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**Casinos, Bingo, Limited Pay-out Machines and Betting on Horse Racing and Sport
offered by Bookmakers and Totalisators**

FY2024/25

1 April 2024 – 31 March 2025

Introduction

- ❑ The National Gambling Board (NGB) is mandated by the National Gambling Act (NGA), 2004 (Act 7 of 2004), Section 65(2)(e) to monitor market conduct and market share.
- ❑ NGB monitors market conduct (number of gambling positions and outlets in the South African gambling sector) and also gathers and analyses national gambling statistics in terms of turnover (TO), Gross Gambling Revenue (GGR) and the collection of taxes/levies.
- ❑ The scope of this presentation covers audited information (national gambling statistics) related to the following legalised gambling modes in South Africa (as regulated by the NGB) of the Financial Year (FY) 2024/25:
 - Casinos (tables and slots);
 - Betting on horse racing, sport and other contingencies (offered by bookmakers and totalisators, on and off course);
 - Limited Payout Machines (LPMs); and
 - Bingo (traditional and Electronic Bingo Terminals (EBTs)).

Introduction

- ❑ Quarterly statistics were sourced from Provincial Licensing Authorities (PLAs).
- ❑ FY2024/25 information in this report is based on audited data.
- ❑ The information in this report is applicable to the period of 1 April 2024 to 31 March 2025 (FY2024/25), whereas quarters are representative of the following specific periods:
 - Quarter 1: 1 April 2024 – 30 June 2024
 - Quarter 2: 1 July 2024 – 30 September 2024
 - Quarter 3: 1 October 2024 – 31 December 2024
 - Quarter 4: 1 January 2025 – 31 March 2025
- ❑ The purpose of this presentation is to provide an overview regarding the status and performance of the South African gambling sector in terms of casinos, bingo, LPMs and betting on horse racing and sport with specific reference to statistics relative to turnover, GGR, generated, taxes/levies collected and Return To Player (RTP).

Definitions

- ❑ **TO** = Turnover (the rand value of money wagered includes "recycling" which refers to amounts that are staked on more than one occasion)
- ❑ **GGR** = Gross Gambling Revenue (the rand value of the gross revenue of an operator i.e. turnover less winnings paid to players)
- ❑ **Tax** = Gambling tax (gambling tax levied and collected by Provincial Licensing Authorities)
- ❑ **RTP** = Return To Player is an average achieved over a significant number of game plays and not each time the gaming machine is played ($\text{Total amount returned to players} / \text{Total amount wagered by players} \times 100$)

Source of data

Statistics are based on provincial statistics and raw data received from all the Provincial Licensing Authorities quarterly:

- ☐ Eastern Cape Gambling Board
 - ☐ Free State Gambling and Liquor Authority
 - ☐ Gauteng Gambling Board
 - ☐ KwaZulu-Natal Gaming and Betting Board
 - ☐ Limpopo Gambling Board
 - ☐ Mpumalanga Economic Regulator
 - ☐ Northern Cape Gambling Board
 - ☐ North West Gambling Board
 - ☐ Western Cape Gambling and Racing Board
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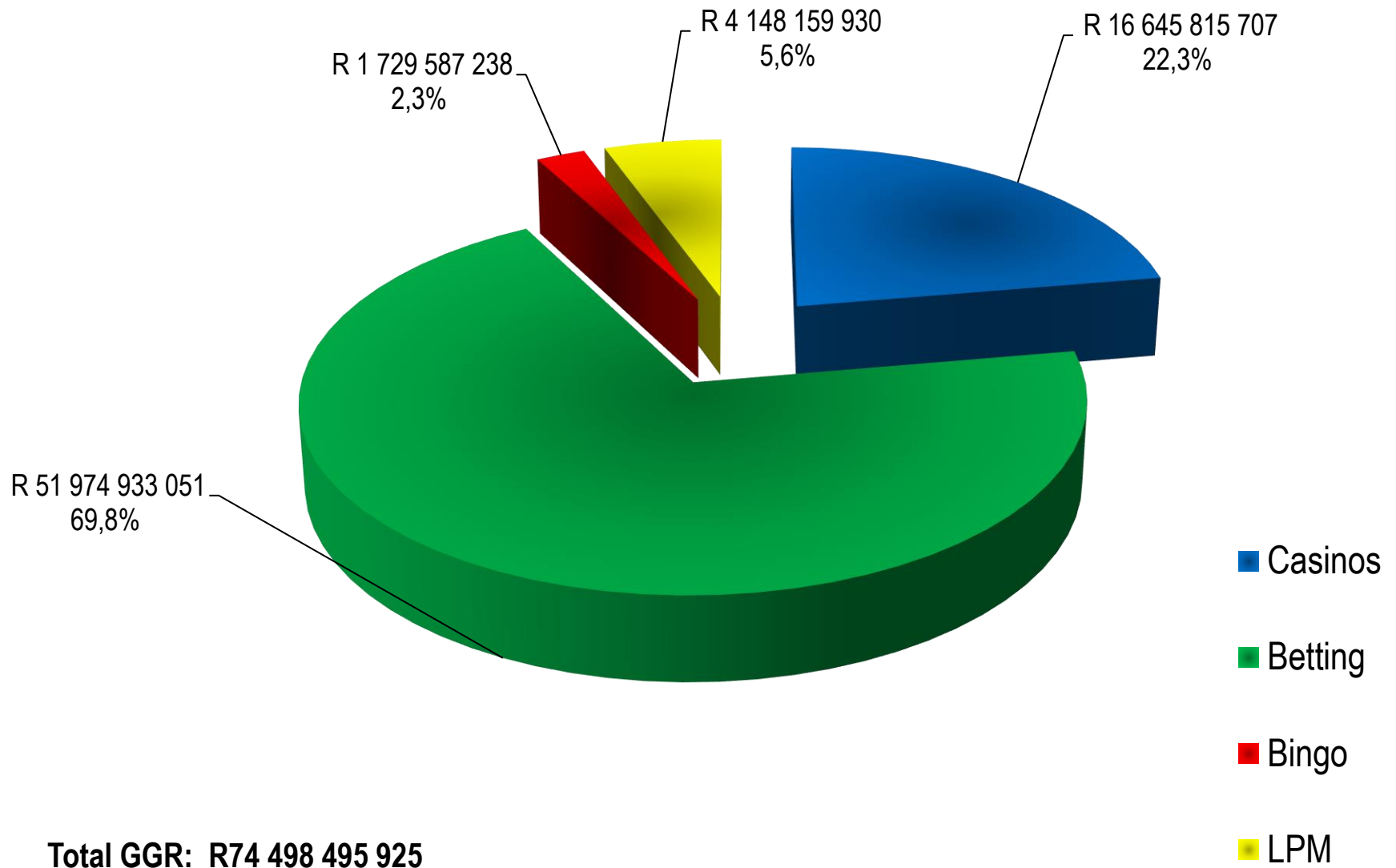
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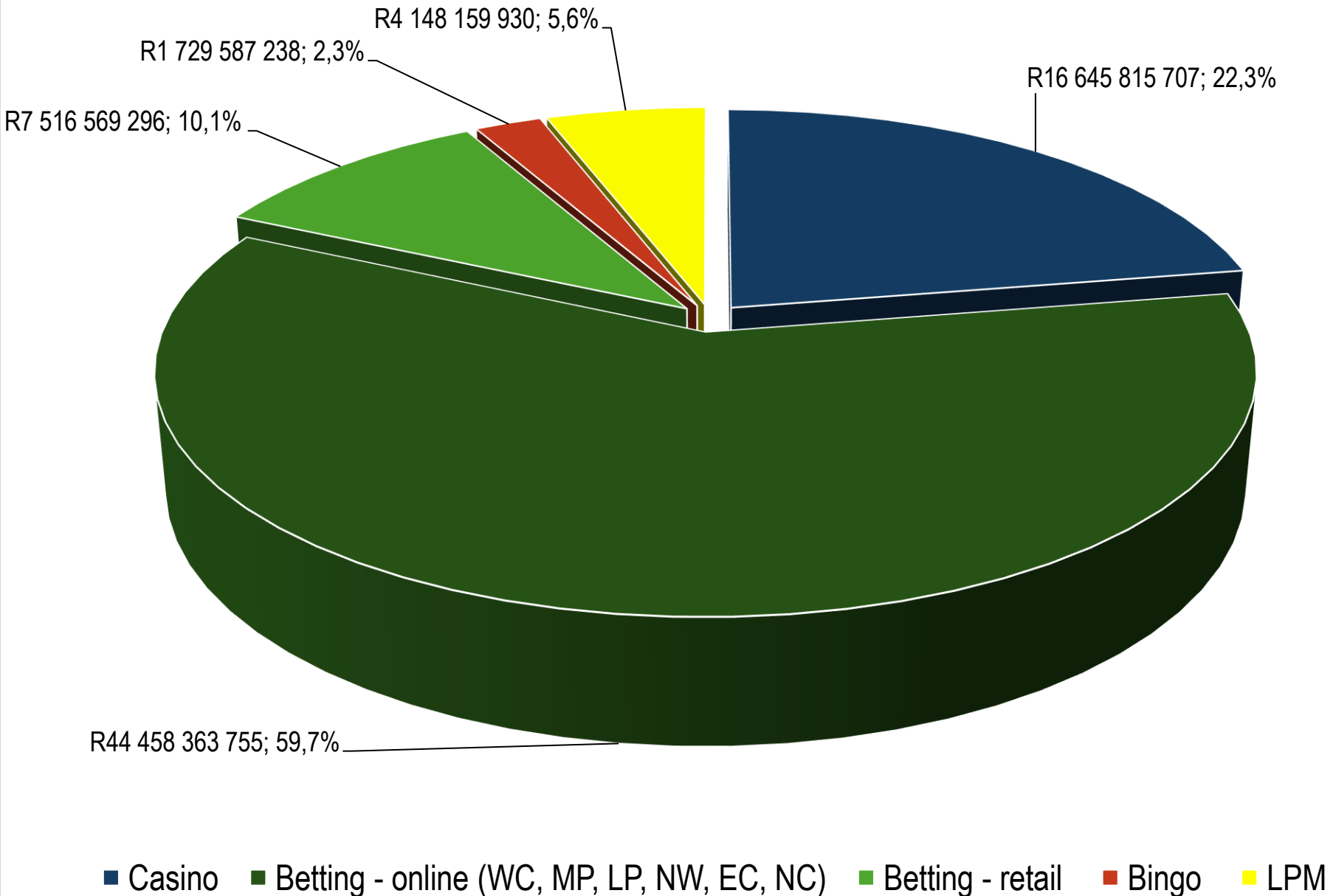
GROSS GAMBLING REVENUE



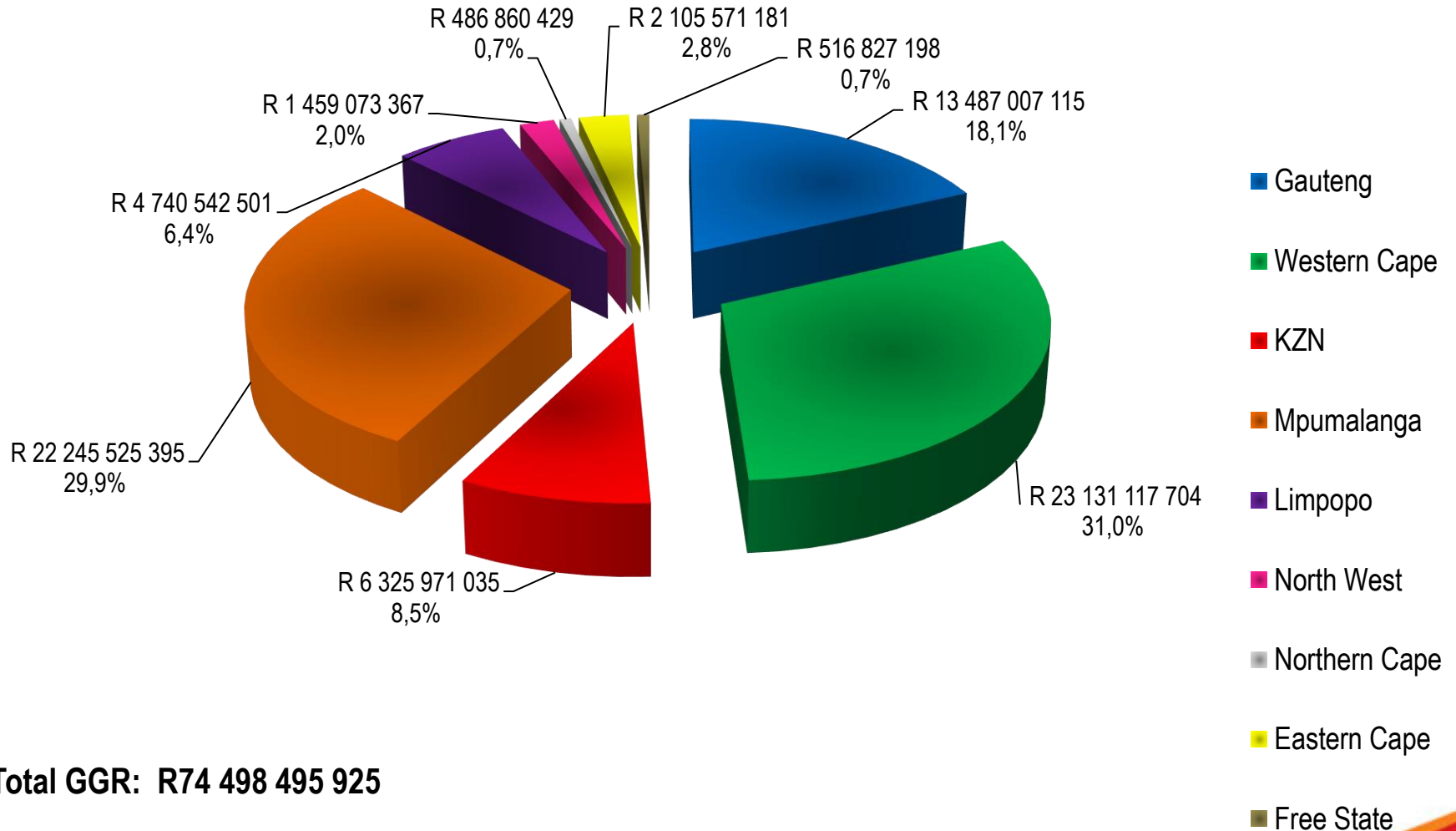
GGR per gambling mode, all provinces, FY2024/25



GGR per gambling mode (disaggregated betting), all provinces, FY2024/25



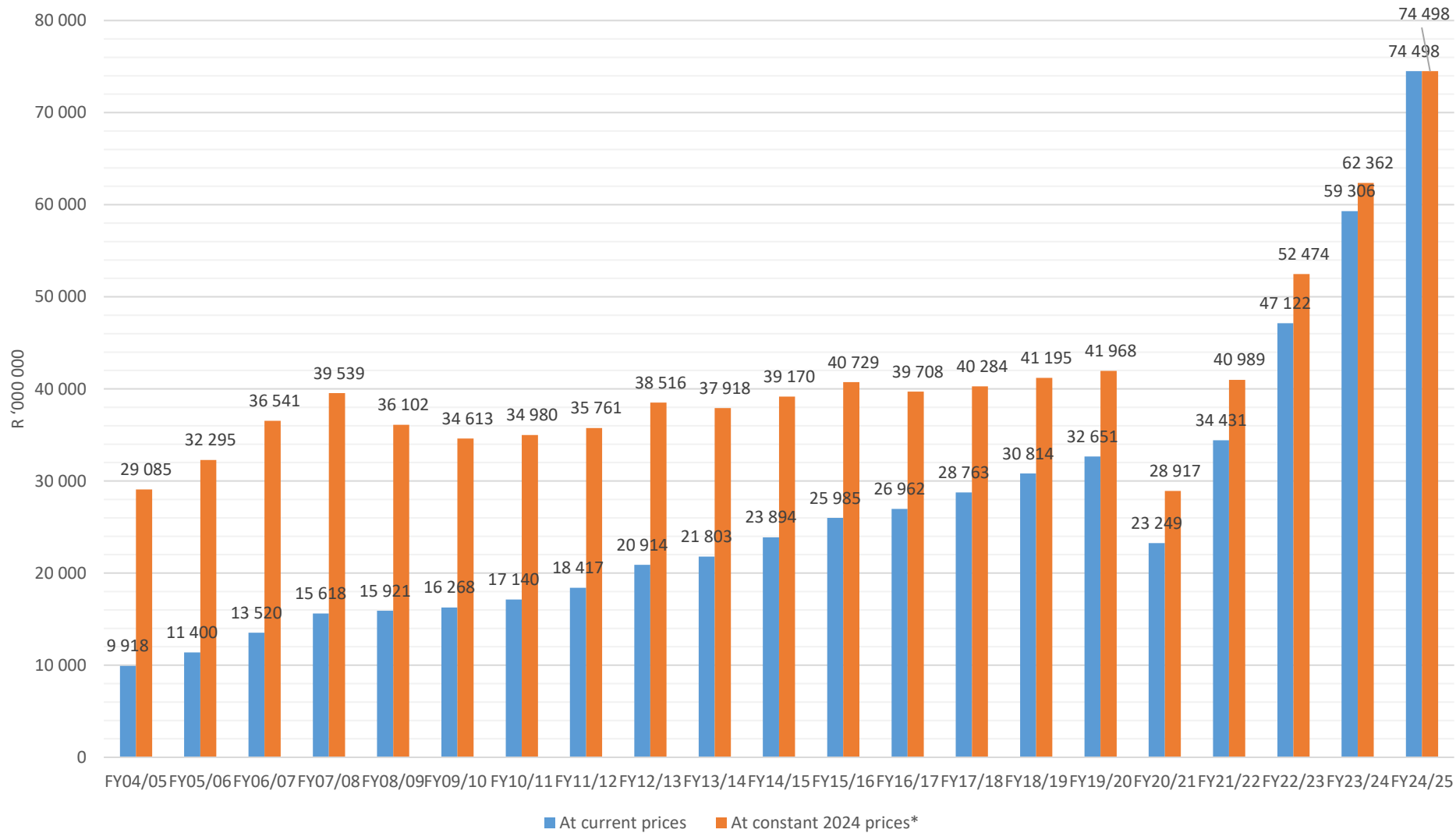
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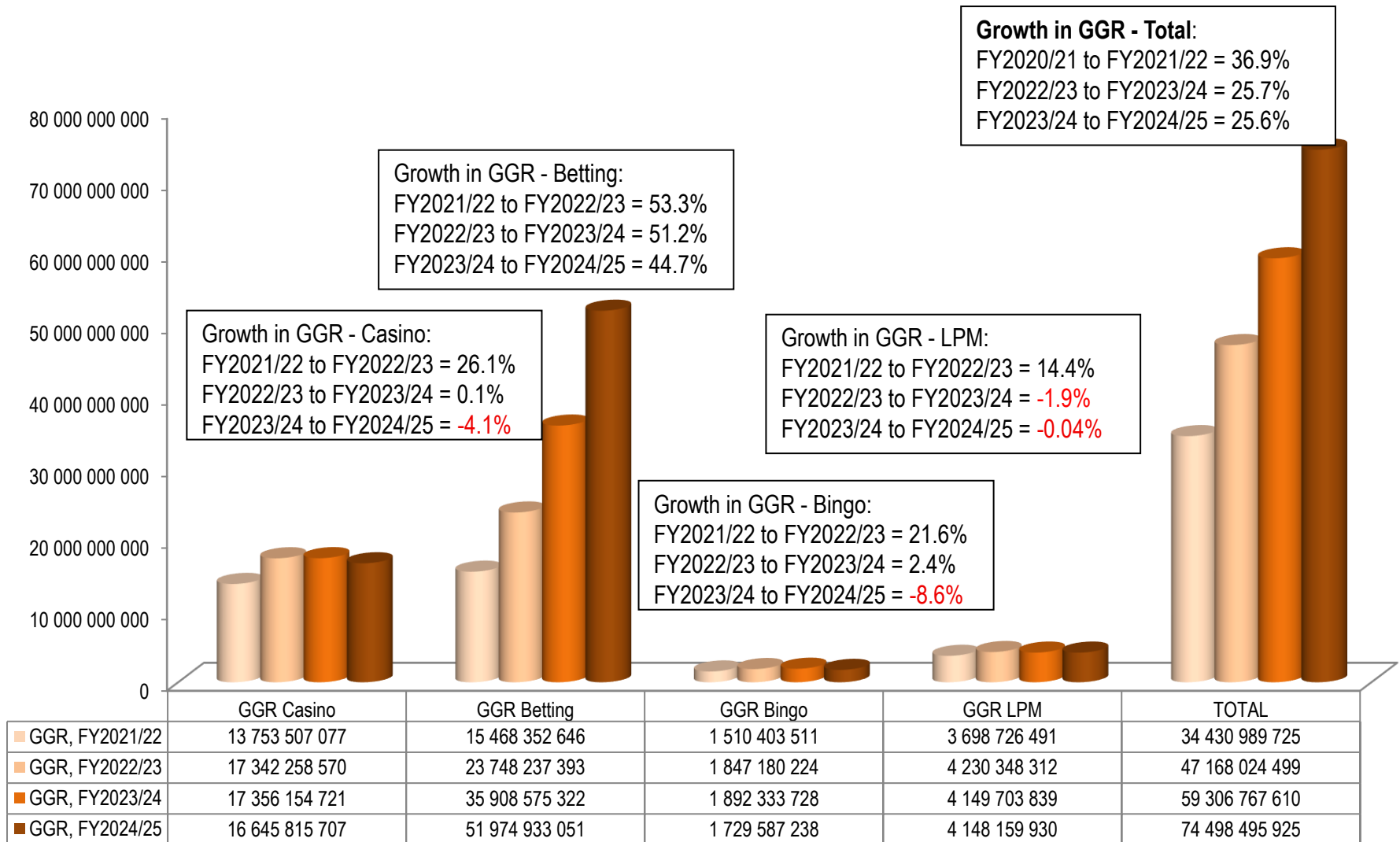
Trend in GGR, per province FY2020/21 to F2024/25



