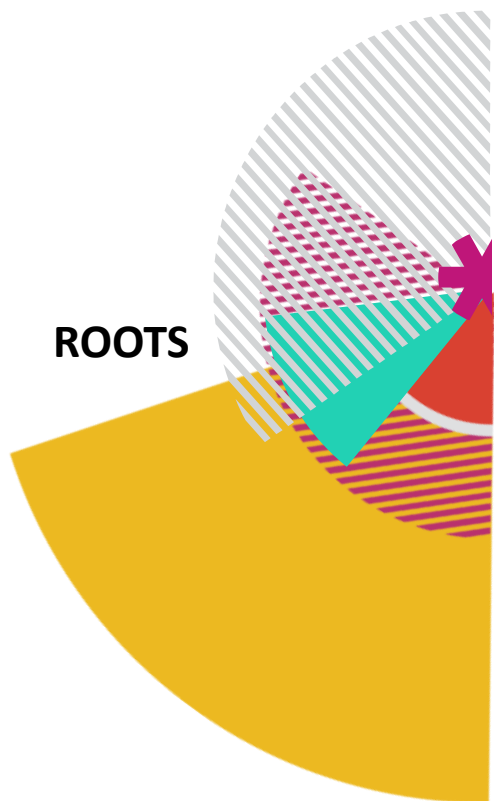




ROOTS:  
Mid South Coast -  
Scottsburg/Umkomass/Umz  
into  
(Mid South Coast Rising  
Sun)  
2019

## Some detail



### What is Roots?

A **landscape survey** which spans **110 metropolitan communities** across South Africa with a total sample of **27 468**. Each community is sampled independently

**Formal households** are selected using multi-stage cluster sampling and purchase decision makers (**shoppers**) are **randomly selected** from the household for interview.

### In this document

A community is a **defined geographical footprint** from which the samples are drawn. The map provided defines these boundaries.

### Reading the charts

The **community** is identified in the **top right corner** of the page

The **sample** size, universe size and **description** are displayed at the **bottom** of the page (e.g. (n) 300, representing 40,000 households or 60,000 shoppers)

**Community data is compared to the composite of similar communities**  
see below for details

The **community's** information is always shown in **colour** and the comparative **Metro** data **in grey**

Where applicable community data is **trended back 10** years or as far as comparable

#### Large Metros – 62 Communities

Johannesburg, Cape Town, Tshwane, Ethikwini/Durban, Ekurhuleni  
Eg: Sandton, Athlone, Durban North, Boksburg,

#### Medium Metros – 18 Communities

Nelson Mandela Bay, Bloemfontein, Pietermaritzburg, West Rand, Vaal, Kimberley, Polokwane, Buffalo City/East London

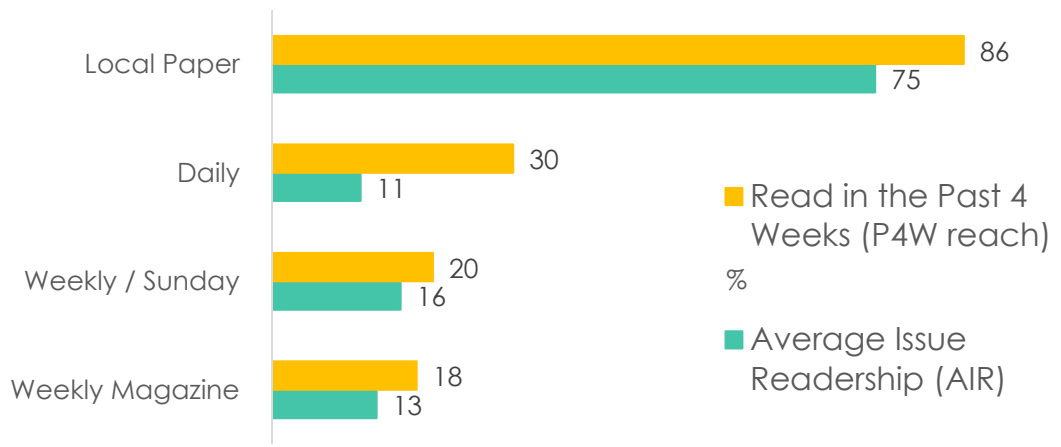
#### Small Metros – 30 Communities

Western Cape (Garden Route, Wine Lands, Helderburg) KZN (North and South Coast, Zululand, Midlands) Mpumalanga (Mbombela, Witbank, Bethal, Middleburg, Ermelo, Lydenburg) Freestate (Welkom, Bethlehem, Kroonstad) Eastern Cape (Uitenhage, Mthatha), Rustenburg

