

A logo icon consisting of a 3x3 grid of squares. The top row has three white squares with a grey person icon. The middle row has a grey square with a person icon, a solid grey square, and a white square with a person icon. The bottom row has a solid grey square, a grey square with a person icon, and a white square with a person icon.

# GRID<sup>3</sup>

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# Evolution of GRID<sup>3</sup>



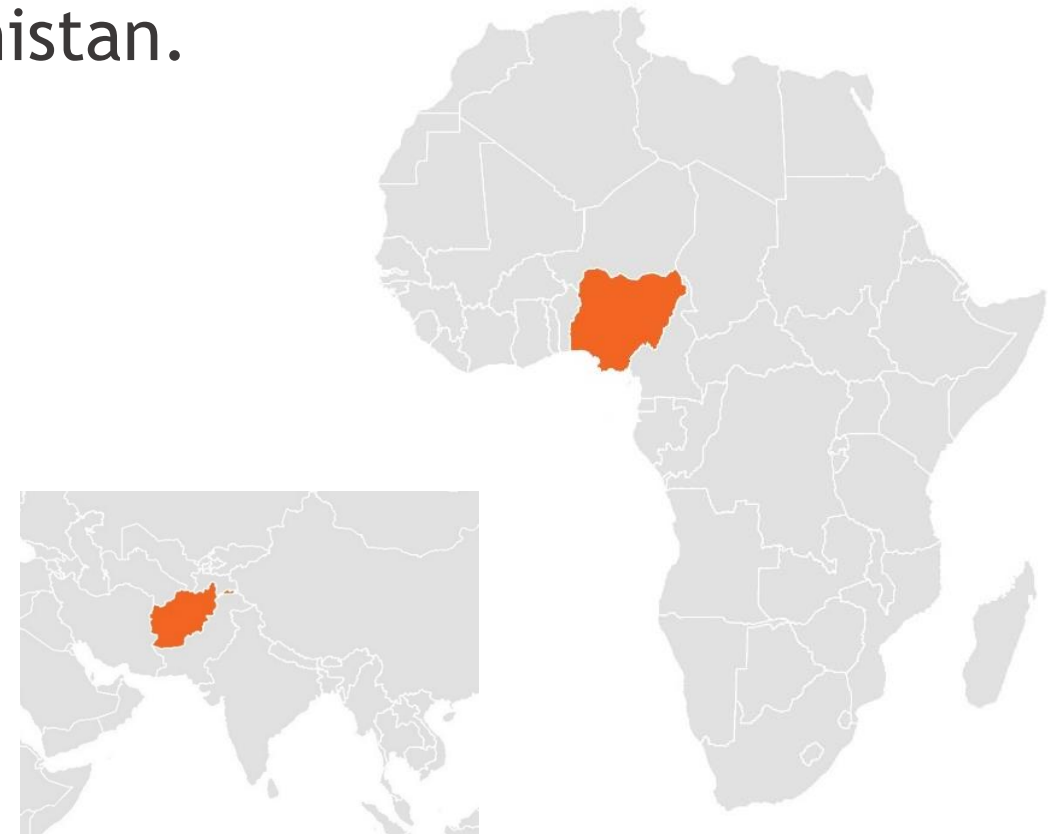
The idea behind GRID<sup>3</sup> started with an effort to eradicate Polio in Nigeria, and grew out of the collaboration between UNFPA and WorldPop/Flowminder in Afghanistan.

**To Help Nigeria Stop Polio, Bill Gate Launches “Governor’s Immunization Leadership Challenge”**

States eligible for \$500,000 grant to address pressing health issues

“If things stay stable in the conflicted areas, humanity will see its last case of polio this year.”

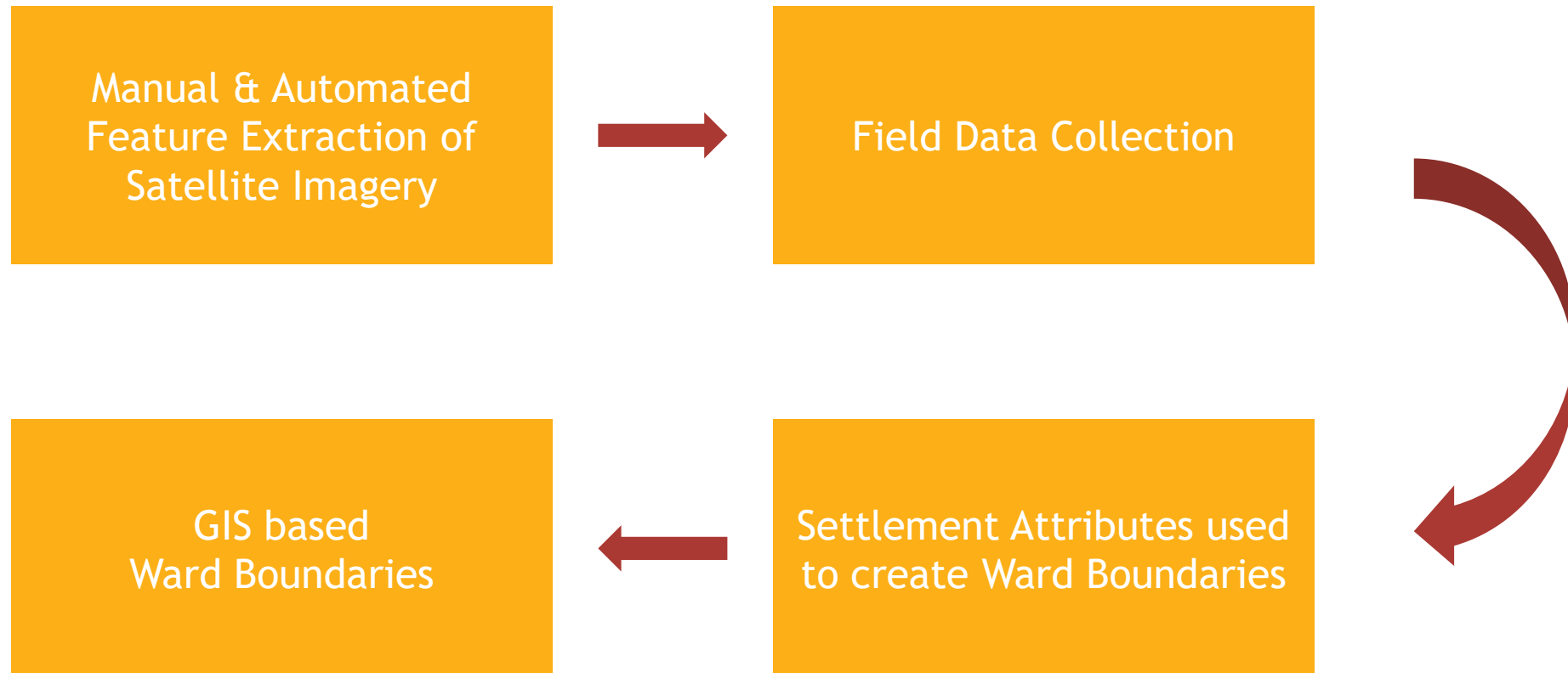
- Bill Gates, in The Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation 2017 annual report

