



**Province of KwaZulu-Natal
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Analysis of KwaZulu-Natal Sexual Offence Crimes, Drug Related Crimes and Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol or Drugs Crimes per District (2014/15)

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Purpose

To present the analysis of KwaZulu-Natal crime data - 2014/15 for:

- 1) Sexual offence crimes
- 2) Driving under the influence of alcohol or drugs crimes and
- 3) Drug related crimes per district and police station.

National crime data (2014/15) used in the analysis was retrieved from the South African Police Services website - Crime Research and Statistics Division of the South African Police Services.

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Section A: National Analysis

Summary (*Absolute Numbers & %Contribution*)

- KwaZulu-Natal Province is reported to have the **third highest**; total sexual offence crimes, drug-related crimes and driving under the influence of alcohol or drugs crimes in the country
- The province contributed 16.90% to sexual offence crimes in the country, 17.10% to driving under the influence of alcohol or drugs crimes and 17.80% to overall drug related crimes in the country
- Total sexual offence crimes show a **decreasing** trend in **all** provinces
- Drug related crimes demonstrate an **increasing** trend across **all** provinces

Summary (*Case Difference & %Change*)

Between 2013/14 and 2014/15:

- Reported total sexual offence crimes **decreased** by 8.20%, which is the fourth highest percentage **decrease** amongst sexual offence crimes in the country
- There was a 7.10% **decrease** in driving under the influence of alcohol or drugs crimes. This is the second highest percentage decrease in this crime category compared to other provinces
- Drug related crimes within the province **increased** by 3.10% above the national average of 2.42%. KZN achieved the second lowest percentage increase in drug related crimes compared to other provinces

Ranking Total Sexual Offence Crimes by Province (Absolute Numbers & %Contribution)

Province	2013/14	2014/15	% Contribution	Ranking
Gauteng	10264	9902	18.50%	1
Eastern Cape	9616	9224	17.20%	2
KwaZulu-Natal	9889	9079	16.90%	3
Western Cape	7760	7369	13.70%	4
North West	4616	4585	8.60%	5
Limpopo	4423	4312	8.00%	6
Free State	4584	4094	7.60%	7
Mpumalanga	3797	3474	6.50%	8
Northern Cape	1731	1578	2.90%	9
South Africa	56680	53617		

Source: Crime Statistics 2014/15 South African Police Services

Ranking Total Sexual Offence Crimes by Province

(Case Difference & %Change)

Province	Comparison 2013/14 with 2014/15		Ranking
	Case Difference	% Change	
Gauteng	-362	-3.50%	1
Eastern Cape	-392	-4.10%	2
KwaZulu-Natal	-810	-8.20%	3
Western Cape	-391	-5.00%	4
North West	-31	-0.70%	5
Limpopo	-111	-2.50%	6
Free State	-490	-10.70%	7
Mpumalanga	-323	-8.50%	8
Northern Cape	-153	-8.80%	9
South Africa	-3063	-5.40%	

Ranking Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol or Drugs Crimes by Province (Absolute No. & %Contribution)

Province	2013/14	2014/15	% Contribution	Ranking
Gauteng	26085	25794	37.60%	1
Western Cape	13583	13224	19.30%	2
KwaZulu-Natal	12595	11702	17.10%	3
Eastern Cape	7349	6946	10.10%	4
Limpopo	2268	3214	4.70%	5
Mpumalanga	3088	2974	4.30%	6
Free State	1767	1976	2.90%	7
North West	2246	1927	2.80%	8
Northern Cape	744	804	1.20%	9
South Africa	69725	68561		

Source: Crime Statistics 2014/15 South African Police Services

Ranking Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol or Drugs Crimes by Province (Case Difference & %Change)

Province	Comparison 2013/14 with 2014/15		Ranking
	Case Difference	% Change	
North West	-319	-14.20%	1
KwaZulu-Natal	-893	-7.10%	2
Eastern Cape	-403	-5.50%	3
Mpumalanga	-114	-3.70%	4
Western Cape	-359	-2.60%	5
Gauteng	-291	-1.10%	6
Northern Cape	60	8.10%	7
Free State	209	11.80%	8
Limpopo	946	41.70%	9
South Africa	-1164	-1.70%	

Source: Crime Statistics 2014/15 South African Police Services

Ranking Drug Related Crimes by Province (*Absolute No. & %Contribution*)

