

A Demographic profile of Ward 55 within the Nelson Mandela Bay Area

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Abstract:

The information and tables that follow are based upon the Census 2011 information as obtained from Statistics SA (StatsSA).

This information can be used and quoted as the official information for the ward number listed whilst giving credit to StatsSA and the writer. Key results for the ward, in addition to the tables extracted are obtained within the report. The only additions to the tables extracted from StatsSA are the totals rows and columns with percentages. The format was inspired by City of Cape Town Ward reports generated by the Strategic Development Information and GIS Department.

**NMB Wards (2011)
Ward 55**



Ward 55: Description

Ward 55 has a geographical area of 2.17km² and the Census 2011 registered this ward as having a total population of 26 472. This ward has a higher female population than male with 48% males and 52% females. A total of 99% are Black African and the main language used in the households is isiXhosa spoken by 93% of the population.

This ward has the following community services:

- 1x Fire Station
- 2x Primary Schools
- 1x Clinics
- 1x Customer Care Centre
- 1x Ward Office

Key Results for Ward 55:

- The population is predominantly Black African.
- The population consist largely of females
- 49% of the population are aged between 25 -64
- 27% of the population 20 years of age or older have completed Grade 12 or higher.
- 28% of the working population (15 – 64) is employed.
- 49% are unemployed or discouraged work-seeker.
- 86% of households have a monthly income of R3183 or less.
- 100% of the Households (7831) are located within the urban area.
- 92% Live in formal dwellings
- The average household size consists of 3.38 people.
- 81% of households have access to piped (tap) water inside their dwelling.
- 94% of households have access to a flush toilet connected to the public sewer system.
- 85% of households have their refuse removed at least once a week.
- 90% of households have access to electricity for cooking in their dwelling.
- 93% of households have access to electricity for lighting in their dwelling.
- 46% of households have access to electricity for heating in their dwelling.

Statistics South Africa (StatsSA) defined a household as a group of people who live together, and provide jointly with food and other essentials for living or alternatively, a single person who lives alone.

Please Note: When Statistics South Africa calculated the true population, there were omissions and duplicate counts encountered during the enumeration process which needed to be rectified. This resulted in small variations in the totals for populations and households within the tables located in this report. These variations are not significant however, they will account for the varying totals.

Ward 55	Black African		Coloured		Indian or Asian		White		Other		Grand Total	
Population Group by Age groups	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%
0 - 4	3156	12.03%	11	26.19%	2	7.69%	3	21.43%	16	10.88%	3188	12.04%
5 - 14	4575	17.43%	3	7.14%	7	26.92%	2	14.29%	9	6.12%	4596	17.36%
15 - 24	5047	19.23%	6	14.29%	7	26.92%	0	0.00%	26	17.69%	5086	19.21%
25 - 64	12721	48.47%	21	50.00%	10	38.46%	9	64.29%	96	65.31%	12857	48.57%
65 - 120	744	2.84%	1	2.38%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	745	2.81%
Total	26243	100.00%	42	100.00%	26	100.00%	14	100.00%	147	100.00%	26472	100.00%

Ward 55	Male		Female		Grand Total	
Population Group by Gender	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%
Black African	12653	98.79%	13590	99.46%	26243	99.13%
Coloured	17	0.13%	26	0.19%	43	0.16%
Indian or Asian	20	0.16%	6	0.04%	26	0.10%
White	10	0.08%	4	0.03%	14	0.05%
Other	108	0.84%	38	0.28%	146	0.55%
Total	12808	100.00%	13664	100.00%	26472	100.00%

Ward 55 Adult Education (Ages 20+)	Black African		Coloured		Indian or Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%
No schooling	1062	6.6%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	25	21.6%	1087	6.7%
Some Primary School	1835	11.4%	3	12.0%	2	11.8%	0	0.0%	11	9.5%	1851	11.4%
Completed Primary School	661	4.1%	1	4.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.9%	663	4.1%
Some Secondary School	8151	50.6%	15	60.0%	7	41.2%	4	50.0%	29	25.0%	8206	50.4%
Completed Grade 12	4269	26.5%	6	24.0%	8	47.1%	0	0.0%	48	41.4%	4331	26.6%
Tertiary Education	115	0.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	4	50.0%	1	0.9%	120	0.7%
Other	10	0.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.9%	11	0.1%
Unspecified	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Total	16103	100.0%	25	100.0%	17	100.0%	8	100.0%	116	100.0%	16269	100.0%

