

Angola - Inquérito sobre Mobilidade e Trabalho das Mulheres em Luanda 2026

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Identification

SURVEY ID NUMBER

ago-lura-siwtl-2026-v1

TITLE

Inquérito sobre Mobilidade e Trabalho das Mulheres em Luanda 2026

TRANSLATED TITLE

Survey on Women's Mobility and Work in Luanda 2026

COUNTRY

Country code	Name
ago	Angola

ABSTRACT

Este conjunto de dados contém as respostas de 245 mulheres que exercem atividades no comércio informal em Luanda, Angola, recolhidas entre 21 e 25 de abril de 2026. As participantes são quitandeiras (n=133), zungueiras (n=87) e outras comerciantes informais (n=25), originárias de diversas províncias de Angola, com maioria proveniente de Luanda (n=121). O inquérito abrange características sociodemográficas, padrões de mobilidade diária, segurança pessoal, redes de apoio e guarda de filhos, e condições económicas e aspirações profissionais. As respondentes têm maioritariamente entre 20 e 40 anos (61%) e nível de escolaridade igual ou inferior ao ensino secundário (76%). O conjunto de dados é disponibilizado em dois ficheiros limpos, em inglês (swmwl-2026-en.csv) e em português (swmwl-2026-pt.csv), contendo cada um 245 linhas e 29 colunas.

This dataset contains responses from 245 women engaged in informal trade in Luanda, Angola, collected between 21 and 25 April 2026. Respondents were market stall vendors (quitandeiras, n=133), street hawkers (zungueiras, n=87), and others in informal activities (n=25), originating from across Angola with the majority from Luanda (n=121). The survey covers socio-demographic characteristics, daily mobility patterns, personal security, childcare and support networks, and economic conditions and aspirations. Respondents were predominantly aged 20-40 (61%) with secondary education or below (76%). The dataset is provided in two cleaned files, in English (swmwl-2026-en.csv) and Portuguese (swmwl-2026-pt.csv), each containing 245 rows and 29 columns.

KIND OF DATA

Sample survey data [ssd]

UNIT OF ANALYSIS

Individuals

Version

VERSION DESCRIPTION

v1.1: Edited, anonymised data for public distribution

VERSION DATE

2026-07-06

Scope

NOTES

O âmbito abrange cinco áreas temáticas: (1) características sociodemográficas, incluindo idade, nível de escolaridade e província de origem; (2) padrões de mobilidade diária, incluindo horários de acordar e de saída de casa, modo de transporte, tempo de deslocação e gasto diário em transporte; (3) segurança pessoal, incluindo experiências de situações de insegurança, período do dia de maior insegurança e tipo de risco mais frequentemente encontrado; (4) organização do trabalho e do cuidado, incluindo apoio na guarda de filhos e redes de suporte; e (5) condições económicas e aspirações, incluindo rendimento diário, horas de trabalho, principais obstáculos ao trabalho, melhorias desejadas na mobilidade e nas

infraestruturas do mercado, e aspirações profissionais futuras.

The scope covers five thematic areas: (1) socio-demographic characteristics, including age, education level, and province of origin; (2) daily mobility patterns, including wake-up and departure times, transport mode, travel time, and daily transport expenditure; (3) personal security, including experience of unsafe incidents, time of day of greatest insecurity, and type of risk most frequently encountered; (4) work and care arrangements, including childcare provision and support networks; and (5) economic conditions and aspirations, including daily earnings, working hours, perceived obstacles to work, desired improvements to mobility and market infrastructure, and future employment aspirations.

