



Ziwani Team

De-Snaring Report for September, 2011

Participants

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Areas Patrolled

Kishushe Ranch
Lualenyi Ranch
Maktau
Mwatate Sisal Estate
Oza Ranch
Salaita Hill
Taita Hills Sanctuary
Voi
Ziwani

Arrests

4 Arrest(s) this month

Illegal Activities

Illegal Activity	No. Incidents	Location	Percentage	Scale	Arrests
Poaching , Snaring - Small Game	1	Oza Ranch	3.33%	Subsistence	No
Poaching , Snaring - Small Game	1	Oza Ranch	3.33%	Commercial	No
Poaching , Snaring - Small Game	1	Maktau	3.33%	Commercial	No
Poaching , Snaring - Large Game	2	Taita Hills	9.52%	Commercial	No



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Poaching , Snaring - Large Game	1	Salaita	4.76%	Commercial	No
Poaching , Snaring - Large Game	1	Oza Ranch	4.76%	Commercial	Yes
Poaching , Snaring - Large Game	1	Mwatate Sisal Estate	4.76%	Commercial	No
Poaching , Snaring - Large Game	5	Maktau	23.81%	Commercial	No
Poaching , Snaring - Large Game	1	Maktau	4.76%	Commercial	Yes
Poaching , Snaring - Large Game	1	Lualenyi Ranch	4.76%	Commercial	No
Poachers' Hideout(s) , Fresh Hideout	1	Ziwani	6.25%	Commercial	No

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

Snares Collected

Snare Type	Snare Size	Snare Description	No. Confiscated
Thin Wire	Small	Scattered	30
Thin Wire	Small	Line	62
Thin Wire	Large	Scattered	11
Cable	Small	Line	7
Cable	Large	Scattered	74
Cable	Large	Line	4



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Total Snares Collected:	188
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Monthly Summary

During the month of September the Team lifted many snares and recovered 83Kg of bush meat as well as arrested four poachers.

The team rescued a baby elephant at Mbuyuni area which was air lifted to Nairobi nursery for better care. Its condition was very poor; it had a swollen lower jaw as well as water retention in the abdominal cavity. A poached elephant carcass was found at Lualenyi ranch with the tusks missing. It is suspected it was killed by gunshot wounds. At Murka area, the Team assisted in fire fighting for almost 24hours. The fire was aggressive and widespread inside the park.



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A poacher arrested in possession of eland meat



A mining hole at maktau inside park



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A poacher arrested while checking on his snares



A snare line at maktau outside park



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A large snare



A snared domestic cow at latika area



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A poached elephant carcass



An underground snare at mwatate sisal estate



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Bush meat being dried on top of a tree



Rescuing a baby elephant at Mbuyuni area



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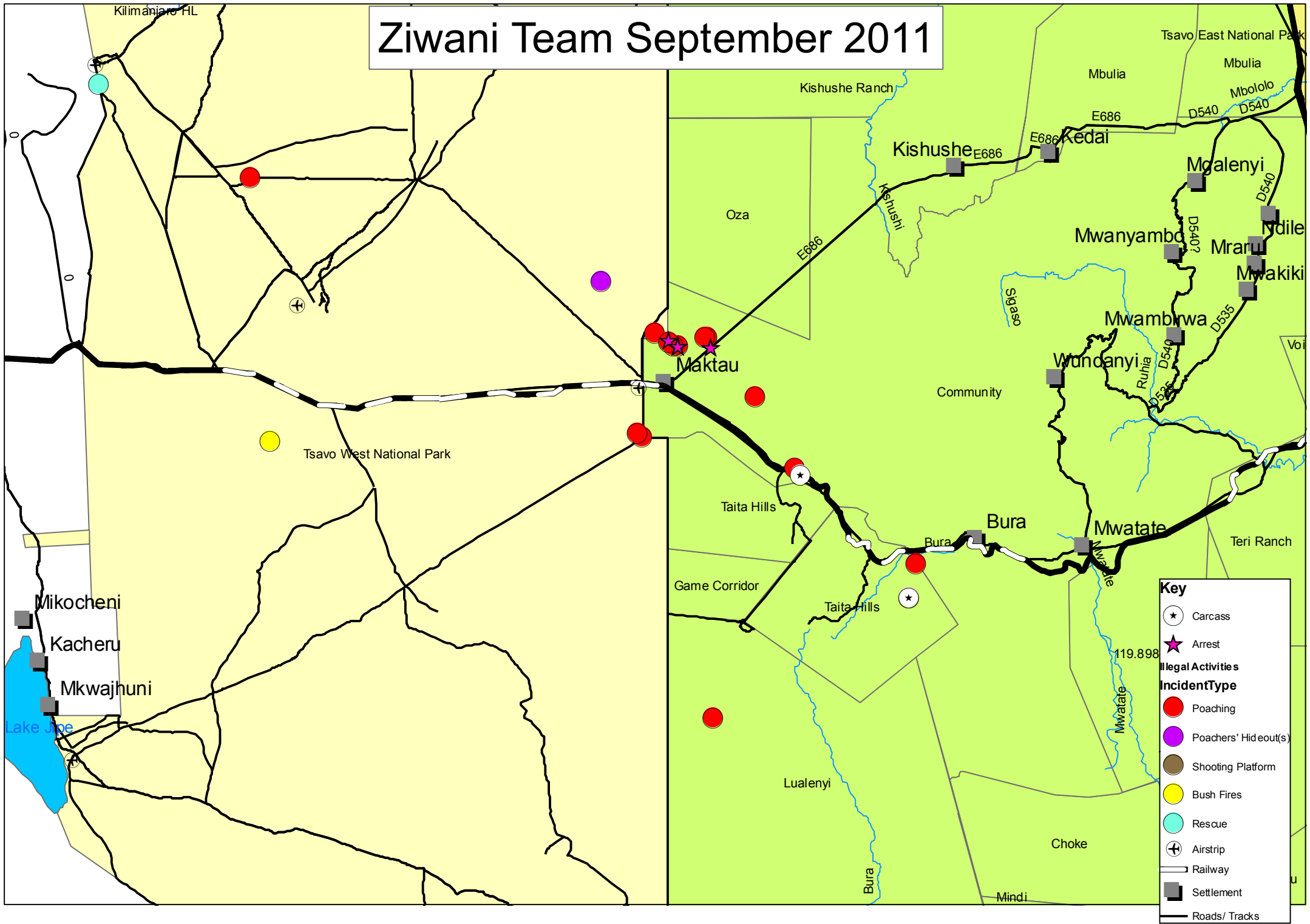


Three poachers display their catch after their arrest



Bush fire at murka inside park

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Key

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- ★ Arrest
- Illegal Activities**
- IncidentType**
- Poaching
- Poachers' Hideout(s)
- Shooting Platform
- Bush Fires
- Rescue
- ⊕ Airstrip
- ⊕ Railway
- Settlement
- Roads/ Tracks