

Vote 1

The Presidency

Budget summary

R million	2018/19				2019/20	2020/21
	Total	Current payments	Transfers and subsidies	Payments for capital assets	Total	Total
MTEF allocation						
Administration	456.0	444.9	0.0	11.0	487.6	521.0
Executive Support	49.6	48.4	–	1.2	52.4	55.6
Subtotal	505.6	493.4	0.0	12.2	540.0	576.6
Direct charge against the National Revenue Fund						
Salary of the President	3.6	3.6	–	–	3.9	4.2
Salary of the Deputy President	3.1	3.1	–	–	3.3	3.6
Total expenditure estimates	512.3	500.1	0.0	12.2	547.2	584.4

Executive authority Minister in the Presidency: Planning, Monitoring and Evaluation
 Accounting officer Chief Operations Officer in the Presidency
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Vote purpose

Facilitate a common programme towards the achievement of the electoral mandate and the enhanced integrity of the state through considered planning, coordination, oversight, mobilisation and support.

Mandate

The mandate of the Presidency is to serve the president in the execution of his responsibilities and duties, supported by the deputy president, as articulated in chapter 5 of the Constitution.

Selected performance indicators

Table 1.1 Performance indicators by programme and related outcome

Indicator	Programme	MTSF outcome	Past			Current	Projections		
			2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20	2020/21
Annual domestic programme of the president developed and approved	Administration	Outcome 12: An efficient, effective and development oriented public service	–1	–1	–1	2018/19 programme signed off by chief operations officer	2019/20 programme signed off by chief operations officer	2020/21 programme signed off by chief operations officer	2021/22 programme signed off by chief operations officer
Annual international relations programme of the president developed and approved	Administration	Outcome 11: Create a better South Africa, a better Africa and a better world	–1	–1	–1	2018/19 programme signed off by chief operations officer	2019/20 programme signed off by chief operations officer	2020/21 programme signed off by chief operations officer	2021/22 programme signed off by chief operations officer
Annual domestic programme of the deputy president developed and approved	Administration	Outcome 12: An efficient, effective and development oriented public service	–1	–1	–1	2018/19 programme signed off by chief operations officer	2019/20 programme signed off by chief operations officer	2020/21 programme signed off by chief operations officer	2021/22 programme signed off by chief operations officer
Annual international relations programme of the deputy president developed and approved	Administration	Outcome 11: Create a better South Africa, a better Africa and a better world	–1	–1	–1	2018/19 programme signed off by chief operations officer	2019/20 programme signed off by chief operations officer	2020/21 programme signed off by chief operations officer	2021/22 programme signed off by chief operations officer
Annual Cabinet and forum of South African directors general programme developed and approved	Executive Support	Outcome 12: An efficient, effective and development oriented public service	–1	–1	–1	2018/19 programme approved by third quarter	2019/20 programme approved by third quarter	2020/21 programme approved by third quarter	2021/22 programme approved by third quarter

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Indicator	Programme	MTSF outcome	Past			Current	Projections		
			2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20	2020/21
Annual report on the implementation of the annual Cabinet and programme for the forum of South African directors general developed	Executive Support	Outcome 12: An efficient, effective and development oriented public service	-1	-1	-1	Report on the implementation of the 2017 annual Cabinet and programme for the forum of South African directors general developed	Annual report on the implementation of the 2018 annual Cabinet and programme for the forum of South African directors general developed	Five-year term report on the implementation of the 2015-2019 annual Cabinet and programme for the forum of South African directors general developed	Annual report on the implementation of the 2021 annual Cabinet and programme for the forum of South African directors general developed

1. No historical data available.

Expenditure analysis

Chapter 1 of the National Development Plan sets out a vision for increased government integration towards developing policy in a complex domestic and international environment. This is given expression by outcome 11 (create a better South Africa, a better Africa and a better world) and outcome 12 (an efficient, effective and development oriented public service) of government's 2014-2019 medium-term strategic framework, with which the work of the Presidency is closely aligned. Broadly, the department oversees the implementation of the administration's electoral mandate, the National Development Plan and government's 2014-2019 medium-term strategic framework. More specifically, over the medium term, the department intends to focus on: promoting an integrated approach to governance; leading the coordination of government policies and programmes; supporting initiatives that promote nation building and social cohesion; and advancing South Africa's interests in the international arena.

