer to consumer
		Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	1 561	1 007	554	
	Nkomazi	9 299	7 242	2 018	39
Gert Sibande	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	33	30		3
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	54	54		
	Steve Tshwete	15	10	5	
Mpumalanga		10 963	8 343	2 577	42

Table 4.11 - Marketing/distribution channels for selected citrus fruits, 2017

Citrus fruits	Production	Fresh produce market	Direct to retailers, chain stores, including contract farming, etc.	Processing factories	Exported	Direct sales from farmer to consumer
	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons
Oranges	159 794	7 266	10 286	43 072	97 582	1 586
Lemons	34 606	802	4 654	5 548	23 590	9
Naartjies	6 209	279	323	237	5 043	325
Grapefruit	73 936	1 920	898	26 787	44 329	
Other soft citrus or easy peelers	2 666	341	351		1 974	

Table 4.12 - Marketing/distribution channels for selected citrus fruits by municipality, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Oranges					
		Total	Fresh produce market	Direct to retailers, chain stores, including contract farming, etc.	Processing factories	Exported	Direct sales from farmer to consumer
		Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	18 972				18 972	
	City of Mbombela	74 220	3 992	1 826	33 354	33 611	1 436
	Nkomazi	31 782	2 757	115	6 485	22 419	4
	Thaba Chweu	326				181	145
Nkangala	Victor Khanye	34 492	516	8 345	3 233	22 398	
Mpumalanga		159 794	7 266	10 286	43 072	97 582	1 586

Table 4.12 - Marketing/distribution channels for selected citrus fruits by municipality, 2017 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Lemons					
		Total	Fresh produce market	Direct to retailers, chain stores, including contract farming, etc.	Processing factories	Exported	Direct sales from farmer to consumer
		Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	4 984	353	3	1 566	3 060	0
	Nkomazi	3 605	431	8	12	3 145	9
	Thaba Chweu	6 648			2 270	4 377	
Nkangala	Victor Khanye	19 368	18	4 643	1 699	13 008	
Mpumalanga		34 606	802	4 654	5 548	23 590	9

Table 4.12 - Marketing/distribution channels for selected citrus fruits by municipality, 2017 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Naartjie					
		Total	Fresh produce market	Direct to retailers, chain stores, including contract farming, etc.	Processing factories	Exported	Direct sales from farmer to consumer
		Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	486		173		305	8
	Nkomazi	8	8				
	Thaba Chweu	5 713	271	150	237	4 738	317
Mpumalanga		6 209	279	323	237	5 043	325

Table 4.12 - Marketing/distribution channels for selected citrus fruits by municipality, 2017 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Other soft citrus or easy peelers			
		Total	Fresh produce market	Direct to retailers, chain stores, including contract farming, etc.	Exported
		Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons
Nkangala	Victor Khanye	2 666	341	351	1 974
Mpumalanga		2 666	341	351	1 974

Table 4.12 - Marketing/distribution channels for selected citrus fruits by municipality, 2017 (concluded)

District/Local Municipality		Grapefruit				
		Total	Fresh produce market	Direct to retailers, chain stores, including contract farming, etc.	Processing factories	Exported
		Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons
Ehlanzeni	Nkomazi	73 936	1 920	898	26 787	44 329
Mpumalanga		73 936	1 920	898	26 787	44 329

Table 4.13 - Marketing/distribution channels for selected subtropical fruits, 2017

Subtropical fruits	Production	Fresh produce market	Direct to retailers, chain stores, including contract farming, etc.	Processing factories	Exported	Direct sales from farmer to consumer
	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons
Avocados	34 150	6 752	7 546	2 706	14 761	2 383
Bananas	147 258	116 835	26 815	527		3 080
Mangos	15 568	5 707	850	6 815	1 427	767
Paw paw/ papaya	17 361	5 326	10 834	1 131		70
Berries (all kinds)	22		22			

Table 4.14 - Marketing/distribution channels for selected subtropical fruits by municipality, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Avocados					
		Total	Fresh produce market	Direct to retailers, chain stores, including contract farming, etc.	Processing factories	Exported	Direct sales from farmer to consumer
		Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	31 142	4 809	7 546	2 706	13 938	2 141
	Thaba Chweu	3 002	1 936			823	242
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	6	6				
Mpumalanga		34 150	6 752	7 546	2 706	14 761	2 383

Table 4.14 - Marketing/distribution channels for selected subtropical fruits by municipality, 2017 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Bananas				
		Total	Fresh produce market	Direct to retailers, chain stores, including contract farming, etc.	Processing factories	Direct sales from farmer to consumer
		Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	30 688	27 264	2 429	160	833
	Nkomazi	112 425	85 425	24 385	366	2 246
	Thaba Chweu	4 144	4 144			
Mpumalanga		147 258	116 835	26 815	527	3 080

Table 4.14 - Marketing/distribution channels for selected subtropical fruits by municipality, 2017 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Berries	
		Total	Direct to retailers, chain stores, including contract farming, etc.
		Metric tons	Metric tons
Ehlanzeni	Thaba Chweu	22	22
Mpumalanga		22	22

Table 4.14 - Marketing/distribution channels for selected subtropical fruits by municipality, 2017 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Mango					
		Total	Fresh produce market	Direct to retailers, chain stores, including contract farming, etc.	Processing factories	Exported	Direct sales from farmer to consumer
		Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	2 151	481		1 362		306
	Nkomazi	13 417	5 225	850	5 452	1 427	461
Mpumalanga		15 568	5 707	850	6 815	1 427	767

Table 4.14 - Marketing/distribution channels for selected subtropical fruits by municipality, 2017 (concluded)

District/Local Municipality		Paw paw/ papaya				
		Total	Fresh produce market	Direct to retailers, chain stores, including contract farming, etc.	Processing factories	Direct sales from farmer to consumer
		Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	7 229	3 855	3 373		
	Nkomazi	10 132	1 470	7 460	1 131	70
Mpumalanga		17 361	5 326	10 834	1 131	70

Table 4.15 - Marketing/distribution channels for selected deciduous fruits and viticulture, 2017

