

WATER SUPPLY & USAGE STATISTICS

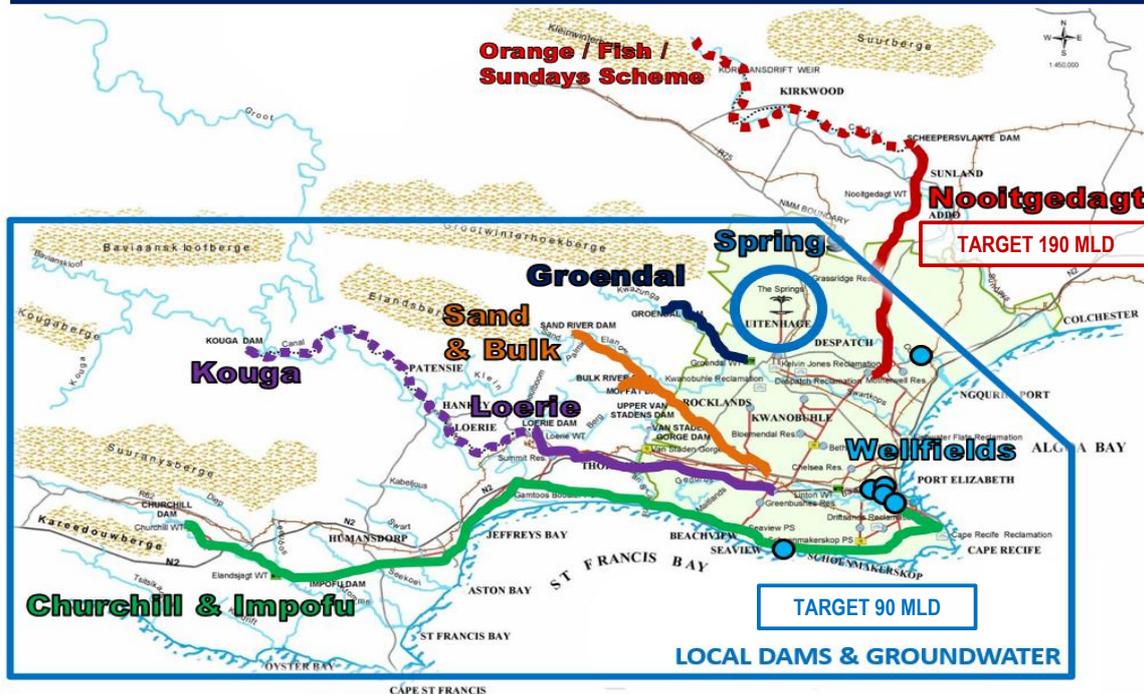
as at Monday, 12 January 2026

TOTAL DAM STORAGE	CHANGE FROM A WEEK AGO	WATER PRODUCED (SEVEN-DAY AVERAGE)
48.73%	-1.92%	384 MLD

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

104 MLD USED OVER TARGET!

NMBM POTABLE WATER BULK SUPPLY SYSTEM



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

39.75% AVAILABLE LOCAL DAM STORAGE!

System	Dam	Storage capacity (ML)	Current storage (%)	Dead storage (%)	Available storage (%)	Available water (ML)
Kromme	Churchill	35,240	52.03	7.5	44.53	15,692
	Impofu	105,757	43.11	16.5	26.61	28,142
Kouga	Loerie	3,026	61.80	19.0	42.80	1,295
	Kouga	125,910	48.48	3.3	45.18	56,886
Groendal	Groendal	11,638	89.24	4.2	85.04	9,897
Total		281,571	48.73	9.0	39.75	111,913

