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The Vihiga 2027 Poll.

A field-verified projection of every ballot line on the county's card — governor, senator, woman rep & five parliamentary seats — measured across 1,200 respondents.

1,200

RESPONDENTS

5.

CONSTITUENCIES

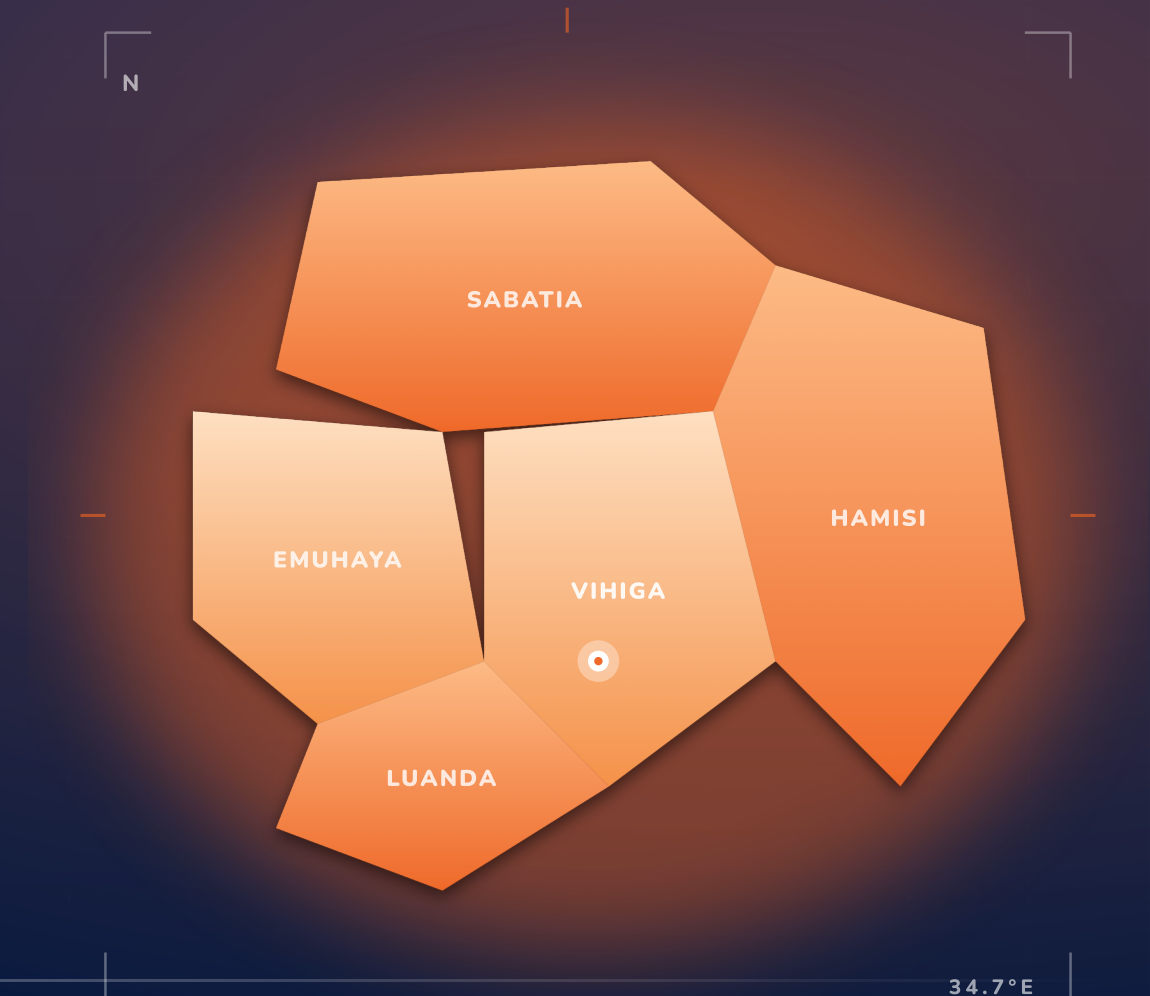
8x

BALLOT LINES

±0.98%

MARGIN OF ERROR

FIELDWORK · 2 – 12 JULY 2026 · METHOD · ONE-ON-ONE INTERVIEWS



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200+

FIELD ENUMERATORS

47

COUNTIES COVERED

In-Person

VERIFIED METHOD

SECTION 01 • APPROACH

Methodology & Context

A single-county poll measuring the standing of every ballot line on Vihiga's 2027 card — governor, senator, woman rep and all five parliamentary seats — tested against declared aspirants using face-to-face interviews across all five constituencies.

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COUNTY

8x

BALLOT LINES

1,200

RESPONDENTS

FIELD DATES • 2 — 12 JULY 2026 • SPONSOR • TIMELY KENYA LTD



SECTION 02 • COLLECTION

Data Collection Method.

One-on-one interviews conducted by trained enumerators across Vihiga's five constituencies, quota-sampled against KNBS population estimates.



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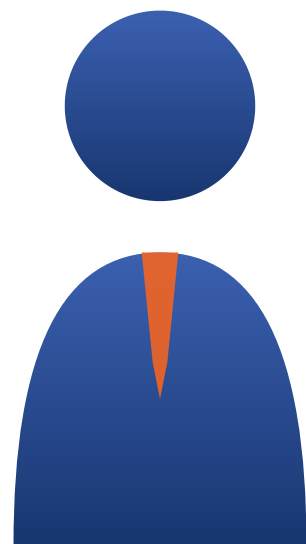
Respondents

 Survey Dates: 2 – 12 July 2026



Gender Split

A near-even split with a 10-point female skew — the Woman Rep ballot line drove a deliberate oversample of women voters.



45%

MALE

External check on incumbents' delivery performance.