Deciduous fruits and viticulture	Production	Fresh produce market	Direct to retailers, chain stores, including contract farming, etc.	Exported	Direct sales from farmer to consumer
	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons
Peaches	200			200	
Apples	7 223	1 773		2 549	2 695

Table 4.16 - Marketing/distribution channels for selected deciduous fruits and viticulture by municipality, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Apples				
		Total	Fresh produce market	Direct to retailers, chain stores, including contract farming, etc.	Exported	Direct sales from farmer to consumer
		Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	1 260				1 260
	Lekwa	993		568	205	219
	Mkhondo	320	40	280		
	Msukaligwa	4 648	1 733	1 700		1 214
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	1		1		
Mpumalanga		7 223	1 773	2 549	205	2 695

Table 4.16 - Marketing/distribution channels for selected deciduous fruits and viticulture by municipality, 2017 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Peaches	
		Total	Direct to retailers, chain stores, including contract farming, etc.
		Metric tons	Metric tons
Ehlanzeni	Thaba Chweu	200	200
Mpumalanga		200	200

Table 4.17 - Marketing/distribution channels for selected nuts, 2017

Tree nuts	Production	Fresh produce market	Direct to retailers, chain stores, including contract farming, etc.	Processing factories	Exported
	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons
Macadamia nuts	28 121	2 075		10 945	15 100
Pecan nuts	872		27	153	692

Table 4.18 - Marketing/distribution channels for selected nuts by municipality, 2018

District/Local Municipality		Macadamia nuts			
		Total	Fresh produce market	Processing factories	Exported
		Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	4 650			4 650
	City of Mbombela	22 117	2 075	10 254	9 787
	Nkomazi	225		207	17
	Thaba Chweu	1 128		484	644
Mpumalanga		28 121	2 075	10 945	15 100

Table 4.18 - Marketing/distribution channels for selected nuts by municipality, 2019 (concluded)

District/Local Municipality		Pecan nuts			
		Total	Direct to retailers, chain stores, including contract farming, etc.	Processing factories	Exported
		Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons	Metric tons
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	690		48	642
Gert Sibande	Govan Mbeki	49			49
	Mkhondo	105		105	
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	27	27		
Mpumalanga		872	27	153	692

Table 5.1 - Number of livestock sold, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Cattle: beef	Cattle: dairy	Sheep: wool	Sheep: non-wool
		Number of animals sold	Number of animals sold	Number of animals sold	Number of animals sold
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	163			
	Nkomazi	29			30
	Thaba Chweu	2 673	465		20
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	13 727	18	19 473	3 277
	Dipaleseng	4 410	410	141	60
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	25 008	37	8 253	3 893
	Govan Mbeki	13 788	99	2 475	227
	Lekwa	14 943	304	6 106	806
	Mkhondo	8 982	9	3 365	314
	Msukaligwa	96 991	89	15 447	858
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	5 005	36	942	796
	Emalahleni	3 258		269	
	Steve Tshwete	184 781		2 402	166
	Victor Khanye	2 859	71	115	119
Mpumalanga		376 624	1 542	58 993	10 570

Table 5.1 - Number of livestock sold, 2017 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Pigs	Horses	Goats	Donkeys
		Number of animals sold	Number of animals sold	Number of animals sold	Number of animals sold
Ehlanzeni	Nkomazi	22	2		
	Thaba Chweu			20	
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	341		12	
	Dipaleseng	49		43	
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	115	21	137	
	Govan Mbeki	466	14	27	
	Lekwa	2 024	6	77	44
	Mkhondo	67	16		10
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	427	12		
	Emalahleni	25 197		3	
	Steve Tshwete	124 236	15	75	
Mpumalanga		152 949	89	396	54

Table 5.2 - Number of poultry (chickens and ostriches) sold, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Chicken: broilers	Chicken: layers	Ostriches
		Number of animals sold	Number of animals sold	Number of animals sold
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	2 042 870		
	Nkomazi	461 053		
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	13 618		
	Dipaleseng	76 950	19	
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	4 236 752	230	
	Govan Mbeki	13 503 782		
	Lekwa	81 799 066		
	Mkhondo	6 792	25 760 688	
	Msukaligwa	4 058 600	721	1
Nkangala	Steve Tshwete	1 594 676	19 780	
	Victor Khanye	46 926 854	466 704	
Mpumalanga		154 721 018	26 248 143	1

Table 5.3 - Details of livestock sold by number, age, type and use, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Cattle: beef							
		Total	Steers 1 year and over	Heifers 1 to 2 years (breeding)	Cows over 2 years (breeding)	Cows over 2 years (production)	Bulls	Heifers 1 to 2 years (production)	Calves
		Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	163	32	16	35	48	32		
	Nkomazi	29					14	14	
	Thaba Chweu	2 673	767	131	433	50	30	90	1 170
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	13 727	1 617	1 290	1 349	2 635	28	100	6 704
	Dipaleseng	4 410	159	65	615	232	22		3 315
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	25 008	444	567	5 069	2 623	433	581	15 288
	Govan Mbeki	13 788	356	541	1 375	1 854	259	341	9 059
	Lekwa	14 943	3 388	539	1 615	1 635	290	317	7 155
	Mkhondo	8 982	878	1 806	788	698	103	26	4 680
	Msukaligwa	96 991	675	835	11 017	2 075	290	1 443	80 654
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	5 005	350	265	574	1 276	55	187	2 294
	Emalahleni	3 258	310	57	312	89	43	138	2 306
	Steve Tshwete	184 781	9 659	292	1 050	3 096	96	3 761	166 824
	Victor Khanye	2 859	204	90	61	264	27	237	1 975
Mpumalanga	376 624	18 844	6 499	24 299	16 581	1 728	7 242	301 429	

Table 5.3 - Details of livestock sold by number, age, type and use, 2017 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Cattle: dairy						
		Total	Calves	Heifers 1 to 2 years (production)	Cows over 2 years (production)	Heifers 1 to 2 years (breeding)	Cows over 2 years (breeding)	Bulls
		Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number
Ehlanzeni	Thaba Chweu	465	305	14	145			
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	18	18					
	Dipaleseng	410	291	26	26	26	39	
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	37	22		14			
	Govan Mbeki	99			99			
	Lekwa	304	55	23	38		187	
	Mkhondo	9	9					
	Msukaligwa	89	5		67		10	6
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	36	36					
	Victor Khanye	71	41		30			
Mpumalanga	1 542	785	64	422	26	237	6	

