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**DE-SNARING REPORT  
MAY 2013**

**MTITO/CHUI TEAM**



## Mtito/Chui Team

### De-Snaring Report for May, 2013

#### Participants

Augustine	Malel
Douglas	Nyandika
Bernard	Kimani
Boru	Okicha
Aden	Abdi

#### Areas Patrolled

Triangle  
Odelta  
Mtito River  
Misani Reserve  
Mangelete  
Kilalinda  
Kenani  
Kanga  
Kambi ya Faru

#### Arrests

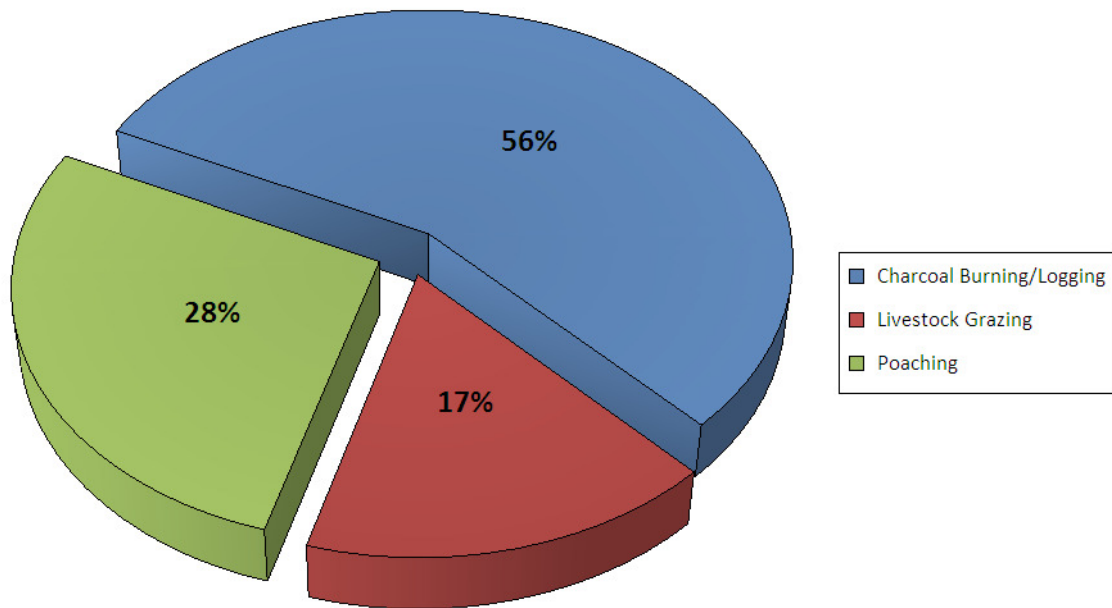
5 Arrest(s) this month



## Mtito/Chui Team

### De-Snaring Report for May, 2013

#### Main Illegal Activities experienced during the Month





## Mtito/Chui Team

### De-Snaring Report for May, 2013

#### Snares Collected

Snare Type	Snare Size	Snare Description	No. Confiscated
Thin Wire	Small	Scattered	18

<b>Total Snares Collected:</b>	<b>18</b>
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## Mtito/Chui Team

### De-Snaring Report for May, 2013

#### Monthly Summary

CHUI TEAM DESNARING REPORT FOR MAY 2013

##### Report summary

The month of May was characterized by high energies within the team. The team patrolled areas including: Kanga area, Kilalinda area after receiving information from one of our informers that there was lamping in that area, we managed to recover lamping equipment and snares which were left behind by escaping poachers after they sensed our presence.

The team also patrolled Triangle area where two men were caught collecting fire wood in a protected area without a permit. This is considered as trespass, therefore, the team arrested the people, took them to the police station to be charged. Mtito river park boundary is a well known area for charcoal burning and logging. Therefore the team did a thorough patrol in this area and arrested one charcoal burner and took him to police for further legal measures. The other areas patrolled were Kenani and Mang'etele area where illegal cattle grazing was rife in the park and succeeded in apprehending two cattle herders. Charcoal burning at Mang'etele is at its high with much deforestation and destruction of other vegetation.

The team also lifted snares left by poachers. These included:

- 2 Big cable snares
- 47 small wire snares

All in all, the team decided to conduct thorough patrols in the month of June, mostly in areas where there were evidences of poaching and logging.