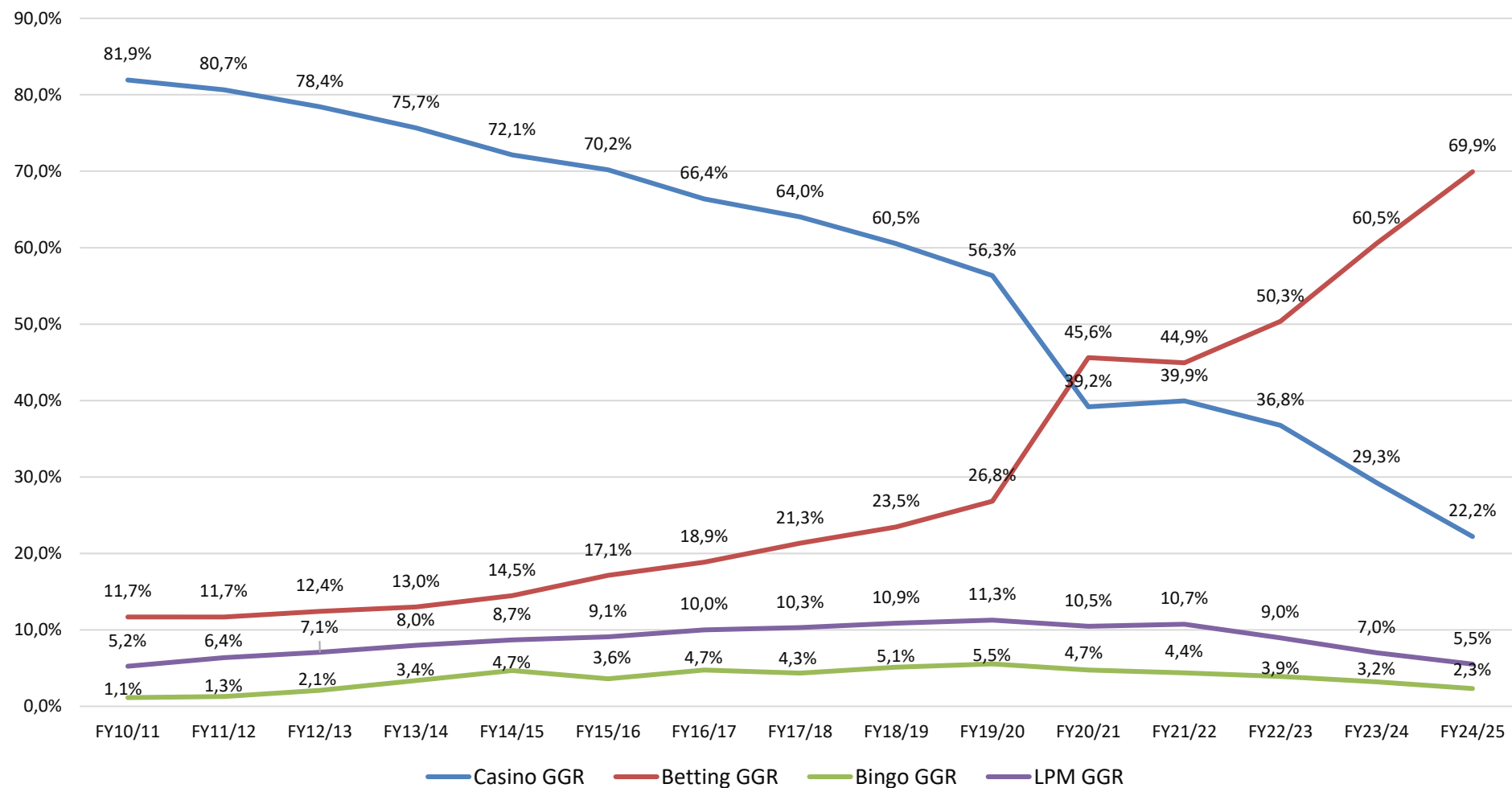
Trend in GGR, all modes, from FY2004/05 to FY2024/25



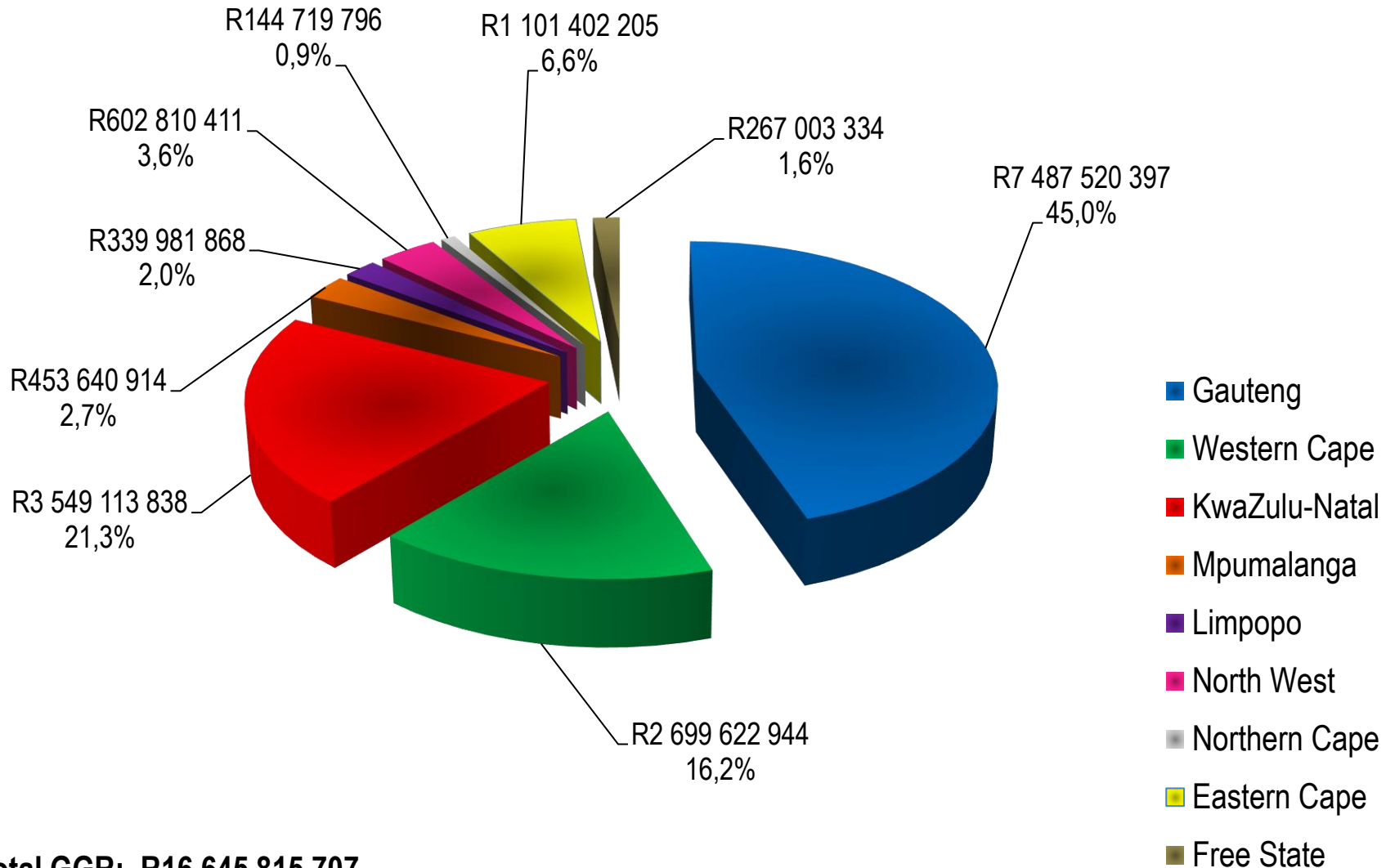
Growth in GGR (all modes): FY2021/22 - FY2024/25



Trend in share of total GGR, comparison all modes (FY2010/11 – FY2024/25)

