

CRIME INFORMATION ANALYSIS CENTRE - SOUTH AFRICAN POLICE SERVICE

Murder in the RSA for the period April to March 2001/2002 to 2004/2005

| Reported crime figures | | | | |
|-------------------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Province | 2001/2002 | 2002/2003 | 2003/2004 | 2004/2005 |
| Eastern Cape | 3,553 | 3,365 | 3,408 | 3,409 |
| Free State | 926 | 957 | 904 | 902 |
| Gauteng | 4,779 | 4,830 | 4,216 | 3,611 |
| KwaZulu-Natal | 5,371 | 5,405 | 5,199 | 4,944 |
| Limpopo | 847 | 706 | 711 | 793 |
| Mpumalanga | 923 | 1,050 | 1,043 | 1049 |
| North West | 1,108 | 1,143 | 1,095 | 1017 |
| Northern Cape | 451 | 433 | 409 | 388 |
| Western Cape | 3,447 | 3,664 | 2,839 | 2,680 |
| RSA Total | 21,405 | 21,553 | 19,824 | 18,793 |

| Ratio per 100 000 of the population | | | | |
|--|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Province | 2001/2002 | 2002/2003 | 2003/2004 | 2004/2005 |
| Eastern Cape | 55.2 | 52.1 | 52.5 | 48.4 |
| Free State | 34.2 | 35.2 | 33.0 | 30.6 |
| Gauteng | 54.1 | 53.3 | 44.8 | 40.8 |
| KwaZulu-Natal | 57.0 | 56.5 | 53.3 | 51.1 |
| Limpopo | 16.1 | 13.2 | 13.1 | 14.4 |
| Mpumalanga | 29.6 | 33.1 | 32.2 | 32.3 |
| North West | 30.2 | 30.7 | 28.9 | 26.7 |
| Northern Cape | 54.8 | 52.7 | 50.0 | 43.1 |
| Western Cape | 76.2 | 79.5 | 59.9 | 58.6 |
| RSA Total | 47.8 | 47.4 | 42.7 | 40.3 |

| Percentage Increase or Decrease | | | | |
|--|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Province | 2001/2002 // 2002/2003 | 2002/2003 // 2003/2004 | 2003/2004 // 2001/2004 | 2001/2002 // 2004/2005 |
| Eastern Cape | -5.3% | 1.3% | 0.0% | -4.1% |
| Free State | 3.3% | -5.5% | -0.2% | -2.6% |
| Gauteng | 1.1% | -12.7% | -14.4% | -24.4% |
| KwaZulu-Natal | 0.6% | -3.8% | -4.9% | -8.0% |
| Limpopo | -16.6% | 0.7% | 11.5% | -6.4% |
| Mpumalanga | 13.8% | -0.7% | 0.6% | 13.7% |
| North West | 3.2% | -4.2% | -7.1% | -8.2% |
| Northern Cape | -4.0% | -5.5% | -5.1% | -14.0% |
| Western Cape | 6.3% | -22.5% | -5.6% | -22.3% |
| RSA Total | 0.7% | -8.0% | -5.2% | -12.2% |