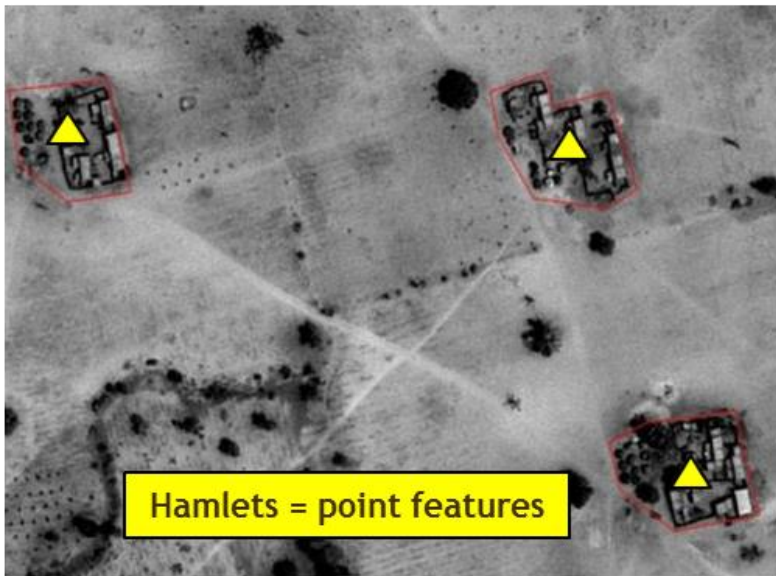


## Fighting polio in Nigeria

- Geographic Information Systems (GIS) mapping work in 11 northern States in Nigeria from 2013 to 2015.
- Creation of maps to **support polio micro-planning** and serve as a base layer for **GIS Vaccination Tracking System (VTS)**
- As a result, GRID<sup>3</sup> has **expanded data collection and mapping** across **all states** in Nigeria.