Promoting an integrated approach to governance

Over the MTEF period, the department intends improving the coordination of government departments to ensure that policies are implemented in line with national goals. This entails providing training to and facilitating briefing sessions with relevant senior management officials working in ministerial offices. The department also plans to entrench the integrated approach to governance, which involves coordination between government departments, by providing administrative support to 74 meetings of the forum of South African directors general and 114 Cabinet meetings per year over the medium term. These activities are expected to cost R22.7 million and are budgeted for in the Executive support programme.

The department is in the process of rolling out the transversal e-Cabinet system, which is aimed at enabling members of the executive, heads of department and executive support staff to share, manage and store information securely. Due to delays in obtaining security clearances for newly appointed staff in 2017/18, the system is expected to become operational in 2018/19. Funds for the rollout of the e-Cabinet system are allocated to the *Cabinet Services* subprogramme, which has a total budget of R157.5 million over the MTEF period, of which 50 per cent (R79.5 million) is expected to be used for computer services for the system.

Leading the coordination of government policies and programmes

As government's lead coordinating department, the Presidency seeks to promote good governance on an ongoing basis. In this regard, over the medium term, the department intends providing support to the Siyahlola presidential monitoring and Izimbizo programmes; the President's Coordinating Council; the presidential working groups; Operation Phakisa, which intends to stimulate the economy by providing work opportunities; and statutory bodies such as the Black Economic Empowerment Advisory Council and the Presidential Infrastructure Coordinating Commission. Expenditure of R10.8 million over the medium term on these activities is in the *Support Services to the President* subprogramme.

The department will continue to provide support to the deputy president in his role as the Leader of Government Business; hold engagements with multi-stakeholders like labour, business, civil society and black professionals, and continue to support Youth Career Expos as well as the various other commitments made by government to advance the objectives of youth development.

Promoting nation building and social cohesion

The department plans to continue providing support to initiatives that promote nation building and social cohesion through observing national days of celebration and special days, and officiating and hosting national orders ceremonies. In 2018/19, the department intends celebrating 100 years of Nelson Mandela by means of various events to be hosted across South Africa. The deputy president will continue to lead the Moral Regeneration Movement, a civil society organisation mandated to facilitate and coordinate processes and initiatives aimed at combatting moral degeneration in South Africa and promoting collective activism on issues of moral renewal.

The department's nation building and social cohesion initiatives are funded through the *Support Services to the President* subprogramme, with a total allocation of R210.7 million over the medium term, and *Support Services to the Deputy President* subprogramme, with a total allocation of R176.2 million over the same period. R7 million from the *Management* subprogramme has been allocated over the MTEF period for officiating and hosting national orders ceremonies.

Advancing South Africa's interests

The fundamental role of the Presidency in the international arena is to assist the president and deputy president in advancing South Africa's interests in the global community. Over the MTEF period, the department expects to continue providing strategic and administrative support to unilateral, bilateral and multilateral meetings and summits and state visits; and assist in fulfilling South Africa's obligations to the United Nations, the Brazil-Russia-India-China-South Africa group of countries, the G20, the African Union, the Southern African Development Community, and regional and continental peacekeeping processes. Activities related to advancing South Africa's interests are budgeted for in the *Support Services to the President* subprogramme which has a total allocation of R210.7 million and in the *Support Services to the Deputy President* subprogramme which has a total budget allocation of R176.2 million, over the medium term.

