

## METHODOLOGY



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When was the opinion poll conducted?

How was the opinion poll conducted?

Survey sample

What is the margin of error?

What was the response rate?

Survey Geographical Coverage

Data Analysis

9th October 2024

Quantitative interviews were conducted through Computer Assisted Telephone Interviews (CATI)

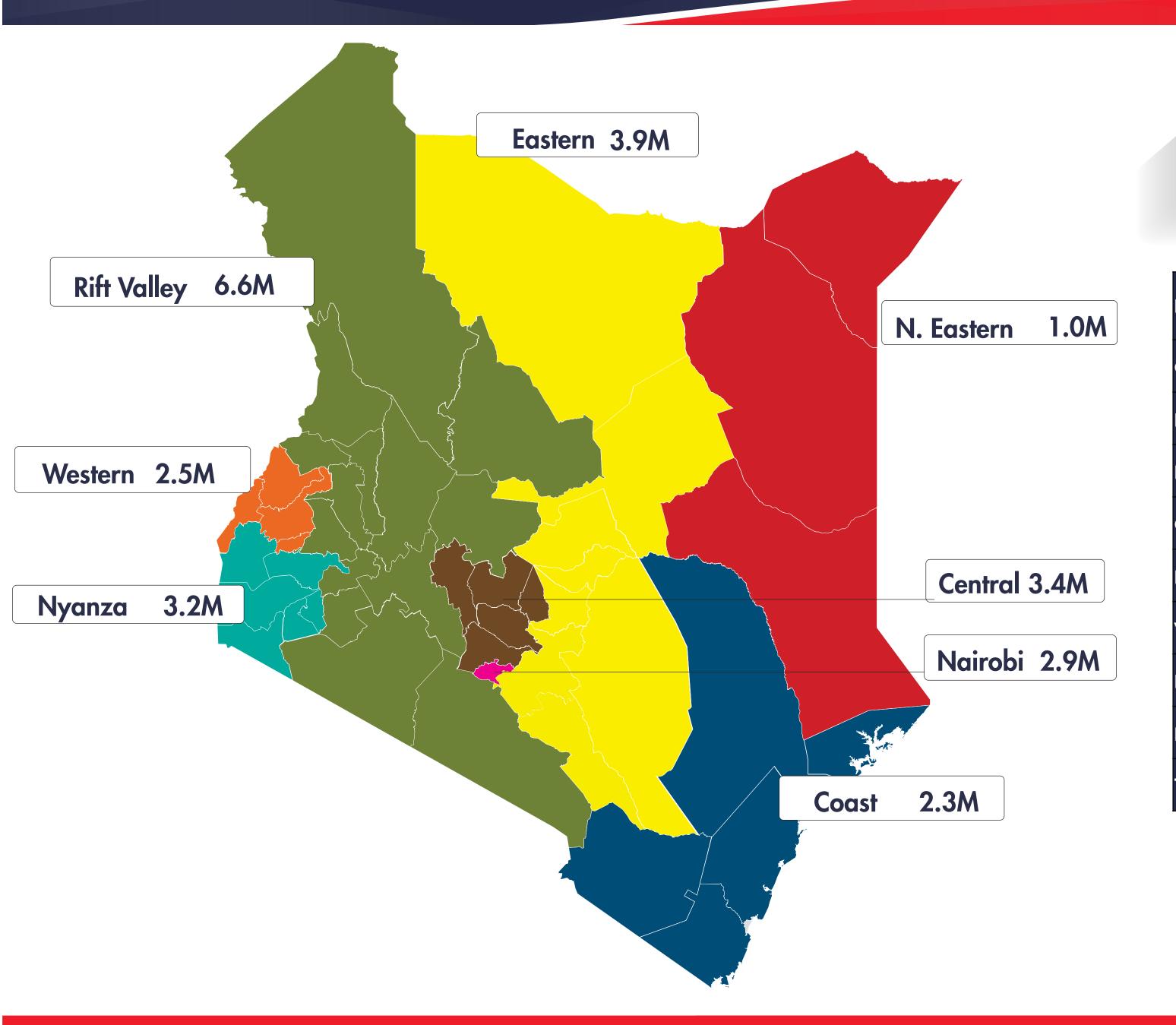
±3.099% at 95% degree of confidence.

98% response rate.

The survey covered all the 8 regions of Kenya. To ensure national representativeness, the distribution of the survey sample across the regions was proportionately allocated.

Data was processed and analyzed using SPSS 26 statistical software due to it's high accuracy and reliability.





### SAMPLE DISTRIBUTION

REGION	Regional Sample %	Sample Achieved per Region
COAST	<b>9</b> %	91
NORTH EASTERN	4%	40
EASTERN	15%	150
CENTRAL	13%	134
RIFT VALLEY	26%	256
WESTERN	10%	96
NYANZA	I 2%	122
NAIROBI	11%	111
TOTAL	100%	1000

## DIRECTION OF THE COUNTRY

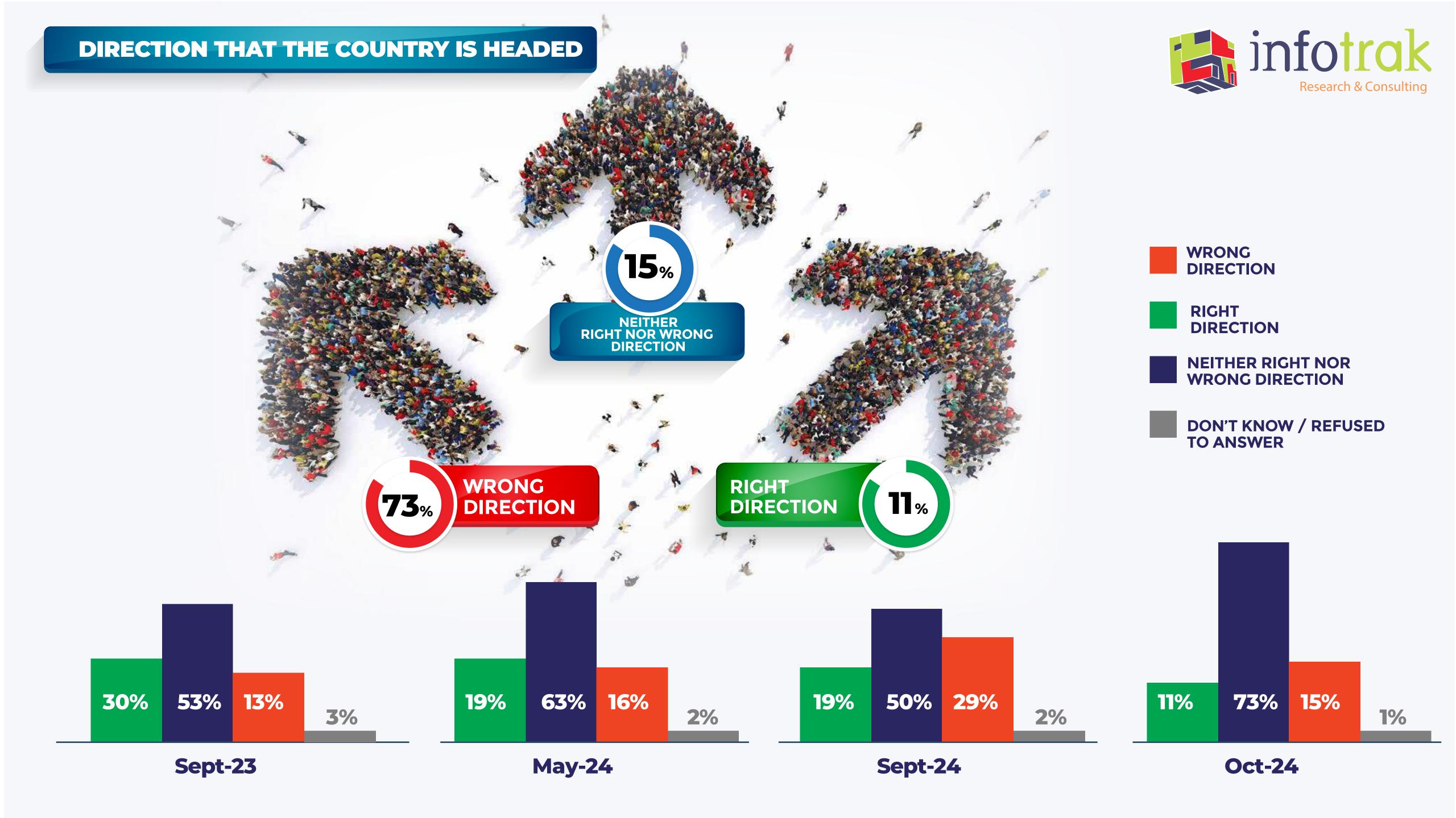




#### **KEYTAKE OUT**

#### **Direction of the Country:**

- A majority of 73% of Kenyans believe the country is headed in the wrong direction, a significant increase from 50% recorded in September, while only 11% noted that it is headed in the right direction. Compared to 19% that opined so in September
- In May 2024, 63% shared the same response (Wrong Direction). In the previous year, in September 2023, 53% reported that the
  country was headed in the wrong direction.
- The regions that had the highest rating in reporting that the country is headed in the wrong direction are Nairobi (78%), North Eastern (77%), Central and Eastern each at (76%), and Rift Valley at (72%). A significant percentage of both males (73%) and females (73%) noted that the country is headed in the wrong direction.
- Those between the age bracket of (46-55 years) had the highest rating (81%) in terms of reporting that the country is headed in the wrong direction, followed by (27-35 years) at (76%) and those aged (36-45 years) stood at (74%).
- Among the top reasons reported on why the country is heading in the wrong direction in October 2024 are bad politics /poor governance (63%) and High cost of living (43%). In September, we had a High cost of living (77%), unemployment (46%), and Poverty (24%). Month of May, High cost of living at (45%), High taxes (27%) and Poor governance (7%).