55%

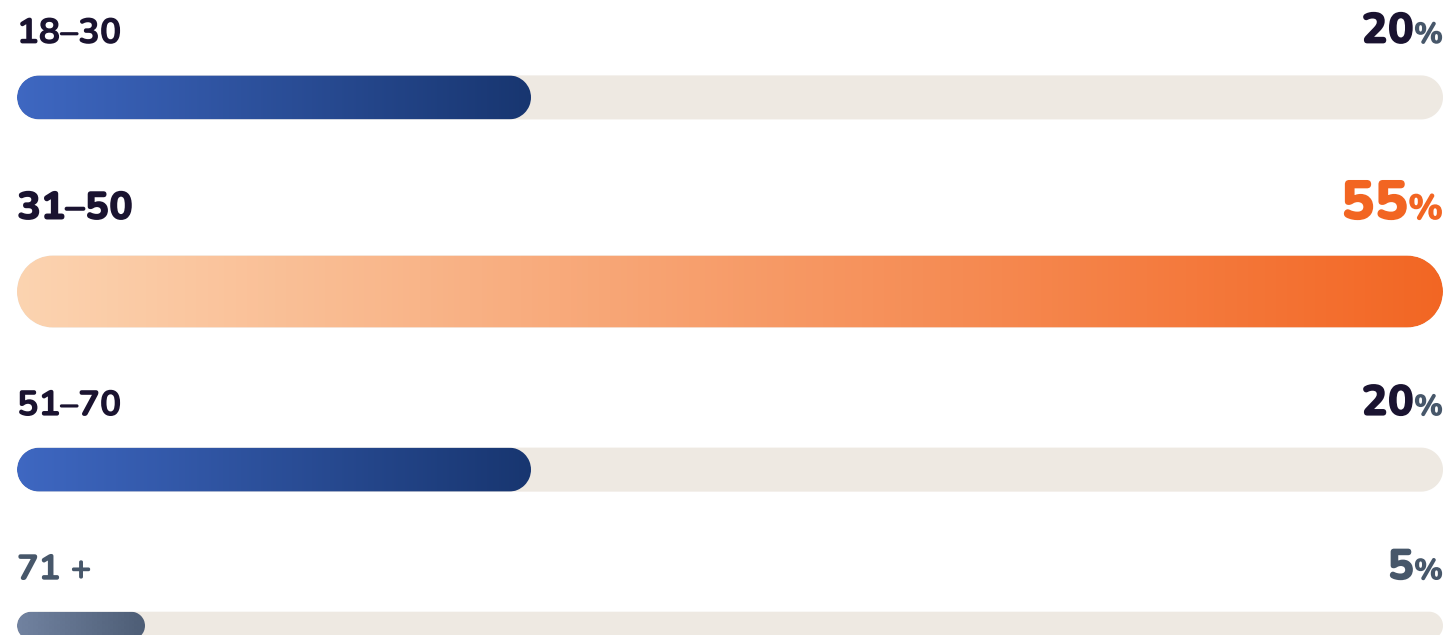
FEMALE

Primary constituency for the Woman Rep ballot line.



Age Distribution

A **working-age majority** anchors the sample — the 31–50 cohort is the group most likely to hold ID, vote, and pay county levies.



THE DOMINANT COHORT

55%

at ages 31–50

The most electorally active cohort — driving turnout, county levies and ballot outcomes.



Settlement Distribution

Vihiga's voter base is decisively rural — farming and peri-urban wards outnumber town-and-market voters more than two-to-one.

RURAL & PERI-RURAL WARDS

70%

Where NGCDF delivery, road maintenance and health outreach dominate performance conversations — the county's real electoral centre of gravity.

