

# WATER SUPPLY & USAGE STATISTICS

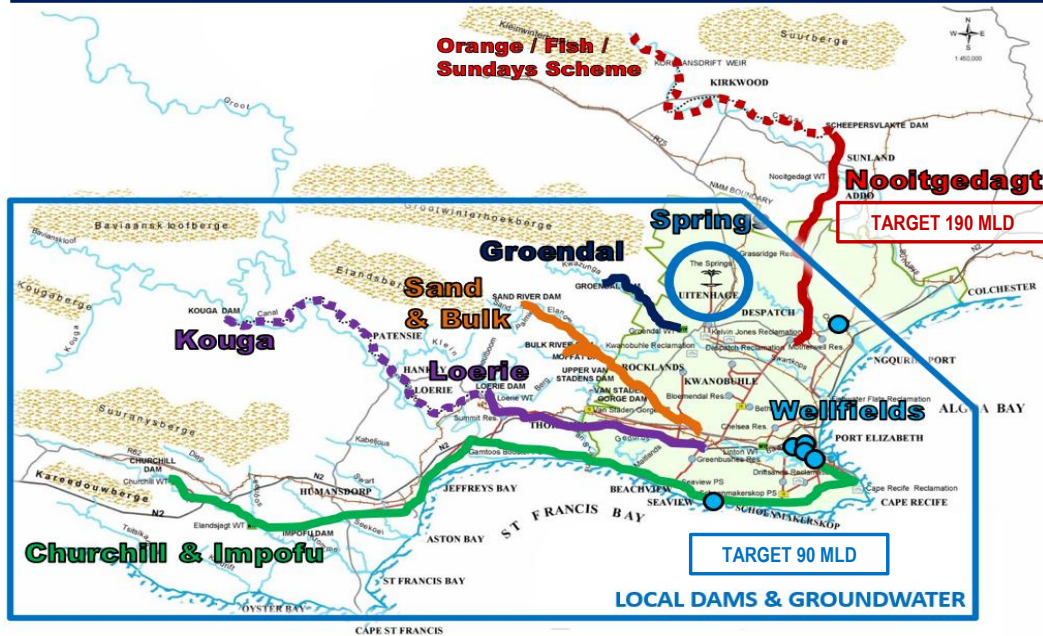
as at Thursday, 09 April 2026

TOTAL DAM STORAGE	CHANGE FROM A WEEK AGO	WATER PRODUCED (SEVEN-DAY AVERAGE)
<b>37.86%</b>	<b>-0.81%</b>	<b>377 MLD</b>

**NMBM TARGET DEMAND = 280 MILLION LITRES PER DAY (MLD)**

**97 MLD USED OVER TARGET!**

## NMBM POTABLE WATER BULK SUPPLY SYSTEM



\* Note that the targets consider infrastructure reliability, system interconnectivity, and recovery of local dams.

## 28.86% AVAILABLE LOCAL DAM STORAGE!

System	Dam	Storage capacity (ML)	Current storage (%)	Dead storage (%)	Available storage (%)	Available water (ML)
Kromme	Churchill	35,240	38.67	7.5	31.17	10,984
	Impofu	105,757	37.86	16.5	21.36	22,590
Kouga	Loerie	3,026	41.47	19.0	22.47	680
	Kouga	125,910	34.09	3.3	30.79	38,768
Groendal	Groendal	11,638	75.07	4.2	70.87	8,248
<b>Total</b>		<b>281,571</b>	<b>37.86</b>	<b>9.0</b>	<b>28.86</b>	<b>81,269</b>

\* The barges have been decommissioned, hence the increase to the dead storage volume at Impofu Dam.

