

National COVID-19 daily report



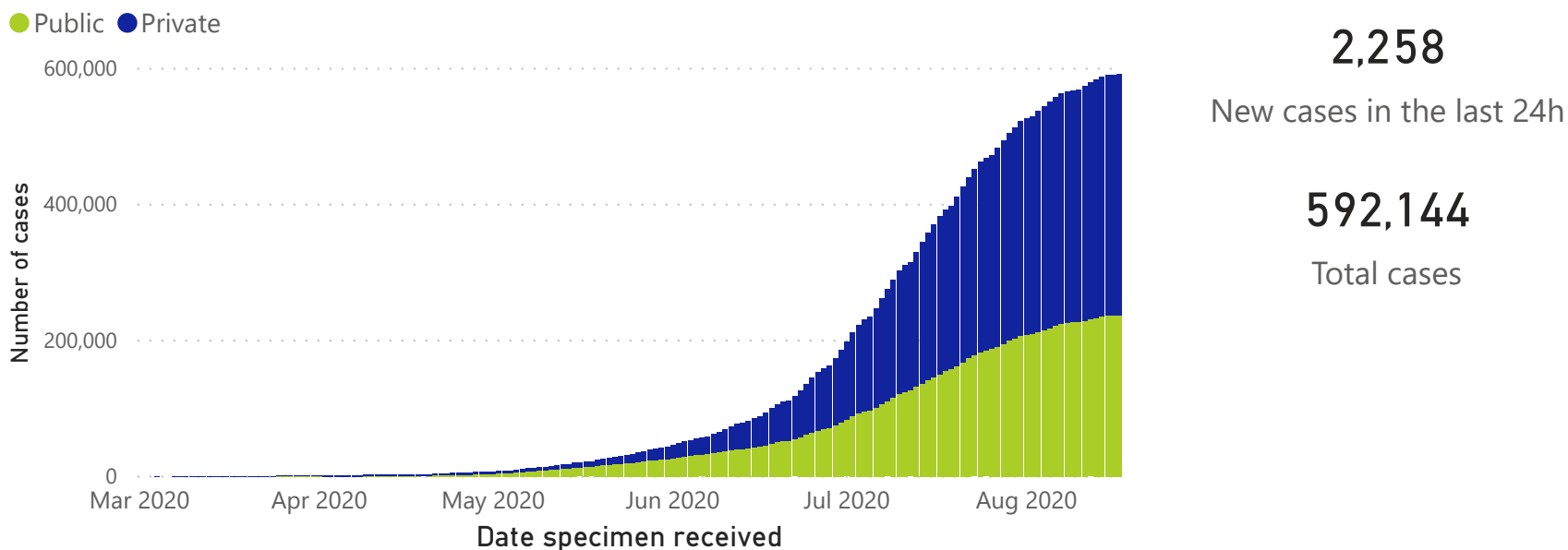
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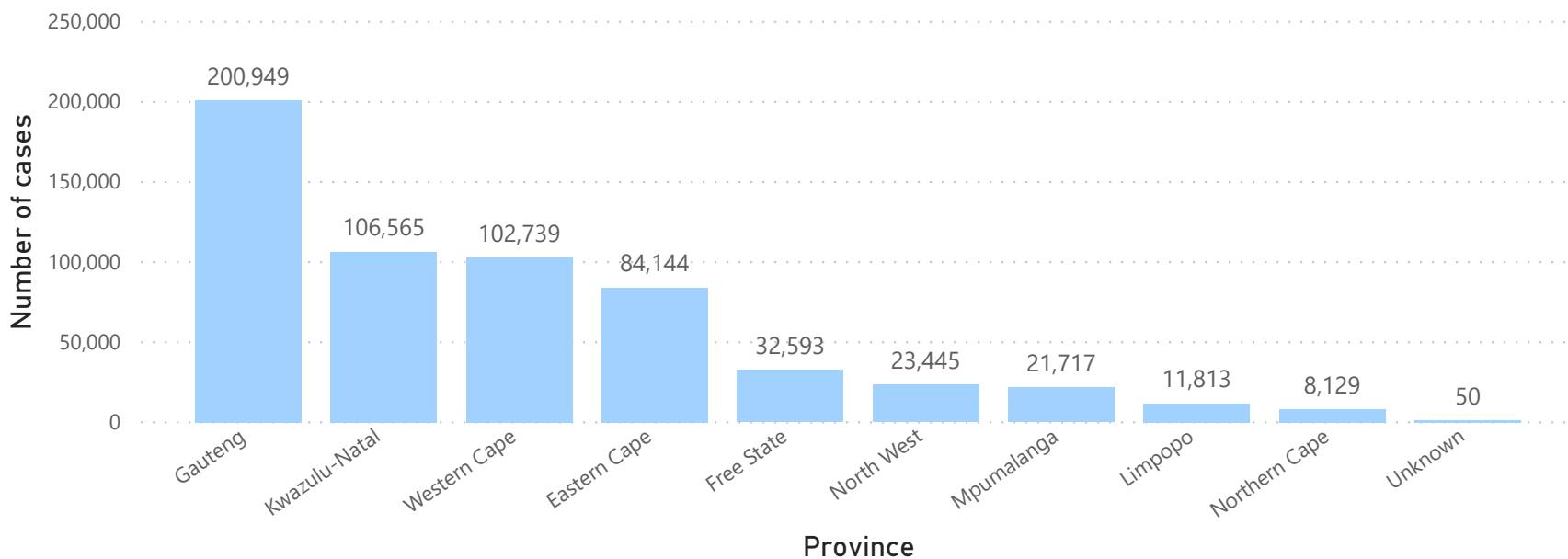