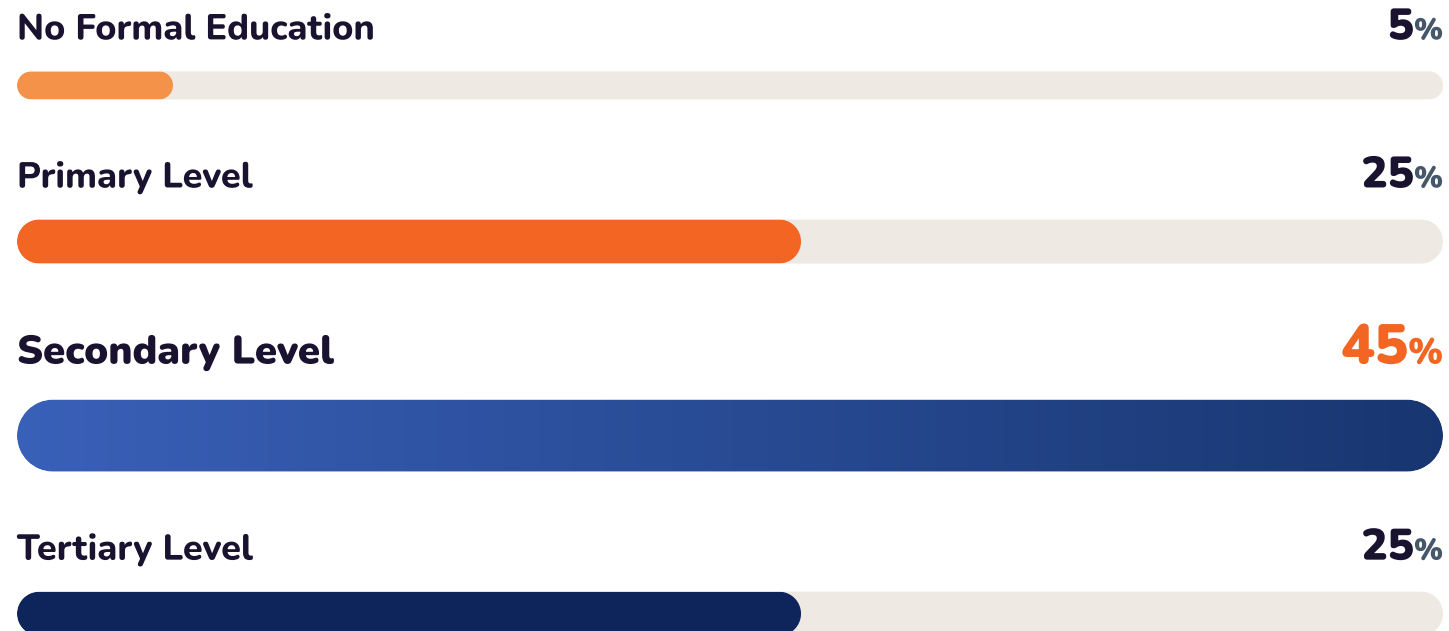
MARKETS & TOWNS

30%

Mbale, Luanda, Chavakali and other trading hubs where county visibility is highest.

Education Level

A broadly literate sample. The **secondary-educated plurality** is the largest cohort — driving how radio and social-media political content lands across Vihiga.

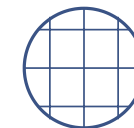


THE LITERATE PLURALITY

45%

Secondary-educated