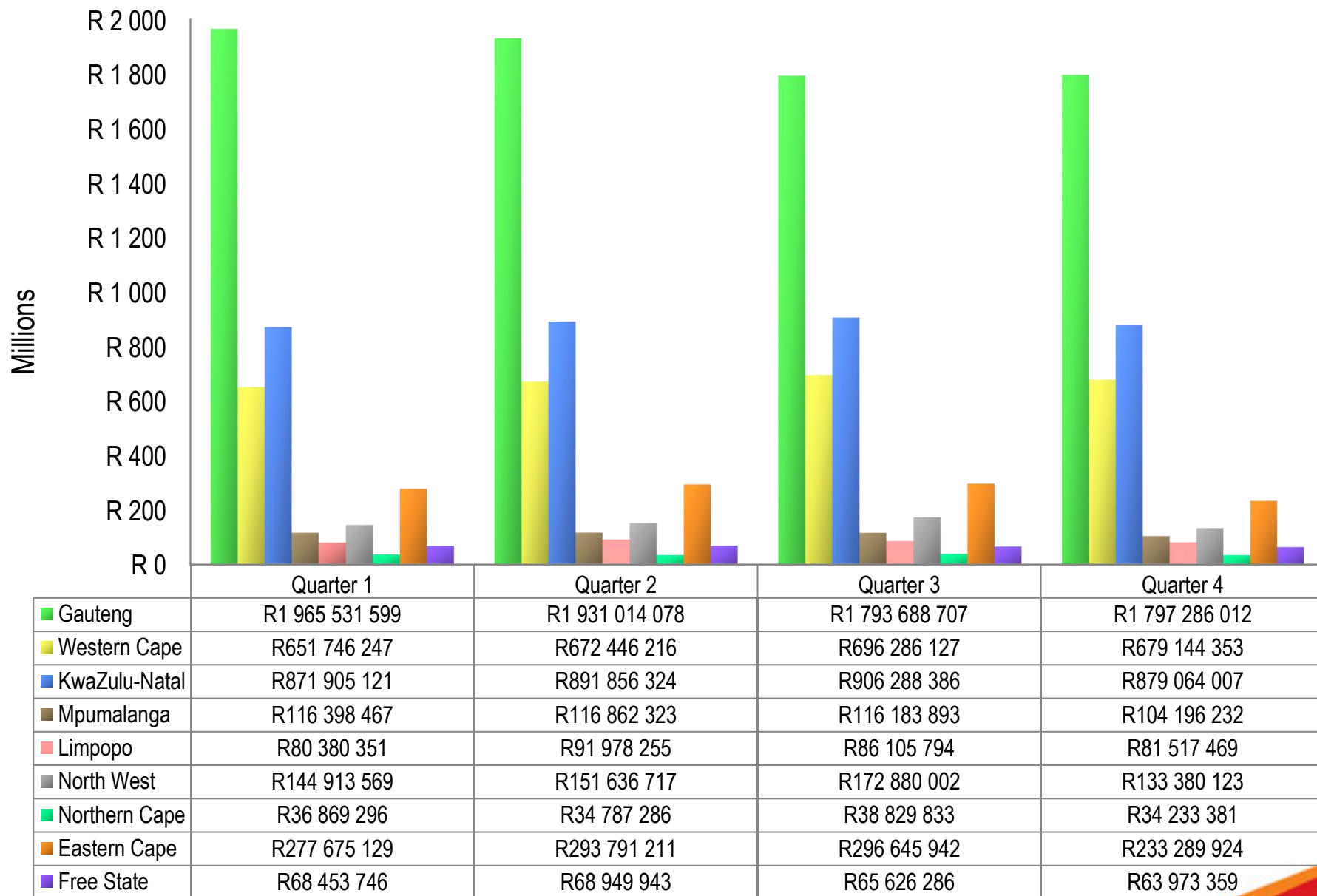


GGR casinos per province, FY2024/25

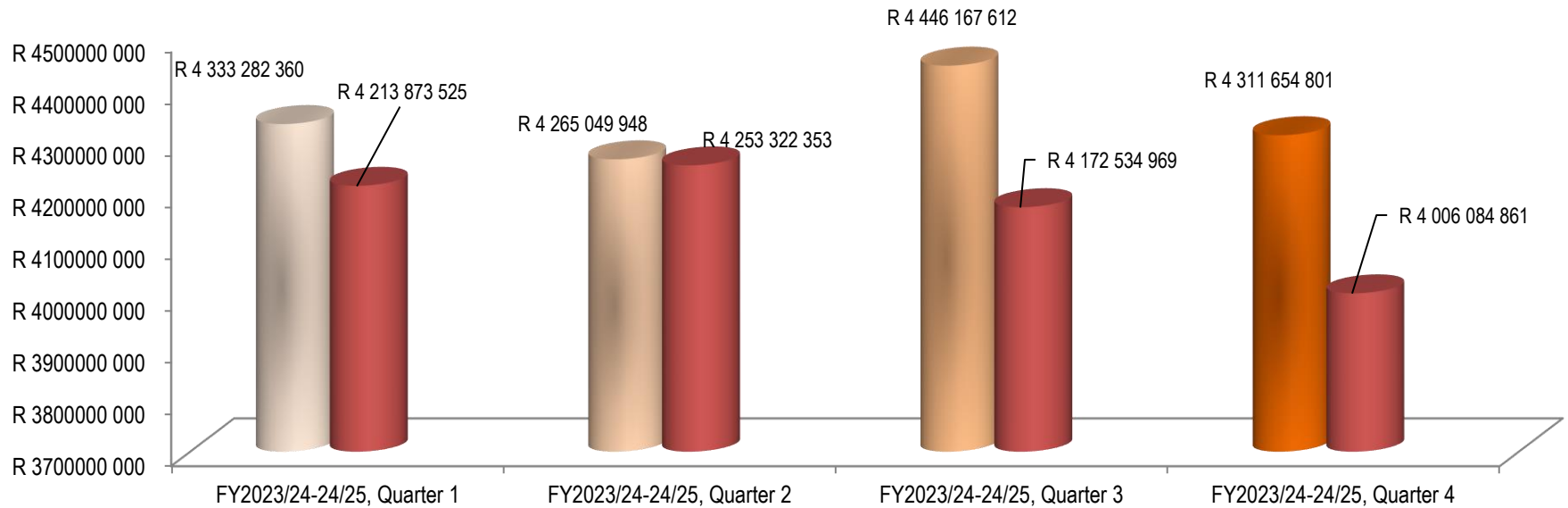


Total GGR: R16 645 815 707

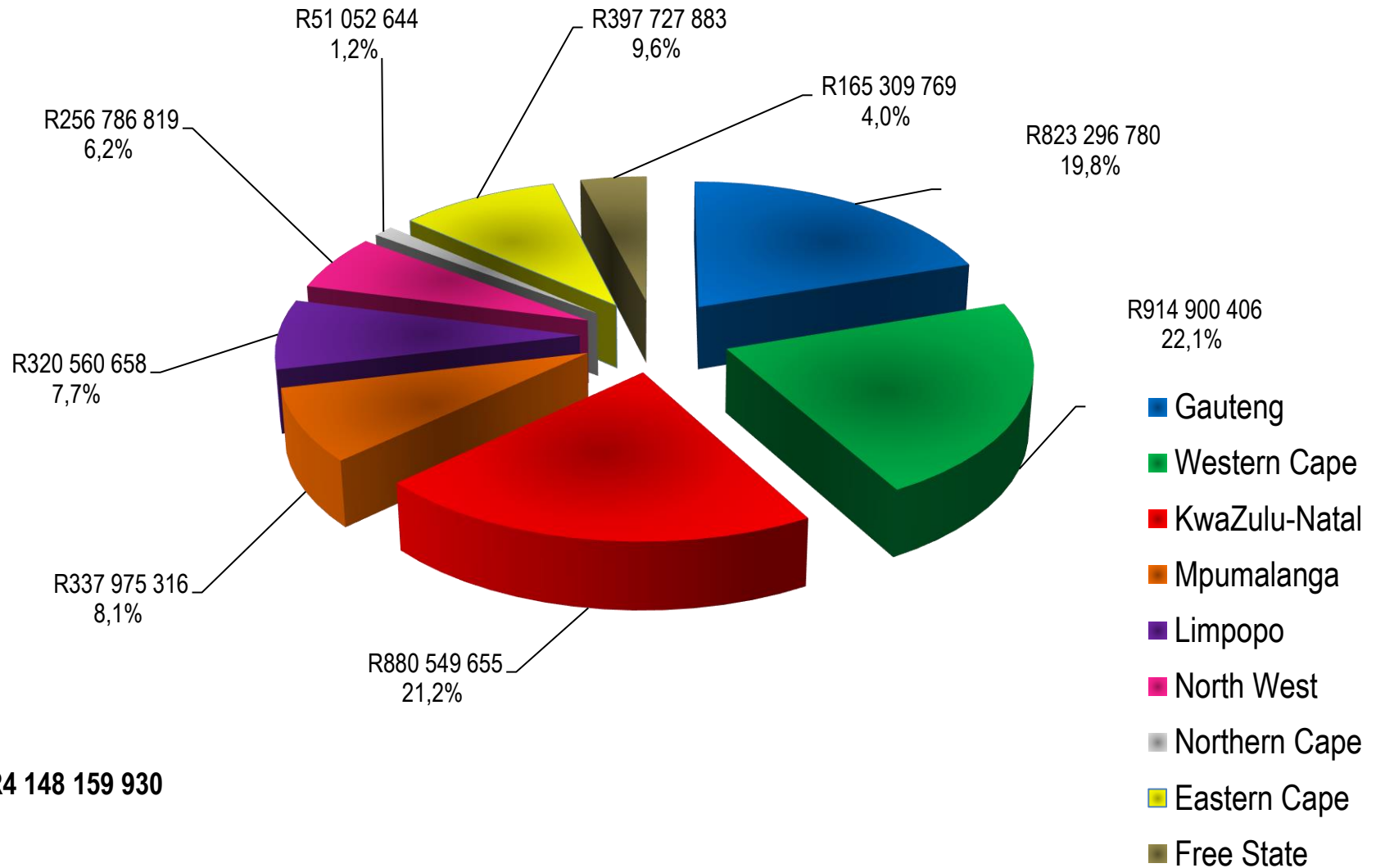
Quarterly casino GGR - FY2024/25



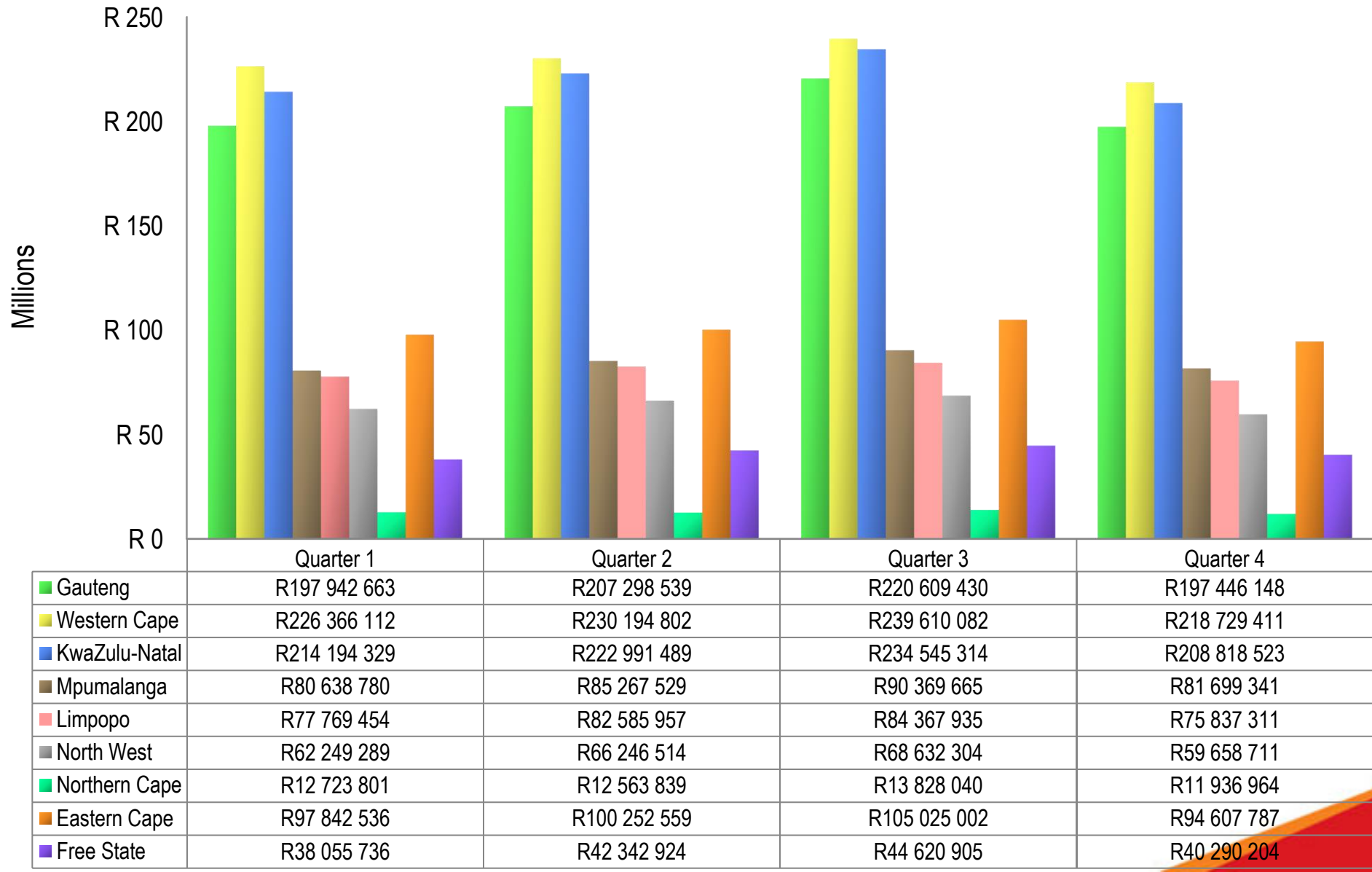
Trend GGR, casinos, FY2023/24-2024/25



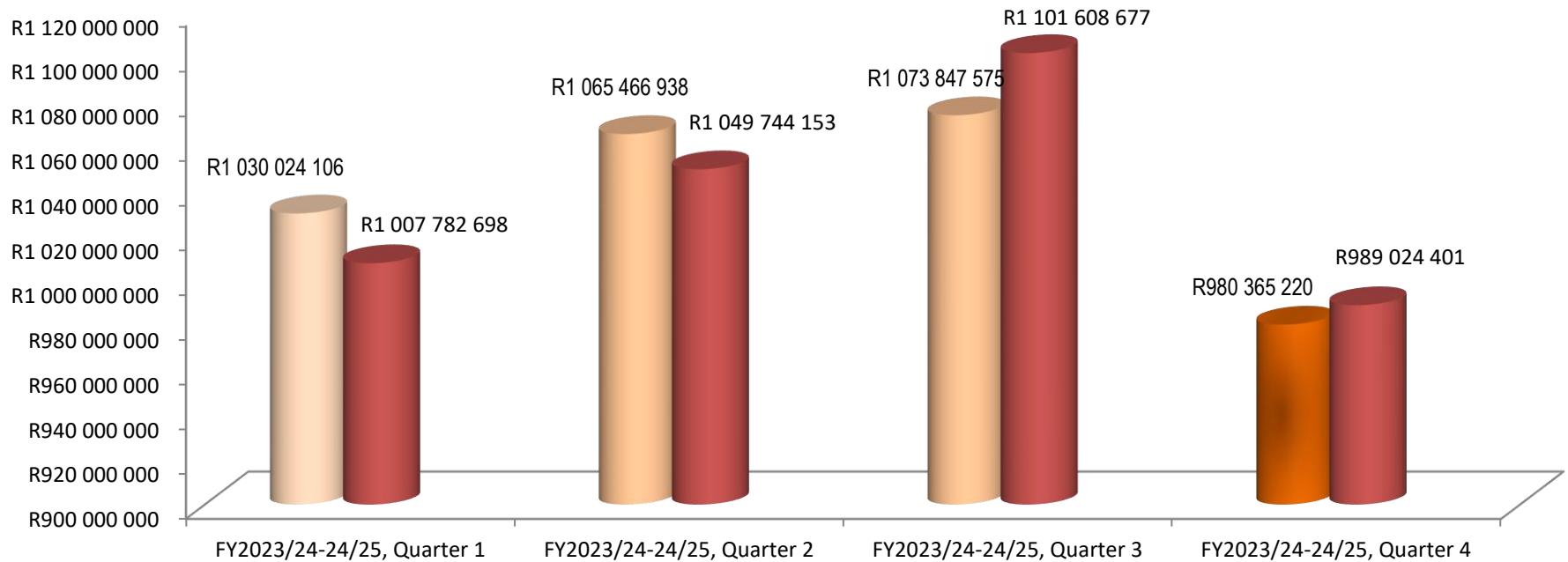
GGR LPMs per province, FY2024/25



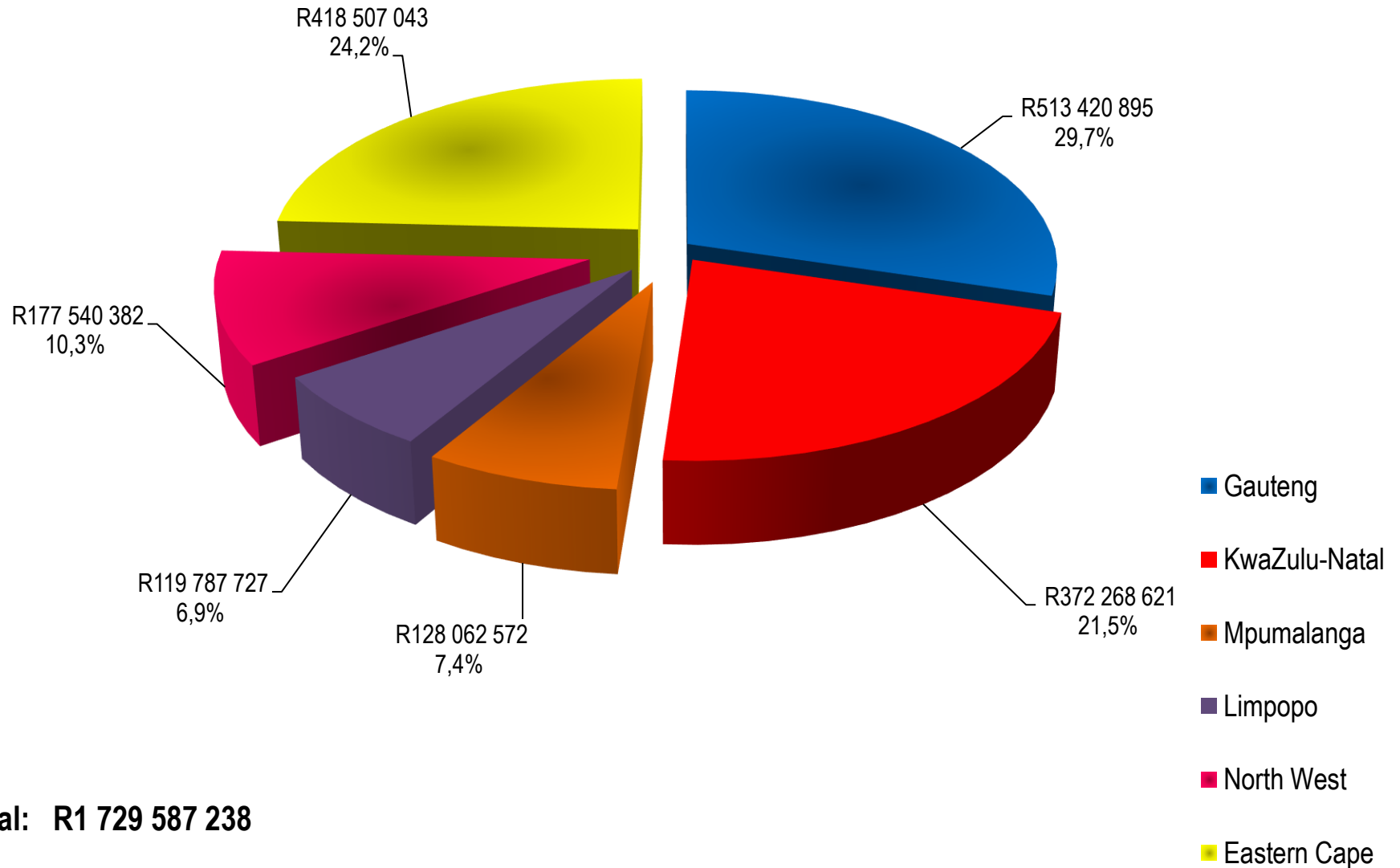
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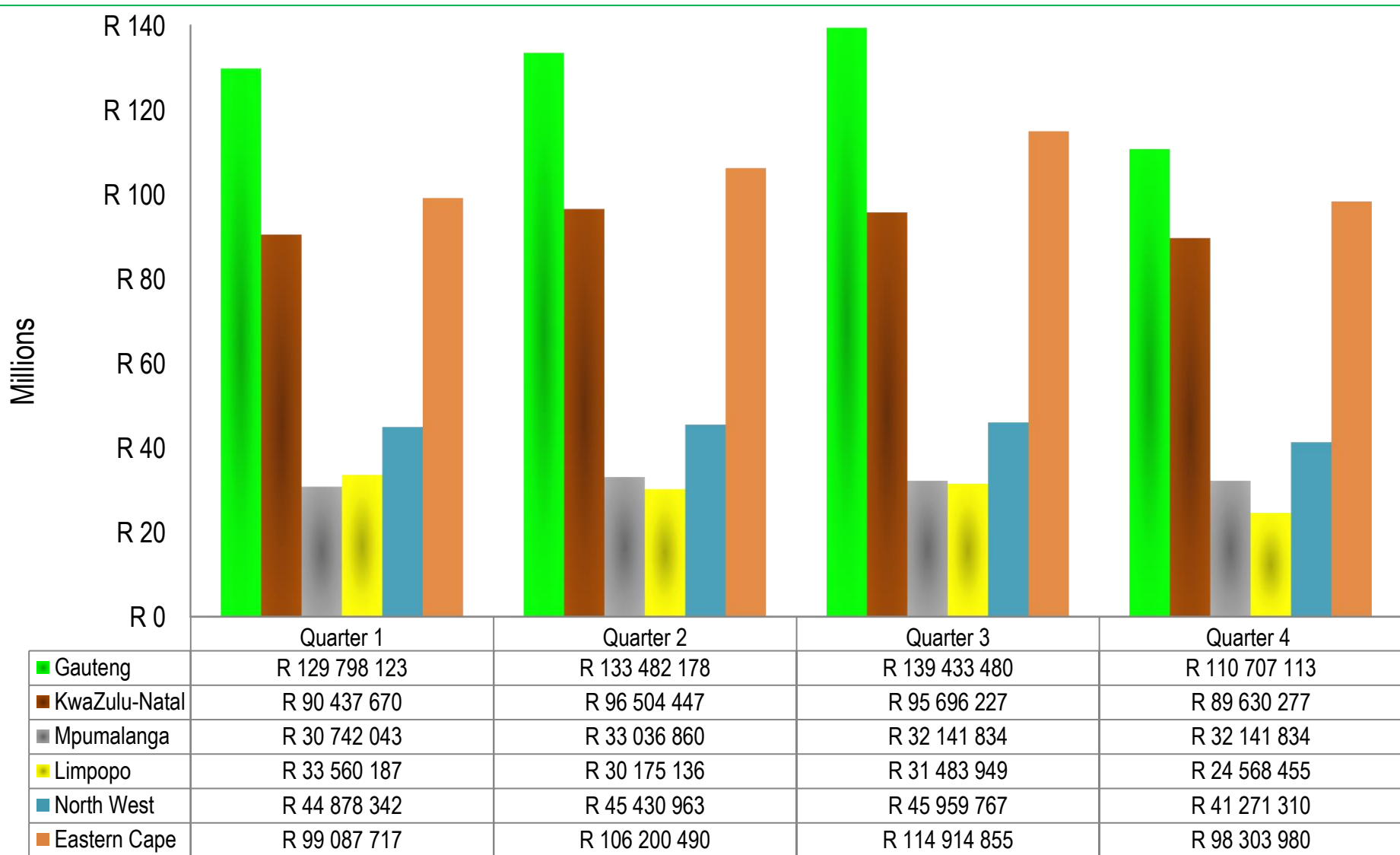
Trend in GGR LPMs – FY2023/24 - FY2024/25



GGR bingo per province, FY2024/25

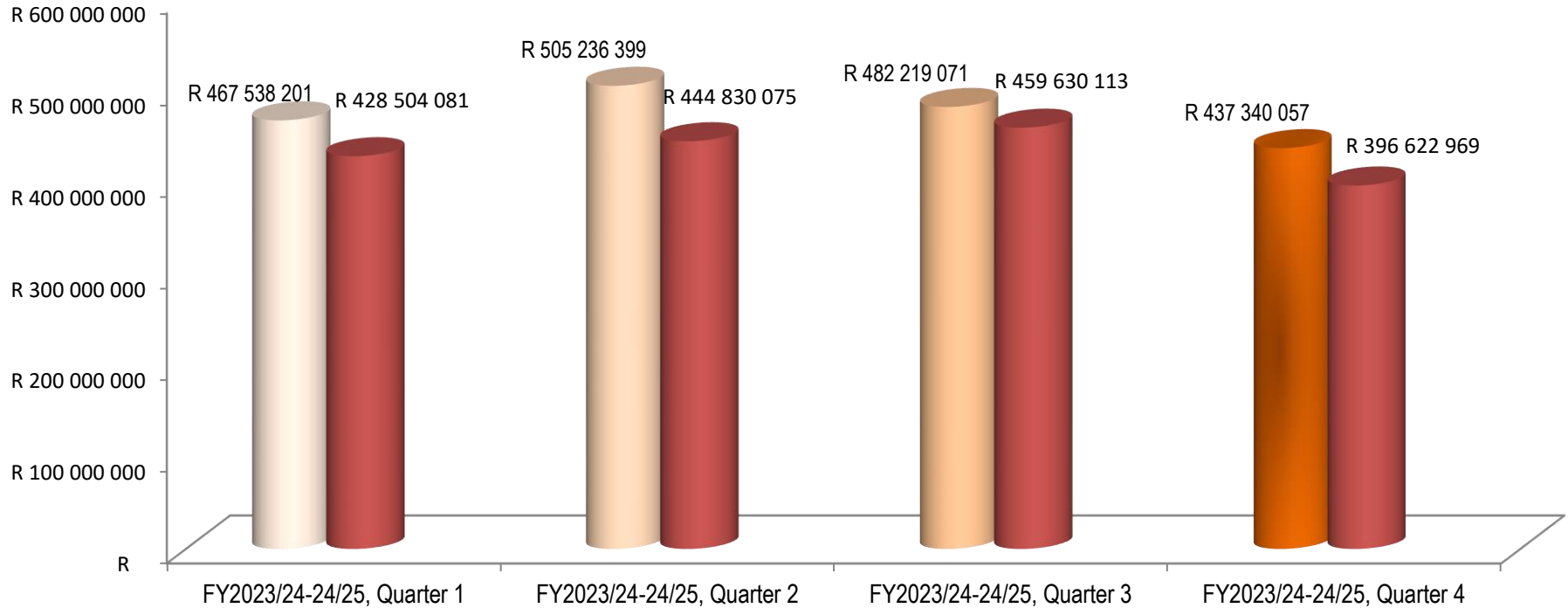


Quarterly bingo GGR - FY2024/25*



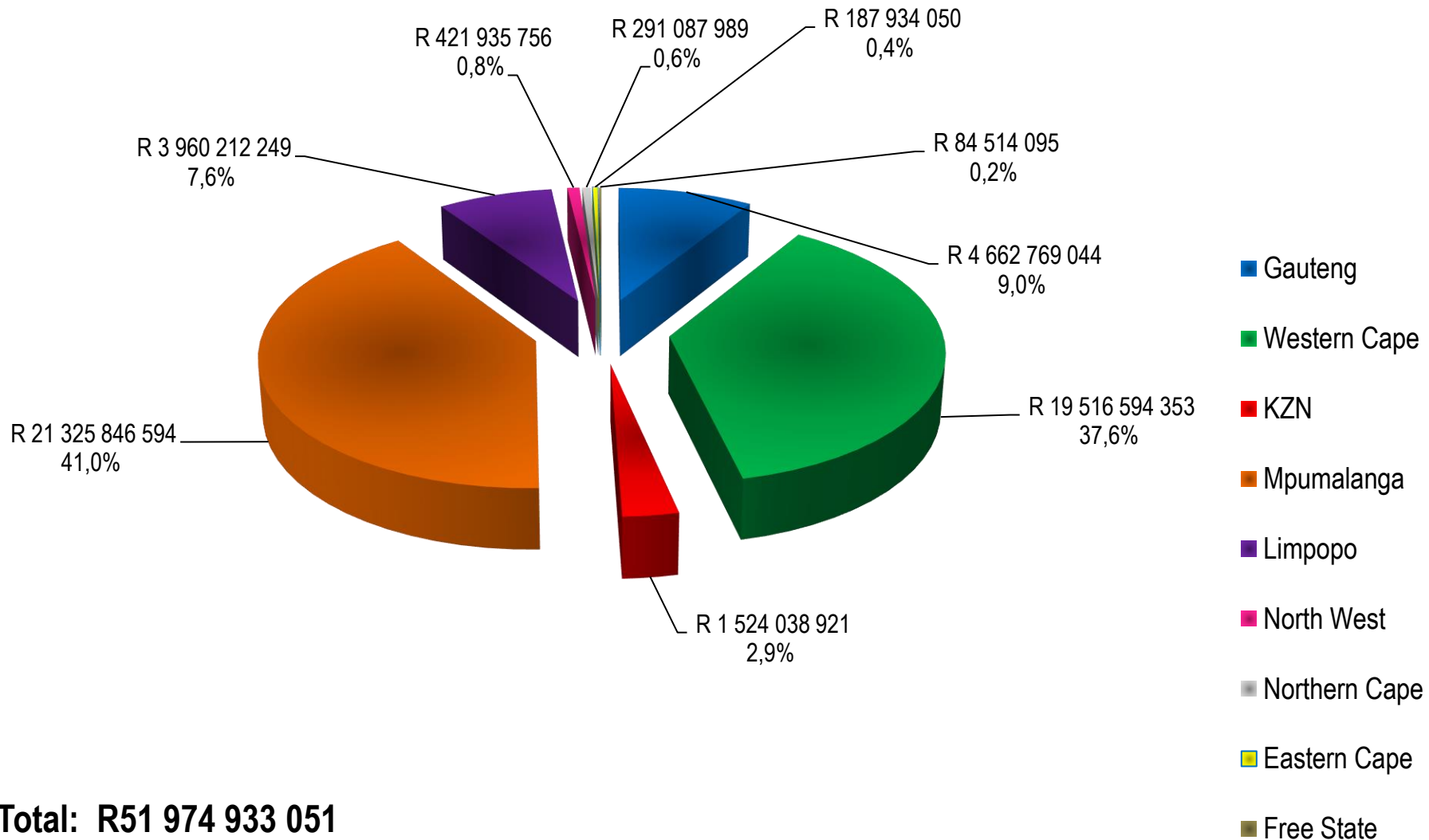
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Trend in GGR Bingo – FY2023/24 – FY2024/25



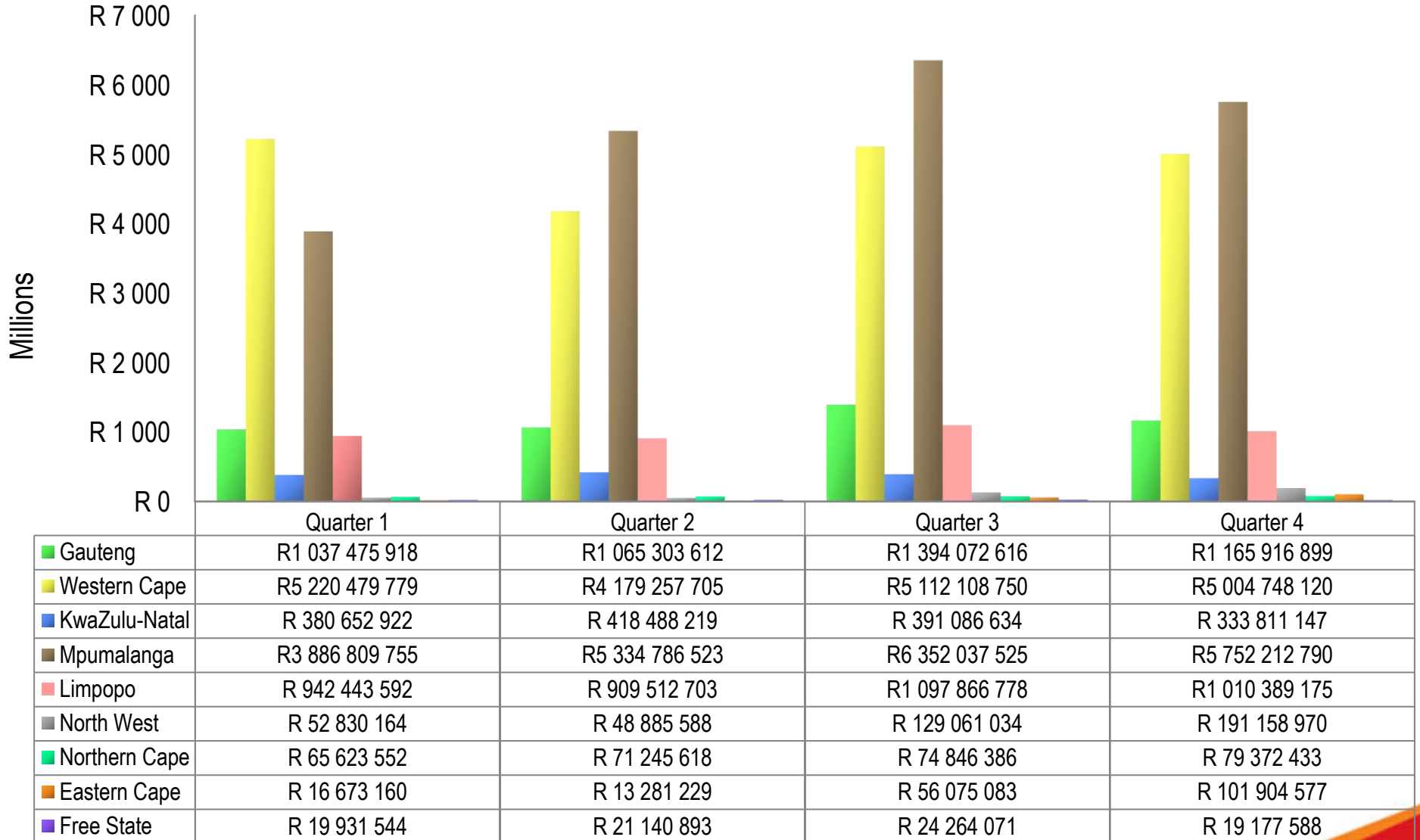
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GGR betting (totalisators and bookmakers), per province, FY2024/25



Quarterly betting GGR – FY2024/25

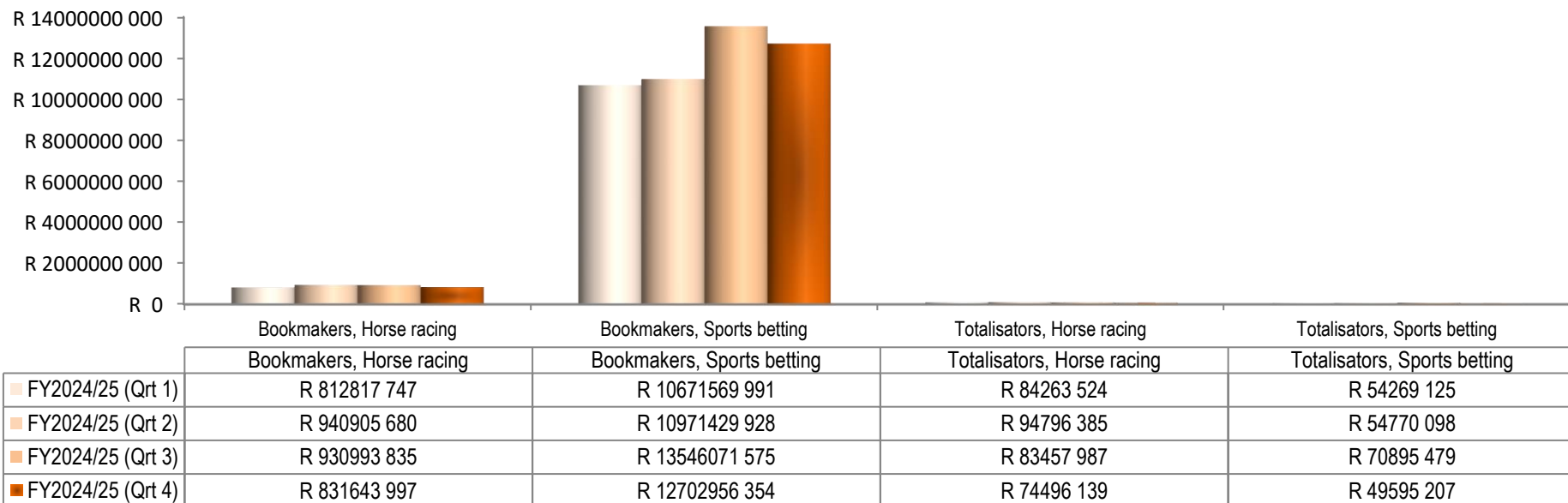
Bookmakers & Totalisators



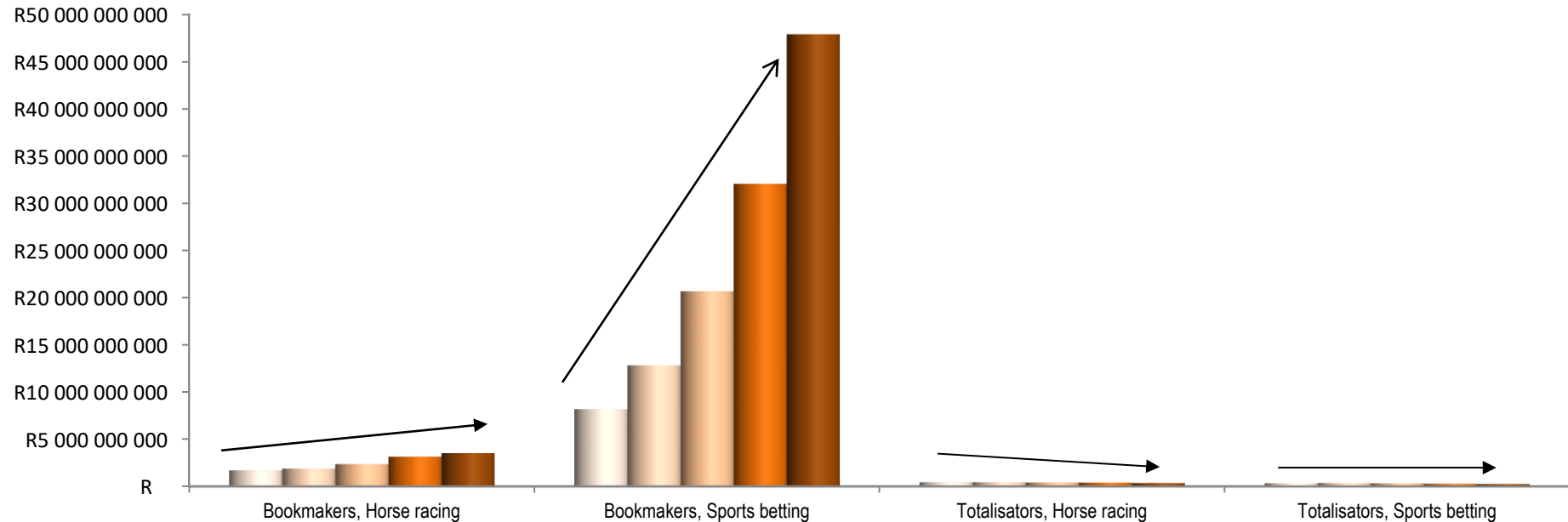
Quarterly betting GGR – FY2024/25

Split between Bookmakers & Totalisators

Betting on horse racing & sport GGR



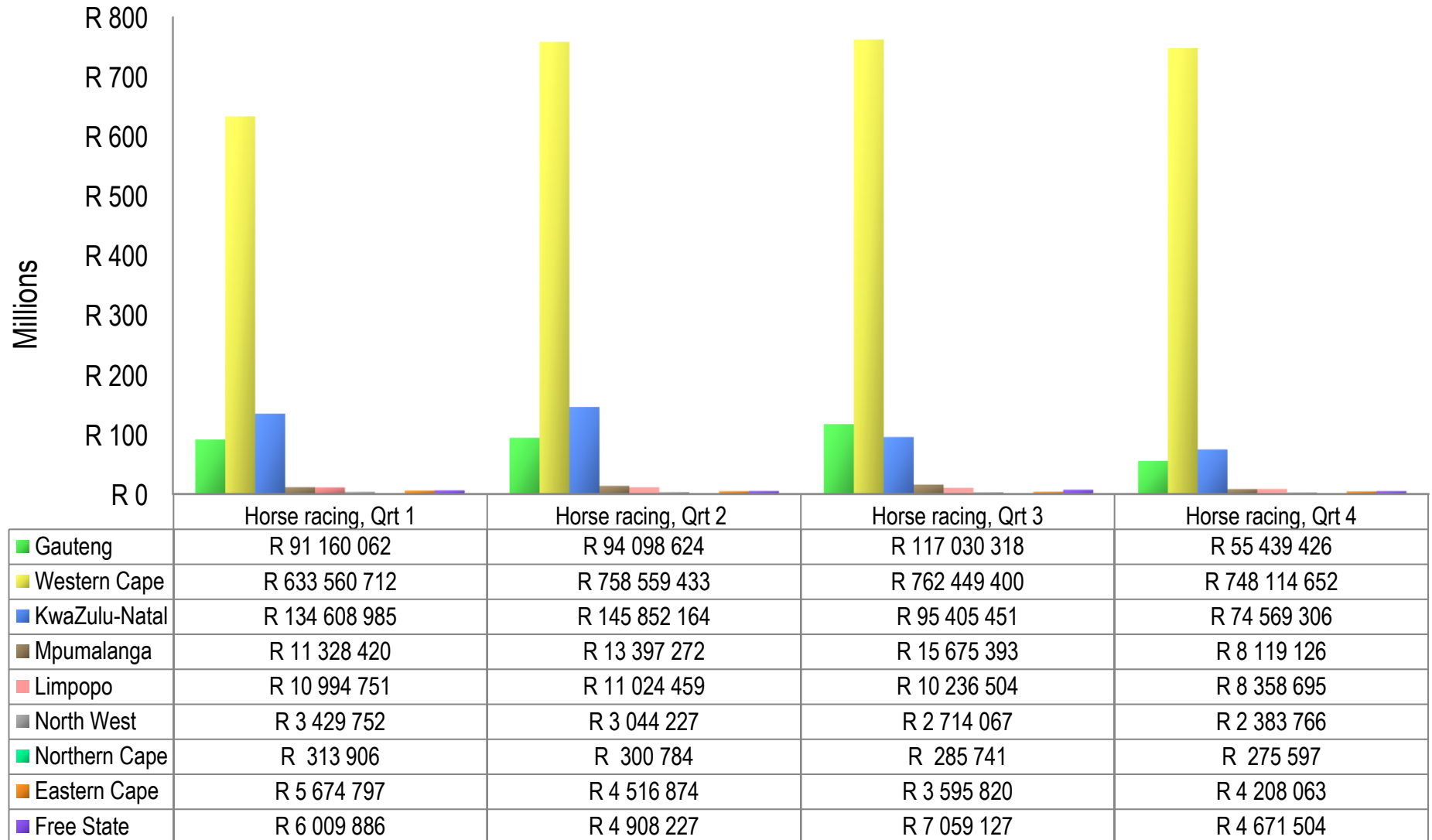
Trend in GGR - betting (totalisators and bookmakers), FY2020/21 - FY2024/25