Table 5.3 - Details of livestock sold by number, age, type and use, 2017 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Goats			
		Total	Meat (production)	Fibre (mohair/angora)(production)	Meat (breeding)
		Number	Number	Number	Number
Ehlanzeni	Thaba Chweu	20	20		
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	12	12		
	Dipaleseng	43		43	
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	137	60	34	43
	Govan Mbeki	27	2		24
	Lekwa	77			77
Nkangala	Emalahleni	3			3
	Steve Tshwete	75	66	9	
Mpumalanga		396	160	87	148

Table 5.3 - Details of livestock sold by number, age, type and use, 2017 (concluded)

District/Local Municipality		Pigs						
		Total	Weaner pigs	Boars (breeding)	Sows and gilts	Boars (production)	Grower and finishing pigs	Nursing pigs
		Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number
Ehlanzeni	Nkomazi	22	22					
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	341	341					
	Dipaleseng	49	26	9	14			
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	115		71		44		
	Govan Mbeki	466					466	
	Lekwa	2 024	87	4	17		1 915	
	Mkhondo	67	67					
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	427	415		11	1		
	Emalahleni	25 197	24 769		427			
	Steve Tshwete	124 236	107 499	130	2 917		13 679	11
Mpumalanga		152 949	133 228	214	3 388	45	16 061	11

Table 5.4 - Details of game sold by number and type, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Live game						
		Total	Impala	Wildbeest	Kudu	Zebra	Springbok	Other live game
		Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	23	5	8	8	2		
	Nkomazi	199	77	85	20	5		11
	Thaba Chweu	21	21					
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	9						9
	Lekwa	130						130
	Mkhondo	393	10	12		90	23	256
	Msukaligwa	69				27	13	27
Nkangala	Emalahleni	36					22	14
	Steve Tshwete	106	19	41	5	3	12	24
	Victor Khanye	84	63	9	4			8
Mpumalanga		1 071	196	155	38	129	71	480

Table 5.5 - Details of other livestock/poultry sold by number, age, type and use, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Chicken: broilers				Chicken: layers			
		Total	Day-old chicks	Commercial	Parent stock	Total	Day-old chicks	Parent stock	Commercial (including off-layers)
		Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	2 042 870	468 420	1 574 450					
	Nkomazi	461 053		461 053					
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	13 618	6 618	7 000					
	Dipaleseng	76 950			76 950	19		19	
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	4 236 752		4 236 752		230		230	
	Govan Mbeki	13 503 782	7 488 991	6 014 790					
	Lekwa	81 799 066	76 454 173	5 105 145	239 747				
	Mkhondo	6 792	6 792			25 760 688	25 472 006	288 682	
	Msukaligwa	4 058 600	4 058 600			721		721	
Nkangala	Steve Tshwete	1 594 676	1 445 765	147 828	1 082	19 780		19 780	
	Victor Khanye	46 926 854	12 343 319	34 583 534		466 704	31 228	435 476	
Mpumalanga		154 721 018	102 272 682	52 130 555	317 780	26 248 143	25 472 006	31 228	744 909

Table 5.5 - Details of other livestock/poultry sold by number, age, type and use, 2017 (concluded)

District/Local Municipality		Ostriches	
		Total	Commercial
		Number	Number
Gert Sibande	Msukaligwa	1	1
Mpumalanga		1	1

Table 5.6 - Number of livestock on farm as at 30 September 2018

District/Local Municipality		Cattle		
		Total	Beef	Dairy
		Number	Number	Number
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	1 289	1 289	
	Nkomazi	542	542	
	Thaba Chweu	9 587	7 297	2 290
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	61 524	61 484	39
	Dipaleseng	15 846	13 811	2 035
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	85 402	85 207	195
	Govan Mbeki	60 351	57 946	2 404
	Lekwa	95 356	92 698	2 658
	Mkhondo	27 199	27 145	54
	Msukaligwa	110 971	109 770	1 200
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	14 267	13 291	975
	Emalahleni	19 865	19 688	177
	Steve Tshwete	126 478	125 783	695
	Victor Khanye	8 775	7 672	1 102
Mpumalanga		637 459	623 630	13 828

Table 5.6 - Number of livestock on farm as at 30 September 2018 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Sheep		
		Total	Non-wool	Wool
		Number	Number	Number
Ehlanzeni	Nkomazi	230	230	
	Thaba Chweu	117	117	
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	79 458	4 759	74 699
	Dipaleseng	995	127	868
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	79 470	13 560	65 909
	Govan Mbeki	12 254	1 939	10 314
	Lekwa	57 975	5 388	52 587
	Mkhondo	7 247	680	6 567
	Msukaligwa	115 975	3 257	112 717
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	6 138	1 131	5 006
	Emalahleni	452		452
	Steve Tshwete	15 720	2 017	13 702
	Victor Khanye	2 536	1 487	1 049
Mpumalanga		378 571	34 696	343 874

Table 5.6 - Number of livestock on farm as at 30 September 2018 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Pigs	Horses	Goats	Donkeys
		Number	Number	Number	Number
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	12 348			
	Nkomazi	26	135		
	Thaba Chweu			47	1
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	468	21	30	
	Dipaleseng	85	2	100	7
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	133	717	27 605	73
	Govan Mbeki	479	170	192	36
	Lekwa	1 964	71	205	152
	Mkhondo	139	43	50	12
	Msukaligwa	2	262		122
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	286	45	292	4
	Emalahleni	8 904	32	89	
	Steve Tshwete	56 543	93	155	14
	Victor Khanye		6		16
Mpumalanga		81 382	1 601	28 767	441

Table 5.6 - Number of livestock on farm as at 30 September 2018 (concluded)

