

SWARTLAND
SPATIAL DEVELOPMENT FRAMEWORK
ADDENDUM F
DEMOGRAPHIC PROFILE
2011 Census



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1. Introduction

Swartland Municipality is located on the north western boundary of the Cape Metropolitan Municipality directly adjoining the N7 as the main route towards Namibia, with the Drakenstein Municipality on the south eastern boundary. This locality provides increasing development pressures on the municipality in terms of influx of people and increased applications for development.

Demographic change brings about a specific set of challenges and opportunities for the municipalities in terms of planning and provision of funding. The population figures help to plan in advance and budget priorities more accurately to reduce the occurrence of service and infrastructure shortfalls and uncontrolled development and planning.

The following table provide the different demographic data that was utilised in the compilation of the Swartland SDF and also include the latest Census data for 2011. This provides the Census data in perspective with other demographic data used in determining the growth rates and growth model for the Swartland.

Towns	Growth rate (%)	2001 Census	2007	2010	2011 Census	2012	2017	2022	2027
Abbotsdale	3%	3 288	4 240	2 835	3 762	4 915	5 698	6 606	7 658
Chatsworth	3%	1 147	4 336	1 653	2 326	5 027	5 827	6 755	7 831
Darling	3%	8 548	9 268	10 344	10 420	10 465	11 611	12 882	14 293
Riverlands	3%	1 230	1 200	1 757	1 725	1 391	1 613	1 870	2 167
Kalbaskraal	2.1%	1 472	1 548	1 759	2 412	1 718	1 906	2 114	2 346
Koringberg	2.1%	402	1752	425	1 214	1 944	2 157	2 393	2 655
Malmesbury	4.5%	28 035	41 088	37 374	35 895	51 203	63 808	79 517	99 093
Moorreesburg	3%	9 709	11 708	15 853	12 875	13 573	15 735	18 241	21 146
Riebeek-Kasteel	3%	2 863	4 928	1 983	4 763	5 713	6 623	7 678	8 901
Riebeek-Wes (including Ongegund)	3%	3 011	5 832	5271	4 605	6761	7838	9086	10533
Yzerfontein	3%	575	9 592	529	1 141	11120	12891	14944	17324
Grotto Bay					219				
Swartland Rural	2.1%	23 640	13 741	4096	32 404	15245	16915	18767	20822
TOTAL		88 525	109 233	83 879	113 760	129 075	152 622	180 853	214 769

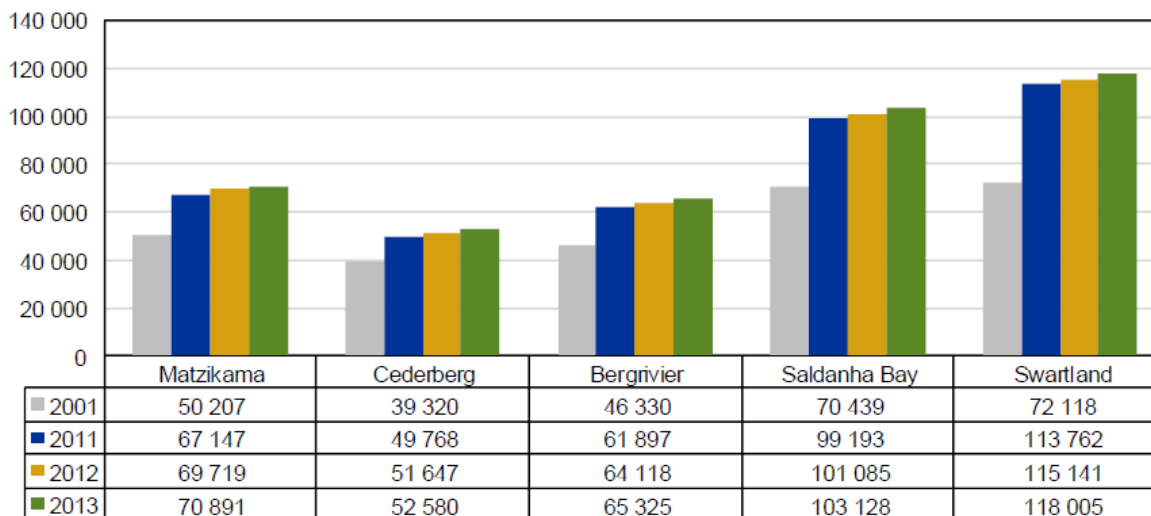
According to the **2013 Regional Development Profile for the West Coast District**, that was compiled by the Western Cape Provincial Treasury, the various factors that influence the demographic fabric of the Western Cape include economic conditions, the burden of disease, healthcare conditions and programs, fertility levels, crime, services levels and developmental levels generally. In essence, effective functioning of the healthcare system, lower accident rates and good sanitation levels positively influences population growth. On the other hand, high mortality, reduced fertility, increased burden of disease and poor service delivery, could contribute to negative population growth.