Person-level case data

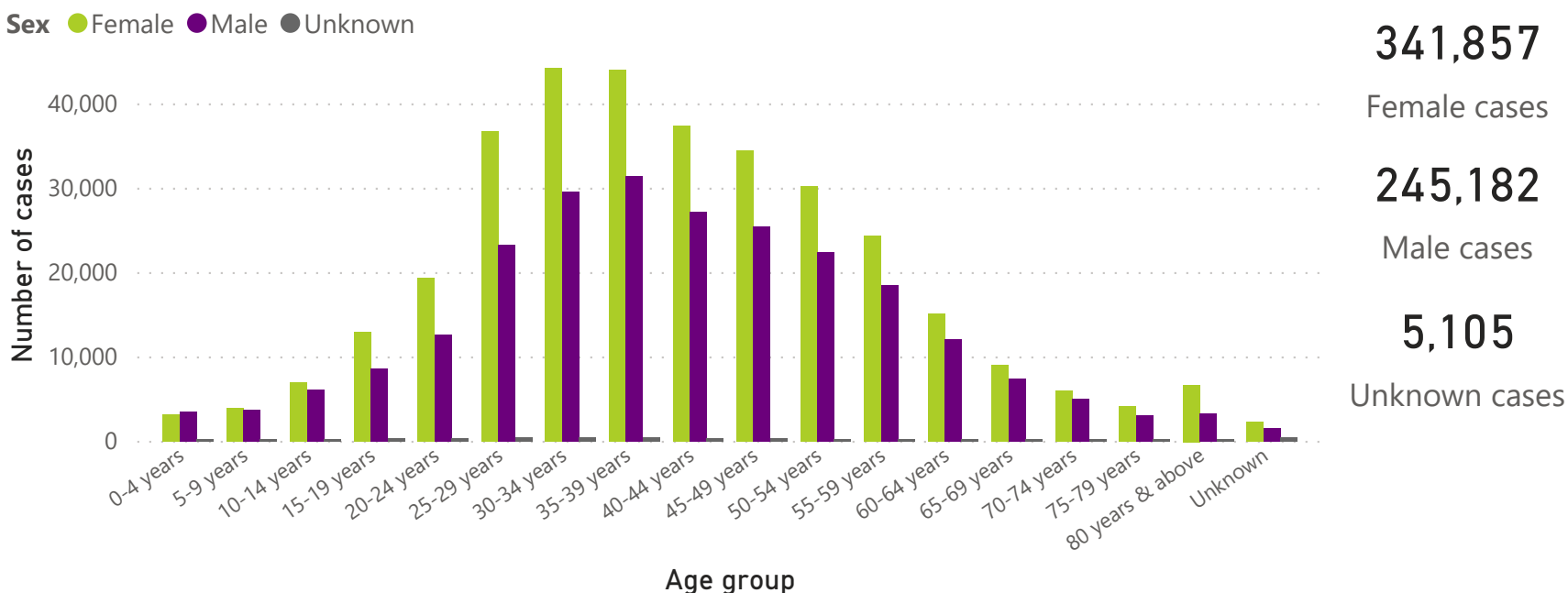
Cumulative count by date specimen received