District/Local Municipality		Chicken: broilers	Chicken: layers	Ostriches
		Number	Number	Number
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	581 904	620 663	
	Nkomazi	49 261		
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	3 321	2 269	13
	Dipaleseng	135 579	77 707	
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	1 552 252	35 277	18
	Govan Mbeki	4 847 928	200	57
	Lekwa	5 251 670		20
	Mkhondo	6 792	601 139	1
	Msukaligwa	583 640	1 516	18
Nkangala	Emalahleni			16
	Steve Tshwete	511 978	635 002	
	Victor Khanye	5 875 707	598 474	24
Mpumalanga		19 400 036	2 572 248	169

Table 5.7 - Details of number of livestock on farm as at 30 September 2018

District/Local Municipality		Cattle: beef							
		Total	Calves	Steers 1 year and over	Heifers 1 to 2 years (breeding)	Heifers 1 to 2 years (production)	Cows over 2 years(breeding)	Cows over 2 years(production)	Bulls
		Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	1 289	196	58	106	134	136	565	93
	Nkomazi	542	149	44	44	22	205	55	19
	Thaba Chweu	7 297	2 719	365	973	173	1 943	748	373
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	61 484	14 704	3 182	6 412	2 570	14 110	19 591	912
	Dipaleseng	13 811	5 490	821	874	527	3 711	2 136	250
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	85 207	23 282	3 649	4 956	4 767	28 680	17 515	2 356
	Govan Mbeki	57 946	18 845	1 524	6 331	2 568	18 467	8 487	1 721
	Lekwa	92 698	24 251	11 465	8 356	2 354	29 609	14 161	2 498
	Mkhondo	27 145	6 721	2 058	5 014	1 309	7 552	3 845	642
	Msukaligwa	109 770	46 846	1 890	6 800	3 951	32 324	14 692	3 265
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	13 291	2 744	497	1 199	729	4 343	3 459	317
	Emalahleni	19 688	6 315	301	1 484	531	9 527	1 108	418
	Steve Tshwete	125 783	76 369	15 257	2 612	5 923	12 947	10 892	1 780
	Victor Khanye	7 672	2 145	156	537	529	1 588	2 497	217
Mpumalanga		623 630	230 782	41 274	45 705	26 093	165 149	99 757	14 867

Table 5.7 - Details of number of livestock on farm as at 30 September 2018 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Cattle: dairy						
		Total	Calves	Heifers 1 to 2 years (breeding)	Heifers 1 to 2 years (production)	Cows over 2 years (breeding)	Cows over 2 years (production)	Bulls
		Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number
Ehlanzeni	Thaba Chweu	2 290	610	249	110	74	1 244	2
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	39	37			2		
	Dipaleseng	2 035	1 011	224	224	397	158	18
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	195	40		22		129	2
	Govan Mbeki	2 404	469	399	299	611	624	1
	Lekwa	2 658	276	565	147	1 482	179	6
	Mkhondo	54	20	1		26	6	1
Nkangala	Msukaligwa	1 200	137	48	366	47	600	2
	Emakhazeni	975	269	84	142	52	424	2
	Emalahleni	177	22	21	15		116	3
	Steve Tshwete	695	2		306	24	361	1
	Victor Khanye	1 102	180	182	59		646	33
Mpumalanga		13 828	3 077	1 776	1 692	2 716	4 490	74

Table 5.7 - Details of number of livestock on farm as at 30 September 2018 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Goats			
		Total	Meat (breeding)	Meat (production)	Fibre (mohair/angora)(production)
		Number	Number	Number	Number
Ehlanzeni	Thaba Chweu	47	2	45	
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	30		30	
	Dipaleseng	100			100
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	27 605	68	445	27 090
	Govan Mbeki	192	184	7	
	Lekwa	205	205		
	Mkhondo	50		50	
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	292		292	
	Emalahleni	89	89		
	Steve Tshwete	155	5	134	14
Mpumalanga		28 767	557	1 005	27 205

Table 5.7 - Details of number of livestock on farm as at 30 September 2018 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Pigs						
		Total	Boars (production)	Sows and gilts	Nursing pigs	Weaner pigs	Grower and finishing pigs	Boars (breeding)
		Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	12 348	8	840	2 400	1 300	7 800	
	Nkomazi	26		3		22		1
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	468		44		418		6
	Dipaleseng	85		30		40		15
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	133	60	4		25		44
	Govan Mbeki	479					479	
	Lekwa	1 964	3	356	148	143	1 290	22
	Mkhondo	139	2			135		2
	Msukaligwa	2						2
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	286	10	51	52	171		2
	Emalahleni	8 904		1 150	1 977	5 773		3
	Steve Tshwete	56 543	527	6 105	21 616	24 501	3 737	55
Mpumalanga		81 382	611	8 584	26 194	32 531	13 306	154

Table 5.7 - Details of number of livestock on farm as at 30 September 2018 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Live game						
		Total	Impala	Wildbeest	Kudu	Zebra	Springbok	Other live game
		Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	270	80	71	26	36		56
	Nkomazi	1 470	874	115	295	72		113
	Thaba Chweu	928	265	100	115	85	7	355
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	130					60	70
	Dipaleseng	68		19		14	26	7
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	301		15		6		280
	Govan Mbeki	180					50	130
	Lekwa	2 111		142		29	71	1 869
	Mkhondo	1 162	50	72		152	101	785
	Msukaligwa	2 597	700	100	150	456	704	486
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	34						34
	Emalahleni	528					295	233
	Steve Tshwete	1 075	170	210	78	117	101	397
	Victor Khanye	512	169	94	49	15		185
Mpumalanga		11 370	2 309	940	714	985	1 417	5 003