#### DIRECTION THAT THE COUNTRY IS HEADED TO: BY REGION

	Right direction	Right direction Wrong direction		Don't know/Refused To Answer
Rift Valley	18%	72%	9%	1%
Western	13%	68%	15%	3%
Nyanza	11%	70%	19%	-
Coast	11%	70%	19%	-
North Eastern	9%	77%	14%	-
Central	5%	76%	16%	2%
Eastern	5%	76%	19%	-
Nairobi	3%	78%	17%	1%
Total	11%	73%	15%	1%



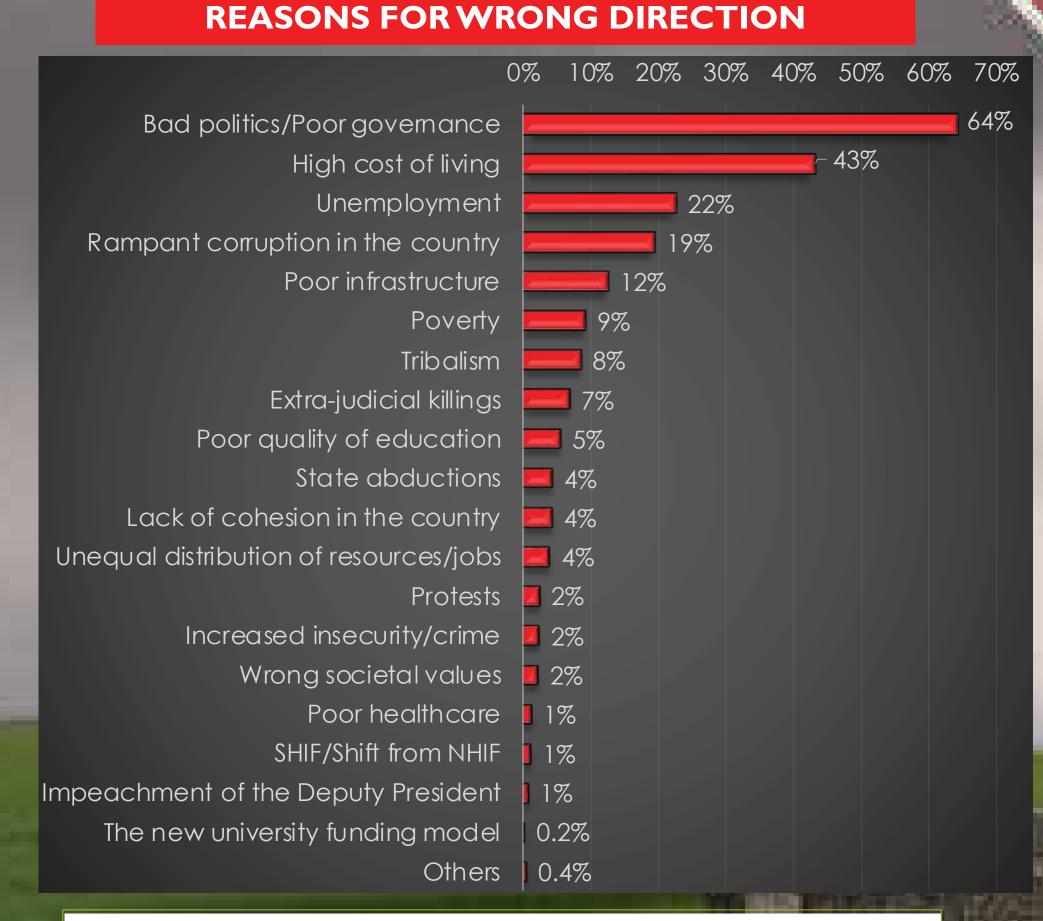
## infotrak direction that the country is headed to: by gender & age

		Right direction	Wrong direction	Neither right nor wrong direction	Don't know/Refused To Answer
	Female	11%	74%	14%	1%
Gender	Male	10%	73%	17%	1%
	18-26 Years	19%	57%	21%	2%
	27-35 Years  Age 36-45 Years  46-55 Years	9%	76%	15%	0.3%
Age		10%	74%	15%	0.3%
		8%	81%	9%	1%
	Over 55 Years	10%	70%	18%	3%
	Total	11%	73%	15%	1%

