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## Media Release

**21 May 2020**

As of today, the total number of confirmed COVID-19 cases in South Africa is **19 137**.

### Case Data

Province	Total cases for 21 May 2020	Percentage total
Eastern Cape	2324	12,1
Free State	184	1,0
Gauteng	2453	12,8
KwaZulu-Natal	1693	8,8
Limpopo	121	0,6
Mpumalanga	95	0,5
North West	77	0,4
Northern Cape	37	0,2
Western Cape	12153	63,5
Unknown	0	0,0
<b>Total</b>	<b>19137</b>	<b>100,0</b>

### Testing Data

A total of **525 433** tests have been conducted to date with **18 572** tests done in the past 24 hours

Sector	Total tested		New tested	
Private	257 003	49%	11 371	61%
Public	268 430	51%	7 201	39%
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>525 433</b>		<b>18 572</b>	

### **Reported COVID-19 Deaths:**

Regrettably, we report **30** more COVID-19 related deaths- this brings the total national deaths to **369**

We wish to express our condolences to the loved ones of the deceased and thank the health care workers who treated these patients.

The provincial breakdown is as follows:

Province	Deaths
Eastern Cape	50
Free State	6
Gauteng	27
KwaZulu Natal	46
Limpopo	3
Mpumalanga	0
North West	1
Northern Cape	1
Western Cape	235
<b>Total</b>	<b>369</b>

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