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

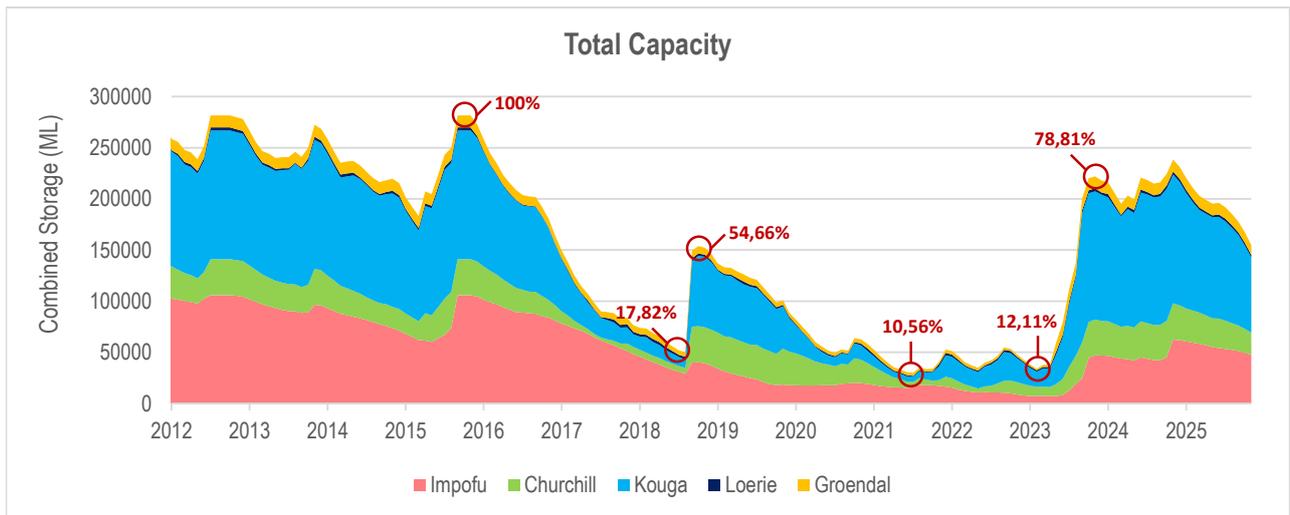
WHEN WILL LOCAL DAMS RUN DRY?

System	Dam	Available water (ML)	ALLOCATION		ACTUAL	
			Usage (MLD)	Water remaining (Days)	Usage (MLD)	Water remaining (Days)
Kromme	Churchill	15,692	78	562	111	395
	Impofu	28,142				
Kouga	Loerie	1,295	245	237	228	255
	Kouga	56,886				
Groendal	Groendal	9,897	13	761	11	900

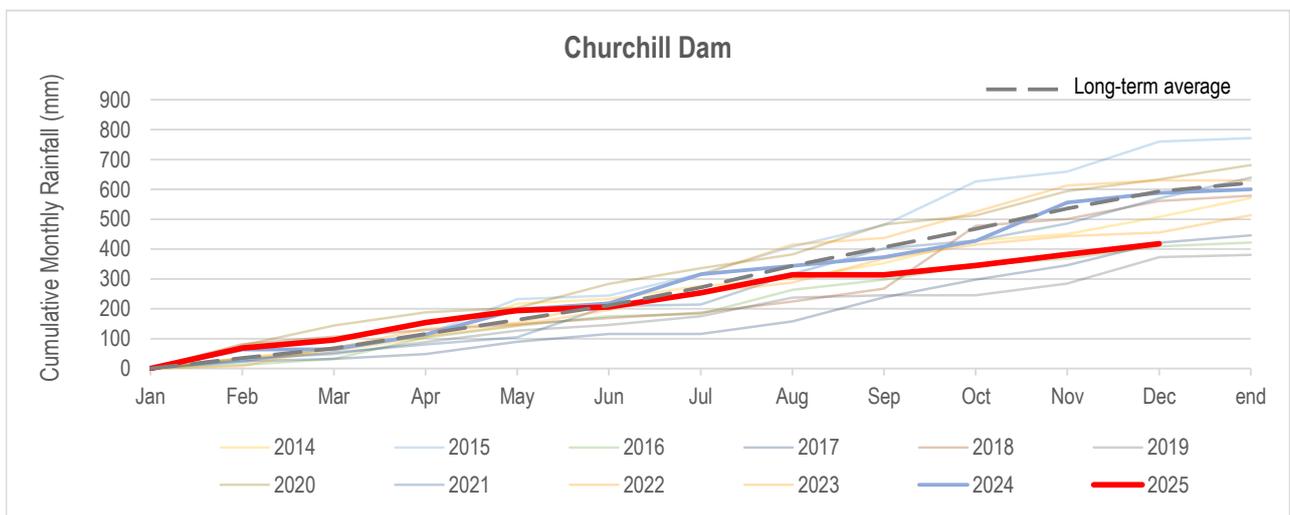
* Allocation from Kouga Dam (251MLD) includes the NMBM's allocation from Loerie Dam (63MLD), Gamtoos Water (165MLD), Hankey & Patensie (2MLD), direct irrigators (2MLD) and canal losses (19MLD).

* Note that restrictions imposed by the Department of Water & Sanitation have been lifted for the Kouga & Groendal Systems. Restrictions for NMBM on Kromme System (23%) active from 01 Nov 2024.