	Bookmakers, Horse racing	Bookmakers, Sports betting	Totalisators, Horse racing	Totalisators, Sports betting
FY2020/21	R1 683 065 295	R8 178 285 690	R 426 477 279	R 321 792 680
FY2021/22	R1 872 054 678	R12 832 845 899	R 419 575 899	R 343 876 171
FY2022/23	R2 349 467 556	R20 694 447 979	R 392 804 287	R 309 147 397
FY2023/24	R3 132 420 216	R32 073 577 088	R 377 183 168	R 254 563 491
FY2024/25	R3 516 361 259	R47 892 027 847	R 337 014 035	R 229 529 910

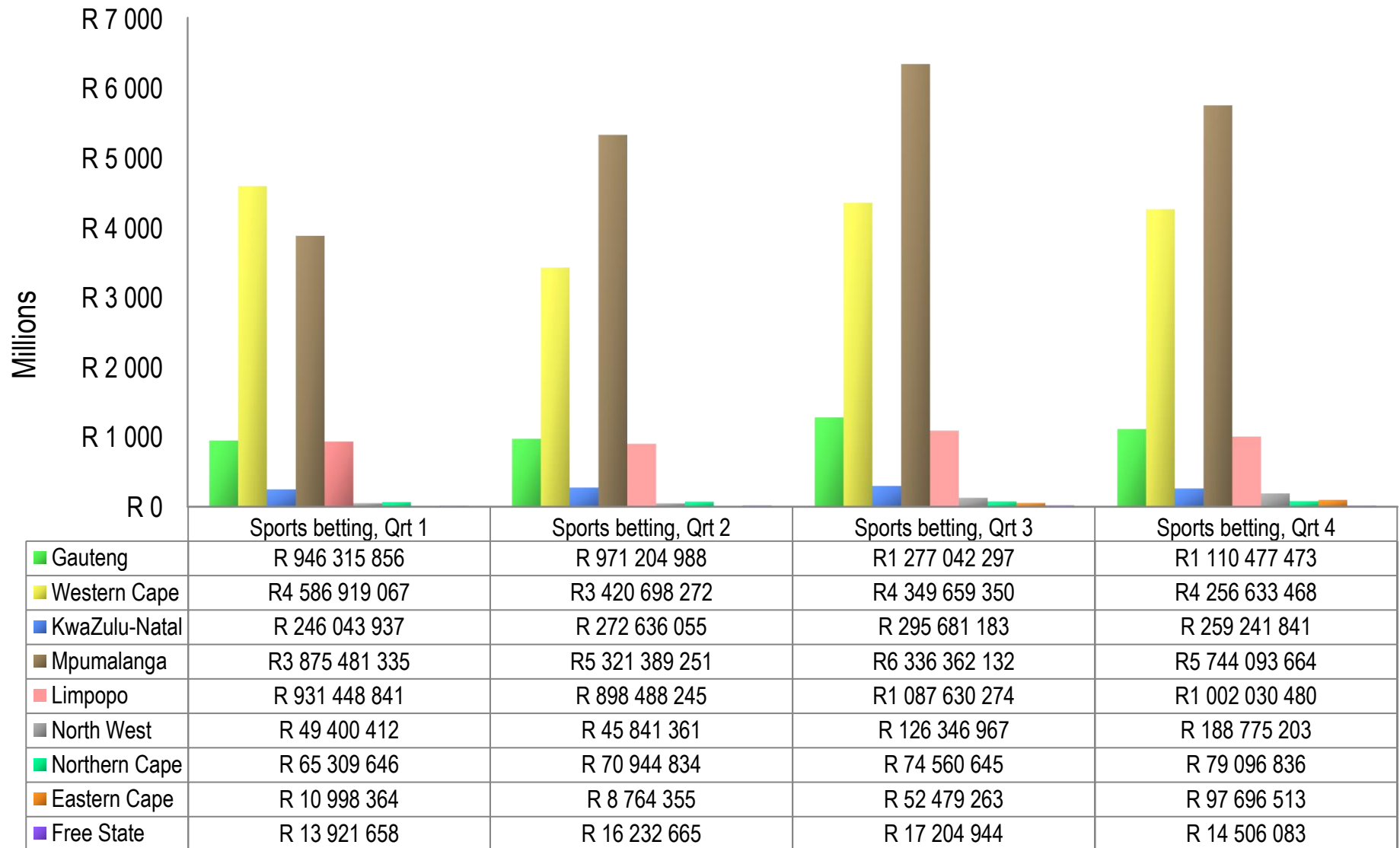
Quarterly betting GGR – FY2024/25

Betting on horse racing



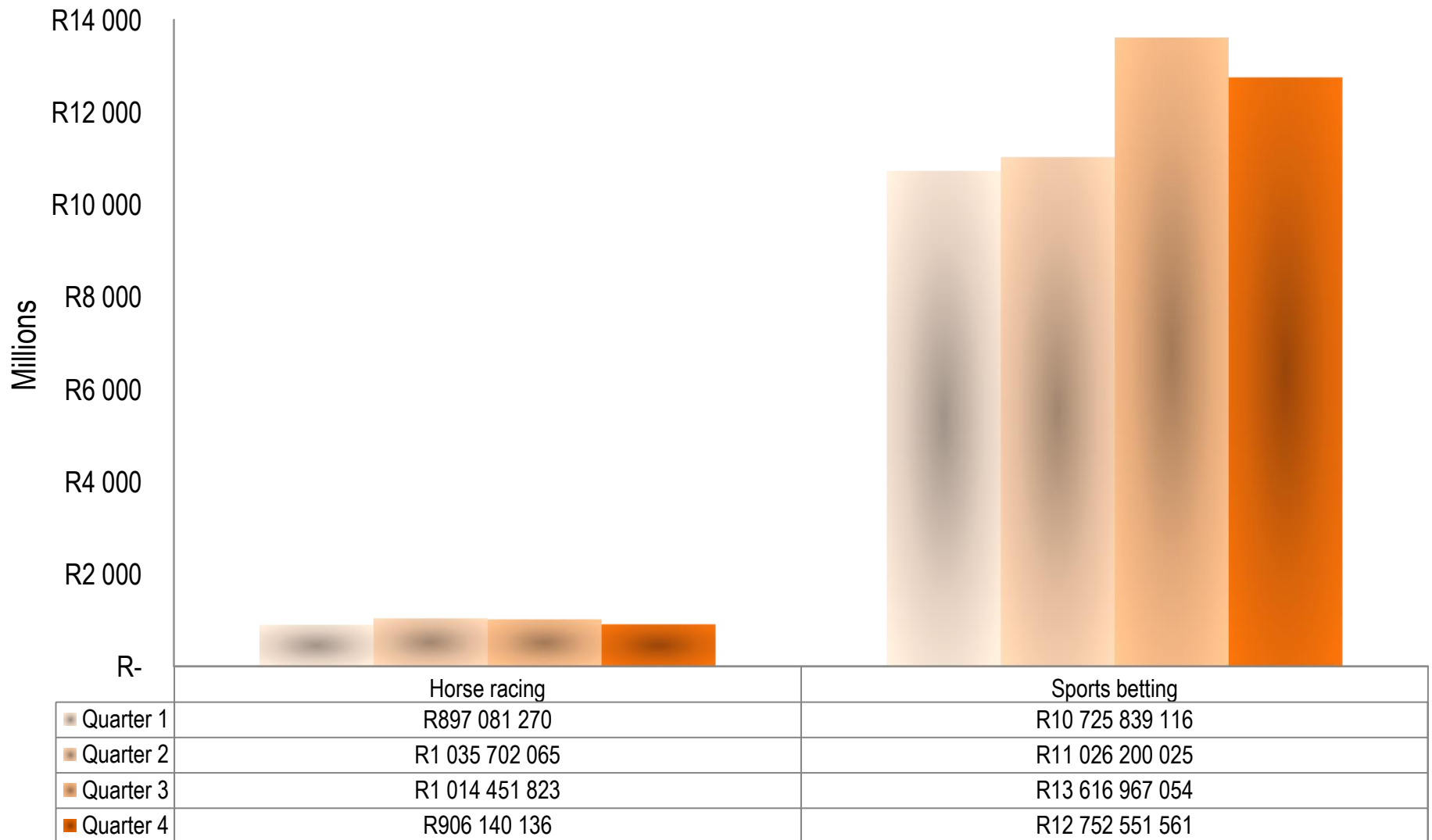
Quarterly betting GGR – FY2024/25

Betting on sport and other contingencies

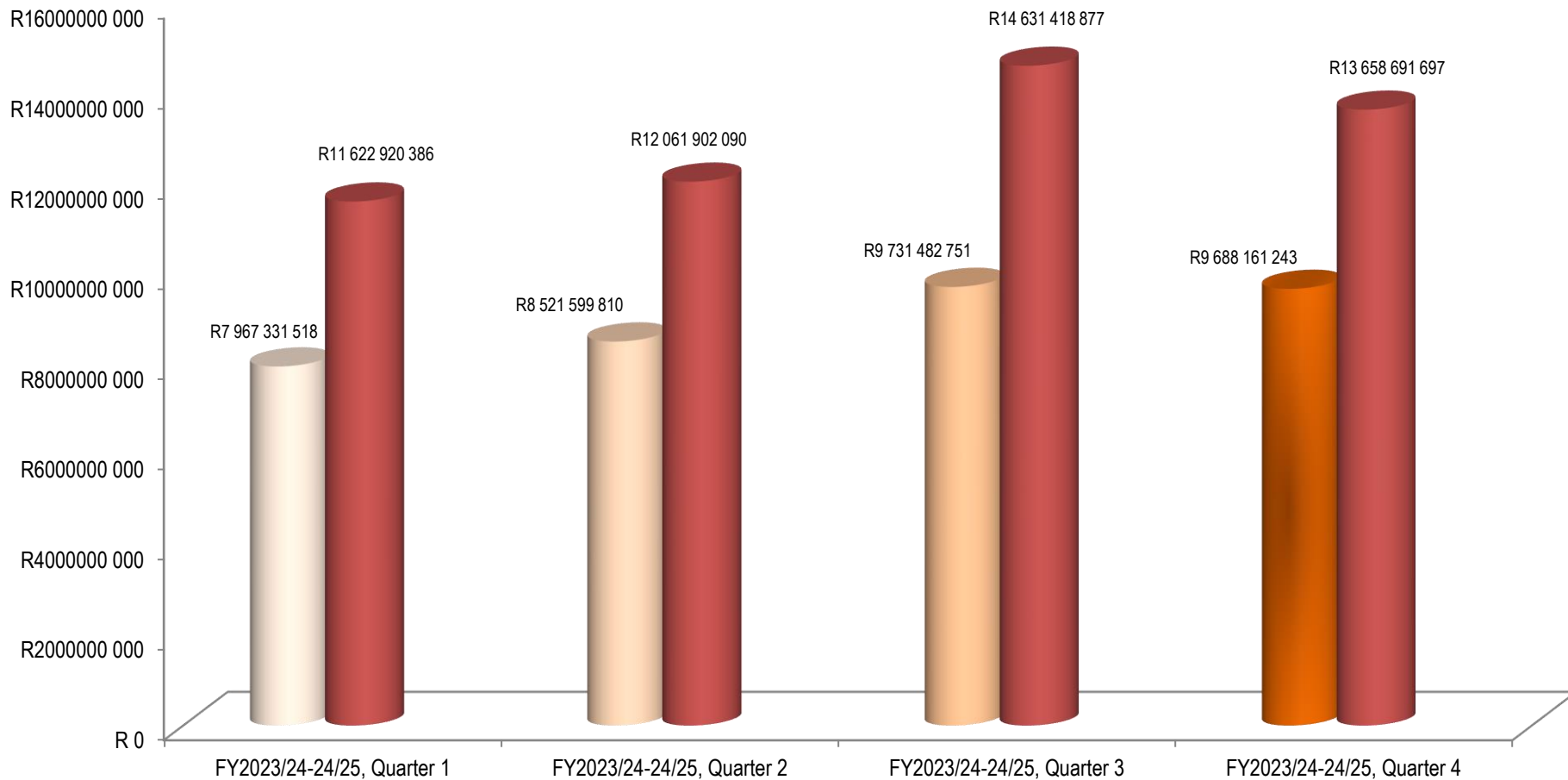


Quarterly betting GGR – FY2024/25

Horse racing v sport and other contingencies



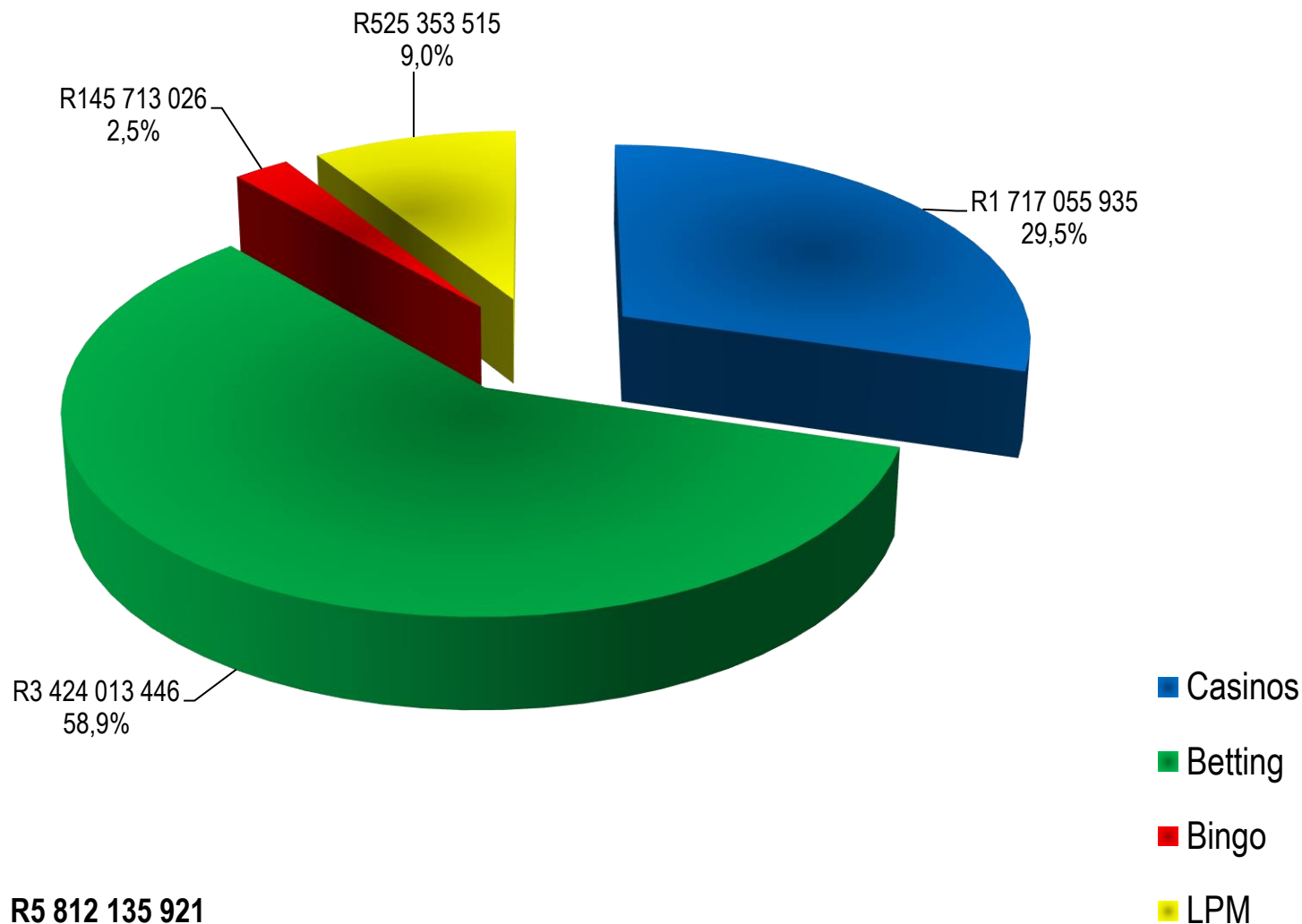
Trend in GGR betting on horse racing & sport – FY2023/24- FY2024/25



