

BRIEFING ON THE EXTENT OF THE RECENT CIVIL UNREST IN SOUTH AFRICA AND EFFORTS TO MITIGATE THE IMPACT OF THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT

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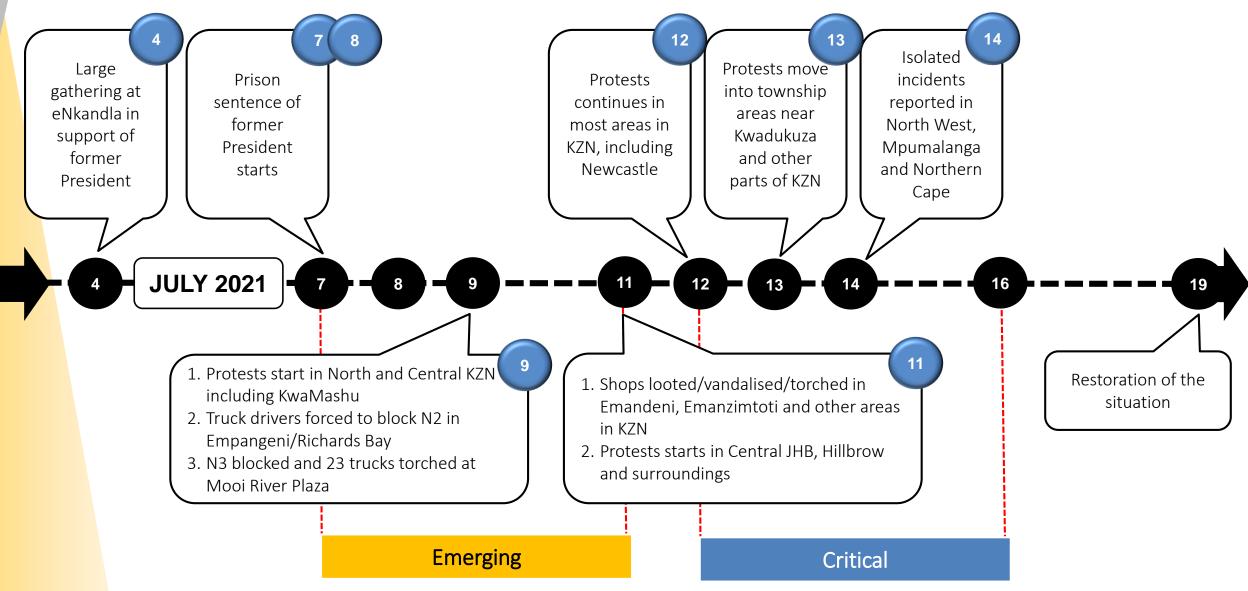
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BROAD OVERVIEW OF THE UNREST

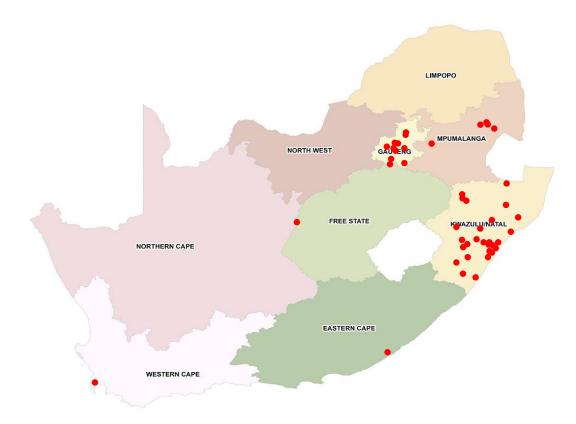
UNREST TIMELINE



UNREST-RELATED INCIDENTS

Modus Operandi:

- Extensive use of social media platforms.
- Initially, the blocking of roads with burning tyres.
- Targeting of trucks to block the road, specifically on the N3 and N2.
- Targeting of malls and shopping centres simultaneously with large scale looting and destruction.
- Targeting of warehouses
- Ongoing threats to critical infrastructure.
- Returning to looted sites to take what is left.
- Racial murders and violence in Phoenix.
- The fostering of racial tension.



• - Unrest-related Incidents (7 to 16 July 2021)

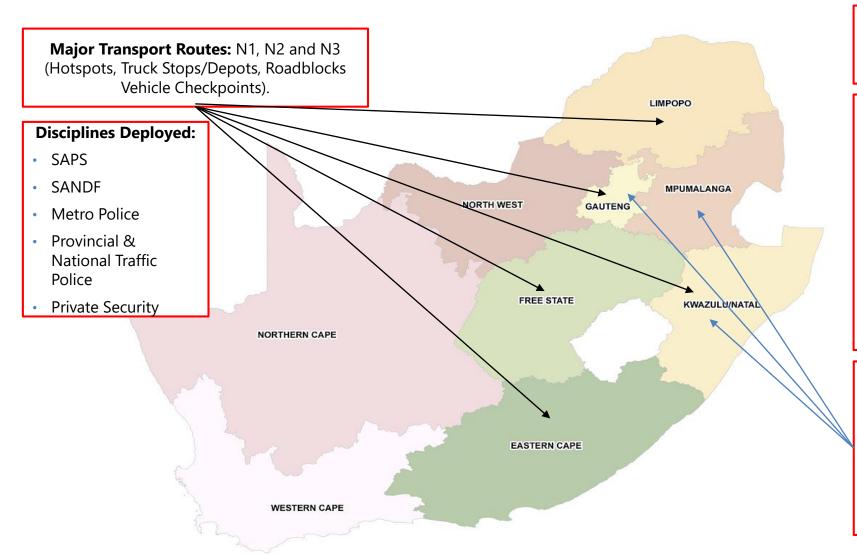
PROVINCIAL HOTSPOTS

Province	District
KwaZulu-Natal	Ethekwini District
	King Cetshwayo District
	Umgungundlovu District
	Ugu District
	Harry Gwala District
	Ilembe District
	Amajuba District
	Umkhanyakude District
	Umzinyathi District
	Uthukela District
	Zululand District
Gauteng	Ekurhuleni District
	Sedibeng District
	Tshwane District
	West Rand District
	Johannesburg District

