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| Lake with colorful autumn trees on the shore Biggest Dams In South Africa1. Gariep Dam, Province: Free StateCapacity: 5,340,600 megalitres  * The Gariep Dam is South Africa’s largest hydroelectric project. It’s a hydroelectric dam with a concrete gravity arch. To begin with, the dam was referred to by its Dutch name, the Hendrik Verwoerd Dam.   **2. Vanderkloof Dam Provinces: Northern Cape & Free State**  **Capacity: 3, 171, 300 megalitre**   * The second biggest dam in South Africa was originally named the P. K. Le Roux Dam before it was changed to the Vanderkloof dam. |  |  | |  | | --- | | 3. Sterkfontein Dam **Province: Free State**  **Capacity: 2, 616, 900 megalitres**  The Sterkfontein Dam is South Africa’s second-tallest dam wall constructed at the outskirt of the town of Harrismith, in the Free State. There was a period of eleven (11) years from 1969 to 1980 when the Sterkfontein Dam was finished and put into use.  Sterkfontein is an Afrikaans term that translates to “Strong Fountain” in English.  Insert smart art here | | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  |  | Insert date here | | |  |  | |  | | --- | | Lake with boathouse, colorful boats and colorful autumn trees on the shoreline | |  | | Name | | We lift as we rise | |