Ward 55 Official Employment Status (Ages 15 - 65)	Male		Female		Total	
	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%
Employed	2884	33.41%	2116	22.55%	5000	27.75%
Unemployed	3235	37.47%	4060	43.27%	7295	40.49%
Discouraged work-seeker	623	7.22%	863	9.20%	1486	8.25%
Other not economically active	1857	21.51%	2304	24.56%	4161	23.10%
Age less than 15 years	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
Not applicable	34	0.39%	39	0.42%	73	0.41%
Total	8633	100.00%	9382	100.00%	18015	100.00%

Ward 55 Official Employment Status (Ages 15-65)	Black African		Coloured		Indian or Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%
Employed	4900	27.46%	10	38.46%	4	25.00%	4	50.00%	81	66.94%	4999	27.75%
Unemployed	7249	40.63%	12	46.15%	10	62.50%	1	12.50%	22	18.18%	7294	40.50%
Discouraged work-seeker	1478	8.28%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	1	12.50%	7	5.79%	1486	8.25%
Other not economically active	4141	23.21%	4	15.38%	2	12.50%	2	25.00%	11	9.09%	4160	23.10%
Age less than 15 years	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
Not applicable	73	0.41%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	73	0.41%
Total	17841	100.00%	26	100.00%	16	100.00%	8	100.00%	121	100.00%	18012	100.00%

Ward 55 Type of Dwelling	Black African		Coloured		Indian or Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%
Urban area	7761	100.00%	10	100.00%	7	100.00%	3	100.00%	50	100.00%	7831	100.00%
Tribal or Traditional area	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
Farm	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
Total	7761	100.00%	10	100.00%	7	100.00%	3	100.00%	50	100.00%	7831	100.00%

Ward 55 Geographical Type & Households	Formal Households		Formal Households in Backyard		Informal Households		Informal Households in Backyard		Other		Total	
	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%
Urban area	7189	100.00%	17	100.00%	334	100.00%	252	100.00%	39	100.00%	7831	100.00%
Tribal or Traditional area	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
Farm	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
Total	7189	100.00%	17	100.00%	334	100.00%	252	100.00%	39	100.00%	7831	100.00%

Ward 55 Type of Dwelling	Black African		Coloured		Indian or Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Formal Dwelling	7126	91.81%	9	90.00%	6	85.71%	2	66.67%	47	94.00%	7190	91.80%
Informal Dwelling	333	4.29%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	1	33.33%	0	0.00%	334	4.26%
Formal Backyard Dwelling	16	0.21%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	1	2.00%	17	0.22%
Informal Backyard Dwelling	248	3.20%	1	10.00%	1	14.29%	0	0.00%	2	4.00%	252	3.22%
Other	39	0.50%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	39	0.50%
Total	7762	100.00%	10	100.00%	7	100.00%	3	100.00%	50	100.00%	7832	100.00%

Ward 55 Access to Piped Water	Black African		Coloured		Indian or Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Piped (tap) water inside dwelling	6292	81.07%	8	80.00%	7	100.00%	2	66.67%	43	86.00%	6352	81.11%
Piped (tap) water inside yard	1117	14.39%	2	20.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	6	12.00%	1125	14.37%
Piped (tap) water < 200m away	201	2.59%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	1	2.00%	202	2.58%
Piped (tap) water > 200m away	126	1.62%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	1	33.33%	0	0.00%	127	1.62%
No access to piped (tap) water	25	0.32%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	25	0.32%
Total	7761	100.00%	10	100.00%	7	100.00%	3	100.00%	50	100.00%	7831	100.00%

Ward 55 Energy or Fuel for Cooking	Black African		Coloured		Indian or Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Electricity	6998	90.17%	10	100.00%	6	85.71%	2	66.67%	50	100.00%	7067	90.22%
Gas	36	0.46%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	36	0.46%
Solar	8	0.10%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	8	0.10%
Other	702	9.05%	0	0.00%	1	14.29%	1	33.33%	0	0.00%	705	9.00%
None	17	0.22%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	17	0.22%
Total	7761	100.00%	10	100.00%	7	100.00%	3	100.00%	50	100.00%	7833	100.00%