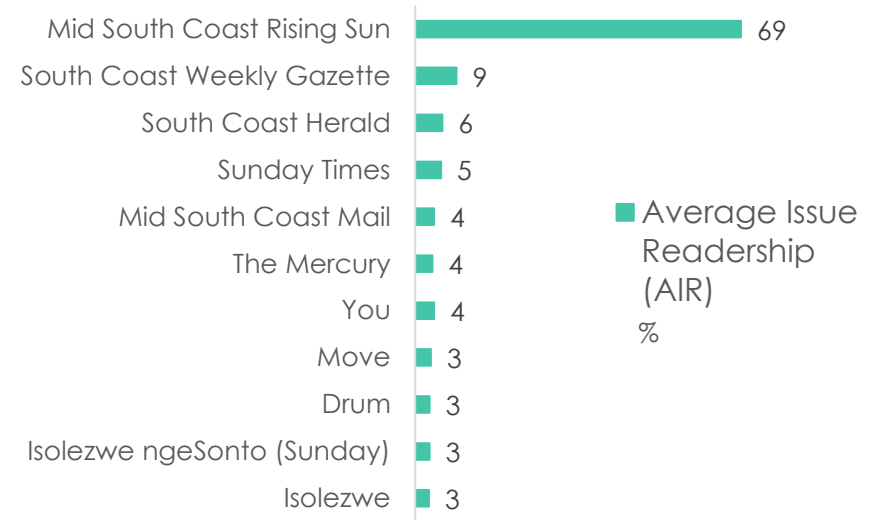
Mbombela 2019 Footprints Mid South Coast 2018 Footprint



Paper Categories



Top 10 paper titles



Regular Readers

Usually read 3 or 4 out of 4 issues of the local paper

**79%** **65%**

of past 4 weeks readers



Multiple Reading

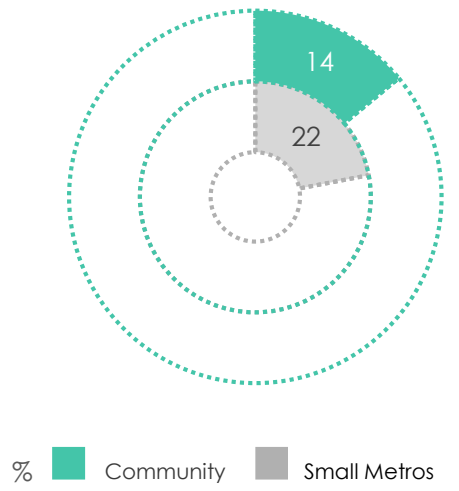
Read one issue of the local paper on more than one occasion