Cumulative cases by province



Cumulative cases by age and sex



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COVID-19 PCR testing data

All testing data

Sector	Total tests	% Total tests	New tests	% New tests
Private	1,934,646	56%	9,088	62%
Public	1,495,701	44%	5,589	38%
Total	3,430,347	100%	14,677	100%

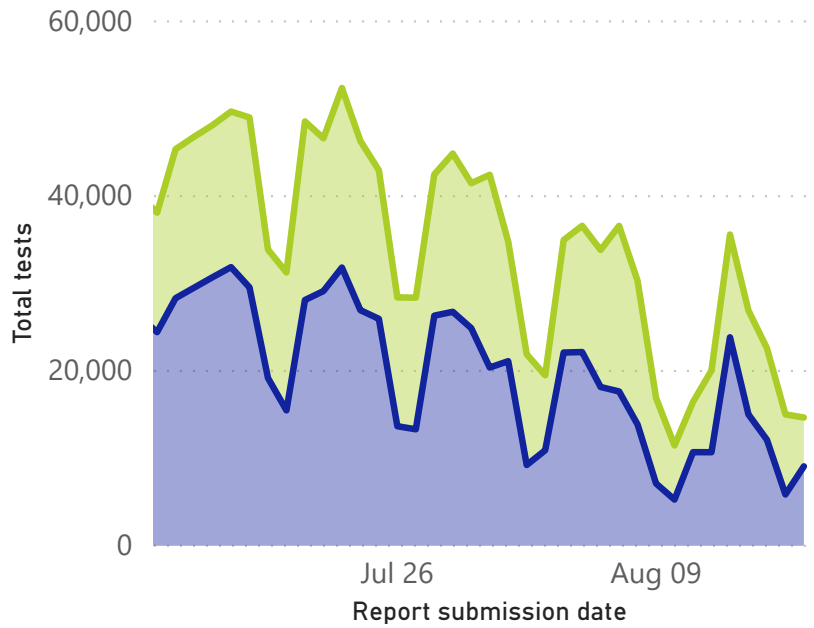
Testing data by case-finding method

Case finding method	Total tests	% Total tests	New tests	% New tests
Passive case finding	2,692,513	78%	12,856	88%
Community screen and test	737,834	22%	1,821	12%
Total	3,430,347	100%	14,677	100%

*Case-finding method as captured by the laboratory information system.

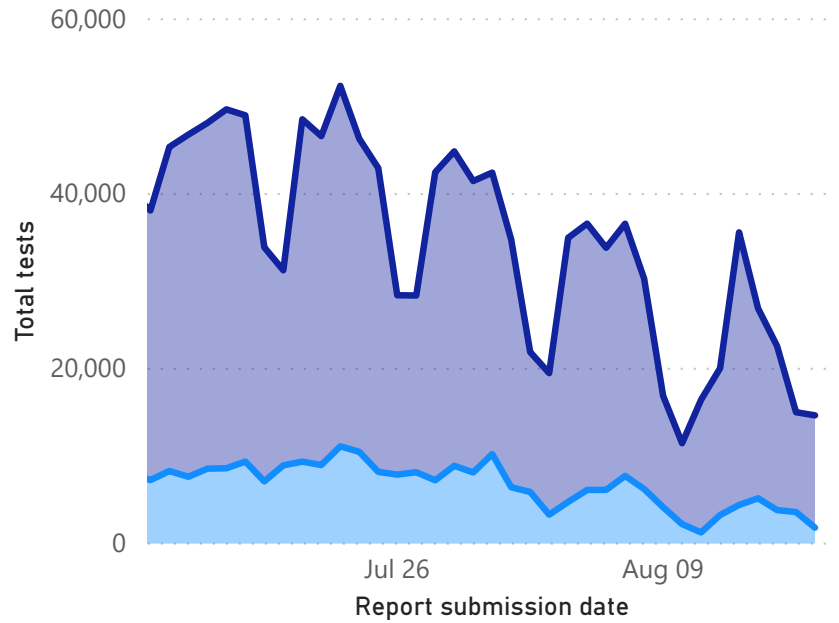
Total tests by report submission date and sector

