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**DE-SNARING REPORT  
JANUARY 2012**

**TIVA TEAM**



## Tiva Team

### De-Snaring Report for January, 2012

#### Participants

Edwin	Githae
Bramuel	Ileri
Paul	Kamau
Joseph	Macharia
Stephen	Musau
James	Simiti

#### Areas Patrolled

Ithumba  
Kalovoto  
Kyae Rock  
Lesilau Dam  
Masobo  
Mathae  
Power Line  
Roka  
Tiva  
Wamata

#### Arrests

0 Arrest(s) this month



## Tiva Team

### De-Snaring Report for January, 2012

#### Illegal Activities - Number, Type and Description

##### Illegal Activities

Illegal Activity	No. Incidents	Location	Percentage	Scale	Arrests
Shooting Platform , Old Hideout	1	Umauma	50.00%	Commercial	No
Shooting Platform , Old Hideout	1	Leslau Dam	50.00%	Commercial	No
Shooting Platform , Fresh Hideout	1	Tiva	33.33%	Commercial	No
Shooting Platform , Fresh Hideout	1	Kyae Rock	33.33%	Commercial	No
Shooting Platform , Fresh Hideout	1	Ithumba	33.33%	Commercial	No
Poaching , Snaring - Small Game	1	Masobo	6.67%	Commercial	No
Poaching , Snaring - Small Game	1	Leslau Dam	6.67%	Commercial	No
Poachers' Hideout(s) , Old Hideout	1	Mathea	14.29%	Commercial	No
Poachers' Hideout(s) , Old Hideout	2	Masobo	28.57%	Commercial	No
Poachers' Hideout(s) , Old Hideout	2	Leslau Dam	28.57%	Commercial	No
Poachers' Hideout(s) , Fresh Hideout	1	Umauma	14.29%	Commercial	No
Poachers' Hideout(s) , Fresh Hideout	2	Masobo	28.57%	Commercial	No
Footprints , Fresh Tracks	1	Umauma	14.29%	Commercial	No



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#### Illegal Activities

Illegal Activity	No. Incidents	Location	Percentage	Scale	Arrests
Footprints , Fresh Hideout	1	Kavaloto	100.00%	Commercial	No

\* 'Percentage' indicates the overall percentage occurrence (encountered by all de-snaring teams) of that particular illegal activity during the selected month.



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### De-Snaring Report for January, 2012

#### Wildlife Carcasses - Number, Species, Cause of Death

No. Carcasses	Species	Cause of Death	Means of Death	Carcass Age
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#### Snares Collected

Snare Type	Snare Size	Snare Description	No. Confiscated
Thin Wire	Small	Line	3
Thin Wire	Small		1
<b>Total Snares Collected:</b>			<b>4</b>



## **Tiva Team**

### **De-Snaring Report for January, 2012**

#### **Monthly Summary**

The team resumed from off duty on 15th January and laid their camp at Wamata area. The team started its operation at Masobo area. This area being a hotspot, it's preferred by poachers due to its inaccessibility, hence making it harder to capture them. In this area the Team lifted 3 snares and destroyed a number of poacher's hideout and shooting platforms. In Tundani there is a notable decrease in cases of illegal activities.

The Team camped at Ithumba for part of the month and carried out aggressive patrols of the Mathae, Kyaerock, Lesalau dam, Kalavoto and Ithumba Airstrip. At Kyaerock area the team destroyed a very well used shooting platform. A dikdik was found & rescued from a snare at Lesalau dam, the injuries were minor and hence the animal was released. At Ithumba Airstrip the Team destroyed another very well sued shooting platform that was sighted from an aerial patrol.

The Security at Ithumba area has to be beefed up, due to the reported cases of illegal entry in the park by poachers.