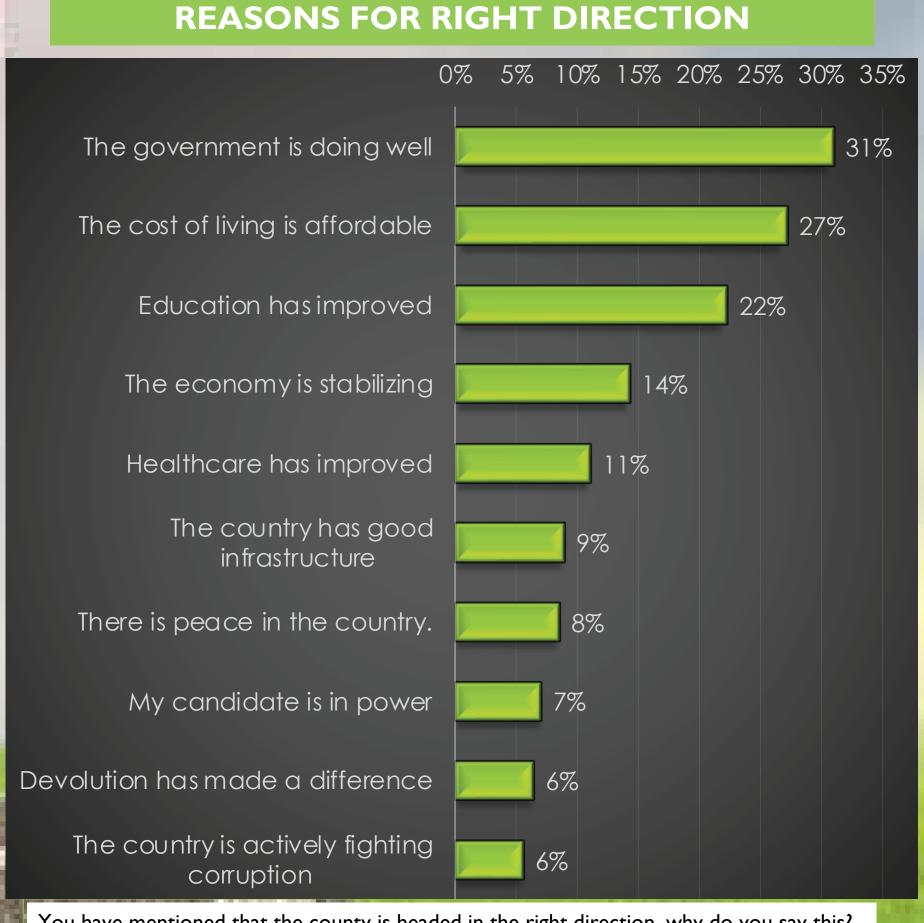
# Right Decision

## Wrong Decision

#### REASONS FOR RIGHT DIRECTION



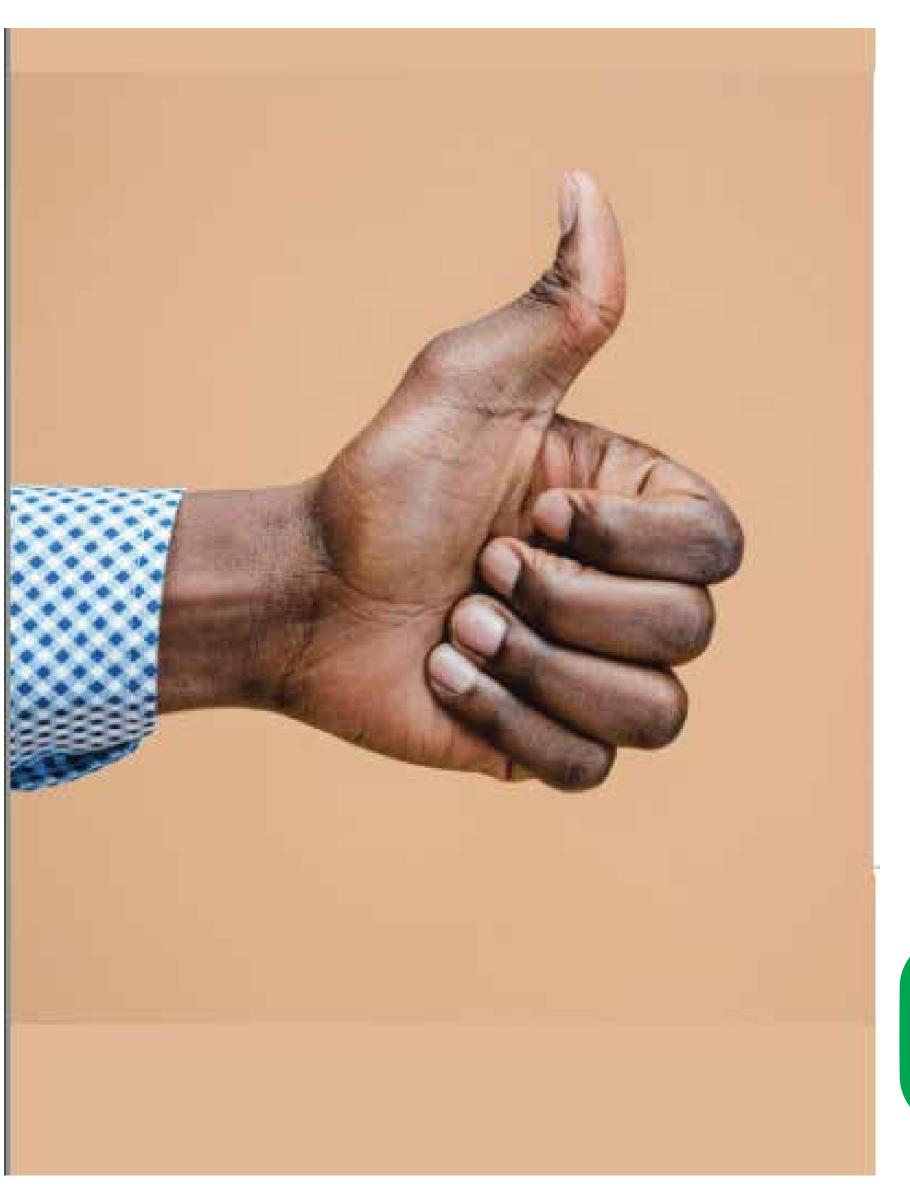
You have mentioned that the county is headed in the wrong direction; why do you say so? n=737

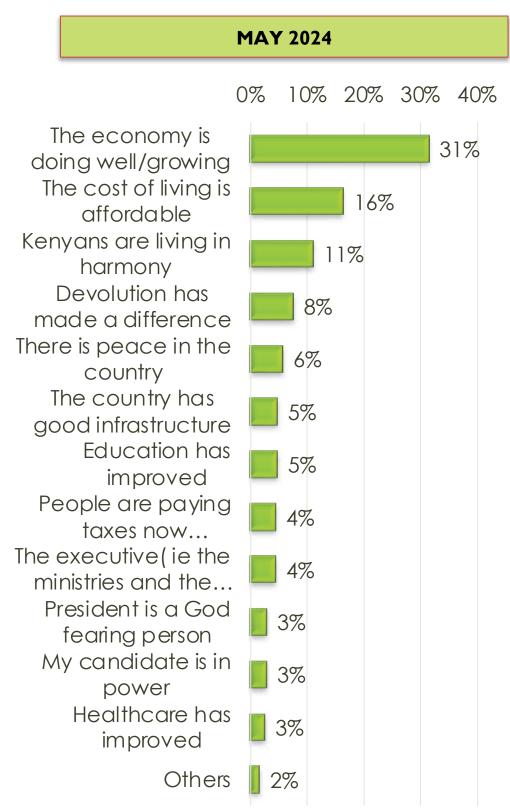


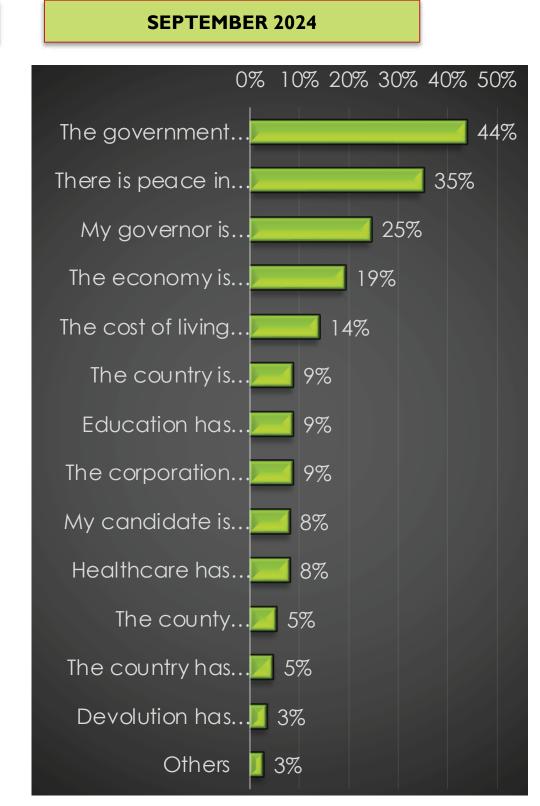
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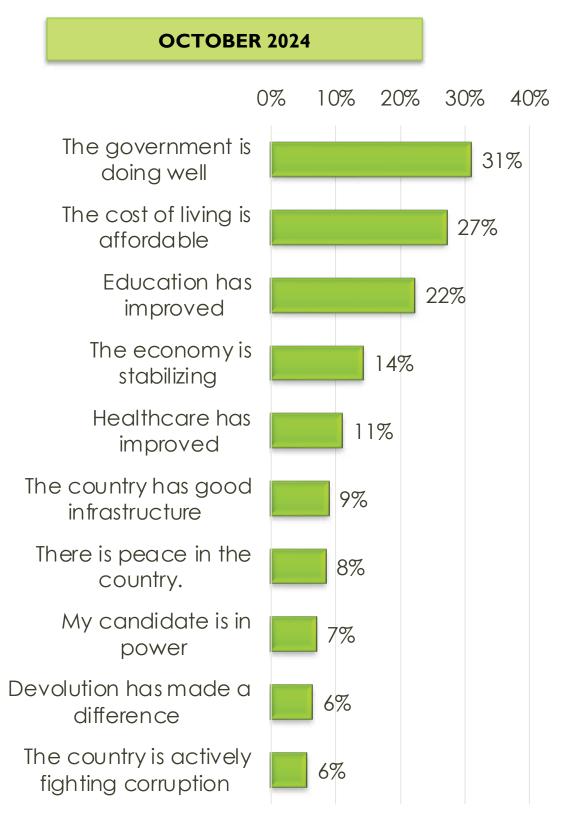
### REASONS WHY KENYANS FEEL THAT THE COUNTRY IS HEADED IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION









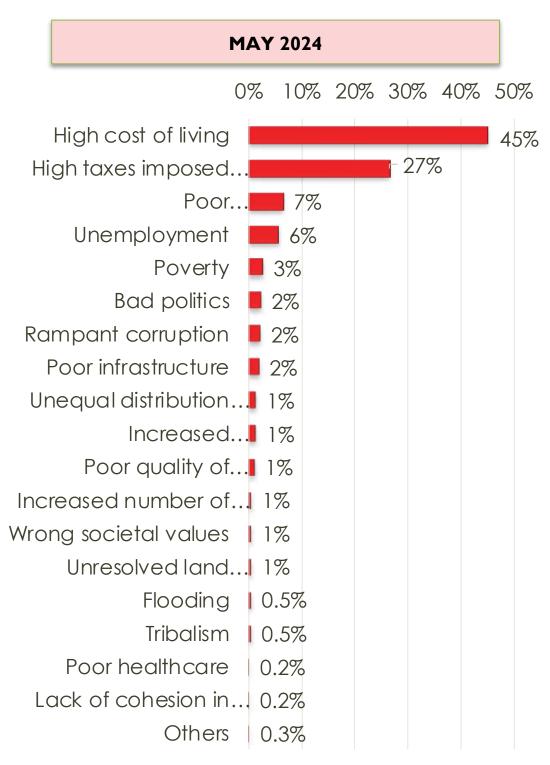


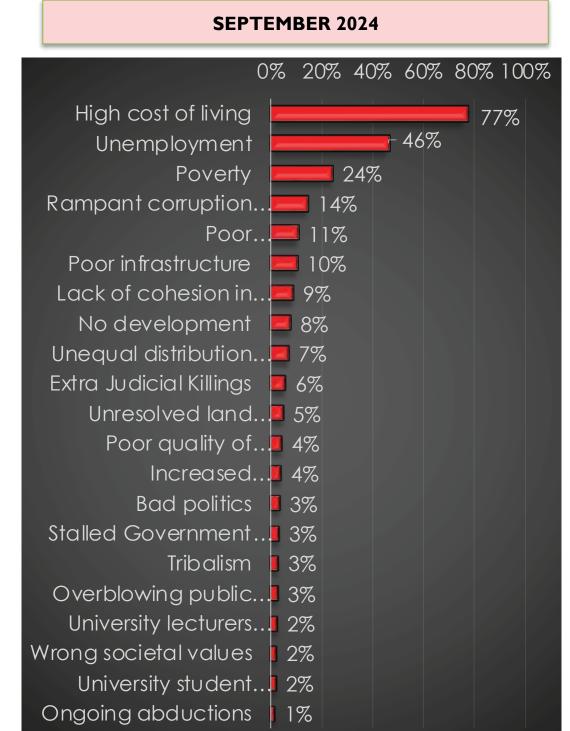
Why do you think that the country is going in right direction?