Table 5.7 - Details of number of livestock on farm as at 30 September 2018 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Chicken: broilers				Chicken: layers			
		Total	Day-old chicks	Commercial	Parent stock	Total	Day-old chicks	Commercial (including off-layers)	Parent stock
		Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	581 904	356 982	224 921		620 663	86 829	533 834	
	Nkomazi	49 261		49 261					
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	3 321	2 521	800		2 269		2 269	
	Dipaleseng	135 579			135 579	77 707		77 707	
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	1 552 252	378 000	1 174 252		35 277	57	35 220	
	Govan Mbeki	4 847 928	1 148 312	3 699 616		200	100		100
	Lekwa	5 251 670	1 129 937	3 658 273	463 458				
	Mkhondo	6 792	6 792			601 139	339 626	23 773	237 738
	Msukaligwa	583 640	583 594		46	1 516		1 516	
Nkangala	Steve Tshwete	511 978	495 843	15 012	1 122	635 002		635 002	
	Victor Khanye	5 875 707	1 793 287	4 082 419		598 474	52 261	523 750	22 463
Mpumalanga		19 400 036	5 895 272	12 904 557	600 206	2 572 248	478 874	1 833 072	260 301

Table 5.7 - Details of number of livestock on farm as at 30 September 2018 (concluded)

District/Local Municipality		Ostriches			
		Total	Parent stock	Day-old chicks	Commercial
		Number	Number	Number	Number
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	13	13		
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	18	18		
	Govan Mbeki	57	57		
	Lekwa	20	17	3	
	Mkhondo	1		1	
	Msukaligwa	18	11		7
Nkangala	Emalahleni	16			16
	Victor Khanye	24	4	8	12
Mpumalanga		169	121	13	35

Table 5.8 - Livestock, poultry and game products sold, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Poultry eggs	Milk and cream	Wool
		Dozens	Litres	Kilograms
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	1 049 024		
	Thaba Chweu		3 424 324	
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	441	5 714	131 016
	Dipaleseng	229 720	1 303 552	3 054
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	901 667	689 736	177 530
	Govan Mbeki	340	12 690 931	193 041
	Lekwa	3 267 862	3 934 488	60 139
	Mkhondo		2 882 000	9 180
	Msukaligwa	18 428	5 669 101	144 329
Nkangala	Emakhazeni		7 375 339	6 863
	Emalahleni		4 157 847	
	Steve Tshwete	16 737 610	3 867 569	35 021
	Victor Khanye	6 866 612	3 083 350	4 507
Mpumalanga		29 071 707	49 083 955	764 684

Table 5.9 - Details of livestock, poultry and game products sold, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Meat						
		Beef Kilograms	Chicken Kilograms	Pork Kilograms	Offal Kilograms	Mutton/lamb Kilograms	Goat Kilograms	Ostrich Kilograms
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	1 299 256	6 719 529	2 588 645	288 928			
	Nkomazi	11 416	409 824					
	Thaba Chweu	181 183						
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	944 767				194 721		
	Dipaleseng	1 331 418	103 982 152			8 308		
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	989 403	9 001 400			189 527	1 936	
	Govan Mbeki	704 712	13 629 964			11 777	1 747	
	Lekwa	563 961	166 877 507	192	3 500	57 681	578	
	Mkhondo	382 277				9 400		
	Msukaligwa	1 014 070	2 208 395	2 925		37 782	64 225	100
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	77 650				16 470		
	Emalahleni	285 231		1 000 457		5 392		
	Steve Tshwete	12 342 070	41 454 610	3 413		5 529		
	Victor Khanye	6 988 158	3 022 049			1 028		
Mpumalanga		27 115 577	347 305 433	3 595 634	292 428	537 619	68 487	100

Table 5.9 - Details of livestock, poultry and game products sold, 2017 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Meat				
		Beef	Chicken	Pork	Mutton/lamb	Goat
		R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	58 199	147 830	70 125		
	Nkomazi	355	18 442			
	Thaba Chweu	4 237				
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	33 699			7 867	
	Dipaleseng	44 702	2 495 572		540	
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	33 151	113 731		8 510	43
	Govan Mbeki	26 175	192 276		331	47
	Lekwa	15 506	4 085 588	4	2 019	14
	Mkhondo	13 310			520	
	Msukaligwa	30 418	53 422	183	2 590	3 854
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	1 827			886	
	Emalahleni	8 192		31 014	270	
	Steve Tshwete	586 762	994 746	137	242	
	Victor Khanye	240 270	72 529		72	
Mpumalanga		1 096 803	8 174 136	101 463	23 847	3 958

Table 5.9 - Details of livestock, poultry and game products sold, 2017 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Meat				
		Offal	Game/ venison	Ostrich	Other poultry	Other meat
		R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	4 305	350			
	Nkomazi		392			
Gert Sibande	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme					8 321
	Lekwa	28	262		140	
	Msukaligwa		12	3	10	
Nkangala	Steve Tshwete		52			
	Victor Khanye		186		174 646	
Mpumalanga		4 333	1 254	3	174 796	8 321

Table 5.9 - Details of livestock, poultry and game products sold, 2017 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Details of animal product			
		Chicken: table/normal eggs	Honey	Chicken: hatching/fertilised eggs	Other poultry eggs
		Dozens	Kilograms	Dozens	Dozens
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	1 049 024	13 057		
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	441			
	Dipaleseng	181 013		48 707	
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	901 667			
	Govan Mbeki	240			100
	Lekwa	1 608 807	35 556	1 659 055	
	Msukaligwa	18 428			
Nkangala	Emakhazeni		15 153		
	Steve Tshwete	16 718 230		19 380	
	Victor Khanye	6 099 982		766 630	
Mpumalanga		26 577 833	63 767	2 493 773	100

Table 5.9 - Details of livestock, poultry and game products sold, 2017 (concluded)

District/Local Municipality		Details of animal product					
		Honey	Organic fertiliser (e.g. compost, animal manure)	Breeding seed (e.g. semen, ova, embryos)	Chicken: table/normal eggs	Chicken: hatching/fertilised eggs	Other poultry eggs
		R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	849	735		15 735		
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli				7		
	Dipaleseng		16 694		3 330	2 825	
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme				18 925		
	Govan Mbeki				2		1
	Lekwa	2 845	25 406		17 999	96 225	
	Msukaligwa			4	258		
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	1 212					
	Steve Tshwete		6 642	83 212	255 548	1 124	
	Victor Khanye				92 868	44 465	
Mpumalanga		4 906	49 477	83 216	404 672	144 639	1

