

Table 1 Revenue*

R thousand	2024/25			2023/24		
	Revised estimate	November	Year to date	Audited outcome	November	Year to date
Taxes on income and profits	1 097 077 764	70 548 358	641 199 318	1 008 555 804	58 668 990	585 182 656
Personal income tax	723 001 785	62 279 831	468 616 386	645 911 082	54 196 912	484 044 014
Provisional tax, assessment payments and penalties	64 360 451	3 362 660	32 201 394	57 282 465	3 338 998	26 239 222
Employees tax	710 319 833	62 584 063	463 897 289	636 560 098	54 023 235	415 473 419
ETI credit - refunds granted against PAYE payment	(4 297 675)	(298 267)	(2 416 128)	(3 730 098)	(301 619)	(2 450 725)
ETI credit - refunds	(834 307)	(62 920 387)	(33 623 599)	(732 299)	(873 343)	(30 586 097)
PII refunds	(40 545 517)	(2 683 152)	(34 336 308)	(40 469 084)	(2 588 329)	(34 223 861)
Tax on corporate income						
Corporate income tax	314 406 863	3 587 974	152 798 644	313 097 152	214 615	147 813 974
Secondary tax on companies	45 591	595	11 886	70 597	1 302	64 893
Withholding tax on dividends	39 473 325	3 423 496	25 017 988	39 102 230	3 383 365	28 655 416
Withholding tax on interest	1 252 907	94 504	753 140	1 136 500	84 121	749 936
Tax on retirement funds	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other						
Interest on overdue income tax	6 898 293	552 526	4 400 865	6 238 243	589 524	3 414 723
Small business tax amnesty	-	-	-	-	-	-
Taxes on payroll and workforce	24 493 292	2 065 301	15 929 038	22 604 347	1 944 609	14 734 121
Skills development levy	24 493 292	2 065 301	15 929 038	22 604 347	1 944 609	14 734 121
Taxes on property	21 035 214	2 087 957	14 807 917	19 399 918	1 680 969	13 473 184
Estate, inheritance and gift taxes						
Donations tax	1 024 152	116 479	713 719	801 097	63 241	441 686
Estate duty	3 666 805	342 757	2 550 537	3 532 500	308 166	2 429 075
Taxes on financial and capital transactions						
Securities transfer tax	5 566 859	564 537	3 872 961	5 484 988	366 189	3 965 518
Transfer duties	10 777 398	1 064 184	7 670 300	9 581 332	943 314	6 636 904
Taxes on goods and services	627 607 899	53 389 753	382 361 589	616 458 866	50 641 080	389 199 709
Value-added tax	493 755 262	41 227 631	294 555 730	447 555 730	38 112 665	280 141 565
Domestic VAT	562 769 718	50 414 654	369 128 132	525 446 325	45 140 262	343 136 009
Import VAT	266 808 254	23 564 055	164 033 272	265 043 201	22 174 100	167 890 290
Refunds	(365 822 578)	(32 751 078)	(248 546 020)	(342 932 796)	(29 201 362)	(230 864 739)
Specific excise duties	57 607 608	4 868 808	33 602 387	53 521 299	3 873 543	30 586 097
Beer	23 666 447	2 165 446	15 148 110	21 873 495	1 851 800	13 010 464
Sorghum beer and sorghum flour	5 693	975	5 815	6 635	555	5 068
Wine and other fermented beverages	7 352 022	659 828	4 109 067	7 376 606	479 549	4 002 995
Spirits	12 874 780	1 175 335	7 955 707	12 448 198	847 147	7 399 907
Cigarettes and cigarette tobacco	10 117 258	890 933	4 746 102	8 279 221	605 597	4 253 342
Heated tobacco products	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vaping tobacco	3 002	233	2 390	1 117	159	342
Pipe tobacco and cigars	415 221	31 837	281 329	382 379	29 240	247 413
Petroleum products	678 984	64 026	430 708	1 017 326	59 494	780 019
Revenue from neighbouring countries	2 493 190	80 196	1 220 939	2 136 978	-	1 147 535
Health promotion levy	2 352 284	215 219	1 421 764	2 244 721	211 331	1 430 195
Ad valorem excise duties	8 626 941	1 013	5 216 151	7 347 555	650	5 731 395
Fuel levy	82 367 694	5 912 033	56 480 998	91 506 106	7 538 308	60 891 912
Of which:						
Carbon fuel levy	2 412 773	265 977	1 960 339	2 596 736	221 941	1 729 508
CFL Domestic	1 848 779	196 281	1 476 549	1 831 713	158 529	1 287 305
CFL Imported	563 994	69 696	483 791	665 023	63 412	442 203
Taxes on use of goods and on permission to use goods or perform activities						
Air departure tax	974 485	81 175	664 640	945 694	79 762	603 641
Plastic bag levy	718 362	1 372	347 998	676 281	1 264	334 044
Electricity levy	7 512 415	640 224	5 137 358	7 139 414	627 014	4 889 148
Incandescent light bulb levy	17 053	586	6 764	19 098	2 255	12 421
CO ₂ tax - motor vehicle emissions	2 434 793	223 400	1 821 638	2 554 284	146 594	1 748 858
Tyre levy	792 354	53 884	519 323	763 575	40 855	507 776
International Oil Pollution Compensation Fund	5 494	-	5 494	5 921	4 921	-
Carbon tax	2 127 552	1 763	2 004 349	2 072 191	3 880	2 053 610
Turnover tax for micro businesses	9 415	135	5 091	10 822	43	5 327
Other						
Universal Service Fund	105 317	162 511	234 345	83 516	2 611	88 134
Taxes on international trade and transactions	76 549 432	7 082 662	49 793 244	73 848 830	6 250 913	45 462 817
Import duties						
Customs duties	64 873 540	5 892 800	41 908 312	62 174 524	5 135 541	39 474 224