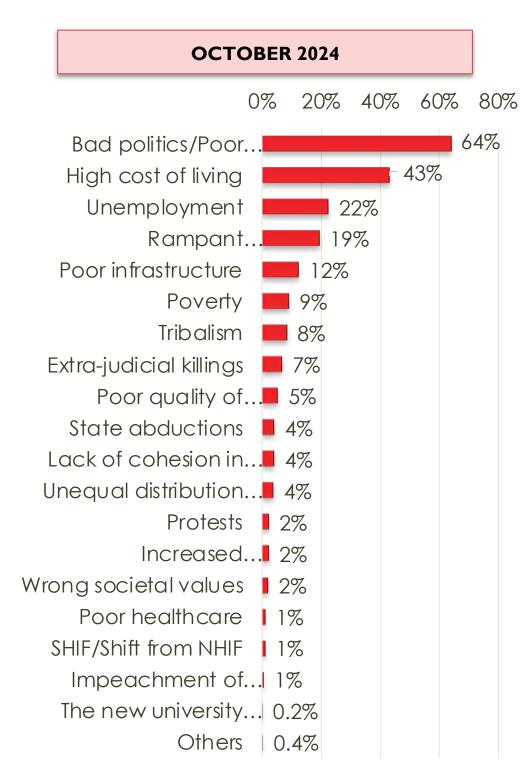
### REASONS WHY KENYANS FEEL THAT THE COUNTRY IS HEADED IN THE WRONG DIRECTION











Why do you think that the country is going in wrong direction?

# KEY ISSUES OF CONCERN FOR KENYANS



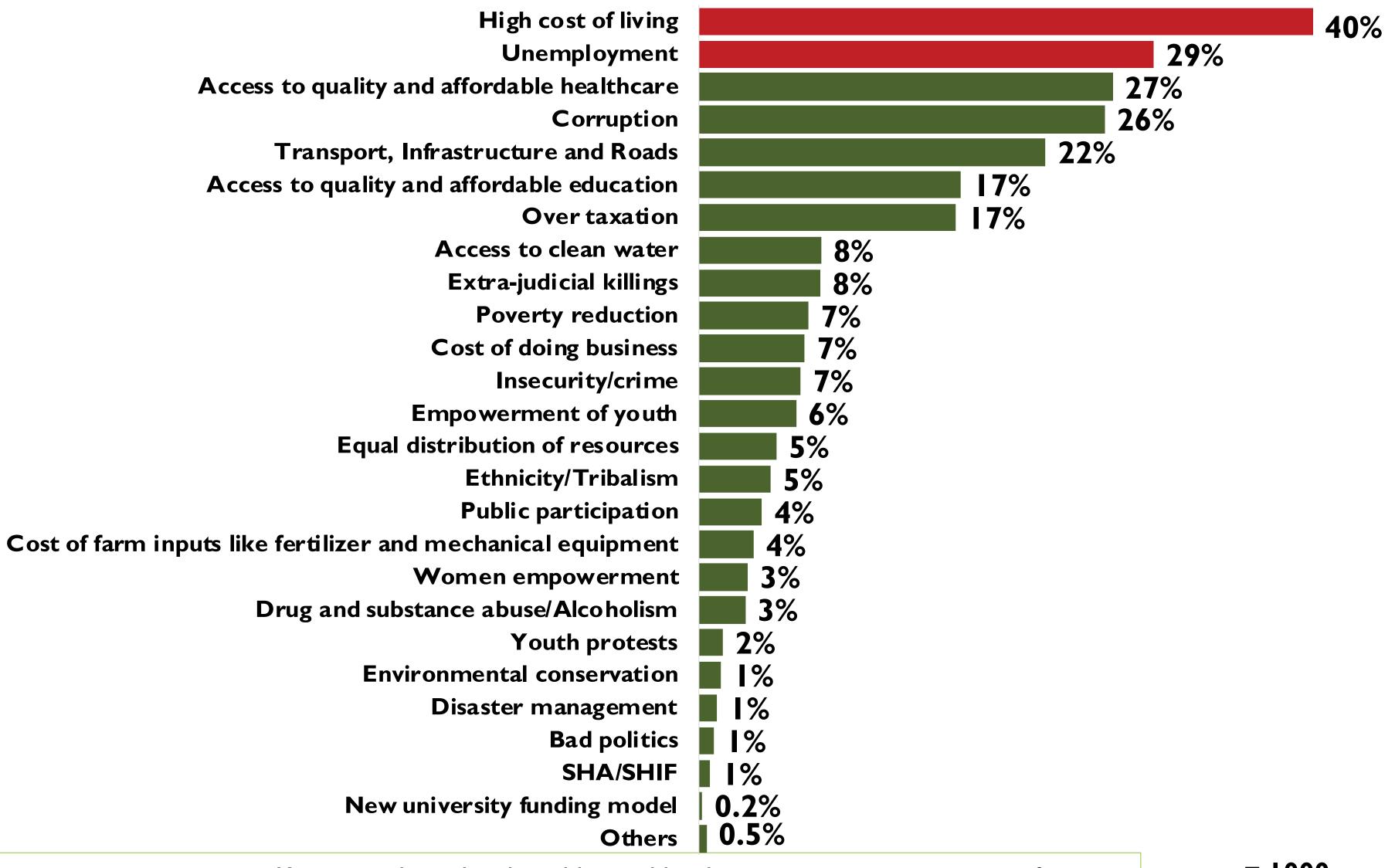


#### **KEYTAKE OUT**

#### **Key Issue of Concern:**

- The top three key concerns reported by the respondents are the **high cost of living** (40%), **unemployment** (29%), and **access to quality and affordable healthcare** (27%). Both in September and October 2024, the respondents consistently rated the high cost of living and unemployment at 40% and 29%, respectively, as the key issues of concern.
- The regions that reported the high cost of living as a key concern were North Eastern (51%), Western (50%), and Nairobi (43%). On the issue of unemployment, North Eastern took the lead and was rated at 45% by the respondents. Nyanza had the highest score at 36% for access to quality and affordable healthcare.
- Furthermore, the survey found that more females (42%) than males (37%) reported the high cost of living as a key concern, and respondents aged 46-55 years gave a high rating (47%) on the high cost of living as a key concern.