Table 6.1 - Number of farms by type of farming practice used for crop production, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Farming practice		
		Irrigation	Both irrigation and dry land/rain-fed	Dry land/rain-fed
		Number	Number	Number
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	12	6	
	City of Mbombela	184	83	11
	Nkomazi	127	14	1
	Thaba Chweu	16	53	35
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	23	4	68
	Dipaleseng		15	79
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	2	47	118
	Govan Mbeki		4	166
	Lekwa	2	60	198
	Mkhondo	2	19	84
	Msukaligwa	12	57	164
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	15	29	30
	Emalahleni	6	16	54
	Steve Tshwete		63	142
	Victor Khanye	21	31	38
Mpumalanga	424	505	1 194	

Table 6.2 - Number of farms by source of water used for crop production, 2017

District/Local Municipality		River	Dam	Water boards/schemes	Ground water/borehole	Both surface and ground water	Rainwater harvesting	Municipal water supply	Treated waste water	Other (headwaters, wetlands)
		Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	2	3	1						
	City of Mbombela	60	63	39	16	4	12			1
	Nkomazi	62	28	32	21	1	5			
	Thaba Chweu	11	9	3	13	1	6	1		
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	6	8		8	4	15	1		1
	Dipaleseng	2	6		9		10	1		2
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	10	19	1	21		19	1		2
	Govan Mbeki	8	20	3	21	1	14	2	1	9
	Lekwa	22	38		42	9	37	2		5
	Mkhondo	10	10	2	6	3	9			
	Msukaligwa	11	43		33	6	32	1		5
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	12	11		5	4	8			3
	Emalahleni	2	6	1	12	2	9	1	1	2
	Steve Tshwete	10	30	3	21	4	35	6	2	
	Victor Khanye	4	6		16	4	8	2		
Mpumalanga	232	300	85	244	43	219	18	4	30	

Table 6.3 - Number of farms by type of irrigation system used for crop production, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Sprinkler	Micro-irrigation	Drip	Pivots	Canals	Flood irrigation	Dragline, quick-coupling lines	Other
		Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	1	1	1					
	City of Mbombela	22	82	56	3	4	1	6	
	Nkomazi	37	31	77	36			13	
	Thaba Chweu	5	7	9	11	1		4	
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	2	1	1	2			1	
	Dipaleseng	2		1	2				
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	2	1		12				
	Govan Mbeki	2			4		1		
	Lekwa	3	1		12				4
	Mkhondo	7	1	1	7			1	
	Msukaligwa	5	2	2	15				
	Emakhazeni	4	2	1	5	1			
Nkangala	Emalahleni	1			4				1
	Steve Tshwete	3	1	1	18				2
	Victor Khanye	5	2	2	12			1	
	Mpumalanga	101	132	152	143	6	2	26	7

Table 6.4 - Number of farms by type of water use authorisation, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Existing permit	Water use licence	General authorisation	Other	None
		Number	Number	Number	Number	Number
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	1	2			
	City of Mbombela	31	75	11	7	9
	Nkomazi	17	61	8	2	10
	Thaba Chweu	9	18	8	5	7
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	2	6	11	2	24
	Dipaleseng	1	1	10	4	20
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	4	8	22	23	23
	Govan Mbeki	4	7	23	6	37
	Lekwa	8	26	64	12	51
	Mkhondo	8	13	22	1	10
	Msukaligwa	10	10	52	4	49
	Emakhazeni	3	15	14	2	11
Nkangala	Emalahleni	1	2	12	1	16
	Steve Tshwete	6	16	34	4	31
	Victor Khanye	5	7	17	9	14
	Mpumalanga	110	267	308	82	312

Table 6.5 - Number of farms by ownership type of water use authorisation, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Own	Lease/Rent	None
		Number	Number	Number
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	1	2	
	City of Mbombela	112	9	7
	Nkomazi	61	42	2
	Thaba Chweu	33	2	6
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	34	2	8
	Dipaleseng	22	2	12
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	63	4	14
	Govan Mbeki	53	3	21
	Lekwa	112	3	45
	Mkhondo	41	5	7
	Msukaligwa	90	6	26
	Emakhazeni	36	4	7
Nkangala	Emalahleni	21	3	9
	Steve Tshwete	60	11	21
	Victor Khanye	38	5	9
	Mpumalanga	777	103	194

Table 6.6 - Number of farms by type of fertiliser (group) used for crop production, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Nitrogen	Phosphate	Potassium	Agricultural lime	Fertiliser mixtures (NPK)	Organic fertiliser (manure and compost)	Other fertilisers	None
		Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	3	2	3	2	1	1		
	City of Mbombela	102	92	99	95	93	85	12	9
	Nkomazi	77	70	74	67	71	64	8	4
	Thaba Chweu	26	19	17	16	22	15	2	13
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	29	25	21	30	28	17	2	7
	Dipaleseng	21	15	14	22	21	16	2	6
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	44	32	27	43	46	19		15
	Govan Mbeki	57	36	32	44	41	18	1	12
	Lekwa	105	83	78	101	90	62	1	19
	Mkhondo	30	22	24	26	27	12	1	19
	Msukaligwa	91	67	63	78	72	39		21
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	29	22	20	23	25	16	3	8
	Emalahleni	26	21	19	21	22	14		5
	Steve Tshwete	60	52	48	59	61	40	2	16
	Victor Khanye	25	17	17	18	24	22	2	21
Mpumalanga	725	575	556	645	644	440	36	175	

Table 6.7 - Number of farms by type of agricultural chemical used, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Pesticides (insecticides)	Herbicides (weed killers)	Fungicides	Rodenticides	Other agricultural chemicals	None
		Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	3	3	3			
	City of Mbombela	112	112	89	39	5	7
	Nkomazi	76	82	47	27	3	5
	Thaba Chweu	26	32	15	13		7
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	31	35	23	24		9
	Dipaleseng	19	23	15	14		9
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	58	55	29	24		16
	Govan Mbeki	49	53	27	18		20
	Lekwa	121	110	69	68		24
	Mkhondo	32	34	23	12		17
	Msukaligwa	78	89	61	64	1	28
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	26	31	17	15	2	10
	Emalahleni	27	27	20	22		3
	Steve Tshwete	63	67	46	36		20
	Victor Khanye	35	27	21	24		15
Mpumalanga		756	780	505	400	11	190

