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Health District: Eastern Health Sub-District

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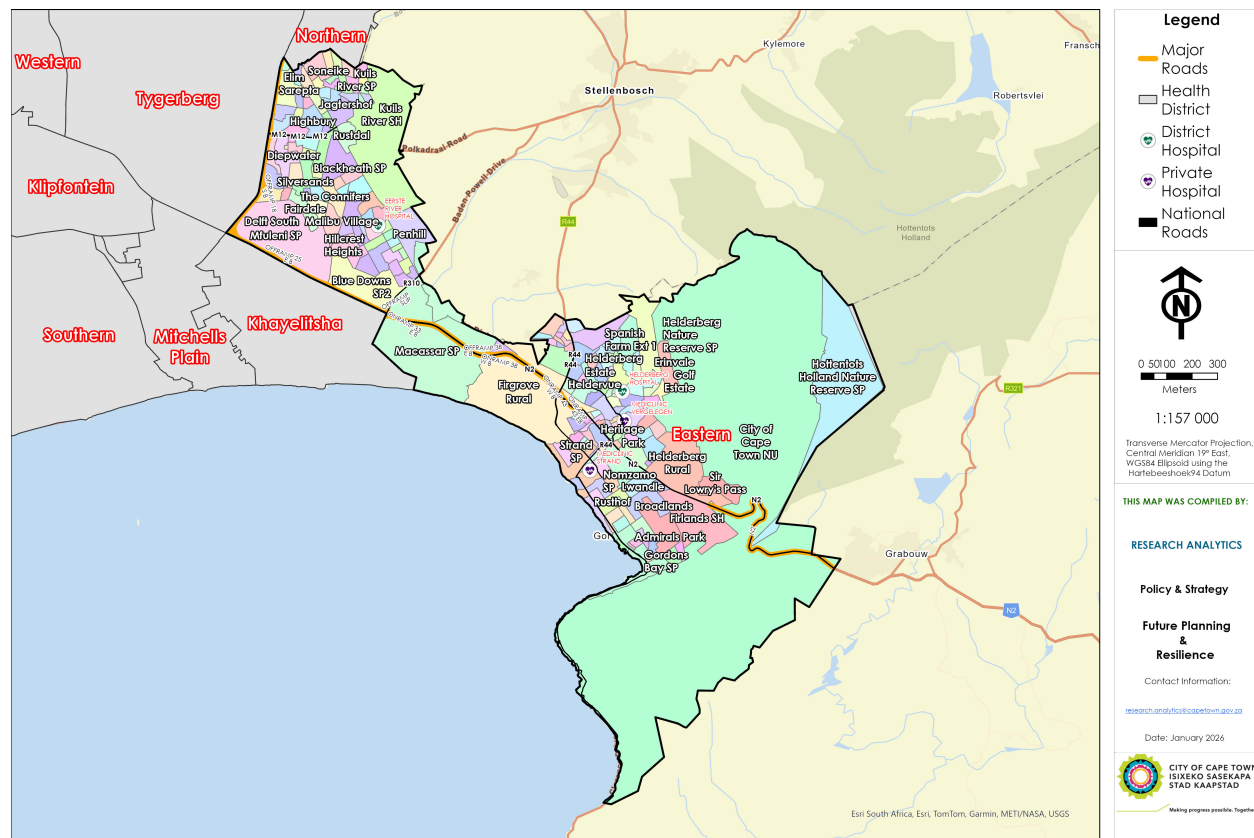
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1. Introduction

This health district profile is compiled by Research Analytics, Policy and Strategy Department, City of Cape Town using 2022 Census data supplied by Statistics South Africa (based on information available at the time of compilation as released by Statistics South Africa). The dataset was extracted from SuperCROSS, the analytical software platform used by Statistics South Africa. The platform provides data in a tabular format, aggregated for each of the geographic boundaries released by Statistics South Africa.

2. 2022 Census Eastern Health Sub-District overview¹



¹Every effort has been made to ensure the accuracy of information in this map at the time of publication. The spatial data portrayed in this map is as current, accurate and complete as provided by the various line departments responsible for the maintenance of these datasets. The City of Cape Town accepts no responsibility for, and will not be liable for, any errors or omissions contained herein.

3. 2022 Census Eastern Health Sub-District overview²

- Population: 813 291
- Households³: 244 604
- Average Household size⁴: 3.3
- Number of sub-places⁵: Approximately 222 sub-places.

4. Summary of key Eastern Health Sub-District statistics



Population

- The population is predominantly Black African (44.7%) and Coloured (37.8%).
- The median age is 30 years old.



Education

- 42.2% of those aged 20 years and older have completed Grade 12 or higher.