The following amended demographic information were compiled from the **2011 Census** data by Statistics South Africa, the **Swartland IDP amendments of 2013** and the **2013 Regional Development Profile for the Western Coast District**, compiled by Western Cape Provincial Treasury.

2. Demographics

The West Coast's population increased from 282 673 in 2001 to 391 766 in 2011, which represent a growth of 38.6%. This represents a higher growth rate than any other region in the Western Cape from 2001 to 2011, and also indicates the challenges that the West Coast face. The projections for 2012 and 2013 from Quantec are not any different with a 6.8% growth rate that is projected for 2013 in the West Coast region. The following table provides the Swartland population in comparison to the other municipalities within the West Coast district.

Figure 1: West Coast District Population Comparison, 2001 and 2011



Source: Stats SA, Census 2001, Census 2011 and Quantec 2012, 2013 projections as contained in the Regional Development Profile West Coast District, 2013

According to the previous table the fastest growing population within the West Coast region was recorder in Saldanha and Swartland municipalities with a growth rate of 40.8% (Saldanha) and 57.7% (Swartland) respectively over the reporting period.

Population Growth

Table 1: Swartland Population growth from 2001 to 2011

Population group	2001	2011	Annual Growth
Black African	7 499	20 806	10.7%
Coloured	52 160	73 754	3.5%
Indian and Asian	297	584	7.0%
White	12 160	17 779	3.9%
Other	0	837	
Total Swartland	72 116	113 760	4.7%
West Coast District Total	282 673	391 766	3.3%

Source: Stats SA, Census 2011

The Swartland population increased from 65 300 in 1996 to 72 116 in 2001 and 113 760 in 2011 which represent an average growth rate of 4.7% per annum. The population in the West Coast District maintained an annual growth rate of 3.3%. Adequate planning is required to accommodate this population growth rate in order to minimize the increased pressures on the services delivery as well as provide adequate land for development to house these people in future.

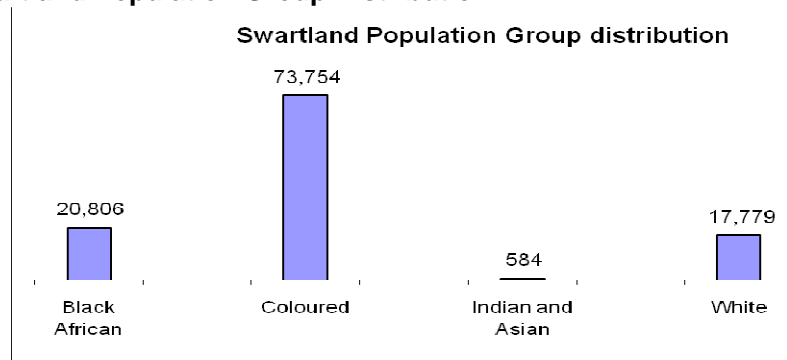
The following table provides the population numbers per population group within the different towns of the Swartland municipality as per the 2011 Census data.