Compiled by  
Team leader  
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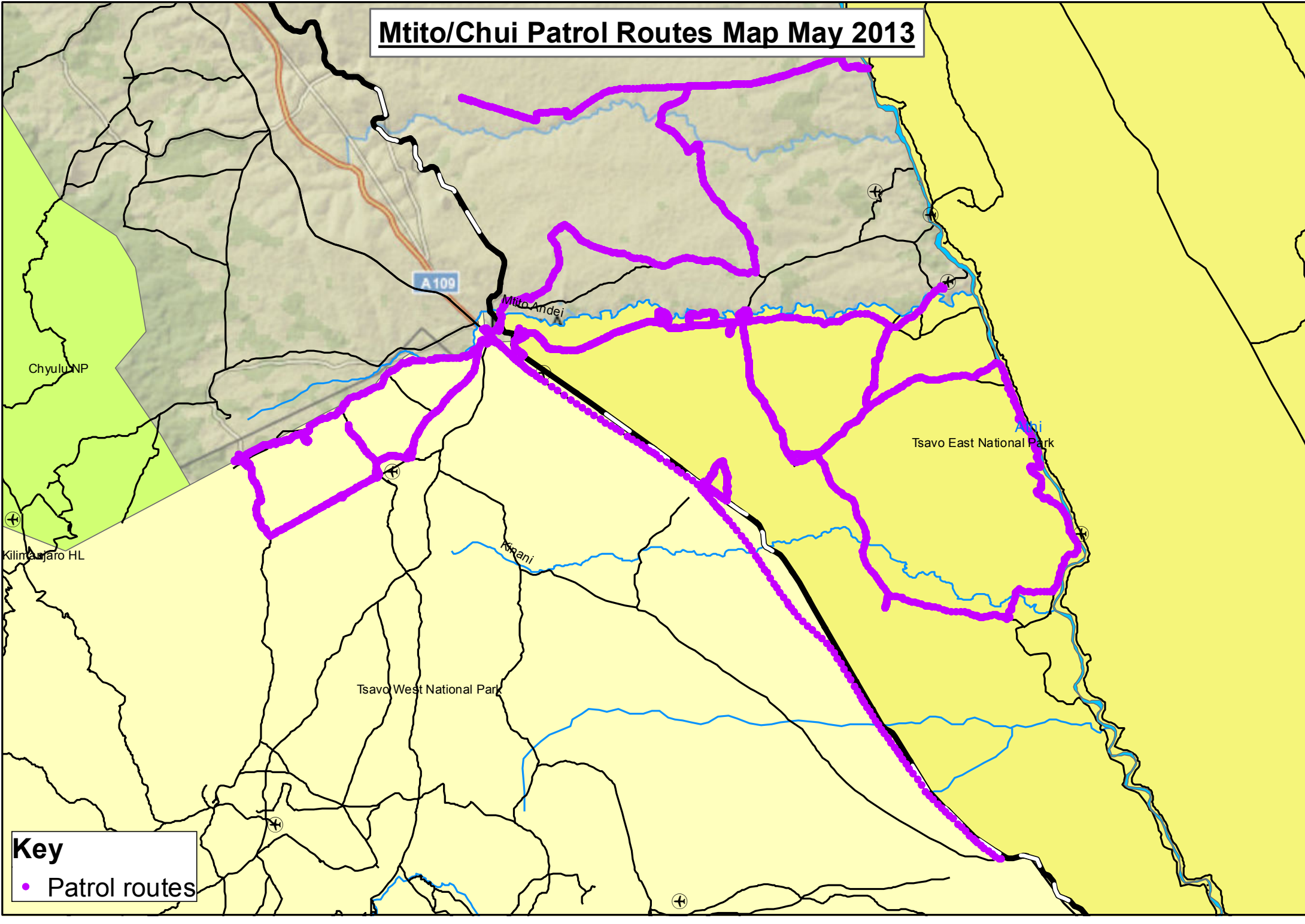
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#### KWS Ranger Participation

Patrol Team	KWS Ranger Name	No. Patrol Days
Mtito/Chui	, Shangara	10
Mtito/Chui	, Shangala	3
Mtito/Chui	, Njeru	20
Mtito/Chui	, Kobo	27
Mtito/Chui	, Elimlim	5
Mtito/Chui	, Abdi	4