Housing

- 90.2% of households live in formal dwellings.



Basic services

- 98.2% of households have access to piped water, either on the property or within 200m.
- 97.0% of households use electricity from the mains supply for lighting.
- 97.2% of households have access to a flush toilet, chemical toilet or a pit toilet with ventilation.
- 94.9% of households have refuse removed at least once a week.

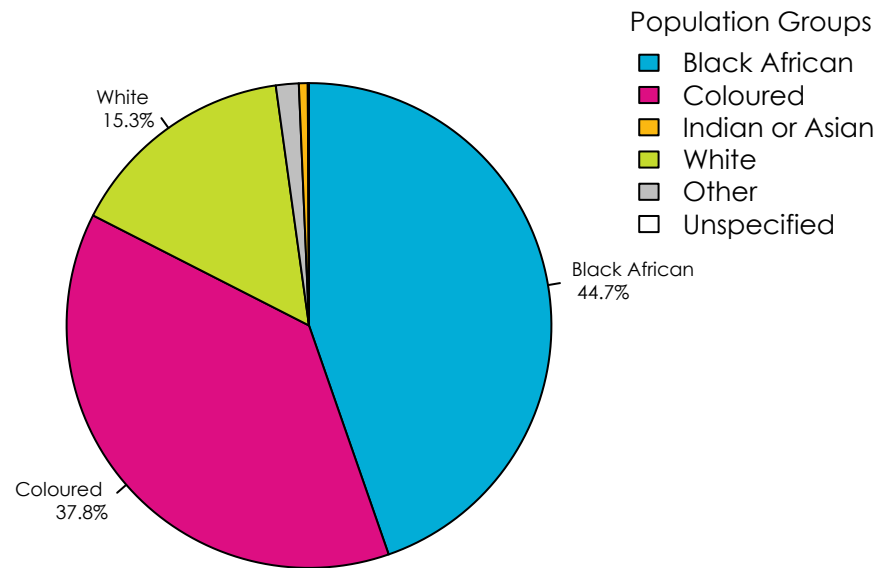
²There are small variations in the total population and the number of households in the tables which follow. These occur as Statistics South Africa had to calculate the true population to correct omissions and double counts in the enumeration process. In addition when the data is extracted using the Statistics South Africa software, it randomly rounds off all cells to a base number 3, including the totals. These variations are not significant.

³A household is defined as a group of persons who live together, and provide themselves jointly with food or other essentials for living, or a single person who lives alone (Statistics South Africa).

⁴The Census districts where the population is categorised as living mainly in collective living quarters or is an industrial or commercial area, the average household size has been excluded as it is not applicable. There are some Census districts with an average household size that have a small percentage of the population living in collective living quarters within that Census districts, and this could artificially inflate the average household size.

⁵Sub-places are the second, lowest-level geographical units, representing suburbs, townships, wards, or villages used by Statistics South Africa for data collection. Some sub-places do not align perfectly with health district boundaries. This figure is based on the sub-places's centroid falling within a district.

5. Population



Population groups which constitute less than 5% excluded from labels

Figure 1: Population group composition (%)