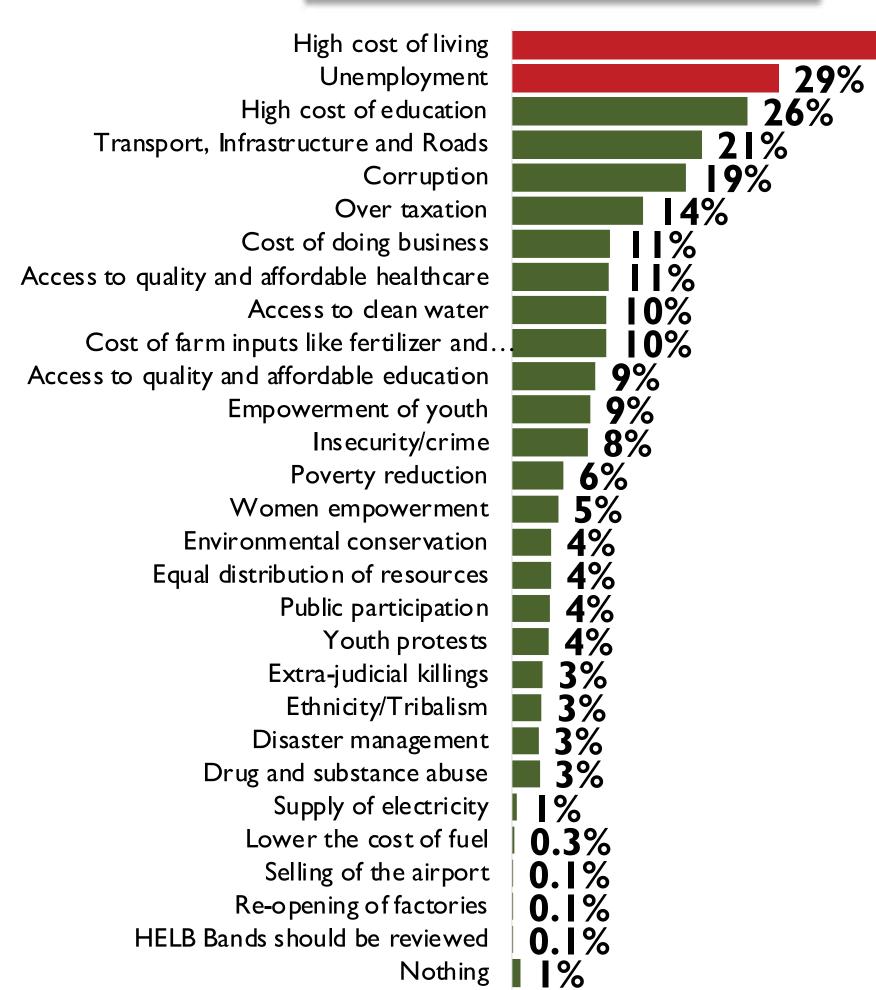
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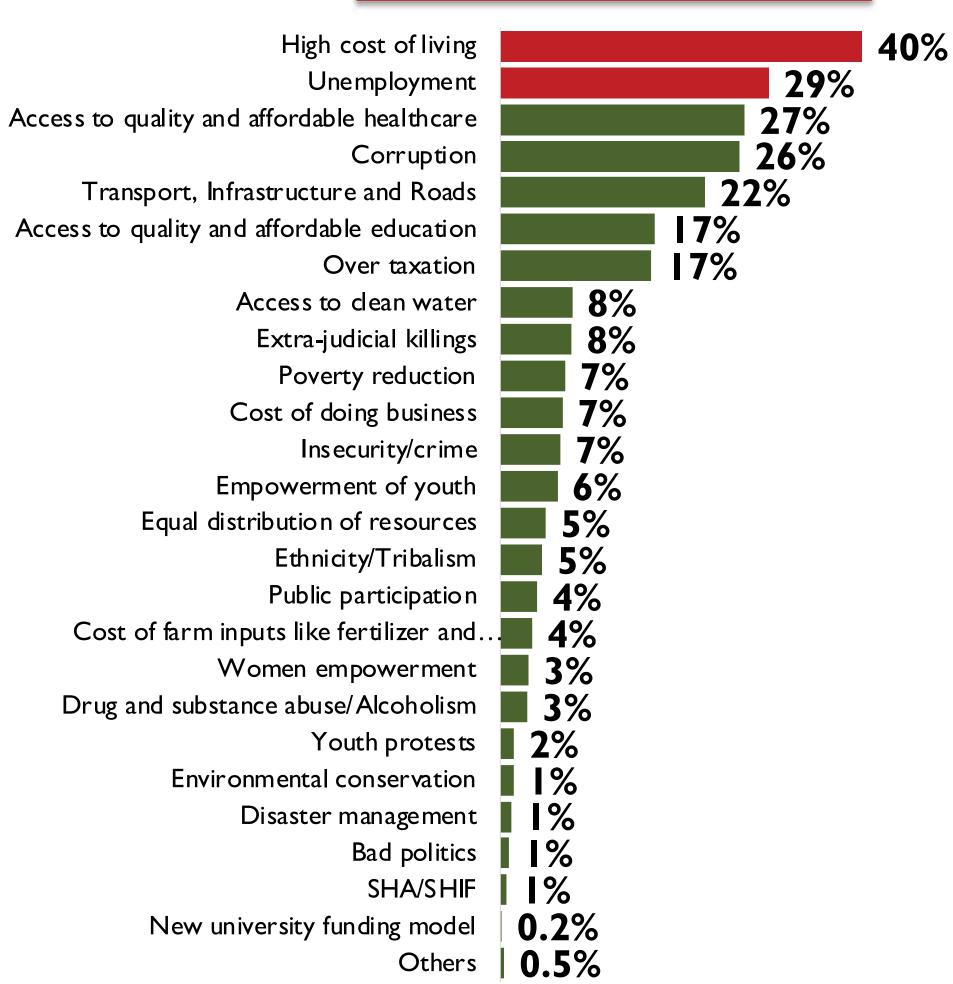




40%







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n = 1000



	Coast	North Eastern	Eastern	Central	Rift Valley	Western	Nyanza	Nairobi	Total
High cost of living	33%	51%	40%	39%	38%	50%	34%	43%	40%
Unemployment	31%	45%	33%	24%	24%	28%	33%	33%	29%
Access to quality and affordable healthcare	16%	18%	15%	30%	30%	32%	36%	30%	27%
Corruption	30%	24%	31%	25%	21%	32%	25%	26%	26%
Transport, Infrastructure and Roads	17%	18%	18%	22%	29%	19%	27%	18%	22%
Access to quality and affordable education	8%	17%	11%	21%	19%	23%	17%	17%	17%
Over taxation	21%	9%	17%	17%	14%	18%	13%	23%	17%
Access to clean water	13%	7%	9%	6%	6%	11%	9%	6%	8%
Extra-judicial killings	7%	-	9%	10%	6%	9%	6%	13%	8%
Poverty reduction	7%	14%	5%	8%	6%	7%	9%	6%	7%
Cost of doing business	9%	7%	3%	9%	6%	2%	7%	12%	7%
Insecurity/crime	9%	5%	6%	6%	8%	6%	4%	6%	7%
Empowerment of youth	8%	12%	12%	5%	2%	7%	4%	8%	6%
Equal distribution of resources	7%	-	7%	6%	4%	3%	6%	4%	5%
Ethnicity/Tribalism	4%	2%	7%	1%	6%	4%	5%	3%	5%
Public participation	2%	5%	2%	6%	5%	6%	2%	5%	4%
Cost of farm inputs like fertilizer	5%	3%	4%	4%	7%	1%	-	2%	4%
Women empowerment	5%	5%	3%	4%	3%	1%	4%	1%	3%
Drug and substance abuse	2%	5%	2%	1%	1%	3%	2%	2%	3%
Youth protests	3%	-	-	2%	3%	1%	1%	-	2%
Environmental conservation	2%	-	1%	3%	1%	2%	2%	1%	<b>l</b> %
Disaster management	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	-	2%	1%	<b>l</b> %
Bad politics	1%	-	1%	-	2%	1%	-	-	<b>l</b> %
SHA/SHIF	_	-	1%	-	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%
New university funding model	-	-	1%	1%	-	-	-	-	0.2%
Others	-	4%	1%	-	0.4%	-	-	-	0.5%



	Gei	nder		Age				
	Female	Male	18-26 Years	27-35 Years	36-45 Years	46-55 Years	Over 55 Years	Total
High cost of living	42%	37%	33%	41%	36%	47%	42%	40%
Unemployment	30%	29%	31%	33%	31%	20%	29%	29%
Access to quality and affordable healthcare	28%	26%	25%	23%	24%	36%	33%	27%
Corruption	27%	25%	23%	28%	30%	22%	24%	26%
Transport, Infrastructure and Roads	22%	23%	24%	20%	21%	28%	24%	22%
Access to quality and affordable education	18%	16%	12%	18%	12%	19%	27%	17%
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Extra-judicial killings	8%	7%	6%	6%	13%	6%	6%	8%
Poverty reduction	6%	8%	3%	6%	7%	6%	15%	<b>7</b> %
Cost of doing business	7%	6%	6%	5%	9%	6%	9%	7%
Insecurity/crime	7%	7%	12%	8%	6%	4%	2%	7%
Empowerment of youth	5%	7%	8%	7%	5%	4%	7%	6%
Equal distribution of resources	4%	6%	7%	4%	6%	5%	5%	5%
Ethnicity/Tribalism	4%	5%	4%	6%	4%	4%	4%	5%
Public participation	3%	5%	4%	6%	4%	2%	2%	4%
Cost of farm inputs like fertilizer	3%	4%	3%	4%	3%	5%	1%	4%
Women empowerment	4%	3%	4%	3%	3%	4%	2%	3%
Drug and substance abuse	2%	2%	2%	2%	3%	_	1%	3%
Youth protests	2%	1%	4%	1%	2%	1%	-	2%
Environmental conservation	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%
Disaster management	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	-	1%
Bad politics	1%	1%	-	0.3%	2%	2%	1%	1%
SHA/SHIF	1%	1%	-	1%	1%	-	2%	1%
New university funding model	0.2%	0.2%	2%	-	-	-	-	0.2%
Others	0.2%	1%	-	0.3%	1%	1%	1%	0.5%