**Total Man Days of KWS Participation: 69**

# Mtito/Chui Patrol Routes Map May 2013



Chyulu NP

A109

Mtito Andei

Tsavo East National Park

Kilimanjaro HL

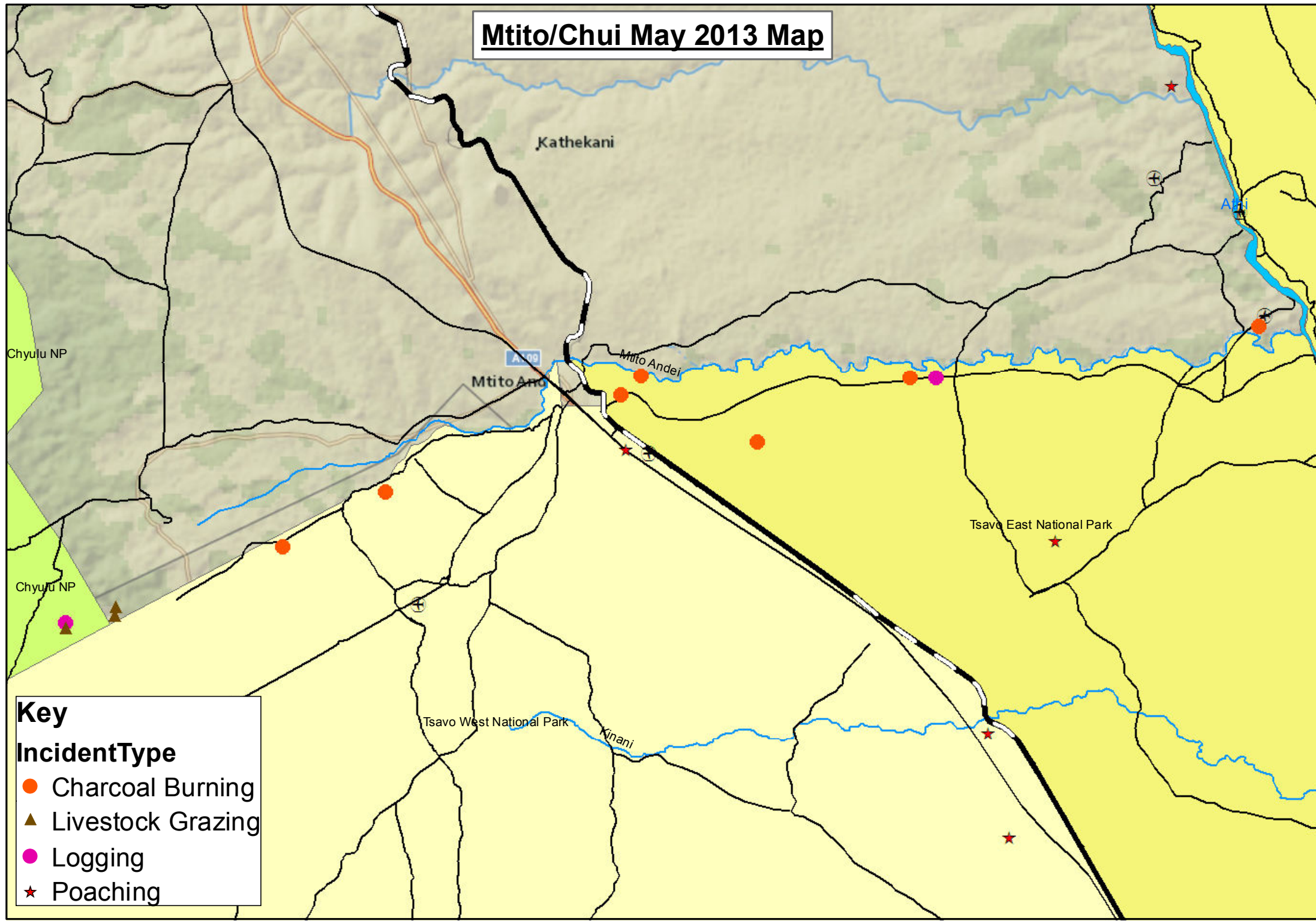
Kikani

Tsavo West National Park

**Key**  
• Patrol routes



# Mtito/Chui May 2013 Map



## Key

### IncidentType

- Charcoal Burning
- ▲ Livestock Grazing
- Logging
- ★ Poaching



**Mtito/Chui Team May 2013 desnaring report photographs**



**Desnaring exercise at Triangle area.**



**Man caught collecting firewood at Triangle area**



**Fresh Poacher's jiko found at Kanga area.**



**A fresh poacher's shooting hideout at Kenani.**





**Impounded poaching apparatus at Kilalinda area.**



**An old elephant carcass found at triangle area**



**Old poachers' hideout at Kenani area.**



**A snail carcass found at Kenani.**