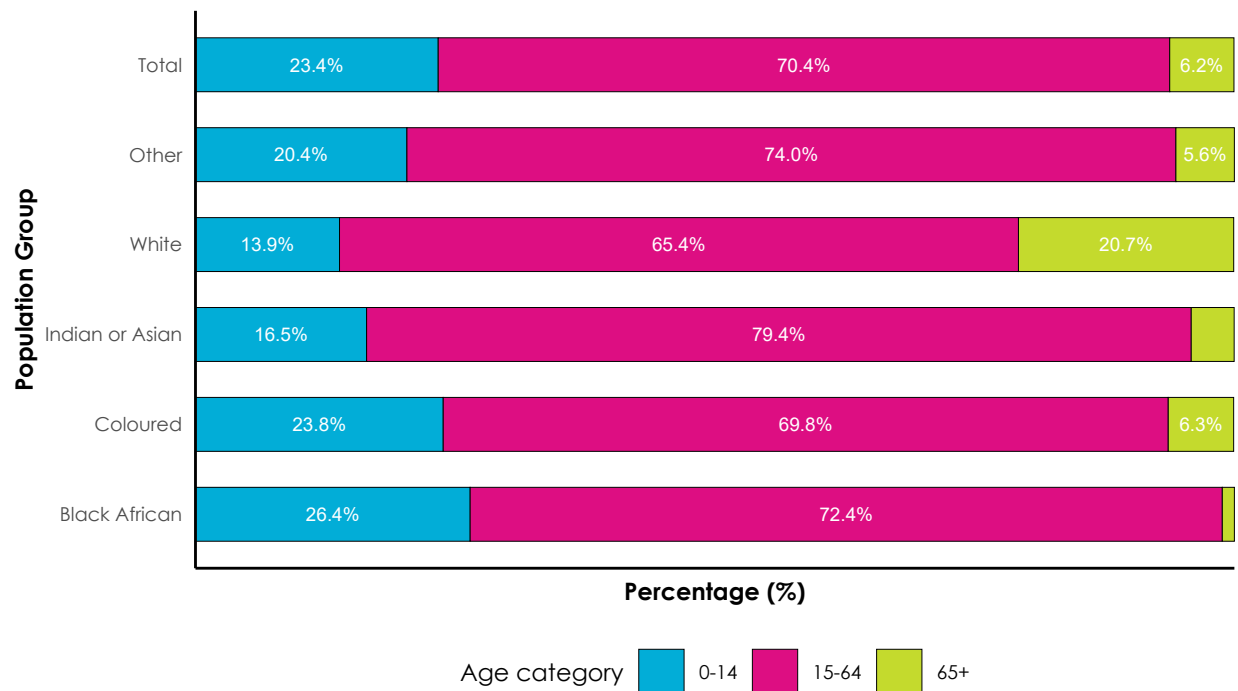


Figure 2: Age and population group (%)

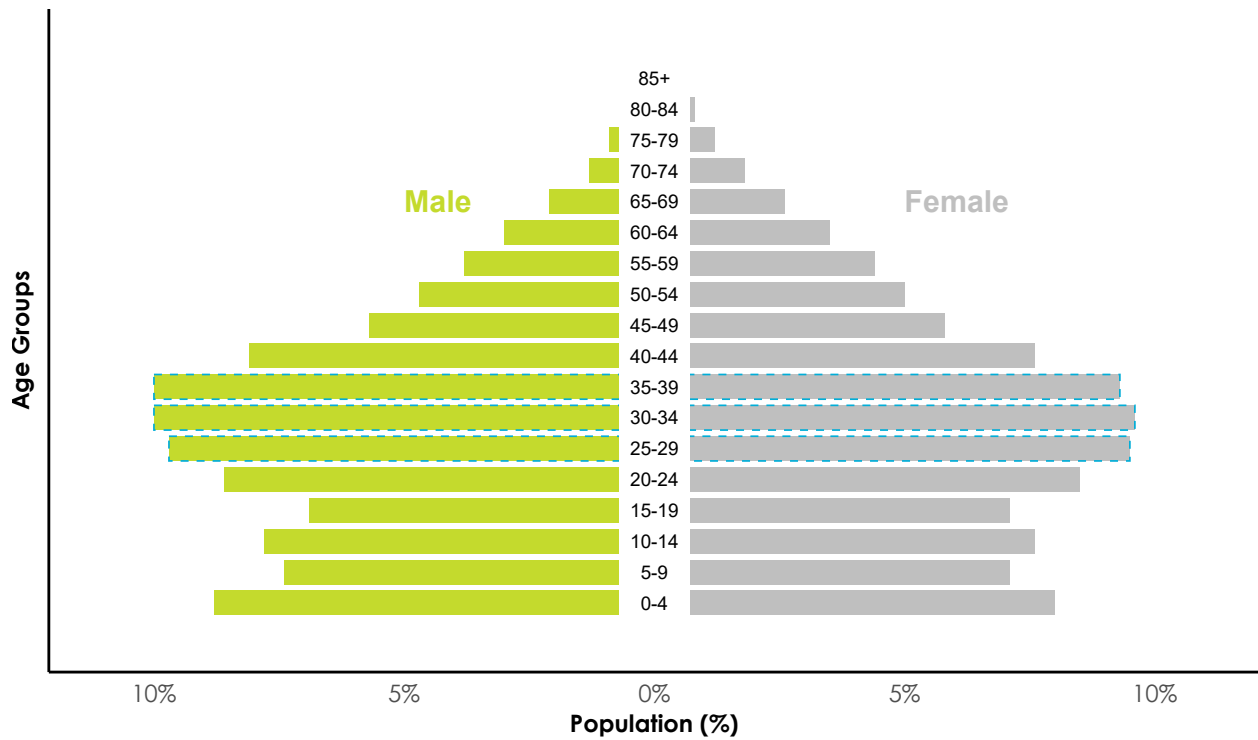


Figure 3: Population pyramid (%)

