Participatory mapping of livestock routes in Samburu county, Kenya





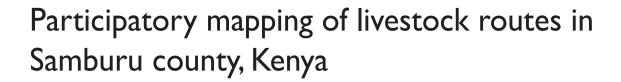
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Overview

In November 2014, a workshop was held in Samburu, Kenya, to carry out an exercise on participatory mapping of livestock routes in the county. This workshop attracted 54 participants representing different stakeholders including Livestock Market Association members (LMA), area chiefs, District Livestock Production Officers (DLPO), District Water Officers and District Livestock Marketing Council and Kenya Rural Development Program (KRDP) and Northern Rangeland trust (See annex 1 for list of participants). The participants were mobilized by Samburu Integrated Development Program (SIDEP).

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The exercise was part of interventions by a project implemented by the International Livestock Research Institute (ILRI) in collaboration with SNV- Netherlands Development Organization and the Kenya Livestock Marketing Council (KLMC), and funded by the European Union and the government of Kenya under the Kenya Rural Development Programme (KRDP). The three year project on 'Enhanced community resilience to drought through innovative market based systems approaches' is implemented in six counties of Baringo, Isiolo, Wajir, Marsabit, Samburu and Tana River.

The project's objective is to promote pastoral livelihoods diversification, facilitate robust markets for livestock and livestock products, and enhance consolidation of knowledge base to enhance climate change adaptation and market orientation.

Giving the opening remarks during the workshop, the county drought coordinatorof Samburu emphasized the importance of livestock mapping to the county and other stakeholders for planning purposes and called for a validation/dissemination forum after the completion of the exercise. Water and pasture related conflict and insecurity have been rampant in Samburu county and he urged the participants to play an active role in ensuring reduction of the same so as not to scare the participants.

The project's Monitoring and Evaluation (M & E) officer gave an overview of the project, and highlighted its result areas which include a strong Arid and Semi-Arid Land (ASAL) knowledge base that would enhance pastoralist ability to manage climate risk among others. Thus, the mapping exercise directly contributed to this key result area (see project's online space here: http://asals-markets.wikispaces.com/).

The mode of delivery in the workshop included a mix of models key among them being use of presentations and brainstorming sessions among the participants as well as focus group discussions for groups with similar interests.

Objectives of the exercise

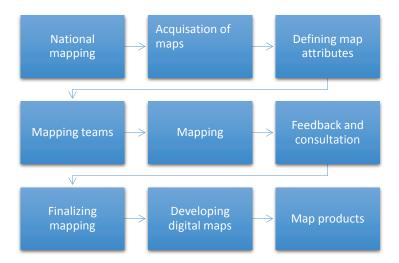
Objectives of the mapping exercise included:

- i. To produce a geographical information on livestock routes, infrastructures, markets that would be useful for county livestock plans
- ii. To consolidate Geographic information together with remote sensing to guide NDMA on major routes likely to be effected by droughts and hence dispatch of relief on good time
- iii. To build the capacity of participants on the importance of mapping and protecting livestock routes in the livestock sector development through sustainable resource use

The process of mapping livestock migratory routes-Tanzania case study

To introduce the concept to the participants, a presentation was delivered on a similar exercise carried out in Tanzania. A detail of the steps followed in the Tanzania exercise was presented as captured in figure 1 below.

Figure 1: Mapping process for livestock migratory routes in Tanzania



Routes

The participants were organized into groups to engage in a brainstorming session to identify major and minor livestock routes in the county characterized by volume of animals in the routes, and size of markets they serve. The two types of routes were further reclassified based on their target use either for marketing or for grazing during both dry and wet seasons. The season was classified by the Samburu County Livestock Production office (CLPO). Where the volume of stock was identified as high, it qualified to be a major route. In addition, time of use and markets' size and days/intervals were also used to define a route. A total of six routes were identified:

- · Major functional market day
- · Major functional seasonal
- Major nonfunctional Market
- · Minor functional Market
- · Minor functional seasonal
- Minor nonfunctional markets

Markets

Three market types (minor, major and boarder) were identified based on the following characteristics:

- •. Volume of livestock
- •. Prices
- •. Number of players
- •. External traders, local traders, middlemen and market days

Big volumes, high prices, more external prayers than local and I or 2 market days qualified for major market. Minor markets are characterized by low volumes, low prices, local traders, and are mostly daily.