Expenditure trends

Table 1.2 Vote expenditure trends by programme and economic classification

Programmes																																	
1. Administration																																	
2. Executive Support																																	
Programme	Annual budget			Adjusted appropriation			Audited outcome			Annual budget			Adjusted appropriation			Audited outcome			Annual budget			Adjusted appropriation			Audited outcome			Average: Outcome/Annual budget (%)			Average: Outcome/Adjusted appropriation (%)		
R million	2014/15			2015/16			2016/17			2017/18			2014/15 - 2017/18			2014/15 - 2017/18			2014/15 - 2017/18			2014/15 - 2017/18			2014/15 - 2017/18			2014/15 - 2017/18					
Programme 1	427.8	428.6	402.0	483.9	443.7	446.2	453.4	454.2	447.7	449.0	454.3	454.3	96.5%	98.3%																			
Programme 2	25.2	24.4	19.3	26.4	32.3	20.5	46.3	35.6	27.6	46.2	46.8	46.8	79.3%	82.2%																			
Subtotal	453.0	453.0	421.3	510.3	475.9	466.7	499.7	489.8	475.3	495.2	501.2	501.2	95.2%	97.1%																			
Direct charge against the National Revenue Fund	3.0	5.5	4.8	5.7	5.7	5.6	6.0	6.0	5.7	6.4	6.4	6.4	106.8%	95.6%																			
Salary of the President	3.0	3.0	2.6	3.1	3.1	2.9	3.3	3.3	3.0	3.4	3.4	3.4	93.3%	93.3%																			
Salary of the Deputy President	–	2.5	2.2	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.8	2.8	2.7	2.9	2.9	2.9	127.5%	98.2%																			
Total	456.0	458.5	426.2	516.1	481.7	472.4	505.7	495.8	481.0	501.5	507.5	507.5	95.3%	97.1%																			
Change to 2017 Budget estimate										6.0																							
Economic classification																																	
Current payments	443.0	442.8	403.3	503.5	465.5	431.4	491.8	479.4	464.8	487.2	487.0	487.0	92.8%	95.3%																			
Compensation of employees	286.3	288.2	269.0	326.4	301.8	295.1	329.0	314.6	308.7	318.4	318.2	318.2	94.5%	97.4%																			
Goods and services	156.7	154.6	134.2	177.1	163.7	136.3	162.8	164.8	156.0	168.8	168.8	168.8	89.5%	91.3%																			
Transfers and subsidies	0.0	1.6	4.0	0.1	0.9	1.1	0.0	2.4	3.2	0.0	6.2	6.2	9767.6%	131.1%																			
Provinces and municipalities	–	0.0	0.0	–	0.0	0.0	–	–	0.0	–	0.0	0.0	–	190.9%																			
Departmental agencies and accounts	0.0	1.0	1.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	–	0.0	0.0	0.0	–	–																			
Households	–	0.5	3.0	–	0.8	1.0	–	2.4	3.2	–	6.2	6.2	–	135.3%																			
Payments for capital assets	12.9	14.1	14.1	12.5	15.2	38.8	13.9	14.0	12.1	14.3	14.3	14.3	147.7%	137.4%																			
Machinery and equipment	12.9	14.0	14.1	12.4	15.2	38.8	13.9	14.0	12.1	14.3	14.3	14.3	147.9%	137.7%																			
Software and other intangible assets	–	0.1	–	0.1	0.1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–																			
Payments for financial assets	–	–	4.9	–	–	1.1	–	–	1.0	–	–	–	–	–																			
Total	456.0	458.5	426.2	516.1	481.7	472.4	505.7	495.8	481.0	501.5	507.5	507.5	95.3%	97.1%																			

Expenditure estimates

Table 1.3 Vote expenditure estimates by programme and economic classification

Programmes								
1. Administration								
2. Executive Support								
Programme	Revised estimate	Average growth rate (%)	Average Expenditure/ Total (%)	Medium-term expenditure estimate			Average growth rate (%)	Average: Expenditure/ Total (%)
				2017/18	2014/15 - 2017/18	2018/19		
R million								
Programme 1	454.3	2.0%	92.7%	456.0	487.6	521.0	4.7%	89.2%
Programme 2	46.8	24.3%	6.1%	49.6	52.4	55.6	5.9%	9.5%
Subtotal	501.2	3.4%	98.8%	505.6	540.0	576.6	4.8%	98.7%
Direct charge against the National Revenue Fund	6.4	5.4%	1.2%	6.7	7.3	7.8	7.0%	1.3%
Salary of the President	3.4	5.0%	0.6%	3.6	3.9	4.2	7.0%	0.7%
Salary of the Deputy President	2.9	5.8%	0.6%	3.1	3.3	3.6	7.0%	0.6%
Total	507.5	3.4%	100.0%	512.3	547.2	584.4	4.8%	100.0%
Change to 2017 Budget estimate				(9.3)	(9.9)	(10.5)		
Economic classification								
Current payments	487.0	3.2%	94.7%	500.1	534.4	571.0	5.4%	97.3%
Compensation of employees	318.2	3.4%	63.1%	328.9	354.0	380.6	6.1%	64.2%
Goods and services	168.8	3.0%	31.5%	171.2	180.4	190.4	4.1%	33.0%
Transfers and subsidies	6.2	58.3%	0.8%	0.0	0.0	0.0	-81.1%	0.3%
Provinces and municipalities	0.0	7.7%	0.0%	–	–	–	-100.0%	0.0%
Departmental agencies and accounts	0.0	-67.2%	0.1%	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.3%	0.0%
Households	6.2	125.7%	0.7%	–	–	–	-100.0%	0.3%
Payments for capital assets	14.3	0.5%	4.2%	12.2	12.8	13.4	-2.2%	2.4%
Machinery and equipment	14.3	0.6%	4.2%	12.2	12.8	13.4	-2.2%	2.4%
Total	507.5	3.4%	100.0%	512.3	547.2	584.4	4.8%	100.0%