**50%** **30%**

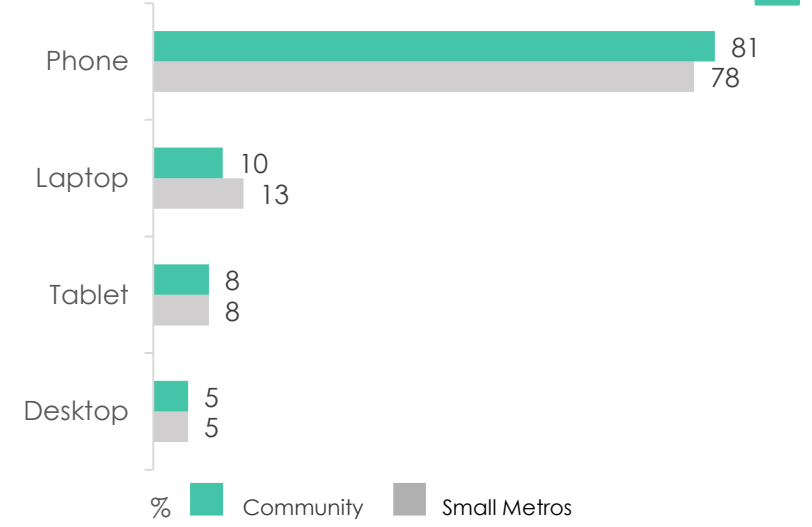
of Average Issue Readers

Community Small Metros

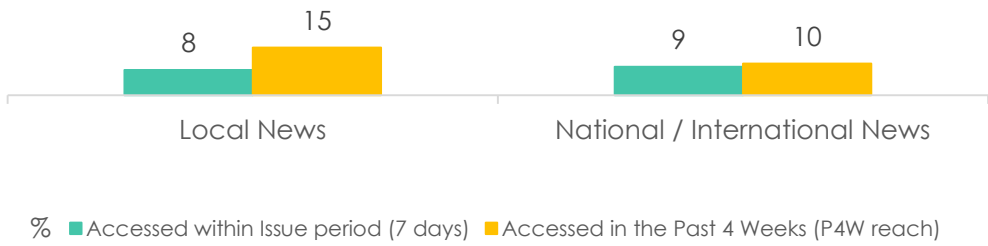
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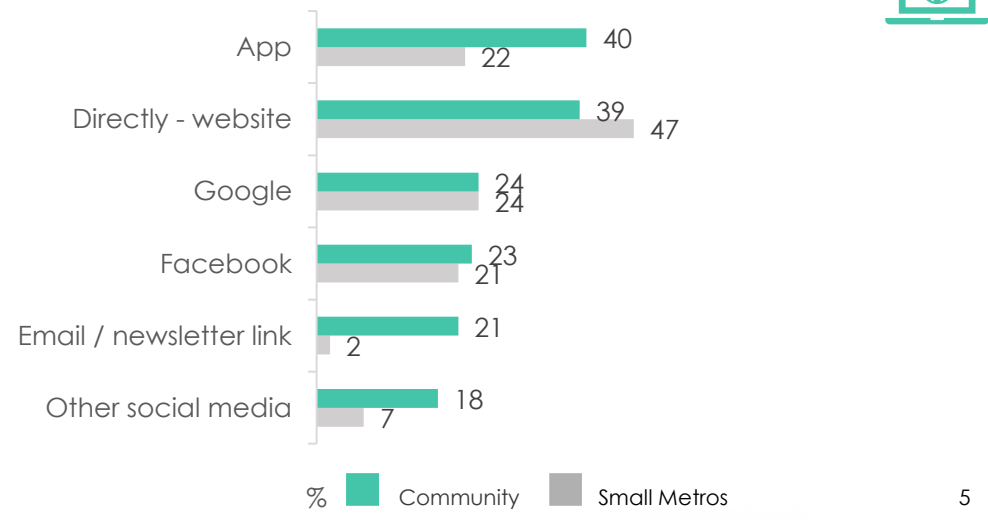
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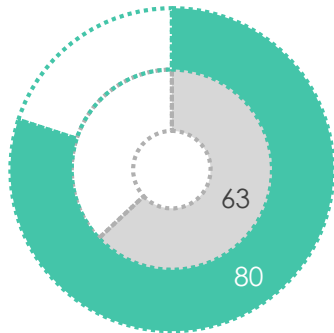
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How P7D online readers get there

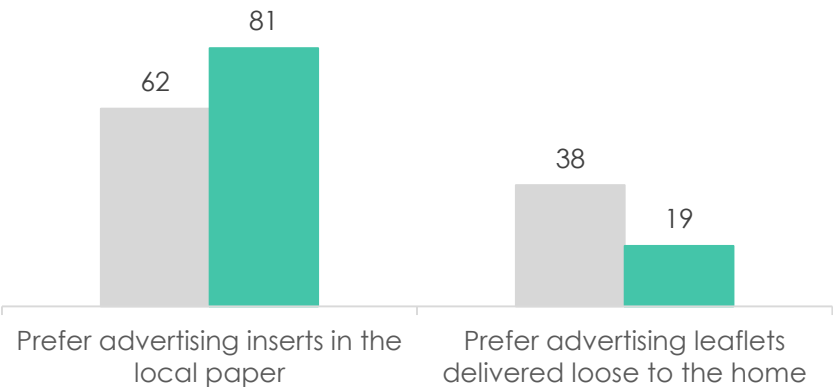


Use advertising in the local paper to help with shopping decisions



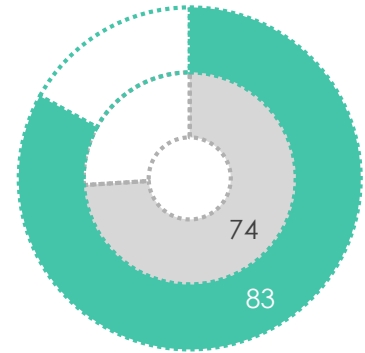
% Community Small Metros

Preference for receiving advertising inserts/ leaflets



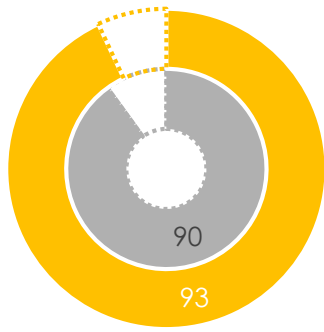
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Read the inserts delivered to the home inside their local paper

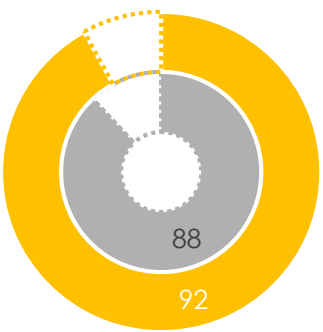


% Community Small Metros

Plan shopping



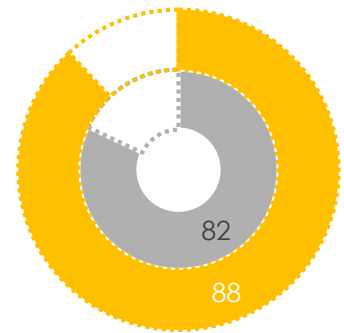
Plan a day or 2 before / within the week



56% of readers of the local paper read on Wednesday, Thursday or Friday before the weekend shop