Types of Cases

- Burglary Business
- Possession of Suspected Stolen Property
- Malicious Damage to Property
- Public violence
- Murder
- Arson
- Theft
- Escaping
- Attempted murder
- Illegal possession of firearm and ammunition
- Theft of motor vehicle
- Assault GBH
- Robbery Common
- Inquest
- Theft out of/from moto vehicle
- Business Robbery
- Assault Common
- Carjacking
- Robbery with firearm
- Possession of dangerous weapon

KEY SECURITY FORCES DEPLOYMENTS



A 2-Shift System was implemented to maximise deployments (KZN, GP, MP, NW, EC & FS).

National Key Points safeguarded:

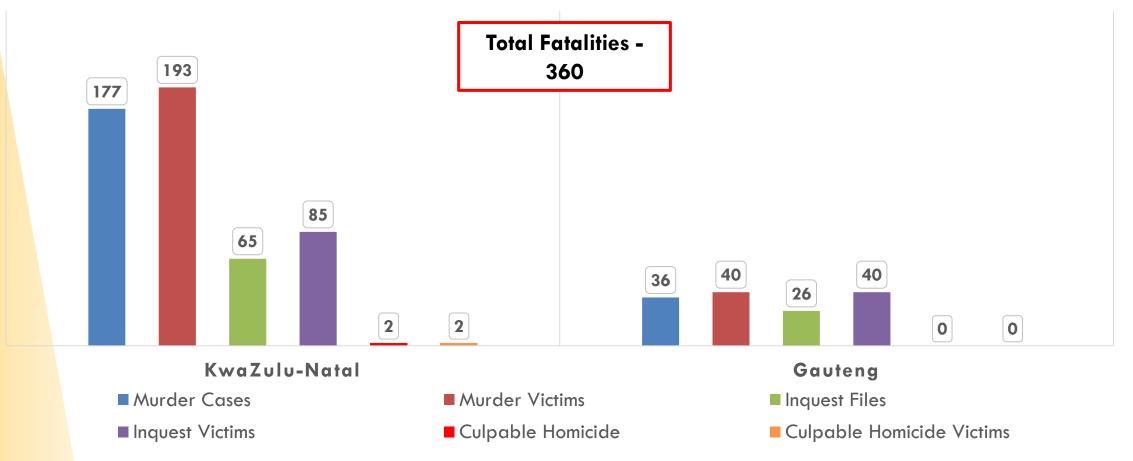
- · Petro chemical industries.
- Electricity.
- · Water supply.
- Communication.
- Money/Banking.
- · Pharmaceutical.
- Air Transport.
- Chemical Industries.
- Fuel and Oxygen.
- · Government Complexes.
- · Research.

Protection of the Judiciary, Executive and Courts:

- Specified Courts.
- Members of the Judiciary.
- Members of the Executive.

COUNTING THE COST (1)

• After the country experienced a week of unrest, destruction, looting, insurrection and loss of life, especially in Gauteng and KwaZulu-Natal, there is a level of stability in the two Provinces, including the country as a whole.



COUNTING THE COST (2)

- The provisional report, in terms of damage, includes the following:
 - Extensive damage to:
 - 161 Malls.
 - 11 Warehouses.
 - 8 Factories.
 - 161 Liquor Outlets/Distributors.
 - Looting and damage of 200 Shopping Centres.
 - Burning of and fire damage to 100 Malls.
 - Looting of 300 Shops.
 - Damage to 1 400 ATMs.
 - 300 Banks and Post Office Branches vandalized.
 - 113 Communication Infrastructure significantly damaged.
 - 1 119 Retail Stores impacted/damaged.



Estimated impact on GDP: R50 Billion

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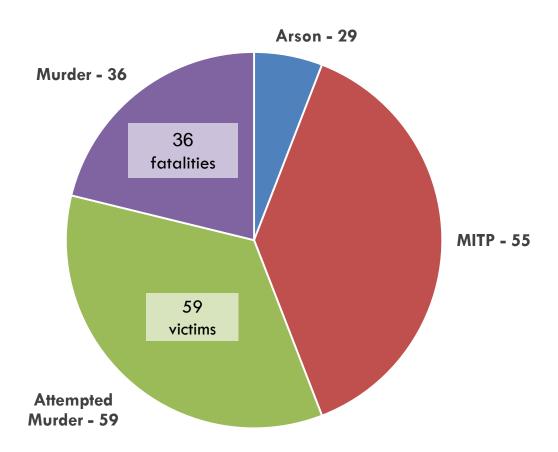
INCIDENTS IN PHOENIX AND SURROUNDING AREAS

RACIAL VIOLENCE AND MURDERS IN PHOENIX AND SURROUNDING AREAS (1)

- From 2021-07-12 community set up a blockades and patrolled the streets of Phoenix.
 - The problem arose when community members exceeded their powers and also racially profiled people that were allowed into their suburbs. This amounts to discrimination and a restriction of movement.
- A Nissan NP 200 Bakkie with no registration plates and with looted items was stopped and searched by community.
 - Four males who were occupants of the bakkie shot at the community and the community members returned fire and the suspects fled into the bushes.
 - 4 African males sustained gun shot wounds and one African male died on the scene. Their vehicle was set alight.
- This sparked racial tensions in the area. Since then several other bodies were discovered at the Phoenix mortuary, allegedly killed at the road blockades.
- The victims of Phoenix crimes are mostly Africans from Bhambayi, Zwelitsha and Amaoti.