Expenditure trends and estimates for significant spending items

Table 1.4 Expenditure trends and estimates for significant spending items

R thousand	Audited outcome			Adjusted appropriation	Average growth rate (%)	Average: Expenditure/ Total Vote (%)	Medium-term expenditure estimate			Average growth rate (%)	Average: Expenditure/ Total Vote (%)
	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17				2017/18	2014/15 - 2017/18	2018/19		
Compensation of employees	269 037	295 098	308 728	318 234	5.8%	63.9%	328 935	354 004	380 555	6.1%	65.1%
Communication	14 894	17 220	11 170	15 199	0.7%	3.1%	13 677	13 990	14 754	-1.0%	2.7%
Computer services	16 177	5 946	23 833	45 137	40.8%	4.9%	41 271	43 477	45 870	0.5%	8.3%
Travel and subsistence	44 631	60 838	59 232	47 883	2.4%	11.4%	59 050	63 004	67 015	11.9%	11.2%
Total	344 739	379 102	402 963	426 453	49.7%	83.3%	442 933	474 475	508 194	17.5%	87.3%

Goods and services expenditure trends and estimates

Table 1.5 Vote goods and services expenditure trends and estimates

R thousand	Audited outcome			Adjusted appropriation	Average growth rate (%)	Average: Expenditure/ Total (%)	Medium-term expenditure estimate			Average growth rate (%)	Average: Expenditure/ Total (%)
	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17				2017/18	2014/15 - 2017/18	2018/19		
Administrative fees	1 792	2 767	3 052	1 015	-17.3%	1.4%	2 096	2 377	2 568	36.3%	1.1%
Advertising	906	1 063	447	1 084	6.2%	0.6%	646	673	710	-13.2%	0.4%
Minor assets	2 580	934	776	3 316	8.7%	1.3%	1 854	1 499	1 430	-24.4%	1.1%
Audit costs: External	5 371	4 432	4 618	6 013	3.8%	3.4%	5 368	5 637	5 947	-0.4%	3.2%
Bursaries: Employees	1 075	1 094	1 421	1 446	10.4%	0.8%	1 203	1 263	1 332	-2.7%	0.7%
Catering: Departmental activities	3 011	2 399	2 724	3 336	3.5%	1.9%	3 242	3 255	3 376	0.4%	1.9%
Communication	14 894	17 220	11 170	15 199	0.7%	9.8%	13 677	13 990	14 754	-1.0%	8.1%
Computer services	16 177	5 946	23 833	45 137	40.8%	15.3%	41 271	43 477	45 870	0.5%	24.7%
Consultants: Business and advisory services	3 932	3 779	3 397	8 685	30.2%	3.3%	4 113	4 562	5 088	-16.3%	3.2%
Legal services	6 774	9 110	12 259	5 277	-8.0%	5.6%	7 055	7 790	8 061	15.2%	4.0%
Contractors	4 411	1 207	4 012	4 884	3.5%	2.4%	4 577	4 782	5 043	1.1%	2.7%
Agency and support/outsourced services	6 452	2 517	3 489	5 040	-7.9%	2.9%	5 179	5 388	5 684	4.1%	3.0%
Entertainment	65	7	1	167	37.0%	–	115	115	121	-10.2%	0.1%
Fleet services (including government motor transport)	1 653	2 558	2 926	924	-17.6%	1.4%	1 822	1 879	1 982	29.0%	0.9%
Consumable supplies	5 105	3 538	3 928	4 443	-4.5%	2.9%	4 883	5 086	5 365	6.5%	2.8%
Consumables: Stationery, printing and office supplies	4 186	4 355	5 079	4 759	4.4%	3.1%	5 103	5 282	5 574	5.4%	2.9%

