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(NSA launches 2023 Population and Housing Census regional reports)

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Launch of 2023 Population and Housing Census 14 Regional Profile reports Tuesday, 02 September 2025

1. The Namibia Statistics Agency, today 02 September 2025 released a 14 regional profile report that gives the main results for each region from the 2023 Population and Housing Census.
2. The regional profile reports is an expansion of the 2023 Census main report that was released on the 30 October 2024, that aims to provide statistics up to the constituency level. The release of these regional profile reports marks another milestone in our commitment to providing statistics for development planning. While the national results gave us an overview of the country as a whole, these regional profile reports allow us to zoom in on the realities of each region.
3. The 2023 Census Regional Profile Reports provide more than just numbers as they offer a clear picture of the demographic, social, and economic realities of each of Namibia's 14 regions. By breaking down national results into regional profiles, the reports give decision-makers the ability to understand local population structures, living conditions, and development needs in greater detail. This allows for more accurate planning, resource allocation, and service delivery at regional and constituency level.
4. These regional profiles are vital for evidence-based policymaking. They enable government institutions, local authorities, and development partners to design interventions that respond to the unique challenges and opportunities of each region. By reflecting regional differences, the data ensures that no community is left behind in the national development agenda.

5. The reports provide in-depth analysis at constituency level on:
 - a. Population size, structure and distribution
 - b. Household composition and housing conditions
 - c. Education
 - d. Employment
 - e. Other socio-economic indicators

6. The Census results reveal significant variation in constituency population sizes. The 20 most populous constituencies together account for nearly 40 percent of the national population, while the 20 least populous constituencies make up about 5.6 percent. This highlights the uneven distribution of the population across Namibia

Table 1: 20 Most Populous constituency in Namibia, Namibia 2023 Census

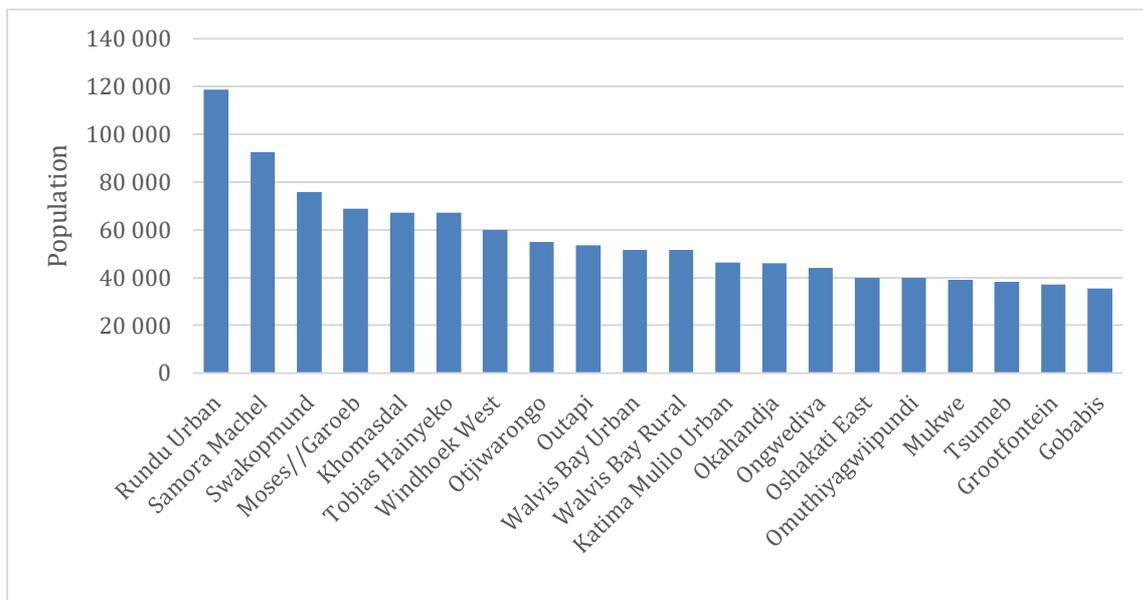
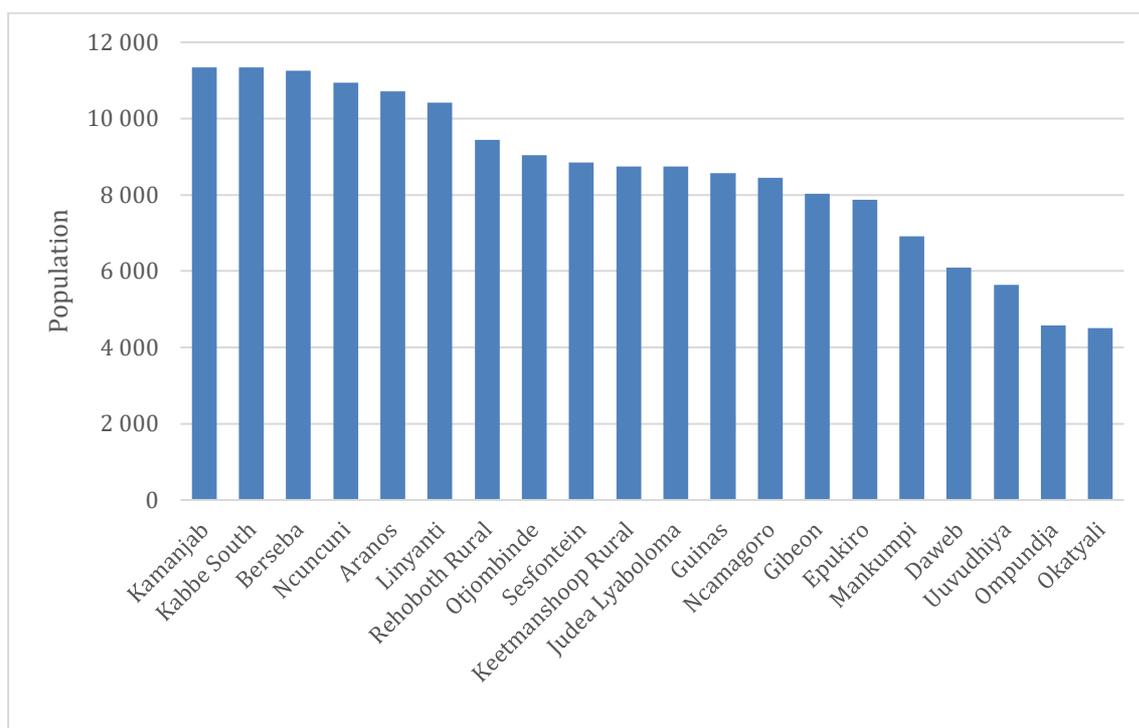


Table 2: 20 Least Populous constituency in Namibia, Namibia 2023 Census



7. The NSA encourages government institutions, policymakers, researchers, development partners, and the public to make full use of these reports. By doing so, we ensure that decisions at every level are guided by facts, ultimately fostering inclusive growth and sustainable development.

8. Only aggregated and anonymised data is reported and is the norm for the rest of the results under the Statistics Act (Act 9 of 2011). The Act places a legal restriction on publishing confidential information of individuals. All personal details are protected and removed from all publications and datasets to protect the confidentiality of respondents.

9. The management of the Namibia Statistics Agency expresses its sincere appreciation to the people of Namibia, government institutions, and partners for their invaluable support throughout the census process

10. The Census Regional Reports are now available on the website ensuring open access to all stakeholders. For more information and updates on this and other reports from the Census Data, please visit our official website at www.nsa.org.na or contact our office at 061 431 3200 or email info@nsa.org.na

I thank you.



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