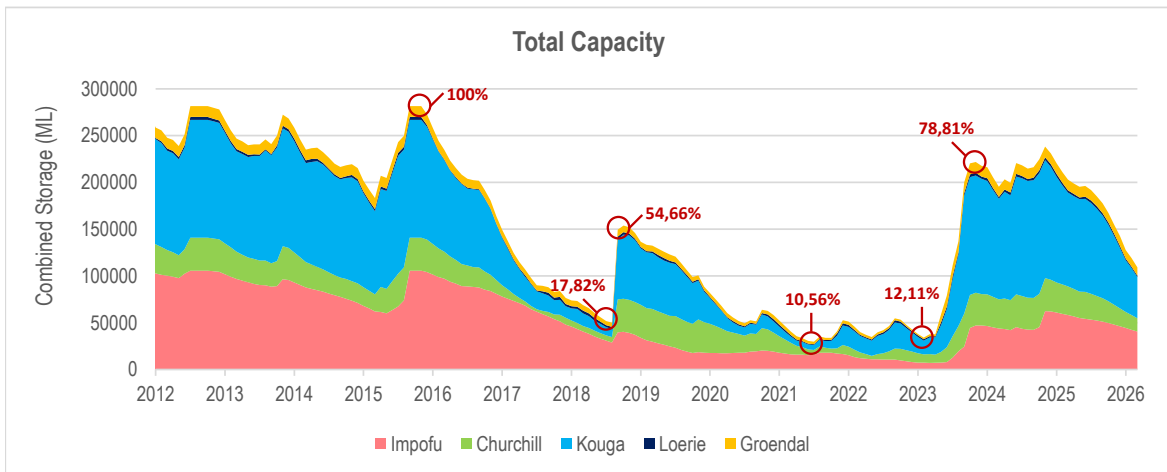
## WHEN WILL LOCAL DAMS RUN DRY?

System	Dam	Available water (ML)	ALLOCATION		ACTUAL	
			Usage (MLD)	Water remaining (Days)	Usage (MLD)	Water remaining (Days)
Kromme	Churchill	10,984	78	430	110	305
	Impofu	22,590				
Kouga	Loerie	680	216	183	227	174
	Kouga	38,768				
Groendal	Groendal	8,248	13	634	11	750

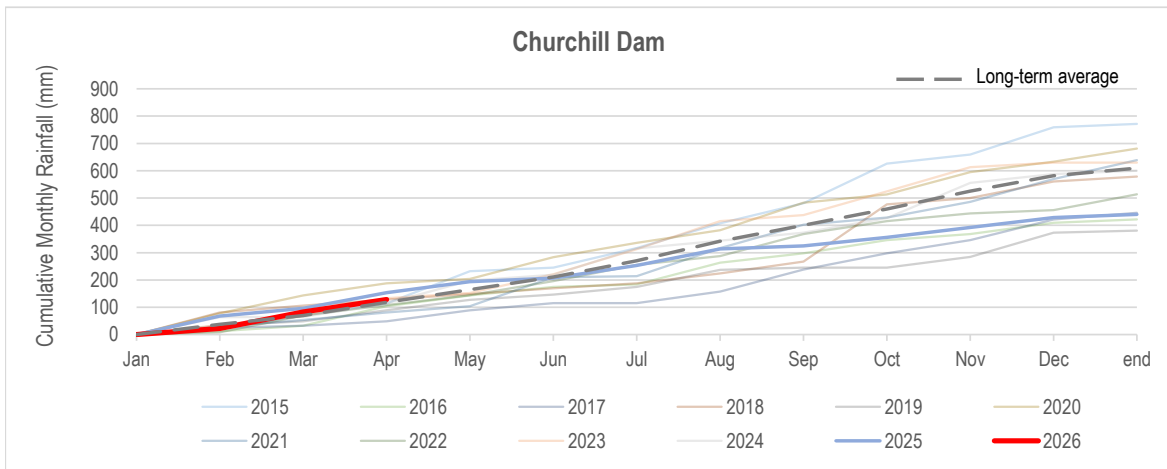
\* Allocation from Kouga Dam (216MLD) includes the NMBM's allocation from Loerie Dam (57MLD), Gamtoos Water (135MLD), Hankey & Patensie (3MLD), direct irrigators (2MLD) and canal losses (19MLD).

\* Note that restrictions have been imposed by the Department of Water & Sanitation for the NMBM on the Kromme System (25%) and the Kouga System (10%) effective from 01 November 2025.

