

## COLONY OF NATAL.

CENSUS 1904.

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	Total Inhabited Dwellings.	Total Population.	Proportion of Population to Dwellings.	Area in square miles.	Number of Inhabited Dwellings to square mile.	No. of Persons to square mile.
Totals	37,768	204,173	5·42	35,371	1·06	5·78
Europeans or Whites	19,063	97,109	5·09	35,371	.53	2·74
Indians and Asiatics...	17,584	100,918	5·73	35,371	.50	2·85
Mixed and Others ...	1,121	6,686	5·96	35,371	.03	.19

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Dwellings in Detail.

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**Part X. Table VIII**—Summary shewing the Numbers of each kind of Live Stock in possession or in charge of "Europeans or Whites," "Indians and Asiatics," "Mixed and Others," and "All Natives," compared with Returns from Statistical Year Book for 1903.

Live Stock.	Europeans or Whites and Mixed and Others.			Indians and Asiatics.			All Natives.		
	Census 1904.	Statistical Year Book, 1903.	Increase.	Census, 1904.	Statistical Year Book, 1903.	Increase.	Census, 1904.	Statistical Year Book, 1903.	Increase.
Cattle ... ...	317,692	257,632	60,060	6,052	3,479	2,573	343,159	365,616	...
Horses ... ...	43,654	29,320	14,334	1,069	561	508	21,851	24,743	...
Mules and Asses ...	6,357	3,250	3,107	541	...	541	...	...	...
Sheep (Woolled) ...	478,503	478,295	208	589	...	589	25,706	25,809	...
,, (Other) ...	57,486	31,683	25,803	950	28	922	105,144	83,487	21,657
Goats (Angora) ...	86,761	61,533	25,228	671	...	671	...	...	...
,, (Other) ...	91,273	53,563	37,710	23,968	13,250	10,718	797,259	610,512	186,747
Pigs ... ...	24,201	11,650	12,551	1,225	1,157	68	50,461	36,992	13,469
Poultry ... ...	471,908	245,901	226,007	148,602	35,578	113,024	612,709	367,831	244,878

**Part X. Table IX.—SHEWING THE PROPORTION PER CENT. OF INCREASE.**

Live Stock.	Europeans or Whites and Mixed and Others.		Indians and Asiatics.		All Natives.	
	Increase.	Increase Per Cent.	Increase.	Increase Per Cent.	Increase.	Increase Per Cent.
Cattle ... ... ...	60,060	23·31	2,573	73·96	...	...
Horses ... ... ...	14,334	48·88	508	90·55	...	...
Mules and Asses ... ...	3,107	95·60	541	...	...	...
Sheep (Woolled) ... ...	208	·04	589	...	...	...
,, (Other) ... ...	25,803	81·44	922	3,292·86	21,657	25·94
Goats (Angora) ... ...	25,228	40·99	671	...	...	...
,, (Other) ... ...	37,710	70·40	10,718	80·89	186,747	30·59
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Information concerning Native Dwellings is given separately, and the following figures will show the position for the Colony.

Total Native Population in Native Areas.	Occupied Huts.	Occupied Dwellings other than Huts.	Total Huts and Dwellings.	Average Persons to each Occupied Hut or Dwelling.	Unoccupied Huts.
824,063	228,446	2,490	230,936	3.56	3,624

Hence, we observe that the average number of Natives to each Occupied Hut is 3.56.

Table I.  
Continued.

399. From these Tables we are further able to ascertain the Materials of which the Dwellings are built and the number of each class for the whole Colony, irrespective of the Nationality of the Occupants, with the following results:—

Materials of which Outer Walls are built.	Number of Dwellings.	Per Centage in relation to Total Number of Dwellings.
		Total
Stone ...	2,121	.79
Brick ...	14,664	5.46
Brick and Stone ...	867	.33
Wood and Iron ...	14,767	5.49
Wattle and Daub, Grass, etc. ...	5,013	1.86
Canvas, Wagons, etc. ...	336	.12
Native Huts ...	228,446	85.02
Native Dwellings other than Huts ...	2,490	.93

400. Omitting the Native Huts, which, in point of numbers, supersede any other class of Dwelling, we note that those Houses built of Brick and "Wood-and-Iron" are much in excess of any other.

Summary of Dwellings.

401. But, as a comparison, which includes the Dwellings of all Nationalities, White or Black, is rather vague, we now submit a Summary, which will show the number of each kind of Dwelling for each Race separately. The number of Stone Houses occupied by Europeans in relation to the total number of houses occupied by Europeans only, and so on with the whole.

