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The **Education Facility Management System (EFMS)** is the system utilised by the Department of Basic Education (DBE) to capture school infrastructure information. The system assists the DBE in monitoring the progress made in provisioning of infrastructure to the schools and assists in identifying shortages or backlogs of infrastructure needed at schools. The school infrastructure is provided based on the **REGULATION RELATING TO MINIMUM UNIFORM NORMS AND STANDARDS FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL INFRASTRUCTURE**, gazetted on 27 June 2024. This report outlines the summary of school infrastructure across all 9 provinces as at 08 August 2025 with the focus only on public ordinary operational schools and provides statistics on:

- Access to electricity and the type of electricity the schools has;
- Access to water and the type of water supply the schools has;
- The type of ablution the schools has;
- The type of the fence and security the schools has;
- The number of schools with a Laboratory, Library and Computer centre; and
- The type of sports facilities at schools.

NOTE: Provinces are currently conducting condition assessment to update the information. on the EFMS

ELECTRICITY SOURCE FACILITIES

Site Type: Public Ordinary Operation Schools

Province	Number of Site	With Electricity Supply	Grid Connection	Solar	Generator
EC	4990	4990	4670	590	228
FS	915	915	909	13	54
GP	2068	2068	2060	5	39
KZN	5753	5753	5356	440	195
LP	3590	3590	3504	227	86
MP	1617	1617	1599	27	107
NC	543	543	525	17	10
NW	1436	1436	1421	5	64
WC	1469	1469	1467	2	4
National	22381	22381	21511	1326	787
<i>One site can have more than one type of Electricity source</i>					

WATER SOURCE FACILITIES

Site Type: Public Ordinary Operation Schools

Province	Number of Site	With Water Supply	Borehole	Mobile Tankers	Municipal Yard Supply	Municipal Communal	Rainwater Harvesting
EC	4990	4990	435	135	1769	818	4074
FS	915	915	187	42	727	114	34
GP	2068	2068	299	25	1949	0	85
KZN	5753	5753	1510	480	2545	673	3065
LP	3590	3590	2699	214	1159	565	228
MP	1617	1617	993	227	982	0	34
NC	543	543	311	26	230	225	35
NW	1436	1436	1090	148	424	382	40
WC	1469	1469	234	69	1363	65	21
National	22381	22381	7758	1366	11148	2842	7616
One site can have more than one type of Water source							

SANITATION SOURCE FACILITIES

Site Type: Public Ordinary Operation Schools

Province	Number of Site	*Pit	Waterless Dry sanitation	VIP	Flush septic	Flush municipal	Mobile Toilets	Chemical Toilet	Alternative Sanitation
EC	4990	340	180	3237	328	1087	7	6	52
FS	915	0	5	50	143	744	14	0	0
GP	2068	0	10	20	140	1897	98	6	0
KZN	5753	89	352	2714	650	1581	73	60	20
LP	3590	16	1615	1604	784	565	0	8	4
MP	1617	3	749	582	877	668	19	0	4
NC	543	0	66	62	202	312	3	1	0
NW	1436	0	45	362	858	638	7	2	7
WC	1469	0	0	0	232	1336	4	0	0
National	22381	*448	3022	8631	4214	8828	225	83	87

*Pit - includes schools that have been provided with appropriate sanitation facilities, but the pits have not yet been demolished.

One site can have more than one type of Sanitation source

FENCING AND SECURITY

Site Type: Public Ordinary Operation Schools

Province	Number of Site	Brick Wall	Palisade (C)	Palisade (S)	Pre Cast	Razor Wire Fence	Wire Fence	Electric Fence	Galvanised Wire fence	Access Control	Alarm System	Gate	Security Room	Surveillance Cameras	Security Lights
EC	4990	372	27	369	24	2271	4026	11	200	148	484	4627	437	185	418
FS	915	85	14	287	6	130	606	4	42	46	86	838	76	85	105
GP	2068	574	420	1109	115	236	737	31	0	949	145	1917	536	192	591
KZN	5753	570	276	268	100	3414	4972	19	11	514	176	5441	2236	226	432
LP	3590	481	75	549	13	1085	3013	7	0	164	128	3302	387	51	113
MP	1617	140	96	535	10	359	1007	9	83	399	590	1476	584	207	162
NC	543	30	15	195	2	92	429	5	0	69	169	509	15	50	42
NW	1436	212	45	375	19	821	1043	12	3	170	410	1349	221	223	283
WC	1469	91	49	134	17	46	1268	13	0	352	201	1287	95	90	158
National	22381	2555	1017	3821	306	8454	17101	111	339	2811	2389	20746	4587	1309	2304

One site can have more than one type of Fencing and Security

LABORATORY, LIBRARY AND COMPUTER CENTRE

Site Type: Public Ordinary Operation Schools

Province	Number of Site	School with Laboratories	School with Library	School with Computer	% School with Laboratories	% School with Library	% School with Computer
EC	4990	1885	2261	2072	38%	45%	42%
FS	915	418	602	665	46%	66%	73%
GT	2068	706	1464	1687	34%	71%	82%
KZN	5753	1999	3858	3494	35%	67%	61%
LP	3590	579	1437	618	16%	40%	17%
MP	1617	332	892	572	21%	55%	35%
NC	543	231	403	352	43%	74%	65%
NW	1436	439	814	644	31%	57%	45%
WC	1469	676	1066	942	46%	73%	64%
National	22381	7265	12797	11046	32%	57%	49%

SPORTS FACILITIES

Site Type: Public Ordinary Operation Schools

Province	No sports facilities	Athletics	Tennis	Combi Court	Hockey	Netball	Swimming Pool	Soccer	Cricket	Rugby	Squash Court
EC	2901	158	166	142	82	1534	72	1295	178	491	19
FS	235	66	148	67	51	531	17	458	114	45	7
GT	496	426	430	360	244	1274	169	1069	451	239	11
KZN	3110	207	162	320	131	1956	184	1625	273	122	17
LP	1153	86	113	79	41	2127	43	1618	66	36	2
MP	468	98	132	251	54	785	21	788	66	200	2
NC	183	54	103	47	28	287	19	171	52	87	2
NW	293	131	126	397	51	687	32	803	95	82	6
WC	409	87	232	37	113	856	23	744	157	106	1
National	9248	1313	1612	1700	795	10037	580	8571	1452	1408	67

One site can have more than one type of Sport Facilities