Infrastructure

The participants identified the following infrastructure in the county: Slaughter houses, sale yards, dips, crush for massive vaccination, holding pens, hay stores, salt licks, watering points- boreholes, wells, and water pans.

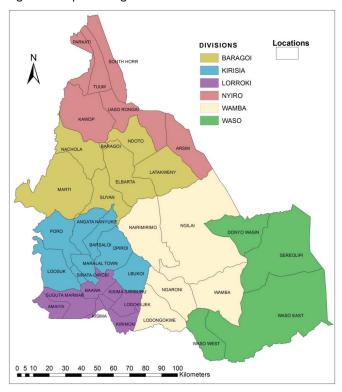
Developing the mapping teams

The participants were divided into 6 groups based on the number of sub-counties in the county as shown in table I and presented in the figure 2 below:

Table 1: Composition of the different mapping groups

| | <u> </u> | |
|--------|------------|---|
| Groups | Sub county | Locations |
| 1 | Baragoi | Ndoto,Latakweny,Elbarta,Suyan,Marti,Nachola,Baragoi |
| 2 | Kirisia | Poro,Loosuk,Barsalon,Oproi,Sirata,Chirobii,Angata |
| 3 | Lorroki | Amaiya,Suguta_marmar,Baawa,Kisima,Lodokejek,Kirimon,Kisim |
| 4 | Nyiro | Tuum,Parkati,North Horr,Uso Romgai,Kawop |
| 5 | Wamba | Ngila,Wamba,Ngaroni,Londongkwe,Nairimirimo |
| 6 | Waso | Ndoyo Wasin, Sereolipi, Waso East, Waso West |

Figure 2: Map showing the various sub counties in Samburu.



Features coding

For the purpose of mapping, each route type was given a color and symbol. Markets were numbered in different colors and infrastructures were also assigned unique numbers.

- Major market- I Green
- Minor market -2 -Blue
- Boarder market 3- Red

Maps selection for each group

Each group was guided on how to pick maps that corresponds to their division and also to create a mosaic on the floor.

Teams completing the mosaic of the maps for each of the divisions







Edge matching

Three main groups were constituted from the original 6 groups. This was done on the basis on edge matching between groups to ensure routes flow from one division to another. Maps from different divisions were brought together and groups engage in discussion in order make information flow from one division to another. Each group had to document what appeared in their maps.





Narations

Waso Division

Table 2: Major markets

| Major markets | Volume (approximate) | Main traders from | Market day |
|---------------|----------------------|--|------------|
| Archers post | Goats -500 | Meru, Isiolo, Nairobi, Marsabit, Moyale and Garissa | Saturday |
| | Cattle- 60 | and Garissa | |
| | Camel-20 | | |
| Sele-Olipi | Shoats-600 | Isiolo, Meru, Nairobi, Moyale, Marsabit, | Monday |
| | Cattle- 50 | Wamba and local traders | |
| | Camel-30 | | |
| Donyo Wasin | Shoats-500 | Meru, Isiolo, and Local traders | Wednesdays |
| | Cattle- 50 | | |
| | Camel- 20 | | |

Note: There is no minor market

Table 3: Boarder markets

| Market | Volume (approximate) | Main traders from | Market day |
|---------|----------------------|--|-----------------|
| Isiolo | Shoats- 1000 | Meru, Nairobi, Nanyuki, Marsabit, | Monday & Friday |
| | Cattle -300 | Moyale, Garissa, Mandera and local traders | |
| | Camels -100 | | |
| Merille | Shoats- 1000 | Marsabit, Meru, Isiolo, Nairobi, | |
| | Cattle -100 | Moyale, Nanyuki and local traders | Tuesday |
| | Camel- 200 | | |

Routes

- Major functional market
- (a) Start point from Merille trading centre- through Merille river to Sere-Olipi trading centre through Sere-Olipi water well and water pan- Jarafa Kalama trading center and Water pump-archers post-Ewaso river water point to Isiolo market.