# GIS data collection processes

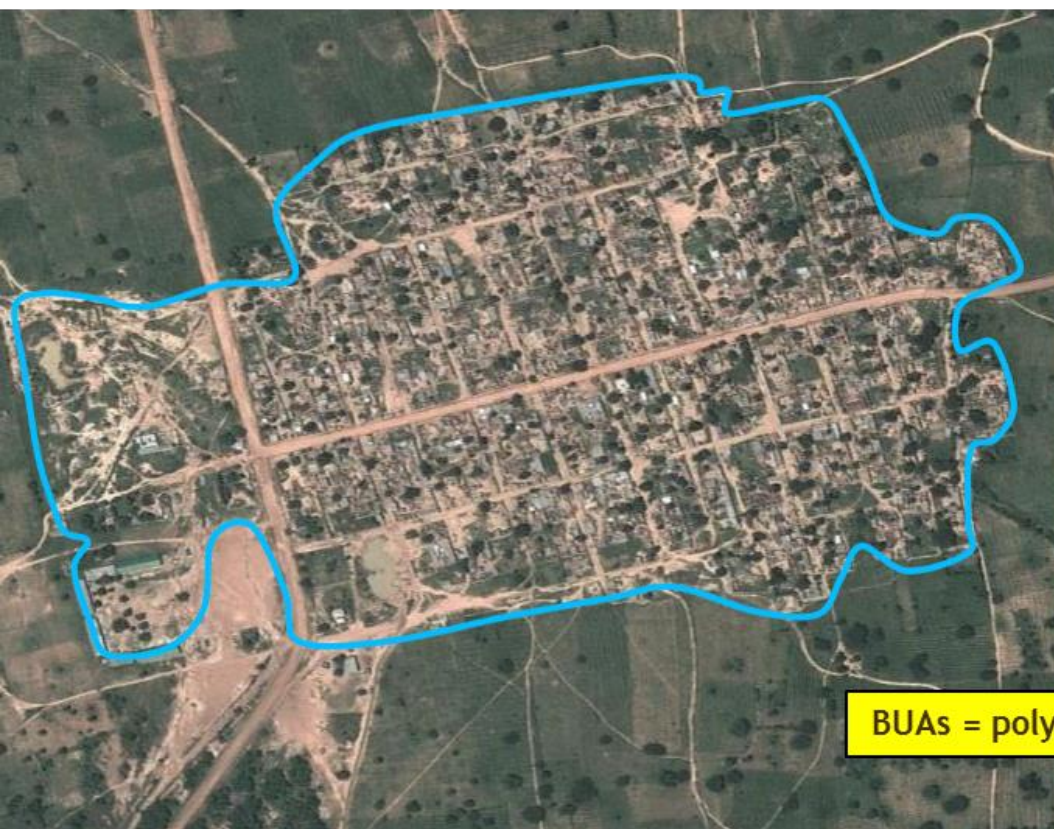




Hamlets = point features

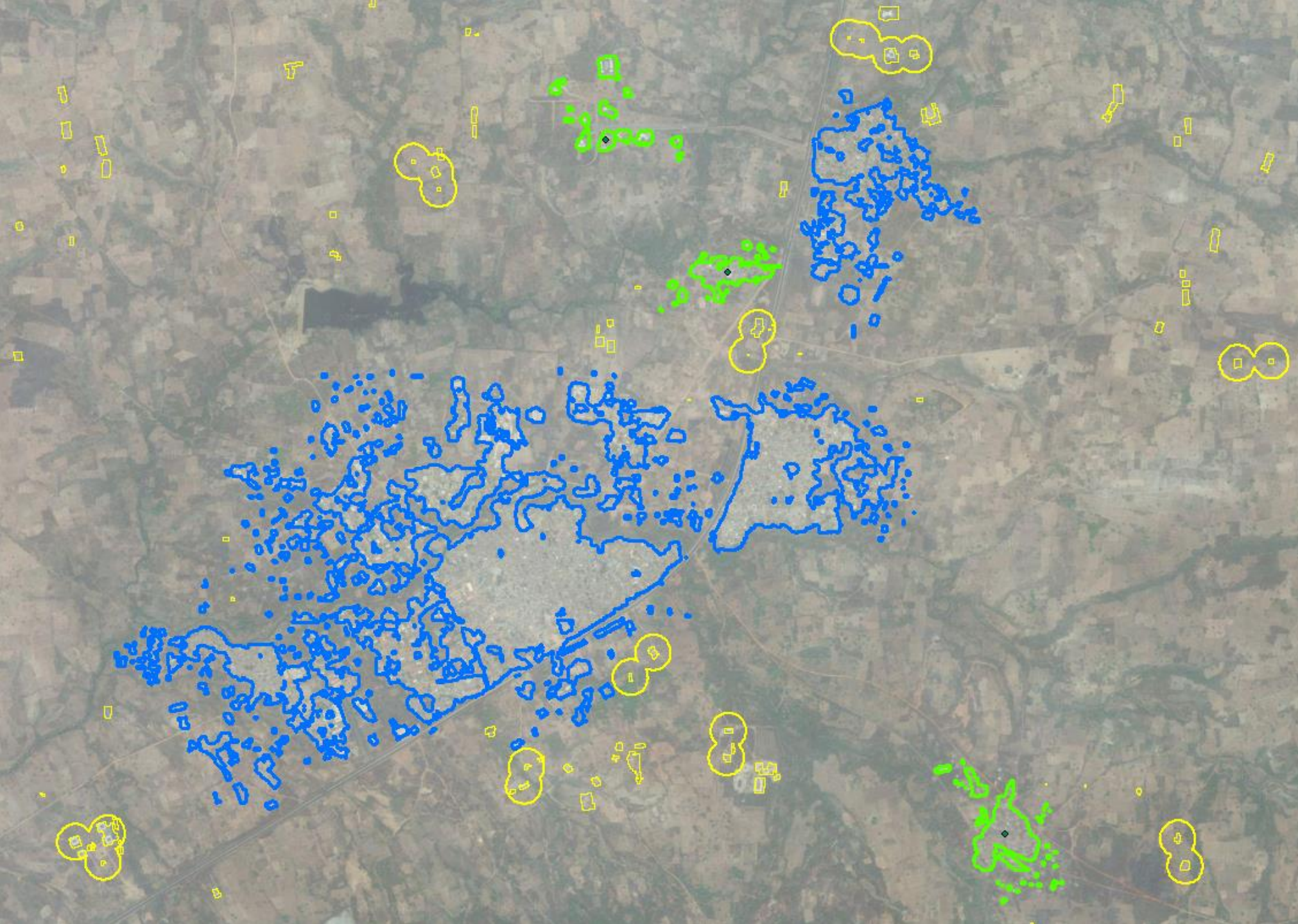


Small Settlements = point features



BUAs = polygon features

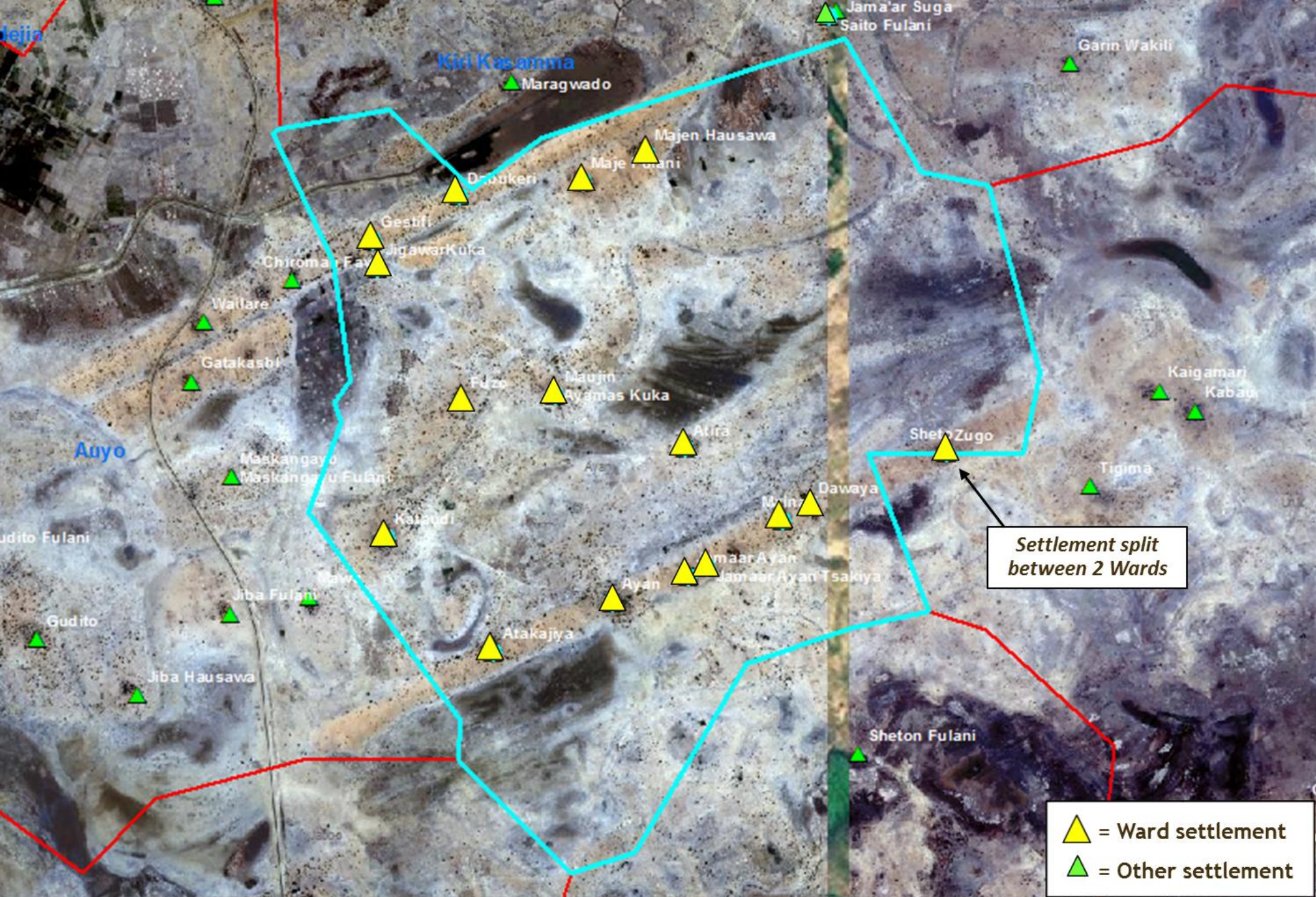




Feature  
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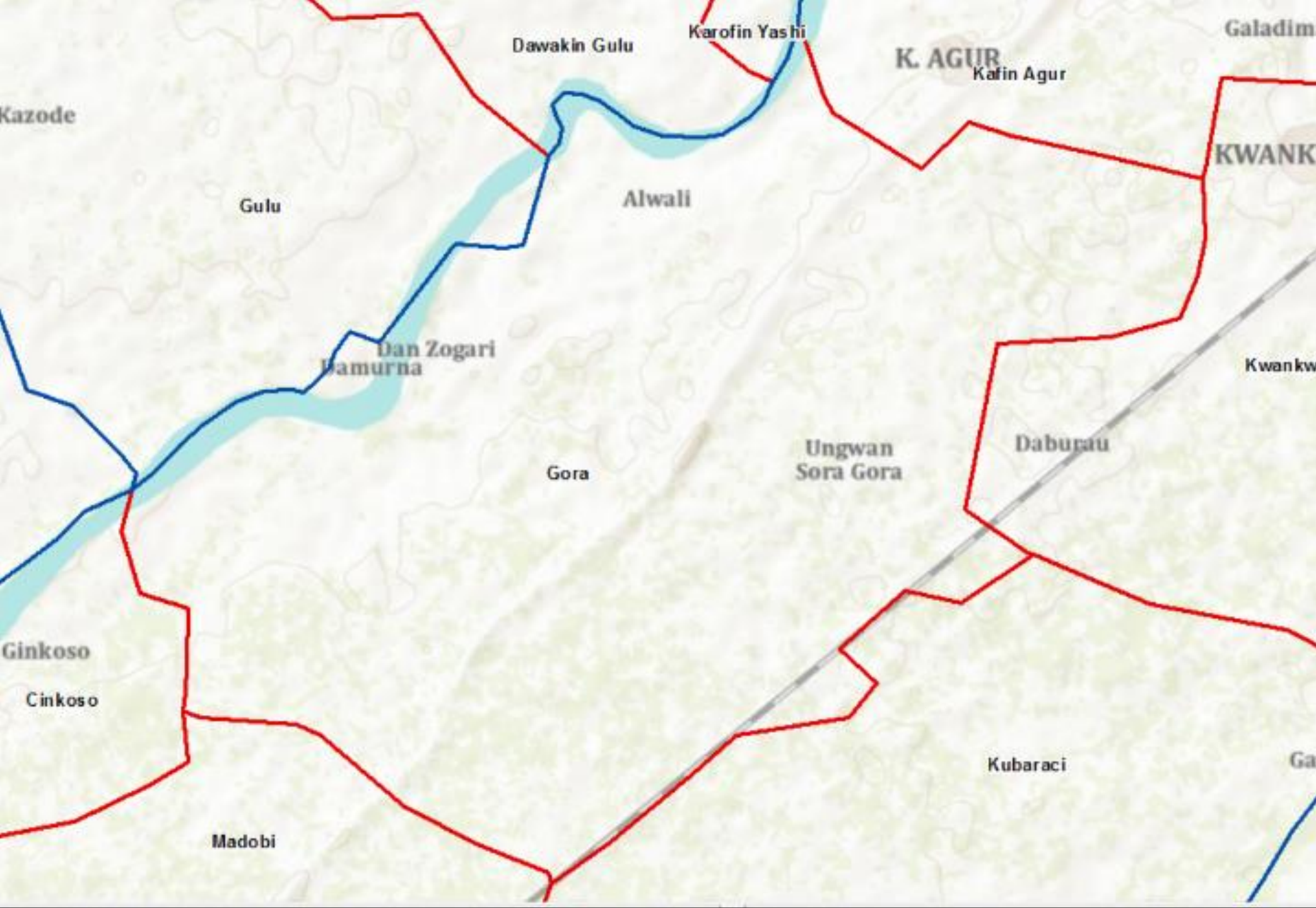


Field data  
collection

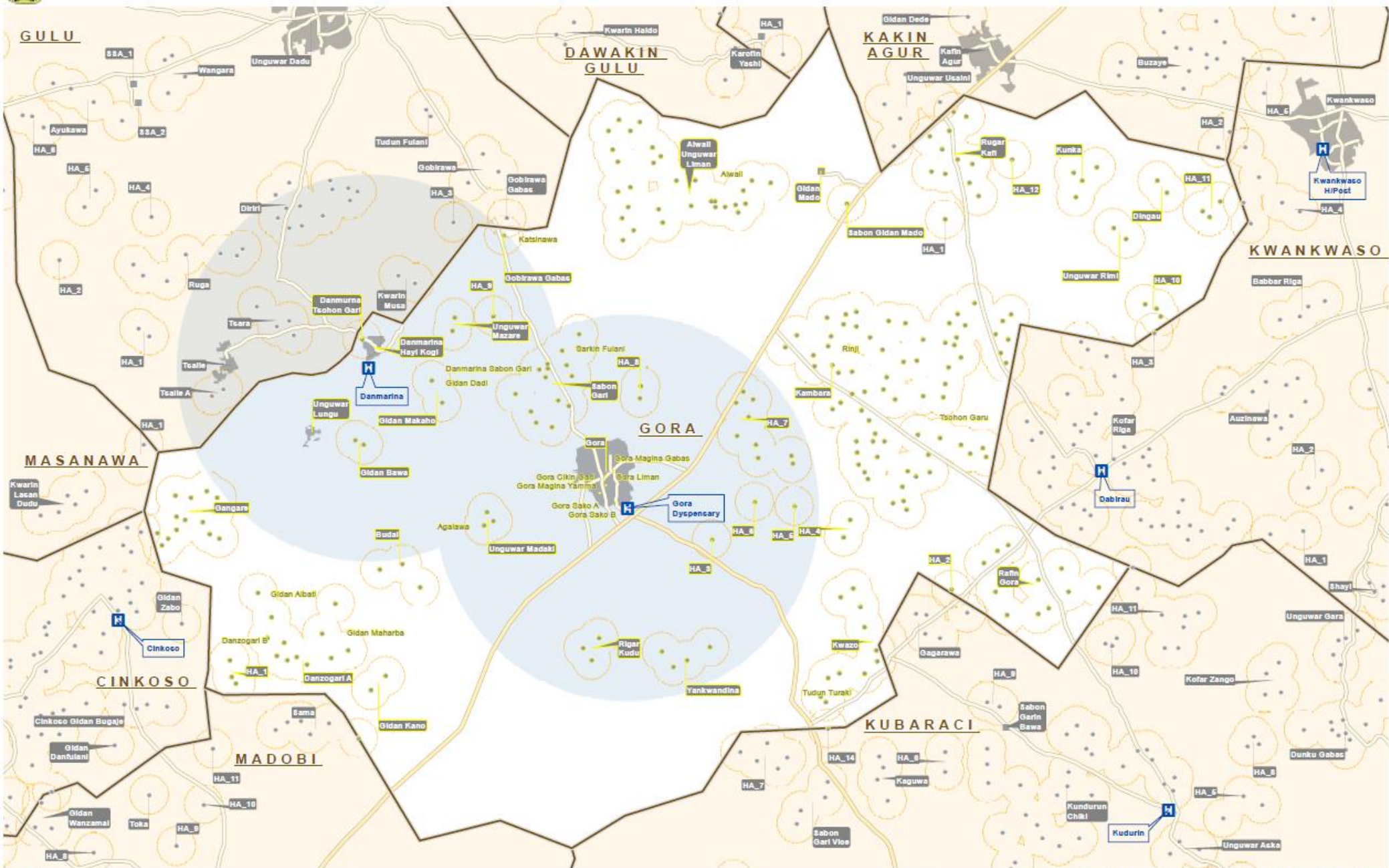


Settlement attributes as guide to ward boundary delineation





Delineated  
Ward  
boundary



GIS based ward boundary with HF catchment areas

- Legend**
- Ward boundary
  - Small settlement inside targeted ward
  - Small settlement outside targeted ward
  - Health facility
  - 2 km health facility buffer
  - Hamlets inside targeted ward
  - Hamlet outside targeted ward
  - Hamlet area
  - Built-up area