Sector ● Private ● Public



Community testing report submission date

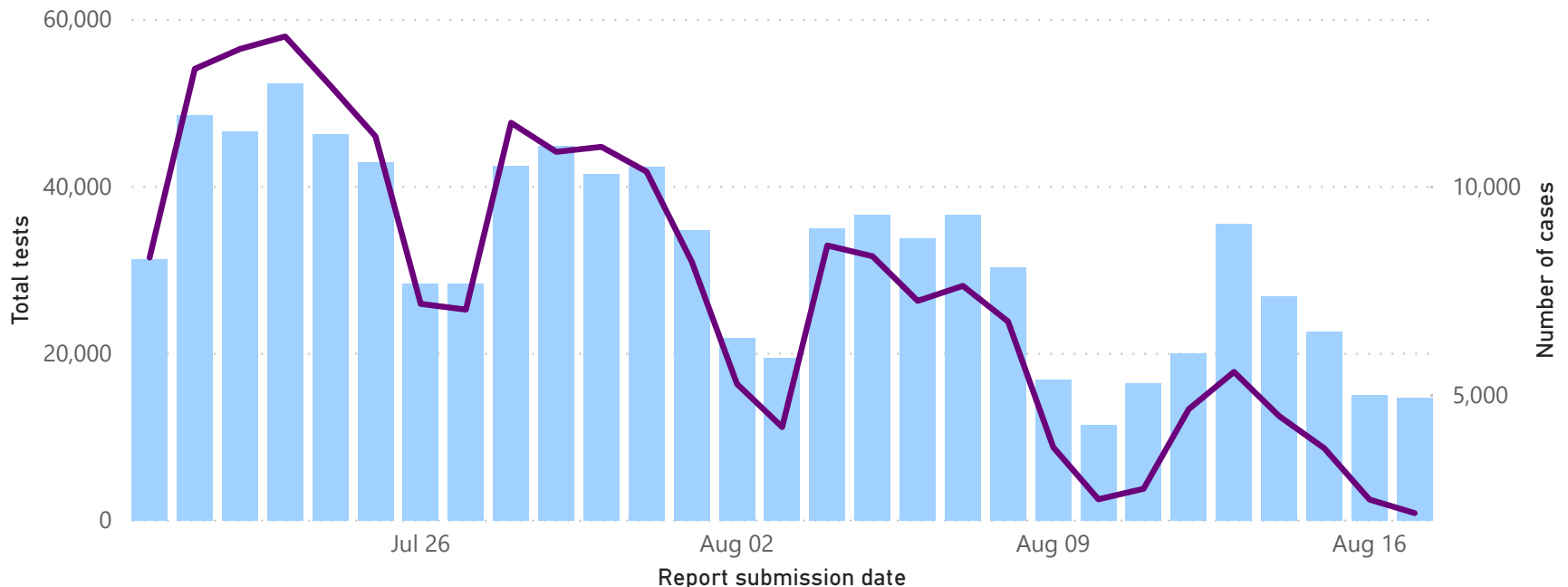
Method ● Community screen and test ● Passive case finding



Comparison of daily cases and tests performed

Total tests and number of cases by report submission date

● Total tests ● Number of cases



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