Consumers of both radio and social-media political content — softening incumbency advantage.



VIHIGA · 2027 POLL

Vihiga

A dense, five-constituency county in Kenya's Western region — hotly contested at every ballot line. Governor Osotsi opens a commanding 13.5-point lead; the parliamentary map splits along constituency-level personalities.

1,200

RESPONDENTS

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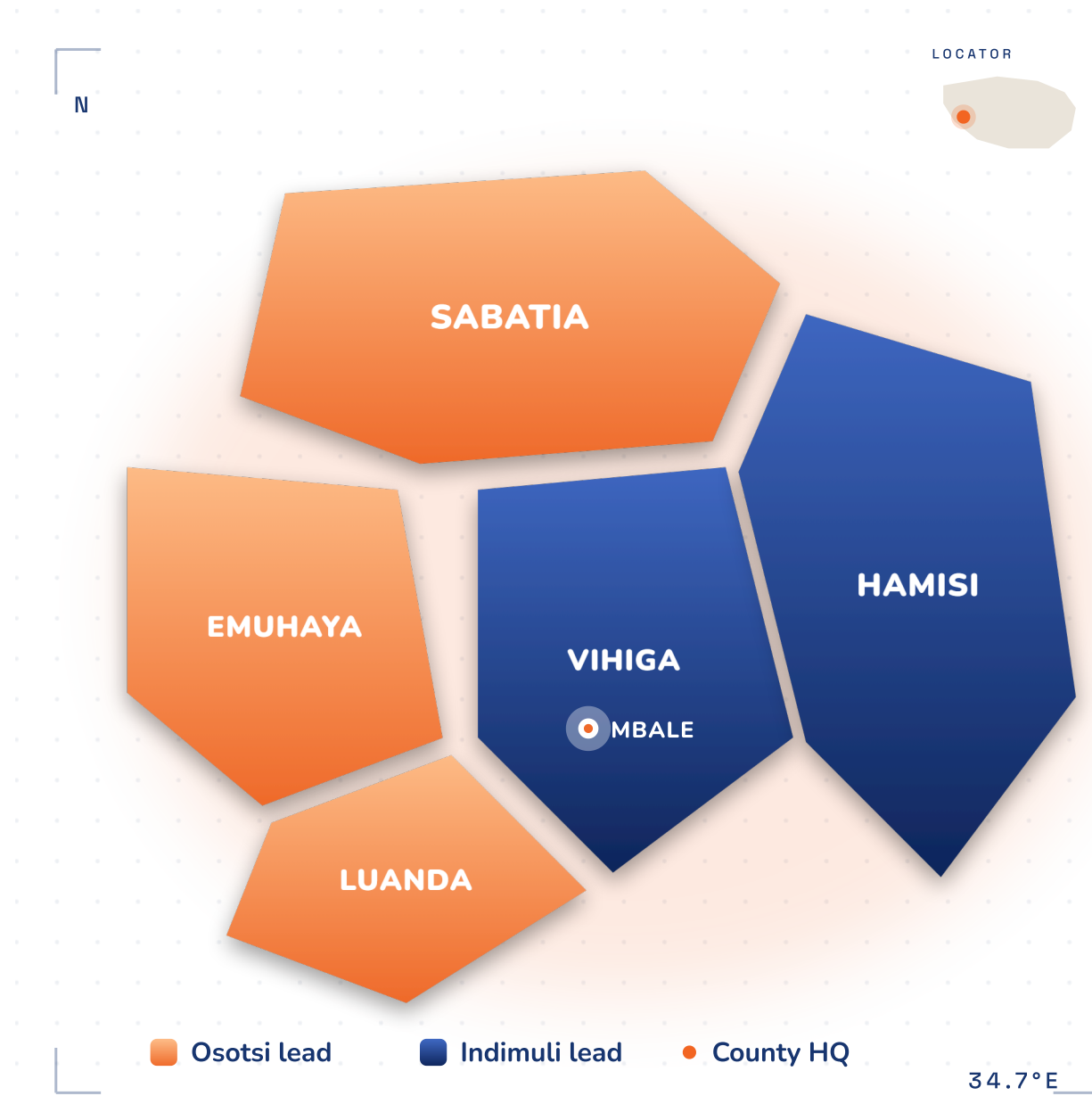
CONSTITUENCIES