Table 2: Swartland Population per population group and area, 2011

Area	Black African	Coloured	Indian or Asian	White	Other	Total
Moorreesburg (including Rosenhof)	864	9 026	33	2 901	51	12 875
Koringberg	39	1 032	1	136	6	1 214
Riebeek Wes	221	3 638	27	457	8	4 351
Ongegund	37	81	0	136	0	254
Riverlands	11	1 697	2	7	8	1 725
Chatsworth	215	1 989	53	15	54	2 326
Yzerfontein	102	65	6	928	40	1 141
Grotto Bay	15	2	0	187	15	219
Darling	896	8 536	41	849	98	10 420
Kalbaskraal	564	1 578	6	230	34	2 412
Abbotsdale	157	3 585	7	6	7	3 762
Malmesbury	8 929	19 868	191	6 588	319	35 895
Riebeek Kasteel (including Esterhof)	588	3 379	37	724	34	4 762
Swartland Non urban	8 168	19 278	180	4 615	163	32 404
TOTAL	20 806	73 754	584	17 779	837	113 760

Source: Stats SA, Census 2011

Figure 2: Swartland Population Group Distribution



Source: Stats SA, Census 2011

The different population groups within the Swartland represent the following percentage of the total population:

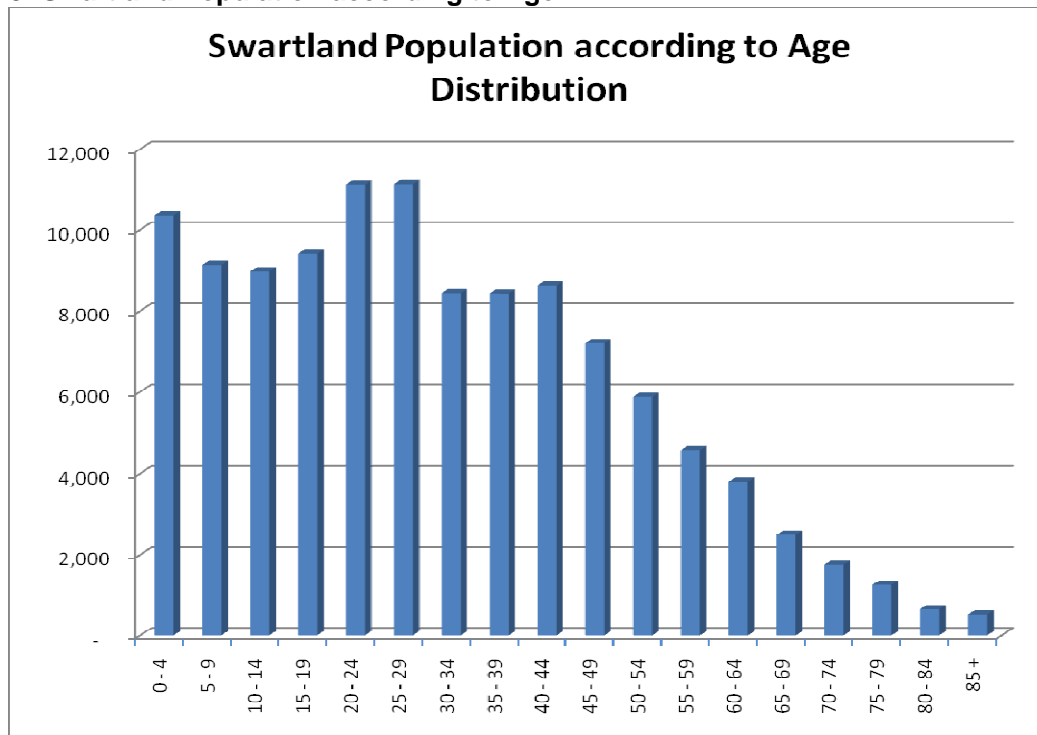
- Coloured – 64.8%.
- Black African – 18.3%
- White – 15.6%.
- Indian and Asian - 0.5%.
- Other – 0.7%.

Age Distribution

The population can be classified into three main age groups namely the children, ages 0 to 14 years, the working population of 15 to 64 years and persons of 65 years and older. The 2011 Census data for Swartland Municipality provide the following population composition per defined age groups:

- 25% children (0-14 years)
- 69.1% working age population (15-64 years)
- 5.9% persons 65 years and older.