Specific excise duties on imports	8 979 899	1 067 710	5 770 105	8 374 121	987 241	4 752 346
Health promotion levy on imports	133 816	13 367	94 782	114 764	7 456	66 043
Other						
Miscellaneous customs and excise receipts	2 017 848	55 917	1 655 550	2 637 228	86 003	854 081
Diamond export duties	108 276	1 193	30 790	137 086	2 567	95 201
Export tax - Scrap metal	436 053	51 675	315 704	411 107	32 055	238 922
Other taxes	-	-	-	-	-	-
Stamp duties and fees	-	-	-	-	-	-
State miscellaneous revenue	4)	(9 440)	(10 655)	2 119	(226)	1 077
Total tax revenue (gross)	1 840 763 602	135 164 590	1 114 080 631	1 740 869 884	119 186 275	1 040 073 354
Less: SACU payments	5)	(89 874 115)	(87 495 587)	(79 810 980)	-	(39 558 235)
Total tax revenue (net of SACU payments)	1 750 889 487	135 164 590	1 046 675 044	1 661 058 904	119 186 275	988 215 329
Departmental revenue	246 478 872	1 167 268	223 590 955	62 943 980	2 763 821	28 273 716
Sales of goods and services other than capital assets						
Sales by market establishments	6)	177 885	12 000	102 305	164 019	12 423
Non-tax receipts	8 000	894	5 170	7 845	1 031	5 459
Administrative fees	1 928 387	28 943	296 482	1 578 799	35 833	282 936
Other sales	1 655 144	183 960	1 420 796	1 336 226	111 596	1 064 414
Selling of scrap or waste and other used current goods	6 438	738	7 395	8 335	532	5 965
Transfers received	4 489 051	152 261	842 492	592 022	-	428 348
Levy account from SARS	200 000 000	-	200 000 000	-	-	-
Fines penalties and forfeits	496 121	14 200	224 023	615 283	26 262	302 434
Interest, dividends and rent on land						
Interest	6 349 083	586 073	4 102 579	12 622 185	319 308	5 497 293
Dividends	853 975	-	803 299	240 048	-	99 025
Rent on land	12 752 108	(78 180)	5 826 137	16 003 489	21 210	7 906 062
Of which:						
Mineral and petroleum royalties	8)	12 730 102	(80 483)	15 979 465	17 720	7 894 171
Sales of capital assets	168 977	20 288	142 332	192 334	6 258	142 775
Financial transactions in assets and liabilities	9)	17 592 704	246 531	9 796 974	29 585 395	2 229 248
Of which:						
NRF receipts	10)	10 484 459	41 445	7 811 473	19 034 942	502 697
Public entity conduit receipts	11)	-	111 362	8 001 556	641 354	1 779 993
Independent Communications Authority of South Africa	-	2 142 549	1 269 864	7 763 649	641 354	1 451 459
Competition Commission	-	177 712	-	237 907	-	328 554
Sale of non-core assets	-	4 000 000	-	2 000 000	1 000 000	1 000 000
Central Energy Fund	-	4 000 000	-	2 000 000	1 000 000	1 000 000
Exchequer revenue including GFEICRA	1 997 368 359	136 331 858	1 270 226 000	1 724 002 884	121 950 096	1 016 489 045
Adjustment for GFEICRA balance sheet transaction	(200 000 000)	-	(200 000 000)	-	-	-
Total national government revenue	1 797 368 359	136 331 858	1 070 226 000	1 724 002 884	121 950 096	1 016 489 045
Reconciliation of total national government and exchequer revenue against Table 4						
Exchequer revenue including GFEICRA	1 997 368 359	136 331 858	1 270 226 000	1 724 002 884	121 950 096	1 016 489 045
GFEICRA - SARS Contingency reserve contribution	(180 000 000)	-	-	-	-	-
Departmental revenue received but not yet paid to NRF	1 212 701	1 514 009	956 635	579 663	579 663	1 394 015
Departmental revenue collected	(1 094 944)	(8 650 554)	(8 650 554)	(17 928 017)	(602 050)	(8 443 783)
Departmental revenue received by the NRF	2 207 643	10 164 563	16 884 652	1 181 713	937 798	9 537 798
Other revenue received by the NRF	4 072	3 952 889	3 952 889	3 952 889	1 081	17 516
Financial Intelligence Centre Act	1 339	3 343	15 656	246	4 266	-
Financial Sector Conduct Authority	-	-	10	-	10	-
SARS Sanctions	-	-	96 210	20 598	10 087	-
Secord Service Account	2 724	-	9 070	3 686	826	1 958
Proceeds of organised Crime Act	9	82	1 362	-	9	1 335
Gauteng Freeway Improvement Project	-	-	3 805 724	-	-	-
Government Pensions Administration Agency	-	-	-	9 323	-	-
OTIC Various entities	-	-	-	316 830	-	-
Asset Forfeiture Unit	-	38 340	-	-	-	-
Revenue collected on behalf of the RAF	4 415 205	32 145 514	48 545 535	4 109 043	32 531 764	32 531 764
Revenue collected on behalf of the UIF	2 141 002	16 786 736	24 414 477	2 062 472	16 620 293	16 620 293
Total net revenue	144 104 838	(7 955)	1 234 625 838	1 790 289 994	128 762 355	1 066 432 589
Cash balance NRF	(7 955)	9 466	(811)	(611)	(5 116)	(3 474)
Direct transfer from NRF to the RAF	(3 834 094)	(31 916 811)	(48 575 277)	(4 150 622)	(32 636 965)	(32 636 965)
Direct transfer from NRF to the UIF	(2 120 000)	(16 793 951)	(24 320 672)	(1 999 961)	(16 012 188)	(16 012 188)
CFRA added as part of cash revenue in Table 4	-	(20 659 440)	(161 607)	6 776	30 267	-
Exchequer revenue according to Table 4	1 897 368 359	137 581 189	1 174 535 585	1 725 367 777	122 553 433	1 017 830 315