Coverage

GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE

Geographic coverage is limited to women informal traders operating in Luanda, Angola

UNIVERSE

All informal women traders in Luanda

Producers and sponsors

PRIMARY INVESTIGATORS

Name
Laboratório Urbano de Angola/ Angolan Urban Laboratory (LURA)

FUNDING AGENCY/SPONSOR

Name	Abbreviation
Associação Laboratório Urbano de Angola	LURA

OTHER IDENTIFICATIONS/ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

Name
Instituto de Gestão e Planeamento Urbano de Luanda
Universidade Lusíada de Angola
Instituto Geográfico e Cadastral de Angola

Data Collection

DATES OF DATA COLLECTION

Start	End
2026-04-21	2026-04-25

DATA COLLECTION MODE

Face-to-face paper and pen interview [face-to-face]

DATA COLLECTION NOTES

Consent was obtained verbally, following the script printed at the beginning of the questionnaire. Respondents were informed that participation was voluntary, anonymous, and that they could stop at any moment. No signatures were collected, in order to avoid gathering personal identifiers and to maintain full anonymity.

Data Processing

DATA EDITING

This dataset was derived from a raw Google Forms export of 245 responses to a survey of women informal traders in Luanda, Angola. The original file contained 86 columns, including 57 uninformative scoring and feedback fields generated by the survey platform. DataFirst restructured the data to 29 variables representing the substantive survey questions, resolved duplicate question headers, and normalized embedded line breaks in open-text responses. Two cleaned versions were produced: a Portuguese file preserving the original responses and an English file with translated headers, categorical values, and free-text answers. Variables were renamed using consistent snake_case conventions, and Stata files were created with language-appropriate variable labels. The resulting dataset is analysis-ready and suitable for use in statistical software, with improved structure, documentation, and accessibility for both Portuguese- and English-speaking users

Access policy

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ACCESS CONDITIONS

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CITATION REQUIREMENTS

Laboratório Urbano de Angola/Angolan Urban Laboratory. Inquérito sobre Mobilidade e Trabalho das Mulheres em Luanda 2026/Survey on Women's Mobility and Work in Luanda [dataset]. Version 1. Luanda: LURA [producer], 2022. Cape Town: DataFirst [distributor], 2026. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.25828/7ksn-r680>

LOCATION OF DATA COLLECTION

DataFirst data repository

Metadata production

DDI DOCUMENT ID

ago-lura-siwtl-2026-v1

PRODUCERS

Name	Abbreviation	Affiliation	Role
DataFirst	DF	University of Cape Town	Metadata producer

DATE OF METADATA PRODUCTION

2026-07-06

DDI DOCUMENT VERSION

Version 1

Data Description

Data file	Cases	Variables
siwtl-2026-en	245	29
siwtl-2026-pt	245	29

Data file: siwtl-2026-en

Cases: 245

Variables: 29

Variables

ID	Name	Label	Question
V1	timestamp	Timestamp	
V2	consent	Consent to participate	
V3	age_approx	Approximate age	
V4	education	Education level	
V5	province_origin	Province of origin	
V6	activity_type	Type of activity	
V7	years_in_activity	How long have you worked in this activity?	
V8	wake_time	What time do you wake up?	
V9	leave_home_time	What time do you leave home?	
V10	transport_mode	Transport used to reach workplace	
V11	transport_spend_daily	Daily transport spend	
V12	travel_time	Travel time to workplace	
V13	carry_goods	Do you carry goods with you?	
V14	arrive_home_time	What time do you arrive home after work?	
V15	unsafe_situation	Have you experienced an unsafe situation on the way?	
V16	unsafe_time_of_day	At what time of day do you feel most unsafe?	
V17	risk_type	Most frequent type of risk encountered	
V18	has_helper	Do you have someone who helps you with work or transport?	
V19	helper_who	If yes, who (helper)?	
V20	has_children	Do you have children?	
V21	childcare_arranged	If yes, does someone look after your children?	
V22	childcare_who	If yes, who (childcare)?	
V23	workday_hindrance	What most hinders your workday?	
V24	earnings_daily	Average daily earnings	
V25	hours_daily	Daily working hours	
V26	desired_improvement	What improvement to mobility or the market would you most like?	
V27	wants_other_work	Would you like a different type of work in the future?	
V28	other_work_type	If yes, what type of work?	
V29	vision_5_years	How do you imagine yourself in 5 years?	

