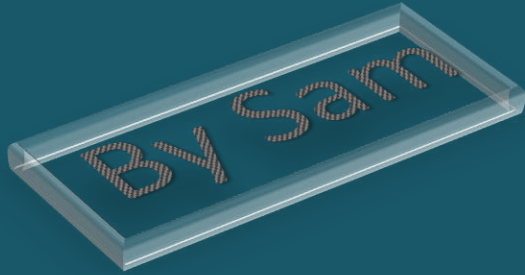


South Africa



Location

South Africa is located in the southern tip of Africa. It borders Namibia, Botswana, Zimbabwe, Mozambique, Swaziland and surrounds Lesotho.



Capital City

South Africa's capital is Pretoria, Cape town and Bloemfontein.

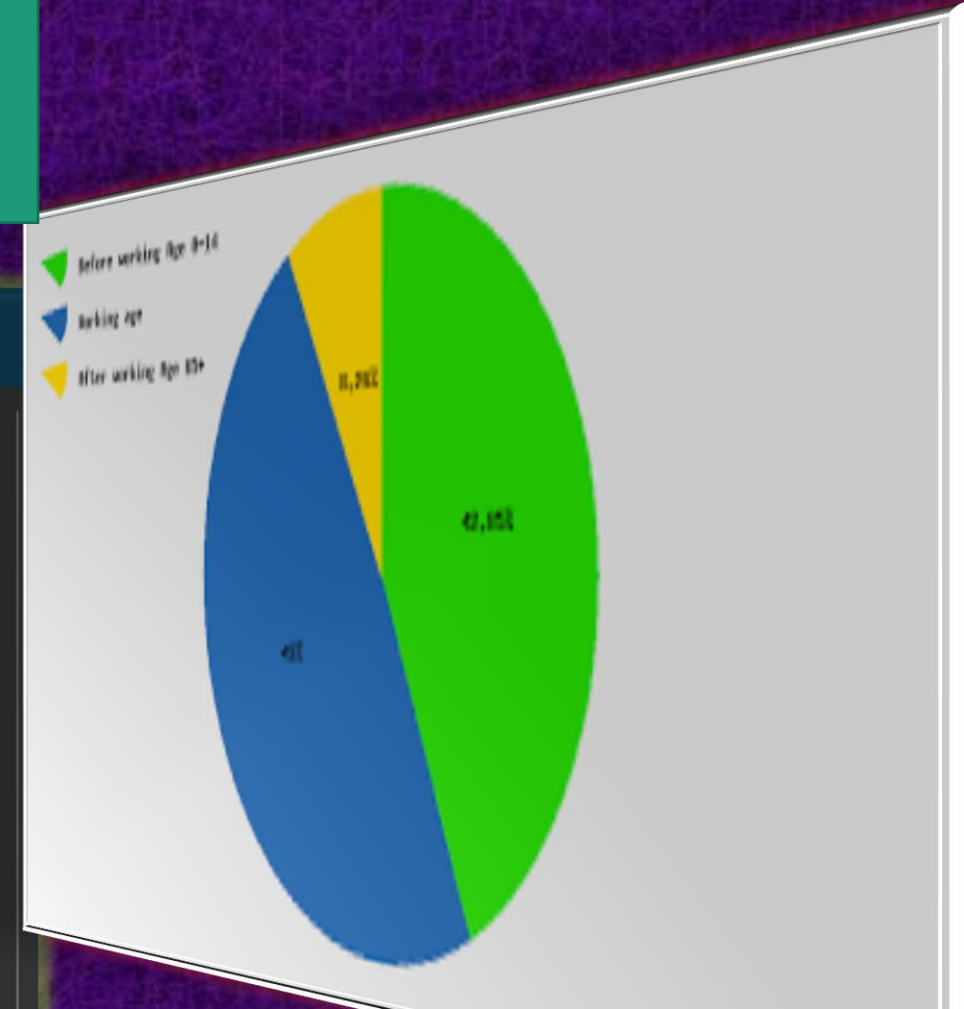
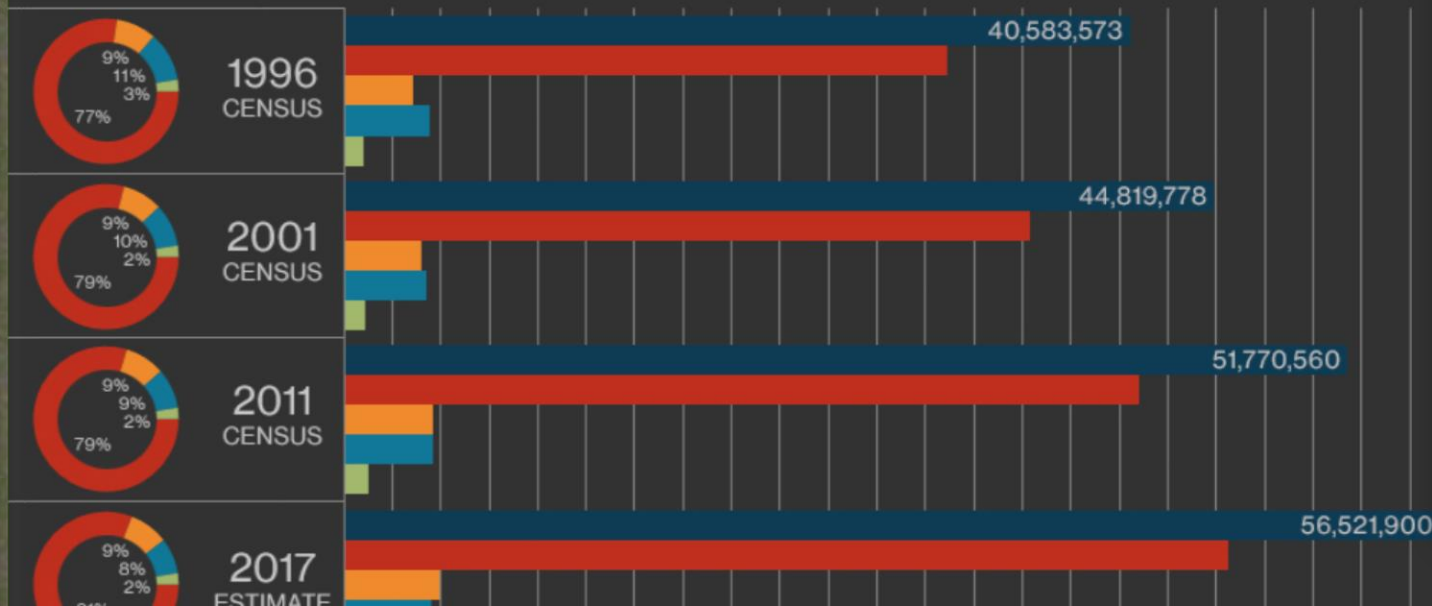