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#### KWS Ranger Participation

Patrol Team	KWS Ranger Name	No. Patrol Days
Tiva	Vincent, Singoro	1
Tiva	Vincent, Sigoro	13
Tiva	Calvince, Oketch	14

**Total Man Days of KWS Participation: 28**







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### **De-Snaring Report for January, 2012**

A hideout in Tundani area



A shooting hide close to the Ithumba airstrip



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Rescuing a Dikdik from a snare



A shooting platform



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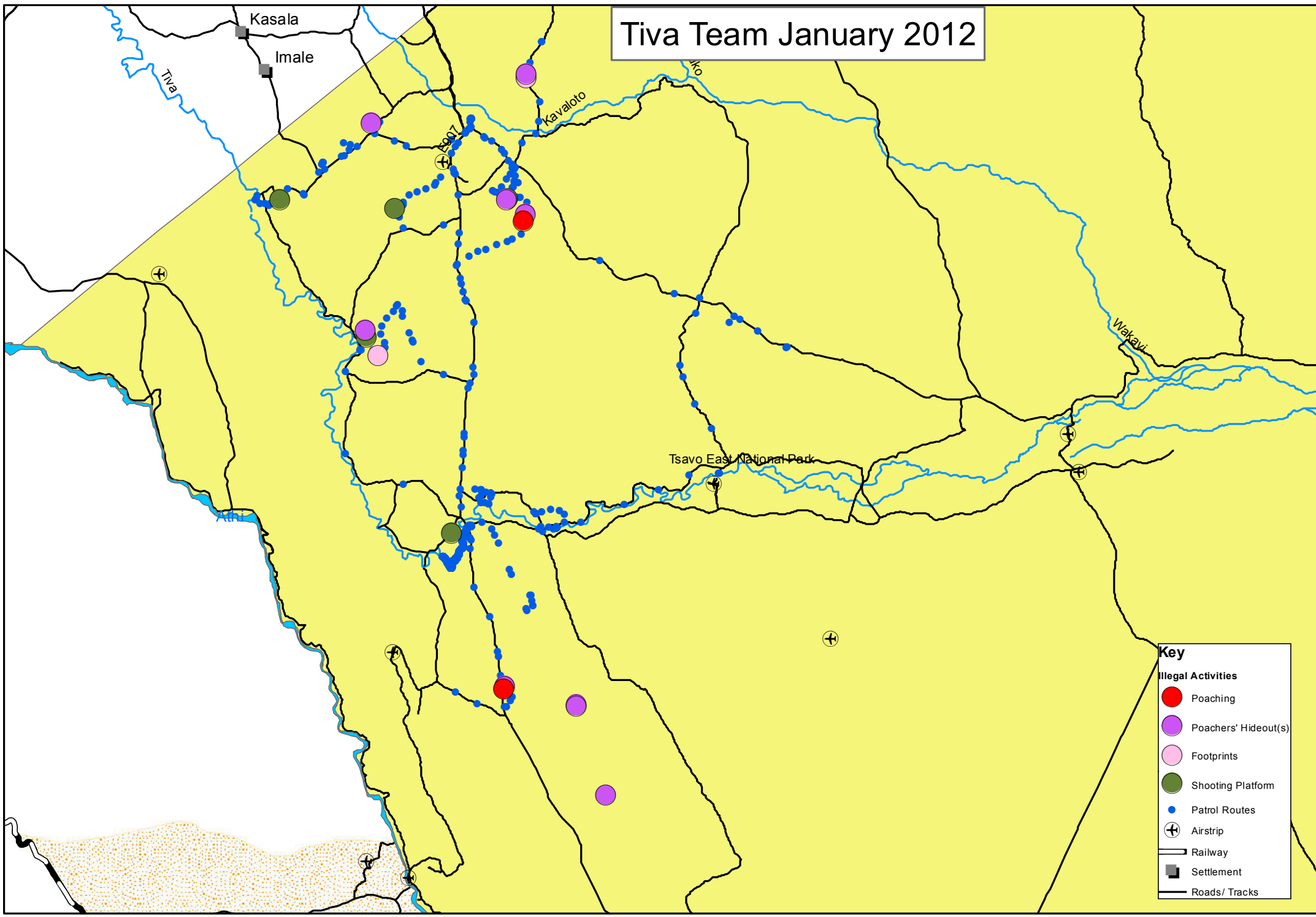


A Team member lifting snares in the Park



The Team patrolling the power line area

# Tiva Team January 2012



**Key**

**Illegal Activities**

- Poaching
- Poachers' Hideout(s)
- Footprints
- Shooting Platform
- Patrol Routes
- Airstrip
- Railway
- Settlement
- Roads/ Tracks