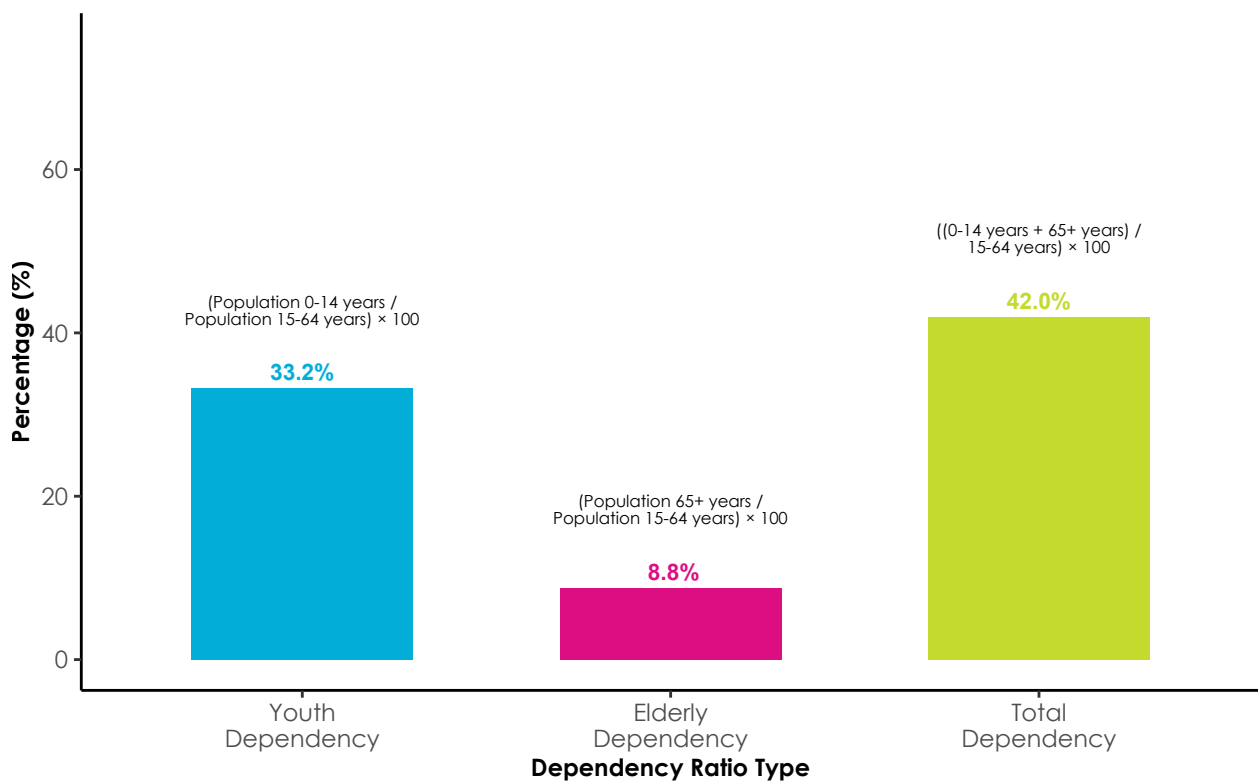


Figure 4: Dependency ratios (%)

6. Education

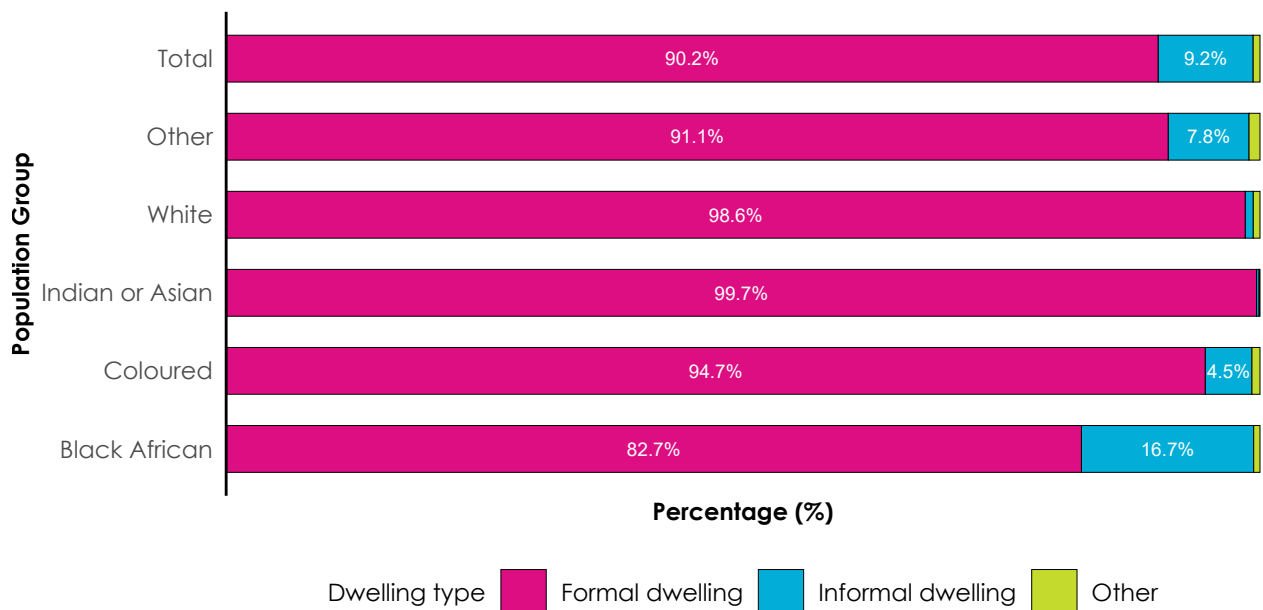
Table 1: Highest education level of the adult population aged 20 years and older