Total: 29

Data file: siwtl-2026-pt

Cases: 245

Variables: 29

Variables

ID	Name	Label	Question
V30	timestamp	Carimbo de data/hora	
V31	consent	Aceita continuar	
V32	age_approx	Idade aproximada	
V33	education	Qual é o seu nível de escolaridade?	
V34	province_origin	Qual é a sua província de origem?	
V35	activity_type	Tipo de atividade	
V36	years_in_activity	Há quanto tempo trabalha nesta atividade?	
V37	wake_time	A que horas acorda?	
V38	leave_home_time	A que horas sai de casa?	
V39	transport_mode	Que transporte usa para chegar ao local de trabalho?	
V40	transport_spend_daily	Quanto gasta por dia em transporte?	
V41	travel_time	Quanto tempo demora a chegar ao local de trabalho?	
V42	carry_goods	Transporta mercadoria consigo?	
V43	arrive_home_time	A que horas chega a casa depois do trabalho?	
V44	unsafe_situation	Já teve alguma situação de insegurança no caminho?	
V45	unsafe_time_of_day	Em que período do dia sente mais insegurança?	
V46	risk_type	Que tipo de risco encontra com mais frequência?	
V47	has_helper	Tem alguém que a ajuda no trabalho ou no transporte?	
V48	helper_who	Se sim, quem? (quem ajuda)	
V49	has_children	Tem filhos?	
V50	childcare_arranged	Se sim, tem alguém que fica com os seus filhos?	
V51	childcare_who	Se sim, quem? (quem fica com os filhos)	
V52	workday_hindrance	O que mais dificulta o seu dia de trabalho?	
V53	earnings_daily	Quanto ganha por dia, em média?	
V54	hours_daily	Quantas horas trabalha por dia?	
V55	desired_improvement	O que mais gostaria que melhorasse na mobilidade ou no mercado?	
V56	wants_other_work	Gostaria de ter outro tipo de trabalho no futuro?	
V57	other_work_type	Se sim, qual?	
V58	vision_5_years	Como se imagina daqui a 5 anos?	

Total: 29

TIMESTAMP: Timestamp

Data file: siwtl-2026-en

Overview

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TRANSPORT_MODE: Transport used to reach workplace

Data file: siwtl-2026-en

Overview

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CONSENT: Consent to participate

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Overview

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AGE_APPROX: Approximate age

Data file: siwtl-2026-en

Overview

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EDUCATION: Education level

Data file: siwtl-2026-en

Overview

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Type: Continuous Width: -9 Format: character

PROVINCE_ORIGIN: Province of origin

Data file: siwtl-2026-en

Overview

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ACTIVITY_TYPE: Type of activity**Data file:** siwtl-2026-en**Overview**

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YEARS_IN_ACTIVITY: How long have you worked in this activity?**Data file:** siwtl-2026-en**Overview**

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WAKE_TIME: What time do you wake up?**Data file:** siwtl-2026-en**Overview**

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LEAVE_HOME_TIME: What time do you leave home?**Data file:** siwtl-2026-en**Overview**

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TRANSPORT_SPEND_DAILY: Daily transport spend**Data file:** siwtl-2026-en**Overview**

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TRAVEL_TIME: Travel time to workplace**Data file:** siwtl-2026-en

Overview

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CARRY_GOODS: Do you carry goods with you?

Data file: siwtl-2026-en

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ARRIVE_HOME_TIME: What time do you arrive home after work?

Data file: siwtl-2026-en

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UNSAFE_SITUATION: Have you experienced an unsafe situation on the way?

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UNSAFE_TIME_OF_DAY: At what time of day do you feel most unsafe?

