

CRIME INFORMATION MANAGEMENT - SOUTH AFRICAN POLICE SERVICE

Shoplifting in the RSA for April to March 2003/2004 to 2008/2009

Reported Cases						
Province	2003/2004	2004/2005	2005/2006	2006/2007	2007/2008	2008/2009
Eastern Cape	8,175	7,296	6,912	6,799	6,689	7,929
Free State	3,554	3,263	3,279	3,087	2,934	3,456
Gauteng Province	18,650	17,687	18,366	18,617	20,157	24,623
KwaZulu-Natal	13,080	11,677	10,504	10,449	10,638	12,746
Limpopo	4,184	4,088	3,855	3,736	3,502	4,319
Mpumalanga	4,168	3,600	3,365	3,725	3,552	3,635
North West Province	3,503	3,280	3,166	3,005	2,767	3,211
Northern Cape	2,673	2,783	2,426	2,121	1,903	2,018
Western Cape	13,901	12,851	12,618	13,950	14,850	18,836
RSA	71,888	66,525	64,491	65,489	66,992	80,773

Crime Ratio per 100 000 of the population						
Province	2003/2004	2004/2005	2005/2006	2006/2007	2007/2008	2008/2009
Eastern Cape	118.3	105.8	100.3	98.6	96.9	120.5
Free State	119.7	111.2	111.0	104.3	99.2	120.1
Gauteng Province	205.1	192.7	196.8	195.4	208.1	235.7
KwaZulu-Natal	134.3	119.4	106.7	105.3	106.2	126.1
Limpopo	78.4	77.0	72.1	69.6	64.8	81.9
Mpumalanga	119.8	104.4	97.0	106.2	100.4	101.3
North West Province	104.9	97.8	95.1	89.1	81.5	93.8
Northern Cape	250.5	259.7	225.0	193.8	172.7	179.2
Western Cape	309.0	281.5	271.8	293.8	306.8	358.0
RSA	155.0	142.8	137.5	138.2	140.0	165.9

Percentage difference on reported cases						
Province	2003/2004 // 2004/2005	2004/2005 // 2005/2006	2005/2006 // 2006/2007	2006/2007 // 2007/2008	2007/2008 // 2008/2009	2003/2004 // 2008/2009
Eastern Cape	-10.8%	-5.3%	-1.6%	-1.6%	18.5%	-3.0%
Free State	-8.2%	0.5%	-5.9%	-5.0%	17.8%	-2.8%
Gauteng Province	-5.2%	3.8%	1.4%	8.3%	22.2%	32.0%
KwaZulu-Natal	-10.7%	-10.0%	-0.5%	1.8%	19.8%	-2.6%
Limpopo	-2.3%	-5.7%	-3.1%	-6.3%	23.3%	3.2%
Mpumalanga	-13.6%	-6.5%	10.7%	-4.6%	2.3%	-12.8%
North West Province	-6.4%	-3.5%	-5.1%	-7.9%	16.0%	-8.3%
Northern Cape	4.1%	-12.8%	-12.6%	-10.3%	6.0%	-24.5%
Western Cape	-7.6%	-1.8%	10.6%	6.5%	26.8%	35.5%
RSA	-7.5%	-3.1%	1.5%	2.3%	20.6%	12.4%