

# Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19) Daily Update: 23 October 2020



SOUTH AFRICAN TOURISM



## Situational analysis

WHO Coronavirus Disease (COVID19) Dashboard. Data last updated 22 October 2020

Globally, as of 2:45pm CEST, 22 October 2020, there have been 41,104,946 confirmed cases of COVID-19, including 1,128,325 deaths, reported to WHO.

Region	Confirmed cases	Deaths
	Total	Total
Globally	41 104 946	1 128 325
Africa	1 276 311	28 806
Americas	19 040 071	613 399
Eastern Med	2 836 187	72 143
Europe	8 576 945	261 971
Sout East Asia	8 679 128	137 068
Western Pacific	695 563	14 925



### South Africa:

(National Department of Health statistics on 22 October 2020)

	Total Cases	Percentage	Deaths	Recoveries
South Africa	710 515		18 843	642 560
Eastern Cape	92 936	13.1%	3 513	87 746
Free State	54 691	7.7%	1 451	40 634
Gauteng	226 363	31.9%	4 693	205 216
KwaZulu-Natal	121 802	17.1%	3 177	112 420
Limpopo	17 018	2.4%	440	15 991
Mpumalanga	29 109	4.1%	594	27 684
North West	32 415	4.6%	403	28 727
Northern Cape	20 887	2.9%	256	17 163
Western Cape	115 294	16.2%	4 316	106 979

Visit: [www.sacoronavirus.co.za](http://www.sacoronavirus.co.za) for the latest updates. SA Tourism will make updates available on [www.southafrica.net](http://www.southafrica.net).

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