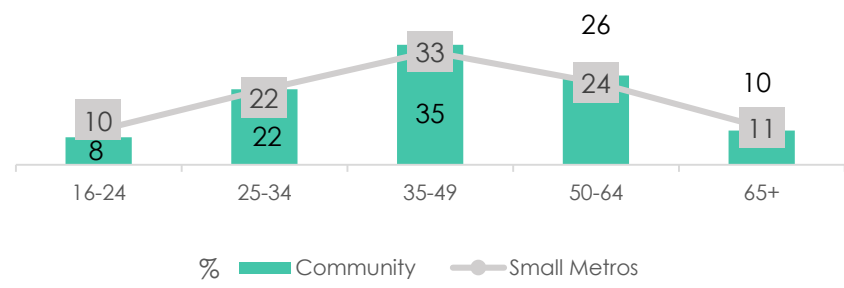
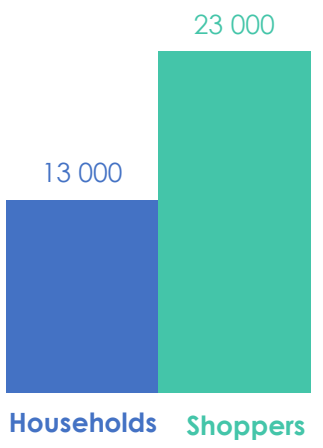


Mostly shop over the weekend

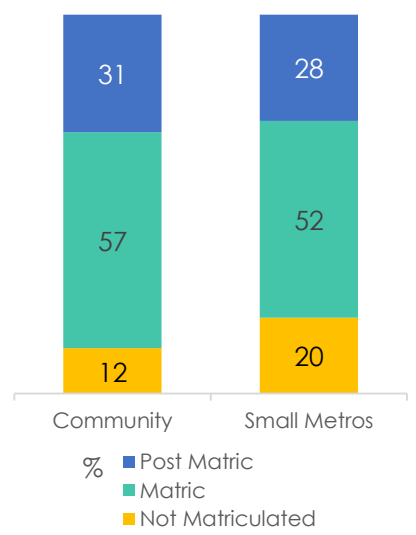


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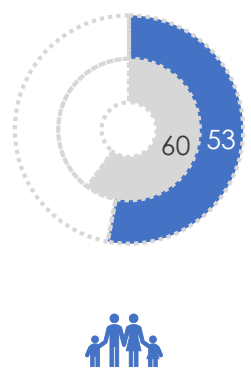
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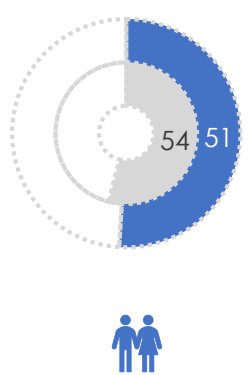
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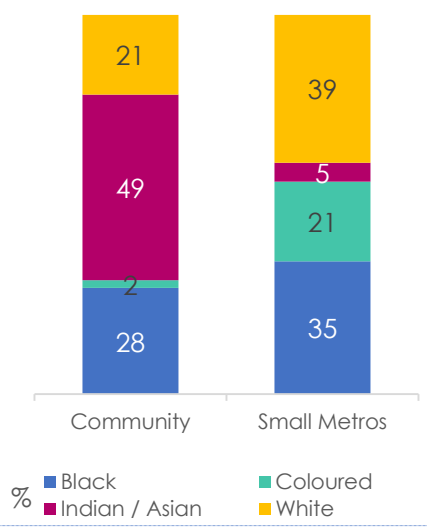
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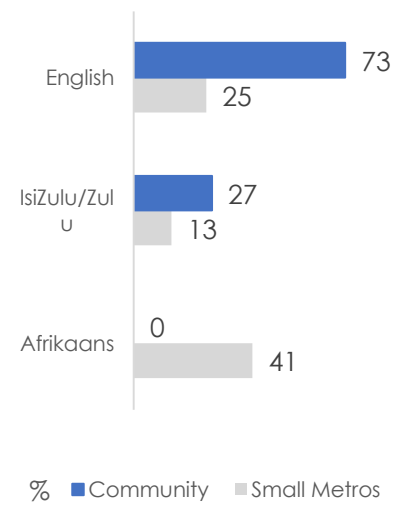
Married or living with a partner