Province	2013/14	2014/15	% Contribution	Ranking
Western Cape	85437	88731	33.24%	1
Gauteng	74667	70264	26.33%	2
KwaZulu-Natal	45950	47377	17.75%	3
Eastern Cape	15032	16038	6.01%	4
Limpopo	9608	11716	4.39%	5
North West	11007	11632	4.36%	5
Mpumalanga	7459	8841	3.31%	6
Free State	8189	8776	3.29%	6
Northern Cape	3247	3527	1.32%	7
South Africa	260596	266902		

Source: Crime Statistics 2014/15 South African Police Services

Ranking Drug Related Crimes by Province (Case Difference & %Change)

Province	Comparison 2013/14 with 2014/15		Ranking
	Case Difference	% Change	
Gauteng	-4403	-5.90%	1
KwaZulu-Natal	1427	3.11%	2
Western Cape	3294	3.86%	3
North West	625	5.68%	4
Eastern Cape	1006	6.69%	5
Free State	587	7.17%	6
Northern Cape	280	8.62%	7
Mpumalanga	1382	18.53%	8
Limpopo	2108	21.94%	9
South Africa	6306	2.42%	

Source: Crime Statistics 2014/15 South African Police Services

Ranking KwaZulu-Natal Province by Crime (*Absolute No.*)

	2013/14	2014/15	Ranking
Drug related crimes	45950	47377	1
Driving under the influence of drugs and /or alcohol	12595	11702	2
Total sexual offence	9889	9079	3

- Drug related crimes were the second highest reported crimes in the province after *'All Theft Crimes'*

Ranking KwaZulu-Natal Province by Crime (*Case Difference & %Change*)

	Comparison 2013/14 with 2014/15		Ranking*
	Case Difference	% Change	
Total sexual offence	-810	-8.20%	1
Driving under the influence of drugs and /or alcohol	-893	-7.10%	2
Drug related crimes	1427	3.11%	3

Section B: Provincial Analysis

Summary (*Absolute No. & %Contribution*)

Total sexual offence crimes:

- The **highest** total sexual offence crimes were reported in eThekweni, uThungulu and uMgungundlovu districts. uThungulu ranked first in terms of ratio of sexual offence crimes to the population

Drug related crimes:

- eThekweni followed by uMgungundlovu and Ugu districts have the **highest** reported and percent contribution to drug related crimes in the province
- uThukela and uMkhanyakude districts have the **lowest** reported drug related crimes

Driving under the influence of alcohol and drugs crimes:

- The **highest** reported driving under the influence of alcohol or drugs crimes is in eThekweni districts which also contributed 58.41% to alcohol or drug related crimes in the province
- Harry Gwala district has the **lowest** reported driving under the influence of alcohol or drugs crimes

Summary (*Case Difference & %Change*)

Total sexual offence crimes:

- The highest percentage **decrease** in total sexual offence crimes were observed in uMkhanyakude and eThekweni districts
- All districts, with the exception of uMgungundlovu district demonstrate a percentage **decrease** between 2013/14 and 2014/15 in total sexual offence crimes.

Driving under the influence of alcohol and drugs crimes:

- uThukela and iLembe districts have the highest percentage **decrease** in driving under the influence of alcohol or drugs crimes between 2013/14 and 2014/15. Amajuba, uMzinyathi and eThekweni districts also show a reduction in driving under the influence of alcohol or drug related crimes
- uMkhanyakude district shows a 59% increase in driving under the influence of alcohol or drugs crimes, followed by Zululand and Harry Gwala districts both showing a 23% increase in driving under the influence of alcohol and drugs crimes.

Summary (*Case Difference & %Change*) Contd.

Drug related crimes:

- uThukela and Amajuba districts have the highest percentage decrease in drug related crimes in the province between 2013/14 and 2014/15. Four other districts (uMkhanyakude, uMzinyathi, uMgungundlovu and Harry Gwala) demonstrate percentage decreases in drug related crimes
- Of concern is the 12.46% increase in drug related crimes in ILembe district

Ranking Total Sexual Offence Crimes by District (*Absolute No. & %Contribution*)

District	2013/14	2014/15	% Contribution	Ranking*
eThekwini	3396	2942	32.40%	1
uThungulu	1053	1026	11.30%	2
uMgungundlovu	991	1008	11.10%	3
Zululand	807	703	7.74%	4
iLembe	712	646	7.12%	5
Ugu	687	625	6.88%	6
uThukela	604	593	6.53%	7
Amajuba	430	427	4.70%	8
uMzinyathi	423	416	4.58%	9
uMkhanyakude	457	385	4.24%	10
Harry Gwala	329	308	3.39%	11
KwaZulu-Natal	9889	9079		