Data file: siwtl-2026-en

Overview

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RISK_TYPE: Most frequent type of risk encountered

Data file: siwtl-2026-en

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HAS_HELPER: Do you have someone who helps you with work or transport?

Data file: siwtl-2026-en

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HELPER_WHO: If yes, who (helper)?

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HAS_CHILDREN: Do you have children?

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Overview

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CHILDCARE_ARRANGED: If yes, does someone look after your children?

Data file: siwtl-2026-en

Overview

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CHILDCARE_WHO: If yes, who (childcare)?

Data file: siwtl-2026-en

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WORKDAY_HINDRANCE: What most hinders your workday?

Data file: siwtl-2026-en

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EARNINGS_DAILY: Average daily earnings**Data file:** siwtl-2026-en**Overview**

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HOURS_DAILY: Daily working hours**Data file:** siwtl-2026-en**Overview**

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DESIRED_IMPROVEMENT: What improvement to mobility or the market would you most like?**Data file:** siwtl-2026-en**Overview**

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WANTS_OTHER_WORK: Would you like a different type of work in the future?**Data file:** siwtl-2026-en**Overview**

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OTHER_WORK_TYPE: If yes, what type of work?**Data file:** siwtl-2026-en**Overview**

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VISION_5_YEARS: How do you imagine yourself in 5 years?**Data file:** siwtl-2026-en

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TIMESTAMP: Carimbo de data/hora

Data file: siwtl-2026-pt

Overview

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CONSENT: Aceita continuar

Data file: siwtl-2026-pt

Overview

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Type: Continuous Width: -9 Format: character

AGE_APPROX: Idade aproximada

Data file: siwtl-2026-pt

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EDUCATION: Qual é o seu nível de escolaridade?

Data file: siwtl-2026-pt

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PROVINCE_ORIGIN: Qual é a sua província de origem?

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ACTIVITY_TYPE: Tipo de atividade

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YEARS_IN_ACTIVITY: Há quanto tempo trabalha nesta atividade?

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WAKE_TIME: A que horas acorda?

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TRANSPORT_SPEND_DAILY: Quanto gasta por dia em transporte?

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TRAVEL_TIME: Quanto tempo demora a chegar ao local de trabalho?

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CARRY_GOODS: Transporta mercadoria consigo?

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UNSAFE_TIME_OF_DAY: Em que período do dia sente mais insegurança?

Data file: siwtl-2026-pt

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RISK_TYPE: Que tipo de risco encontra com mais frequência?

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HAS_HELPER: Tem alguém que a ajuda no trabalho ou no transporte?

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HELPER_WHO: Se sim, quem? (quem ajuda)

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HAS_CHILDREN: Tem filhos?

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CHILDCARE_ARRANGED: Se sim, tem alguém que fica com os seus filhos?

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EARNINGS_DAILY: Quanto ganha por dia, em média?

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HOURS_DAILY: Quantas horas trabalha por dia?

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DESIRED_IMPROVEMENT: O que mais gostaria que melhorasse na mobilidade ou no mercado?

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WANTS_OTHER_WORK: Gostaria de ter outro tipo de trabalho no futuro?

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OTHER_WORK_TYPE: Se sim, qual?

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VISION_5_YEARS: Como se imagina daqui a 5 anos?

Data file: siwtl-2026-pt

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Questionnaires

[q-siwtl-2026-en]

Title [q-siwtl-2026-en]
Country Angola
Language English
Description This is a questionnaire used to collect the data. It is written in English.
Filename q-siwtl-2026-en.pdf

[q-siwtl-2026-pt]

Title [q-siwtl-2026-pt]
Country Angola
Language Portuguese
Description Este é um questionário utilizado para recolher os dados.
Filename q-siwtl-2026-pt.pdf

Other materials

[siwtl-2026-report]

Title [siwtl-2026-report]
Country Angola
Language English
Description This report presents the principal findings of the study.
Filename siwtl-2026-report.pdf