Materials of which Dwellings are Built.	Europeans or Whites.		Indians and Asiatics.		Mixed and Others.		Natives.	
	No.	Per cent.	No.	Per cent.	No.	Per cent.	No.	Per cent.
Totals	19,063	100.00	17,584	100.00	1,121	100.00	234,560	100.00
Stone ...	1,759	9.23	318	1.80	44	3.93	...	...
Brick ...	11,922	62.54	2,218	12.62	524	46.74	...	...
Brick and Stone ...	768	4.02	88	.50	11	.99	...	...
Wood and Iron ...	4,168	21.87	10,186	57.93	413	36.84	...	...
Wattle and Daub, Grass, etc. ...	203	1.07	4,702	26.75	108	9.63	...	...
Canvas, Wagons, etc. ...	238	1.25	72	.40	21	1.87	...	...
Others ...	5	.02	...	...	...	...	...	...
Native Huts ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	228,446	97.39
Native Dwellings other than Huts ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,490	1.06
Unoccupied Huts ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,624	1.55

402. From the above it is apparent that the Dwellings of the people, particularly those of the European Races, are of a substantial character. For the Europeans, the principal material used in construction is Brick, the same applying to the Mixed Races, whilst for the Indians it is apparent that Wood-and-Iron (for economic reasons), predominate.

403. This Table supplements in detail the information contained in the preceding Table No. 1, and from the figures given we arrive at the following:—

Race.	Total Population.	Total No. of Dwellings.	Persons to each Dwelling.
Totals	204,713	37,768	5.42
Europeans or Whites ...	97,109	19,063	5.09
Indians and Asiatics ...	100,918	17,584	5.73
Mixed and Others ...	6,686	1,121	5.96

404. The main features of these Tables, with reference to Materials of which Dwellings are built, etc., have been already dealt with in a previous Summary in these remarks.

405. This Table has been prepared to show the number of Houses or Dwellings in the Colony in conjunction with the accommodation of each. Thus we have presented figures shewing the number of Dwellings with one Room, the number with two Rooms, and so with the remainder. Native Huts and Dwellings are not included, but are shown on a separate Table.

406. Taking the total number of Dwellings in occupation at the time of the Census, we find that for the Colony the following results were obtained:—

1 Room Houses ...	...	...	...	13.49 per cent.
2 " "	...	...	...	19.54 "
3 & 4 " "	...	...	...	21.45 "
5 & 6 " "	...	...	...	24.42 "
7 & 9 " "	...	...	...	15.44 "
10 & Over "	...	...	...	5.66 "

407. From the above it is evident that the Dwellings with from 3 to 6 rooms are most general throughout the Colony.

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## ANNEXURES.

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### Part XI. Table I.

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## BUILDINGS & DWELLINGS.

Table shewing for each Magisterial Division or Centre, the Number of "Inhabited Houses and Dwellings" under Six Classifications for "Europeans or Whites," "Indians and Asiatics," "Mixed and Others," including Natives in Native Areas, according to Census Returns for April, 1904.

See Paragraph 395.

