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A Statistical Summary of Social Grants In South Africa.

The following table provides a summary of the number of social grants by grant type per Region namely Eastern Cape, Free State, Gauteng, KZN, Limpopo, Mpumalanga, Northern Cape, North West and Western Cape for the period end March 2018.

Table 1: Total Number of Social Grants by Grant Type and Region as at the end of March 2018

Region	Care Dependency Grant	Child Support Grant	Disability Grant	Foster Care Grant	Grant-In-Aid	Old Age Grant	War Veteran's Grant	Grand Total
Eastern Cape	22,454	1,897,890	181,856	99,033	22,013	563,424	21	2,786,691
Free State	8,147	686,139	74,635	30,991	5,758	199,775	1	1,005,446
Gauteng	19,369	1,836,588	117,069	48,132	6,585	585,280	47	2,613,070
Kwazulu Natal	39,518	2,792,778	235,297	83,525	56,314	680,826	15	3,888,273
Limpopo	15,436	1,813,848	96,020	46,341	44,496	462,498	3	2,478,642
Mpumalanga	11,345	1,086,963	78,251	30,351	16,162	249,651	3	1,472,726
North West	10,047	844,642	73,535	33,094	11,110	256,415	2	1,228,845
Northern Cape	6,004	309,149	50,369	12,880	10,715	86,409	3	475,529
Western Cape	15,147	1,006,173	154,834	31,669	18,938	339,059	39	1,565,859
Total	147,467	12,274,170	1,061,866	416,016	192,091	3,423,337	134	17,515,081

Figure1: Total Number of Social Grants