Means of Transport: Cattle and shoats - tracks

Cattle and camel – drivenon foot to markets

(b) Starting point from Ndonyo Wasin market - Ndonyo Wasin water pans- Sere-Olipi - Isiolo

Mode of transport: By Tracks and driven on foot

- (c) Another route runs through Ndonyo Wasin through Merit water point to Lolkuniowii.
- Major Functional Seasonal
 - (a) Starts from Marti eldepe through Laresero water point and salt lick through Leseria water well and salt licks to Lowash Ngare water well and grazing area

Use time: During dry spells between June to October.

(b) Another starts from Ndonyo Eloilei through Nasuruan along Waso water point and corridors it runs until it joins Losesia grazing area

Use time: Dry Spells- between May and October

- (c) Starts at Laresoro water wells and salt licks, Ndonyo Elkina salt lick to Lependira grazing zone area
- (d) Start at Naishamunye water point and ndonyo elkono grazinf area
- (e) Start at Ololokwe springs, Loloslean water points to Losesian grazing area
- (f) Starts from Loidekidiko water pan through Soito narok to Chapulo wells through Narok koon wells to Ntumot water wells, Naparpar water wells Lenkaya water wells to Merille river Nkeposorogi grazing area Use time: Between April and November
- (g)Lchoro Lelekureyia to Naok Koon to Kawro grazing area
- (h) Ekeleleni to Sere-Olipi water pans, wells and water hole to Naoka Kooni, Lenkolii water wells, Sera wells (Kisima) Amsini to Laantana water wells, to Turgang wells, Nolkote to Koya wells to Merille river wells to Marti eserteta grazing area.,

Use time: Between May to October.

- (i) Lolritopi springs kapau Lchoro Lolosouan to Nturmoit well, Saintit wells, Lodosol wells and salt licks to Ndonyo Wasin wells, water pans and waterholes to Langatq grazing areas.
- (k) Ndoyo Wasin Lodosoit, Kureleyio water wells to Merille water wells, Sirirua grazing area

Use time: Between April to July

- (I) Ndoyo Wasin Lolkudoigoi swamps, Lengaya wells to Lerapanga Grazing area Use time: Between June and October.
- · Minor functional seasonal
 - (a)Sere-Olipi trading centre, Lare-ibo wells, Sere-Rongai water wells, Cahpulo wells, Lechoro lerkurayia,Ngartamani, Lowash-gare grazing area

Use time: May to October.

(b) Ngartamani, Laantana water wells, Turgung water well, Lerikaya grazing area.

Use time: May to September

(c) Ndume water pan, Erer Wells, Napaasha Kurleyio, Lolkidorigoi to Nkeposorogoi area.

Use time: Between April and August.

(d) Ndonyo Wasin, Nolpor salt lick and wells, Napaasha Kutuk well to Lodosoit grazing area

Use time: Bbetween March and April

(e) Ndonyo Wasin, Merit wells

Use time:Between January and April.

- Minor functional Market
 - (a) Ndonyo wasin, Ndume wells, Lkerei grazing area, Salt lick and Water point
 - (b) Lkerei wells, Leangata wells, Kibartare wells, Mwuwa water wells to Murit grazing zone to marketss
 - (c) Use time: : January and December
 - (d) Meuwa, Ndonyo wasin Market days Daily
- Minor none functional Market
 - (a) Lodosoit, Santait, Ndonyo Wasin.

Market closed due to insecurity

Table 4: Infrastructure

| Market | Archers post | | Sere-Olipi | Ndonyo Wasin |
|----------------|---|------------------------------|---|---|
| | Sales yard: Accommodates 100 | Available but non functional | Status: Functional | Market is functional and big |
| | shoats, 200 cattle, 100 camels | | No sale yard Not connected to | No sale yard |
| | Connected to loading | | water sources | No slaughter house |
| | ramps which is connected to water | | No holding ground | It is connected to water |
| | No weighing balance | | No cattle dip | No cattle dip/crushes, hay store and watering |
| | No cattle dip | | No crush | troughs |
| Infrastructure | No holding ground | | No hay stores | No holding ground |
| | | | No check points and saltlick | No check point |
| | Slaughter house: Small size and can only | Functional | Water points: Boreholes (Sere-olipi) | Water points: |
| | accommodate 10 shoats | | Water hand pump | Oldonyo Wasin boreholes |
| | Connected to water tap, No Weighing scale | | Water wells | Kirwar water points |
| | Water point: Near Waso Ngiro River | | | |
| | Wind mills | | | |
| | Water Supplies | | | |

