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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 May 2018.

Table 1: Total Number of Social Grants by Grant Type and Region as at the end of May 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	22,567	1,902,018	183,257	100,765	22,202	567,153	19	2,797,981
Free State	8,168	685,366	73,819	32,202	5,822	200,695	1	1,006,073
Gauteng	19,498	1,840,695	117,469	50,570	6,701	590,107	44	2,625,084
Kwazulu Natal	39,596	2,795,942	234,166	87,385	57,680	684,106	13	3,898,888
Limpopo	15,512	1,817,637	95,887	47,976	45,511	464,757	3	2,487,283
Mpumalanga	11,347	1,087,806	77,993	31,732	16,933	250,682	3	1,476,496
North West	10,052	845,012	72,006	33,693	11,230	257,733	2	1,229,728
Northern Cape	6,033	309,169	50,447	13,165	11,029	86,845	3	476,691
Western Cape	15,278	1,008,795	153,459	32,417	19,369	341,282	37	1,570,637
Total	148,051	12,292,440	1,058,503	429,905	196,477	3,443,360	125	17,568,861

Figure 1: Total Number of Social Grants