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Section.	Magisterial Division or Centre.	Number of Inhabited Houses or Dwellings Classified.											
		Stone.	Brick.	Brick & Stone.	Wood & Iron.	Wattle & Daub Grass.	Canvas	Total Dwellings.	Total Eur. W. Population	Proportion of Population to Dwellings.	Area in Sq. Miles.	Number of Persons per Square Mile.	
	Totals	1759	11922	768	4168	208	238	19063	97109	5·09	35371	0·53	2·74
1	Klip River ...	82	88	26	60	3	2	261	1107	4·24	1439	·18	·76
2	Lion's River ...	64	150	28	61	3	3	306	1564	5·11	630	·48	2·48
3	Ixopo ...	58	86	16	30	2	3	195	876	4·49	976	·19	·89
4	Alexandra County ...	6	89	4	85	14	2	200	953	4·76	670	·29	1·42
5	Upper Umkomanzi ...	36	121	22	30	... 1	1	210	950	4·52	520	·40	1·82
6	Newcastle ...	160	169	37	120	14	11	511	2331	4·56	1092	·46	2·13
7	Impendhlé ...	25	42	6	37	1	6	117	514	4·39	700	·16	·73
8	Dundee ...	188	189	41	156	8	8	590	1960	3·32	946	·62	2·07
9	Inanda ...	14	165	5	186	... 8	8	378	1558	4·12	183	2·06	8·51
10	Lower Tugela ...	4	105	3	68	5	8	193	957	4·95	453	·42	2·11
11	Bergville ...	24	50	18	13	... 3	3	105	528	5·02	1100	·09	·48
12	Estcourt ...	138	271	86	77	3	9	584	2657	4·54	1820	·32	1·45
13	Mapumulo ...	3	6	6	6	... 15	15	52	346	270	270	·05	·19
14	Umgenei ...	44	79	20	82	3	3	231	1101	4·76	365	·63	3·01
15	New Hanover ...	36	188	42	37	9	1	313	1636	5·22	520	·60	3·14
16	Umlazi ...	16	558	8	688	10	4	1284	6244	4·86	500	2·56	12·48
17	Alfred County ...	17	37	5	25	42	1	127	482	3·79	570	·22	·84
18	Camperdown ...	35	109	8	156	3	4	315	950	3·01	368	·85	2·58
19	Umvoti County ...	41	123	24	12	3	3	203	979	4·82	860	·23	1·13
20	Ndwedwe ...	3	1	1	1	... 6	6	29	483	260	·02	·11	
21	Utrecht ...	224	69	33	24	10	6	366	1942	5·30	2048	·17	·94
22	Krantzkop ...	8	61	7	6	... 82	82	348	4·24	573	·14	·60	
23	Lower Umzimkulu ...	10	113	12	61	12	1	209	912	4·36	534	·39	1·70
24	Umsinga ...	13	25	10	5	1	1	55	260	4·72	616	·08	·42
25	Vryheid ...	156	188	64	37	11	17	473	2842	6·00	4265	·11	·66
26	Paulpietersburg ...	25	119	9	11	11	3	178	970	5·44	618	·28	1·56
27	Weenen County ...	21	85	19	22	4	5	156	728	4·66	625	·24	1·16
28	Polela ...	14	43	15	26	... 2	2	100	600	6·00	470	·21	1·27
29	Underberg ...	48	16	11	11	1	4	91	373	4·09	740	·12	·50
30	Eshowe, Zululand ...	41	2	2	6	... 4	4	130	575	4·42	736	·17	·78
30A	N'qutu "	20	2	2	6	... 4	4	34	146	4·29	625	·05	·23
30B	Nkandhlá "	7	15	2	14	4	5	47	138	2·93	762	·06	·18
30C	Emtonjaneni "	5	52	6	11	3	3	77	355	4·61	648	·11	·54
30D	Ndwandwe "	1	6	... 7	7	... 2	2	16	75	4·68	941	·01	·07
30E	Umfolosi "	1	3	... 12	1	... 17	17	43	2·53	1025	·01	·04	
30F	Ubombo "	... 3	4	1	8	23	2·87	1640	·00	·01			
30G	Hlabisa "	3	3	... 20	5	1	32	93	2·90	1470	·02	·06	
30H	Ingwavuma "	2	... 4	10	16	31	1·93	1650	·00	·01			
30I	Umlalazi "	1	5	33	2	1	42	163	3·88	374	·11	·43	
30J	Mahlabatini "	1	9	1	2	... 13	51	3·92	590	·02	·08		
31	Municipality, P.M.Burg	65	3075	54	90	1	17	3302	15086	4·56	45	73·37	335·24
32	" Durban	32	4158	26	1373	... 16	5605	31302	5·58	20	280·25	1565·10	
33	" Ladysmith	57	226	21	168	6	478	2269	4·74	26	18·38	87·26	
34	" Newcastle	4	200	7	31	... 242	1166	4·81	28	8·64	41·64		
35	" Dundee	3	222	18	22	... 265	1312	4·95	4	66·25	328·00		
36	Local Board, Verulam	1	63	4	5	... 1	74	363	4·90	1	74·00	363·00	
37	" Greytown	1	209	16	5	... 231	1117	4·83	16	14·43	69·81		
38	" Utrecht	10	72	4	4	1	2	93	542	5·82	22	4·22	24·63
38A	" Vryheid	23	192	18	24	1	6	264	1344	5·09	17	18·52	79·05
39	Natal H. Board, Shipping	... 9	24	7	126	... 57	223	2600	11·65	... 1624	... 1624	... 1624	
40	His Majesty's Troops	... 9	24	7	126	... 57	223	2600	11·65	... 1624	... 1624	... 1624	
41	Passengers, N.G. Rlys.	... 9	24	7	126	... 57	223	2600	11·65	... 1624	... 1624	... 1624	

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1	Klip River ...	28	58	... 1	64	2	... 152	1,406	9·25	1,439	·10	·97	
2	Lion's River ...	10	35	1									