Education Level	Black African	Coloured	Indian/Asian	White	Other	Total
No Schooling	9 372 (2.9%)	7 136 (2.6%)	117 (2.7%)	1 217 (1.1%)	531 (5.2%)	18 373 (2.5%)
Some Primary	55 858 (17.3%)	51 107 (18.3%)	369 (8.6%)	8 355 (7.5%)	1 135 (11.1%)	116 838 (16%)
Completed Primary	13 035 (4%)	14 487 (5.2%)	93 (2.2%)	1 285 (1.1%)	278 (2.7%)	29 185 (4%)
Some Secondary	113 835 (35.2%)	91 297 (32.8%)	840 (19.6%)	12 459 (11.1%)	2 625 (25.6%)	221 057 (30.3%)
Grade 12	95 129 (29.4%)	74 525 (26.7%)	1 190 (27.8%)	35 041 (31.3%)	2 863 (27.9%)	208 748 (28.6%)
Higher	22 777 (7%)	24 574 (8.8%)	1 437 (33.6%)	48 205 (43%)	2 040 (19.9%)	99 033 (13.6%)
Other	1 846 (0.6%)	1 571 (0.6%)	40 (0.9%)	2 532 (2.3%)	128 (1.2%)	6 117 (0.8%)
Unspecified	2 232 (0.7%)	1 523 (0.5%)	54 (1.3%)	456 (0.4%)	40 (0.4%)	4 664 (0.6%)
Unknown	9 144 (2.8%)	12 420 (4.5%)	136 (3.2%)	2 568 (2.3%)	612 (6%)	24 880 (3.4%)
Total	323 228 (100%)	278 640 (100%)	4 276 (100%)	112 118 (100%)	10 252 (100%)	728 895 (100%)

Table 2: Early childhood education facilities by population group for children aged 5 years old and younger

ECD Facility Type	Black African	Coloured	Indian/Asian	White	Other	Total
Creche/educare centre	19 176 (51.6%)	8 322 (35%)	105 (31.4%)	2 165 (38.3%)	459 (35.1%)	30 227 (44.3%)
Pre-school/nursery school	935 (2.5%)	796 (3.3%)	48 (14.4%)	1 648 (29.2%)	89 (6.8%)	3 516 (5.2%)
Day mother/Gogo/Child minder	3 601 (9.7%)	3 098 (13%)	30 (9%)	337 (6%)	149 (11.4%)	7 215 (10.6%)
Home/community play group	2 741 (7.4%)	2 960 (12.4%)	44 (13.2%)	202 (3.6%)	168 (12.9%)	6 115 (9%)
Other (Specify)	179 (0.5%)	146 (0.6%)	4 (1.2%)	52 (0.9%)	11 (0.8%)	392 (0.6%)
None	9 898 (26.7%)	7 742 (32.6%)	85 (25.4%)	856 (15.1%)	244 (18.7%)	18 825 (27.6%)
Do not know	247 (0.7%)	258 (1.1%)	0 (0%)	18 (0.3%)	28 (2.1%)	551 (0.8%)
Unspecified	359 (1%)	460 (1.9%)	18 (5.4%)	373 (6.6%)	159 (12.2%)	1 369 (2%)
Total	37 136 (100%)	23 782 (100%)	334 (100%)	5 651 (100%)	1 307 (100%)	68 210 (100%)

7. Housing



Data Note: Informal dwellings include informal additional dwellings (IAD)

Figure 5: Main dwelling type (%)

Table 3: Housing tenure by population group (%)