Source: Crime Statistics 2014/15 South African Police Services

Ranking Total Sexual Offence Crimes by District (*Case Difference & %Change*)

District	Comparison 2013/14 with 2014/15		Ranking
	Case Difference	% Change	
uMkhanyakude	-72	-15.75%	1
eThekwini	-454	-13.37%	2
Zululand	-104	-12.89%	3
iLembe	-66	-9.27%	4
Ugu	-62	-9.02%	5
Harry Gwala	-21	-6.38%	6
uThungulu	-27	-2.56%	7
uThukela	-11	-1.82%	8
uMzinyathi	-7	-1.65%	9
Amajuba	-3	-0.70%	10
uMgungundlovu	17	1.72%	11
KwaZulu-Natal	-810	-8.19%	

Ratio Total Sexual Offence Crimes to the Population

	2013/14		2014/15		
District	Ratio to Population	Ranking	Ratio to Population	Ranking	Status
uThungulu	1: 881	4	1: 885	1	
iLembe	1: 812	3	1: 939	2	
uMgungundlovu	1: 914	5	1: 1010	3	
uThukela	1: 1089	8	1: 1128	4	
Zululand	1: 969	6	1: 1143	5	
Ugu	1: 716	1	1: 1156	6	
eThekwini	1: 755	2	1: 1170	7	
Amajuba	1: 1080	7	1: 1171	8	
uMzinyathi	1: 1388	11	1: 1228	9	
Harry Gwala	1: 1377	10	1: 1498	10	
uMkhanyakude	1: 1264	9	1: 1626	11	

Ranking Driving under the Influence of Alcohol or Drugs Crimes by District (Absolute No. & %Contribution)

District	2013/14	2014/15	% Contribution	Ranking
eThekwini	7284	6835	58.41%	1
uMgungundlovu	639	644	5.50%	2
iLembe	809	602	5.14%	3
Zululand	457	561	4.79%	4
uThungulu	527	549	4.69%	5
uMkhanyakude	339	540	4.61%	6
Amajuba	539	444	3.79%	7
uThukela	936	420	3.59%	8
uMzinyathi	437	410	3.50%	9
Ugu	393	409	3.50%	10
Harry Gwala	235	288	2.46%	11
KwaZulu-Natal	12595	11702		

Ranking Driving under the Influence of Alcohol or Drugs Crimes by District (Case Difference & %Change)

District	Comparison 2013/14 with 2014/15		Ranking*
	Case Difference	% Change	
uThukela	-516	-55.13%	1
iLembe	-207	-25.59%	2
Amajuba	-95	-17.63%	3
uMzinyathi	-27	-6.18%	4
eThekwini	-449	-6.16%	5
uMgungundlovu	5	0.78%	6
Ugu	16	4.07%	7
uThungulu	22	4.17%	8
Harry Gwala	53	22.55%	9
Zululand	104	22.76%	10
uMkhanyakude	201	59.29%	11
KwaZulu-Natal	-893	-7.09%	

Source: Crime Statistics 2014/15 South African Police Services

Top 15 Police Stations with Highest Reported Total Sexual Offence Crimes

District	Police Station	2014/15	Ranking
eThekwini	Umlazi	340	1
	Inanda	313	2
uMgungundlovu	Plessislaer	245	3
uThungulu	Empangeni	240	4
eThekwini	Ntuzuma	198	5
Ilembe	Kwadukuza	197	6
eThekwini	Phoenix	155	7
uMgungundlovu	Mountain Rise	149	8
Amajuba	Madadeni	139	9
	Osizweni	135	10
Zululand	Pongola	132	11
uThungulu	Esikhaleni	131	12
uThukela	Ladysmith	126	13
eThekwini	Chatsworth	116	14
uMkhanyakude	Kwamsane	115	15

