

Wastewater-based epidemiology for SARS-CoV-2 surveillance in South Africa

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Sample collection dates up to 05 August 2021 (epidemiological week 31)

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- Wastewater for SARS-CoV-2 surveillance were collected through the South African Collaborative COVID-19 Environmental Surveillance System (SACCESS)
- SARS-CoV2 quantitative results displayed represent a subset of samples collected through the SACCESS network which were tested at the National Institute for Communicable Diseases
- Interpretive note: Wastewater is not considered an infectious source of SARS-CoV-2 transmission.

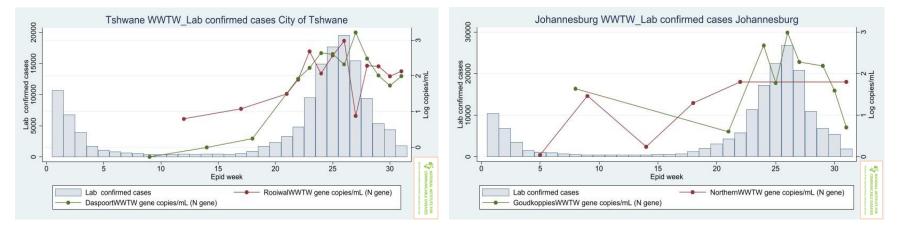


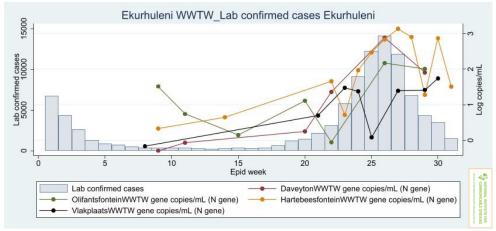






Gauteng wastewater treatment plants





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- Coloured lines represent SARS-CoV-2 detected from wastewater treatment plants

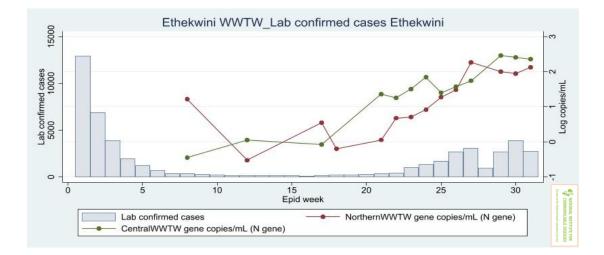








KZN wastewater treatment plants



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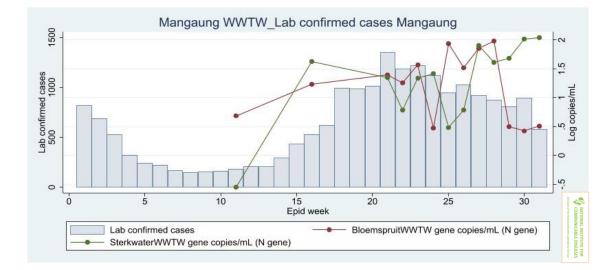








Free State wastewater treatment plants



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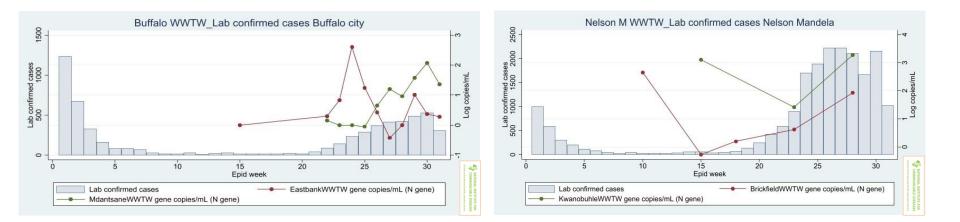








Eastern Cape wastewater treatment plants



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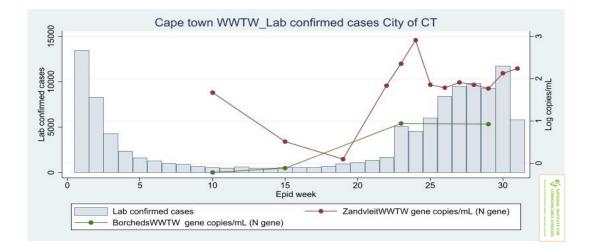








Western Cape wastewater treatment plants



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