RACIAL VIOLENCE AND MURDERS IN PHOENIX AND SURROUNDING AREAS (2)

The following unrest-related crimes were recorded in Phoenix, with 36 arrests effected up to 11 Aug 2021:



CONFISCATIONS/RECOVERIES OF LOOTED LOOT

ltems	Total	
Liquor	166 litres	
Firearms (firearms seized from security companies)	152	
Illegal Firearms	112	
Motor vehicles	7	
Ammunition	493	
Building material	158	
Bicycles	5	
Cigarettes	4 000	
Computers	29	
Electronics and audio visual devices	120	
Televisions	27	
Microwave ovens	7	
Fridges	14	

PROVINCIAL ACTIONS EXECUTED TO OVERSEE INVESTIGATIONS: PHOENIX AND SURROUNDING AREAS (1)

- Management of crime scenes:
 - The challenge experienced was that not all crime scenes were visited immediately after the incidents because victims were rushed to hospital for treatment without informing the police.
 - All crime scenes have since been visited, reconstructed and evidence collected.
 - All CCTV footage from the area (garages, residents, businesses) were collected and sent for analysis.
 - On 2021-07-28 aerial photos were taken.
 - On 2021-07-29 photo identification and an identification parade was successfully concluded.
 - All bodies at the mortuary have been identified.

PROVINCIAL ACTIONS EXECUTED TO OVERSEE INVESTIGATIONS: PHOENIX AND SURROUNDING AREAS (2)

- Confiscation of firearms and other items.
 - On Thursday, 2021-07-22, 45 firearms were seized from a security company.
 - On 2021-07-23, 40 firearms were seized from a second security company.
 - The company is now closed.
 - On 2021-07-23 A foreign firearm using R5 ammunition was also recovered.
 - On 2021-07-31, **56** firearms seized from a third security company.
 - On 2021-08-01, 11 firearms were seized from a fourth security company.
 - Five cell phones were seized from suspects and sent for analysis.
 - All seized firearms have been sent for ballistic analysis.

PROVINCIAL ACTIONS EXECUTED TO OVERSEE INVESTIGATIONS: PHOENIX AND SURROUNDING AREAS (3)

- Establishment of an Investigation Task Team:
 - A Team of 31 Detectives from the National and Province Offices were dispatched to KwaZulu-Natal to investigate, arrest, charge suspects, attend Court and oppose bail at Phoenix.
 - The Detective Task Team is led by the Deputy Provincial Commissioner: Detective Service.

INTERVENTIONS TO ADDRESS RACIAL TENSION: PHOENIX AND SURROUNDING AREAS (1)

- The Minister of Police visited the area on 3 occasions.
 - Interventions put in place by the Minister include a dedicated investigation capacity and a Committee comprising of different communities, which was established to facilitate reconciliation.
- The Ministers of Defence and Military Veterans and State Security also visited the area and engaged with the communities.
- KZN Premier visited the station and hotspot areas.
- The Acting Provincial Commissioner visited Phoenix, to address concerns of victims' representatives.
- The Mayor visited the Phoenix Police Station and met with all the role players from local government and he community.
- The MEC for Education visited the area to establish the state of readiness of schools to reopen.

INTERVENTIONS TO ADDRESS RACIAL TENSION: PHOENIX AND SURROUNDING AREAS (2)

- Religious leaders intervened with prayer and motivational peace talks.
- The CPF partnership is ongoing with continuous liaison being maintained.
- The Department of Community Safety and Liaison is in continuous communication with Management at the Phoenix Police Station.
- Various SAPS capabilities (VISPOL, Detectives, POP, Crime Intelligence and TRT) are deployed on a 24-hour basis in Bhambayi, Zwelitsha, Amaoti, Phoenix and Verulam, complemented by the SANDF and Metro Police Department.
- Provincial intervention in place with a mobile VOC at Bhambayi
- The clean-up of debris on the roads was conducted by the Municipality and the area has been stabilised.

IMPACT OF OPERATIONS ON THE SAPS

IMPACT OF OPERATIONS ON THE SAPS (1)

- A 2-shift system was implemented in KwaZulu-Natal and Gauteng, in order to maximise deployments.
 - This was later extended to the Mpumalanga, North West, Eastern Cape, Limpopo and Free State Provinces.
- Routine crime prevention, crime combating and crime investigation operations were disrupted in stations located in affected areas in KwaZulu-Natal and Gauteng, as a result of the extra-ordinary deployment of members.
 - Frontline service delivery from all Police Stations has, however, been maintained.
- The majority of SAPS Act members within national support capabilities were also deployed, which
 may have inhibited certain internal support processes, for the duration of the mobilisation.
- 7 Provinces provided POP capability to support KwaZulu-Natal and Gauteng.