Baragoi division

Table 5: Major Markets

| Market | Status | Volume-approximate | Trades from | Market day |
|-----------|------------|---|---|------------|
| Latakweny | Functional | Cows- 150, Camels-60, Goats-1800, Sheep-300, Donkeys-10 | Braagoi ,Maralal, Barsaloi,Llkunuyani,Lesirika n,Loikumkum,Sereit, Urah,Suyan,Ngurnitiseren | - |
| Tangar | Functional | Cows-150, Camels-30, Donkeys-10, Goats-2000, Sheep-400 | Baragoi, Maralal, South Horr, Tillaut, Latakweny, Lolkuniyani, Suyani, Ngilai | Tuesday |

Table 6: Minor Markets

| Markets | Status | Volume (per week) | Traders from | Market days |
|---------|------------|--|--|-------------|
| Baragoi | Functional | Cows- 40, Camels-30, Goats-1000, Sheep-500, Donkeys-20 | Isiolo, Nairobi, Maralal, Wamba, Lesirikan, Nachola, Kawap, South Horr and Marti | Daily |
| Nachola | Functional | Cows- 30, Goats-600, Camels-30, Sheep-300, Donkeys-40 | Baragoi, Marti, Kawap, Lokorri and Kamwinge | Daily |
| Marti | Functional | Cows 60, Goats-500, Sheep-100, Donkeys-30, Camels-30 | Maralal, Baragoi, Barsaloi, Wamba, Isiolo | Friday |
| Suyan | Functional | Cows-10, Camels-10, Goats-600, Sheep-250 and Donkeys-3 to 4 | Masikiti, Barsaloi, Marti, Maralal, Wamba | Thursday |
| Urah | Functional | Cows-30, | Baragoi | - |
| | | Goats-300, Camels-7-10, Sheep-100, Donkeys 2 to3 | | |

Routes

Table 7: Major functional (market) routes

| South Horr On foot (a) Baragoi (b) Tangar (c) Latakweny Lolguniyani Tuum By vehicles (a) Nachola (b) Baragoi (c) Marti Maralal South Horr On foot (a) Tagar (b) Latakweny (c) Barsaloi Maralal | Starting | Mode of transport | Passing through | End point | |
|--|------------|-------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------|--|
| , | South Horr | On foot | (a) Baragoi (b) Tangar (c) Latakweny | Lolguniyani | |
| South Horr On foot (a)Tagar (b)Latakweny (c)Barsaloi Maralal | Tuum | By vehicles | (a)Nachola (b) Baragoi (c) Marti | Maralal | |
| | South Horr | On foot | (a)Tagar (b)Latakweny (c)Barsaloi | Maralal | |

Table 8: Major functional seasonal routes

| Starting | Passing through | End |
|------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| Illaut Market | Lesinkan, Tangar, Urah | Latakweny |
| Time of the year | Dec, April, May, July | January,April, October |

b) Major functional (market)

| Starting | Passing through | End |
|----------|-----------------|---------|
| Nachola | Logetei | Baragoi |

(b)Minor functional (Seasonal)

| Starting | Passing through | End |
|----------|--------------------|---------|
| Tangar | Barsaloi and Suyan | Maralal |
| Baragoi | Suyan | Maralal |
| | | |