## CURRENT AFFAIRS





#### **KEYTAKE OUT**

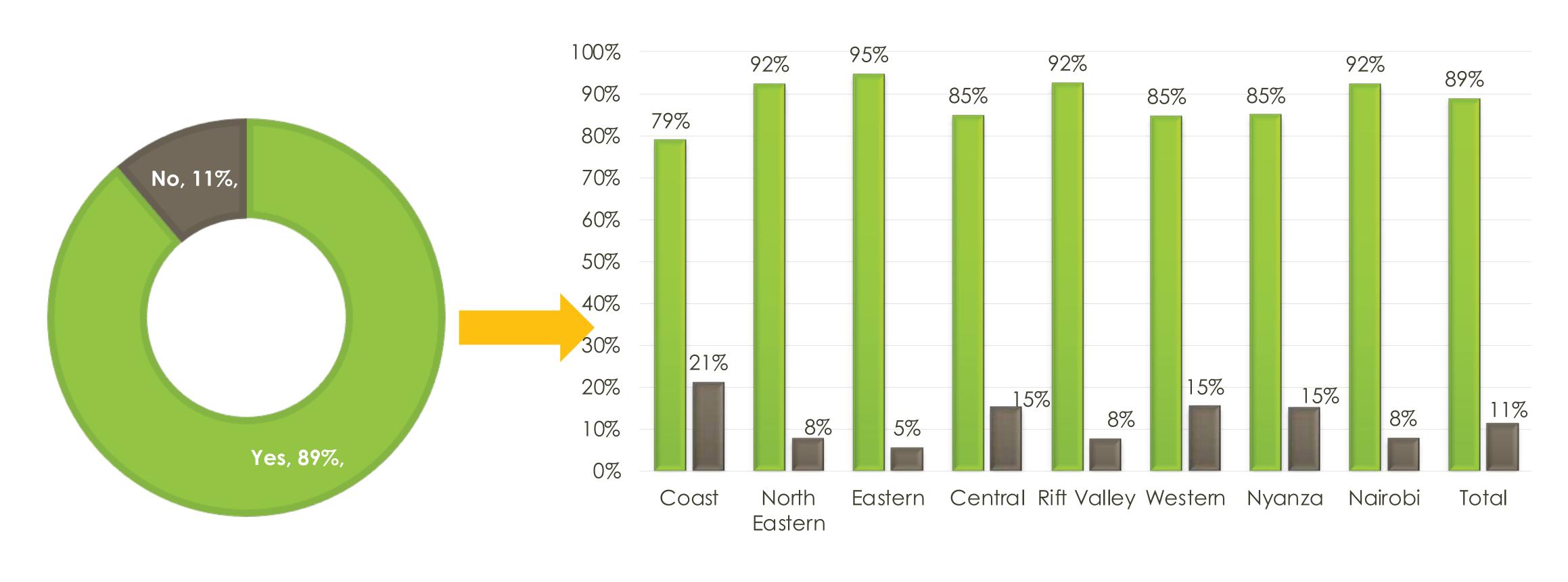
#### Impeachment of the Deputy President:

- A significant percentage, 89% of the respondents are aware of the impeachment of the Deputy President, while 11% reported being unaware. A higher percentage of males (92%) than females (86%) are aware of the impeachment. Additionally, 91% of those aged 18-26 years and 91% of those aged 27-35 years are aware of the impeachment.
- (44%) of the respondents agree that the Senate will pass the motion to impeach the Deputy President, while (30%) don't think that the Senate will pass the motion. More males (46%) than females (43%) agree that the Senate will impeach the Deputy President.
- The top three regions that agree that the Senate will pass the motion to impeach the Deputy President are Rift Valley (55%), Nairobi (52%), and Coast (47%). Most of the respondents (27-35 years) agree that the Senate will pass the motion to impeach the Deputy President.



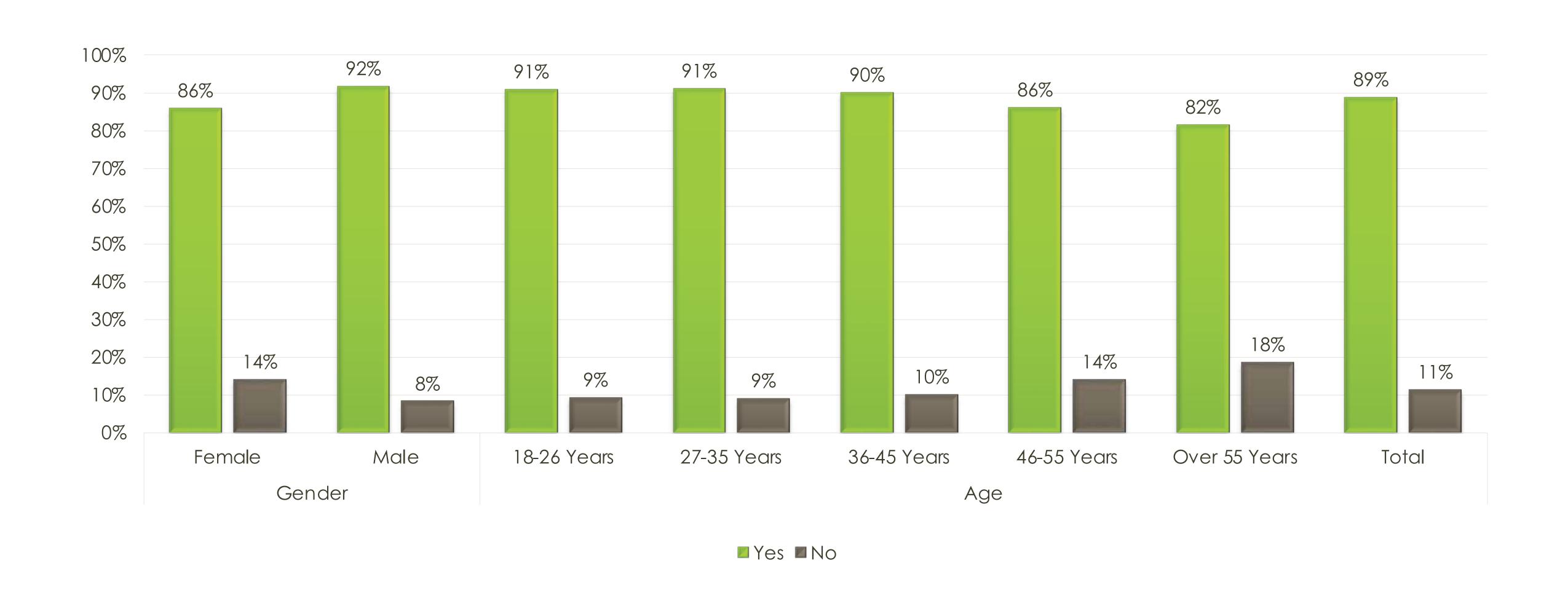
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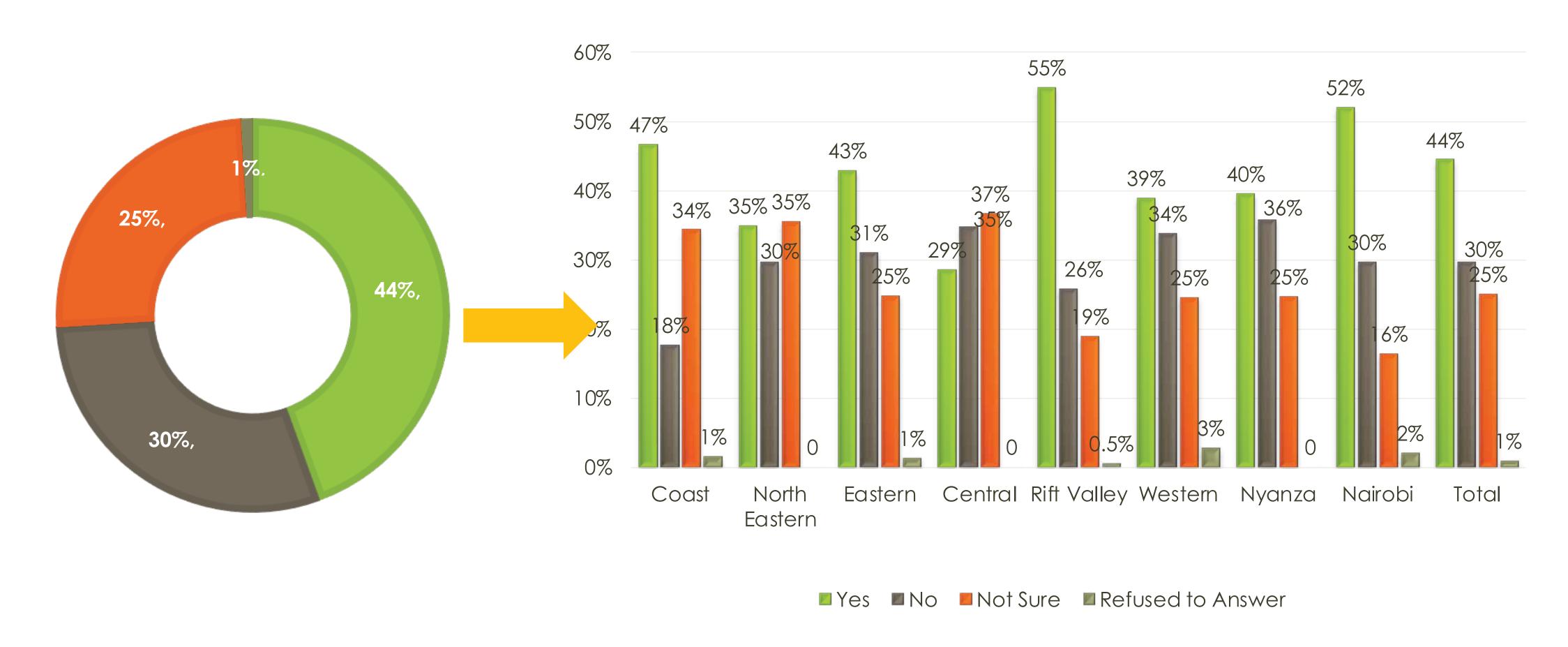
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# PERCEIVED OUTCOME OF THE IMPEACHMENT PROCESS IN THE SENATE