TAXES/LEVIES FROM GAMBLING

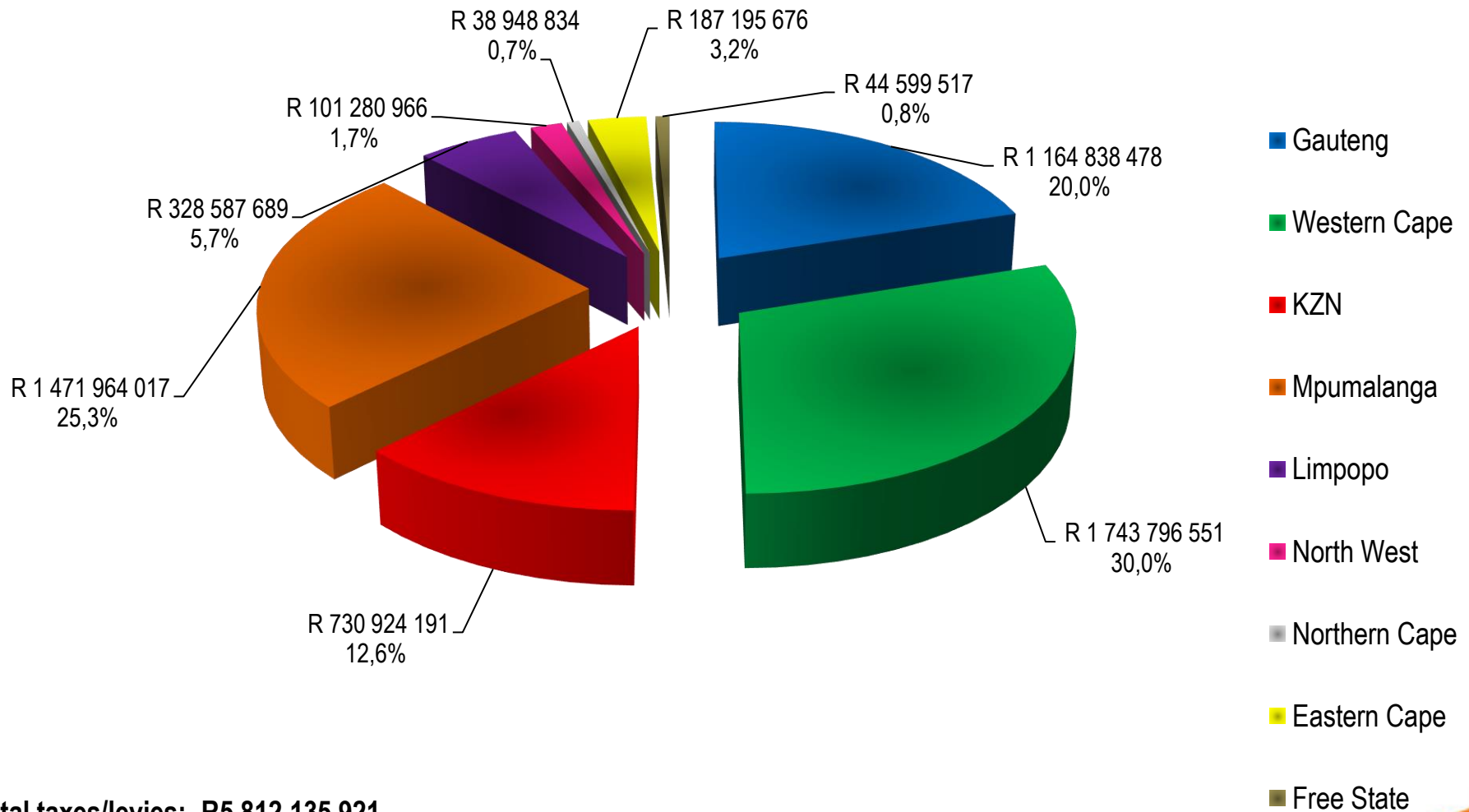


Taxes/levies per gambling mode, all provinces, FY2024/25



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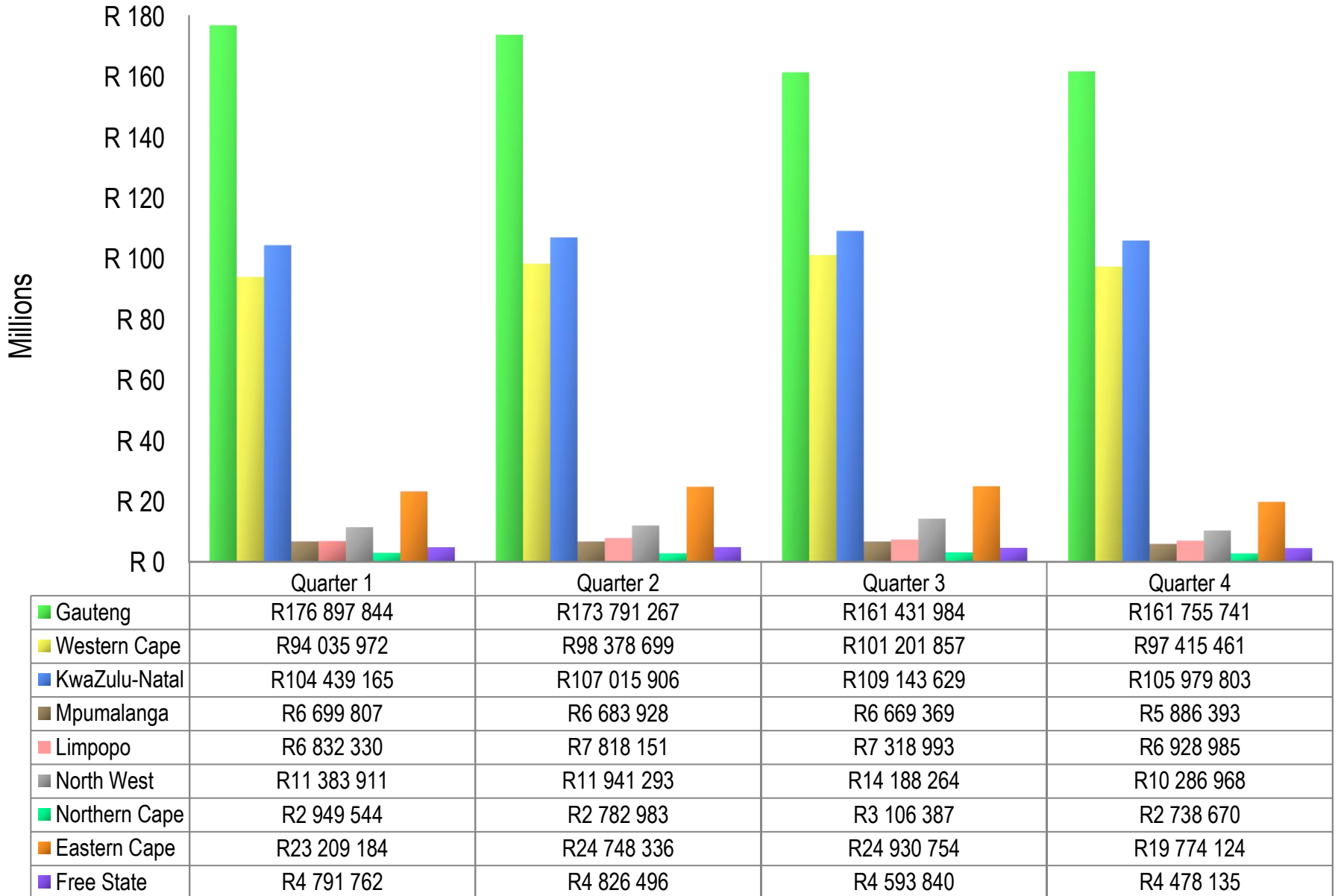
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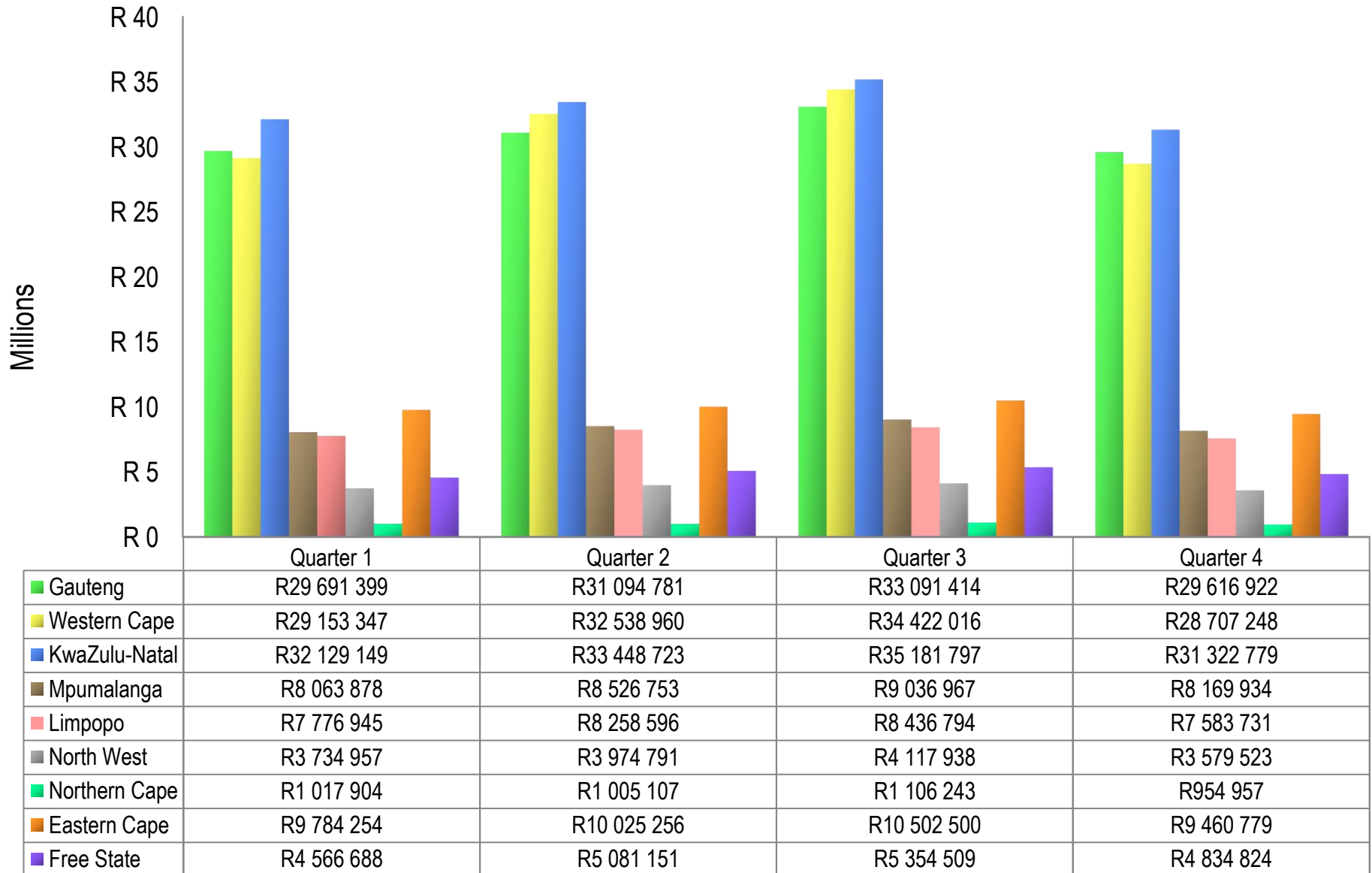
Quarterly casino taxes/levies - FY2024/25

Gambling tax levied and collected by PLAs



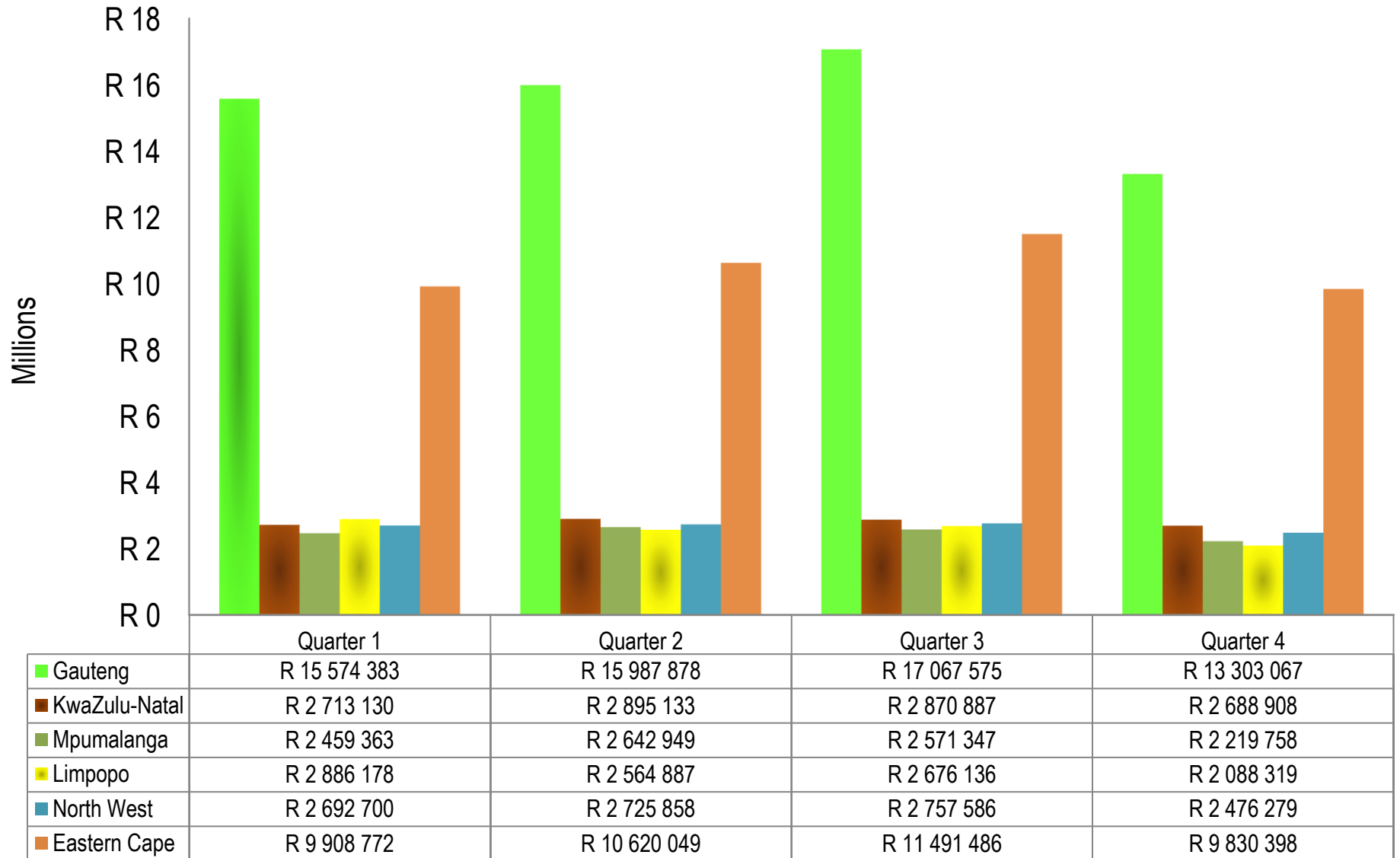
Quarterly LPM taxes/levies - FY2024/25

Gambling tax levied and collected by PLAs



Quarterly bingo taxes/levies - FY2024/25*

Gambling tax levied by and collected by PLAs

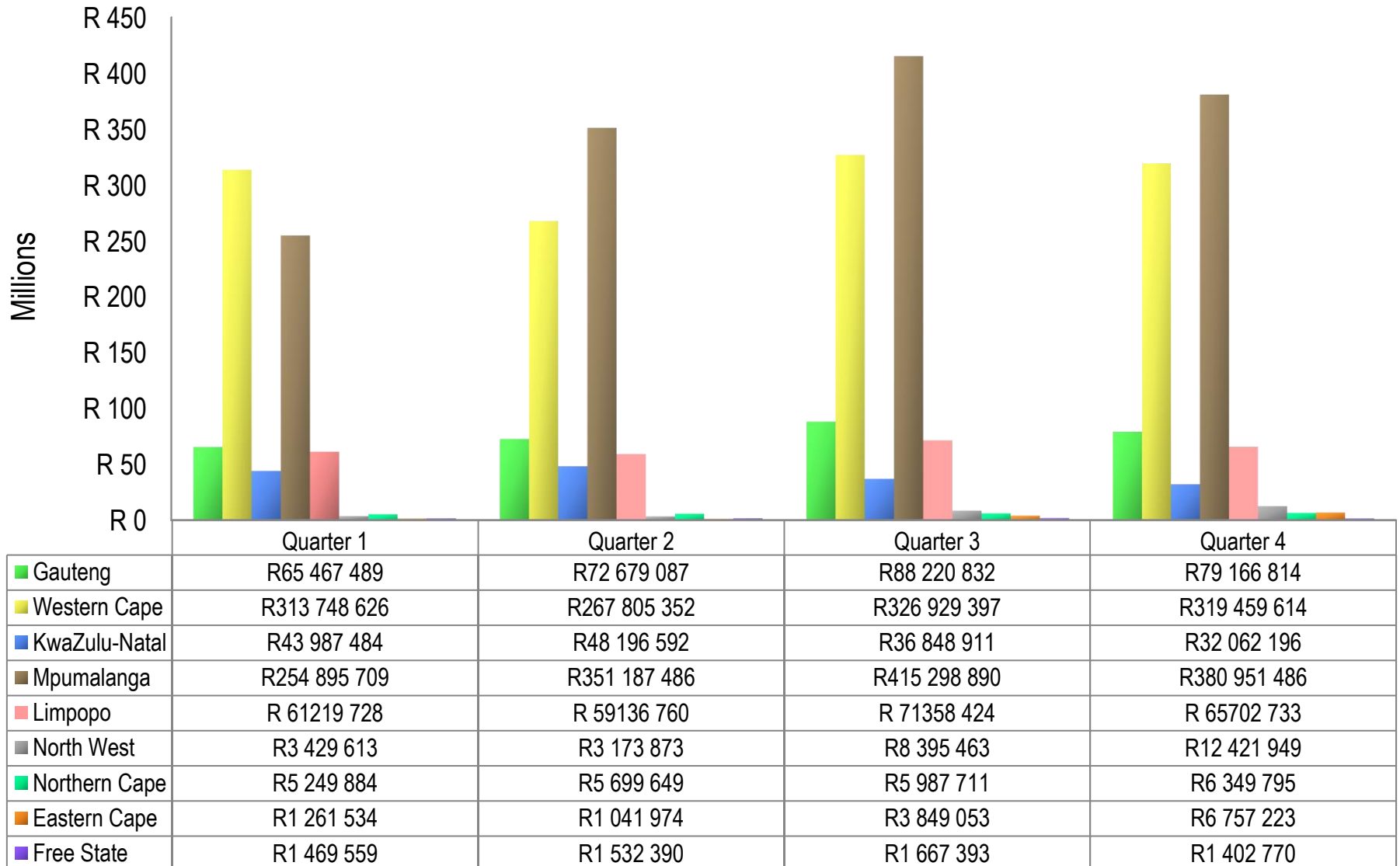


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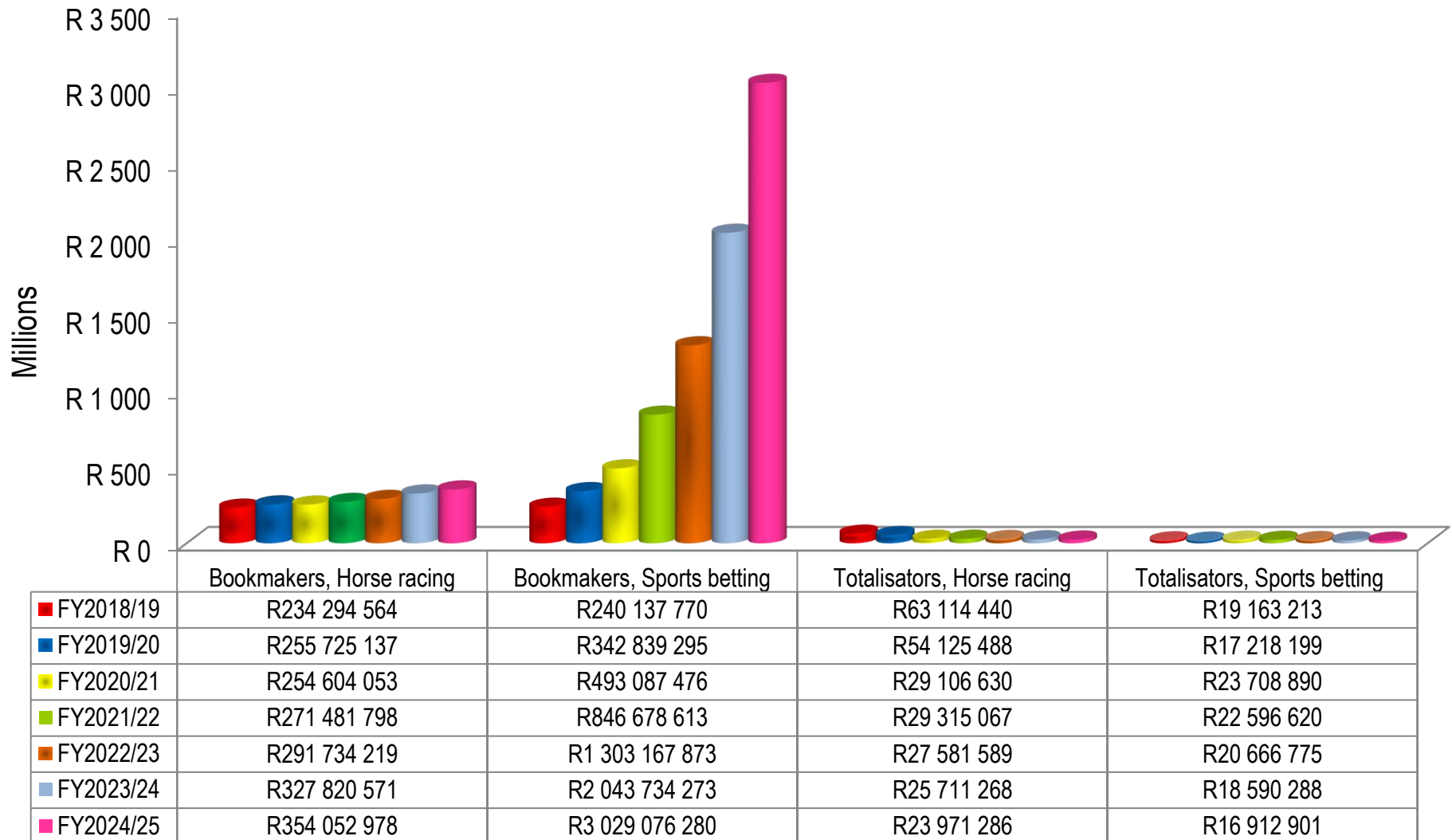
Bookmakers & Totalisators

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Trend in taxes/levies, bookmakers & totalisators, FY2018/19 to FY2024/25

Gambling tax levied and collected by PLAs

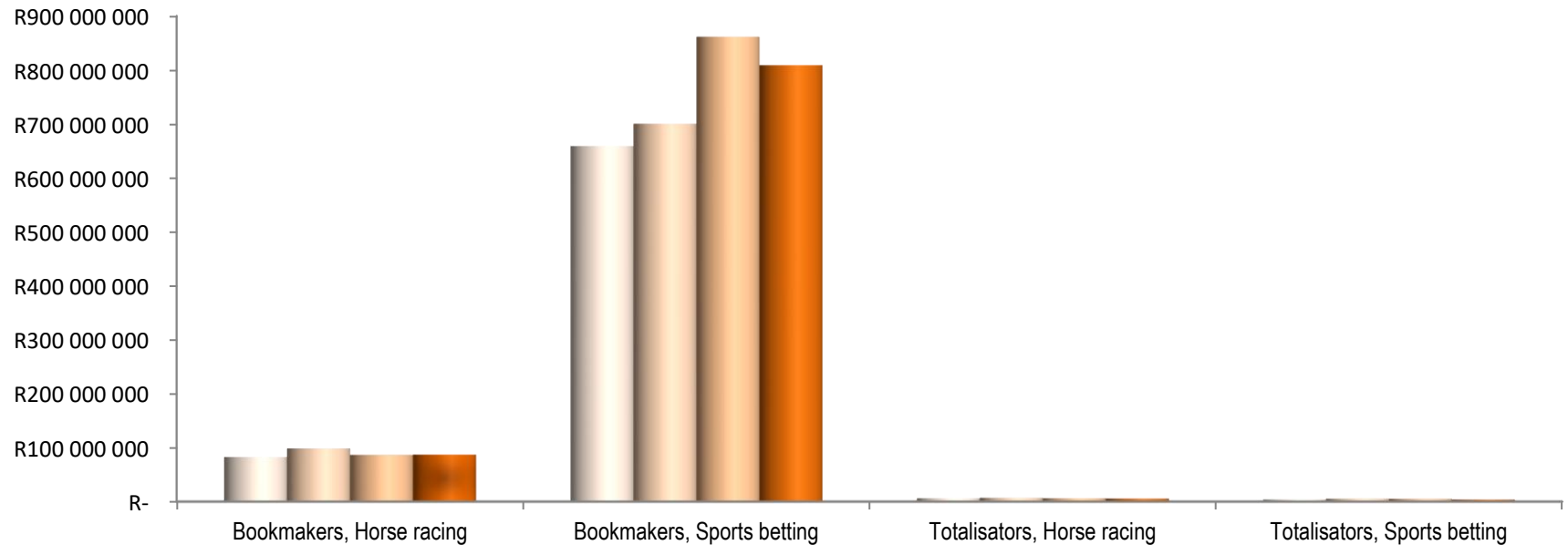


Quarterly betting taxes/levies – FY2024/25

Split between Bookmakers & Totalisators

Horse racing v sport and other contingencies

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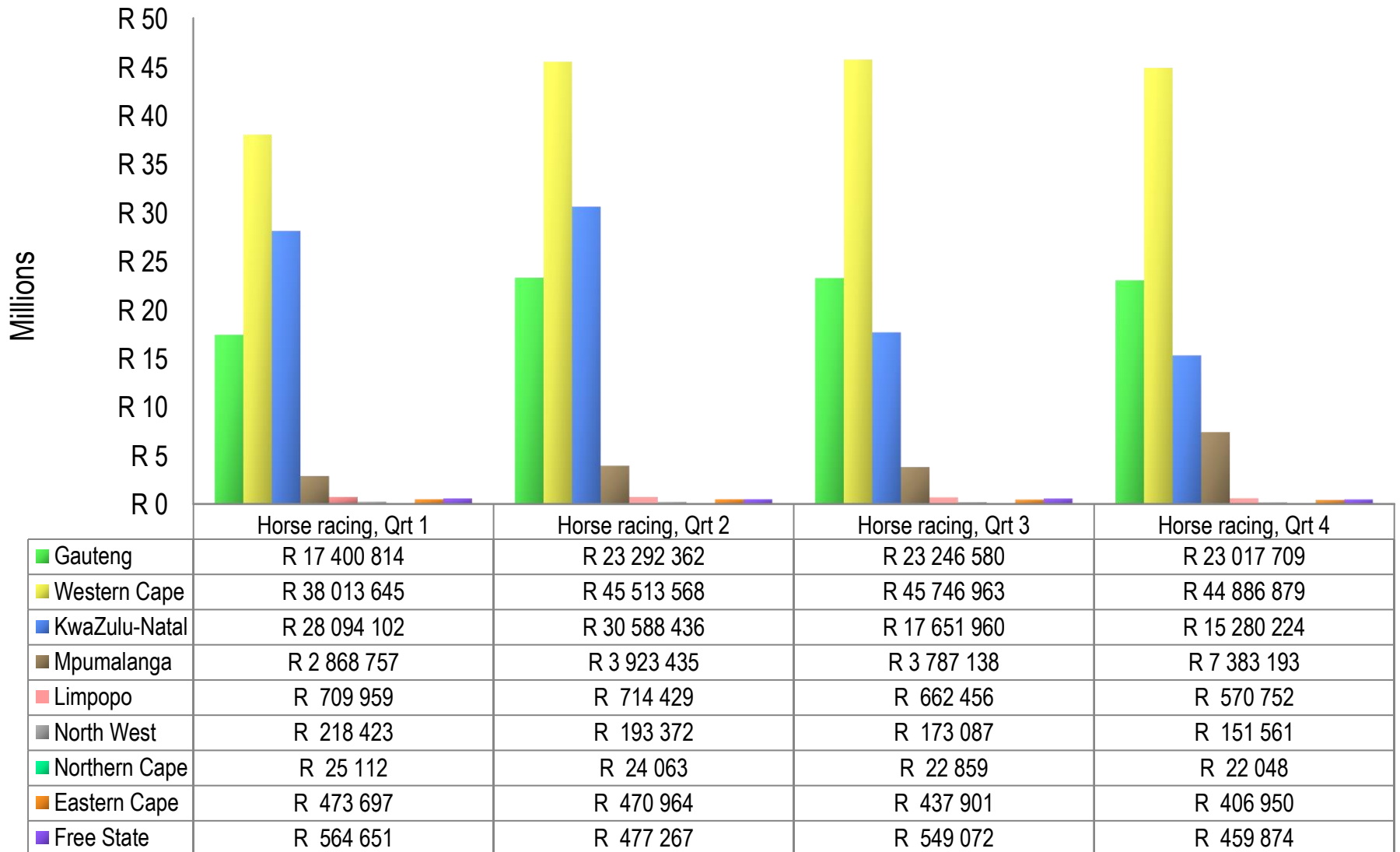