Table 1.5 Vote goods and services expenditure trends and estimates

R thousand	Audited outcome			Adjusted appropriation 2017/18	Average growth rate (%) 2014/15 - 2017/18	Average Expenditure/ Total (%) 2014/15 - 2017/18	Medium-term expenditure estimate			Average growth rate (%) 2017/18 - 2020/21	Average Expenditure/ Total (%) 2017/18 - 2020/21
	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17				2018/19	2019/20	2020/21		
Operating leases	3 930	4 966	5 529	2 189	-17.7%	2.8%	2 511	2 676	2 823	8.8%	1.4%
Rental and hiring	524	1 425	314	485	-2.5%	0.5%	276	292	309	-14.0%	0.2%
Property payments	407	434	823	92	-39.1%	0.3%	214	225	237	37.1%	0.1%
Travel and subsistence	44 631	60 838	59 232	47 883	2.4%	35.7%	59 050	63 004	67 015	11.9%	33.3%
Training and development	2 025	2 507	3 501	3 156	15.9%	1.9%	3 371	3 497	3 308	1.6%	1.9%
Operating payments	3 148	2 319	2 224	2 984	-1.8%	1.8%	2 442	2 528	2 669	-3.7%	1.5%
Venues and facilities	1 178	859	1 236	1 285	2.9%	0.8%	1 094	1 103	1 163	-3.3%	0.7%
Total	134 227	136 274	155 991	168 799	7.9%	100.0%	171 162	180 380	190 429	4.1%	100.0%

Transfers and subsidies expenditure trends and estimates

Table 1.6 Vote transfers and subsidies trends and estimates

R thousand	Audited outcome			Adjusted appropriation 2017/18	Average growth rate (%) 2014/15 - 2017/18	Average Expenditure/ Total (%) 2014/15 - 2017/18	Medium-term expenditure estimate			Average growth rate (%) 2017/18 - 2020/21	Average Expenditure/ Total (%) 2017/18 - 2020/21
	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17				2018/19	2019/20	2020/21		
Departmental agencies and accounts											
Departmental agencies (non-business entities)											
Current	997	3	-	36	-66.9%	7.2%	38	40	42	5.3%	2.5%
Communication	-	3	-	36	-	0.3%	38	40	42	5.3%	2.5%
Public Sector Education and Training Authority	997	-	-	-	-100.0%	6.9%	-	-	-	-	-
Households											
Other transfers to households											
Current	2 254	250	204	-	-100.0%	18.7%	-	-	-	-	-
Employee social benefits	2 254	250	204	-	-100.0%	18.7%	-	-	-	-	-
Households											
Social benefits											
Current	706	799	2 994	6 150	105.8%	73.7%	-	-	-	-100.0%	97.4%
Employee social benefits	706	799	2 994	6 150	105.8%	73.7%	-	-	-	-100.0%	97.4%
Provinces and municipalities											
Municipal bank accounts											
Current	9	4	3	5	-17.8%	0.1%	-	-	-	-100.0%	0.1%
Municipal services	9	4	3	5	-17.8%	0.1%	-	-	-	-100.0%	0.1%
Public corporations and private enterprises											
Other transfers to private enterprises											
Current	-	-	42	-	-	0.3%	-	-	-	-	-
Public corporations and private enterprises	-	-	42	-	-	0.3%	-	-	-	-	-
Total	3 966	1 056	3 243	6 191	16.0%	100.0%	38	40	42	-81.1%	100.0%

