



KEY STATISTICS:

	NORTH	EAST	SOUTH	TOTAL
POPULATION	857 029	707 357	721 990	2 026 381
UNEMPLOYED	71 296	124 253	123 918	319 467
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.02 %	14.12 %	13.75 %	21.91 % <i>(Average)</i>
NUMBER OF WARDS	26	31	31	88

NOTE: Demographic Data based on the 1996 National Census. Actual figures are up to 20% higher than those reflected. A process to update the statistical database for the East Rand Metro is to be initiated by the Urban Planning & Economic Development Department.

Northern SDR

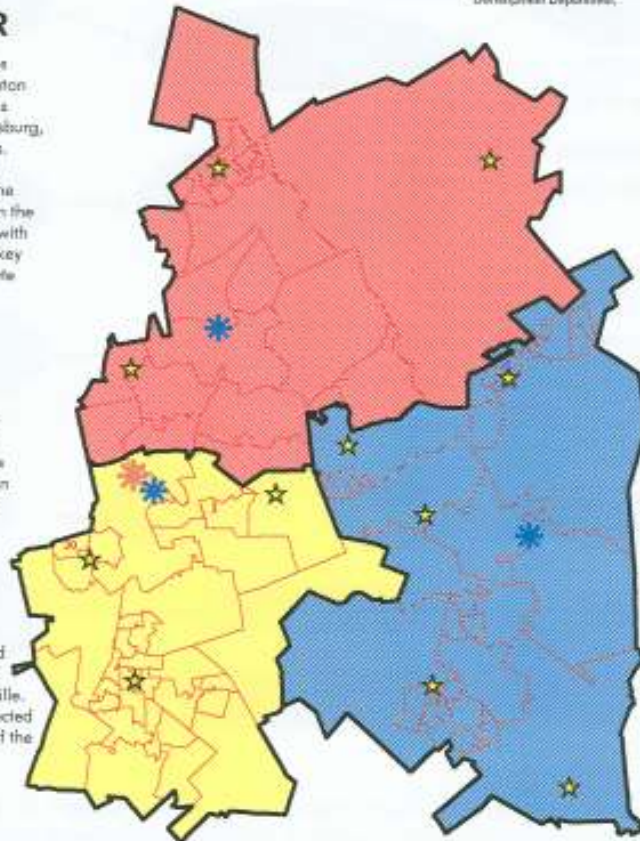
The Northern SDR comprises the areas of Tembisa, Kempton Park, Edenvale, and portions of the old Germiston, Boksburg, Benoni and Brankpan areas.

The economic structure of the Northern SDR is focussed on the JA and surrounding areas, with the R21 corridor forming a key linkage and accessibility route within the sub-region.

Southern SDR

The Southern SDR comprises the bulk of the old Germiston area, Alberton, Katlehong, Tokago, Vosloorus, and portions of the old Boksburg, Brankpan and Eikenhof areas.

The economic structure of the Southern SDR is focussed on the established industrial nodes of Alrode and Wadeville. The sub-region is well connected to the main east-west core of the Metro.

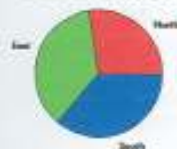


Eastern SDR

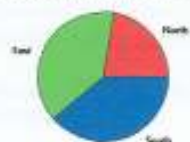
The Eastern SDR comprises the areas of Daveyton, Erwitwa, Nigel, Springs, Kwa-Thema, Tsakane, Duduza and portions of the old Benoni and Brankpan areas.

The economic structure of the Eastern SDR is focussed on the established, albeit declining, industrial areas of the far East Rand, as well as the potential offered by initiatives such as the GDAC and Dunnottar.

POPULATION



UNEMPLOYMENT



Map 4: SDR Boundaries

- Eastern SDR
- Northern SDR
- Southern SDR
- ★ Metro HQ
- ★ Regional SDR Node
- Community Service Centre



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