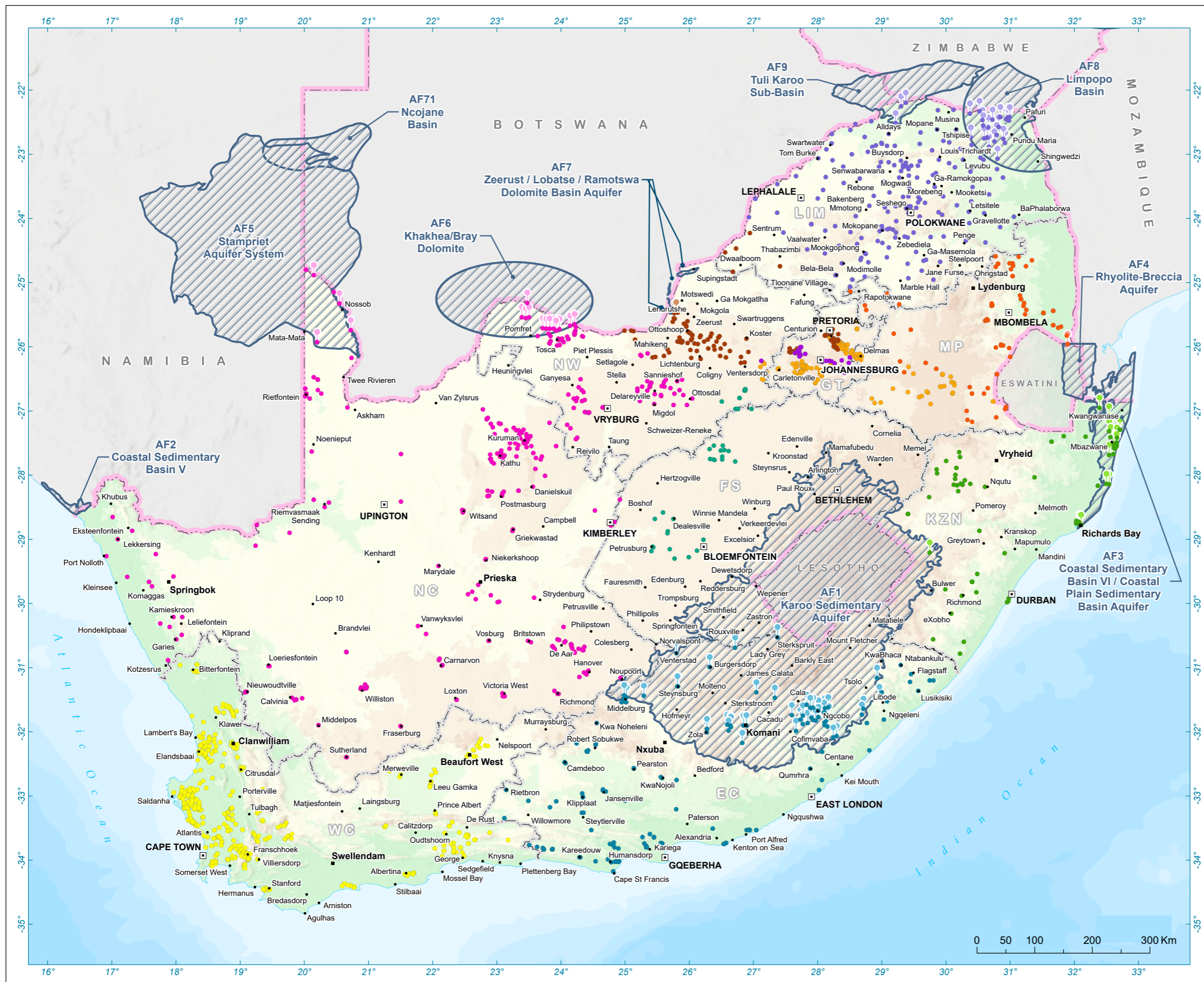


Distribution of the Groundwater Level Monitoring Sites within Transboundary Aquifers

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Description:
This map indicates the number of active groundwater level monitoring sites. The sites are grouped into ten groups with different colors to differentiate between the Regional Offices responsible for the monitoring thereof.

Data Sources:
Groundwater data: Department of Water & Sanitation (DWS), Directorate National Hydrological Services, Hydstra Database.
Transboundary Aquifers of the World [map]. Edition 2015. Delft, Netherlands: IGRAC (International Groundwater Resources Assessment Centre), 2015, UNESCO-IHP (UNESCO International Hydrological Programme), 2015.



Total Active Sites within TBA = 124

- Eastern Cape (52)
- Kwazulu Natal (25)
- Limpopo (27)
- Mpumalanga (1)
- North West (2)
- Northern Cape (17)

LEGEND

- Mayor City
- Major Town
- Groundwater Dependent Town (2024)
- Provincial Boundary
- International Boundary
- Transboundary Aquifers (TBA) 2015

Responsible Regional Office:

- Region1 - Western Cape
- Region2 - Eastern Cape
- Region3 - Kwazulu-Natal
- Region4 - Gauteng
- Region5 - Mpumalanga
- Region6 - Free State
- Region7 - Northern Cape
- Region8 - Limpopo
- Region10 - North West
- Acid Mine Drainage Region - National Office

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