(b)Minor Non- functional (market)

| | Starting | Passing through | End |
|--|----------|-----------------|-----|
|--|----------|-----------------|-----|

| Ngurait | | Laparaan | | Lata | kweny | | |
|----------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------|--|
| Infrastructure | | | | | | | |
| Market | Latakweny | Tangar | Baragoi | Nachola | Marti | Suyan | |
| Infrastructure | Crush- Non | Sale yard- | Crush- Non | Water points- | Crush-Non | Water points: 2 | |
| | Functional | Functional, Size- Standard | functional | Borehole- Functional | Functional | boreholes/ | |
| | Water Points: | | Cattle Dip- Non | | Water points- | troughs – I | |
| | Borehole- Non functional | Water points | functional | Slaughtering Slamp- | Boreholes/ | functional | |
| | | Borehole/ trough- | Sale Yard- Non Functional | Functional | Troughs- All Functional | | |
| | | Functional, Size | | Crush Non | | | |
| | | Standard | Slaughter Houser- Functional | Functional | Slaughtering Slump- | | |
| | | | | Sale yard – | Functional | | |
| | | | Size Standard, Fenced | None | | | |
| | | | | Salt lick – | | | |
| | | | Water points: Borehole- | Functional | | | |
| | | | Functional, Size | | | | |
| | | | Standard | | | | |
| | | | Weighing | | | | |
| | | | machine-Non Functional | | | | |

Nyiro Division

Major Markets

| Market | Status | Day | Trader | Stock | Volume | Structures |
|---------|------------|----------|---|-------------------------------------|--|---|
| Kurungu | Functional | Saturday | Local and external (Nairobi, Burji, Marsabit) | Sheep, goats, foodstuff, clothes | Sheeps-300; Goats-300, Camels-50 to80, | Sale Yard (complete); Loading Ramp (complete) |
| | | | | | Cattle 50to80 | |

Challenges:

- No toilets; no water; few buyers
- Means of transport of moving stock: Trucks and trekking to Wamba, Lolkinifani

Minor markets

| Market | Status | Day | Trader | Stock | Volume | Structures |
|----------|------------|--------|---|--|----------------------------------|--|
| Tuum | Functional | Monday | Local and external (baragoi, lesirkan, parati)mixed tribes | Sheep, goats, foodstuff, clothes | Sheep50 to 100 Goats50 to 100 | no structures, no security, few buyers |
| Sumuruai | Functional | Monday | Local and external (Baragoi, lesirkan, parati)mixed tribes | Sheep, goats, foodstuff, clothes | Sheep40 to50 Goats40 to50 | no structures, no security, few buyers |

Boarder Market

| Market | Status | Day | Trader | Stock | Volume | Structures |
|--------|------------|----------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------|---|----------------------------|
| Illaot | Functional | Saturday | Local and external | Sheep | Sheep500 to600 | no structures, |
| | | | (Nairobi,Baragoi,Korr, Marsabit) | goats foodstuff clothes | Goats500 to600, Camels50 to 100, Cattle 50 to 100 | no security, few buyers |
| | | | mixed tribes | | Cattle 50 to 100 | |

Routes

Major functional trekking routes

- (a) Kurung -Slhorr Illaot
- (b) Tuum –Wazerongai-Slhorr-Kurungu
- (c) Parsati-Tuum-Larenk

Major functional seasonal route

Dry season Grazing route

- (a) Mputaputa-Lkotikal-Neesidan-Keleswa-Lowasira: Animals (goats, sheep, cattle, camels, donkeys)
- (b) Wasorangai-Kawal-Angaata-Llosurkol-Marti nanykie
- (c) Wasorangai-Kawal-Angaata-Losurkol-Nalembo
- (d) Kawap-Marotngakirim-Terrterr
- (e) Kawap-Lwatani-Soit elpayani-Ngorishe: Animals (cattle,camels,donkeys)
- (f) Parikati-Nakwei-Sarima-Losam-Sarima: Animals: (sheep and goats)
- (g) Nonjonin-Loibor- Sedire-Koross

Minor functional seasonal route

- a) Tuum-Simale-Naikicho: Salt lick route
- b) Maputaputa-Naikisho: Salt lick route
- c) Lorsukol-Marti nanyakie-Lemuny: Salt lick route
- d) Lokoto- Marulem: Pasture
- e) Lokuto-Katakirion: Pasture
- f) Lokuto-Lorsukoi-Pparkatin: Pasture/ Salt lick route
- g) Parkat-Elkayo-Nkwei-Nagaramaisen: Pasture/ Salt lick route

Minor nonfunctional market

• Kawap, Tereterr, Ikato, Mputaput, Kogiza and Moran

These are non-functional due to lack of security and lack of water points.