Figure 3: Swartland Population according to Age



Source: Stats SA, Census 2011

There was a definite increase in the population in the age group of between 30 and 44 years since the previous census data in 2001, indicating a possible influx of people looking for work in the area.

Major first languages Spoken

The majority of the population, 76.2%, speak Afrikaans as their first language, followed by IsiXhosa (8.2%) and English (4.3%). The population speaking Afrikaans decreased by 12% between 2001 and 2011 with the English Speaking population increasing from 2.5% to 4.3%.

Table 3: Distribution of First Languages spoken in the Swartland

Languages	2001	2011
Afrikaans	88.14%	76.18%
IsiXhosa	7.99%	8.16%
English	2.54%	4.30%
Sesotho	0.95%	1.42%
Setswana	0.06%	0.43%
Sign language		0.21%

Source: Stats SA, Census 2011

3. Social development

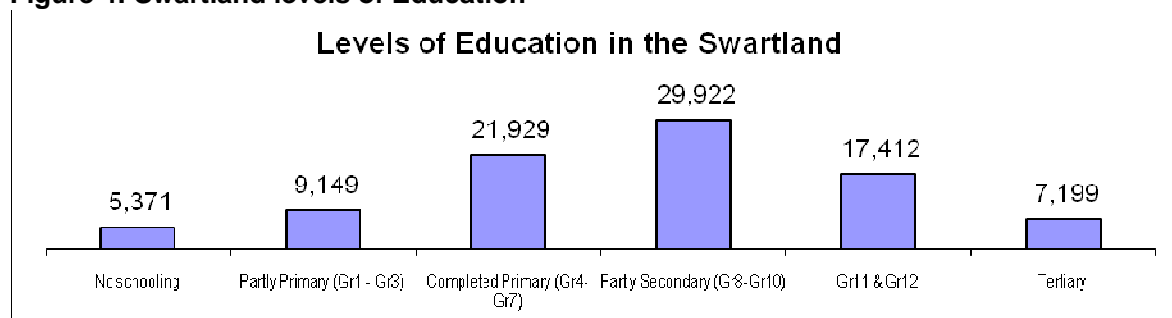
Education and training improves the access to employment opportunities and also help to sustain and accelerate the overall development in an area. It increases the number of opportunities from which a person can choose in order to reach their full potential and to life a fulfilling live. The level of education within an area influences the welfare of people through positive contributions that the people make in the area.

Literacy is the concept that is uses to indicate the minimum education level of people, with literacy defined as “the ability to read and write”. This generally represents a successful completion of a minimum of 7 years of formal education. The general literacy rate in the West Coast Region is

lower, 79.1%, than the provincial rate of 87.17%. Swartland Municipality has the second highest literate population in the West Coast Region, following Saldanha, with a literacy rate of 78.02%.

The following figure indicates the levels of education in the Swartland according to the 2011 Census data.

Figure 4: Swartland levels of Education



Source: Stats SA, Census 2011

The education levels in the community reflect what skills are available in the labour market. The level of education also provide and indication of the income potential and standard of living of the people in a particular geographical area. The following table indicates the level of higher education within the Swartland municipal area. The number of people that completed tertiary education has increased from 2001 when 7% of the total population in the Swartland completed tertiary education, to 7.9% in 2011.

Table 4: Tertiary level of Education in the Swartland

Level of education	Number of people in 2011
Grade 12	17 412
Higher diploma	1 761
Post Higher Diploma; Masters; Doctoral Diploma	186
Bachelor's Degree	1 079
Bachelor's Degree and Post Graduate Diploma	356
Honours Degree	414
Higher Degree Masters/Phd	314

Source: Stats SA, Census 2011

4. Socio-Economy

Many factors within the society determine the Socio economic level of the population includes household income, number of people in the workforce and levels of poverty.