Personnel information

Table 1.7 Vote personnel numbers and cost by salary level and programme¹

Programmes		Number and cost ² of personnel posts filled / planned for on funded establishment														Number					
Number of posts estimated for 31 March 2018		Actual												Revised estimate		Medium-term expenditure estimate				Average growth rate (%) 2017/18 - 2020/21	Average Salary level/Total (%)
Number of funded posts	Number of posts additional to the establishment	2016/17			2017/18			2018/19			2019/20			2020/21							
		Number	Cost	Unit cost	Number	Cost	Unit cost	Number	Cost	Unit cost	Number	Cost	Unit cost	Number	Cost	Unit cost					
The Presidency	629	66	618	308.7	0.5	607	318.2	0.5	603	328.9	0.5	599	354.0	0.6	597	380.6	0.6	-0.6%	100.0%		
Salary level																					
1 – 6	267	37	268	60.7	0.2	262	62.2	0.2	259	64.0	0.2	258	69.3	0.3	258	75.3	0.3	-0.5%	43.1%		
7 – 10	178	10	173	75.1	0.4	170	77.2	0.5	170	80.1	0.5	169	86.4	0.5	169	93.7	0.6	-0.2%	28.2%		
11 – 12	107	4	98	71.5	0.7	96	73.0	0.8	96	75.9	0.8	94	81.0	0.9	93	86.9	0.9	-1.1%	15.8%		
13 – 16	77	15	79	101.4	1.3	79	105.9	1.3	78	108.9	1.4	78	117.2	1.5	77	124.6	1.6	-0.9%	13.0%		
Programme	629	66	618	308.7	0.5	607	318.2	0.5	603	328.9	0.5	599	354.0	0.6	597	380.6	0.6	-0.6%	100.0%		
Programme 1	606	64	594	288.7	0.5	583	295.7	0.5	579	305.0	0.5	575	328.3	0.6	573	353.0	0.6	-0.6%	96.0%		
Programme 2	21	2	22	14.3	0.6	22	16.1	0.7	22	17.2	0.8	22	18.4	0.8	22	19.8	0.9	-	3.7%		
Direct charges	2	-	2	5.7	2.9	2	6.4	3.2	2	6.7	3.4	2	7.3	3.6	2	7.8	3.9	-	0.3%		

1. Data has been provided by the department and may not necessarily reconcile with official government personnel data.

2. Rand million.

Departmental receipts

Table 1.8 Departmental receipts by economic classification

R thousand	Audited outcome			Adjusted estimate	Revised estimate	Average growth rate (%)	Average: Receipt item/ Total (%)	Medium-term receipts estimate			Average growth rate (%)	Average: Receipt item/ Total (%)
	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17					2017/18	2018/19	2019/20		
Departmental receipts	1 726	2 924	1 365	1 046	1 046	-15.4%	100.0%	613	632	649	-14.7%	100.0%
Sales of goods and services produced by department	347	355	350	326	326	-2.1%	19.5%	332	350	366	3.9%	46.7%
Sales by market establishments of which:	184	179	176	150	150	-6.6%	9.8%	156	164	171	4.5%	21.8%
Rental dwellings	141	179	176	105	105	-9.4%	8.5%	110	115	120	4.6%	15.3%
Rental parking: Covered and open	42	-	-	45	45	2.3%	1.2%	45	48	50	3.6%	6.4%
Services rendered: Commission on insurance and garnishee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	0.1%
Promotion of Access to Information Act (2000)	1	-	-	-	-	-100.0%	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other sales of which:	163	176	174	176	176	2.6%	9.8%	176	186	195	3.5%	24.9%
Services rendered: Commission on insurance and garnishee	117	176	174	116	116	-0.3%	8.3%	115	121	125	2.5%	16.2%
Service rendered: Transport fees	46	-	-	60	60	9.3%	1.5%	61	65	70	5.3%	8.7%
Transfers received	1 046	-	-	-	-	-100.0%	14.8%	-	-	-	-	-
Interest, dividends and rent on land	106	107	59	25	25	-38.2%	4.2%	31	32	33	9.7%	4.1%
Interest	106	107	59	25	25	-38.2%	4.2%	31	32	33	9.7%	4.1%
Sales of capital assets	108	495	107	100	100	-2.5%	11.5%	-	-	-	-100.0%	3.4%
Transactions in financial assets and liabilities	119	1 967	849	595	595	71.0%	50.0%	250	250	250	-25.1%	45.7%
Total	1 726	2 924	1 365	1 046	1 046	-15.4%	100.0%	613	632	649	-14.7%	100.0%

Programme 1: Administration

Programme purpose

Provide strategic leadership, management and support services to the Presidency.