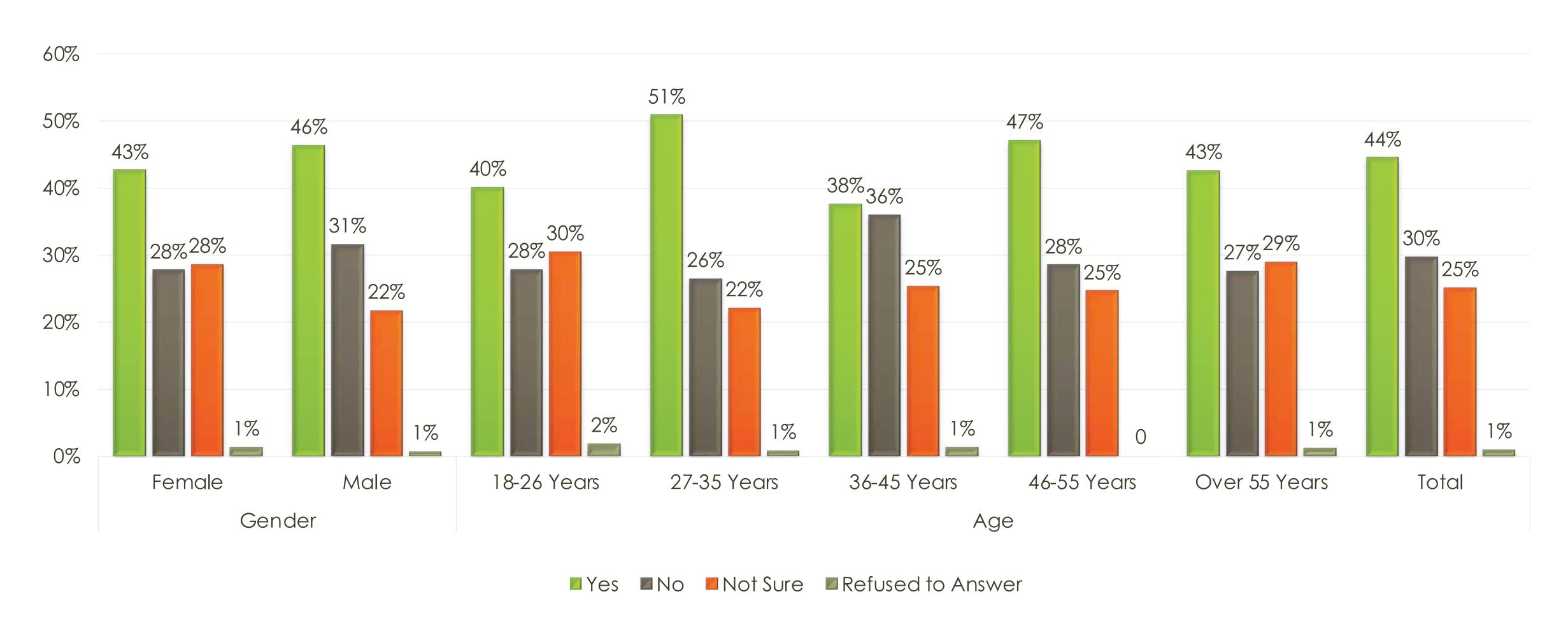


Do you think the Senate will pass the impeachment motion against Deputy President Rigathi Gachagua?

n = 893, Those aware of the DP's impeachment



# PERCEIVED OUTCOME OF THE IMPEACHMENT PROCESS IN THE SENATE



Do you think the Senate will pass the impeachment motion against Deputy President Rigathi Gachagua?

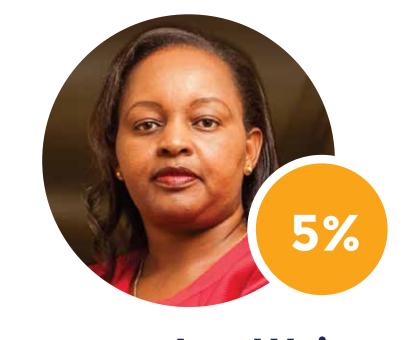
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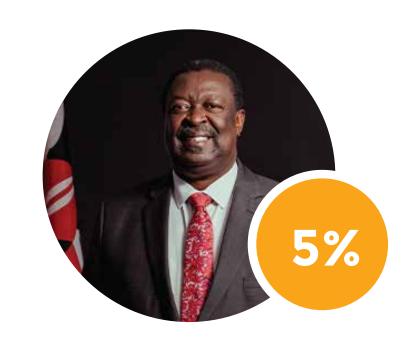
# PREFERRED PERSONS TO REPLACE DP RIGATHI GACHAGUA IF HIS IMPEACHMENT IS SUCCESSFUL



Prof. Kithure Kindiki



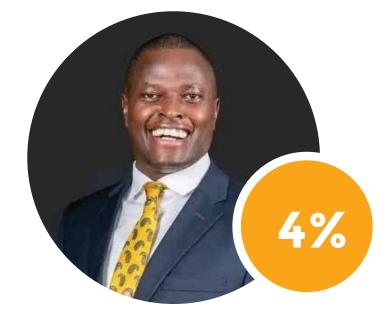
Governor Ann Waiguru



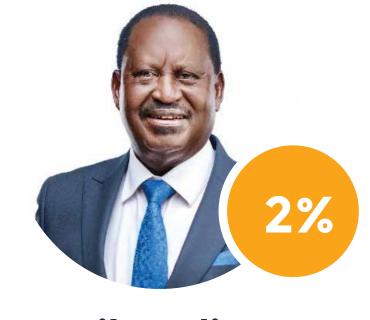
Hon. Musalia Mudavadi



**Governor Gladys Wanga** 



Hon. Ndindi Nyoro



Hon. Raila Odinga



# PREFERRED PERSONS TO REPLACE DP RIGATHI GACHAGUA IF HIS IMPEACHMENT IS SUCCESSFUL: BY REGION

	Coast	North Eastern	Eastern	Central	Rift Valley	Western	Nyanza	Nairobi	Total
Prof. Kithure Kindiki	16%	13%	25%	14%	25%	17%	15%	22%	20%
Governor Anne Waiguru	6%	5%	5%	2%	8%	4%	4%	3%	5%
Hon. Musalia Mudavadi	4%	5%	4%	4%	7%	6%	4%	2%	5%
Governor Gladys Wanga	1%	5%	5%	1%	4%	4%	12%	4%	4%
Hon. Ndindi Nyoro	5%	2%	5%	3%	5%	-	2%	4%	4%
Hon. Raila Odinga	1%	7%	1%	2%	3%	3%	5%	_	2%
I don't Know/No Idea	66%	63%	54%	75%	49%	67%	59%	65%	60%

Who do you think should replace Rigathi Gachagua as the Deputy President of Kenya should the impeachment be successful?

n = 893, Those aware of the DP's impeachment



# PREFERRED PERSONS TO REPLACE DP RIGATHI GACHAGUA IF HIS IMPEACHMENT IS SUCCESSFUL: BY GENDER AND AGE

	Gender				Age			
	Female	Male	18-26 Years	27-35 Years	36-45 Years	46-55 Years	Over 55 Years	Total
Prof. Kithure Kindiki	16%	24%	18%	20%	21%	20%	20%	20%
Governor Anne Waiguru	6%	4%	5%	5%	6%	4%	3%	5%
Hon. Musalia Mudavadi	5%	5%	2%	3%	6%	8%	5%	5%
Governor Gladys Wanga	5%	4%	6%	5%	4%	4%	4%	4%
Hon. Ndindi Nyoro	3%	4%	6%	3%	3%	6%	3%	4%
Hon. Raila Odinga	2%	3%	3%	2%	3%	1%	1%	2%
I don't Know/No Idea	64%	56%	60%	62%	57%	58%	65%	60%

Who do you think should replace Rigathi Gachagua as the Deputy President of Kenya should the impeachment be successful?