Tenure Type	Black African		Coloured		Indian/Asian		White		Other		Total	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Owned and fully paid off	15684	14.1%	28230	37.6%	238	4.1%	15602	30.9%	564	24.0%	60318	24.7%
Owned but not yet paid off	5404	4.9%	11928	15.9%	212	3.6%	10486	20.8%	344	14.6%	28374	11.6%
Rented from private individual	26662	24.0%	11109	14.8%	304	5.2%	9687	19.2%	1099	46.7%	48861	20.0%
Rented from other (including municipality and social housing)	5111	4.6%	2680	3.6%	25	0.4%	711	1.4%	101	4.3%	8628	3.5%
Occupied rent-free	20703	18.7%	7715	10.3%	42	0.7%	1026	2.0%	90	3.8%	29576	12.1%
Do not know	654	0.6%	754	1.0%	19	0.3%	340	0.7%	28	1.2%	1795	0.7%
Other	1841	1.7%	877	1.2%	3	0.1%	329	0.7%	28	1.2%	3078	1.3%
Unspecified	34902	31.5%	11739	15.6%	4972	85.5%	12261	24.3%	100	4.2%	63974	26.2%
Total	110961	100.0%	75032	100.0%	5815	100.0%	50442	100.0%	2354	100.0%	244604	100.0%

If the unspecified category under tenure type exceeds 20%, the data in the table should be interpreted and used with caution.