Table 6.8 - Type and number of machinery used for farming operation, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Tractors	Mechanical appliances for chemical application	Harvesters	Presses and crushes and similar machinery	Milking and dairy machines
		Number	Number	Number	Number	Number
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	34	9			
	City of Mbombela	1 165	326	153	11	
	Nkomazi	732	170	53		
	Thaba Chweu	254	52	47		2
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	452	51	67		
	Dipaleseng	176	13	37	2	47
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	617	87	85	8	2
	Govan Mbeki	614	61	88	3	3
	Lekwa	1 041	107	156	22	4
	Mkhondo	366	41	39	4	11
	Msukaligwa	697	81	157	1	37
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	197	42	32	4	9
	Emalahleni	320	41	46	1	1
	Steve Tshwete	931	86	120	3	6
	Victor Khanye	443	70	107	4	11
Mpumalanga		8 048	1 244	1 194	68	137

Table 6.9 - Type and capacity of machinery used for farming operation, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Dryers for agricultural products	Grain storage facility	Poultry incubators and brooders	Poultry-keeping machinery	Other machinery and equipment for farming purposes
		Number	Metric tons	Dozens	Number	Number
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	2				
	City of Mbombela	440	1 676	26 332	449 419	136
	Nkomazi	2				76
	Thaba Chweu	24	2 704			31
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	1	6 365			237
	Dipaleseng		689		358 144	68
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	3	61 084	4	880 000	15
	Govan Mbeki	5	15 320	1 370 713	54	9
	Lekwa	9	79 004	200 158	4 783 144	156
	Mkhondo	13	26 878	29 411		10
	Msukaligwa	8	30 377		1 500	83
Nkangala	Emakhazeni		7 614			20
	Emalahleni	2	8 899			61
	Steve Tshwete	13	148 646		194 037	77
	Victor Khanye	11	80 969		1 677 501	49
Mpumalanga	536	470 231	1 626 620	8 343 801	1 034	

Table 6.10 - Number of farms by type of livestock system used for livestock production, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Livestock system			
		Grazing system	Industrial system	Mixed system (mixed farming)	None
		Number	Number	Number	Number
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	9	1		3
	Nkomazi	4	1		2
	Thaba Chweu	17		4	1
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	20		12	3
	Dipaleseng	17		10	5
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	43		26	1
	Govan Mbeki	47	1	11	4
	Lekwa	63	2	47	18
	Mkhondo	22		14	
	Msukaligwa	49	1	39	7
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	23		11	3
	Emalahleni	8	2	10	4
	Steve Tshwete	46		27	8
	Victor Khanye	12	4	7	9
Mpumalanga	380	12	218	68	

Table 6.11 - Number of farms that experienced losses by type of loss incurred, 2017

District/Local Municipality		Crime	Natural disasters	Pests and diseases	Fire
		Number	Number	Number	Number
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	3	1		
	City of Mbombela	184	146	53	16
	Nkomazi	101	76	21	7
	Thaba Chweu	45	47	19	8
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	87	84	28	16
	Dipaleseng	55	35	12	9
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	109	113	32	24
	Govan Mbeki	108	94	34	20
	Lekwa	248	245	62	24
	Mkhondo	86	59	12	15
	Msukaligwa	212	208	52	33
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	81	61	25	8
	Emalahleni	63	53	12	14
	Steve Tshwete	158	142	39	27
	Victor Khanye	67	46	10	7
Mpumalanga	1 607	1 410	411	228	

Table 6.11 - Number of farms that experienced losses by type of loss incurred, 2017 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Details of losses due to crime					Details of losses due to pests and diseases	
		Theft of farming/forestry/fisheries produce	Theft of input supplies (e.g. diesel, fertilisers and other seeds)	Other crime	Stock theft	Violent crime	Vermin and predators	Other pests and diseases
		Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	1	1	1				
	City of Mbombela	87	63	4	18	12	43	10
	Nkomazi	44	31	11	12	3	18	3
	Thaba Chweu	14	11	5	11	4	17	2
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	22	26	4	32	3	25	3
	Dipaleseng	11	17	3	19	5	12	
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	17	28	4	56	4	31	1
	Govan Mbeki	22	30	4	45	7	33	1
	Lekwa	49	76	6	99	18	61	1
	Mkhondo	25	22	3	30	6	12	
	Msukaligwa	54	55	6	85	12	49	3
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	18	20	8	33	2	23	2
	Emalahleni	20	18	3	19	3	11	1
	Steve Tshwete	41	40	8	55	14	36	3
	Victor Khanye	19	20	6	19	3	8	2
Mpumalanga	444	458	76	533	96	379	32	

Table 6.11 - Number of farms that experienced losses by type of loss incurred, 2017 (continued)

District/Local Municipality		Details of losses due to natural disasters				
		Hail	Drought	Floods	Frost	Other natural disasters
		Number	Number	Number	Number	Number
Ehlanzeni	Bushbuckridge	1				
	City of Mbombela	61	61	6	12	6
	Nkomazi	16	53	3	3	1
	Thaba Chweu	17	20	1	8	1
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	28	19	11	22	4
	Dipaleseng	8	14	4	7	2
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	35	48	6	22	2
	Govan Mbeki	39	40	3	10	2
	Lekwa	77	98	26	42	2
	Mkhondo	18	19	8	14	
	Msukaligwa	63	65	28	46	6
	Nkangala	Emakhazeni	23	19	3	14
	Emalahleni	19	22	3	9	
	Steve Tshwete	50	41	11	34	6
	Victor Khanye	12	17	4	6	7
Mpumalanga		467	536	117	249	41

Table 6.11 - Number of farms that experienced losses by type of loss incurred, 2017 (concluded)

District/Local Municipality		Details of losses due to fire	
		Farming units	Hectares affected by fire
		Number	Number
Ehlanzeni	City of Mbombela	16	1 770
	Nkomazi	7	1 369
	Thaba Chweu	8	890
Gert Sibande	Chief Albert Luthuli	16	2 164
	Dipaleseng	9	1 653
	Dr Pixley Ka Isaka Seme	24	6 163
	Govan Mbeki	20	3 252
	Lekwa	24	9 132
	Mkhondo	15	2 663
	Msukaligwa	33	9 669
Nkangala	Emakhazeni	8	2 037
	Emalahleni	14	2 063
	Steve Tshwete	27	5 978
	Victor Khanye	7	701
Mpumalanga		228	49 505

Explanatory notes**Background**

The results presented in this publication have been derived from the Census of Commercial Agriculture (CoCA), 2017 – Mpumalanga. This publication summarises data on the size, structure and nature of the commercial agriculture industry.