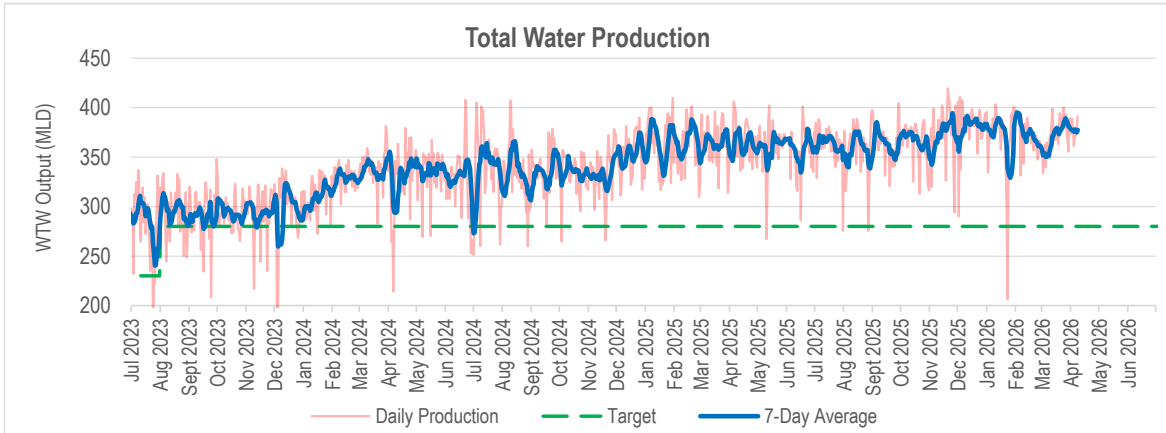
## LOCAL DAM STORAGE



## RAINFALL IN CATCHMENT AREAS



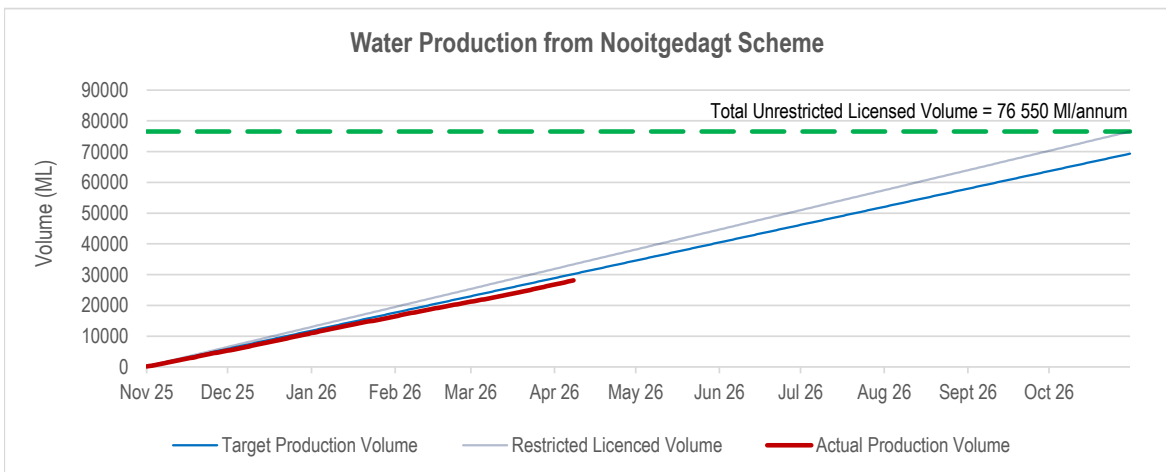
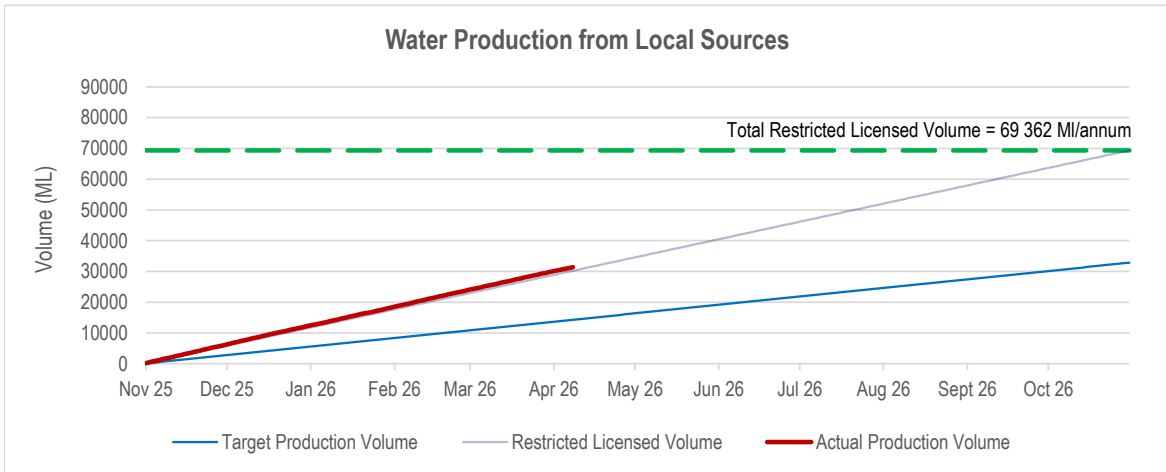
## WATER SUPPLIED BY NMBM