This special use-map was produced to support Nigeria's Polio Immunization Programme field operation planning. It was designed specifically for vaccination team assignment planning and is not intended to be a topographic map. The content was compiled from commercial satellite sources and includes settlement names and points of interest from field data collection. Boundaries and names are for reference purposes and should not be considered authoritative. Production date: 10/22/2013

# GRID<sup>3</sup> Nigeria Outcomes and Applications



## Outcomes

1. Engagements
2. Data Generation
  - High-resolution georeferenced population data
  - High precision administrative boundary data
  - Accurate settlement data
  - Spatial infrastructure data (Points of Interests)
3. Dissemination and Use
4. Capacity-building

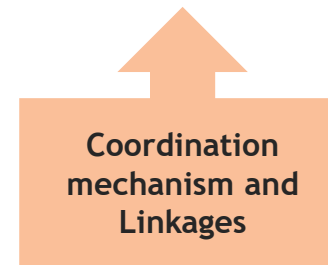
## Applications (Use cases)

Improve national sampling frames

Informed decision making

Better service delivery

Support humanitarian efforts



Coordination

# National GRID<sup>3</sup> Project

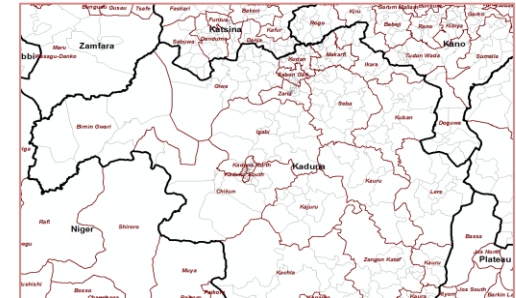


## Opportunity

- The Polio Eradication Initiative has produced high-resolution spatial data for settlements, boundaries and population.
- The country-wide data will be complete by end 2018.
- They will be available for immediate use where appropriate
- They can support spatial data development within Government agencies