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#### **KEYTAKE OUT**

#### Preferred Person to Replace Rigathi Gachagua:

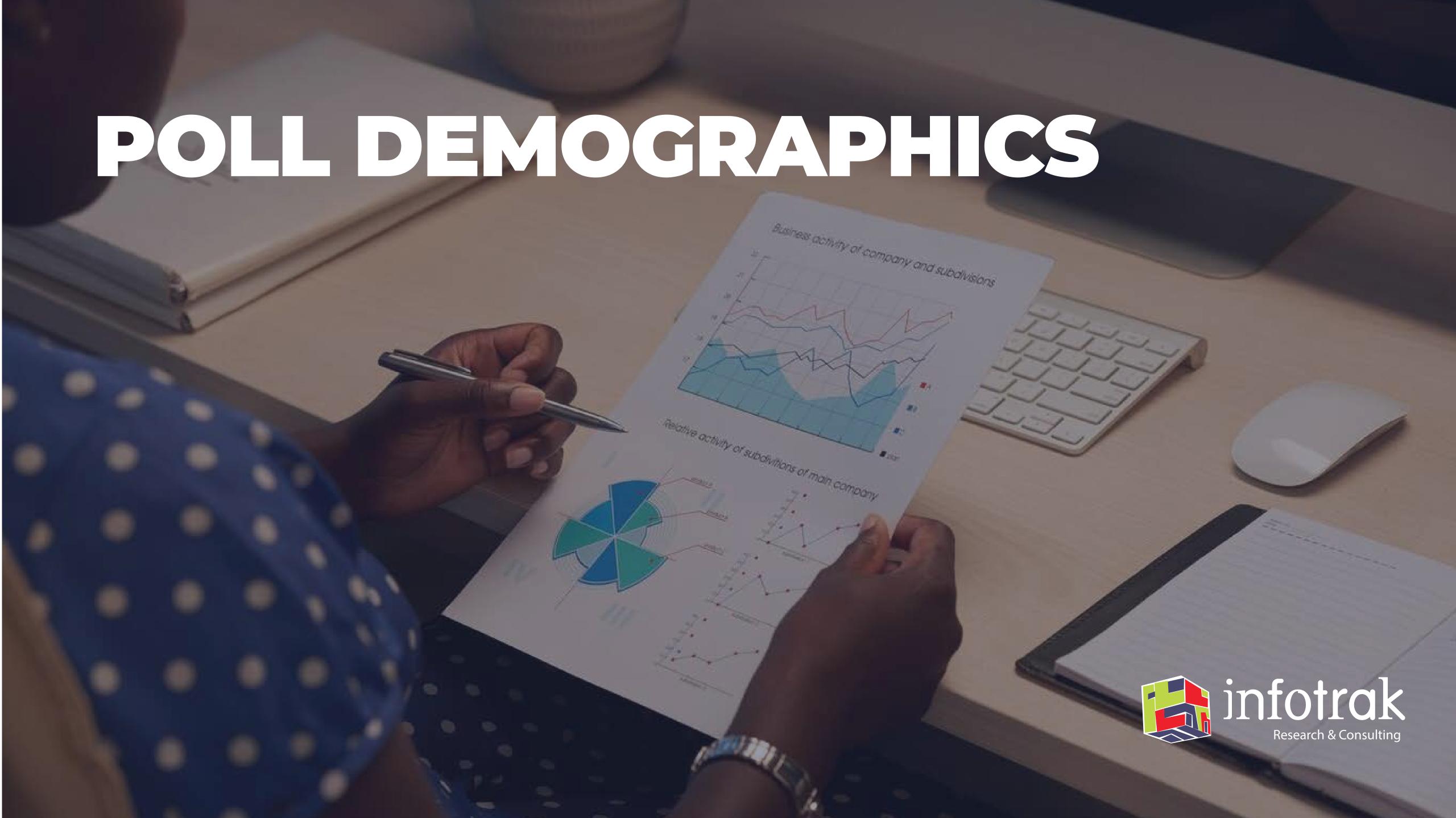
- 20% of respondents indicated a preference for Prof. Kithure Kindiki as the replacement for DP. Rigathi Gachagua as Deputy President, while only 5% preferred Governor Anne Waiguru. Other preferences included PCS. Hon. Musalia Mudavadi (5%), Governor Gladys Wanga (4%), and Hon. Ndindi Nyoro (4%). Across the region, Prof. Kithure Kindiki was mentioned as the most suitable replacement, with the top three regions being Rift Valley (25%), Eastern (25%), and Nairobi (22%).
- 24% of males preferred Prof. Kithure Kindiki as the replacement for Deputy President Rigathi Gachagua, while only 16% of females reported a preference for Prof. Kithure Kindiki. Additionally, 21% of those aged 36-45 years noted their preference for Prof. Kithure Kindiki as the replacement, making this age group the most supportive. Furthermore, 60% of the respondents reported that they neither knew nor had an idea of who should be the replacement.
- The top reasons cited for the preference for Prof. Kithure Kindiki included experience and track record (32%) and competence (29%). However, in terms of experience and track record, Hon. Ndindi Nyoro received the highest rating at 43%.



#### REASONS FOR THE PREFERRED PERSONS

	Prof. Kithure Kindiki	Governor Anne Waiguru	Hon. Musalia Mudavadi	Governor Gladys Wanga	Hon. Ndindi Nyoro	Hon. Raila Odinga
Experience and track record	32%	18%	25%	33%	43%	31%
Competence	29%	18%	17%	24%	20%	15%
Development Conscious person	18%	15%	20%	33%	24%	29%
Integrity/Not Corrupt	21%	9%	15%	16%	26%	22%
Respectful	16%	27%	24%	8%	6%	6%
Promotes unity	17%	9%	15%	11%	18%	9%
Not tribal	12%	10%	15%	8%	_	5%
Enhance Gender Representation	1%	22%	4%	25%	6%	15%
He/she is the most popular	6%	10%	14%	5%	-	15%
Education	8%	10%	_	11%	7%	_
The candidate come from my community/Tribe	5%	12%	3%	-	6%	_
Political Party	4%	9%	5%	-	-	-
Age	2%	_	5%	2%	3%	10%
Religion	2%	2%	2%	-	_	5%

Why should \*\*\* replace Rigathi Gachagua as the next Deputy President of Kenya?.



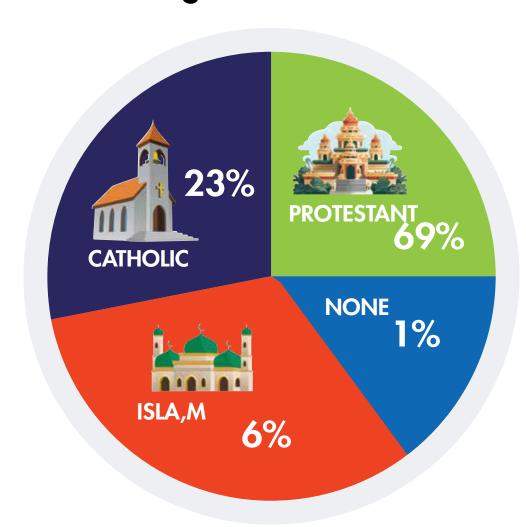
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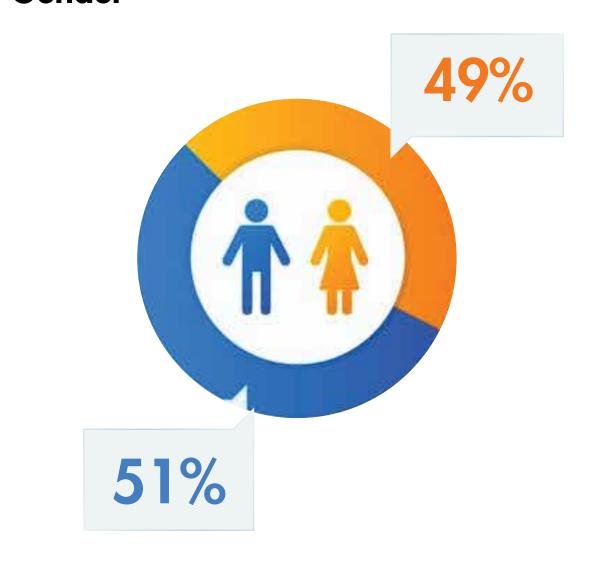
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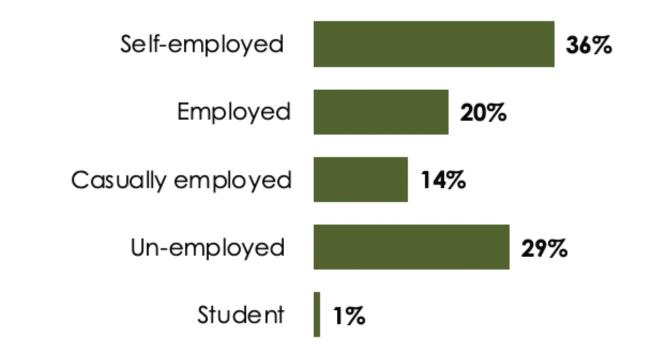
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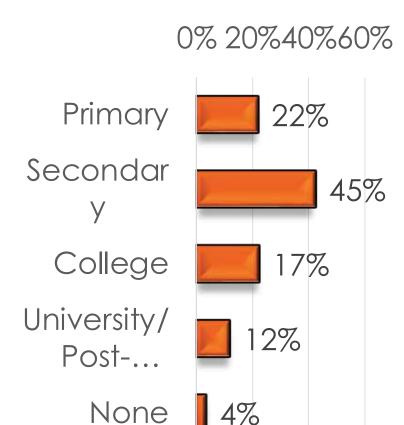
#### Gender



#### **Employment**



#### **Level Of Education**



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