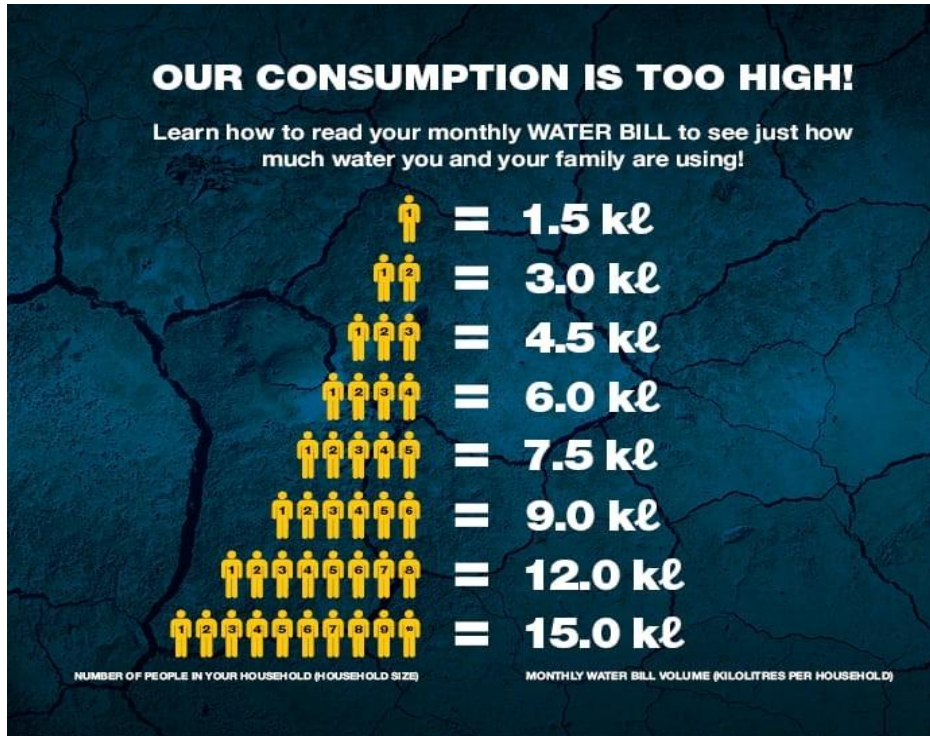
<b>167 MLD</b>	<b>195 MLD</b>	<b>15 MLD</b>
<b>Local Dams</b>	<b>Nooitgedagt Scheme</b>	<b>Groundwater</b>

\* Groundwater output is currently limited by licensed abstraction volumes, required quality blending ratios, and operational limitations.

## LICENSED ABSTRACTION BY NMBM



## WHAT SHOULD I DO?



## ONLY USE 50 LITRES PER PERSON PER DAY



**2ℓ**

Drinking water



**2ℓ**

Cooking water



**2ℓ**

Washing hands



**9ℓ**

1 toilet flush



**10ℓ**

2 minute shower



**9ℓ**

1 sink of dishes



**5ℓ**

Household cleaning



**1ℓ**

Water for pets



**10ℓ**

Laundry

**AVOID  
DRY  
TAPS!**

**SAVE WATER NOW!**