Top 15 Police Stations with Highest Reported Total Sexual Offence Crimes

District	Police Station	2013/14		2014/15		Status
		Total Sexual Offence	Ranking	Total Sexual Offence	Ranking	
eThekwini	Umlazi	340	5	340	1	
	Inanda	353	4	313	2	
uMgungundlovu	Plessislaer	244	7	245	3	
uThungulu	Empangeni	265	6	240	4	
eThekwini	Ntuzuma	214	9	198	5	
Ilembe	Kwadukuza	236	8	197	6	
eThekwini	Phoenix	207	10	155	7	
uMgungundlovu	Mountain Rise	158	11	149	8	
Amajuba	Madadeni	152	16	139	9	
	Osizweni	135	23	135	10	
Zululand	Pongola	131	24	132	11	
uThungulu	Esikhaleni	150	17	131	12	
uThukela	Ladysmith	138	21	126	13	
eThekwini	Chatsworth	-	-	116	14	
uMkhanyakude	Kwamsane	126	25	115	15	

Top 15 Police Stations with Highest Reported Driving under the Influence of Alcohol or Drugs Crimes

District	Police Station	2014/15	Ranking
eThekwini	Durban Central	1201	1
	Point	614	2
	Umlazi	397	3
	Montclair	337	4
	Bhekithemba	285	5
	Sydenham	245	6
uThukela	Ladysmith	241	7
eThekwini	Folweni	205	8
	Phoenix	198	9
	Kwadabeka	196	10
	Inanda	194	11
Ilembe	Kwadukuza	189	12
Ugu	Port Shepstone	188	13
Amajuba	Newcastle	180	14
eThekwini	Brighton Beach	166	15

Source: Crime Statistics 2014/15 South African Police Services

Top 15 Police Stations with Highest Reported Drug Related Crimes

District	Police Station	2014/15	Ranking
eThekwini	Durban Central	2477	1
	Phoenix	2323	2
	Point	1987	3
	Chatsworth	1579	4
uMgungundlovu	Plessislaer	1316	5
eThekwini	Umlazi	1316	6
Ilembe	Kwadukuza	1168	7
eThekwini	Mariannhill	1140	8
uMgungundlovu	Pietermaritzburg	1131	9
eThekwini	Inanda	979	10
	Sydenham	919	11
	Verulam	907	12
	Cato Manor	803	13
	Brighton Beach	796	14
	Montclair	706	15

Section C: District Analysis

Top Three Police Stations per District with the Highest Reported Crimes

District	Police Station		
	Drug related crimes	Driving under the influence of alcohol or drugs	Total sexual offences
Amajuba	Newcastle	Newcastle	Madadeni
	Madadeni	Madadeni	Osizweni
	Osizweni	Osizweni	Newcastle
eThekweni	Durban Central	Durban Central	Umlazi
	Phoenix	Point	Inanda
	Point	Umlazi	Ntuzuma
Harry Gwala	Ibisi	Kokstad	Kokstad
	Ixopo	Umzimkhulu	Harding
	Kokstad	Ixopo	Ixopo
Ilembe	Kwadukuza	Kwadukuza	Kwadukuza
	Tongaat	Umhlali	Sundumbili
	Umhlali	Tongaat	Tongaat

Top Three Police Stations per District with the Highest Reported Crimes

District	Police Station		
	Drug related crimes	Driving under the influence of alcohol or drugs	Total sexual offences
Ugu	Margate	Port Shepstone	Hibberdene
	Port Edward	Scottburgh	Port Shepstone
	Port Shepstone	Margate	Umzinto
uMgungundlovu	Plessislaer	Plessislaer	Plessislaer
	Pietermaritzburg	Pietermaritzburg	Mountain Rise
	Mountain Rise	Mountain Rise	Taylors Halt
uMkhanyakude	Kwamsane	Mbazwana	Kwamsane
	Mkhuze	Kwamsane	Ingwavuma
	Ingwavuma	Mtubatuba	Jozini
uMzinyathi	Dundee	Dundee	Msinga
	Nquthu	Nquthu	Nquthu
	Msinga	Nhlanhleni	Dundee

Top Three Police Stations per District with the Highest Reported Crimes

District	Police Station		
	Drug related crimes	Driving under the influence of alcohol or drugs	Total sexual offences
uThukela	Estcourt	Ladysmith	Ladysmith
	Ntabamhlophe	Estcourt	Ezakheni
	Ezakheni	Bergville	Ekuvukeni
uThungulu	Eshowe	Eshowe	Empangeni
	Kwambonambi	Kwambonambi	Esikhaleni
	Empangeni	Empangeni	Mtunzini
Zululand	Nongoma	Nongoma	Pongola
	Paulpietersburg	Vryheid	Nongoma
	Pongola	Ulundi	Vryheid