



DESPITE REGIONAL DIVISIONS AND WORSENING ECONOMY;  
**NIGERIANS OPTIMISTIC  
ABOUT DEMOCRACY**

NEW POLL BY  
**INTERNATIONAL REPUBLICAN  
INSTITUTE**

(National Survey Of Nigerian Public Opinion)



**54%**

believe Nigeria is moving  
in the right direction

**68%** NORTH

**38%** SOUTH



**57%**

believe their own personal  
economic situation  
has gotten worse

**22%** STAYED  
THE SAME

**20%** IMPROVED



**26%**

rank unemployment as  
the most important issue  
facing citizens of Nigeria

**19%** STATE OF THE  
ECONOMY

**15%** GOVERNMENT  
CORRUPTION

**3%** INFRASTRUCTURE

**10%** ELECTRICITY  
(BLACKOUT)

**13%** SECURITY

**14%** FUEL  
SCARCITY

This poll was conducted by NOIPolls and supervised by Chesapeake Beach Consulting and the International Republican Institute (IRI)