Ward 55 Energy or Fuel for Lighting	Black African		Coloured		Indian or Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Electricity	7254	93.47%	10	100.00%	7	100.00%	2	66.67%	50	100.00%	7323	93.49%
Gas	11	0.14%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	11	0.14%
Solar	6	0.08%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	6	0.08%
Other	475	6.12%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	1	33.33%	0	0.00%	476	6.08%
None	16	0.21%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	16	0.20%
Total	7762	100.01%	10	100.00%	7	100.00%	3	100.00%	50	100.00%	7832	99.99%

Ward 55 Energy or Fuel for Heating	Black African		Coloured		Indian or Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Electricity	3545	45.68%	3	30.00%	3	42.86%	1	33.33%	41	82.00%	3594	45.88%
Gas	73	0.94%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	73	0.93%
Solar	7	0.09%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	7	0.09%
Other	1615	20.81%	5	50.00%	2	28.57%	0	0.00%	2	4.00%	1624	20.73%
None	2521	32.48%	2	20.00%	1	14.29%	2	66.67%	7	14.00%	2534	32.35%
Total	7761	100.00%	10	100.00%	6	85.71%	3	100.00%	50	100.00%	7832	99.99%

Ward 55 Toilet Facilities	Black African		Coloured		Indian or Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
None	52	0.67%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	1	2.00%	53	0.68%
Flush toilet (connected to sewerage system)	7298	94.02%	10	100.00%	7	100.00%	1	33.33%	48	96.00%	7364	94.02%
Flush toilet (with septic tank)	47	0.61%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	1	33.33%	1	2.00%	49	0.63%
Chemical toilet	5	0.06%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	5	0.06%
Pit toilet with ventilation (VIP)	8	0.10%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	8	0.10%
Pit toilet without ventilation	7	0.09%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	7	0.09%
Bucket toilet	332	4.28%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	1	33.33%	0	0.00%	333	4.25%
Other	13	0.17%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	13	0.17%
Total	7762	100.00%	10	100.00%	7	100.00%	3	100.00%	50	100.00%	7832	100.00%

Ward 55 Refuse Disposal	Black African		Coloured		Indian or Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Removed by local authority/private company at least once a week	6583	84.82%	9	90.00%	6	85.71%	2	66.67%	49	98.00%	6649	84.91%
Removed by local authority/private company less often	784	10.10%	1	10.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	1	2.00%	786	10.04%
Communal refuse dump	116	1.49%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	116	1.48%
Own refuse dump or Other	185	2.38%	0	0.00%	1	14.29%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	186	2.38%
No rubbish disposal	93	1.20%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	1	33.33%	0	0.00%	94	1.20%
Total	7761	100.00%	10	100.00%	7	100.00%	3	100.00%	50	100.00%	7831	100.00%

	Ward 55 - Source of Water	
	Total	%
Regional/local water scheme (operated by municipality or other water services provider)	7548	96.37%
Borehole - Rain water tank	13	0.17%
Dam/pool/stagnant water - River/stream	2	0.03%
Water vendor	7	0.09%
Water tanker	9	0.11%
Other	253	3.23%
Not applicable	0	0.00%
Total	7832	100.00%

	Ward 55 - Main Language	
	Total	%
Afrikaans	158	0.60%
English	723	2.73%
IsiNdebele	85	0.32%
IsiXhosa	24699	93.30%
IsiZulu	60	0.23%
Sepedi	62	0.23%
Sesotho	68	0.26%
Setswana	27	0.10%
Sign language	131	0.49%
SiSwati	8	0.03%
Tshivenda	1	0.00%
Xitsonga	27	0.10%
Other	423	1.60%
Unspecified	0	0.00%
Not applicable	0	0.00%
Total	26472	100.00%

No of People	Ward 55 - Household Size	
	Total	%
1	1819	23.22%
2	1380	17.62%
3	1397	17.83%
4	1340	17.11%
5	823	10.51%
6	491	6.27%
7	254	3.24%
8	147	1.88%
9	80	1.02%
10+	102	1.30%
	7833	100.00%