



**PRESS RELEASE**  
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**Attention: All Media Houses**

**PRELIMINARY STATISTICS FOR GENERAL REGISTRATION OF VOTERS: 03 JUNE – 20 JULY 2024**

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The Commission wishes to update its stakeholders and members of the public that since the commencement of the General Registration of Voters (*GRV*) on 03 June – 20 July 2024, a cumulative total number of **1,153,916** eligible Namibians registered as voters inside the country and at all Namibian Diplomatic Missions abroad representing **71%** of the eligible voters. The total number of voters registered during **15 - 20 July 2024** stands at **164,535** voters representing an average of **27,404** registered voters per day, which is a slight decline compared to the turnout of the previous week (8-13 July 2024).

The cumulative number of registered voters per region is depicted in a Graph Bar attached as **Figure 1**. In addition, the Graph Charts attached as **Figure 2 and 3**, read with **Figure 1**, depict an overview of the turnout of registered voters per constituency in all 14 regions for the period of **03 June – 20 July 2024**.

While acknowledging the improvement in the cumulative turnout to date both at regional and constituency level, the Commission remains optimistic that more Namibians will turn out to register within the remaining **10 days** before the end of the *GRV* period on the **01 August 2024**.

Equally, it is also worth acknowledging the 8 out of 14 regions that achieved 70% and above by the *20 July 2024* while remaining optimistic that the remaining 6 regions will