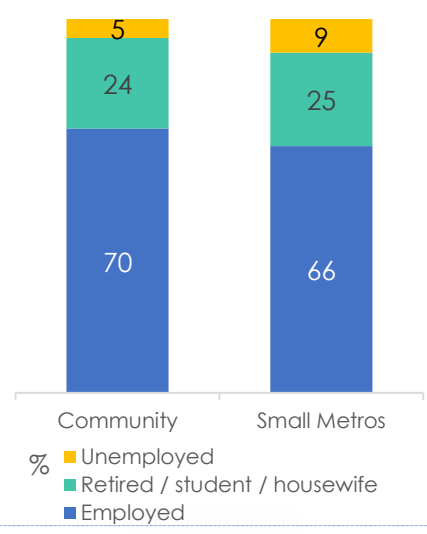
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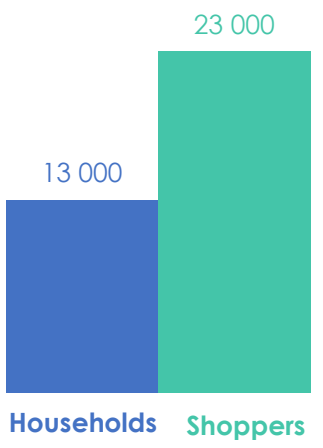
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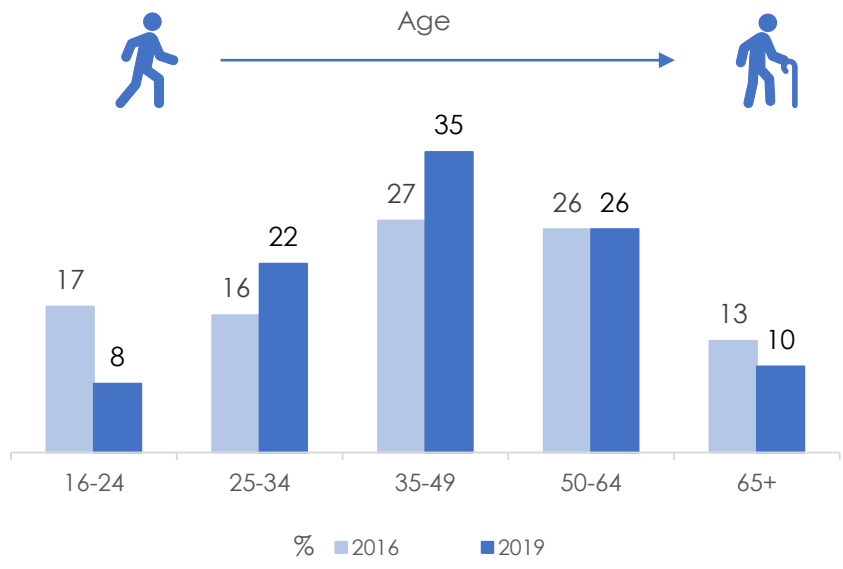
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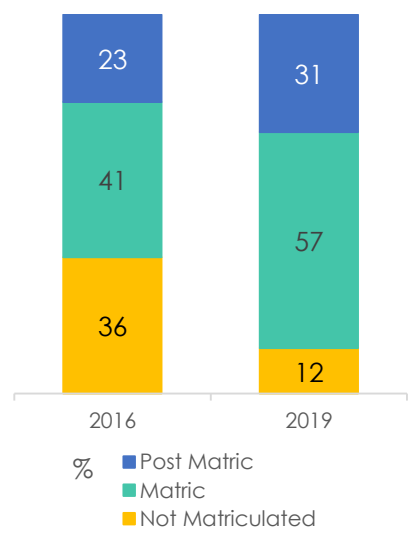
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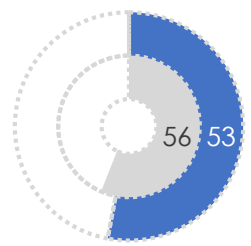
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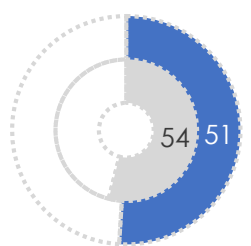
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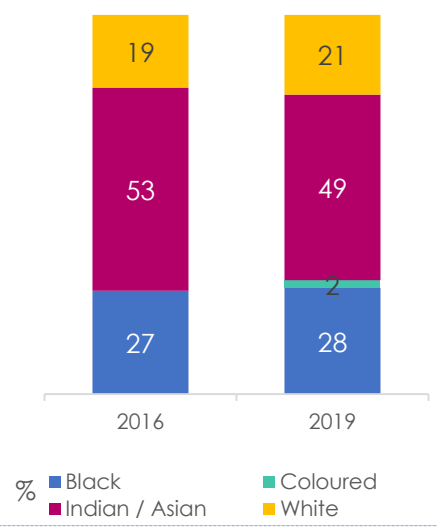
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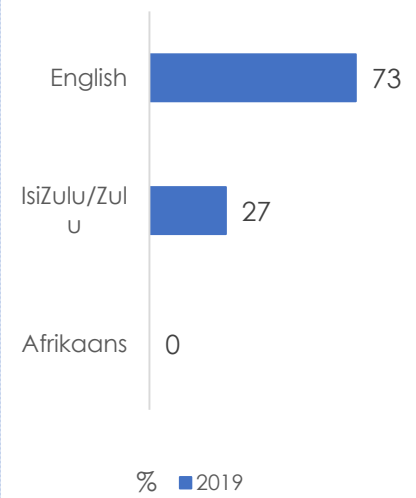
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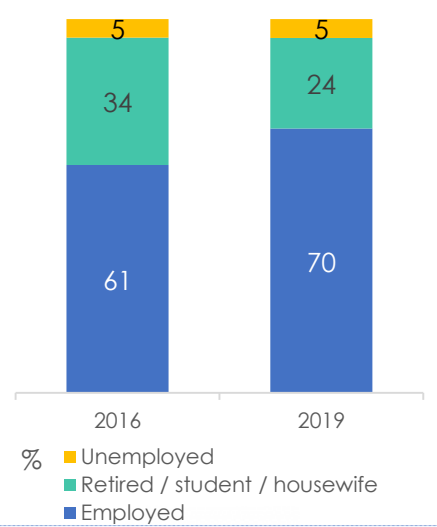
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Language



