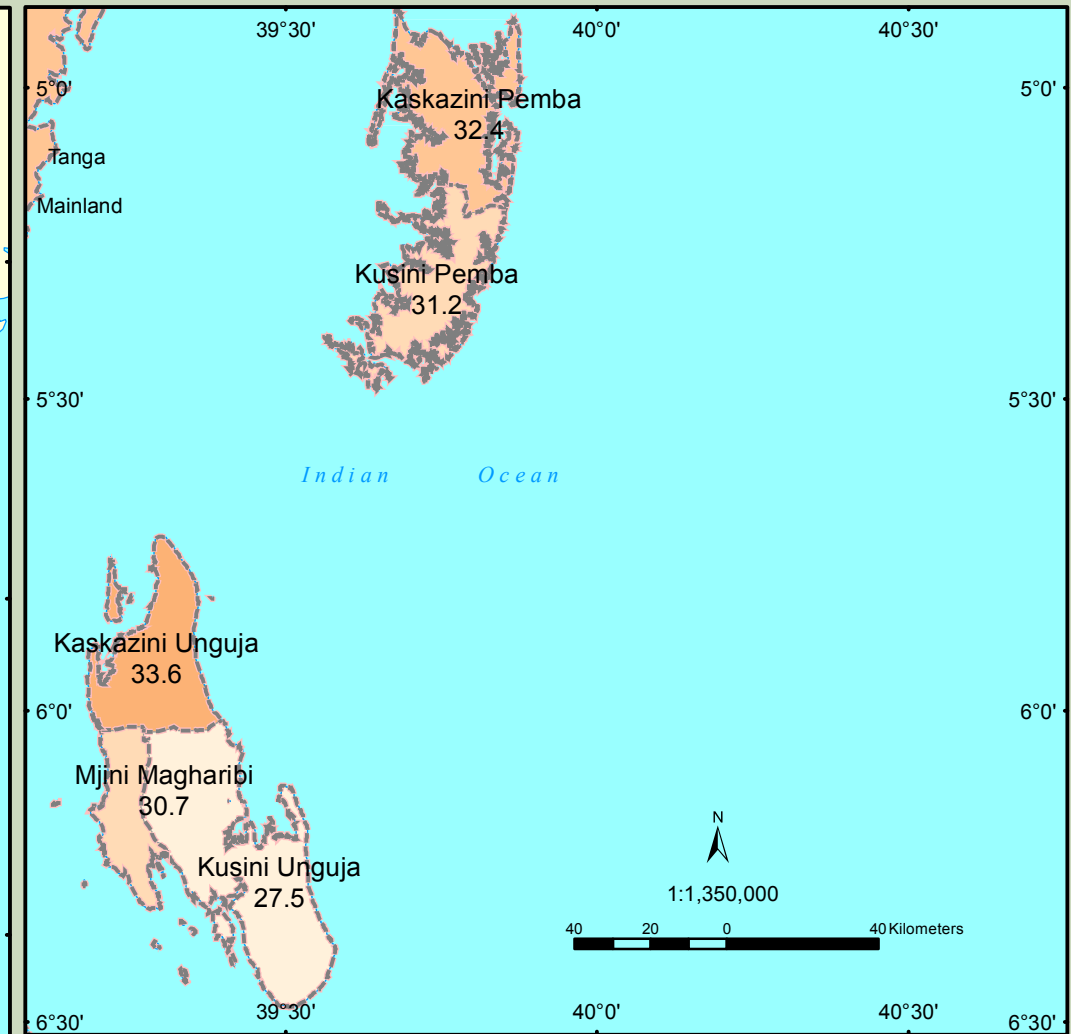
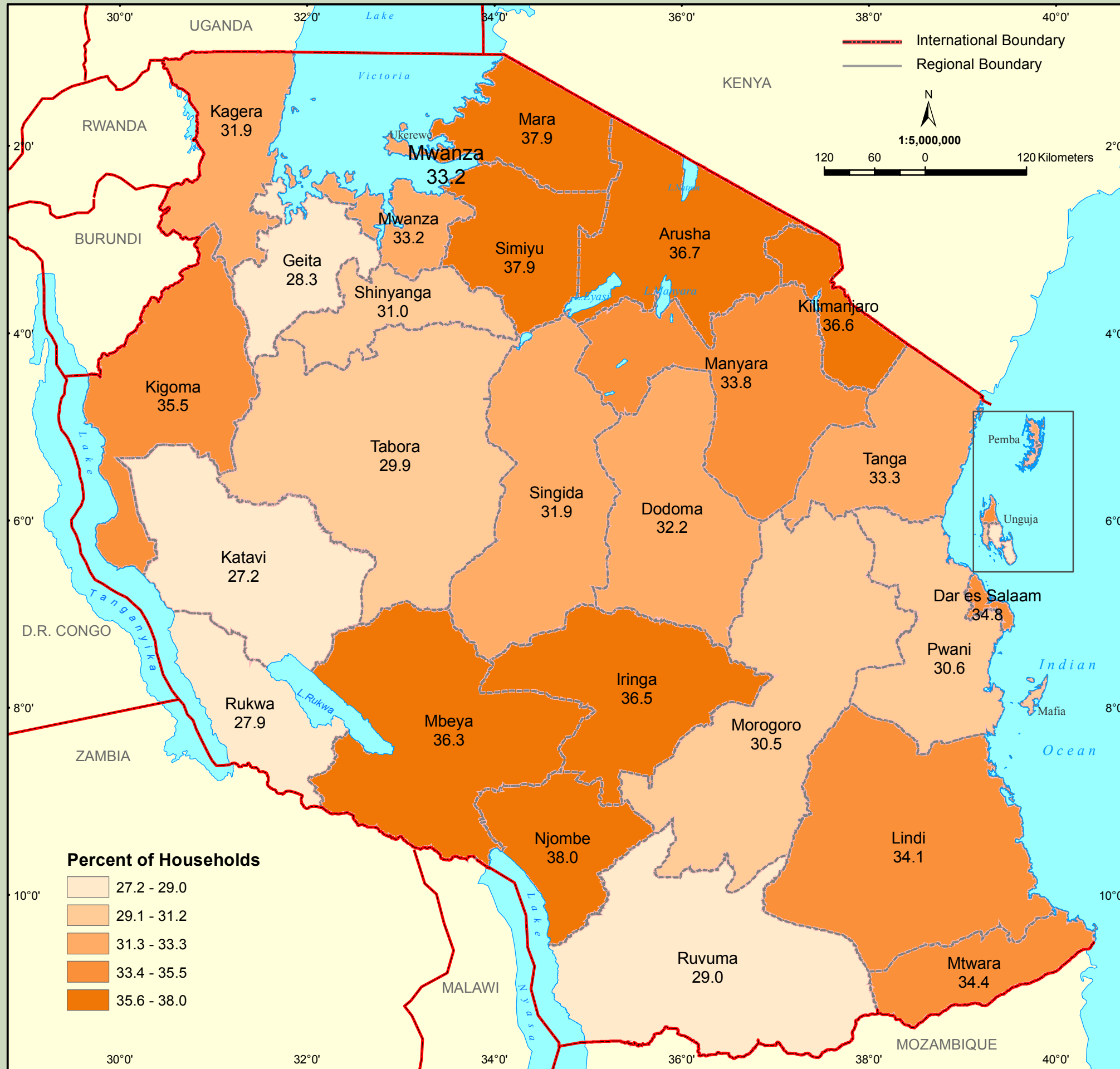


Proportion of female headed households



2012 PHC results show that 33.4 percent of all private households are headed by females. At regional level, Katavi Region recorded the lowest proportion of private households that are headed by females, followed by Kusini Unguja (27.5 percent), Rukwa (27.9), Geita (28.3) and Ruvuma (29.0). On the other hand, 13 regions showed to have a much higher proportion of households headed by females than the recorded national figure of 33.4 percent. Kilimanjaro Region had the highest proportion of female headed households (38.6 percent) followed by Njombe (38.0), Mara (37.9) and Simiyu (37.0).