Poverty Rate

The poverty rate within a society is the number of people living in a household with an income of less than the poverty line income. The poverty income is defined as the minimum monthly income needed to sustain a household and varies according to the household size and the area. The following poverty rates of the Swartland municipal area in terms of the other municipalities in the West Coast regions was sources from the Swartland IDP amendment of 2013.

Table 5: Poverty rate per municipality

Municipality	2001	2007	2010
Matzikama	35.3%	33.5%	31.7%
Cederberg	41.2%	41.9%	42.7%
Bergrivier	34.2%	34.0%	33.8%
Saldanha Bay	22.3%	22.8%	23.9%
Swartland	32.8%	27.6%	26.8%
West Coast District	32.0%	30.5%	30.4%

Source: Swartland IDP 2012-2017

The poverty rate within an area is always a cause of concern and factors that need to be considered. The above table show that the poverty levels in Swartland municipal area has declined substantially from 32.8% in 2001 to 26.8% in 2010. Even more should be done to provide increased opportunities and to support investment in the Swartland to continue to increase the employment levels and decrease the poverty levels in the area.

Employment

Economically active people are those between the ages of 15 and 65 years who choose to participate in the labour market by being willing to supply their labour in exchange for an income. Being economically active does not depend on being employed, as long as there is a desire, willingness and availability to work, even in that desire does not translate into employment, then you are seen as part of the labour force. The 2011 employment rate in the Swartland is 12.73% according to the National Census data of 2011, which represent a 2.5% increase from 2001 when the employment rate was 10.22%.

Table 6: Swartland Employment Status of population between 15 and 65 year

Employment Status	1996	2001	2011
Employed	25 262	27 536	40 650
Unemployed	2 358	3 121	5 928
Unemployment rate	8.5%	10.2%	12.7%

Source: Swartland IDP 2012-2017

The following table indicate the different portion of the population that is employed in the major employment sectors. The table place Swartland into perspective with the other municipal areas within the West Coast District.

Table 7: Employment by sector

Employment Sector	Percentage(%) employment per sector				
	Matzikama	Cederberg	Bergrivier	Saldanha Bay	Swartland
Agriculture; Hunting, Forestry and Fishing	32.2	39.2	30.3	20.4	27.1
Community; Social and Personal services	12.4	13.2	9.1	18.1	9.7
Construction	6.8	6.5	7.6	5.6	7.5
Electricity; Gas and Water supply	0.5	0	0	0.3	1.0
Financial; Insurance, Real estate and Business services	4.5	3.9	4.2	14.0	11.5
Manufacturing	10.1	7.0	12.0	12.0	16.7
Mining and Quarrying	2.1	1.2	0.3	2.6	0
Transport, Storage and Communication	5.2	2.6	1.7	5.0	1.8
Wholesale and Retail trade	10.7	11.3	16.1	11.2	11.2
Other and not adequately defined	8.9	6.7	9.2	5.2	9.1
Unspecified	6.5	8.5	9.4	5.6	4.3
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

Source: Swartland IDP 2012-2017 (Statistics South Africa, Community Survey 2007)

The largest portion of the Swartland population, 27.1%, was employed in the Agricultural related sectors during 2007, followed by manufacturing (16.7%) and financial, insurance, real estate and business services employing 11.5% of the labour market.

According to the Census data of the 2011 a total of 30.9% of the Swartland population is younger than 15 and older than 65 years of age, and therefore not formally part of the labour force, with 69.1% within the 15 to 65 year age group that are able to be economically active. This represents

quite a large portion of the population, which can be seen as a positive within the local labour market. The Community Survey undertaken by Statistics South Africa in 2007 also indicates that the Swartland Labour force is becoming increasingly skilled.