Employment



% 2016 2019

% Black Coloured Indian / Asian White

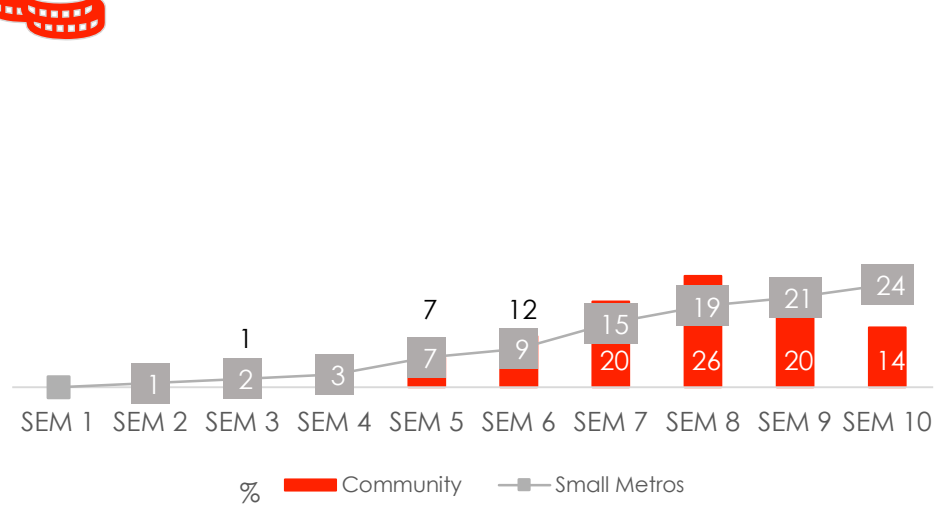
% 2019

% Unemployed Retired / student / housewife Employed





Socio Economic Measure (SEM) distribution

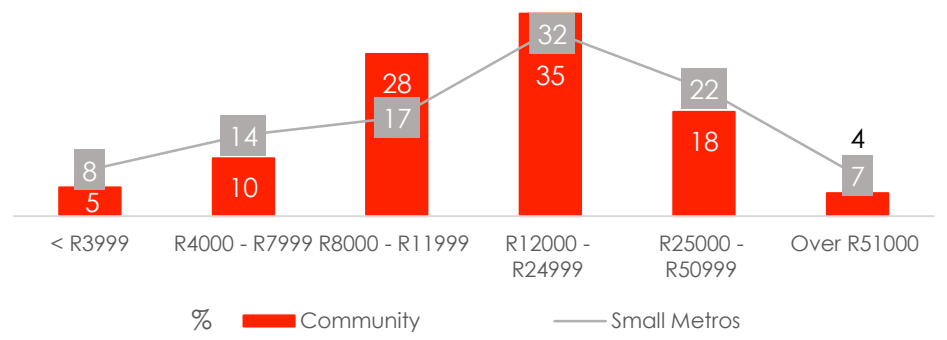


Monthly Household Income

**Mean**  
(Average monthly Household Income)

**R19 315**

**R21 340**

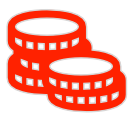


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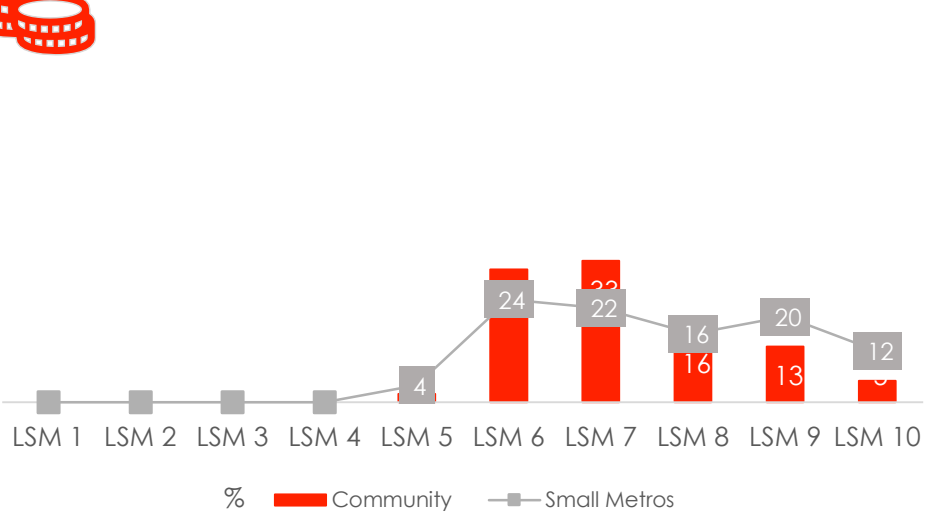


Percentage of people who have...