Infrastructure

- · Slaughter house (south horror goats, small), water
- Not fenced; no weigh balance
- Crush (ill out, under construction); Kawap (nonfunctioning), Laredo, losurkoi
- Cattle dip (Natiti, non-functioning)
- · Water points: Kawap (lack of pumping machine) lack of security, 4 wells Lokoto, Kilepol, Lenkima and Kwap centre
- · Holding ground

Kirisia division

Mararal major market

It is functional market on daily basis, situated in Mararal town near DEB primary school. Large stocks are cattle (50 per day) and camels (5 per day). Small stocks include goats (200 per day) sheep (300 per day) and chicken (100 per day). The main traders in the market are locals from Mararal town and Marsabit, Naivasha, Nairobi, Nyeri, Narok. The main market day is Monday but the market is still open daily on small scale.

Nkorika-Minor markets

| Status | Volume | Main traders | Market days |
|--------------|----------------------------------|---------------|-------------|
| Nkorika | Cattle 10, goats 100 sheep 100 | Local traders | Thursday |
| Poro | Cattle 20 shoats 150 chicken 100 | Local traders | Monday |
| Loibonnakare | Cattle 10 shoats 200 chicken 200 | Local traders | Saturday |
| Pora market | Cattle 20, shoats 400 donkeys 30 | Local traders | Fridays |
| Losuk market | Sheep 200, goats 50 | Local traders | Tuesday |

Routes

Major functional route

This is route to major markets like Nkorika Poso, Loosuk, Laibor and Nkare. Animals are transported on foot to Maralal major markets.

· Major functional seasonal route

This is through grazing areas:Lowo, Bor-Sere endeke Nolkera-Lorian borehole, Manga-water pan. This route is mainly used during the dry season, and the main animals moved include cattle, goats sheep, camels and donkeys. Grazing is free range, with the end of the grazing zone marked by the boundary of the sub county.

Minor functional route

Trough Poro, Ngorika, Pora and Loosuk.

Minor non-functional route

Morijor is nonfunctional due to high insecurity cases around the area.

| Infrastructure | Status | Size |
|--|--------------------|-----------------|
| Morigo boreholes | Functional | Deep |
| Nkorika dam | Functional | Medium |
| Dam poro | Functional | Medium |
| Siamba | Functional | Medium |
| Borehole poro | Non functional | Deep |
| Mugor poro dam | Functional | Medium |
| Mugorborehole | Non functional | Medium |
| Lesidai dam | Functional | Big |
| Lakira borehole | Functional | Big |
| Laibor bore | Functional | Deep |
| Loibokare | Functional | Small |
| Pura borehole | Functional | Deep |
| Lowasuk dam | Functional | Medium |
| Borehole loosuk | Functional | Deep |
| Nolkere | Functional | Deep |
| Dam Noolkera | Functional | Small |
| Borehole Lochngei, Sirata, Noontoto, Nkejemuat | Functional | Deep |
| Borehole w/mill | Non functional | |
| Dams Noomotio | Functional | Big |
| Lpartuk | Functional | Deep |
| Borehole milimani | Functional | Deep |
| Slaughter house (Maralal) | Functional | Big |
| Slaughter house (Nomotioo) | Under construction | Big |
| Hay store Noomtioo | Functional | and medium size |
| Slaughter slabPoro | Functional | small size |
| Sale yardMararal | Functional | |
| Weighing machine (Maralal market) | Non functional | |
| Two cattle dips (Loosuk) | Functional | |

Lorroki division

Minor functional route

This route starts from Kadomo, through Amaiya to Lowanyikie. Animals are transported by tracks and there are three water dams namely Logewan, Lgorate, and Agata Lera