Table 8: Levels of Skills

Levels of skill	West Coast District	Saldanha Bay	Swartland
Occupation unspecified and not elsewhere classified	8.9	10.0	6.5
Low skilled	27.9	12.2	36.4
Skilled	41.9	49.3	36.9
High skilled	21.3	28.5	20.2

Source: Swartland IDP 2012-2017 (Statistics South Africa, Community Survey 2007)

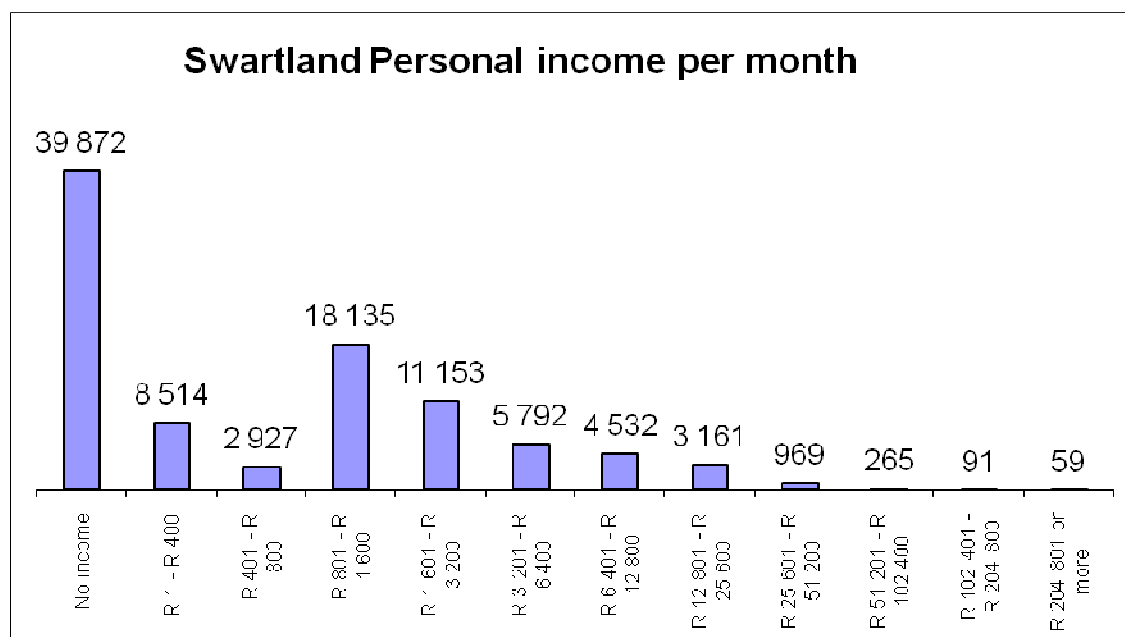
Annual household income

According to the table below the highest portion of households in Swartland earn an income in the income bracket of R19 601-R38200 per annum (21.7%) followed by those in the income bracket R38 201-R76 400 per annum (20.1%).

Table 9: Annual household income

Income	2001	2011
No income	4.6%	10.5%
R1 - R4800	3.0%	1.7%
R4 801 – R9 600	14.1%	2.6%
R9 601 – R19 600	19.3%	13.4%
R19 601 – R38 200	23.4%	21.7%
R38 201 – R76 400	18.2%	20.1%
R76 401 – R153 800	11.0%	13.0%
R153 801 – R307 600	4.4%	9.5%
R307 601 – R614 400	1.2%	5.5%
R614 401 – R1 228 800	0.3%	1.5%
R1 228 801 –R2 457 600	0.4%	0.4%
R2 457 601 or more	0.2%	0.2%

Source: Stats SA, Census 2011



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The majority of the population in the Swartland earn less than R3 500 per month which represents 84% of the population with 41% that indicated that they earn no income.

5. Summary

The diversity of the Swartland Economy and the locality in terms of a strong Agricultural sector as well as the close proximity to the Cape Town Metropolitan area will continue to bring stability and potential growth to the area. The increase in levels of education and skills development are additional catalysts that drive the economic growth in an area and that should be addressed through provision of the relevant infrastructure on a spatial level to accommodate more education facilities as well as generate interest for investment within the area. All these factors will result in a positive growth in the Swartland and will assist in increasing the quality of living in the area. This report suffices with the spatial challenges that were stated in the Status Quo Report Part 1 of the Swartland Spatial Development Plan of 2012.