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		Stone.	Brick.	Brick & Stone.	Wood & Iron.	Wattle & Daub Grass.	Canvas.	Total M. & O. Population.					
		Totals	44	524	11	413	108	21					
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2	Lion's River ...	...	2	...	5	4	1	12	80	6·66	630	·01	·12
3	Ixopo ...	1	4	...	7	1	...	13	123	9·46	976	·01	·12
4	Alexandra County ...	1	8	1	14	18	...	42	212	5·04	670	·06	·31
5	Upper Umkomanzi ...	1	...	...	8	...	...	9	55	6·11	520	·01	·10
6	Newcastle ...	2	6	1	13	3	...	25	186	7·44	1,092	·02	·17
7	Impendhle ...	...	...	...	9	...	...	9	48	5·33	700	·01	·06
8	Dundee ...	2	3	1	5	1	...	12	69	5·75	946	·01	·07
9	Inanda ...	...	21	...	24	...	...	45	221	4·91	183	·24	1·20
10	Lower Tugela ...	...	7	...	16	7	...	30	161	5·36	453	·06	·35
11	Bergville ...	1	...	1	5	1	...	8	28	3·50	1,100	·00	·02
12	Estcourt ...	5	12	1	2	...	2	22	119	5·40	1,820	·01	·06
13	Mapumulo ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	270	...	...
14	Umgenei ...	3	6	...	4	...	1	14	39	2·78	365	·03	·10
15	New Hanover ...	...	3	...	6	1	...	10	40	4·00	520	·01	·07
16	Umlazi ...	3	12	...	68	1	...	84	555	6·60	500	·16	1·11
17	Alfred County ...	8	13	...	23	48	...	92	559	6·07	570	·16	·98
18	Camperdown ...	...	...	...	3	...	...	3	11	3·66	368	·00	·02
19	Umvoti County ...	...	1	1	3	4	...	9	78	8·66	860	·00	·09
20	Ndwedwe ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	260	...	...
21	Utrecht ...	2	1	...	1	...	...	4	23	5·75	2,048	·00	·01
22	Krantzkop ...	...	2	...	2	2	...	6	22	3·66	573	·01	·03
23	Lower Umzimkulu ...	...	1	...	4	5	1	11	64	5·81	534	·02	·11
24	Umsinga ...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	5	5·00	616	·00	·00
25	Vryheid ...	2	2	...	...	1	...	5	19	3·80	4,265	·00	·00
26	Paulpietersburg ...	...	1	...	1	...	...	2	3	1·50	618	·00	·00
27	Weenen County ...	...	2	...	2	...	...	4	28	7·00	625	·00	·04
28	Polela ...	1	1	...	3	6	...	11	116	10·54	470	·02	·24
29	Underberg ...	1	1	...	2	1	2	7	30	4·28	740	·00	·04
30	Eshowe, Zululand ...	4	...	...	8	1	...	13	54	4·15	736	·01	·07
30A	N'qutu "	1	...	...	1	...	1	3	4	1·33	625	·00	·00
30B	Nkandhla "	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	762	...	...
30C	Emtonjaneni "	...	...	...	2	...	...	2	8	4·00	648	·00	·01
30D	Ndwandwe "	...	1	...	2	1	...	4	14	3·50	941	·00	·01
30E	Lower Umfolosi,	...	...	...	2	...	...	2	5	2·50	1,025	·00	·00
30F	Ubombo "	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	1·00	1,640	·00	·00
30G	Hlabisa "	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	1·00	1,470	·00	·00
30H	Ingwavuma "	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,650	...	...
30I	Umlalazi "	...	2	...	1	...	...	3	13	4·33	374	·00	·03
30J	Mahlabatini "	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	590	...	...
31	Municipality of P.M.Burg	195	14	...	...	...	...	210	1,159	5·51	45	4·66	25·75
32	" Durban	1	174	3	118	...	8	304	1,980	6·51	20	15·20	99·00
33	" Ladysmith	2	6	...	6	...	...	14	84	6·00	26	·54	3·23
34	" Newcastle	...	11	...	6	...	...	17	97	5·70	28	·60	3·46
35	" Dundee	...	2	...	9	...	...	11	50	4·54	4	2·75	12·50
36	Local Board, Verulam...	5	...	...	...	...	...	5	33	6·60	1	5·00	33·00
97	" Greytown	10	...	2	2	...	...	14	82	5·85	16	·87	5·12
38	" Utrecht	2	...	4	...	2	8	45	5·62	22	·36	2·04	...
38A	" Vryheid...	1	3	...	4	...	8	46	5·75	17	·47	2·70	...
39	Natal H. Board Sipping	...	...	...	...	1	...	61	...	...	...	...	...
40	His Majesty's Troops	...	...	...	...	2	3	12	4·00	...	...	...	...
41	Passengers, N.G.Railwys.	...	...	...	...	...	...	33	...	...	...	...	...

Part XI. Table I—Shewing the total number of Huts and Dwellings in each Magisterial Division or Centre, occupied by Natives in Native Areas, according to Census Returns for April, 1904.

Section.	Magisterial Division or Centre.	Total Native Population in Native Areas.	Occupied Huts.	Occupied Dwellings other than Huts.	Total Huts and Dwellings.	Average Persons to each occupied Hut or Dwelling.	Unoccupied Huts in Native Areas.
		Totals	824,063	228,446	2,490	230,936	3·56
1	Klip River ...	29,196	8,099	215	8,314	3·51	...
2	Lions River ...	9,451	2,426	9	2,435	3·88	43
3	Ixopo ...	43,302	9,914	46	9,960	4·34	...
4	Alexandra County ...	33,978	7,599	2	7,601	4·47	...
5	Upper Umkomanzi ...	16,326	4,167	...	4,167	3·91	4
6	Newcastle ...	21,130	5,746	184	5,930	3·56	88
7	Impendhle ...	7,335	2,076	11	2,087	3·51	9
8	Dundee ...	20,827	5,824	74	5,898	3·53	...
9	Inanda ...	6,159	1,492	73	1,565	3·93	99
10	Lower Tugela ...	27,736	7,472	96	7,568	3·66	10
11	Bergville ...	11,490	3,222	74	3,2		

Part XI. Table I—Summary shewing for the Colony the Number of Inhabited Houses and Dwellings occupied by "All Races" (Natives excepted), under six classifications, according to Census Returns for April, 1904.

