

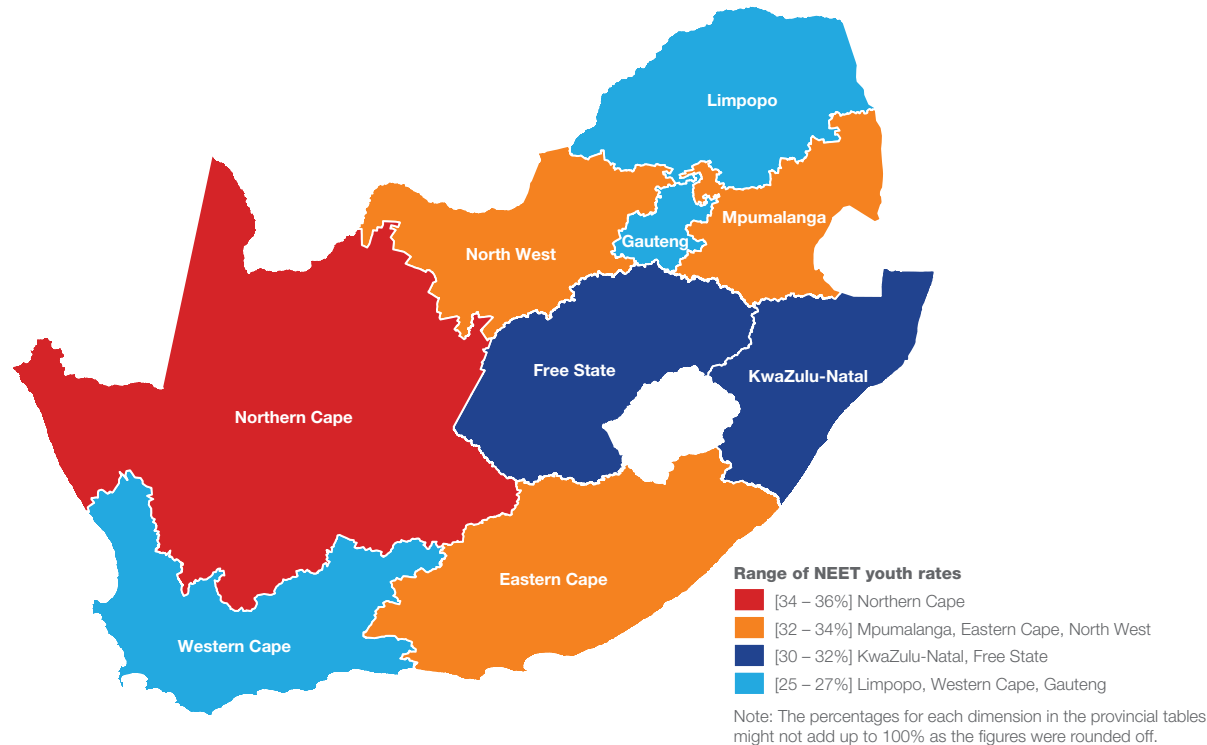
Proportion of NEET youth 15 – 24 years in South Africa, by province, 2019

Based on Quarterly Labour Force Survey 2019, second quarter

NORTHERN CAPE		
	% of total NEET youth population	36%
Of those young people who are NEET	Unemployed	33%
	Discouraged	23%
	Inactive	44%
	Male	37%
	Female	63%
	Rural	30%
	Urban	70%
	15 – 19	28%
	20 – 24	72%
	Less than matric	61%
	Matric	37%
	More than matric	2%

EASTERN CAPE		
	% of total NEET youth population	32%
Of those young people who are NEET	Unemployed	36%
	Discouraged	25%
	Inactive	39%
	Male	46%
	Female	54%
	Rural	57%
	Urban	43%
	15 – 19	21%
	20 – 24	79%
	Less than matric	74%
	Matric	25%
	More than matric	1%

MPUMALANGA		
	% of total NEET youth population	32%
Of those young people who are NEET	Unemployed	60%
	Discouraged	17%
	Inactive	23%
	Male	47%
	Female	53%
	Rural	57%
	Urban	43%
	15 – 19	14%
	20 – 24	86%
	Less than matric	50%
	Matric	45%
	More than matric	5%



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NORTH WEST		
	% of total NEET youth population	34%
Of those young people who are NEET	Unemployed	41%
	Discouraged	20%
	Inactive	39%
	Male	49%
	Female	51%
	Rural	52%
	Urban	48%
	15 – 19	17%
	20 – 24	81%
	Less than matric	49%
	Matric	46%
	More than matric	4%

FREE STATE		
	% of total NEET youth population	31%
Of those young people who are NEET	Unemployed	59%
	Discouraged	16%
	Inactive	25%
	Male	43%
	Female	57%
	Rural	14%
	Urban	86%
	15 – 19	18%
	20 – 24	83%
	Less than matric	55%
	Matric	43%
	More than matric	2%

KWAZULU-NATAL		
	% of total NEET youth population	32%
Of those young people who are NEET	Unemployed	32%
	Discouraged	33%
	Inactive	36%
	Male	47%
	Female	53%
	Rural	61%
	Urban	39%
	15 – 19	19%
	20 – 24	81%
	Less than matric	53%
	Matric	41%
	More than matric	5%

LIMPOPO		
	% of total NEET youth population	26%
Of those young people who are NEET	Unemployed	30%
	Discouraged	34%
	Inactive	37%
	Male	41%
	Female	59%
	Rural	84%
	Urban	16%
	15 – 19	13%
	20 – 24	87%
	Less than matric	57%
	Matric	35%
	More than matric	8%

GAUTENG		
	% of total NEET youth population	27%
Of those young people who are NEET	Unemployed	73%
	Discouraged	10%
	Inactive	17%
	Male	51%
	Female	49%
	Rural	2%
	Urban	98%
	15 – 19	13%
	20 – 24	87%
	Less than matric	43%
	Matric	47%
	More than matric	10%

WESTERN CAPE		
	% of total NEET youth population	26%
Of those young people who are NEET	Unemployed	59%
	Discouraged	8%
	Inactive	34%
	Male	51%
	Female	49%
	Rural	4%
	Urban	96%
	15 – 19	25%
	20 – 24	75%
	Less than matric	60%
	Matric	37%
	More than matric	3%