IMPACT OF THE OPERATIONS ON THE SAPS (2)

- The investigation of unrest-related criminal cases has significantly increased the workload of the Detective Service capability but has also increased the case load of the NPA and courts and the number of remand detainees in Corrections Services.
- A Special Investigation Team, comprising Detectives from the National Office, was deployed to KwaZulu-Natal.
- The SANDF deployment was activated on 12 July 2021.
- National and Provincial Divisions were activated to capacitate members on the ground, on 13 July 2021.
- Reservists were called-up on 15 July 2021.

IMPACT OF OPERATIONS ON THE SAPS - KWAZULU-NATAL (1)

KwaZulu-Natal:

- Given the vastness of the KwaZulu-Natal, the province was divided into three Zone in order to ensure a more manageable deployment strategy i.e.
 - ZONE 1: EThekwini, Ugu, Ilembe & Harry Gwala
 - ZONE 2: King Cetshwayo, Zululand & UMkhanyakude
 - ZONE 3: UMgungundlovu, UThukela, Amajuba & UMzinyathi
- The following areas encountered wide-spread looting/unrest (including malls / shopping complexes):
 - Ethekwini Mariannhill, Mobeni, Nandi Drive, Phoenix, Hammarsdale, Durban Central CBD, Umgeni, Isipingo & Umlazi
 - Ugu Umzinto, Hibberdene, Umkomaas & Ezinqoleni

IMPACT OF OPERATIONS ON THE SAPS - KWAZULU-NATAL (2)

- Umgungundlovu Pietermaritzburg CBD, Scottsville & Mooi River
- Uthukela Ezakheni
- King Cetshwayo Richards Bay, Empangeni & Eshowe,
- Umkhanyakude Mtubatuba & Kwambonambi
- Zululand Nongoma, Ulundi & Vryheid
- National capacity deployed to KwaZulu-Natal 767
 - 174 members arrival date: 03 July 2021.
 - 315 members arrival date: 11 July 2021.
 - 278 members arrival date: 13 July 2021.

IMPACT OF OPERATIONS ON THE SAPS - KWAZULU-NATAL (3)

Other Specialised operations

- National Intervention Unit - Durban: 58 Members

- Special Task Force – Durban: 20 Members

- Tactical Response Team: 198 Members

- Airwing: 7 Members

Physical Resources

- Aircraft (Helicopters): 02 (one deployed to Ulundi, other staging in Durban).
- Armoured Fleet (Nyalas): 11.
- Water Cannon: 02 (one deployed in Durban, other placed at Empangeni).
- Water Cannon were used on six occasions, primarily during the periods 9 July to 14 July 2021.

IMPACT OF OPERATIONS ON THE SAPS - KWAZULU-NATAL (4)

- Areas where Water Canon was used:
 - eThekwini: Nandi Drive, Mariannhill, Hammarsdale
 - King Cetshwayo: Richards Bay, Empangeni and Eshakweni
- A total of 41 Malls, including Shopping Centres and other 33 Infrastructures were defended, as a result of police actions, supported by other role-players.

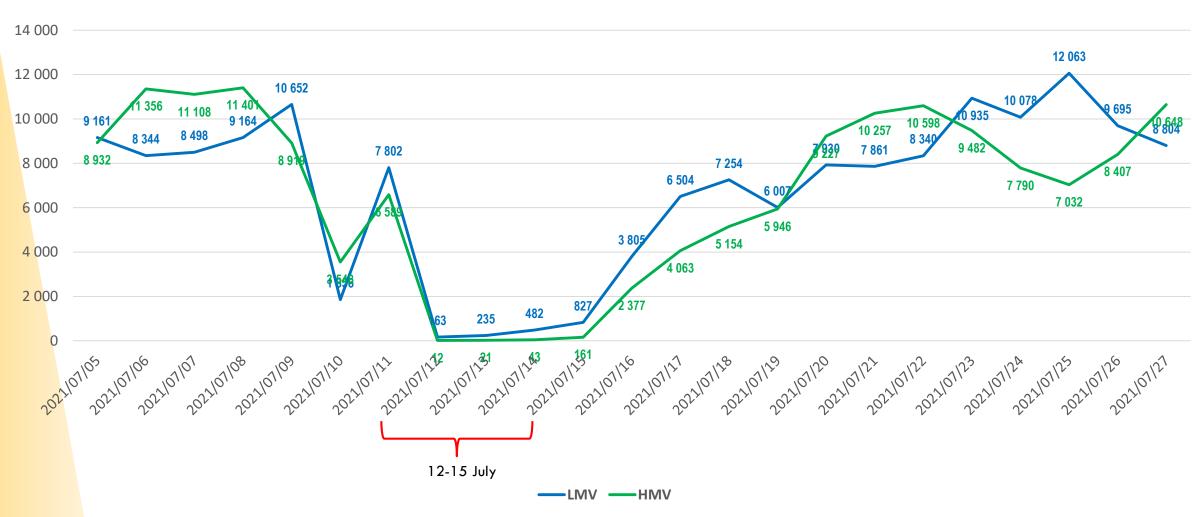
PYRO-TECHNICS AND AMMUNITION USED - KWAZULU-NATAL

KwaZulu-Natal - areas where ammunition was used:

SAPS District	Rubber Rounds	CS Gas	Stun Grenades
Ethekwini	28 450	1 264	467
Ugu	4 676	53	103
Umgungundlovu	16 898	459	330
Uthukela	850	45	12
King Cetshwayo	3 767	96	80
Umkhanyakude	3 502	289	109
Zululand	5 278	119	139
Amajuba	3 995	0	0
TOTAL	67 416	2 325	1 240

IMPACT OF OPERATIONS ON THE SAPS - KWAZULU-NATAL (4)

N3 Vehicle Flow: Mooi River Plaza - 05 July To 27 July 2021



IMPACT OF THE OPERATION ON THE SAPS - GAUTENG (1)

• Gauteng - areas of deployment:

Johannesburg	Spring/Duduza/Actonville	
Alexandra	Tembisa/Tembisa South	
Soweto	Katorus	
Olievenhoutbosch	Rabie Ridge	
Mamelodi	Daveyton/Putfontein	
Atteridgeville	Sedibeng Area	
Germiston	Dobsonville	
Tsakane	Kagiso	

IMPACT OF THE OPERATIONS ON THE SAPS - GAUTENG (2)

- Gauteng deployment of resources:
 - Average daily 261 deployment.
 - Physical resources deployed:

- Aircraft (Helicopters) : 02

- Armoured Fleet (Nyalas) : 21

- Water Cannon : 02 (Water Canon used at Jeppe Town, Mai-Mai)

• A total of 84 Malls, including Shopping Centres and other 10 Infrastructures were defended as a result of police actions.

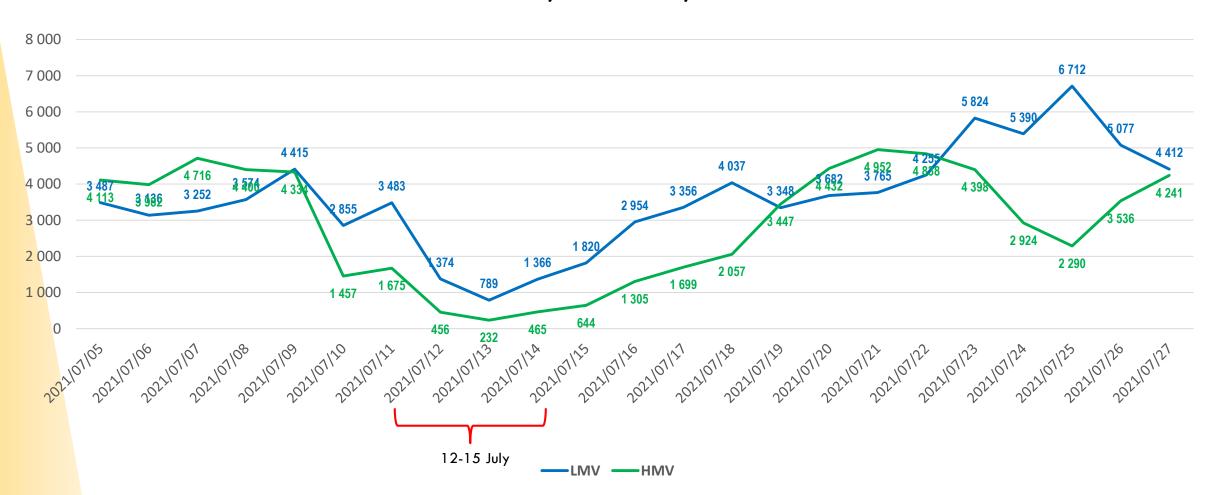
PYRO-TECHNICS AND AMMUNITION USED - GAUTENG

Gauteng - areas where ammunition was used:

SAPS District	Rubber Rounds	CS Gas	Stun Grenades
Johannesburg	1694	81	28
Alexandra	3636	178	112
Soweto	3739	119	42
Pretoria area	180	0	6
Ekurhuleni	4304	406	98
Sedibeng	1012	23	8
West Rand	2406	62	18
TOTAL	16 971	869	312

IMPACT OF THE OPERATIONS ON THE SAPS - GAUTENG (3)

N3 Vehicle Flow: De Hoek Plaza - 05 July to 27 July 2021



IMPACT OF THE OPERATIONS ON THE SAPS - CONTINUED (1)

- Escorting of essential cargo 15 July to 11 August 2021.
- Total escorts conducted:
 - Interprovincial 176.
 - Gauteng 224.
 - KwaZulu-Natal 4 174.
- The following essential cargo was escorted:
 - Vaccines.
 - Food stuffs, to ensure food security.
 - Oxygen and Explosives.
 - Fuel and Gas.
 - Pharmaceutical.

IMPACT OF THE OPERATIONS ON THE SAPS - CONTINUED (2)

Free State:

- On 11 July 2021, a group barricaded access roads at Tumahole Township, Parys with burning tyres and rocks demanding the release of former president Jacob ZUMA.
 - The SAPS intervened and the situation was brought under control.
- On 20 July 2021,a group of about 20 youths attempted to loot multiple of tuckshops in Tumahole. The SAPS intervened and the situation was brought under control.
- Later on the same day, a group looted another tuckshop in Tumahole.
 - One suspect was arrested with looted stock for possession of suspected stolen property, and the situation was brought under control.
- In addition, there were increased deployments in all major towns in the Province to curb looting, including Bloemfontein, Welkom, Sasolburg, Parys, Kroonstad, Bethlehem and Harrismith, complemented by the SANDF.