## SUMMARY.

Nationality.	Total Dwellings and Population.			Area and Dwellings.		
	Total Inhabited Dwellings.	Total Population.	Proportion of Population to Dwellings.	Area in Square Miles.	Number of Inhabited Dwellings to Square Mile.	Number of Persons to Square Mile.
Totals	37,768	204,713	5·42	35,371	1·06	5·78
Europeans or Whites ... ...	19,063	97,109	5·09	35,371	.53	2·74
Indians and Asiatics ... ...	17,584	100,918	5·73	35,371	.50	2·85
Mixed and Others ... ...	1,121	6,686	5·96	35,371	.03	.19

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## Part XI. Table II.

## BUILDINGS &amp; DWELLINGS.

Table shewing for each Magisterial Division or Centre the Total Number of Dwellings occupied by "Europeans or Whites," "Indians and Asiatics," and "Mixed and Others," with Summary, classified under different grades, with Proportion per cent. to total specified.

See Paragraph 403.

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Part XI. Table II.—Shewing for each Magisterial Division or Centre the Total Number of Dwellings occupied by "Europeans or Whites," classified under different grades, with Proportion per cent. to total specified, according to Census Returns for April, 1904.

Section.	Magisterial Division or Centre.	Total No. of Dwellings.	Stone.		Brick.		Brick and Stone.		Wood and Iron.		Wattle and Daub.		Canvas.		Other.			
			Number	Proportion per cent.	Number	Proportion per cent.	Number	Proportion per cent.	Number	Proportion per cent.	Number	Proportion per cent.	Number	Proportion per cent.	Number	Proportion per cent.	Number	Proportion per cent.
	Totals and Proportions per cent. on Totals	19063	1759	9.23	11922	62.54	768	4.02	4168	21.87	203	1.07	238	1.25	5	.02		
1	Klip River	261	82	31.41	88	33.71	26	9.96	60	22.98	3	1.14	2	.76	...	...		
2	Lion's River	306	64	20.91	150	49.01	28	9.15	61	19.93	...	...	3	.98	...	...		
3	Ixopo	195	58	29.74	86	44.10	16	8.20	30	15.38	1	.51	3	1.53	1	.51		
4	Alexandra County	200	6	3.00	89	44.50	4	2.00	85	42.50	10	5.00	2	1.00	4	2.00		
5	Upper Umkomanzi	210	36	17.14	121	57.61	22	10.47	30	14.28	...	...	1	.47	...	...		
6	Newcastle	511	160	31.31	169	33.07	37	7.24	120	23.48	14	2.73	11	2.15	...	...		
7	Impendhlé	117	25	21.36	42	35.89	6	5.12	37	31.62	1	.85	6	5.12	...	...		
8	Dundee	590	188	31.86	189	32.03	41	6.94	156	26.44	8	1.35	8	1.35	...	...		
9	Inanda	378	14	3.70	165	43.65	5	1.32	185	49.20	...	...	8	2.11	...	...		
10	Lower Tugela	193	4	2.07	105	54.40	3	1.55	68	35.23	5	2.59	8	4.14	...	...		
11	Bergville	105	24	22.85	50	47.61	18	17.14	13	12.38	...	...	...	...	...	...		
12	Estcourt	584	138	23.63	271	46.40	86	14.72	77	13.18	3	.51	9	1.54	...	...		
13	Mapumulo	15	3	20.00	6	40.00	...	...	6	40.00	...	...	...	...	...	...		
14	Umgenei	231	44	19.04	79	34.19	20	8.65	82	35.49	3	1.29	3	1.29	...	...		
15	New Hanover	313	36	11.50	188	60.06	42	13.41	37	11.82	9	2.87	1	.31	...	...		
16	Umlazi	1,284	16	1.24	558	43.45	8	.62	388	53.58	10	.77	4	.31	...	...		
17	Alfred County	127	17	13.38	37	29.13	5	3.93	25	19.68	42	33.07	1	.78	...	...		
18	Camperdown	315	35	11.11	109	34.60	8	2.53	156	49.52	3	.95	4	1.26	...	...		
19	Umvoti County	203	41	20.19	123	60.59	24	11.82	12	5.91	3	1.47	...	...	...	...		
20	Ndwedwe	6	3	50.00	1	16.66	1	16.66	1	16.66	...	...	...	...	...	...		
21	Utrecht	366	224	61.20	69	18.85	33	9.01	24	6.55	10	2.73	6	1.63	...	...		
22	Krantzkop	82	8	9.75	61	74.39	7	8.53	6	7.31	...	...	...	...	...	...		
23	Lower Umzimkulu	209	10	4.78	113	54.06	12	5.74	61	29.18	12	5.74	1	.47	...	...		
24	Umsinga	55	13	23.63	25	45.45	10	18.18	5	9.09	1	1.81	1	1.81	...	...		
25	Vryheid	473	156	32.98	188	39.74	64	13.53	37	7.82	11	2.32	17	3.59	...	...		
26	Paulpietersburg	178	25	14.04	119	66.85	9	5.05	11	6.17	11	6.17	3	1.68	...	...		
27	Weenen County	156	21	13.46	85	54.48	19	12.17	22	14.10	4	2.56	5	3.20	...	...		
28	Polela	100	14	14.00	43	43.00	15	15.00	26	26.00	...	...	2	2.00	...	...		
29	Underberg	91	48	52.74	16	17.58	11	12.08	11	12.08	1	1.09	4	4.39	...	...		
30	Eshowe, Zululand	130	...	...	41	31.53	2	1.53	77	59.23	4	3.07	6	4.61	...	...		
30A	N'qutu	34	20	58.82	2	5.88	2	5.88	6	17.64	...	...	4	11.76	...	...		
30B	Nkandhla	47	7	14.89	15	31.91	2	4.25	14	29.78	4	8.51	5	10.63	...	...		
30C	Emtonjaneni	77	5	6.49	52	67.53	6	7.79	11	14.28	3	3.89	...	...	...	...		
30D	Ndwandwe	16	1	6.25	6	37.50	...	...	7	43.75	...	...	2	12.50	...	...		
30E	Lower Umfolosi	17	1	5.88	3	17.64	...	...	12	70.58	1	5.88	...	...	...	...		
30F	Ubombo	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	37.50	4	50.00	1	12.50	...	...		
30G	Hlabisa	32	3	9.37	3	9.37	...	...	20	62.50	5	15.62	1	3.12	...	...		
30H	Ingwavuma	16	2	12.50	...	...	...	...	4	25.00	10	62.50	...	...	...	...		
30I	Umlalazi	42	1	2.38	5	11.90	...	...	33	78.57	2	4.76	1	2.38	...	...		
30J	Mahlabatini	13	1	7.69	9	69.23	1	7.69	...	2	15.38	...	...	...	...	...	...	
31	Municipality, P.M.Burg	3,302	65	1.96	3,075	93.12	54	1.63	90	2.72	1	.03	17	.51	...	...		
32	" Durban	5,605	32	.57	4,158	74.18	26	.46	1373	24.49	...	...	16	.28	...	...		
33	" Ladysmith	478	57	11.92	226	47.28	21	4.39	168	35.14	...	...	6	1.25	...	...		
34	" Newcastle	242	4	1.65	200	82.64	7	2.89	31	12.80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
35	" Dundee	265	3	1.13	222	83.77	18	6.79	22	8.30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
36	Local Board, Verulam	74	1	1.35	63	85.13	4	5.40	5	6.75	...	...	1	1.35	...	...		
37	" Greytown	231	1	.43	209	90.47	16	6.92	5	2.16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
38	" Utrecht	93	10	10.75	72	77.41	4	4.30	4	4.30	1	1.07	2	2.15	...	...		
38A	" Vryheid	264	23	8.71														