8. Basic Services

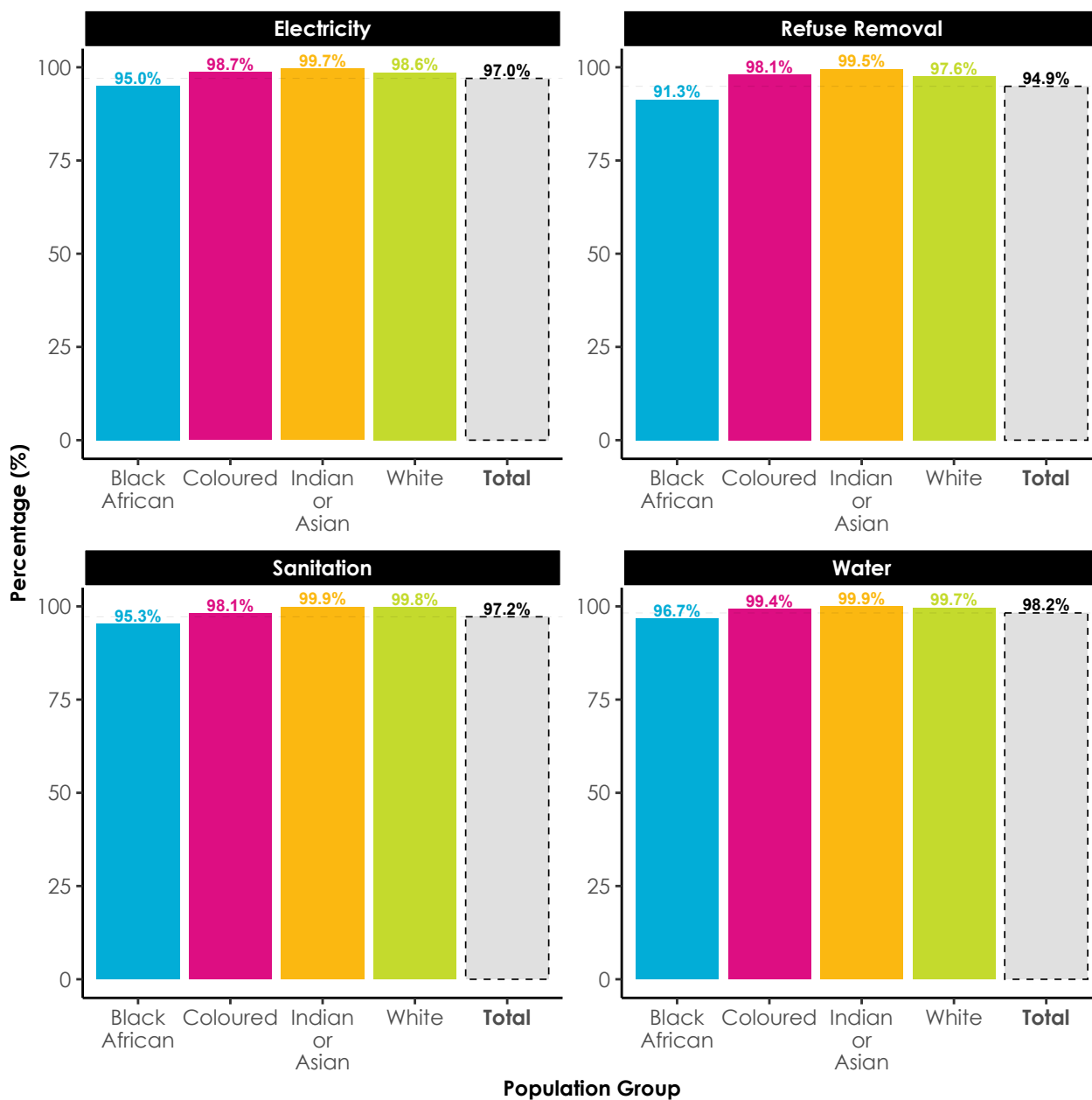


Figure 6: Summary of access to basic services by population group (%)

Definitions:

- **Access to energy** is the use of electricity from mains supply for lighting.
- **Access to water** is piped water, either on the property or within 200 m.
- **Access to sanitation** is a flush toilet, a chemical toilet or a pit toilet with ventilation.
- **Access to refuse removal** is a removal service at least once a week.

Table 4: Main source of energy for lighting

Lighting Source	Black African	Coloured	Indian/Asian	White	Other	Total
Electricity from mains	105 420 (95%)	74 060 (98.7%)	5 795 (99.7%)	49 760 (98.6%)	2 302 (97.7%)	237 337 (97%)
Other source of electricity (e.g. generator etc.)	1 029 (0.9%)	313 (0.4%)	11 (0.2%)	122 (0.2%)	5 (0.2%)	1 480 (0.6%)
Gas	397 (0.4%)	100 (0.1%)	3 (0.1%)	101 (0.2%)	5 (0.2%)	606 (0.2%)
Paraffin	1 975 (1.8%)	51 (0.1%)	0 (0%)	11 (0%)	5 (0.2%)	2 042 (0.8%)
Candles	1 745 (1.6%)	296 (0.4%)	0 (0%)	9 (0%)	8 (0.3%)	2 058 (0.8%)
Solar	26 (0%)	36 (0%)	6 (0.1%)	411 (0.8%)	11 (0.5%)	490 (0.2%)
Other	100 (0.1%)	78 (0.1%)	0 (0%)	19 (0%)	20 (0.8%)	217 (0.1%)
None	270 (0.2%)	98 (0.1%)	0 (0%)	9 (0%)	0 (0%)	377 (0.2%)
Total	110 962 (100%)	75 032 (100%)	5 815 (100%)	50 442 (100%)	2 356 (100%)	244 607 (100%)

Table 5: Main source of energy for cooking

Cooking Source	Black African	Coloured	Indian/Asian	White	Other	Total
Electricity from mains	69 966 (63.1%)	60 448 (80.6%)	700 (12%)	31 964 (63.4%)	1 985 (84.2%)	165 063 (67.5%)
Solar	14 (0%)	2 (0%)	2 (0%)	95 (0.2%)	3 (0.1%)	116 (0%)
Gas	37 148 (33.5%)	13 681 (18.2%)	5 103 (87.7%)	17 985 (35.7%)	321 (13.6%)	74 238 (30.3%)
Paraffin	2 330 (2.1%)	151 (0.2%)	5 (0.1%)	77 (0.2%)	16 (0.7%)	2 579 (1.1%)
Wood	72 (0.1%)	225 (0.3%)	0 (0%)	33 (0.1%)	6 (0.3%)	336 (0.1%)
Coal	5 (0%)	9 (0%)	0 (0%)	5 (0%)	0 (0%)	19 (0%)
Animal dung	2 (0%)	3 (0%)	0 (0%)	3 (0%)	0 (0%)	8 (0%)
Other source of electricity (e.g. generator etc.)	1 023 (0.9%)	312 (0.4%)	5 (0.1%)	146 (0.3%)	8 (0.3%)	1 494 (0.6%)
Other	75 (0.1%)	64 (0.1%)	2 (0%)	28 (0.1%)	16 (0.7%)	185 (0.1%)
None	328 (0.3%)	137 (0.2%)	0 (0%)	108 (0.2%)	2 (0.1%)	575 (0.2%)
Total	110 963 (100%)	75 032 (100%)	5 817 (100%)	50 444 (100%)	2 357 (100%)	244 613 (100%)

