

**FACT SHEET: Issue no. 9 of 2022 – 30 September 2022****A statistical summary of social grants in South Africa**

The factsheet provides a statistical summary of social grants in the 9 Regions (Province) of South Africa which are: Eastern Cape (EC), Free State (FS), Gauteng (GP), KwaZulu – Natal (KZN), Limpopo(LP), Mpumalanga (MP), North West (NW), Northern Cape(NC) and Western Cape as at 30 September 2022. Social grants refer to Old Age grant (OAG), War Veteran’s grant (WVG), Disability grant (DG), Grant in Aid (GIA), Child Support grant (CSG), Foster Child grant (FSG) and Care Dependency grant (CDG).

**Table 1. The number of Social Grant per Grant type per Region: September 2022**

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	23 392	1 970 850	175 360	70 196	40 708	601 601	5	<b>2 882 112</b>
Free State	9 218	715 648	79 352	23 136	13 455	217 989		<b>1 058 798</b>
Gauteng	21 971	2 024 340	123 926	42 542	13 180	715 837	5	<b>2 941 801</b>
KwaZulu Natal	39 531	2 974 214	218 856	59 738	86 517	751 661	3	<b>4 130 520</b>
Limpopo	17 414	1 998 521	100 923	40 245	58 938	502 174		<b>2 718 215</b>
Mpumalanga	11 950	1 198 329	79 595	21 398	25 875	275 614		<b>1 612 761</b>
North West	9 775	909 945	62 156	25 758	18 626	284 356	1	<b>1 310 617</b>
Northern Cape	5 752	332 444	50 511	10 172	25 569	94 944	1	<b>519 393</b>
Western Cape	16 714	1 048 976	153 405	33 355	24 654	391 000	5	<b>1 668 109</b>
Total	<b>155 717</b>	<b>13 173 267</b>	<b>1 044 084</b>	<b>326 540</b>	<b>307 522</b>	<b>3 835 176</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>18 842 326</b>

Growth in Social Grants January to September 2022

