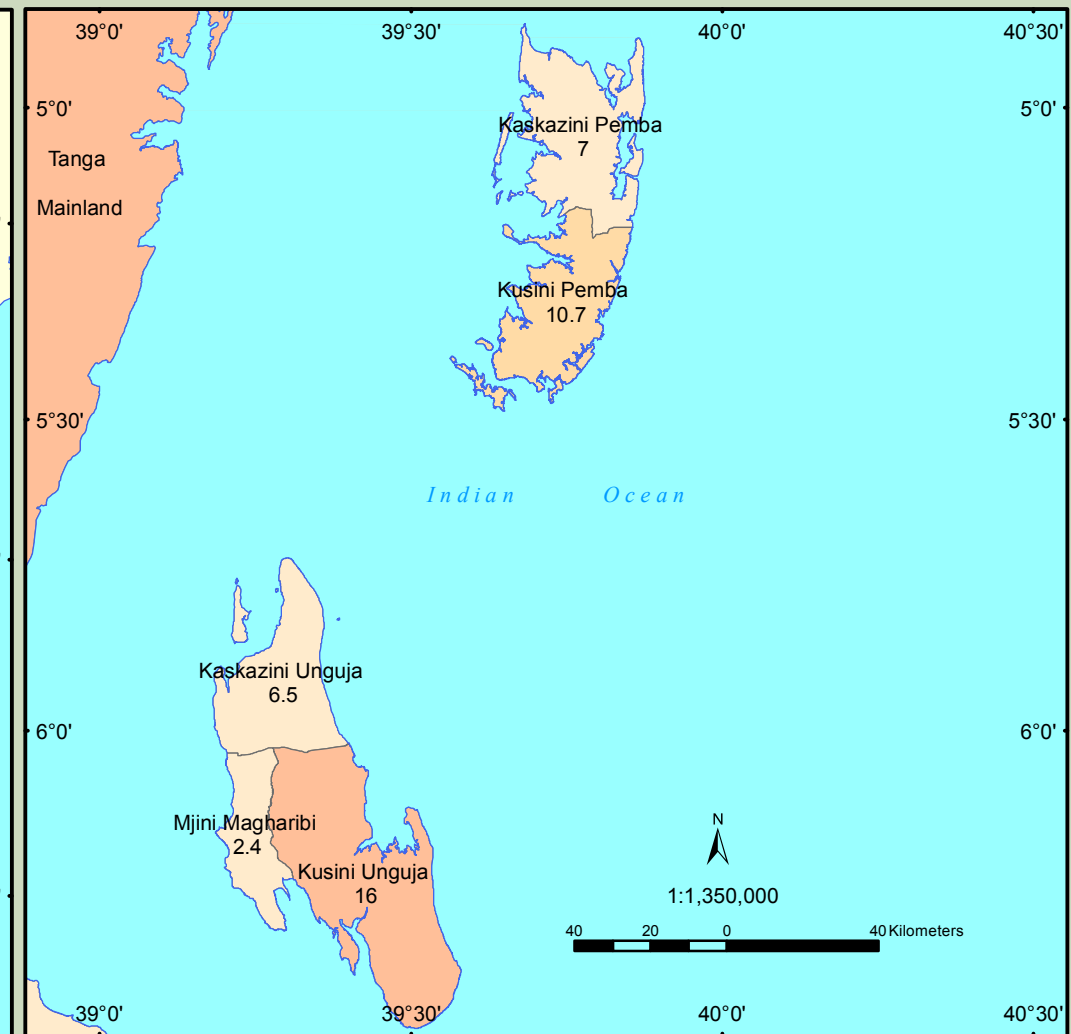
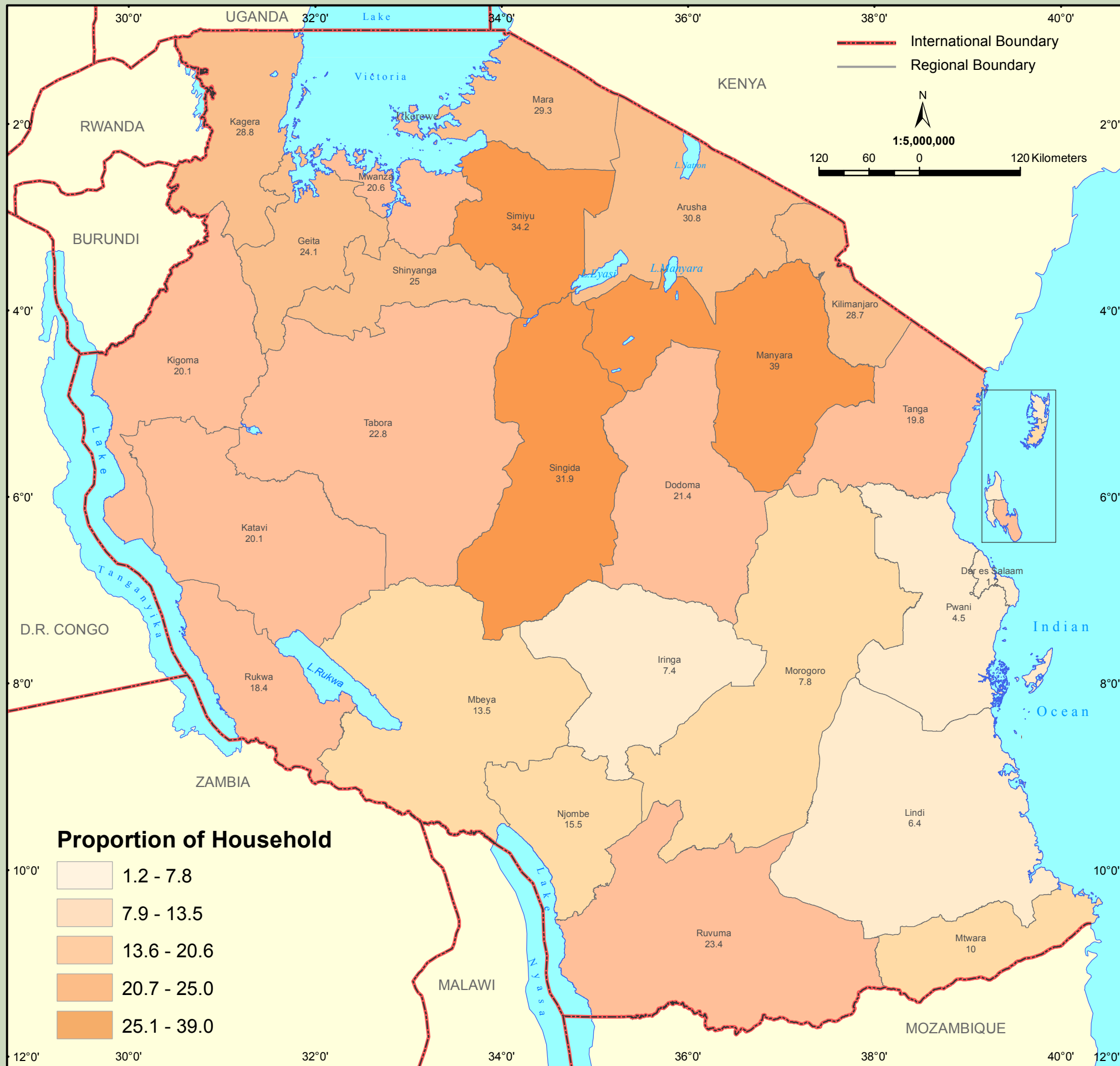


Proportion of private households engaged in raising goats



The livestock sector including poultry plays a significant role in the economy of agricultural households in Tanzania. Livestock generates considerable amount of income and determines the household economic and social status in many communities. Results from the 2012 PHC shows that 18.2 percent all private households of Tanzania were keeping goats. At the regional level, Manyara Region had the highest proportion of households that were rearing goats (39.0). Other regions with more than 30 percent of households which were rearing goats were Simiyu (34.2 percent), Singida (31.9 percent) and Arusha (30.8 percent). Regarding regions which have the lowest proportions of households that are keeping goats, Dar es Salaam Region had the lowest proportion of households which had goats (1.2 percent). Other regions which had less than ten percent of private households that were keeping goats were Mjini Magharibi (2.4), Pwani (4.5), Lindi (6.4), Kaskazini Unguja (6.5), Kaskazini Pemba (7.0), Iringa (7.4) and Morogoro (7.8).