Population

South Africa's population in 2021 is 60,041,994.

Did you know 49 mil people call South Africa home?

South Africa's population in 1996, 2001, 2011 & 2017



Flag Facts

Green means fertility of the land, black means African community, gold means mineral wealth, blue means endless possibilities for South Africans. The flag has six colors.

History

Modern people inhabited South Africa 100,000 years ago. Prehistory divided into two phases. They were stone age and iron age.



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Currency

Their currency is called rand. Its divided into 100 cents.



Holidays and traditions



A holiday they have is Christmas and heritage day.

Food

The name is Pap and boerewors.



This is a picture of pap.

Picture of boerwor.

Language

They speak English, Zulu, Afrikaans, Xhosa, Venda, Southern Sotho, Tswana, Tsonga, Swati, Northern Sotho and Ndebele.

Famous People

One is Gary Player, Nelson Mandela, Christiaan Barnard, F.W. de. Klerk and.



Gary Player



Interesting Facts



The coastline is extending 1,836 miles. The area is 471,008. “Is the leading source of diamond and gold”.

Wildlife and plant life

A herd of elephants is grazing in a lush green savanna. The elephants are of various sizes, including adults and young calves. The background shows a line of trees under a bright, hazy sky.

There are 20,000 plant species. There are rhinos, baboons, hippos, jackals, mongooses, many species of antelopes and various cats. 10% of plants are in South Africa.

A leopard is walking across a dry, brownish savanna. In the background, a safari vehicle is parked, and several people are visible inside. The landscape is open and flat, with some low-lying vegetation.

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