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MARGIN

8

BALLOT LINES TESTED



Vihiga • Gubernatorial

The constituency picture — how the five sub-counties split the four-way race

1,200 Samples

PROSPECTS • RESULTS

COUNTY-WIDE STANDING • 1,200 RESPONDENTS

Lead margin • 13.5 pts

OSOTSI 40%

INDIMULI 26.5%

MILEMBA 15%

ADG 6%

UND/OTHER 12.5%

PER-CONSTITUENCY RANKING • 5 CONSTITUENCIES

Osotsi Indimuli Milemba Adagala

WINNER INDIMULI

Hamisi

- 1 Indimuli
- 2 Osotsi
- 3 Milemba

WINNER OSOTSI

Luanda

- 1 Osotsi
- 2 Milemba
- 3 Indimuli

WINNER OSOTSI

Emuhaya

- 1 Osotsi
- 2 Milemba
- 3 Indimuli

WINNER INDIMULI

Vihiga

- 1 Indimuli
- 2 Osotsi
- 3 Adagala

WINNER OSOTSI

Sabatia

- 1 Osotsi
- 2 Indimuli
- 3 Milemba

Vihiga • Gubernatorial

Osotsi opens a 13.5-point county-wide lead; four-way field with 12.5% still up for grabs

1,200 Samples

PROSPECTS • RESULTS



Godfrey Osotsi

Sabatia • Luanda • Emuhaya

40.0%



Kahi Indimuli

Hamisi • Vihiga

26.5%



Omboko Milemba

Strong 2nd • Luanda & Emuhaya

15.0%



Beatrice Adagala

Best in Vihiga constituency

6.0%

COUNTY-WIDE STANDING

UNDECIDED • 8.5% • OTHERS 4%

OSOTSI 40%

INDIMULI 26.5%

MILEMBA 15%

ADG 6%

UND/OTHER 12.5%

Vihiga • Senatorial

Widest undecided pool in the county — 46% of voters still to make up their minds

1,200 Samples



Moses Akaranga

Frontrunner

17.0%



Khalid Njiraini

"Chapa Ilale"

