

Stock theft  
in the RSA for the Financial Years 1994/1995 to 2003/2004

Cases reported										
<b>Province</b>	1994/1995	1995/1996	1996/1997	1997/1998	1998/1999	1999/2000	2000/2001	2001/2002	2002/2003	2003/2004
Eastern Cape	12,448	11,887	11,319	11,138	11,001	10,712	10,563	11,145	12,974	12,016
Free State	7,267	6,307	6,118	6,129	5,977	6,044	5,943	5,711	6,796	5,967
Gauteng	2,417	1,565	1,361	1,158	1,036	963	1,118	855	769	771
KwaZulu-Natal	9,024	8,608	8,662	8,832	9,137	9,526	9,444	9,457	10,389	8,466
Mpumalanga	5,226	4,906	4,746	4,449	4,503	4,532	4,422	4,098	4,420	3,891
North West	4,270	3,959	3,746	4,194	4,006	3,940	4,044	4,111	4,843	4,395
Northern Cape	2,564	2,534	2,263	2,027	2,210	2,140	2,333	2,297	2,463	2,304
Limpopo	1,990	1,934	1,931	1,810	1,567	1,570	1,590	2,055	2,105	1,731
Western Cape	2,081	1,729	1,846	1,836	2,055	2,002	2,079	1,906	1,921	1,732
<b>RSA Total</b>	<b>47,287</b>	<b>43,429</b>	<b>41,992</b>	<b>41,573</b>	<b>41,492</b>	<b>41,429</b>	<b>41,536</b>	<b>41,635</b>	<b>46,680</b>	<b>41,273</b>

Ratio per 100 000 of the population										
<b>Province</b>	1994/1995	1995/1996	1996/1997	1997/1998	1998/1999	1999/2000	2000/2001	2001/2002	2002/2003	2003/2004
Eastern Cape	207.8	194.0	179.6	173.9	168.0	160.9	154.3	173.1	200.8	184.9
Free State	285.9	244.3	232.3	230.1	220.9	222.6	213.0	211.0	249.9	218.1
Gauteng	34.3	21.8	18.5	15.5	13.7	12.3	14.2	9.7	8.5	8.2
KwaZulu-Natal	111.6	104.6	102.9	103.6	105.3	106.7	105.1	100.3	108.7	86.8
Mpumalanga	196.3	180.2	169.5	156.3	154.7	150.9	145.3	131.2	139.4	120.0
North West	132.1	120.5	111.7	123.5	116.1	110.6	113.4	112.0	130.3	116.0

Northern Cape	312.3	305.3	269.3	239.6	258.5	244.5	267.3	279.2	300.0	281.6
Limpopo	43.2	40.8	39.2	35.9	30.2	29.4	28.8	39.0	39.5	32.0
Western Cape	54.5	44.6	46.7	45.9	50.6	48.0	49.6	42.1	41.7	36.6
<b>RSA Total</b>	<b>121.9</b>	<b>109.7</b>	<b>103.5</b>	<b>101.0</b>	<b>98.8</b>	<b>96.2</b>	<b>95.1</b>	<b>92.9</b>	<b>102.7</b>	<b>89.0</b>

Percentage Increase/ Decrease										
<b>Province</b>	1994/1995 to 1995/1996	1995/1996 to 1996/1997	1996/1997 to 1997/1998	1997/1998 to 1998/1999	1998/1999 to 1999/2000	1999/2000 to 2000/2001	2000/2001 to 2001/2002	2001/2002 to 2002/2003	2002/2003 to 2003/2004	1994/1995 to 2003/2004
Eastern Cape	-4.5%	-4.8%	-1.6%	-1.2%	-2.6%	-1.4%	5.5%	16.4%	-7.4%	-3.5%
Free State	-13.2%	-3.0%	0.2%	-2.5%	1.1%	-1.7%	-3.9%	19.0%	-12.2%	-17.9%
Gauteng	-35.3%	-13.0%	-14.9%	-10.5%	-7.0%	16.1%	-23.5%	-10.1%	0.3%	-68.1%
KwaZulu-Natal	-4.6%	0.6%	2.0%	3.5%	4.3%	-0.9%	0.1%	9.9%	-18.5%	-6.2%
Mpumalanga	-6.1%	-3.3%	-6.3%	1.2%	0.6%	-2.4%	-7.3%	7.9%	-12.0%	-25.5%
North West	-7.3%	-5.4%	12.0%	-4.5%	-1.6%	2.6%	1.7%	17.8%	-9.3%	2.9%
Northern Cape	-1.2%	-10.7%	-10.4%	9.0%	-3.2%	9.0%	-1.5%	7.2%	-6.5%	-10.1%
Limpopo	-2.8%	-0.2%	-6.3%	-13.4%	0.2%	1.3%	29.2%	2.4%	-17.8%	-13.0%
Western Cape	-16.9%	6.8%	-0.5%	11.9%	-2.6%	3.8%	-8.3%	0.8%	-9.8%	-16.8%
<b>RSA Total</b>	<b>-8.2%</b>	<b>-3.3%</b>	<b>-1.0%</b>	<b>-0.2%</b>	<b>-0.2%</b>	<b>0.3%</b>	<b>0.2%</b>	<b>12.1%</b>	<b>-11.6%</b>	<b>-12.7%</b>