Table 6: Main method of refuse removal for households

Refuse Removal Method	Black African	Coloured	Indian/Asian	White	Other	Total
Removed weekly	100 347 (90.4%)	73 452 (97.9%)	5 773 (99.3%)	48 964 (97.1%)	2 285 (97%)	230 821 (94.4%)
Removed less often than once week	914 (0.8%)	421 (0.6%)	8 (0.1%)	505 (1%)	28 (1.2%)	1 876 (0.8%)
Communal refuse dump	921 (0.8%)	118 (0.2%)	11 (0.2%)	258 (0.5%)	5 (0.2%)	1 313 (0.5%)
Communal container/central collection point	4 932 (4.4%)	626 (0.8%)	20 (0.3%)	460 (0.9%)	16 (0.7%)	6 054 (2.5%)
Own refuse dump	1 495 (1.3%)	227 (0.3%)	3 (0.1%)	165 (0.3%)	8 (0.3%)	1 898 (0.8%)
Dump or leave rubbish anywhere (no rubbish disposal)	2 079 (1.9%)	120 (0.2%)	0 (0%)	8 (0%)	9 (0.4%)	2 216 (0.9%)
Other	273 (0.2%)	68 (0.1%)	0 (0%)	83 (0.2%)	5 (0.2%)	429 (0.2%)
Total	110 961 (100%)	75 032 (100%)	5 815 (100%)	50 443 (100%)	2 356 (100%)	244 607 (100%)

Table 7: Main source of water for households

Water Source	Black African	Coloured	Indian/Asian	White	Other	Total
Piped (tap) water inside the dwelling	86 142 (77.6%)	70 761 (94.3%)	5 771 (99.3%)	49 242 (97.6%)	1 994 (84.6%)	213 910 (87.4%)
Piped (tap) water inside the yard	14 996 (13.5%)	3 297 (4.4%)	34 (0.6%)	927 (1.8%)	340 (14.4%)	19 594 (8%)
Piped (tap) water on community stand: <200m from dwelling	6 203 (5.6%)	490 (0.7%)	3 (0.1%)	98 (0.2%)	8 (0.3%)	6 802 (2.8%)
Piped (tap) water on community stand: 200-500m from dwelling	1 211 (1.1%)	124 (0.2%)	0 (0%)	37 (0.1%)	0 (0%)	1 372 (0.6%)
Piped (tap) water on community stand: 500-1000m from dwelling	510 (0.5%)	54 (0.1%)	0 (0%)	39 (0.1%)	3 (0.1%)	606 (0.2%)
Piped (tap) water on community stand: >1000m from dwelling	530 (0.5%)	41 (0.1%)	3 (0.1%)	30 (0.1%)	2 (0.1%)	606 (0.2%)
No access to piped (tap) water	1 370 (1.2%)	266 (0.4%)	3 (0.1%)	70 (0.1%)	9 (0.4%)	1 718 (0.7%)
Total	110 962 (100%)	75 033 (100%)	5 814 (100%)	50 443 (100%)	2 356 (100%)	244 608 (100%)

Table 8: Type of toilet facility used by households

Toilet Facility	Black African	Coloured	Indian/Asian	White	Other	Total
Flush toilet connected to a public sewerage	102 360 (92.2%)	72 968 (97.2%)	5 796 (99.7%)	49 441 (98%)	2 295 (97.4%)	232 860 (95.2%)
Flush toilet connected to a septic tank or conservancy tank	875 (0.8%)	440 (0.6%)	10 (0.2%)	813 (1.6%)	30 (1.3%)	2 168 (0.9%)
Chemical toilet	2 301 (2.1%)	97 (0.1%)	0 (0%)	14 (0%)	0 (0%)	2 412 (1%)
Pit latrine/toilet with ventilation pipe (VIP)	178 (0.2%)	90 (0.1%)	3 (0.1%)	79 (0.2%)	2 (0.1%)	352 (0.1%)
Pit latrine/toilet without ventilation pipe	237 (0.2%)	48 (0.1%)	0 (0%)	9 (0%)	0 (0%)	294 (0.1%)
Ecological toilet (e.g. urine diversion, enviroloo, etc)	61 (0.1%)	29 (0%)	2 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	92 (0%)
Bucket toilet (collected by municipality)	1 447 (1.3%)	208 (0.3%)	2 (0%)	16 (0%)	3 (0.1%)	1 676 (0.7%)
Bucket toilet (emptied by household)	1 278 (1.2%)	747 (1%)	3 (0.1%)	9 (0%)	12 (0.5%)	2 049 (0.8%)
Other	397 (0.4%)	95 (0.1%)	0 (0%)	33 (0.1%)	9 (0.4%)	534 (0.2%)
None	1 828 (1.6%)	309 (0.4%)	0 (0%)	28 (0.1%)	5 (0.2%)	2 170 (0.9%)
Total	110 962 (100%)	75 031 (100%)	5 816 (100%)	50 442 (100%)	2 356 (100%)	244 607 (100%)