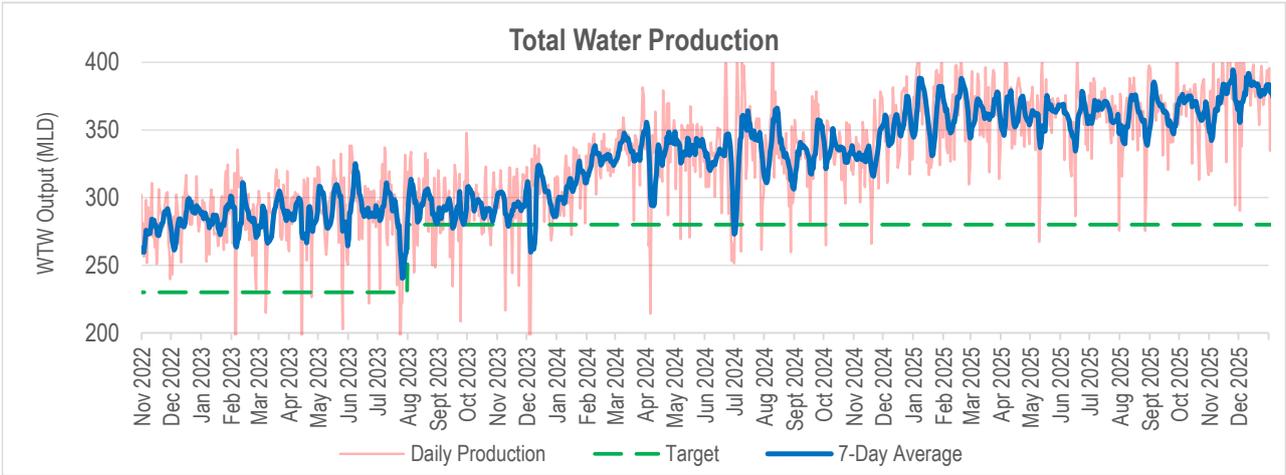
LOCAL DAM STORAGE



RAINFALL IN CATCHMENT AREAS



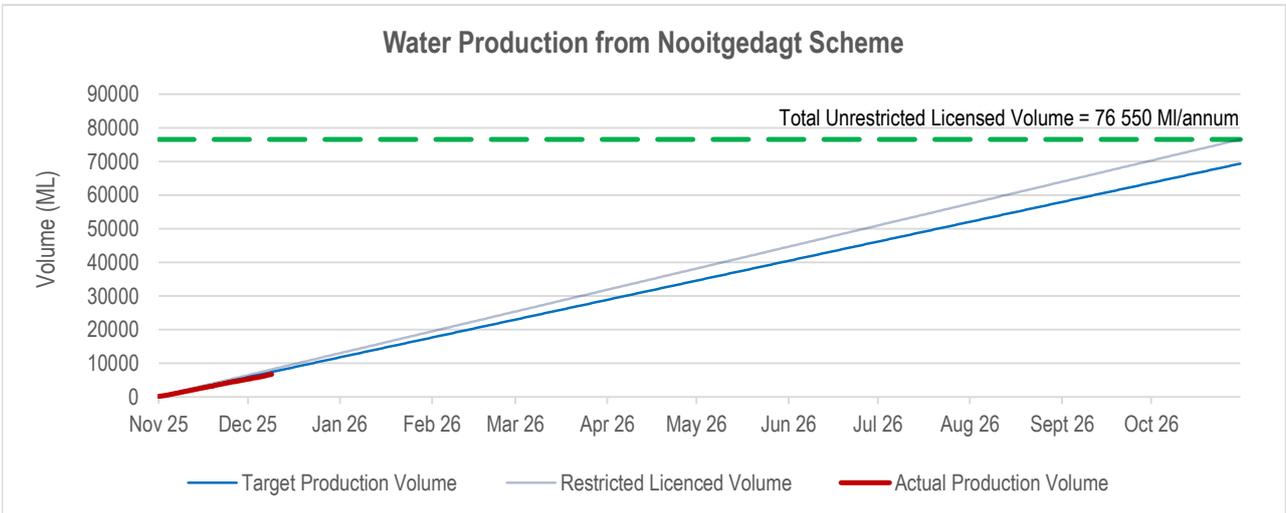
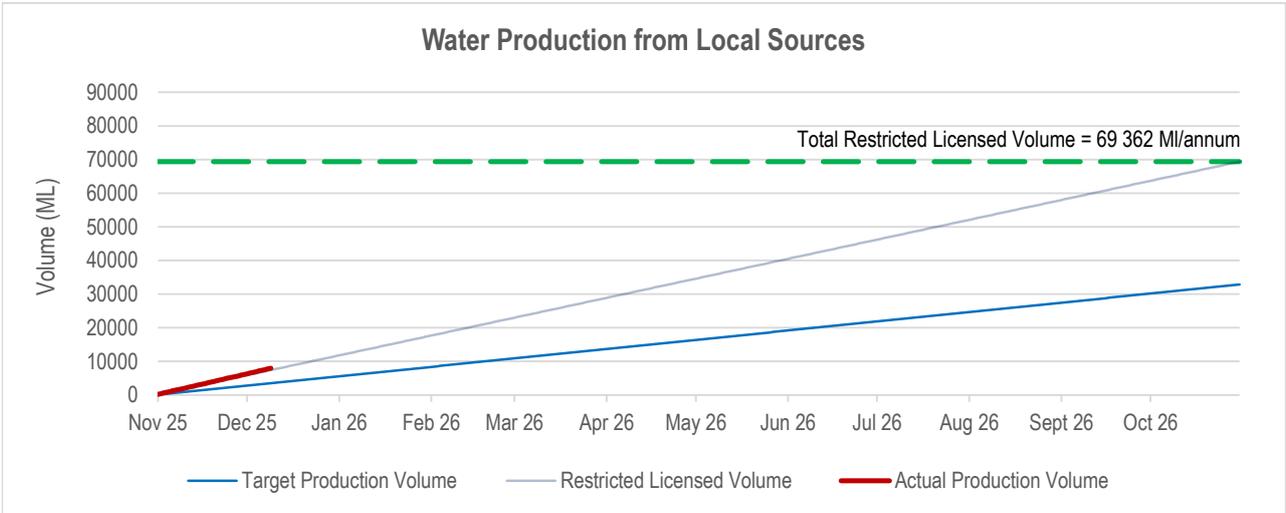
WATER SUPPLIED BY NMBM