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**Part XI. Table II.**—Shewing for each Magisterial Division or Centre the Total Number of Dwellings occupied by "Mixed and Others," classified under different grades with proportion per cent. to total specified, according to Census Returns for April, 1904.

Section.	Magisterial Division or Centre.	Total No. of Dwellings.	Stone.		Brick.		Brick and Stone.		Wood and Iron.		Wattle and Daub.		Canvas.		Other.	
			Number.	Proportion per cent.	Number.	Proportion per cent.	Number.	Proportion per cent.	Number.	Proportion per cent.	Number.	Proportion per cent.	Number.	Proportion per cent.	Number.	Proportion per cent.
	Totals and Proportion Per Cent. on Totals	1,121	44	3·93	524	46·74	11	·99	413	36·84	108	9·63	21	1·87	...	...
1	Klip River ...	8	5	62·50	...	...	1	12·50	2	25·00	...	...	...	...	...	...
2	Lion's River ...	12	...	...	2	16·66	...	...	5	41·66	4	33·33	1	8·33	...	...
3	Ixopo ...	13	1	7·69	4	30·76	...	...	7	53·84	1	7·69	...	...	...	...
4	Alexandra County ...	42	1	2·38	8	19·04	1	2·38	14	33·33	18	42·85	...	...	...	...
5	Upper Umkomazi ...	9	1	11·11	...	...	...	...	8	88·88	...	...	...	...	...	...
6	Newcastle ...	25	2	8·00	6	24·00	1	4·00	13	52·00	3	12·00	...	...	...	...
7	Impendhlle ...	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	100·00	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Dundee ...	12	2	16·66	3	25·00	1	8·33	5	41·66	1	8·33	...	...	...	...
9	Inanda ...	45	...	...	21	46·66	...	...	24	53·33	...	...	...	...	...	...
10	Lower Tugela ...	30	...	...	7	23·33	...	...	16	53·33	7	23·33	...	...	...	...
11	Bergville ...	8	1	12·50	0	...	1	12·50	5	62·50	1	12·50	...	...	...	...
12	Estcourt ...	22	5	22·72	12	54·54	1	4·54	2	9·09	...	...	2	9·09	...	...
13	Mapumulo ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14	Umgeli ...	14	3	21·42	6	42·85	...	...	4	28·57	...	...	1	7·14	...	...
15	New Hanover ...	10	...	...	3	30·00	...	...	6	60·00	1	10·00	...	...	...	...
16	Umlazi ...	84	3	3·57	12	14·28	...	...	68	80·95	1	1·19	...	...	...	...
17	Alfred County ...	92	8	8·69	13	14·13	...	...	23	25·00	48	52·17	...	...	...	...
18	Camperdown ...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	100·00	...	...	...	...	...	...
19	Umvoti County ...	9	...	...	1	11·11	1	11·11	3	33·33	4	44·44	...	...	...	...
20	Ndwedwe ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
21	Utrecht ...	4	2	50·00	1	25·00	...	...	1	25·00	...	...	...	...	...	...
22	Krantzkop ...	6	...	...	2	33·33	...	...	2	33·33	2	33·33	...	...	...	...
23	Lower Umzimkulu ...	11	...	...	1	9·09	...	...	4	36·36	5	45·45	1	9·09	...	...
24	Umsinga ...	1	1	100·00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
25	Vryheid ...	5	2	40·00	2	40·00	...	...	...	1	20·00	...	...	...	...	...
26	Paulpietersburg ...	2	...	...	1	50·00	...	...	1	50·00	...	...	...	...	...	...
27	Weenen County ...	4	...	...	2	50·00	...	...	2	50·00	...	...	...	...	...	...
28	Polela ...	11	1	9·09	1	9·09	...	...	3	27·27	6	54·54	...	...	...	...
29	Underberg ...	7	1	14·28	1	14·28	...	...	2	28·57	1	14·28	2	28·57	...	...
30	Eshowe, Zululand ...	13	...	...	4	30·76	...	...	8	61·53	1	7·69	...	...	...	...
30A	N'qutu ...	3	1	33·33	...	...	...	...	1	33·33	...	...	1	33·33	...	...
30B	Nkandhl ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
30C	Emtonjaneni ...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	100·00	...	...	...	...	...	...
