CITY OF CAPE TOWN ISIXEKO SASEKAPA STAD KAAPSTAD

WEEKLY WATER DASHBOARD

14 November 2025

Headline Statistics

WCWSS DAM STORAGE

84.3

WEEKLY DAM LEVEL CHANGE
(%)

-1.60

AVERAGE TOTAL DAILY WATER USE (MLD)

991

Water Resource Status

WATER RESOURCE STATUS	MEANING OF CURRENT STATUS			
	'Continued water wise use encouraged due to lower than anticipated dams level, cautioning possible start of a drought cycle'			
Early Drought Caution	The main dams supplying the City are approximately 10% lower than last year - as shown on Page 3. While there is no immediate reason for concern and no expected restrictions for the next year, this updated drought risk status is part of the City's proactive approach to monitoring for and managing future droughts. This status and the corresponding actions are discussed in the Water Outlook 2022.			
	The Water Resource Status will be updated again in December 2025.			

Water Production from Different Sources

MAJOR DAMS (MLD)

978

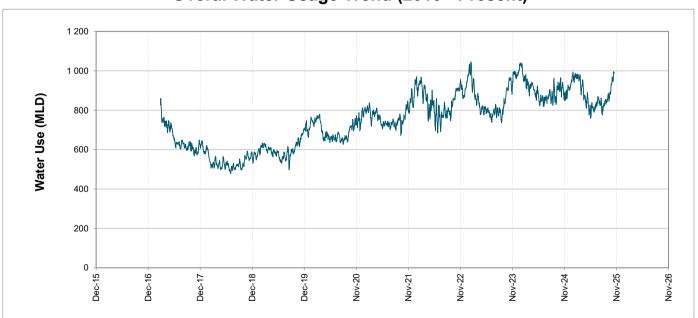
MINOR DAMS (MLD)

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GROUND WATER AND SPRINGS (MLD)

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Overal Water Usage Trend (2010 - Present)



WCWSS means Western Cape Water Supply System

MLD means million litres per day

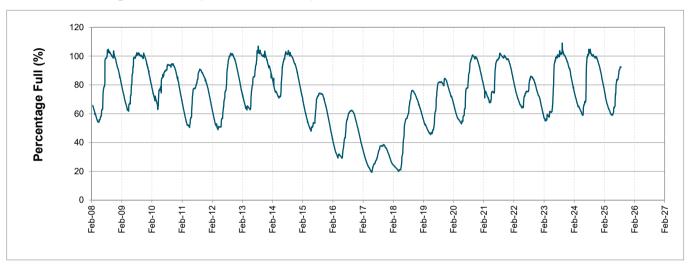
More information on Water Saving and Restrictions is available on the City of Cape Town's 'ThinkWater' website

Water Stored in Major Dams (WCWSS)

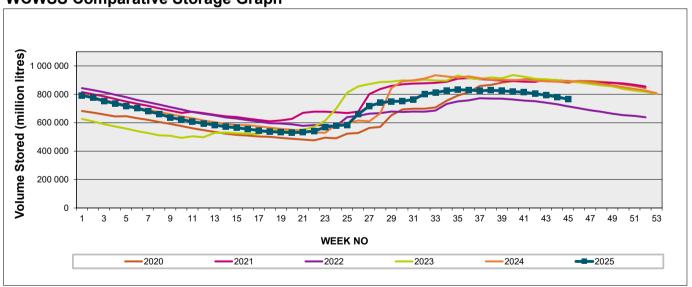
Overall Percentage Full 84.3% Weekly Change -1.6%

	STORAGE						
MAJOR DAMS (WCWSS)	CAPACITY	%	%	%	%	%	%
	MI	14 November 2025	Previous week	2024	2023	2022	2021
BERG RIVER	130 010	93.1	95.9	99.6	99.6	94.5	100.0
STEENBRAS LOWER	33 517	84.2	87.1	93.2	93.3	82.7	92.6
STEENBRAS UPPER	31 767	98.8	99.4	95.7	98.4	95.9	97.9
THEEWATERSKLOOF	480 188	77.9	79.2	99.1	98.2	75.6	100.2
VOËLVLEI	164 095	94.4	96.1	101.5	97.0	64.8	97.4
WEMMERSHOEK	58 644	81.3	82.2	98.5	100.0	86.6	94.0
TOTAL STORED	898 221	757 225	771 619	890 981	881 449	701 272	888 251
% STORAGE		84.3%	85.9%	99.2%	98.1%	78.1%	98.9%

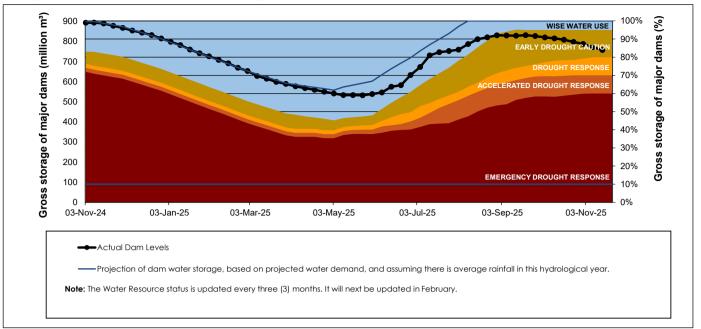
WCWSS Storage Record (2008 - Present)