continue to improve on voter turnout during the remaining days of voters' registration. The following are the regions with the highest voter turnout:

1. Ohangwena Region **80%**, Omusati Region **(80%)** and Oshana Region **(80%)**
2. Kunene Region **(75%)**
3. Erongo Region **(72%)**
4. Oshikoto Region **(71%)**
5. //Karas Region **(70%)** and Kavango West Region **(70%)**

As we about to conclude the *GRV*, Namibians are further reminded that there is no window opportunity for extending the period of registration of voters due to statutory limitations within which the Commission is required to finalise remaining key electoral activities in preparation for polling process. These include, *amongst others*, finalisation and production of the provisional voters register for display, inspection & objection; ruling by the Electoral Tribunal & Electoral Court; nomination of candidates, design and printing of ballot papers, and these are executed in accordance with the provisions of the law.

The *GRV* continues across the country and at all Namibian Diplomatic Missions abroad until 01 August 2024, Monday to Saturday from 08:00 to 19:00. **The Commission is thus urging the eligible voters to register in constituencies where they live.**

**“STEP UP, REGISTER TO VOTE”**

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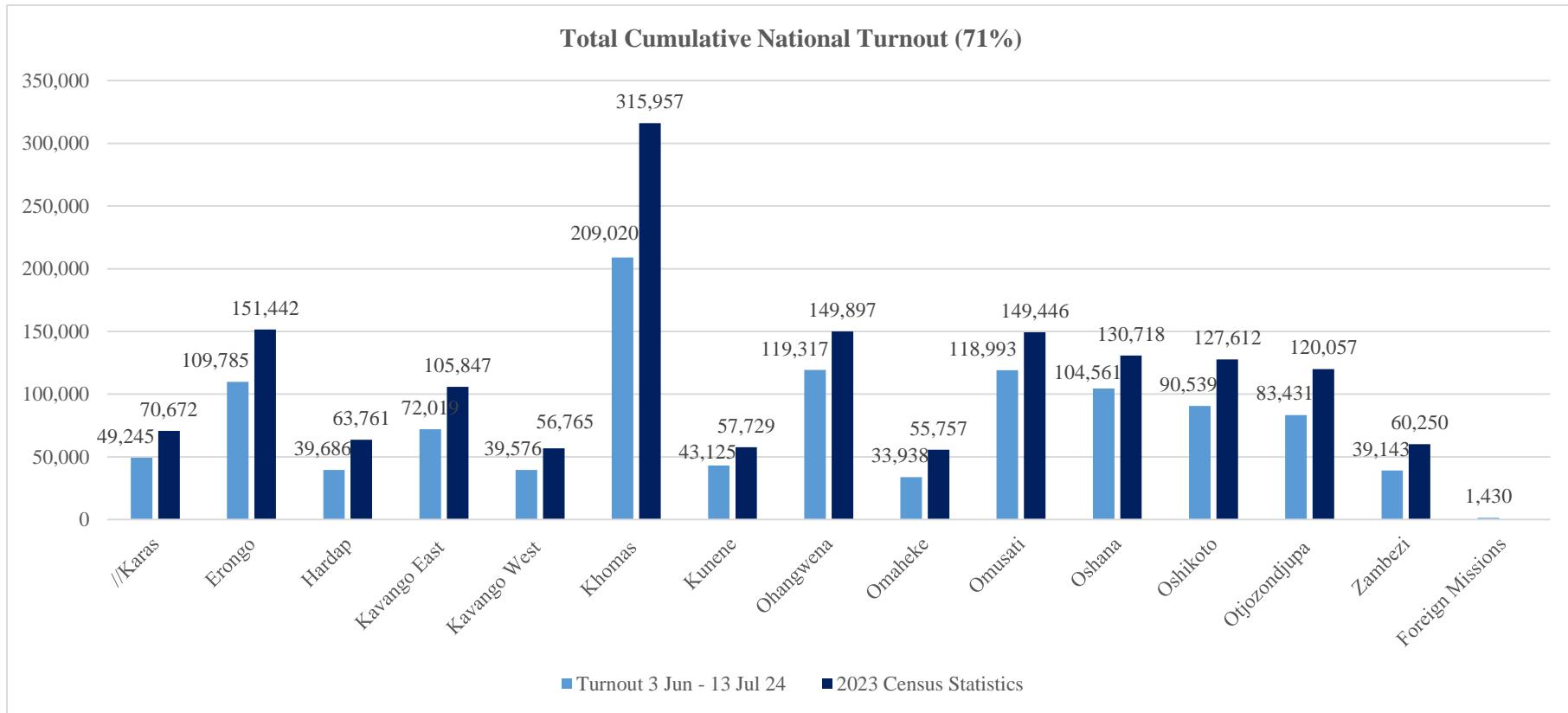
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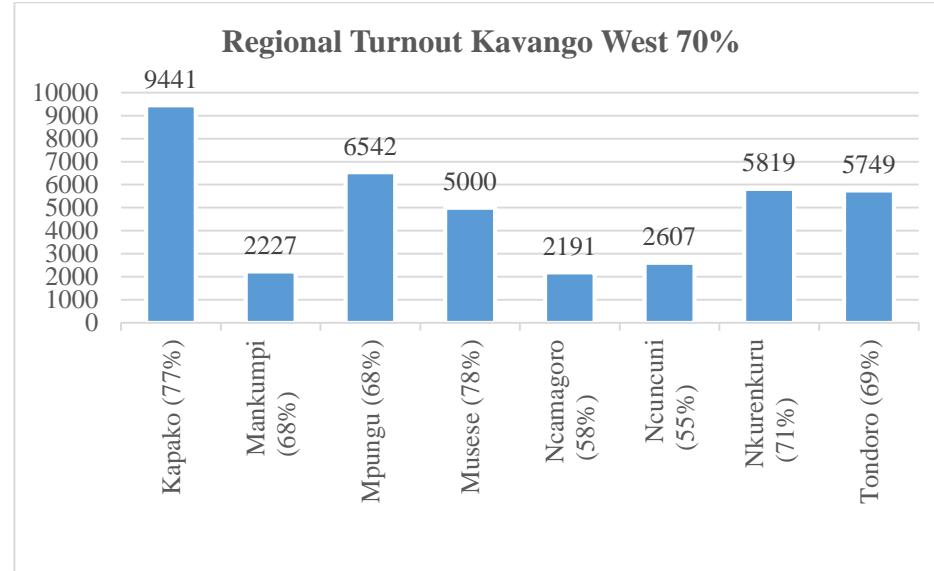
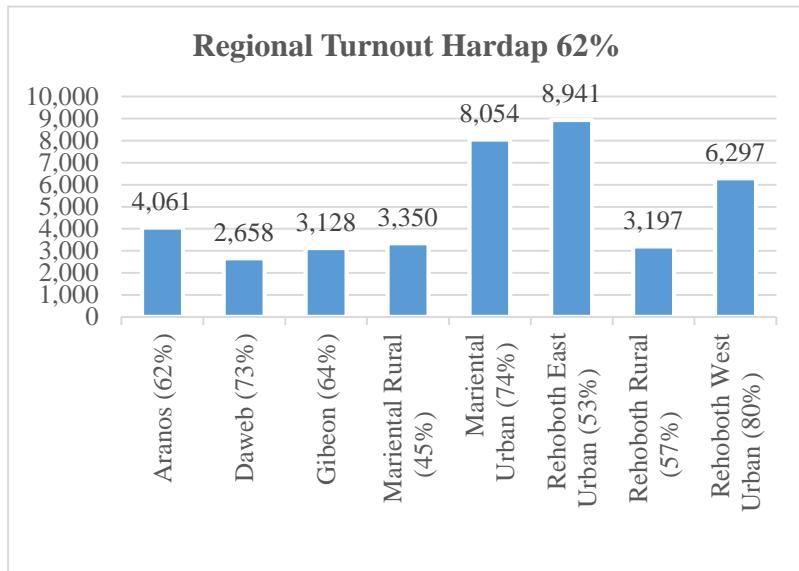
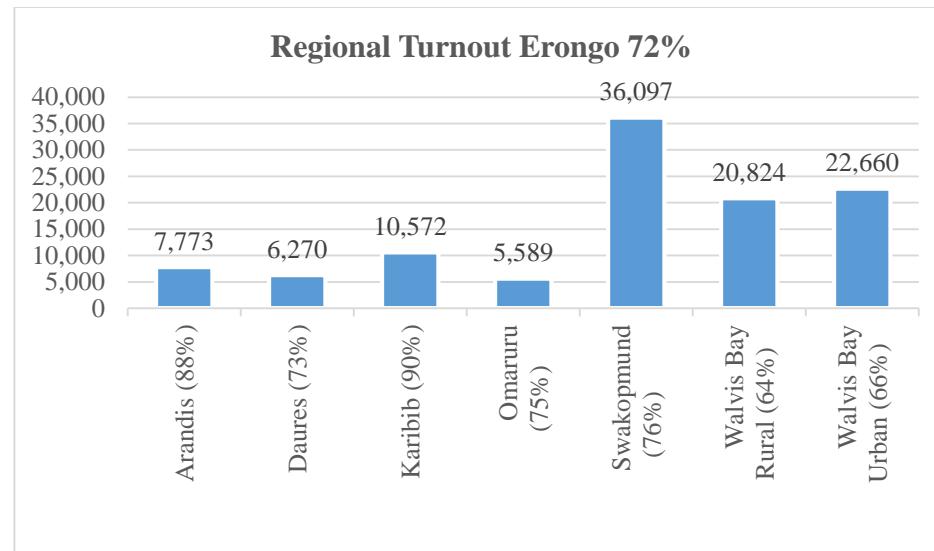
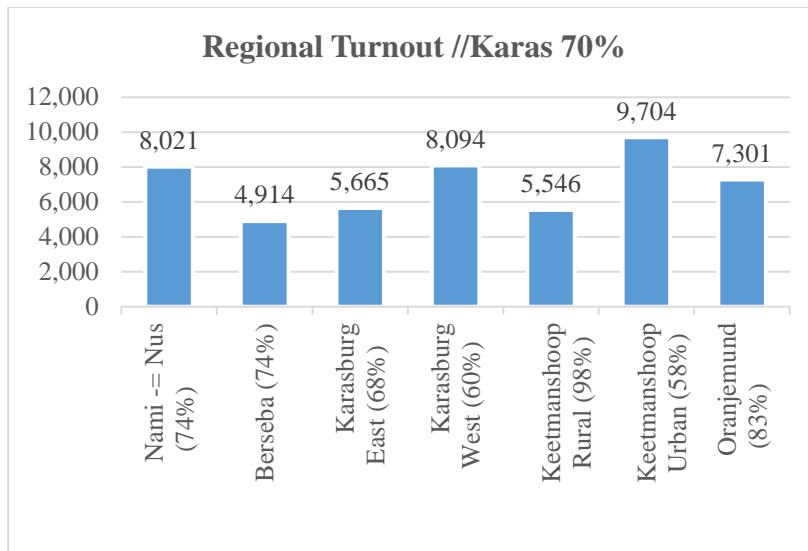
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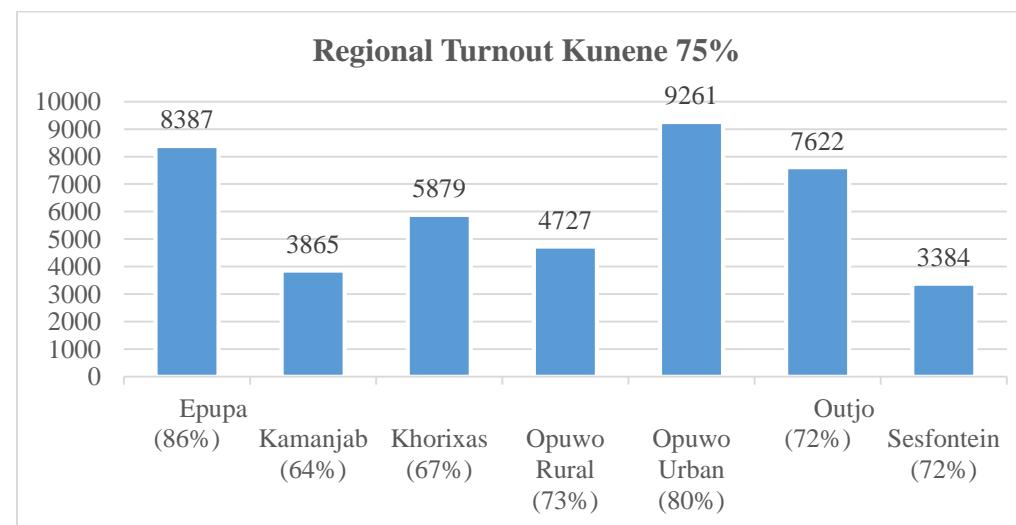