IMPACT OF THE OPERATIONS ON THE SAPS - CONTINUED (3)

Eastern Cape:

- Police were deployed together with the Business community and the CPF in protection of strategic business areas through loud-hailing and distribution of pamphlets promoting no looting
- Roadblocks were erected within the Province and on the borders of other Provinces, especially KZN

Western Cape:

• A group of youths attempted to loot the Promenade Mall in Mitchells Plain, but the attempt was foiled by the Police as they were all arrested and charged with robbery

Mpumalanga:

The SAPS deployed at strategic key points, complemented by the SANDF.

IMPACT OF THE OPERATIONS ON THE SAPS - CONTINUED (4)

Northern Cape:

• On July 2021, sporadic incidents of public violence, business burglary and attempted business burglary took place in Galeshewe and Roodepan. SAPS was called in to intervene and 14 arrests were made. The number of SAPS members deployed in the area was increased and the situation was stabilised.

North West:

A group of youths gathered at a mall in Mahikeng. They were confronted by group of adults and SAPS members who
warned them not to loot. They were dispersed. The group of adults, together with CPF members And SAPS members
started loud-hailing and warning everybody from looting. The deployments were increased in the Province and the
situation remained normal.

Limpopo:

• A group of youths gathered in a specific house in Dennilton. They were dispersed by SAPS members and later a truck and a bakkie were found burning on the road towards Siyabuswa. Deployments were increased at strategic business areas and the situation remained calm.

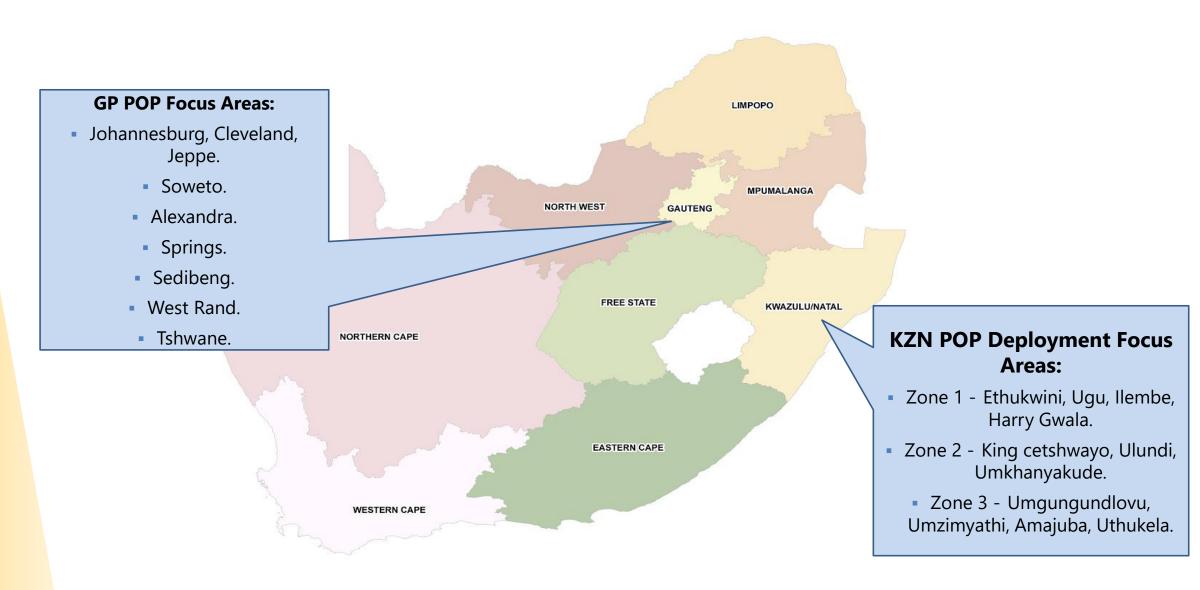
DISPOSAL OF LOOTED GOODS

DISPOSAL OF RECOVERED LOOTED GOODS

- Seized looted and other items are stored in SAPS 13 Stores and identified additional storage facilities. Evidence management prescripts must apply for management and control.
- Seized goods that are needed as evidence in criminal proceedings must be stored until the cases are finalised and can then be disposed of.
- There are specific provisions to deal with perishable items. Products that are expired, damaged or no longer safe for use must be destroyed.
- The SAPS made recommendations that will allow for goods, forfeited to the state and not needed for criminal proceedings, to be donated through an expedited procedure that will also involve the Provincial Social Development and Municipal Health Departments.

OVERVIEW OF PUBLIC ORDER POLICING IN RELATION TO THE UNREST

PUBLIC ORDER POLICE DEPLOYMENTS (1)



PUBLIC ORDER POLICE DEPLOYMENTS (2)

- The 4 National Public Order Police (NPOP) Reserve Units were mobilised in support of POP Units in KwaZulu-Natal and Gauteng:
 - The POP National Reserve Units in the Western Cape and Mpumalanga, were mobilised in support of the NPOP capability in KwaZulu-Natal.
- All other Provinces mobilised their POP capabilities, in support of POP Units in KwaZulu-Natal.

UPDATE ON REPORTS OF STOLEN AMMUNITION

UPDATE ON STOLEN AMMUNITION

- On 9 July 2021, a container with 1.2 million rounds of various calibres of ammunition and 800 000 primers arrived at Durban Harbour.
 - The container was *en route* to the SARS Customs Depot for inspection but was looted during the period of unrest and the contents were removed.
- A total of nine arrests have been made to date and 42 420 rounds of ammunition and 200 000 primers have been recovered.
- The investigation by the Directorate for Priority Crime Investigation (DPCI) is, however, ongoing.