	Bookmakers, Horse racing	Bookmakers, Sports betting	Totalisators, Horse racing	Totalisators, Sports betting
FY2024/25 (Qrt 1)	R82 396 437	R658 759 256	R5 972 724	R3 601 210
FY2024/25 (Qrt 2)	R98 439 337	R700 229 780	R6 758 559	R5 025 488
FY2024/25 (Qrt 3)	R86 337 610	R861 436 306	R5 940 407	R4 841 752
FY2024/25 (Qrt 4)	R86 879 595	R808 650 938	R5 299 596	R3 444 452

Quarterly betting taxes/levies – FY2024/25

Betting on horse racing*

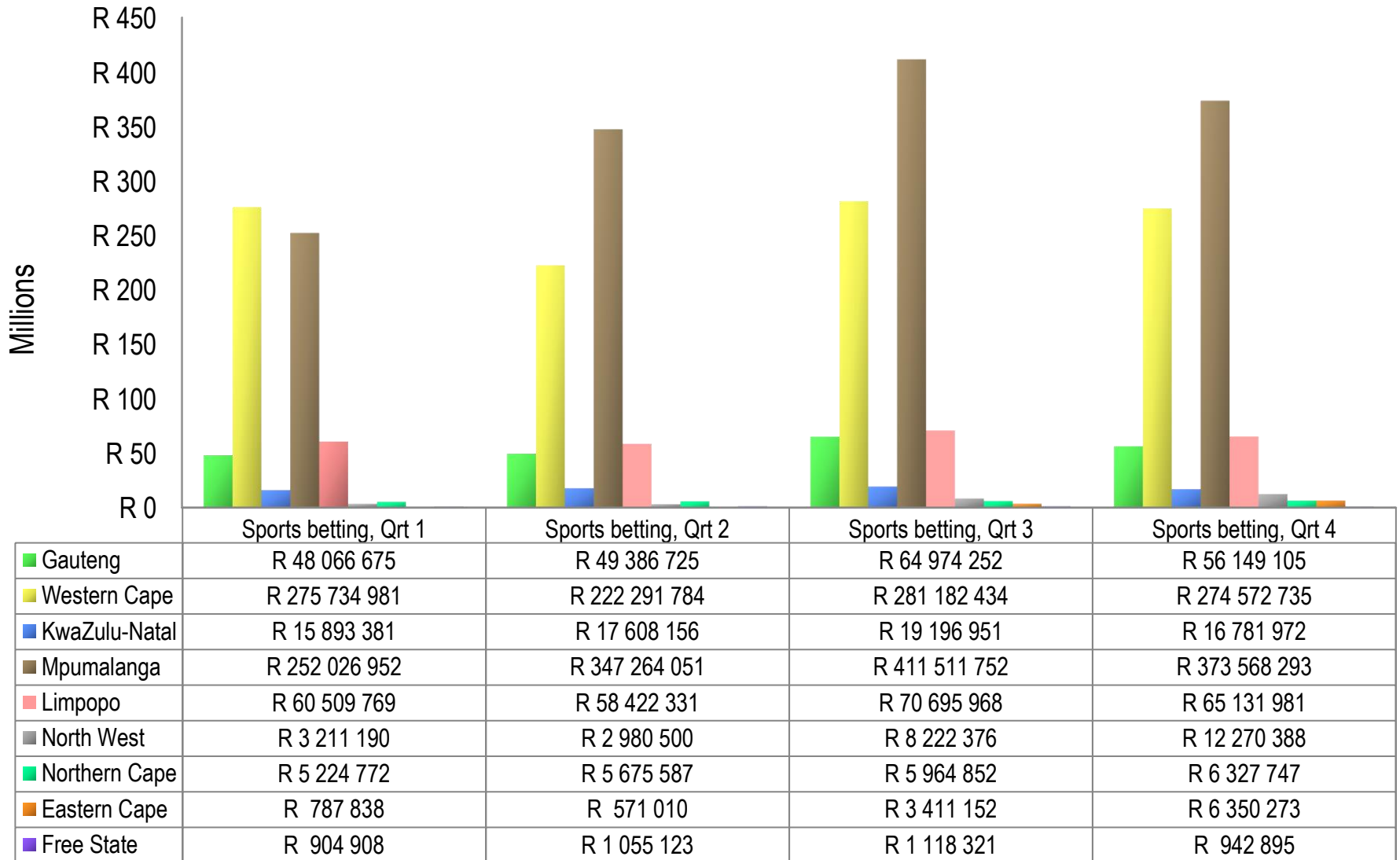
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Betting on sport and other contingencies

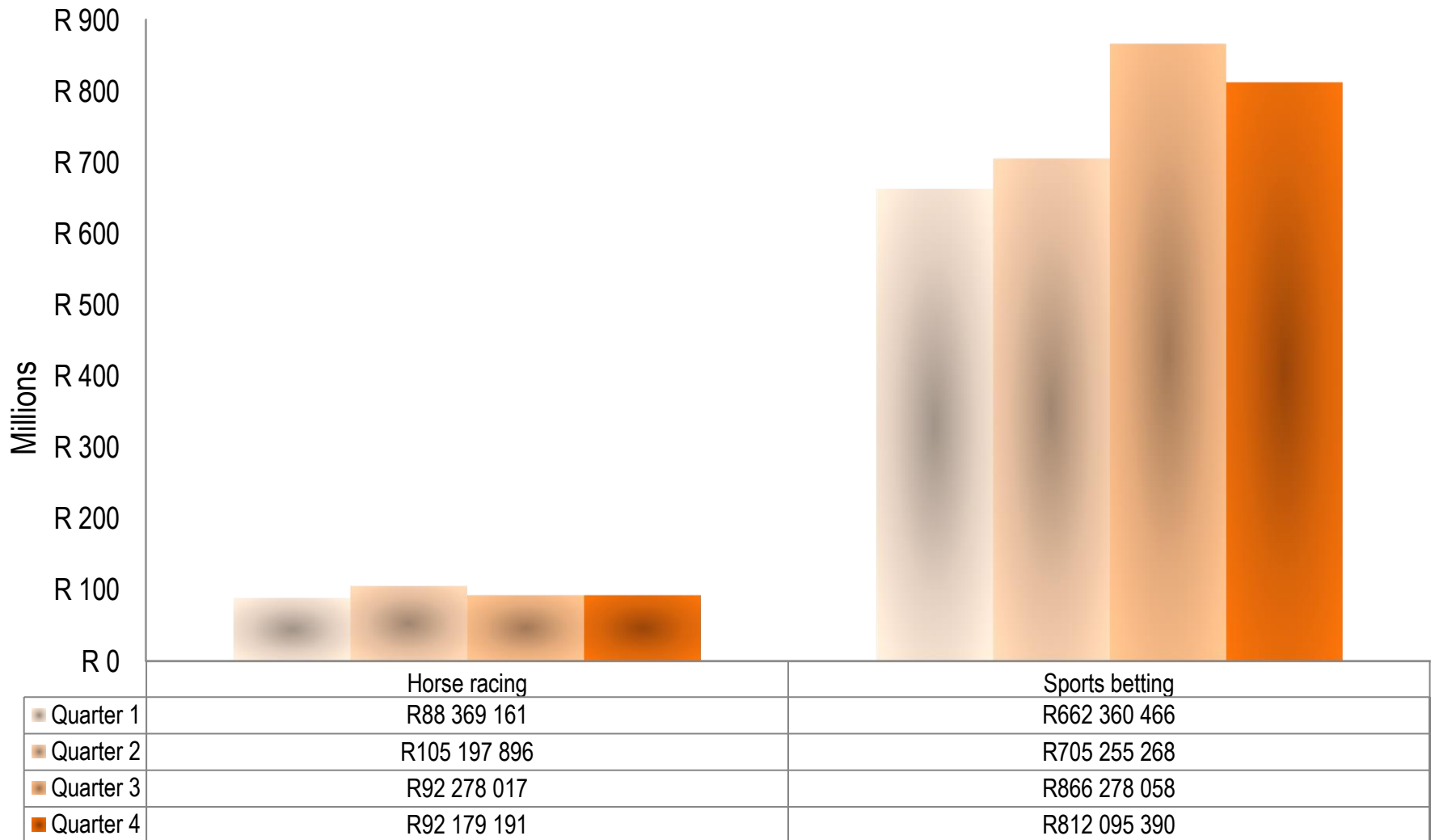
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Quarterly betting taxes/levies – FY2024/25

Horse racing v sport and other contingencies

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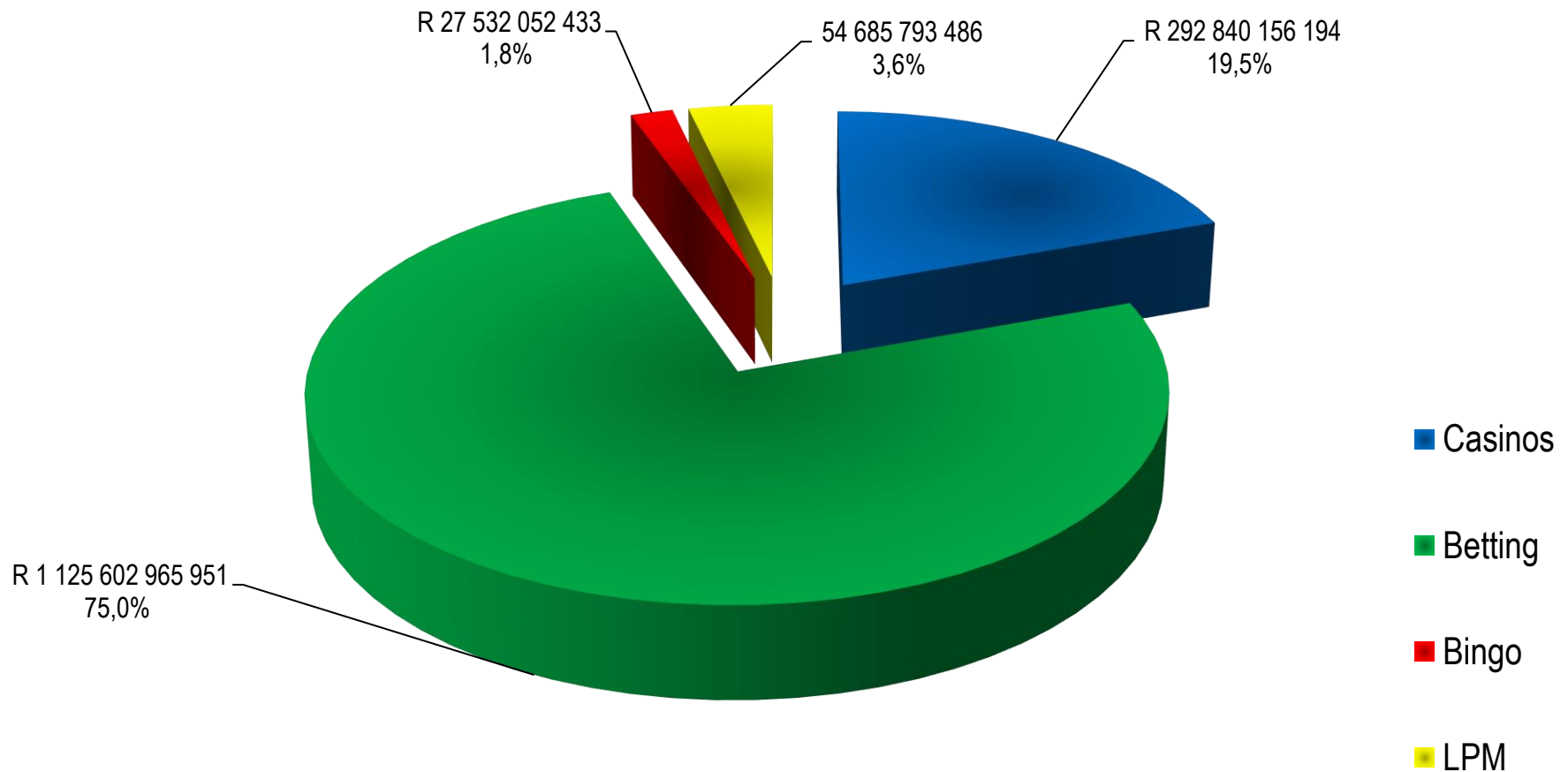


TURNOVER



Turnover per gambling mode, all provinces, FY2024/25

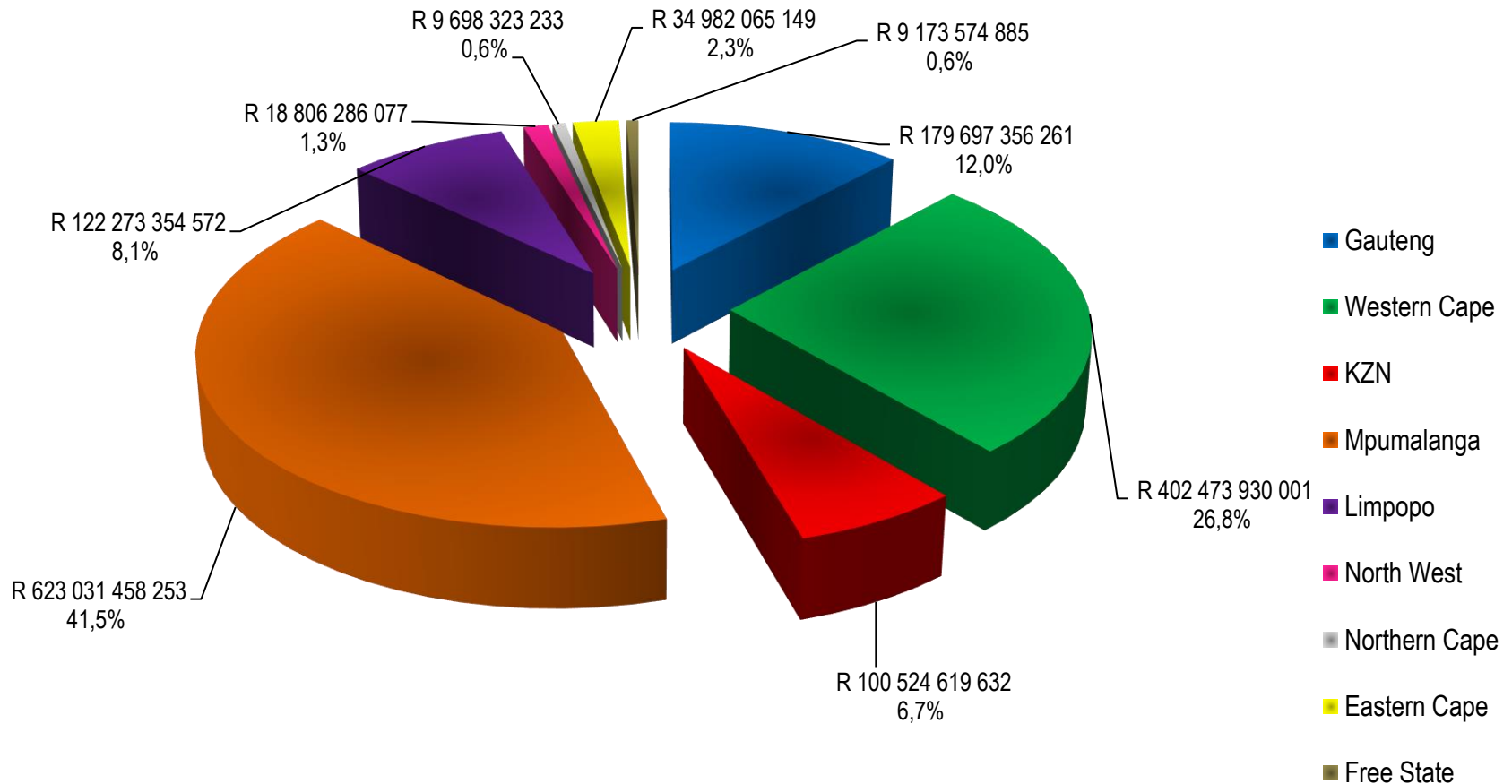
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Total turnover: R1 500 660 968 064

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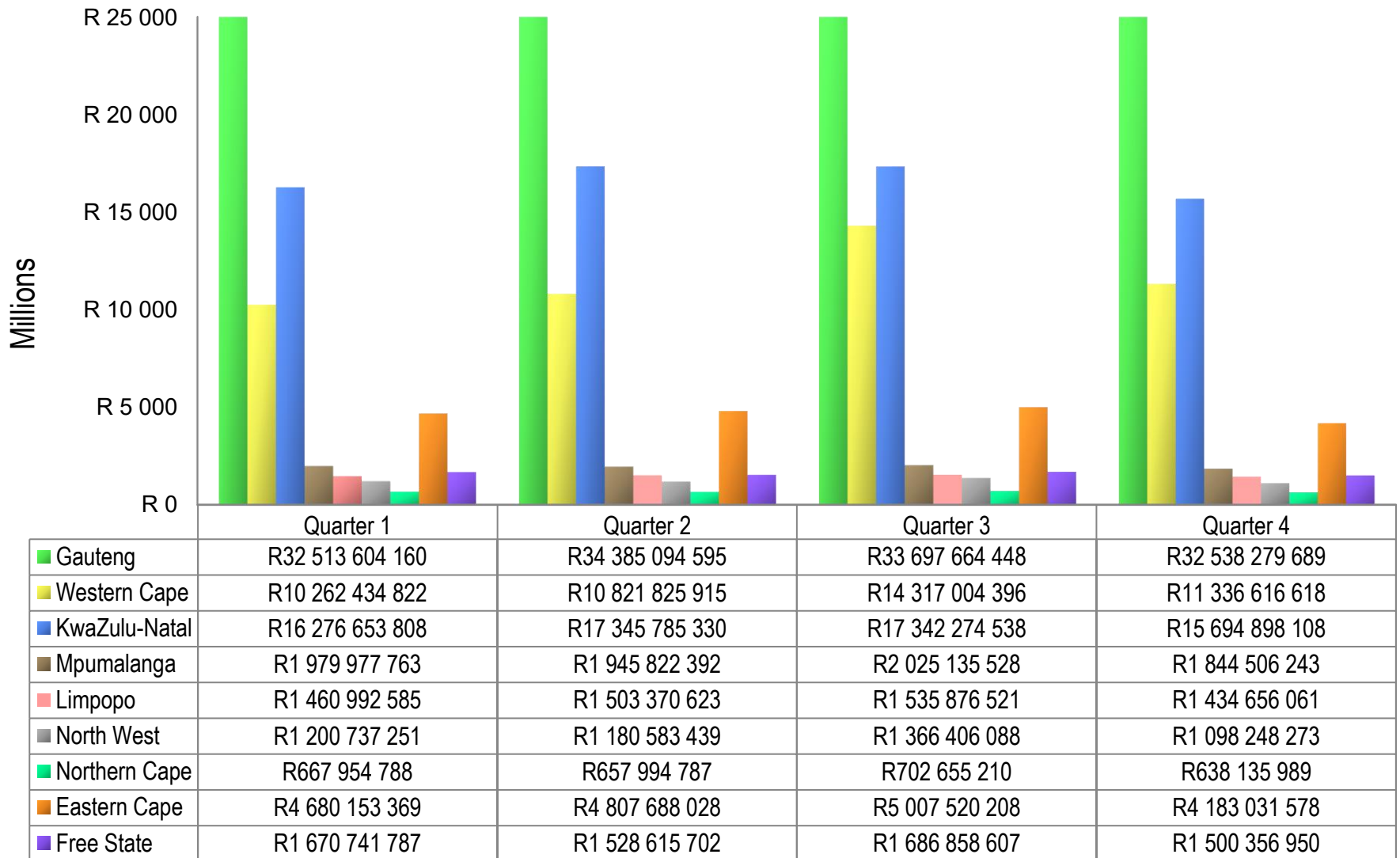
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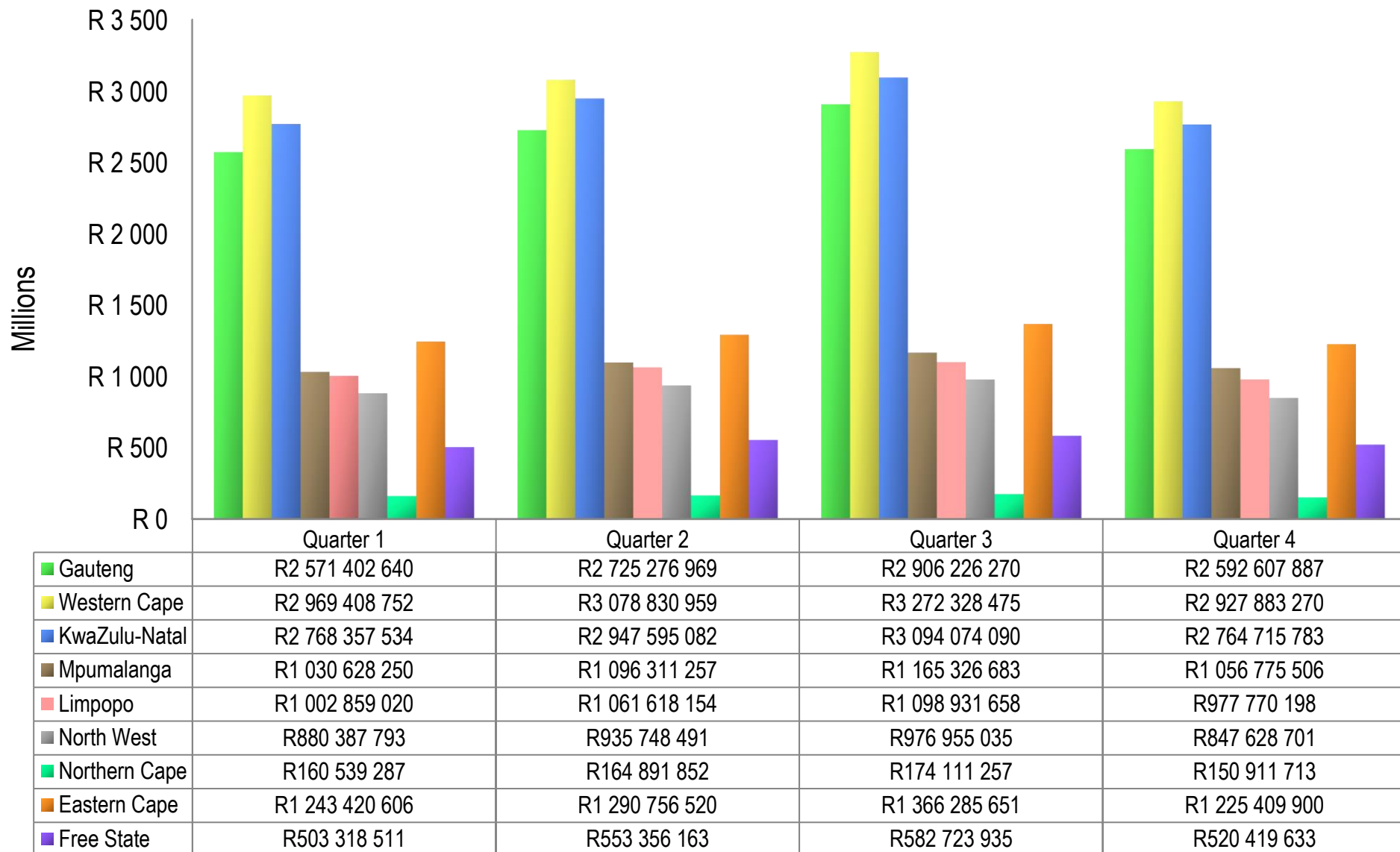
Quarterly casino turnover - FY2024/25