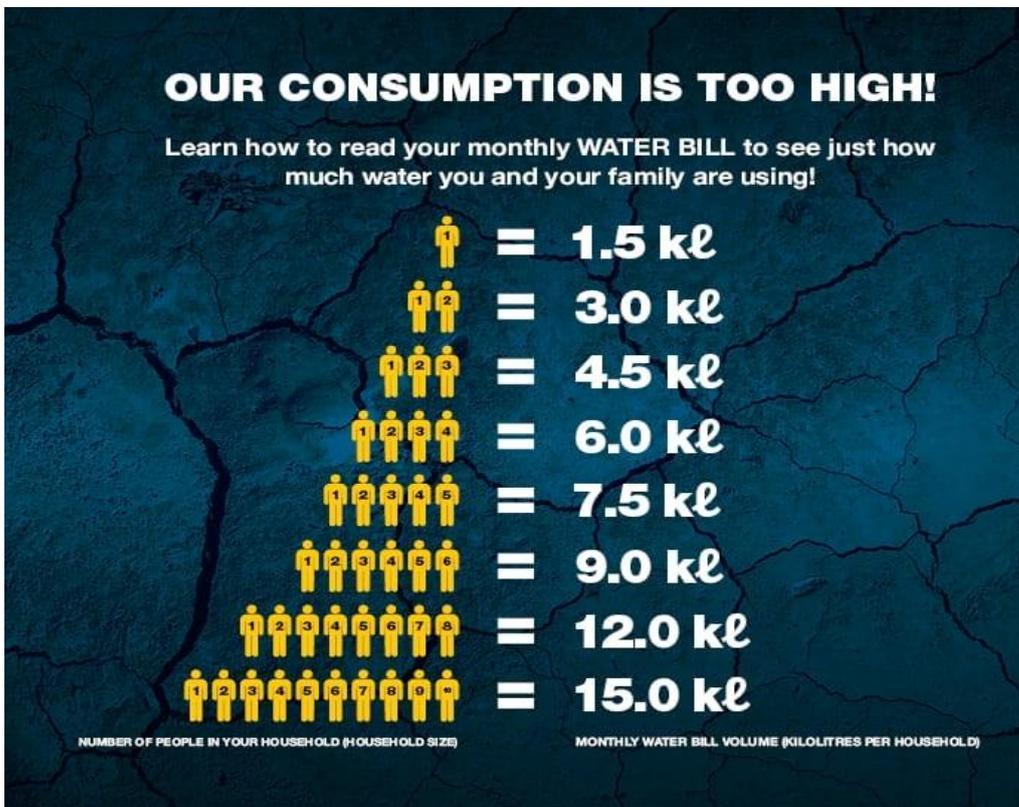
183 MLD	188 MLD	13 MLD
Local Dams	Nooitgedagt Scheme	Groundwater

* 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!