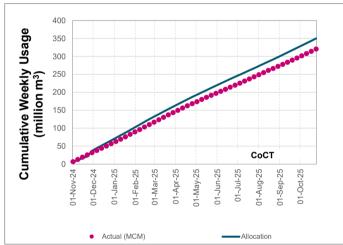


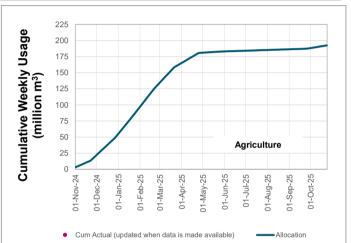
WCWSS Comparative Storage Graph



Projected WCWSS Dam Storage Levels







Water Stored in Minor Dams

Overall Percentage Full 69.0 Weekly Change -0.63

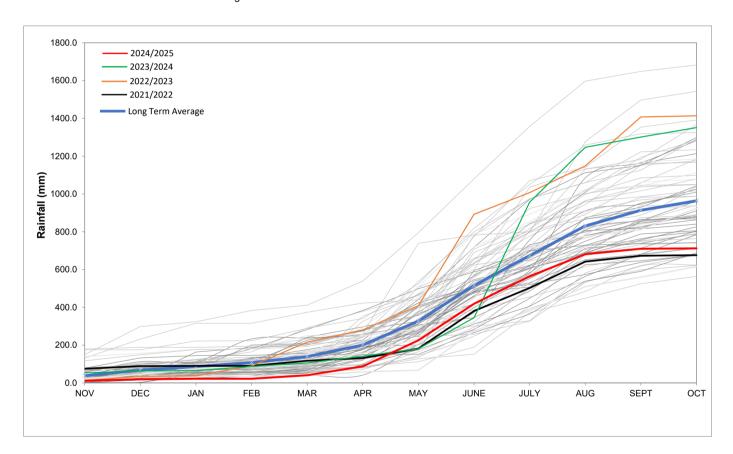
	STORAGE							
MINOR DAMS	CAPACITY %		%	%	%	%	%	
	MI	14 November 2025	Previous week	2024	2023	2022	2021	
ALEXANDRA (Table Mountain)	126	34.0	52.9	65.4	71.4	69.1	58.7	
DE VILLIERS (Table Mountain)	243	80.1	72.3	90.8	94.5	84.3	61.5	
HELY-HUTCHINSON (Table Mount	925	85.5	99.2	61.2	96.1	61.4	93.1	
KLEINPLAATS (Simon's Town)	1 368	55.1	55.7	54.9	87.2	60.6	96.9	
LAND-EN-ZEEZICHT (Helderberg)	451	100.0	100.0	97.8	99.4	80.3	100.0	
LEWIS GAY (Simon's Town)	182	97.2	92.6	82.2	93.9	57.3	89.1	
VICTORIA (Table Mountain)	128	48.5	65.9	95.8	95.4	94.3	99.3	
WOODHEAD (Table Mountain)	954	60.1	46.8	73.3	40.1	56.0	57.9	
Total Stored	4 377	3019.4	3047.0	3011.6	3481.4	2785.0	3651.9	
Percentages stored		69.0	69.6	68.8	79.5	63.6	83.4	

Rainfall Recorded

RAINFALL (mm)	07-Nov	08-Nov	09-Nov	10-Nov	11-Nov	12-Nov	13-Nov	Nov	
	U7-NOV							Total*	LT Average
Blackheath Upper	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	27.1
Brooklands								0.0	50.8
Newlands	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	60.3
Steenbras								0.0	49.3
Table Mountain (Woodhead)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	69.0
Theewaterskloof								0.0	36.4
Tygerberg	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	24.5
Voëlvlei								0.0	29.0
Wemmershoek	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	39.8
Wynberg								0.0	44.9
Notes: *Total/cummulative rainfall for month indicated above LT: Long Term									

Accumulated Monthly Rainfall at Wemmershoek

Note: Wemmershoek station used due to long record and mountainous location



Drinking Water Quality

SAMPLE PASS RATE

Month	Water Quality Compliance (%)	Target (%)		
Dec-21	99.09	98.00		
Jan-22	99.04	98.00		
Feb-22	99.04	98.00		
Mar-22	98.99	98.00		
Apr-22	98.96	98.00		
May-22	98.90	98.00		
Jun-22	98.96	98.00		
Jul-22	99.46	98.50		
Aug-22	99.47	98.50		
Sept-22	99.46	99.00		
Oct-22	99.47	99.00		
Nov-22	99.45	99.00		
Dec-22	99.36	99.00		
Jan-23	99.36	99.00		
Feb-23	99.35	99.00		
Mar-23	99.29	99.00		
Apr-23	99.24	99.00		
May-23	99.24	99.00		
Jun-23	99.18	99.00		
Jul-23	99.19	99.00		
Aug-23	99.14	99.00		
Sept-23	99.10	99.00		
Oct-23	99.10	99.00		
Nov-23	99.04	99.00		
Dec-23	99.15	99.00		
Jan-24	99.16	99.00		
Feb-24	99.12	99.00		
Mar-24	99.16	99.00		
Apr-24	99.20	99.00		
May-24	99.21	99.00		
Jun-24	99.26	99.00		
Jul-24	99.27	99.00		
Aug-24	99.31	99.00		
Sept-24	99.33	99.00		
Oct-24	99.37	99.00		
Nov-24	99.42	99.00		
Dec-24	99.42	99.00		
Jan-25	99.48	99.00		
Feb-25	99.57	99.00		
Mar-25	99.61	99.00		
Apr-25	99.65	99.00		
May-25	99.66	99.00		
Jun-25	99.62	99.00		
Jul-25	99.69	99.00		
Aug-25	99.69	99.00		
Sept-25	99.70	99.00		

This table shows CCT drinking water quality compliance according to the South African National Standard 241:2015. Compliance, measured against all prescribed chemical and microbiological components, consistently exceeds the very high CCT target of 99%. (Overall compliance percentages of continuous sampling and analysis are released on a monthly basis.