• There is a hay store

The markets along the route are as illustrated in the table below

| Markets | Details |
|-----------------------|--|
| SUGUTA Marmar market | Major market |
| | Sale Yard big but not functional |
| | Slaughter house functional |
| | Saltlick |
| | Checkpoint functional |
| | Dam and borehole are operational |
| Lekuru market | Saleyard big and requires repair of fencing |
| | Borehole and hand pump |
| | Slaughter Slumprequires improvement |
| Kisima market | Sale yard big without loading ramp |
| | Slaughter Slump |
| | Dam and pipe water |
| Bourder market kadomo | Market day is on Tuesdays |
| | Volume is low because of insecurity |
| | Goats- 200 |
| | Sheep |
| | Cattle - 120 |
| | Donkeys - 40 |
| | Camels 20 |
| | Traders include locals and outsiders from other countries including Laikipia and Nairobi |
| Kilimon market | Water pipe, holding ground |
| | Weighing machine requires repair |

Major functional route

- From Lekuru market to Gilgil
- Both Cattle and Shoat
- Means of transportationis on foot
- Tracking route isKinmon-Oldonyogiro-Kimajo
- There is enough water on the way fromLekuru to Rumuritu market

The major market along the route are Suguta marmar and Kisima markets

Wamba division

Major markets

| Market | Status | Day | Traders | Stock | Volumes | Structures |
|------------|------------|----------|--|-----------------------------------|---|---|
| Lokuniyani | Functional | Thursday | Local and external (Burji, Meru, Kikuyus, Borana) | Camel Cattle Sheep Goats | Camels-70 Cattle-120 Sheep-1100 Goats-2500 | Sale yard (complete)Pens(complete) Loading Ramp(complete) Hay Store(complete) LMA office (complete) Market stalls(complete) |

Challenges: No toilets; no water on the sale yard; no sheds; few external buyers; insecurity along Isukunyeni- Lereta area. Means of transport for moving stock include: Lorries to terminal markets; Trekking to terminal markets for camels and cattle and Trucks

Major markets

| Market | Status | Day | Traders | Stock | Volumes | Structures |
|-------------------|------------|-----------|---|-----------------------------------|--|---|
| Lpus | Functional | Wednesday | Local and few external (Burji,Meru) | Sheep Goats | Sheep-100 Goats-500 | Sale Yard (complete) Loading Ramp (complete) |
| Lengusaka | Functional | Wednesday | Local and external (Samburu, Burji,Meru) | Sheep Goats | Sheep-20 Goats-100 | Sale Yard (complete) Loading Ramp (complete) |
| Ngutuk and Lmuget | Functional | Saturday | Local | Sheep Goats | Sheep-150 Goats-350 | Thorn bushes, open air |
| Lturoto | Functional | Saturday | Locals | Sheep Goats Camel Cattle | Sheep-50 Goats-200 Camel-20 Catlle-20 | T thorn bushes, open air |
| Lorrok Onyeki | Functional | Tuesday | Local | Sheep Goats Camel Cattle | Sheep-40 Goats-100 Camels-5 | No structure, open bushes |
| Ndonyo Nasipa | Functional | Monday | Local | Sheep Goats Camel Cattle | Sheep-50 Goats-100 Camels-10 Cattle -10 | No structure, thorn bushes, open air |
| Ngilai central | Functional | Tuesday | Local | Sheep Goats Camel Cattle | Sheep-10 Goats-30 | No structure |
| Wamba town | Functional | Tuesday | Local and external (Samburu, Burji,Meru) | Sheep Goats Camel Cattle | Sheep-30 Ggoats-100 Cattle-20 Camels-4 | No structure |

- Major functional routes
- I. Sereolipi & Kanjo

Lolkuniyani market- Nchorro nyiro

Infrastructure: Shallow wells

2. Ndonyo Wasin – Murit river – Ngilai – Lolkuniyani market

Infrastructure - Murit river, murit springs, Loosikiriashi river

Lturoto dam, Lkuasi springs, Seiya river, Lendekut borehole, Lbaaonyekie river, Lolkuniyani dam, Lolkuniyani borehole.

