

Demography

Total Population ⁴	52,981,991	Population Growth Rate ⁴	1%
Median Age ²	25	Total Fertility Rate ⁴	2%
Sex Ratio (males per 100 females) ³	95	Female headed HH (% of total) ^{4 (2007)}	..
Average household size	..	Population in urban areas (% of total) ⁴	64
Population 0-4 (% of total population)	..	Population 5-9 (% of total population)	..
Population 10-14 (% of total population)	..	Population 15-19 (% of total population)	..

Livelihoods

Food Insecure Population ¹¹	..	Unemployment rate (% of total labor) ¹¹	26.4
Main Livelihood Sources	-		

Health and Nutrition

HIV Prevalence, total (% ages 15-49) ¹¹	10.2	Life Expectancy at Birth (yrs) ¹	56.9
Under 5 Mortality Rate (per 1,000 live births) ¹¹	34.4	Maternal Mortality Ratio (per 100,000 live births) ¹	300
Crude Death Rate (per 1,000 people) ⁴	13	Crude Birth Rate (per 1,000 people) ⁴	21
Prevalence of underweight ¹¹	6.1	Immunization Coverage ⁹	68
Prevalence of wasting ¹¹	2.2	Prevalence of Stunting ¹¹	26.5
Prevalent Diseases ¹⁰	HIV/AIDS, Bacterial Diarrhea, Typhoid Fever, and Hepatitis A		
Access to Primary Health Care ¹¹	-		

Water and Sanitation

HH with improved water source (total) ⁷	91	HH with improved water source (urban) ⁷	99
HH with improved water source (rural) ⁷	79	HH with improved sanitation (urban) ⁷	86
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HH with improved sanitation (rural) ⁷	67		
Main type of Latrines – rural, private or public	-		
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Education

Adult Literacy Rate (% ages 15+) ⁶	93	Net Enrolment Ratio (%) Primary ⁴	90
Ratio girls to boys in Secondary Education ^{4 (2011)}	103	Net Enrolment Ratio (%) Secondary ^{4 (2010)}	..
Ratio girls to boys in Primary Education ^{4 (2011)}	95		

Protection

Main Security Issues ⁸	South Africa is expected to continue enjoying a low threat of external conflict, despite diplomatic tensions with Burundi and Rwanda in March 2014.		
Capacity of law enforcement institutions, including judiciary, to address reported human rights violations	-		

Economy and Indices

Poverty Ratio below \$1.25 PPP per day ¹	13.77	GDP Growth (annual %) ¹¹	2.1
Human Development Index ¹	0.658	GINI Coefficient (Index) ^{1 (2000)}	63.1
HDI position globally (x/xx) ¹	118		
Main Industries ¹⁰	Mining (world's largest producer of platinum), gold, chromium, automobile assembly, metalworking, machinery, textiles, iron and steel, chemicals, fertiliser, foodstuffs, commercial ship repair.		

Culture, Shelter, Politics

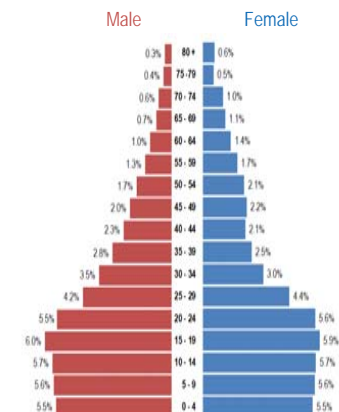
Major Religion ¹⁰	Predominantly Christian; traditional African believes, Hindu, Muslim, Jewish		
Main Languages ¹⁰	Eng 8.6%, Afrikaans 14.4%, isiZulu 22.9%, isiXhosa 17.9%, Sesotho sa Leboa 9.2%		
Social System in place	-		
Political System in place ¹⁰	Parliamentary representative democratic republic		
Main Rural dwelling type	-		
Main urban dwelling type	-		

Top 10 Natural Disasters Reported

Affected People

Disaster	Date	Affected (no. of people)
Drought	2004	15,000,000
Drought	1988	1,320,000
Drought	1986	850,000
Storm	1984	500,000
Drought	1995	300,000
Storm	2002	100,000
Epidemic	2000	86,107
Flood	1987	65,000
Flood	2001	42,356
Flood	2007	38,000

Figures 1 Source of data: "EM-DAT: The OFDA/CRED International Disaster"



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