The frame was drawn from Stats SA's business register. The business register is mainly based on the value added tax (VAT) database of the South African Revenue Service (SARS).

The last CoCA was conducted for the year 2007 (Report No. 11-02-09 (2007)).

Value added tax (VAT)

All figures exclude value added tax (VAT).

Reference period

The information was collected from enterprises for their financial year which ended on any date between 01 March 2018 and 28 February 2019.

Statistical unit

The statistical unit is an enterprise. An enterprise is a legal unit (or a combination of legal units) that includes and directly controls all functions necessary to carry out its production activities.

Collection unit

The collection unit is a farming unit. A farming unit consists of one or more farms, holdings or pieces of land, whether adjacent or not, operated as a single unit and situated within the same local municipality. Thus, an enterprise can have one or more farming units.

Classification

The 1993 edition of the Standard Industrial Classification of all Economic Activities (SIC), Fifth Edition, Report No. 09-09-02, was used to classify the statistical units in this census. The SIC is based on the third revision of the 1990 International Standard Industrial Classification of all Economic Activities (ISIC), with suitable adaptations for local conditions. Farming sectors included were classified to the five-digit (subgroup) level for the detailed results.

Size groups

The enterprises are divided into four size groups according to the value of turnover recorded for them on the Stats SA business register. Table J presents the cut-off points for size groups.

Table J - Income size groups for the Census of Commercial Agriculture, 2017

Size group	Income (annual)
Large enterprises	Income > R22 500 000
Medium enterprises	R13 500 000 < Income <= R22 500 000
Small enterprises	R2 250 000 < Income <= R13 500 000
Micro enterprises (one million and above)	R1 000 000 <= Income <= R2 250 000
Micro enterprises (below one million)	Income < R1 000 000

Survey methodology and design

Initially, telephones were used to contact enterprises and update their information on the frame in terms of specific agriculture activity and location. Enterprises were given an option of either self-enumeration or a visit by a Stats SA official. CAPI (Computer Assisted Personal Interview), on both tablet and desktop, was used to conduct the interview and/or capture the data.

Collection rate

Collection rate = ((collected enterprises + finalised investigations) / sample size) * 100. The collection rate was 76,9%.

Turnover collection rate	Turnover collection rate = ((collected enterprises BR turnover + finalised investigations BR turnover) / population BR turnover) * 100. The turnover collection rate was 88,9%.
Revisions to 2007 results	Revisions were made to previous results due to new information obtained after publication.
Non-sampling errors	Inaccuracies may occur because of imperfections in reporting by enterprises and errors made in the collection and processing of the data. Inaccuracies of this kind are referred to as non-sampling errors. Every effort is made to minimise non-sampling errors by updating the frame, careful design of questionnaires, testing them in pilot studies, editing reported data and implementing efficient operating procedures. Non-sampling errors occur in both sample surveys and censuses
Unpublished data	Where possible, Stats SA makes available unpublished statistics on request.
Symbols and abbreviations	DTI: Department of Trade and Industry GDP: Gross domestic product ISIC: International Standard Industrial Classification of all Economic Activities IT: Income tax SARS: South African Revenue Service SIC: Standard Industrial Classification of all Economic Activities SNA: System of National Accounts Stats SA: Statistics South Africa VAT: Value added tax -: Nil or less than half the final digit shown ^: Too small to publish ..: Data not available
Rounding-off of figures	The figures in the tables have, where necessary, been rounded off to the nearest final digit shown. There may therefore be slight discrepancies between the sums of the constituent items and the totals shown.

Glossary	
Dry land	Main source of water was rain.
Employees	People employed by the business or organisation who received payment (salaries, wages, commission, piece rates or payments in kind) for the last pay period ended on or before 30 June 2018.
Enterprise	A legal entity or a combination of legal units that includes and directly controls all functions necessary to carry out its production activities.
Exports	Outward flow of goods and services leaving the economic territory of a country to the outside world.
Farmer	A farmer is the individual, partnership, close corporation, company, or other enterprise that operates a farming unit for their own account; or the manager, foreman or other person to whom the control of the farming unit was entrusted.
Farm operator/ manager	This is the person who exercises management control over the agricultural holding operation and takes major decisions regarding the use of resources.
Farming unit	A farming unit consists of one or more farms, holdings or pieces of land, whether adjacent or not, operated as a single unit and situated within the same local municipality.
Field crops	Includes grains, oil seeds, legumes, fodder crops and other field crops (e.g. cotton, sugarcane and tobacco).
Fodder crops	Includes grass, lucerne and maize for silage.
Game	Includes elephant, buffalo, rhino, springbok, impala, wildebeest, kudu, zebra, lion, leopard and cheetah.
Grains	Includes maize (white & yellow), wheat, sorghum, barley, oats and rye.
Gross farming income	Includes income earned from agricultural products sold, but excludes other income generated outside farming.
Imports	Inward flow of goods and services entering the economic territory of a country from the outside world.
Legumes	Includes beans and peas.
Livestock	Includes cattle (beef and dairy breeds), sheep (wool and non-wool breeds), pigs, goats (meat, milk and mohair breeds), horses and poultry (chickens, turkeys, ducks, ostriches and geese) etc.
Livestock products	Includes eggs, honey, meat, milk, hides and skins.
Oil seeds	Includes sunflower, groundnuts, canola and soya beans.