30D	Ndwandwe ...	4	...	...	1	25·00	...	...	2	50·00	1	25·00	...	...	...	...
30E	Lower Umfolosi ...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	100·00	...	...	...	...	...	...
30F	Ubombo ...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	100·00	...	...	...	...	...	...
30G	Hlabisa ...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	100·00	...	...	...	...
30H	Ingwavuma ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
30I	Umlalazi ...	3	...	...	2	66·66	...	...	1	33·33	...	...	...	...	...	...
30J	Mahlabatini ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
31	Municipality, P.M.Burg ...	210	...	...	195	92·85	1	·47	14	6·66	...	...	...	...	...	...
32	" Durban ...	304	1	32	174	57·23	3	·98	118	38·81	...	...	8	2·63	...	...
33	" Ladysmith	14	2	14·28	6	42·85	...	...	6	42·85	...	...	...	...	...	...
34	" Newcastle	17	...	...	11	64·70	...	...	6	35·29	...	...	...	...	...	...
35	" Dundee ...	11	...	...	2	18·18	...	...	9	81·81	...	...	...	...	...	...
36	Local Board, Verulam ...	5	...	...	5	100·00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
37	" Greytown ...	14	...	...	10	71·42	...	...	2	14·29	2	14·29	...	...	...	...
38	" Utrecht ...	8	...	...	2	25·00	...	...	4	50·00	...	...	2	25·00	...	...
38A	" Vryheid ...	8	1	12·50	3	37·50	...	...	4	50·00	...	...	...	...	...	...
39	Natal H. Board, Shipping ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	33·33	...	...	2	66·66	...	...
40	His Majesty's Troops ...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
41	Passengers, N.G. Rlys ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

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**Part XI. Table II.**—Summary shewing for the Colony the Total Number of Dwellings inhabited by "Europeans or Whites," "Indians and Asiatics" and "Mixed and Others" (Natives excepted), duly classified under different grades, with Proportion per cent., according to Census Returns for April, 1904.

## EUROPEANS OR WHITES.

Total Number of Dwellings.	Stone.		Brick.		Brick & Stone.		Wood & Iron.		Wattle & Daub.	
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Part XI. Table II.—General Summary Shewing for the Colony the Total Number of Dwellings inhabited by "All Races" (Natives excepted), duly classified under different grades, with Proportion per cent., according to Census Returns for April, 1904.

Race.	Total No. of Dwellings.	Stone.		Brick.		Brick and Stone.		Wood and Iron.		Wattle and Daub.		Canvas.		Other.		Total.
		Number	Proportion per cent.	Number	Proportion per cent.	Number	Proportion per cent.	Number	Proportion per cent.	Number	Proportion per cent.	Number	Proportion per cent.	Number	Proportion per cent.	
Totals	37768	2121	5·62	14664	38·83	867	2·29	14767	39·10	5013	13·27	331	·88	5	·01	100·00
Europeans or Whites	19063	1759	9·23	11922	62·54	768	4·02	4,168	21·87	203	1·07	238	1·25	5	·02	100·00
Indians and Asiatics	17584	318	1·80	2,218	12·62	88	·50	10186	57·93	4702	26·75	72	·40	...	...	100·00
Mixed and Others	1,121	44	3·93	524	46·74	11	·99	413	36·84	108	9·63	21	1·87	...	...	100·00

Race.	Total Population.	Total Number of Dwellings.		Persons to each Dwelling.
		Total	Dwellings	
Totals	204,713	37,768	...	5·42
Europeans or Whites ...	97,109	19,063	...	5·09
Indians and Asiatics ...	100,918	17,584	...	5·73
Mixed and Others ...	6,686	1,121	...	5·96

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### Part XI. Table III.