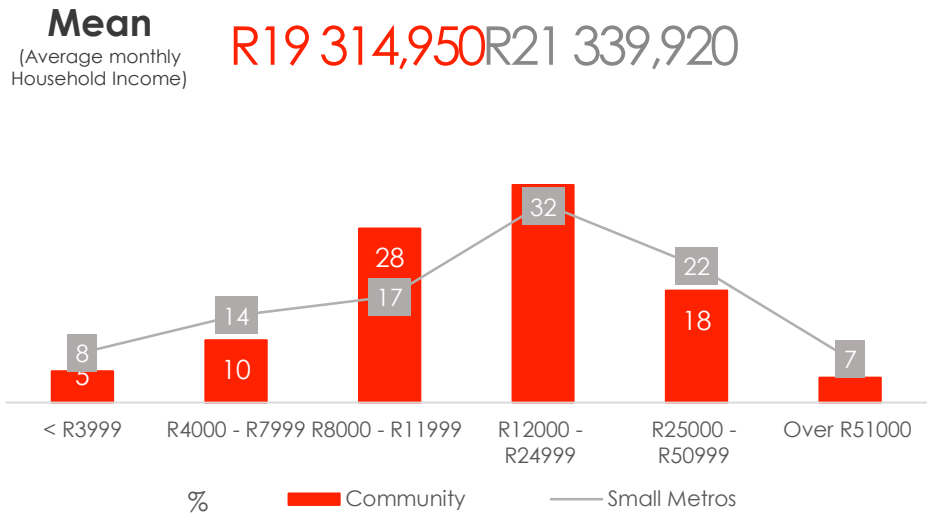
	<b>Community</b> %	<b>Small Metros</b> %
Long Term Savings / Investments	51	55
Medical Aid	26	38
Credit Card	9	18
Own Business	7	8



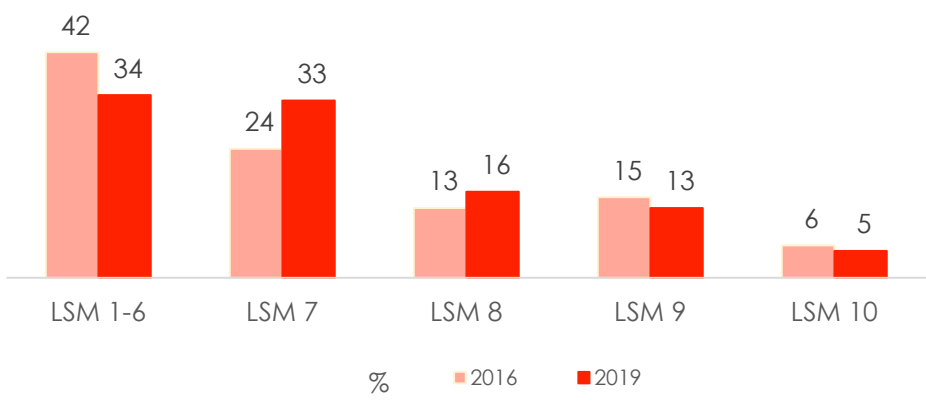
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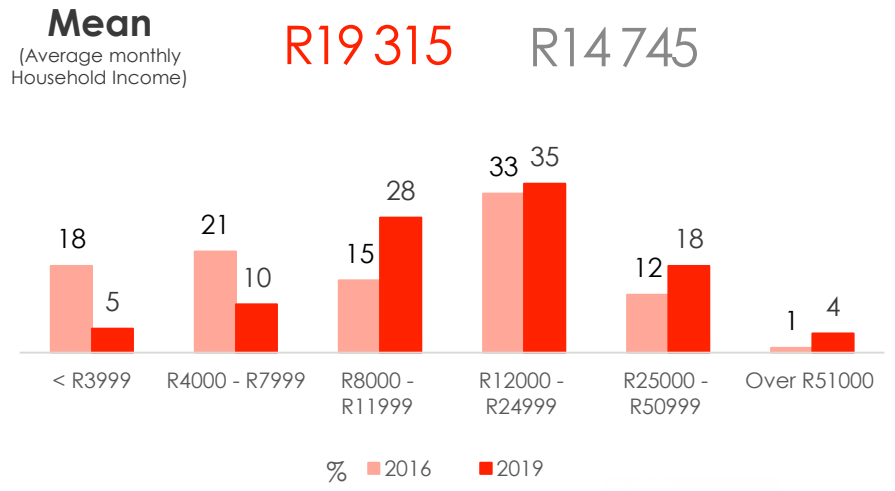
Monthly Household Income



