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As of today, the cumulative number of detected COVID-19 cases is **738 525** with 1 247 new cases identified since the last report

Province	Total cases for 09 November 2020	Percentage total
Eastern Cape	102057	13,8
Free State	57995	7,9
Gauteng	230412	31,2
KwaZulu-Natal	124094	16,8
Limpopo	17945	2,4
Mpumalanga	30305	4,1
North West	33908	4,6
Northern Cape	22426	3,0
Western Cape	119383	16,2
Unknown	0	0,0
Total	738525	100,0

The cumulative number of tests conducted to date is **4 993 081** with 12 641 new tests conducted since the last report.

Sector	Total tested		New tested	
PRIVATE	2 878 586	58%	7 017	56%
PUBLIC	2 114 495	42%	5 624	44%
Total	4 993 081		12 641	

Total Deaths and Recoveries

Regrettably, we report **36** COVID-19 related deaths today: 8 from Eastern Cape, 20 from the Free State, 1 from Gauteng, 1 from Mpumalanga and 6 from Western Cape This brings the total number of COVID-19 related deaths to **19 845.** Of the 36 deaths reported today, **13** was reported to have occurred in the past 24-48 hours: 4 in Eastern Cape, 2 in the Free State, 1 in Gauteng and 6 in Western Cape.

We extend our condolences to the loved ones of the departed and thank the healthcare workers that treated the deceased patients.

Our recoveries now stand at 680 726 which translates to a recovery rate of 92%

Province	Total Deaths	Total Recoveries	Active Cases
Eastern Cape	3886	92126	6045
Free State	1584	45872	10539
Gauteng	4863	221966	3583
KwaZulu-Natal	3255	115352	5487
Limpopo	476	17055	414
Mpumalanga	608	29215	482
North West	475	30248	3185
Northern Cape	295	18489	3642
Western Cape	4403	110403	4577
National	19845	680726	37954

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