Settlements



Boundaries



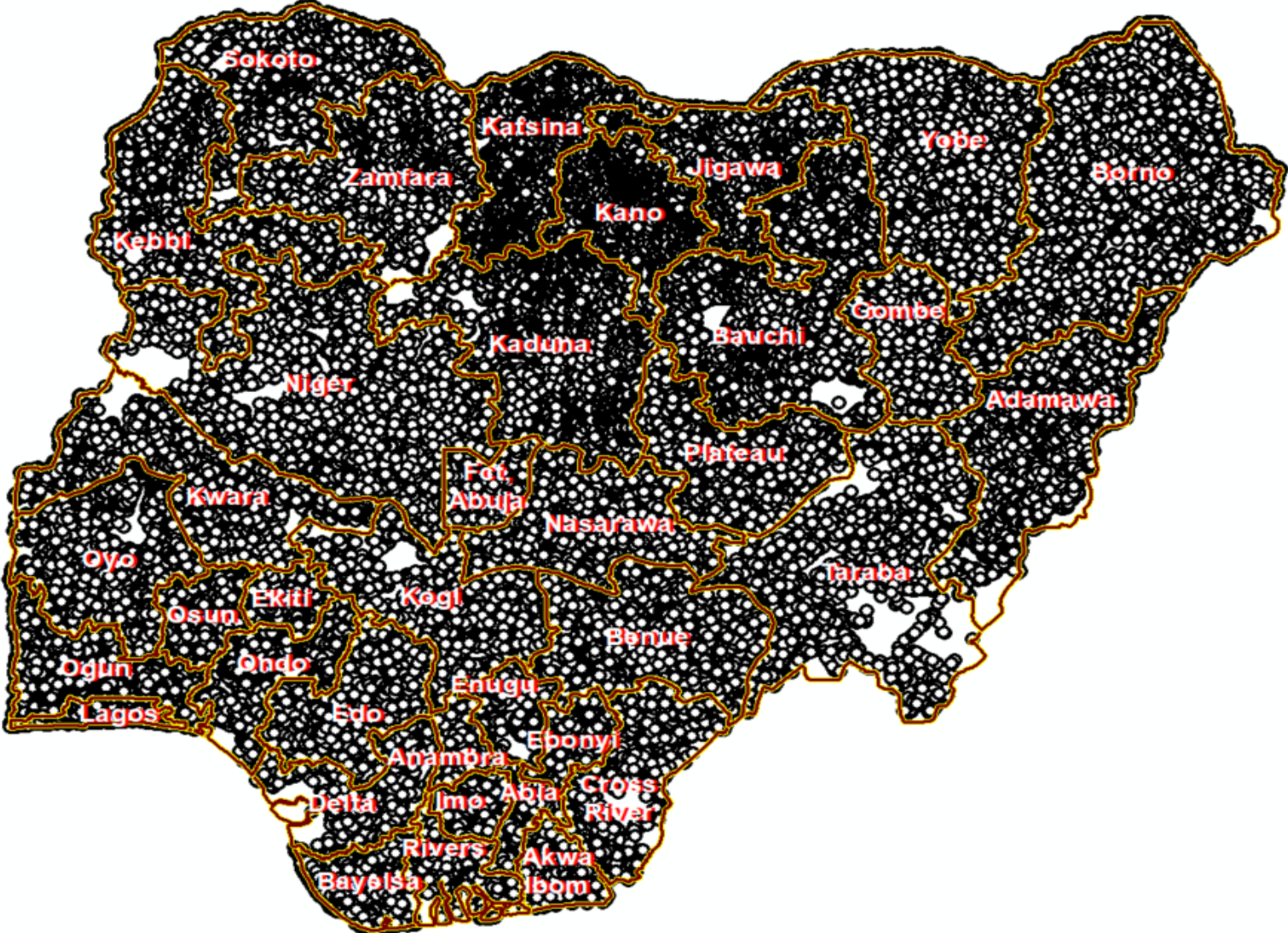
Population

## Approach

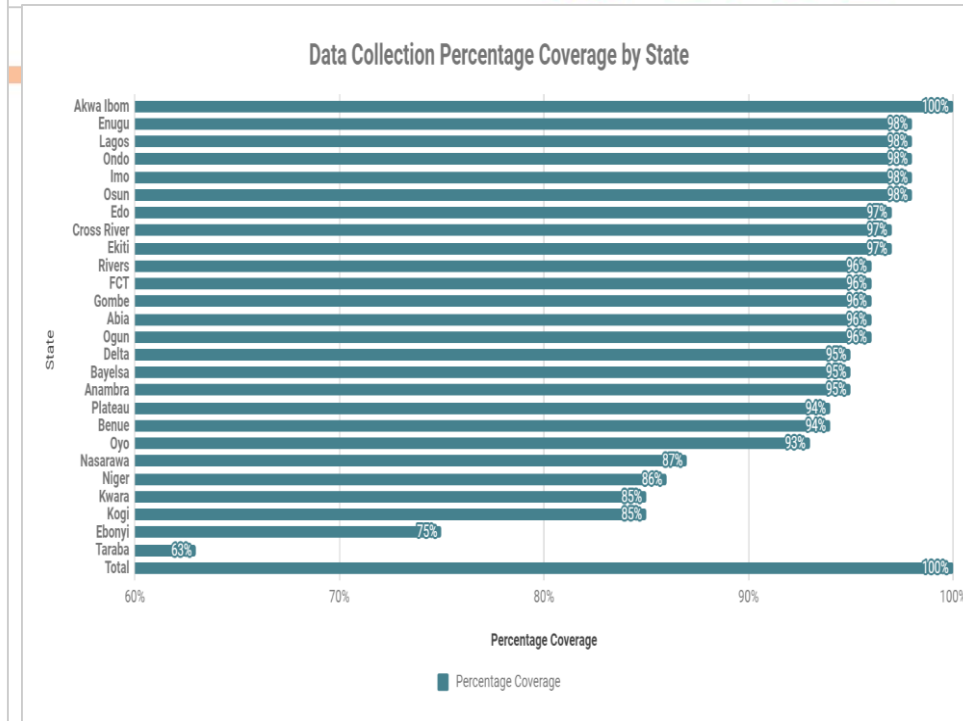
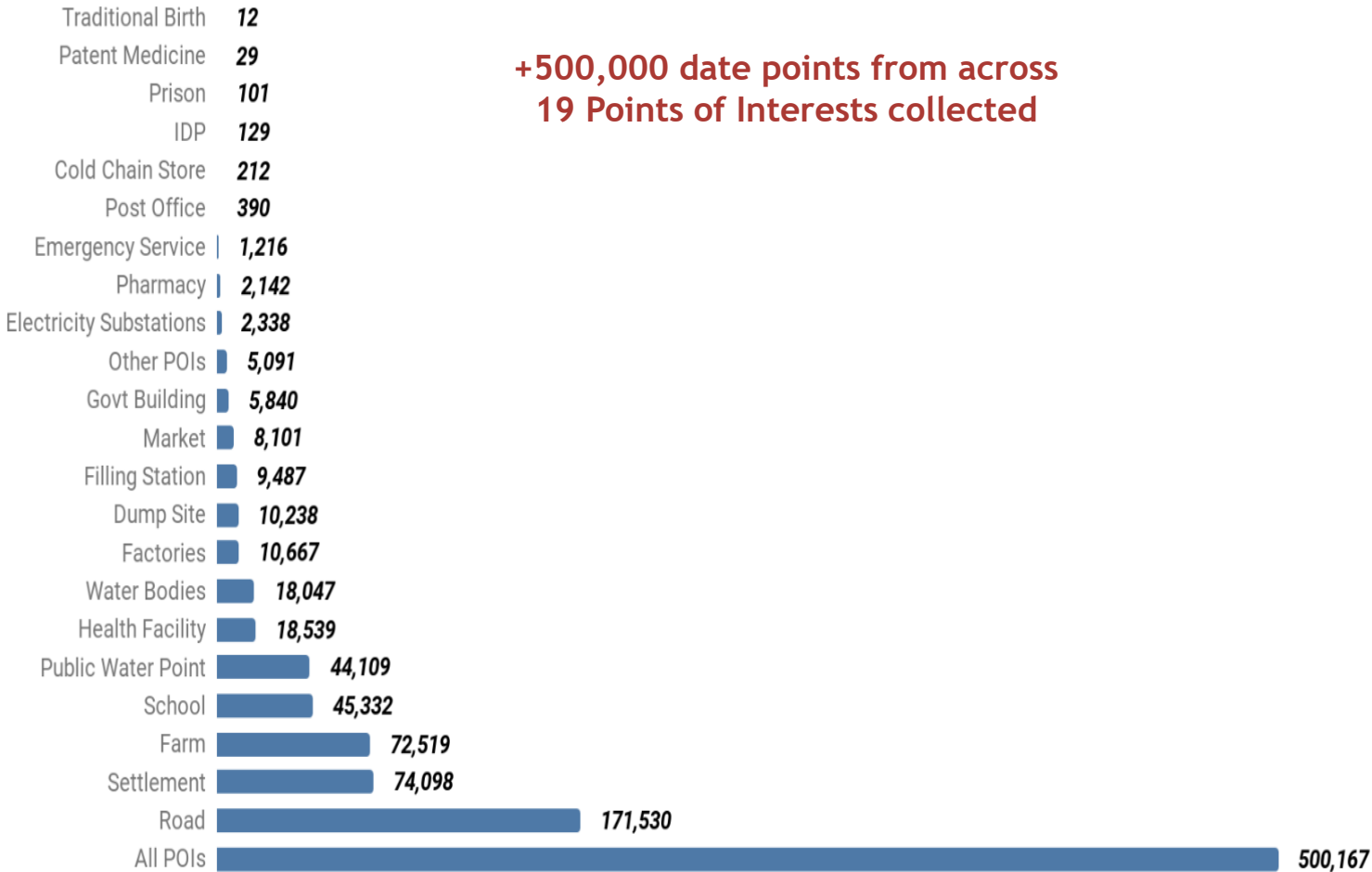
- **Work with the Government of Nigeria** to make effective and efficient use of geo-data across defined interventions - Health, Education, Water Resources, Agriculture, Demography etc.
- **Develop innovative tools** to support decision and policy making across the country at all levels (Tools and Use-cases)
- Build **in-country capacity**/capability (Federal & State level)
- Use cross-cutting power of **core reference layers** to enhance Nigeria Data Ecosystem
- Achieve a **coordinated approach** to the use and application of geo-databases for common good of Nigerians

# Settlements locations

280,120  
settlement  
(place) names



# Other Spatial Data Improvements



11 states fully mapped under Polio		GRID3			
		16 fully mapped states		10 mapped mop-up states	
Adamawa	Katsina	Abia	Imo	Akwa Ibom	Kogi
Bauchi	Kebbi	Anambra	Lagos	Bayelsa	Kwara
Borno	Sokoto	Benue	Ogun	Delta	Nasarawa
Jigawa	Yobe	Cross River	Ondo	Edo	Niger
Kaduna	Zamfara	Ebonyi	Osun	Fct, Abuja	Rivers
Kano		Ekiti	Oyo		
		Enugu	Plateau		
		Gombe	Taraba		

A total of 500,167 field points were downloaded from the Gather2 server at the end of the field data collection exercise in all the twenty-five GRID states and the FCT. A final check was carried out on all the devices used during the field data collection exercise to ensure that no data is left out. The average percentage coverage of all the 25 states and the FCT is 90%. This is the final status of the GRID3 data collection activities.