1) The securities transfer tax replaced the uncapitalised securities tax from 1 July 2008.

2) Specific excise duties on petrol, distillate fuel, residual fuel and base oil.

3) Excise duties collected by Botswana, Lesotho, Namibia and eSwatini.

4) Revenue received by SARS in respect of litigation that could not be allocated to specific revenue types.

5) Payments in terms of SACU agreements (SECTION 51(2) of the Customs and Excise Duties Act of 1964).

6) New item introduced on the standard chart of accounts from 2008/09.

7) The Gold and Foreign Exchange Contingency Reserve Account Delinquent Amendment Act, No 27 of 2024 refers. In 2024/25, the Reserve Bank will pay R200 billion to government in partial settlement of the GFEICRA balances. R200 billion was received into the National Revenue Fund.

8) Mineral royalties imposed on the transfer of mineral resources in terms of the Mineral and Petroleum Resources Royalty Act (2008), which came into operation on 1 May 2009.

9) Includes recoveries of loans and advances.

10) Includes National Revenue Funds receipts previously accounted for separately.

11) Revenue reallocated from Departmental Revenue to Financial transaction in assets and liabilities to be in line with the Budget Review.

12) Other revenue received by the NRF that is not classified as Departmental Revenue.

*) Any negative amounts reflect refunds and reclassification of previous recorded amounts. Reclassification will be reflected on the database.