12.0%



Babira Ndenda

Aspirant

10.0%



Yusuf Chanzu

Veteran MP

8.0%

COUNTY-WIDE STANDING

UNDECIDED • 46% • OTHERS 7%

AKARANGA 17%

NJIRAINI 12%

NDENDA 10%

CHANZU 8%

UNDECIDED / OTHER 53%

Vihiga • Woman Rep

Majani opens a modest lead; the incumbent field is compressed inside 4 points

1,200 Samples



Winnie Majani

31.9%



Beatrice Adagala

28.0%



Mary Amalemba

16.6%

COUNTY-WIDE STANDING

UNDECIDED • 15.5% • OTHERS 8%

MAJANI 31.9%

ADAGALA 28%

AMALEMBA 16.6%

UND/OTHER 23.5%

Emuhaya • Parliamentary

Dr Okwoku edges Anonda by 9 pts; over a third of voters still undecided

Constituency Race



Dr Zablun Okwoku

Leading challenger

28.8%



Paul Anonda Tirra

Runner-up

19.4%

EMUHAYA CONSTITUENCY

UNDECIDED • **36.8%** • OTHERS **15%**

OKWOKU 28.8%

ANONDA 19.4%

UNDECIDED / OTHERS 51.8%

Luanda • Parliamentary

Maungu holds a commanding 14-point lead over Omulele

Constituency Race



Dick Maungu

Incumbent

44.0%



Christopher Omulele

Former MP

29.8%

LUANDA CONSTITUENCY

UNDECIDED • 19.1% • OTHERS 7.1%

MAUNGU 44%

OMULELE 29.8%

UNDECIDED / OTHERS 26.2%

Vihiga • Parliamentary

Tightest race on the ballot — top three inside 5 points, one-in-five undecided

Constituency Race



Dorcas Kadego

24.0%



Hilary Adolwo

21.1%



Ernest Kagesi

19.5%

VIHIGA CONSTITUENCY

UNDECIDED • 19.7% • OTHERS 15.7%

KADEGO 24%

ADOLWO 21.1%

KAGESI 19.5%

UND/OTHERS 35.4%

Sabatia • Parliamentary

Sloya leads Mbindi by an 8-point margin; Odanga a distant third

Constituency Race



Clement Sloya

37.9%



Sisco Mbindi

30.0%



George Odanga

16.1%

SABATIA CONSTITUENCY

UNDECIDED • 10% • OTHERS 6%

SLOYA 37.9%

MBINDI 30%

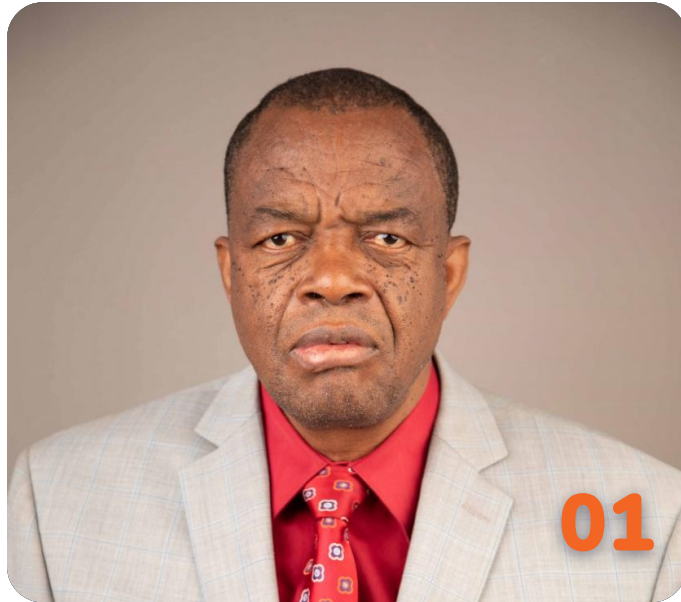
ODANGA 16.1%

UND/OTHERS 16%

Hamisi • Parliamentary

Widest lead in the county — Gimose commands nearly half the constituency vote

Constituency Race



Charles Gimose

48.8%



Collins Ayangu

17.0%



Rodgers Bwosi

9.0%

HAMISI CONSTITUENCY

UNDECIDED • 16.3% • OTHERS 8.9%

GIMOSE 48.8%

AYANGU 17%

BWOSI 9%

UND/OTHERS 25.2%



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