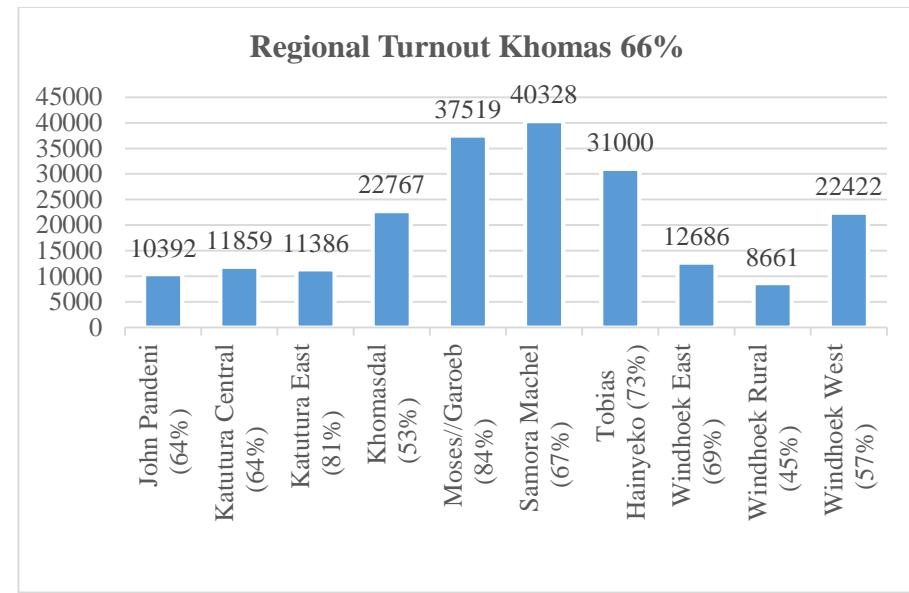
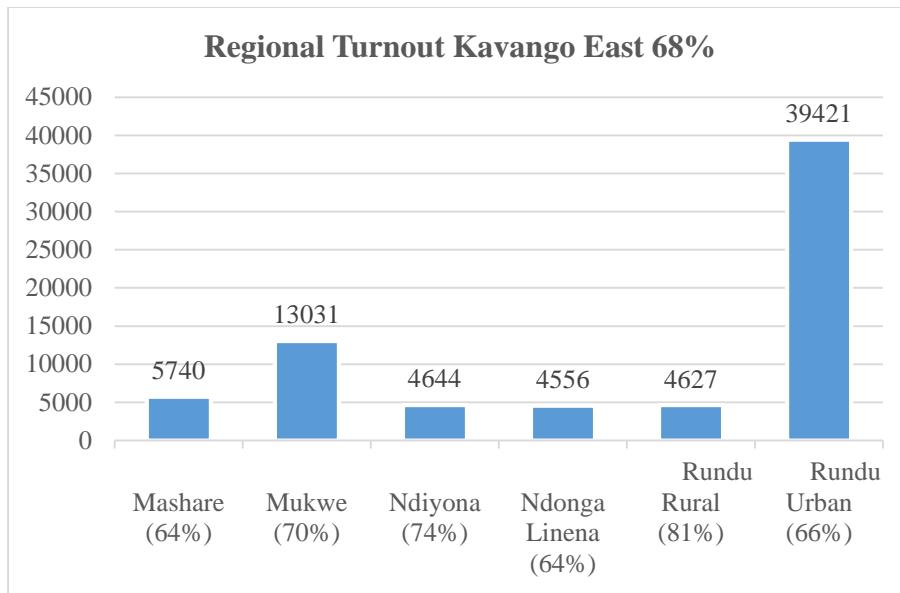
**FIGURE 1: CUMULATIVE NUMBER OF REGISTERED VOTERS PER REGION: 3 JUN - 20 JULY 24**



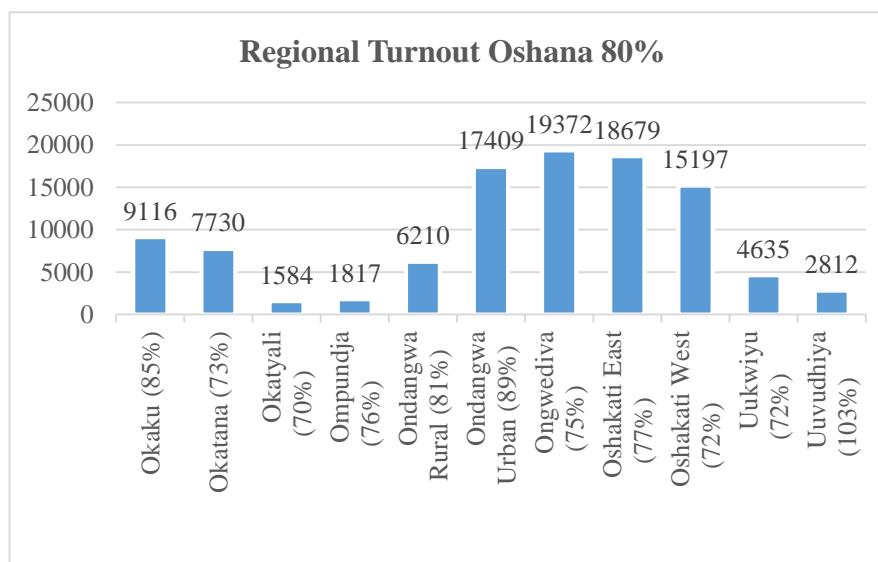
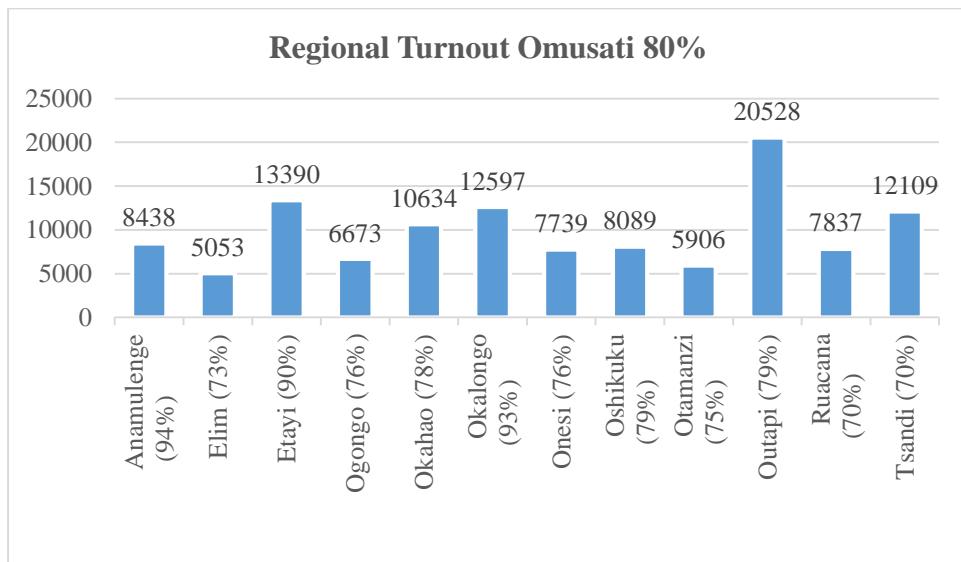
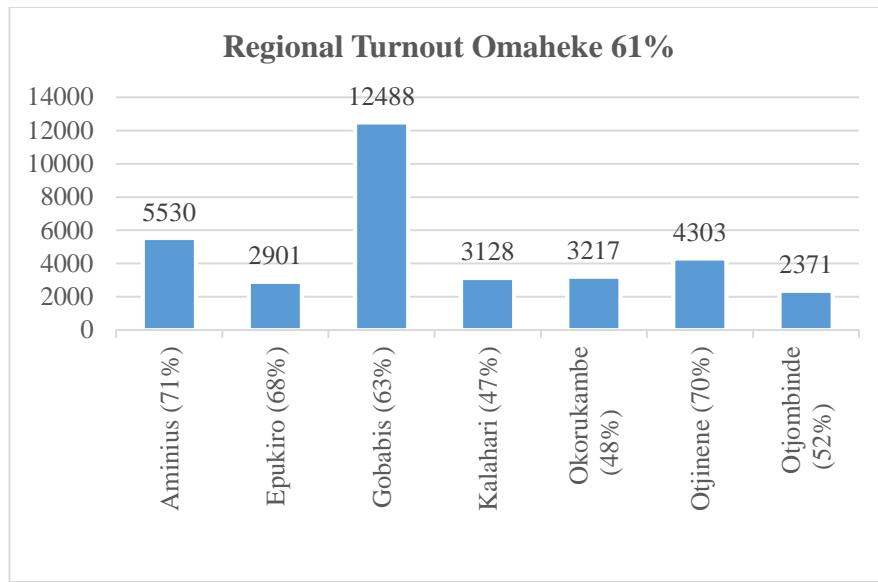
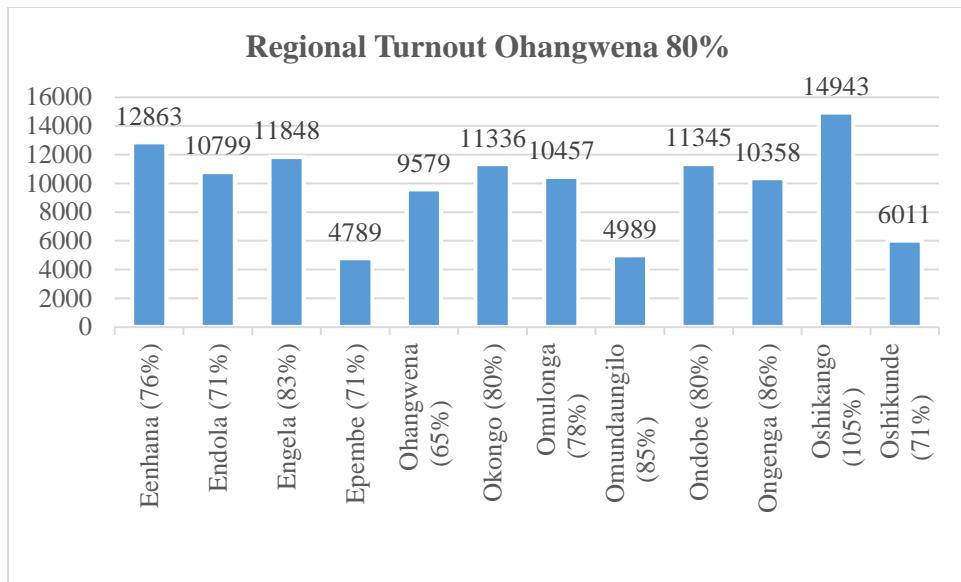
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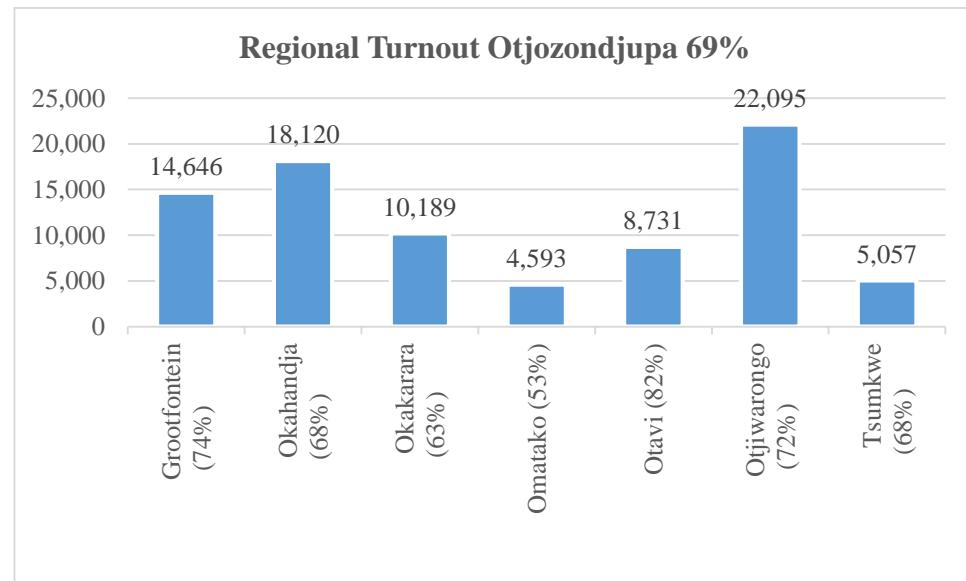
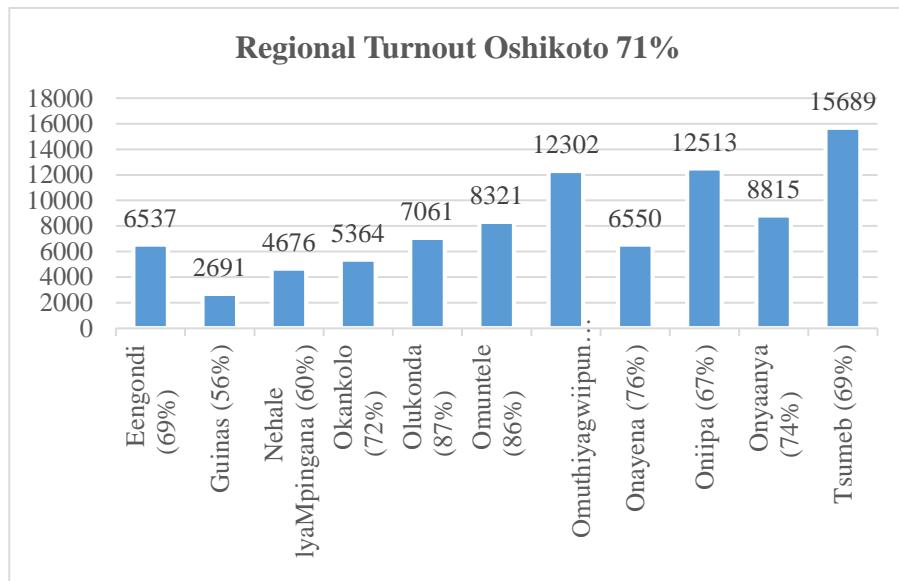
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