CURRENT STATUS OF CASES, INVESTIGATIONS AND ARRESTS BY THE SAPS

CASE MANAGEMENT: STATUS OF INVESTIGATION OF REPORTED CASES - 07 JULY 2021 TO 11 AUG 2021

Province	Dockets Registered	Suspects Arrested	Dockets under Investigation	For Decision (NPA)	Dockets to Court		
EC	0	0	0	0	0		
FS	14	16	1	0	13		
GP	1 234	1 941	302	5	789		
KZN	6 759	2 835	4 090	15	1 757		
LP	6	7	3	0	1		
MP	66	80	16	0	43		
NW	0	0	0	0	0		
NC	8	15	0	0	8		
WC	3	0	2	0	0		
Total	8 090	4 894	4 414	20	2 611		

CASE MANAGEMENT: STATUS OF REPORTED CASES - 7 JULY 2021 TO 11 AUG 2021

Province	Murders		Attempted Murder		Arson		MITP		Possession of Stolen Property		Infrastructure		Inquest	Culpable Homicide		Other	
	Reported	Arrested	Reported	Arrested	Reported	Arrested	Reported	Arrested	Reported	Arrested	Reported	Arrested	Reported	Reported	Arrested	Reported	Arrested
EC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	12	0	0	0	0	0	4	4
GP	36	0	12	9	2	28	58	86	581	800	2	2	26	0	0	517	1 016
KZN	177	23	133	18	173	6	765	43	1 268	1 814	10	30	65	2	0	4 166	901
LP	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	7
MP	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	1	35	41	0	0	0	0	0	21	38
NW	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	7	14
wc	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
TOTAL	213	23	145	27	175	34	836	130	1 895	2 668	12	32	91	2	0	4 721	1 980
	REPORTED – 8 090						ARRESTED – 4 894										

INVESTIGATION OF INSTIGATORS: INTRODUCTION

- On the 19 July 2021, the Directorate for Priority Crime Investigation (DPCI), together with the Division: Crime Intelligence and the Division: Detective and Forensic Services held a joint meeting relating to the public violence and civil unrest in the KwaZulu-Natal and Gauteng Provinces.
- These three environments were joined by National Prosecuting Authority (NPA) representatives, from 21 July 2021 onwards.
- As a result of the disruptive actions, a number of Persons of Interest were identified for their criminal involvement in allegedly inciting the protests and public violence.
 - Some of these Persons of Interest are the subject of further investigation, to verify and confirm the allegations.
- From a total of the 23 investigations, 4 matters have been placed on the court roll with 7 dockets under investigation.
 - 12 of these matters are enquiry files.

INVESTIGATION OF INSTIGATORS: CASE MANAGEMENT (1)

Directorate for Priority Crime Investigation											
No.	Province	Station	Case Number	Number of Accused	Status	Court Date	Status of Accused				
1	Free State	Park Road	896/07/2021	One	Court	2021-08-13	Bail granted - R 1 000				
2	Gauteng	Sophiatown	10/08/2021	One	Court	2021-10-12	Bail granted - R 3 000				
3	Gauteng	De Deur	40/08/2021	One	Court	2021-08-17	Remanded in custody				
4	Free State	Bayswater	36/08/2021	One	Court	2021-08-17	Remanded in custody				

INVESTIGATION OF INSTIGATORS: CASE MANAGEMENT (2)

Division: Detective and Forensic Services										
No.	Province	Station	Case Number	Number of Accused	Status	Court Date	Status of Accused			
1	Gauteng	Roodepoort	233/07/2021	One	Court	2021-09-20	Bail granted - R 4 000			
2	Gauteng	Randburg	151/07/2021	One	Court	2021-10-21	Bail granted - R 2 000			
3	Gauteng	Randfontein	670/07/2021	One	Court	2021-09-02	Bail granted - R 2 500			
4	Gauteng	Westonaria Westonaria	77/07/2021 104/07/2021	One	Court	2021-08-30	Bail granted - R 2 500			
5	Gauteng	Protea Glen	283/07/202 1	One	Court	2021-09-10	Bail granted - R 3 000			
6	Gauteng	Mondeor	300/07/202 1	One	Court	2021-09-06	Bail granted - R 3 000			
7	Gauteng	Daveyton	160/07/202 1	Four	Court	2021-09-30	Bail granted - R 2 000			
8	Mpumalanga	Vosman	118/07/202 1	One	Court	2021-09-01	Bail granted - R 1 000			

COOPERATION AND COORDINATION WITH THE NPA AND OTHER RELEVANT STRUCTURES, INCLUDING THE METRO POLICE AND SANDF

NATIONAL JOINT OPERATIONAL AND INTELLIGENCE STRUCTURES

- The National Joint Operational and Intelligence Structures (NATJOINTS) is an operational sub-committee of the Justice Crime Prevention and Security (JCPS) Cluster.
 - The SAPS, SSA and SANDF co-chair the NATJOINTS.
 - The following core departments form part of the NATJOINTS:
 - The SAPS (all Operational Divisions)/SANDF/DHA/DOJ&CD/SSA/ DIRCO/NPA/ DCS/ DSD/COGTA (NDMC)/ NDOT/NDOH/ DEFF/SARS/DNT/GCIS/METRO Police, etc.
- The National Joint Operational Committee (NATJOCOM) and Provincial Joint Operational Committees (PROVJOCOMs)
 were activated on 03 July 2021.
 - Daily NATJOCOM and PROVJOCOM meetings are conducted, including all relevant role-players.
 - Work Streams have been established to deal with specific matters, for example a Case Management Work Stream, to coordinate cases related to public unrest, between the SAPS, NPA, DoJCD and DCS.
 - The National Joint Operational Centre (NATJOC) and the 9 Provincial Joint Operational Centres (PROVJOC'S) have been activated, from where operations are directed, co-ordinated and monitored.