Objectives

- Strengthen the implementation of the strategic programme of political principals by providing technical and administrative support on an ongoing basis by:
 - exercising political oversight of the implementation of government policies and programmes
 - leading integrated planning and policy coherence in government to advance socioeconomic transformation and inclusion
 - supporting oversight and coordination structures such as the President's Coordinating Council, the Siyahlola presidential monitoring programme, and performance dialogues with ministers
 - supporting the execution of the deputy president's programmes
 - supporting interventions and participation engagements aimed at enhancing public accountability and integrated communication
 - fast-tracking service delivery and economic development
 - monitoring infrastructure projects
 - supporting presidential working group structures, strategic partnerships, and the promotion of nation building and social cohesion.
- Provide logistical, administrative, communicative, strategic and executive support on the implementation of the annual domestic and international programme by political principals over the medium term.

Subprogrammes

- *Management* provides leadership, strategic management and administrative support within the Presidency.
- *Support Services to the President* provides strategic, executive and personal support services to the president in the execution of his constitutional responsibilities and in leading the work of government.

- *Support Services to the Deputy President* provides support to the deputy president in the execution of his delegated responsibilities towards the attainment of the electoral mandate and the Presidency's mission.

Expenditure trends and estimates

Table 1.9 Administration expenditure trends and estimates by subprogramme and economic classification

Subprogramme	Audited outcome			Adjusted appropriation	Average growth rate (%)		Medium-term expenditure estimate			Average growth rate (%)	
	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17		2014/15 - 2017/18	Average: Expenditure/ Total (%)	2018/19	2019/20	2020/21	2017/18 - 2020/21	Average: Expenditure/ Total (%)
R million											
Management	302.5	331.2	336.8	339.7	3.9%	74.9%	335.4	358.8	383.4	4.1%	73.9%
Support Services to the President	60.4	65.9	63.0	61.8	0.8%	14.3%	65.7	70.2	74.9	6.6%	14.2%
Support Services to the Deputy President	39.2	49.0	48.0	52.8	10.5%	10.8%	54.9	58.7	62.7	5.9%	11.9%
Total	402.0	446.2	447.7	454.3	4.2%	100.0%	456.0	487.6	521.0	4.7%	100.0%
Change to 2017 Budget estimate				5.3			(9.3)	(9.9)	(10.5)		
Economic classification											
Current payments	380.8	406.0	432.4	436.3	4.6%	94.6%	444.9	476.0	508.9	5.3%	97.2%
Compensation of employees	250.9	273.8	288.7	295.7	5.6%	63.4%	305.0	328.3	353.0	6.1%	66.8%
Goods and services ¹	129.9	132.2	143.7	140.5	2.6%	31.2%	140.0	147.6	155.9	3.5%	30.4%
of which:											
<i>Audit costs: External</i>	5.4	4.4	4.6	6.0	3.8%	1.2%	5.4	5.6	5.9	-0.4%	1.2%
<i>Communication</i>	14.7	17.0	11.1	15.1	0.8%	3.3%	13.5	13.9	14.6	-1.0%	3.0%
<i>Computer services</i>	16.2	5.9	15.3	22.4	11.5%	3.4%	16.2	17.0	17.9	-7.2%	3.8%
<i>Legal services</i>	6.8	9.1	12.3	5.3	-8.0%	1.9%	7.1	7.8	8.1	15.2%	1.5%
<i>Agency and support/outsourced services</i>	6.5	2.5	3.5	5.0	-7.9%	1.0%	5.2	5.4	5.7	4.1%	1.1%
<i>Travel and subsistence</i>	43.3	59.3	57.6	45.0	1.3%	11.7%	55.9	59.7	63.6	12.2%	11.7%
Interest and rent on land	0.0	–	0.0	–	-100.0%	–	–	–	–	–	–
Transfers and subsidies¹	3.7	1.1	2.7	4.9	9.4%	0.7%	0.0	0.0	0.0	-79.5%	0.3%
Provinces and municipalities	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-17.8%	–	–	–	–	-100.0%	–
Departmental agencies and accounts	1.0	0.0	–	0.0	-66.9%	0.1%	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.3%	–
Households	2.7	1.0	2.6	4.8	21.1%	0.6%	–	–	–	-100.0%	0.3%
Payments for capital assets	12.6	38.0	11.6	13.2	1.5%	4.3%	11.0	11.6	12.1	-2.8%	2.5%
Machinery and equipment	12.6	38.0	11.6	13.2	1.5%	4.3%	11.0	11.6	12.1	-2.8%	2.5%
Payments for financial assets	4.8	1.1	1.0	–	-100.0%	0.4%	–	–	–	–	–
Total	402.0	446.2	447.7	454.3	4.2%	100.0%	456.0	487.6	521.0	4.7%	100.0%
Proportion of total programme expenditure to vote expenditure	95.4%	95.6%	94.2%	90.7%	–	–	90.2%	90.3%	90.4%	–	–

1. Estimates of National Expenditure data tables are available and can be downloaded from www.treasury.gov.za. These data tables contain detailed information by goods and services, and transfers and subsidies item by programme.