3. Lpus - Lusen Gap- Lolkumiyani market.

Infrastructure - Barsilinga river, Barsilinga cattle crush, Nagoroworu river

4. Ngutok – Ongirori – Lengusaka river, Slorita stream,

Shallow wells - Lengusaka market, Wamba market

Lkisin River - Lolkuniyani market

5. Ngutuk elmuget – Ungei – Loroki, Lakasawo spring, Nentorit – Lengusaka market

Infrastructure - Nagoroworu river

6. Sarara – Nendia River – Lengusaka market

Infrastructure - Nkongu river, Parkakara river, Nendia river, lengusaka river, sirata cattle crush

Major non-functional market

- 1. Colonial road from KWS (Wamba) to Naisunyai through Lpashie destroyed by soil erosion.
- 2. Wamba, Lengusaka , Lpus, Ngilai, Ltiroto, Lorrokonyekie, Ngutuk-Elmuget, Ndonyo Nasipa

Minor functional routes

- •. Raraiti Lturoto market: Infrastructure- Rarati borehole Lturoto
- •. Lorrok Onyekie market Lturoto market: Infrastructure Lturoto borehole
- Lorrok –Onyekie market Lolkuniyani market: Infrastructure Rigrig river, Seiya River, Lkwasi springs, Lponyokie springs, lenolekut borehole
- •. Resim Lpus market: No infrastructure
- •. Resim Lolkuniyani market: Infrastructure Lbaa onyekie river, Lottepes borehole, Lolkuniyani market

Minor functional routes (seasonal)

- 1. Milgis river Lorrok onyekie market. No Infrastructure
- 2. Milgis Ndonyo naripa market- Laka Milgis
- 3. Sirata Reteti and then joining major functional routes to Wamba town market or Lolkuniyani market.
- 4. Or Ka Lolkineegi/Mbagas-Lolkunyani market

Infrastructure

- Lantare spring
- Orka spring
- · Lolkinyi spring
- Pesu spring

Infrastructure

| Infrastructure | Location | | | | | |
|------------------|---|--|--|--|--|--|
| Slaughter house | Wamba | | | | | |
| Sale Yard | Lolkuniyani market (completely constructed) | | | | | |
| | Legusaka market (holding yard, no sale yard only for small stock) | | | | | |
| | Ilpus market (holding yard, no sale yard only small stock) | | | | | |
| Dips | Wamba town – Structure vandalized no roof only plunges dip | | | | | |
| | Lodunyokwe - Structure vandalized no roof only plunges dip | | | | | |
| Crushes | All the constructed structures destroyed or vandalized. | | | | | |
| | Lekat | | | | | |
| | Wamba town | | | | | |
| | Nagoroworu | | | | | |
| | Ngilai | | | | | |
| | Swari | | | | | |
| | Remot | | | | | |
| | Ndonyo Naropa Nendia | | | | | |
| Hay store | - Lolkuniyani market, newly constructed not yet used | | | | | |
| Watering troughs | Lanchekul dams (newly construction in use) | | | | | |
| | Naisunyai dam | | | | | |
| | Namanyaro dam | | | | | |
| Salt Licks | Nagoroworu, Lkisin, Losikiriashi, Ibaa onyekie, Seyia, Lkuasi, Laarapa, Tepelel river, Lodosoit | | | | | |
| Watering Points | Ndorro ngiso river, Reteti river, Nkongu river, Wamba river, Margwe river, Lkesen river, Nagorrooworu river, worka river, Lolkweji river, lipito river, Lendadapoi shallow well, Wamba town, losikiriashi, Ngeny, Seneya, Lturoto, Raraiti dam, Waso river, Milgis, Nkare Narok, Leangata, Ndonyo Wasin dams, Meiwua river, Murit river, Nkii river, Lodosoit river, Andow river, Lmugut (Lorian) shallow well. | | | | | |

Way forward

Conversion of routes, markets and Infrastructure to GIS Database

The marked topographic maps will be scanned. Digitization of routes markets and infrastructure will be done onscreen and assigned codes as was done during participatory mapping exercise. The geographic database will be available and will be integrated with any other relevant GIS data for the county to give more information for decision making.

Expected outputs:

- · Development of various thematic maps which would include;
- · Stock routes, protected areas (parks and forests), wetlands
- Stock routes with livestock densities (cattle, sheep, goats and camels)
- · Stock routes with human population density and agriculture
- Stock routes with range condition (based on remotely sensed indices Normalized Differential Vegetation Index (NDVI)
- · Stock routes and disease or potential areas of diseases

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