CHALLENGES, LESSONS LEARNT AND WAY FORWARD FOR THE SAPS, IN RELATION TO PREVENTION IN THE FUTURE

CHALLENGES, LESSONS LEARNT AND WAY FORWARD

- The magnitude of the looting and the destruction of property occurred simultaneously, in various places.
- The Collapse of the 4 -shift system into a 2-shift system was implemented to increase the number of members deployed on the ground.
 - This approach is however not sustainable, as it is costly and tiring for members.
- Crowd management requires numbers for efficient policing and the reality of the current SAPS situation, is that there are insufficient numbers of POPs members e.g. the crowd management capacity of the Country was over 10 000 in the past and is currently just over 5 000.
- The SAPS will conduct a thorough analysis, during which challenges, lessons learnt and recommendations regarding the way forward, will be determined.

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- The SAPS has maintained the implementation of measures to manage and contain COVID-19, during the unrest-related period, in accordance with established protocols, including:
 - The screening and testing of members.
 - The quarantining and self-isolation of members.
 - Members off sick due to experiencing symptoms as a result of having received the COVID-19 vaccination.
 - The hospitalisation of members (members have regrettably succumbed to COVID-19, during this period).
 - The closure of certain SAPS' offices, at all organisational levels, including frontline offices (stations) for decontamination:
 - Contingency planning in respect of the availability of services at frontline offices has been maintained, for example mobile Community Service centres are used to maintain a frontline service when a CSC is closed for decontamination
 - Community Service Centres are decontaminated on average, approximately 3 times per week.
 - The closure of the Forensic Laboratories and Criminal Record Centre impacts negatively on the SAPS' performance, as alternate locations are not available.
- These factors have affected the number of members available for operational deployment.

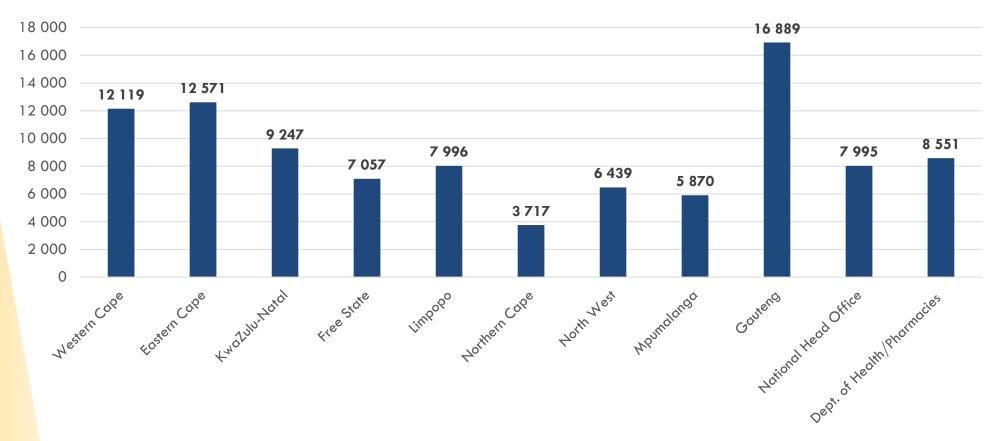
UPDATE ON THE VACCINATION OF SAPS MEMBERS

PROGRESS WITH THE VACCINATION OF MEMBERS (1)

- The National Launch of the SAPS Vaccination Roll-out was initiated on 5 July 2021 and Provincial Launches commenced on 8 July 2021.
 - The SAPS' Vaccination Roll-out was disrupted in KwaZulu-Natal, due to the civil unrest.
- All SAPS members were included in the Vaccination Roll-out (SAPS Act and Public Service Act personnel).
- The SAPS' Vaccination Roll-out terminated on 11 August 2021

PROGRESS WITH THE VACCINATION OF MEMBERS (2)

• Out of a total of **181 686** members, **98 451** members (SAPS Act and Public Service Act) have been vaccinated, as at 10 August 2021.



■ Number of SAPS Members Vaccinated at SAPS Sites and by the Dept. of Health, at Pharmacies

VACCINATION OF MEMBERS: CONCLUSION

- Despite the few challenges experienced during the implementation of the Project, the SAPS vaccinated approximately 54% (subject to change upon conclusion of the Project) of its total number of employees, as at 10 August 2021.
- A number of employees were not vaccinated, due to the following reasons:
 - Observing the waiting period, after having been confirmed positive with COVID-19.
 - Employees with uncontrolled medical conditions, without a letter of confirmation from a doctor.
 - Employees who have taken a conscious decision not to vaccinate.
- Employees who were not vaccinated, due to the above reasons, will be re-directed to the Department of Health sites and/or pharmacies.
 - The members' respective medical aids will cover the costs associated with the vaccination.

THANK YOU