## BUILDINGS & DWELLINGS.

Table shewing for each Magisterial Division or Centre the Total Number of Inhabited Houses, with Number of Rooms, for "Europeans or Whites," "Indians and Asiatics," "Mixed and Others," with proportion per cent. for each, and General Summary.

See Paragraph 405.

**Part XI. Table III.**—Shewing for each Magisterial Division or Centre the Total Number of Inhabited Houses, with Number of Rooms, for “Europeans or Whites,” according to the Census Returns for April, 1904.

**Part XI. Table III.**—Shewing for each Magisterial Division or Centre the Total Number of Inhabited Houses, with Number of Rooms, for “Europeans or Whites,” according to the Census Returns for April, 1904.

**Part XI. Table III**—Shewing for each Magisterial Division or Centre the Total Number of Inhabited Houses, with Number of Rooms, for “Indians and Asiatics,” according to the Census Returns for April, 1904.

**Part XI. Table III**—Shewing for each Magisterial Division or Centre the Total Number of Inhabited Houses, with Number of Rooms, for “Indians and Asiatics,” according to the Census Returns for April, 1904.

**Part XI. Table III.**—Shewing for each Magisterial Division or Centre, the Total Number of Inhabited Houses, with Number of Rooms, for "Mixed and Others," according to the Census Returns for April, 1904.

**Part XI. Table III.**—Classification of Inhabited Houses, according to the Number of Rooms, with Proportion per cent. for each Class.

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**Part XI. Table III.**—General Summary, shewing for the Colony the Total Number of Inhabited Houses and Dwellings, with the Number of Rooms, occupied by "All Races" (Natives excepted), duly classified under different grades, with proportion per cent. specified, according to the Census Returns for April, 1904.

## GENERAL SUMMARY.

	1 Room Houses.	2 Room Houses.	3 Room Houses.	4 Room Houses.	5 Room Houses.	6 Room Houses.	7 Room Houses.	8 Room Houses.	9 Room Houses.	10 Room Houses.	11 Room Houses.	12 Room Houses.	13 Room Houses.	14 Room Houses.
per cent.	5,096	7,380	4,313	3,789	4,631	4,593	2,772	2,014	1,048	693	335	240	122	108
per cent.	13.49	19.54	11.42	10.03	12.26	12.16	7.34	5.33	2.77	1.84	.89	.64	.32	.29
	15 Room Houses.	16 Room Houses.	17 Room Houses.	18 Room Houses.	19 Room Houses.	20 Room Houses.	21 Room Houses.	22 Room Houses.	23 Room Houses.	24 Room Houses.	25 Room Houses.	26 Room Houses.	27 Room Houses.	28 Room Houses.
per cent.	67	79	46	28	23	33	15	3	15	15	19	12	7	9
per cent.	.18	.21	.12	.08	.06	.09	.04	.02	.04	.04	.05	.03	.02	.02
	29 Room Houses.	30 Room Houses.	31 Room Houses.	32 Room Houses.	33 Room Houses.	34 Room Houses.	35 Room Houses.	36 Room Houses.	37 Room Houses.	38 Room Houses.	39 Room Houses.	40 Room Houses (and over).	Not Specified.	
per cent.	7	12	1	6	6	4	4	3	4	3	5	93	112	
per cent.	.02	.03	...	.02	.02	.01	.01	.00	.01	.00	.01	.25	.30	

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**Part XII.—Convicts and Prisoners.**Convicts and  
Prisoners.

408. Information concerning the "Convicts and Prisoners" was obtained through the medium of special Prisoners' Forms, supplied to every Gaol and Lock-up throughout the Colony and on these Forms all Persons *under detention* on the Census Day were recorded by the authorities in charge, with the nature of the Crime brought against them. In the case of Prisoners who had not yet been sentenced, they were shown as "Awaiting Trial."

409. Warders and other Gaol Officials were recorded separately, on the Householders' Forms, so that a distinction was made between them and Prisoners.

410. From these Returns a record was given of 2,504 Prisoners of all Nationalities.

Classifying them under the various Races, we obtain the following results :—

## CONVICTS AND PRISONERS.

Race.	Persons.	Males.	Females.
Totals	2,504	2,319	185
Europeans or Whites	194	189	5
Indians and Asiatics	382	349	33
Mixed and Others	66	63	3
Natives	1,862	1,718	144

411. Table shewing the Proportions per 10,000 of the total Population of Persons, Males and Females, of *Each Race* returned as Convicts and Prisoners.

Race.	Proportion per 10,000 of Total Persons.	Proportion per 10,000 of Total Males.	Proportion per 10,000 of Total Females.
Totals	22.58	42.11	3.31
Europeans or Whites	19.97	33.30	1.24
Indians and Asiatics	37.85	54.96	8.82
Mixed and Others	98.71	174.51	9.75
Natives	20.59	40.26	3.02