Programme 2: Executive Support

Programme purpose

Provide strategic and administrative support to enable Cabinet to foster accountability and policy coherence through integrated planning, policy coordination and the implementation of the strategic agenda of government.

Objectives

- Provide policy advisory support to political principals to ensure policy coherence by implementing Cabinet programmes on an ongoing basis.
- Strengthen technical support provided to the president and other political principals in the Presidency by:
 - participating in Cabinet structures on an ongoing basis
 - implementing the recommendations of the evaluation of coordinating structures, which are aimed at improving systems of governance and compliance for Cabinet and the forum of South African directors general, over the medium term.

Subprogramme

- *Cabinet Services* provides strategic and administrative support to allow Cabinet to foster accountability and policy coherence through integrated planning, policy coordination and the implementation of the strategic agenda of government.

Expenditure trends and estimates

Table 1.10 Executive Support expenditure trends and estimates by subprogramme and economic classification

Subprogramme	Audited outcome			Adjusted appropriation	Average growth rate (%)	Average: Expenditure/ Total (%)	Medium-term expenditure estimate			Average growth rate (%)	Average: Expenditure/ Total (%)
	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17				2017/18	2018/19	2019/20		
R million											
Cabinet Services	19.3	20.5	27.6	46.8	34.4%	100.0%	49.6	52.4	55.6	5.9%	100.0%
Total	19.3	20.5	27.6	46.8	34.4%	100.0%	49.6	52.4	55.6	5.9%	100.0%
Change to 2017 Budget estimate				0.7			–	–	–		
Economic classification	17.6	19.7	26.6	44.4	36.1%	94.8%	48.4	51.2	54.3	6.9%	97.0%
Current payments											
Compensation of employees	13.3	15.7	14.3	16.1	6.6%	52.0%	17.2	18.4	19.8	7.0%	35.0%
Goods and services ¹	4.3	4.0	12.3	28.3	87.5%	42.8%	31.2	32.8	34.5	6.9%	62.0%
<i>of which:</i>											
<i>Catering: Departmental activities</i>	1.1	1.4	1.5	1.4	8.0%	4.7%	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.5%	2.8%
<i>Computer services</i>	0.0	0.1	8.5	22.7	2732.7%	27.4%	25.1	26.5	28.0	7.1%	50.0%
<i>Consumables: Stationery, printing and office supplies</i>	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	24.6%	0.4%	0.2	0.2	0.2	5.9%	0.3%
<i>Travel and subsistence</i>	1.4	1.5	1.6	2.9	27.7%	6.4%	3.2	3.3	3.4	6.1%	6.2%
<i>Operating payments</i>	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.4	14.0%	1.2%	0.6	0.6	0.7	16.1%	1.1%
<i>Venues and facilities</i>	0.1	0.1	–	0.4	44.2%	0.6%	0.5	0.5	0.5	5.0%	0.9%
Transfers and subsidies¹	0.2	–	0.6	1.3	75.8%	1.9%	–	–	–	-100.0%	0.6%
Households	0.2	–	0.6	1.3	75.8%	1.9%	–	–	–	-100.0%	0.6%
Payments for capital assets	1.4	0.8	0.4	1.1	-8.1%	3.3%	1.2	1.2	1.3	4.5%	2.3%
Machinery and equipment	1.4	0.8	0.4	1.1	-8.1%	3.3%	1.2	1.2	1.3	4.5%	2.3%
Payments for financial assets	0.0	0.0	0.0	–	-100.0%	–	–	–	–	–	–
Total	19.3	20.5	27.6	46.8	34.4%	100.0%	49.6	52.4	55.6	5.9%	100.0%
Proportion of total programme expenditure to vote expenditure	4.6%	4.4%	5.8%	9.3%	–	–	9.8%	9.7%	9.6%	–	–

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