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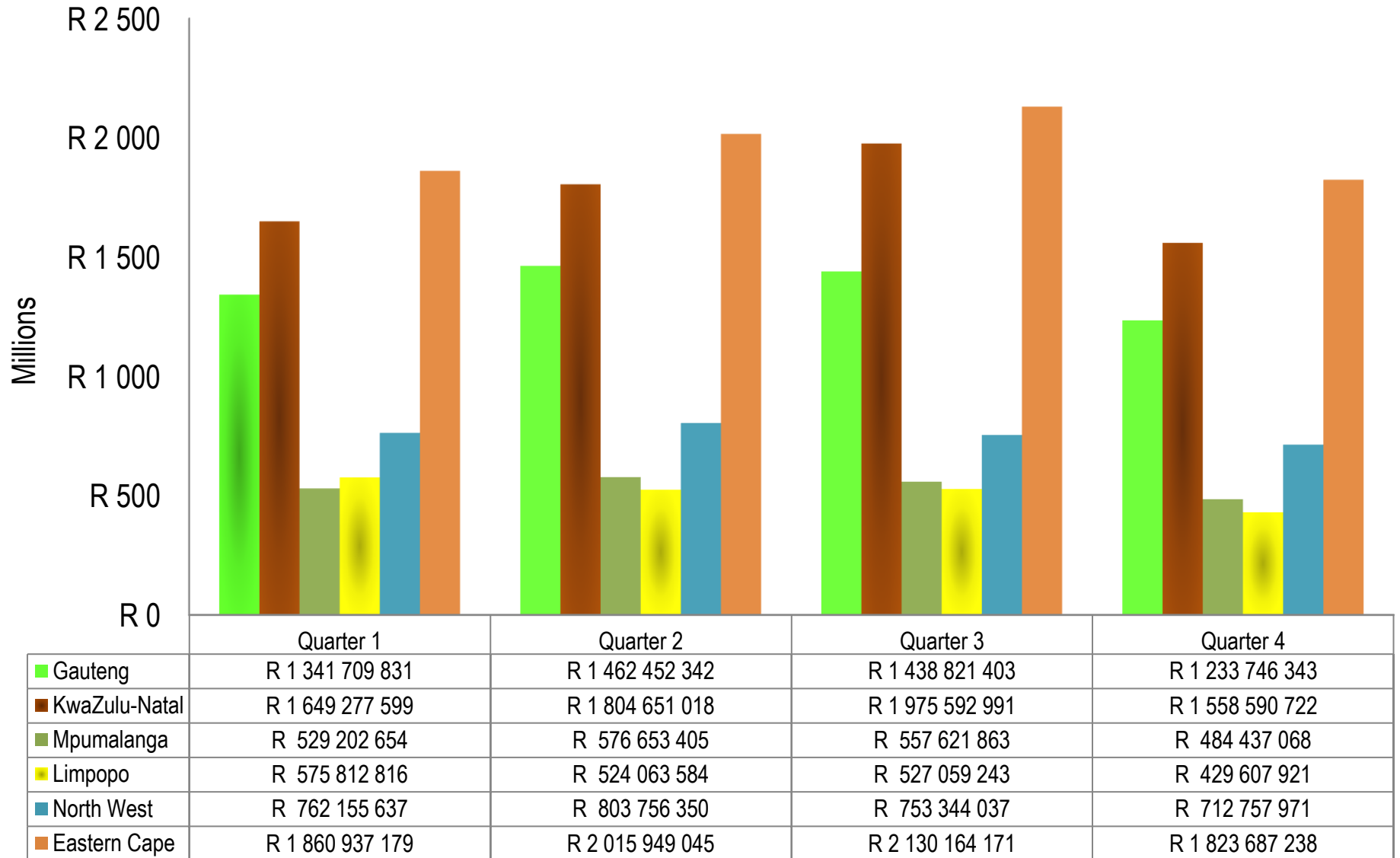
Quarterly LPM turnover - FY2024/25

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Quarterly bingo turnover - FY2024/25*

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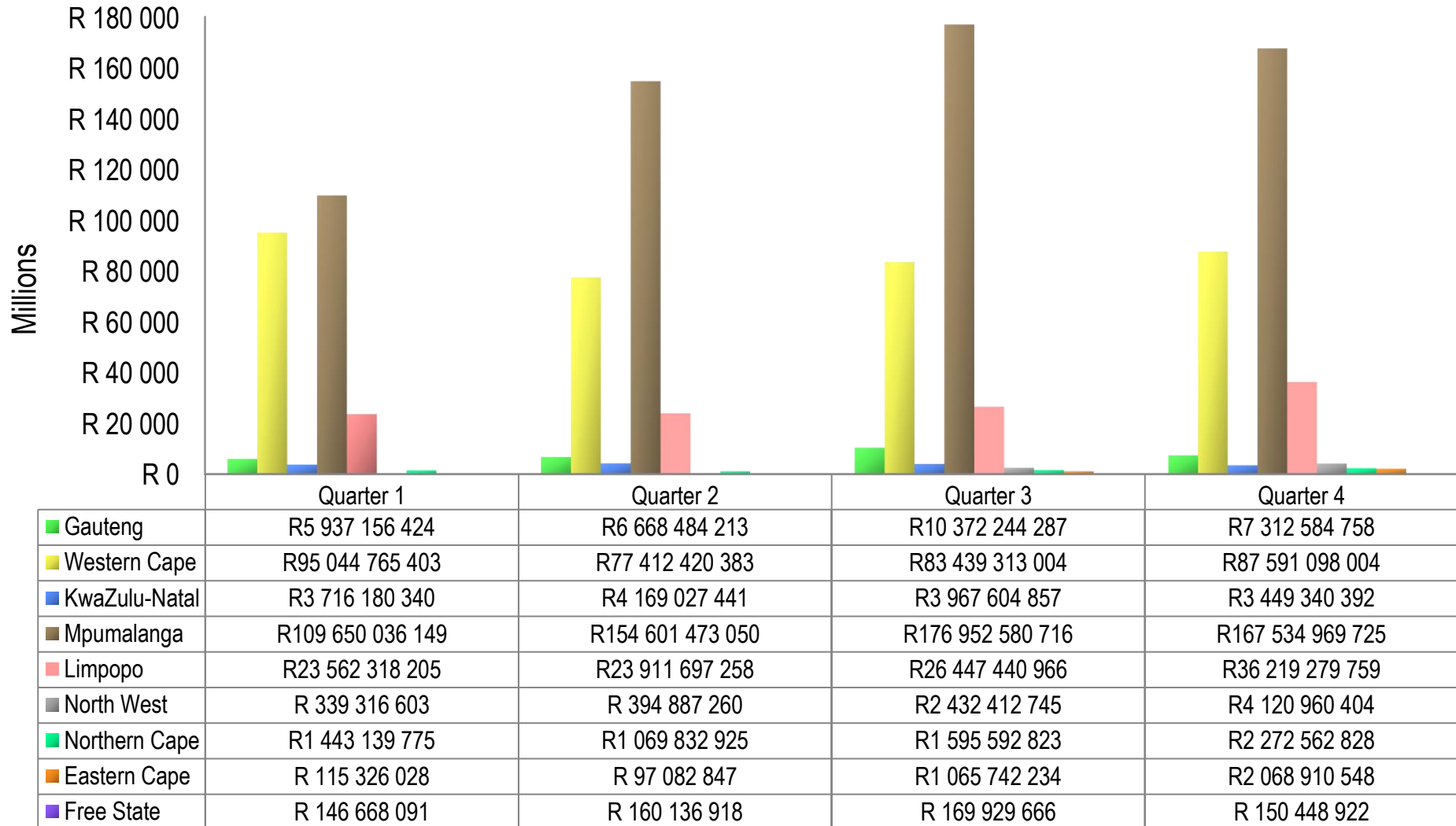


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Quarterly betting turnover – FY2024/25

Bookmakers & Totalisators

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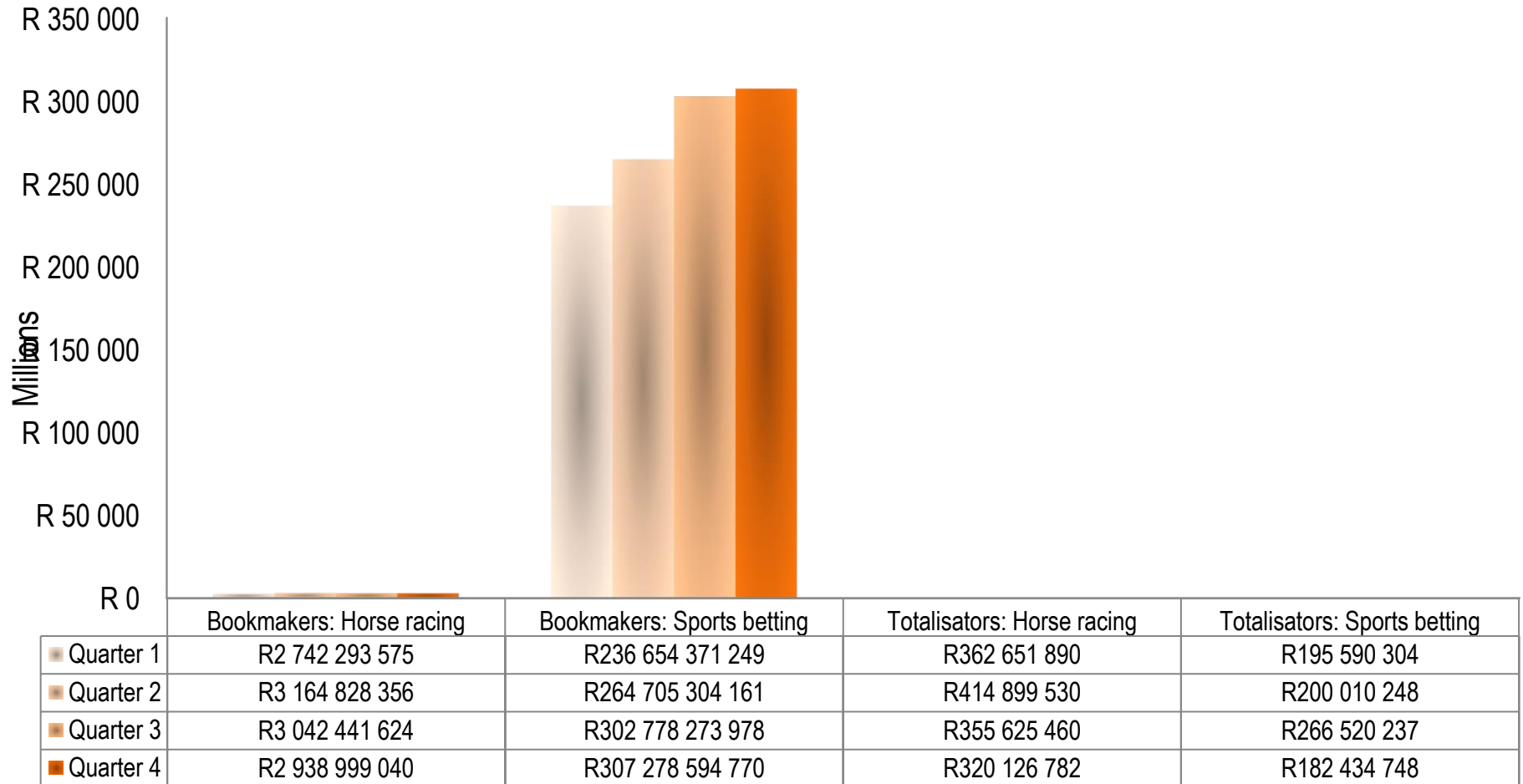


Quarterly betting turnover – FY2024/25

Split between Bookmakers & Totalisators

Horse racing v sport and other contingencies

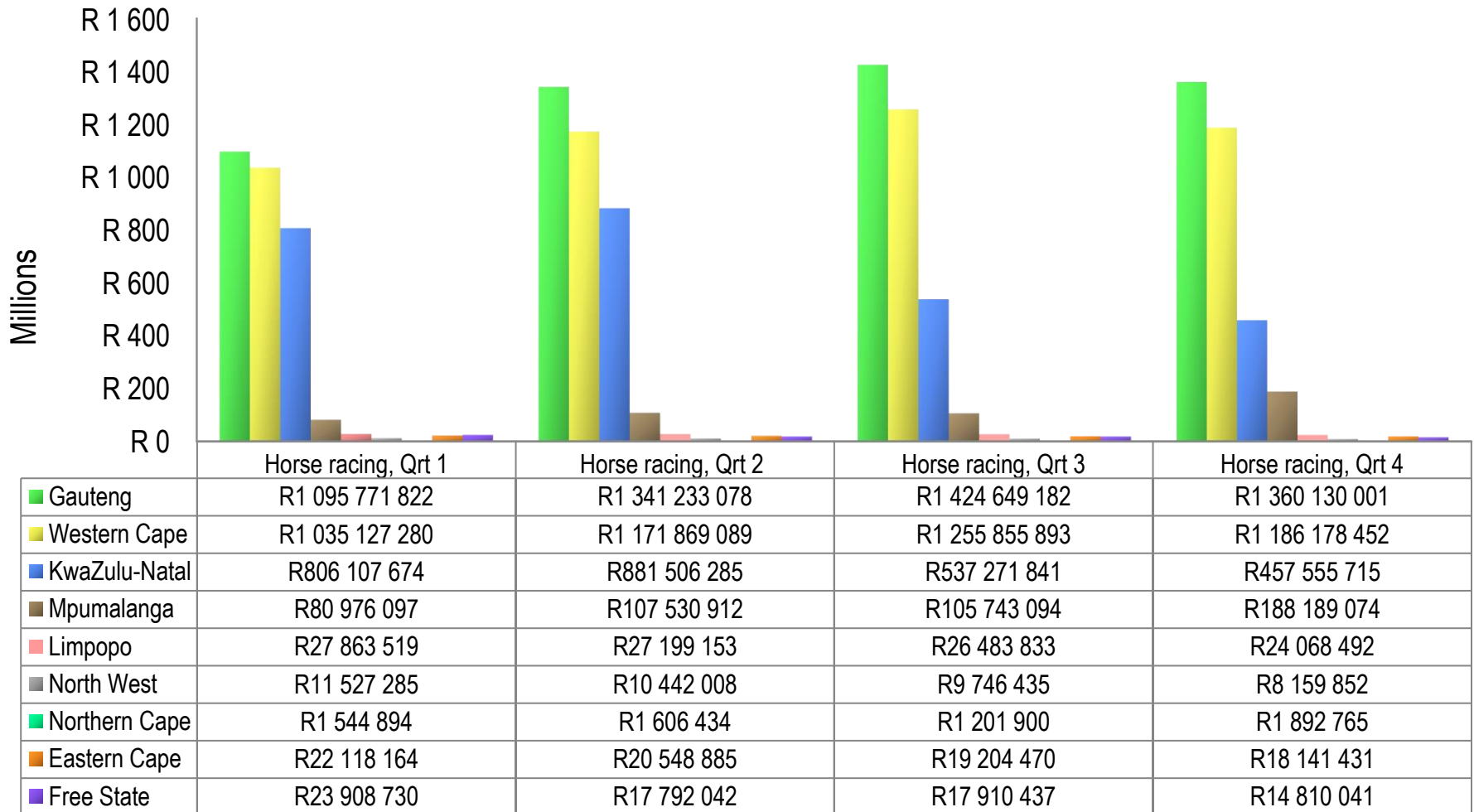
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Betting on horse racing*