LSM - Trended



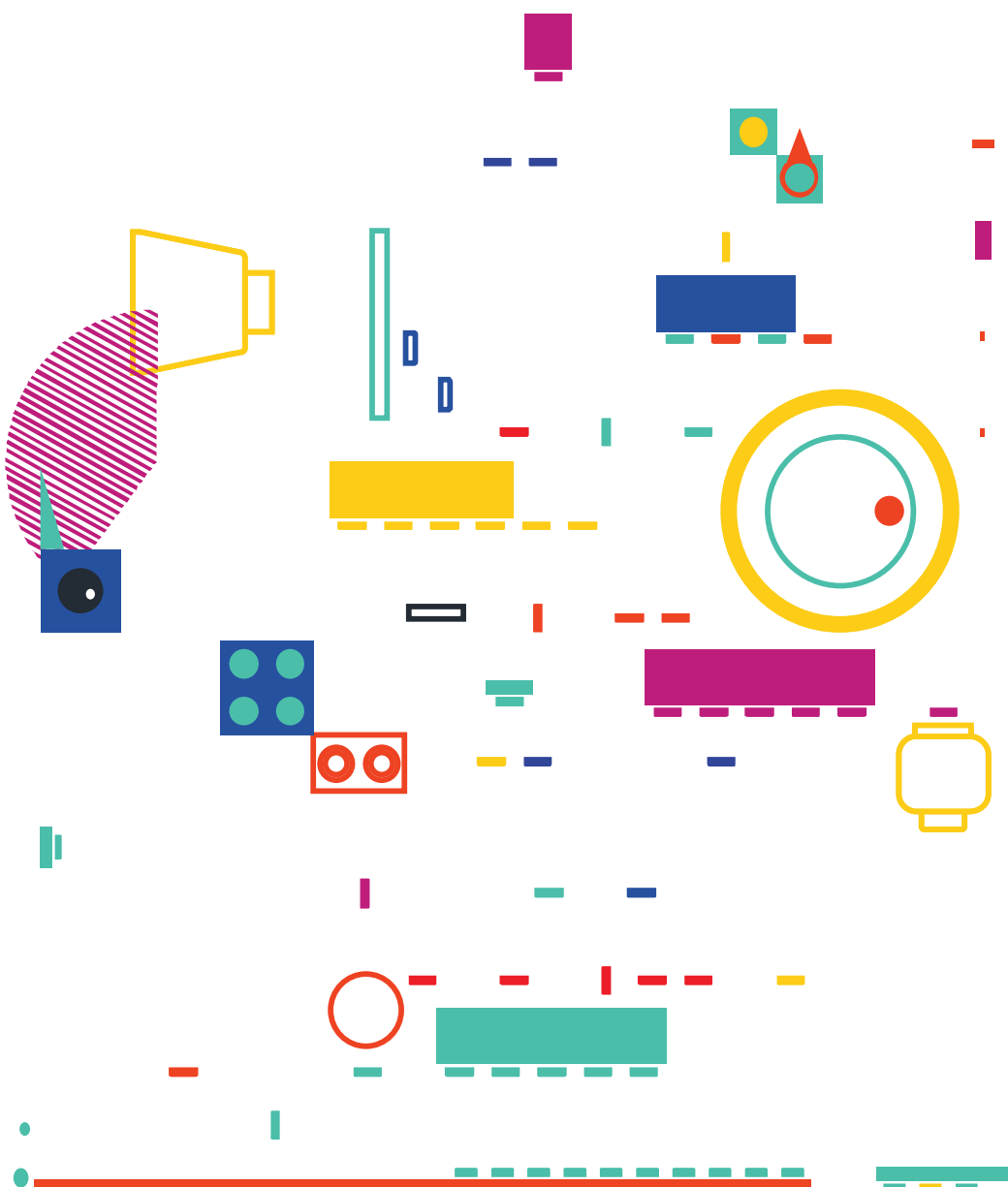
Monthly Household Income - Trended



For more information from ROOTS on the below categories:

<b>Map of the Community</b>	<b>Connection</b>	<b>Food &amp; Grocery</b>
<b>Reach</b>	Internet	Who & How
Papers & Weekly Magazines	Cell Phone	How Often & Where
Online News	<b>Transport</b>	<b>Clothes &amp; Shoes</b>
Advertising Usage – Local Paper	<b>Life Changers &amp; Interests</b>	<b>Entertainment</b>
<b>Size and Structure</b>	<b>Shopping</b>	Watching & Listening
Community Size & Structure	Centres, online, transport & travel time	Eating & Drinking
Trended (to 2010 or 2016 – depending on availability of data)	Loyalty Cards & Garage Forecourts	Casino
<b>Wealth</b>	<b>Home &amp; Garden</b>	Travel
Socio Economic Structure (SEM) Living Standard Measurement (LSM) Monthly Household Income	Home & Garden	<b>Health</b>
Trended (to 2010 or 2016 – depending on availability of data)	Pets at home	Complaints & Cures
Finance - Products & Banks	Shopping for the Home	Lifestyle
Insurance – Products & Insurers		Self Care

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