# Govt. leadership & ownership is a critical success factor to GRID<sup>3</sup> Nigeria



- National Population Commission
- National Bureau of Statistics
- Ministry of Health & NPHCDA
- Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development
- Ministry of Education & UBEC
- Ministry of Budget and Planning
- Ministry of Finance
- National Boundary commission
- Ministry of Water Resources
- OSGOF
- NASRDA
- Private Sector Organisations
- Development Partners (DFID, UNFPA)
- Global GRID<sup>3</sup> team (DFID, UNFPA)



# Coordination remained a key strategy



- GRID³ seeks to promote effective coordination amongst stakeholders
- Coordination Platform

Steering  
Committee

Technical  
Committee

GRID³  
Secretariat

Co-chaired by  
**Hon. Minister of Budget and  
National Planning**  
and **Hon. Minister of Finance**

Responsible for providing  
**technical guidance** to  
Steering Committee and  
oversees **implementation**

The **engine room** of GRID³  
Nigeria. Provides secretariat  
and managerial support to  
the functioning

# Our Goals



## Short/medium term goals (6-24 months)

- Form Steering and Technical Committees to coordinate & oversee the project.
- Establish a national data portal and build capacity to Maintain, Update and Use the data portal
- Set up a national Spatial Data Infrastructure (SDI) plan.
- Achieve national consensus on boundary delineations at ward and local government area (LGA) levels.

# Our Goals



## Long term goals (>24 months)

- Develop and promote examples of data usage on health, education, agriculture, water resources, etc.
- Support planned national population and housing census activities and surveys
- Develop in-country capacity to maintain and drive the GRID3 philosophy in a sustainable manner
- Continue to maintain and update the data portal

# Census in Nigeria: paradigm shift to GIS technology



1973



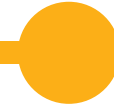
First attempt  
at creating a  
“Census  
Geography”

1991



Attempts to  
subdivide into  
seamless grid of  
Census enumeration  
and Supervisory  
areas

2006



Progress made to  
make use of GIS  
for Census  
mapping, but  
with challenges.

Upcoming census



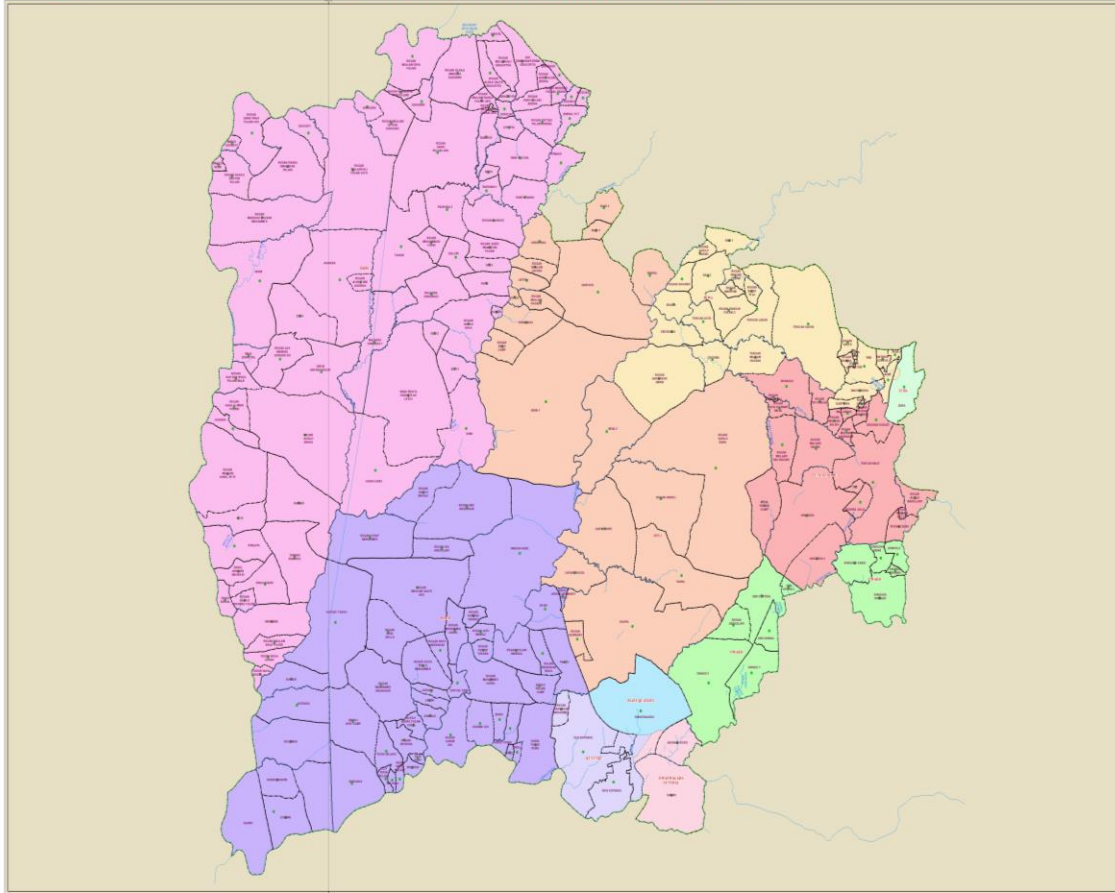
Working towards the  
development of a  
Sustainable Geographic  
National Frame for  
Censuses and Surveys

- Cost & Time reduction are some of the benefits of GIS based census process
- Generally, GIS application cut across the three stages in the census process:
  - Pre-enumeration
  - During enumeration
  - Post-enumeration
- Heterogeneity and complexity of census datasets requires appropriate tools such as Satellite Remote Sensing (SRS) and GIS to handle it.