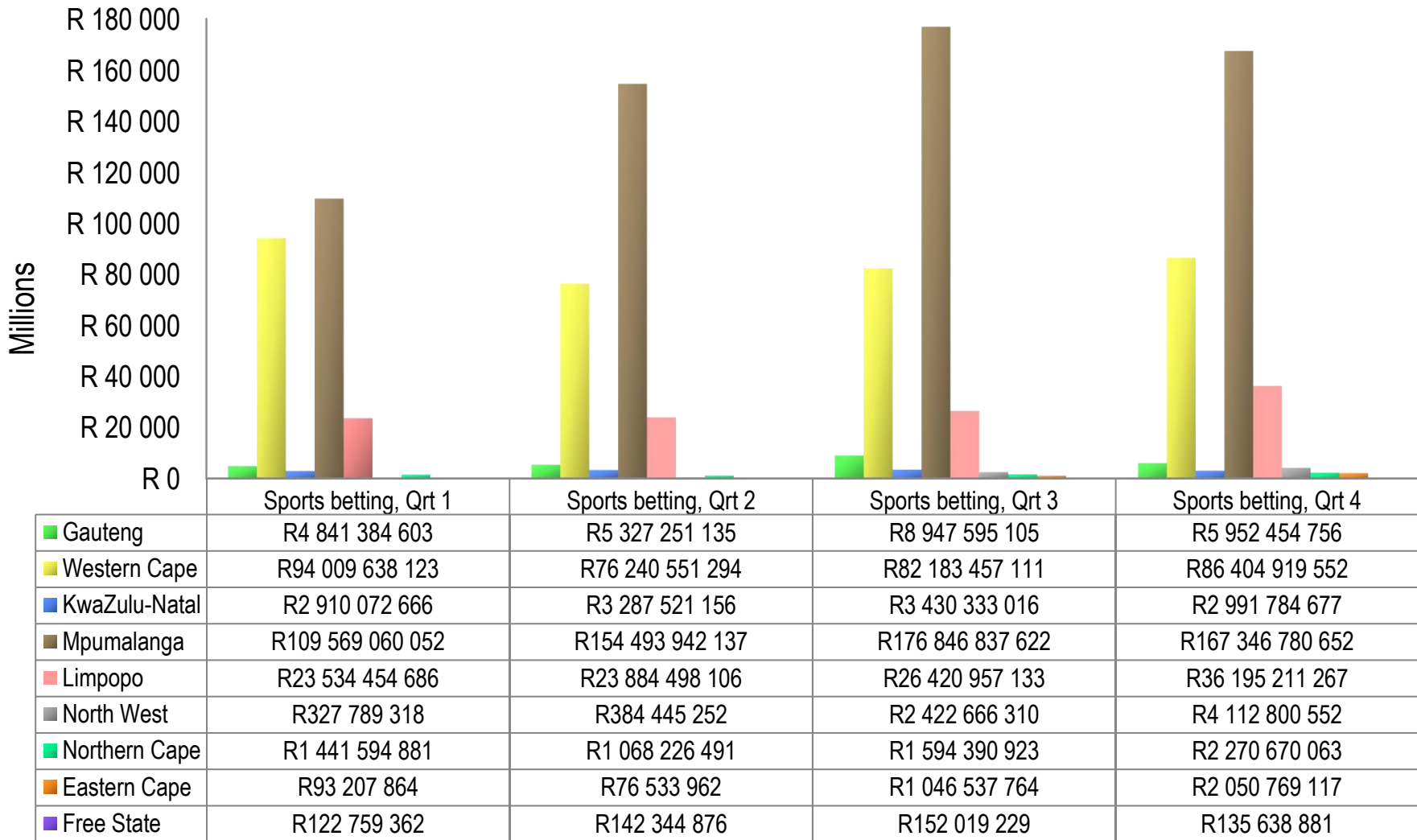
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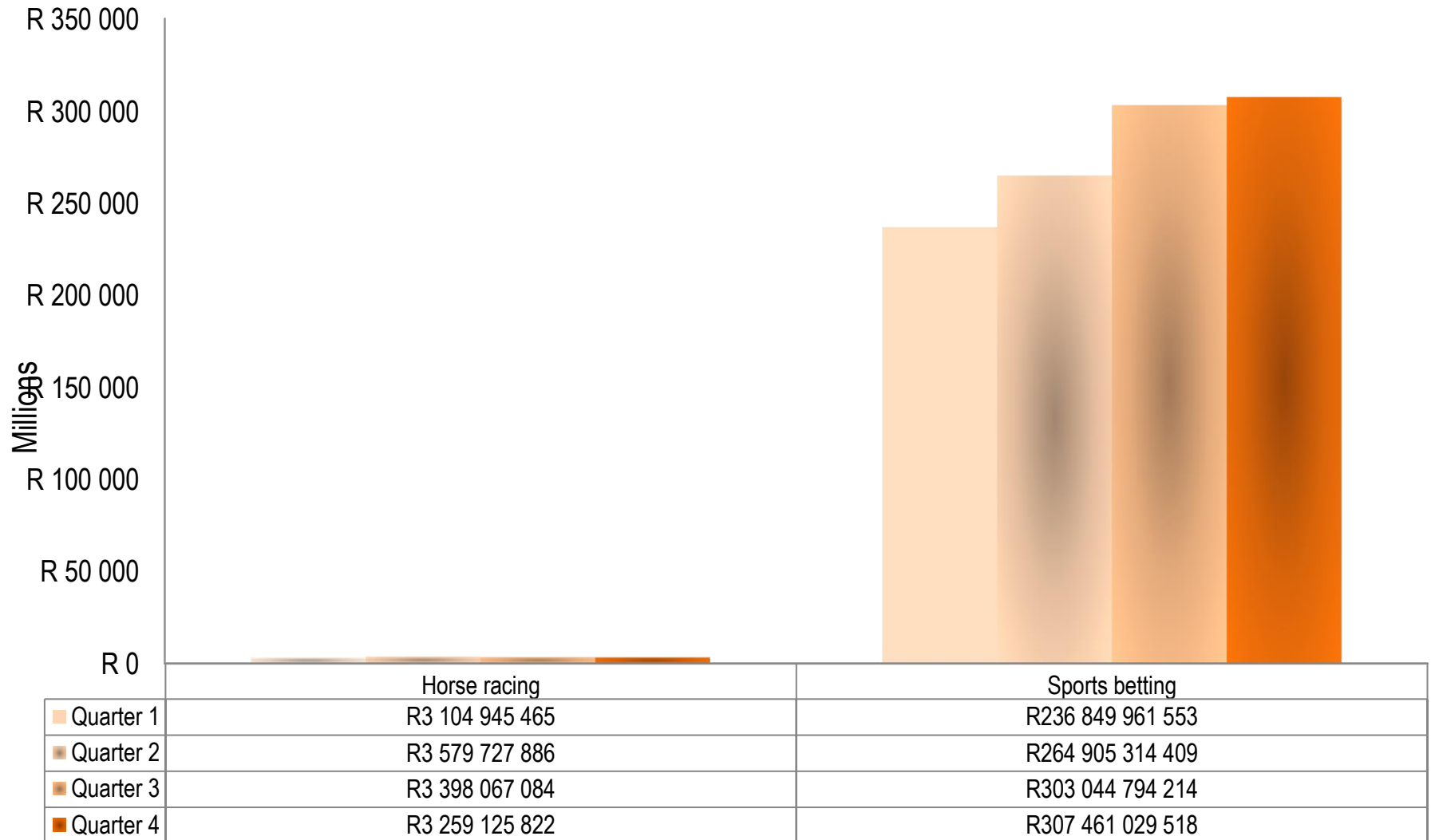
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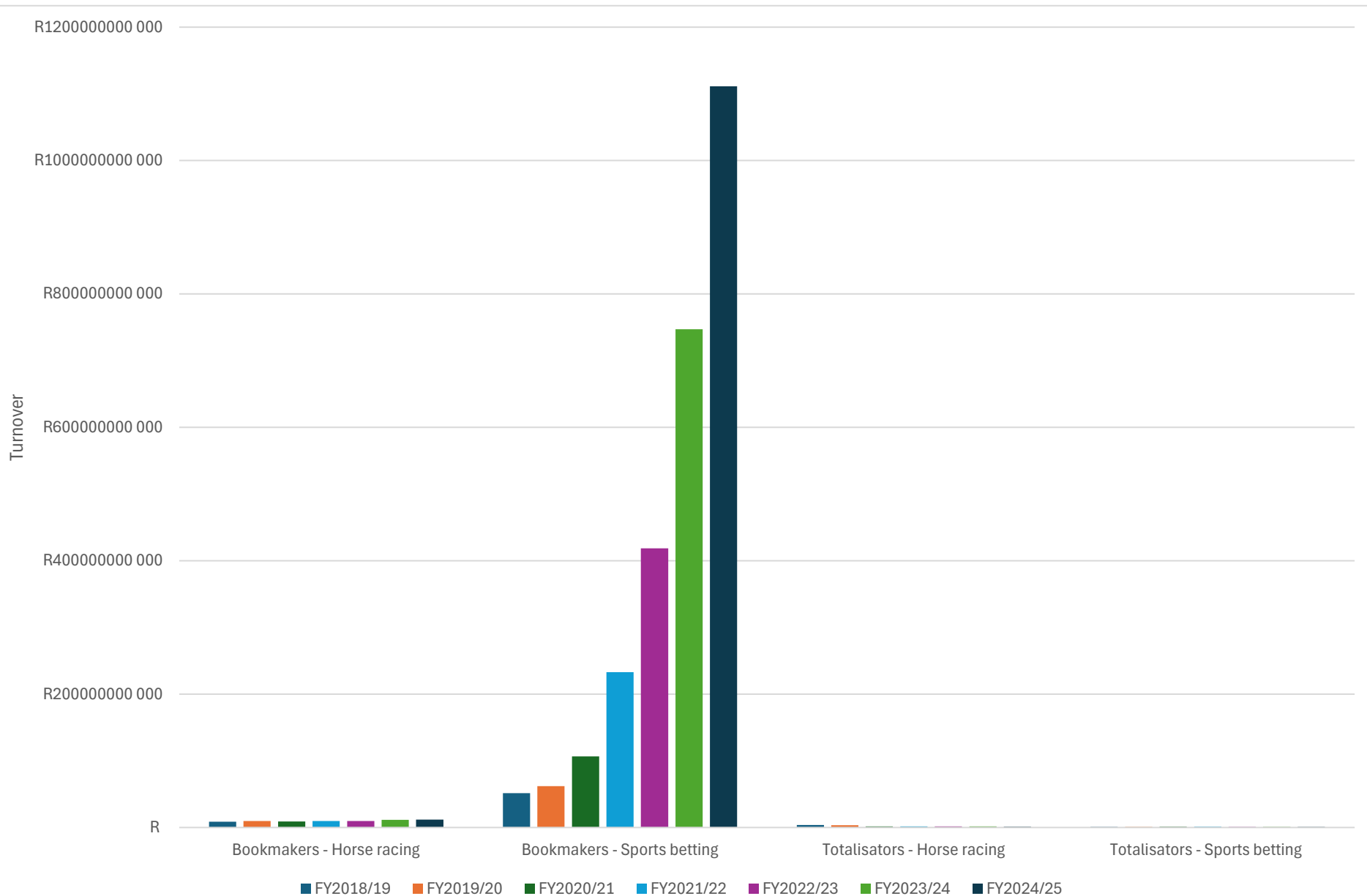
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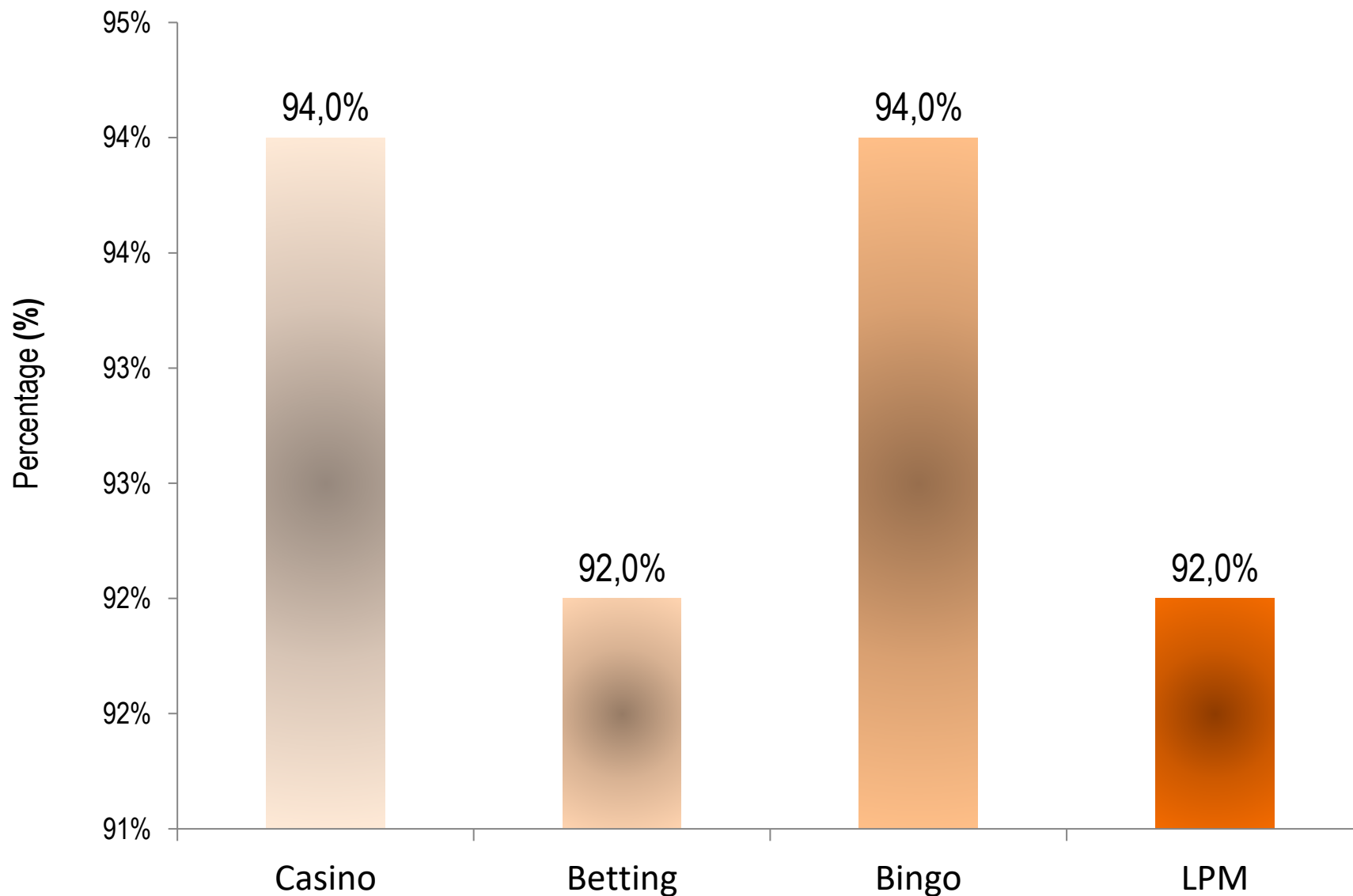


Trend in Turnover - betting (totalisators and bookmakers), FY2018/19 - FY2024/25



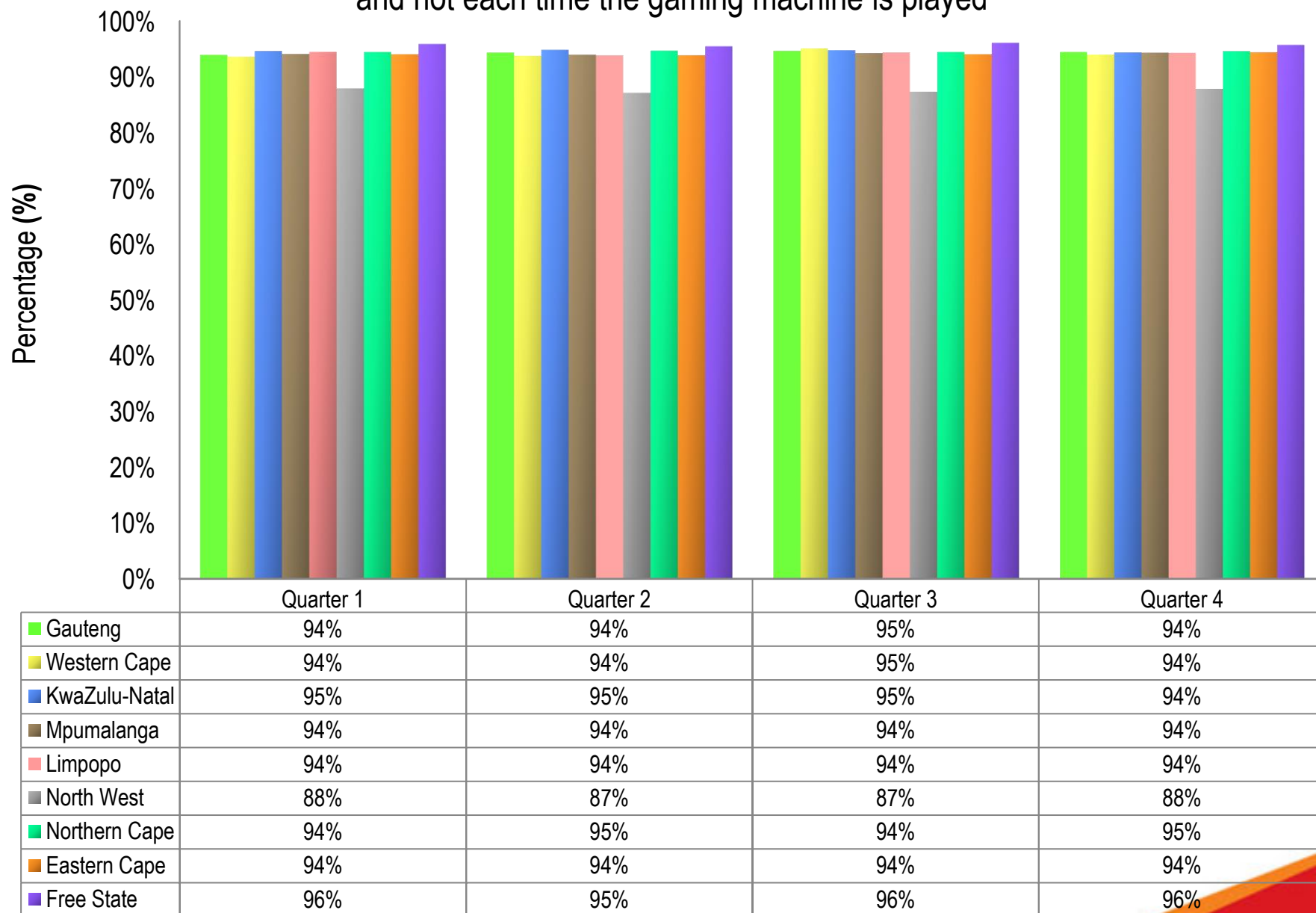
Average RTP % per gambling mode – FY2024/25

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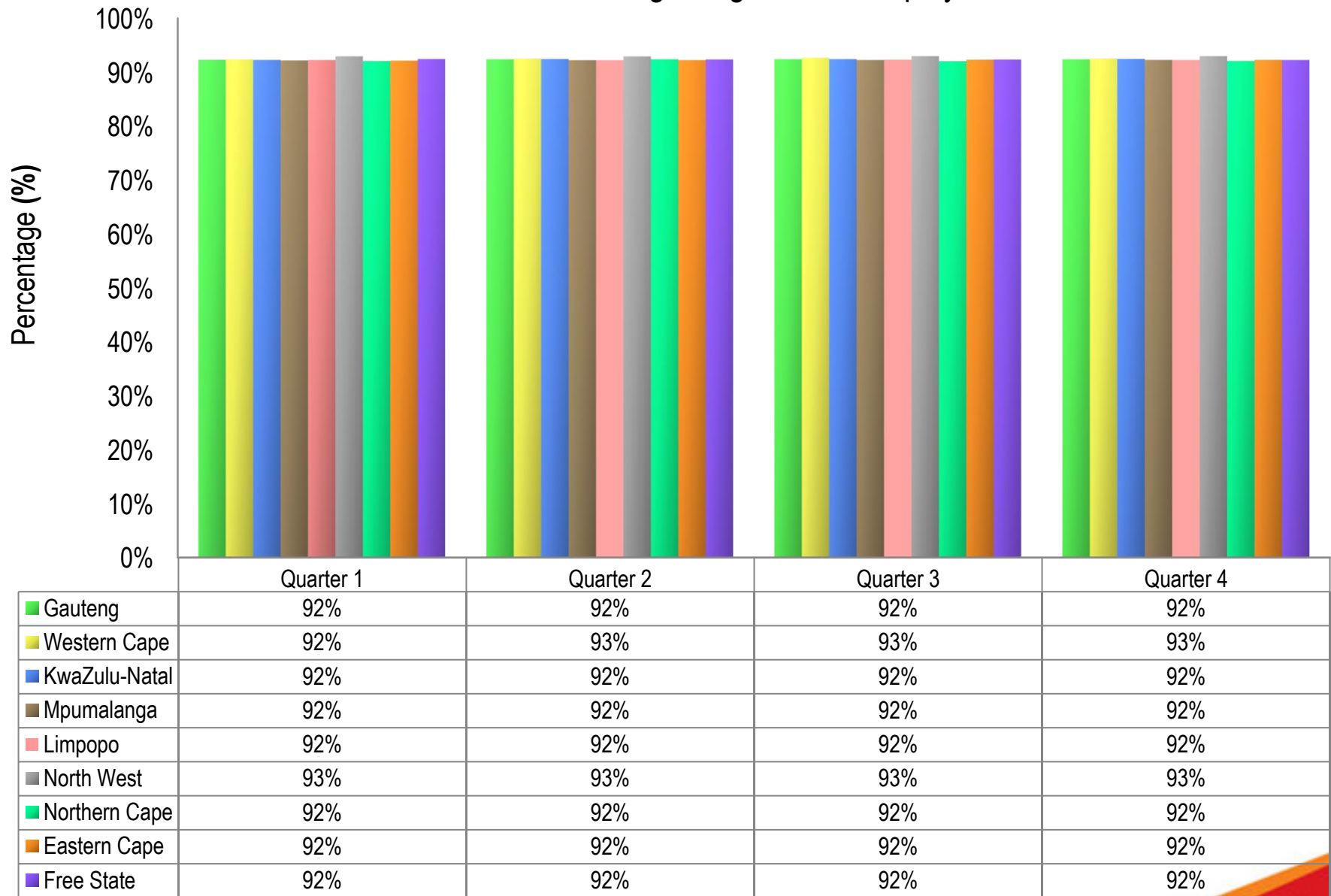
Quarterly casino RTP % - FY2024/25

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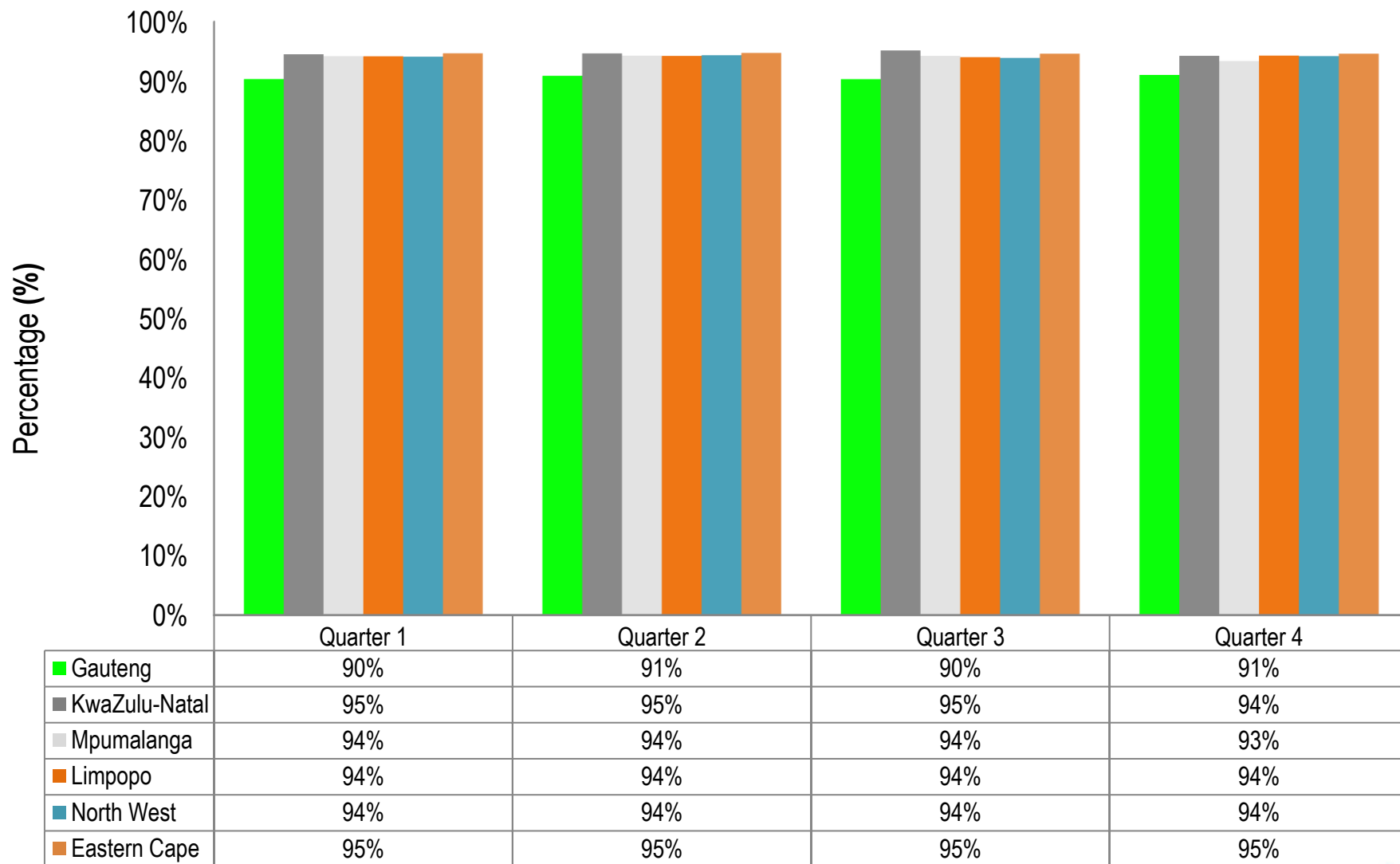
Quarterly LPM RTP % - FY2024/25

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Quarterly bingo RTP % - FY2024/25*

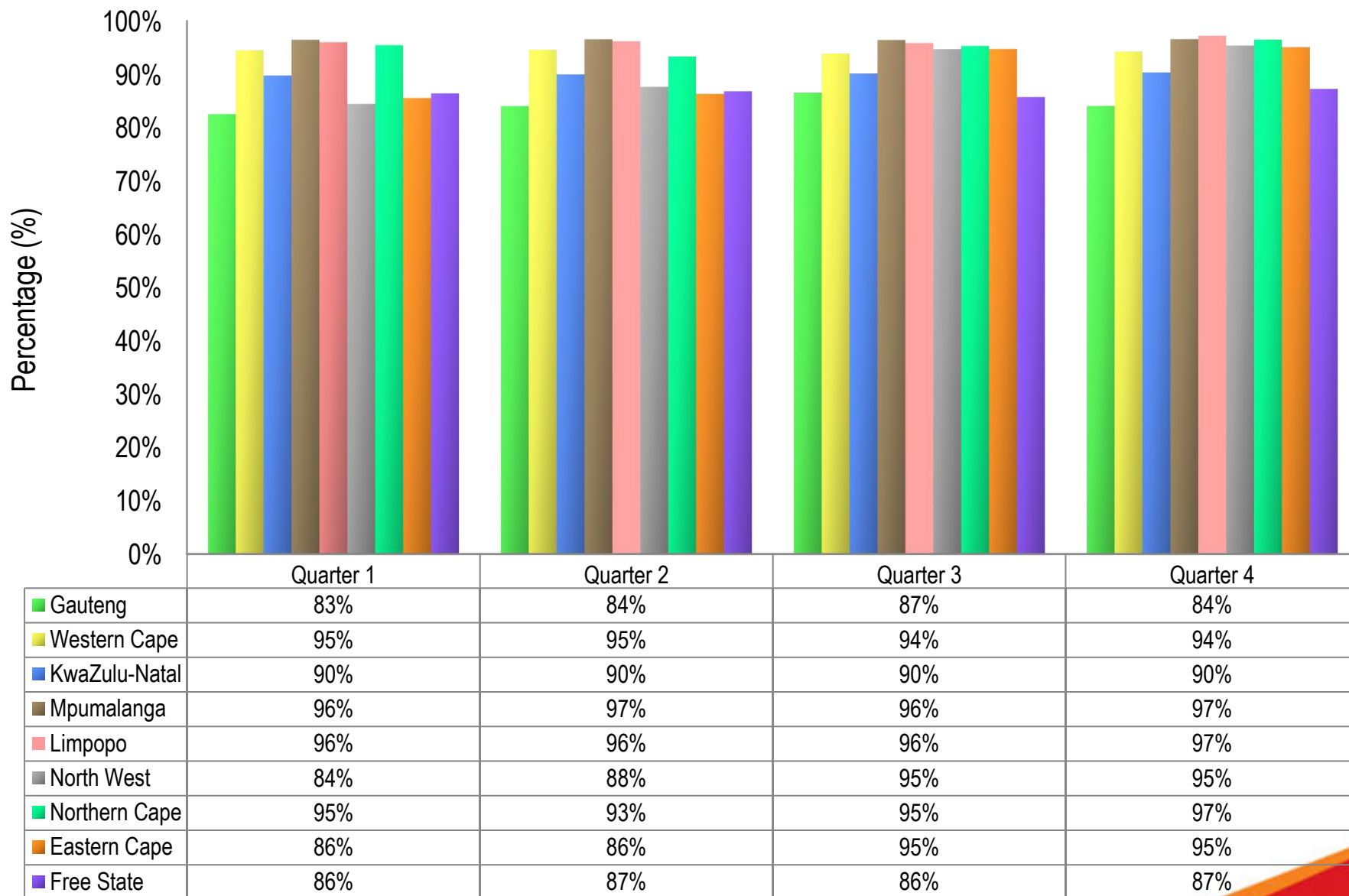
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Quarterly betting RTP % - FY2024/25

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