# Digitised maps



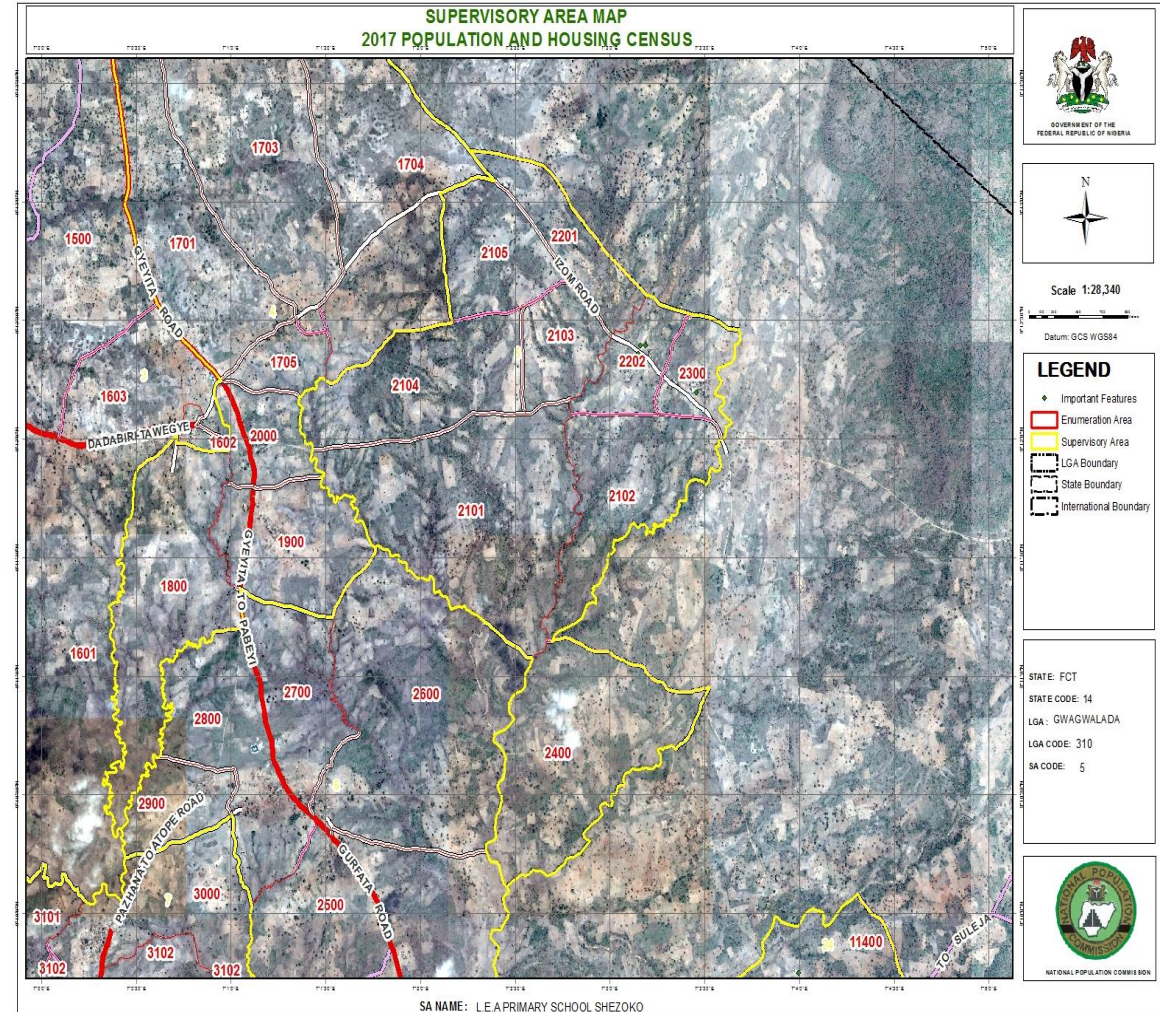
GOVERNMENT OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA  
 NATIONAL POPULATION COMMISSION  
 2017 POPULATION AND HOUSING CENSUS  
 WARD AND LOCALITY MAP OF GWAGWALADA AREA COUNCIL, FCT



## Legend



Digitised Ward and LGA map: FCT



Scale 1:28,340

Datum: GCS WGS84

## LEGEND

- Important Features
- Enumeration Area
- Supervisory Area
- LGA Boundary
- State Boundary
- International Boundary

STATE: FCT  
 STATE CODE: 14  
 LGA: GWAGWALADA  
 LGA CODE: 310  
 SA CODE: 5



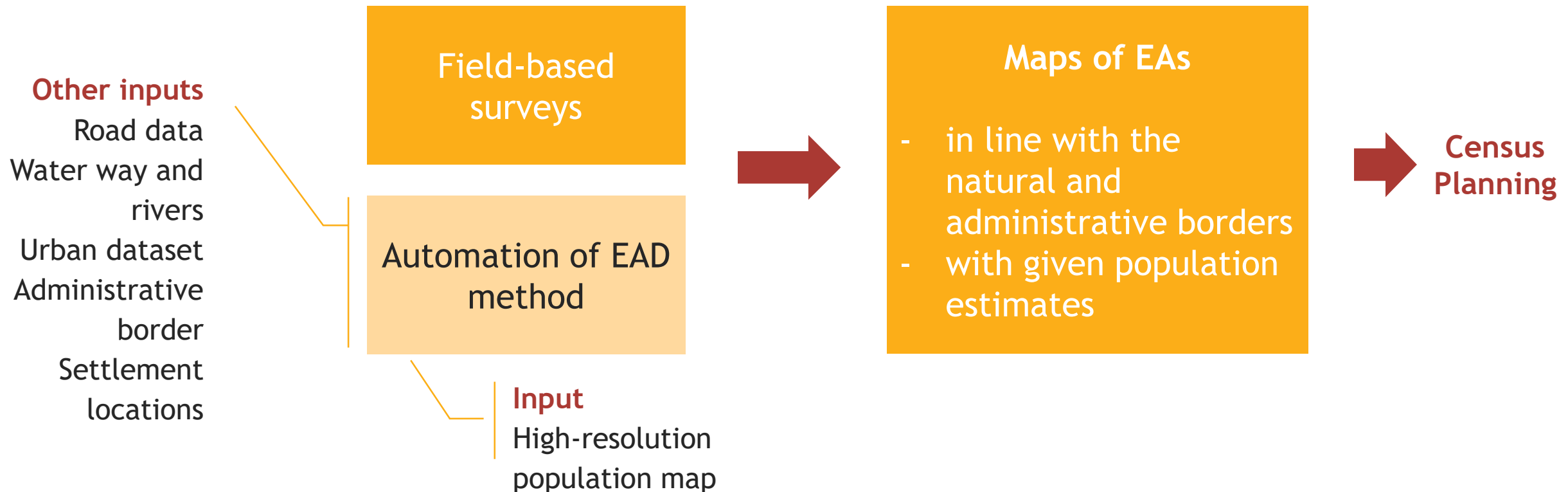
Digitised supervisory area map: FCT

# Automatic Designation of Sensible Enumeration Areas (EAs): GRID<sup>3</sup> perspective for improved planning

**Enumeration area demarcation (EAD)** is a key component of population census planning. It involves approaches that requires population estimation **before** demarcating EAs for census.

## Inputs

## Output





**GRID<sup>3</sup>**  
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**Thanks for listening**