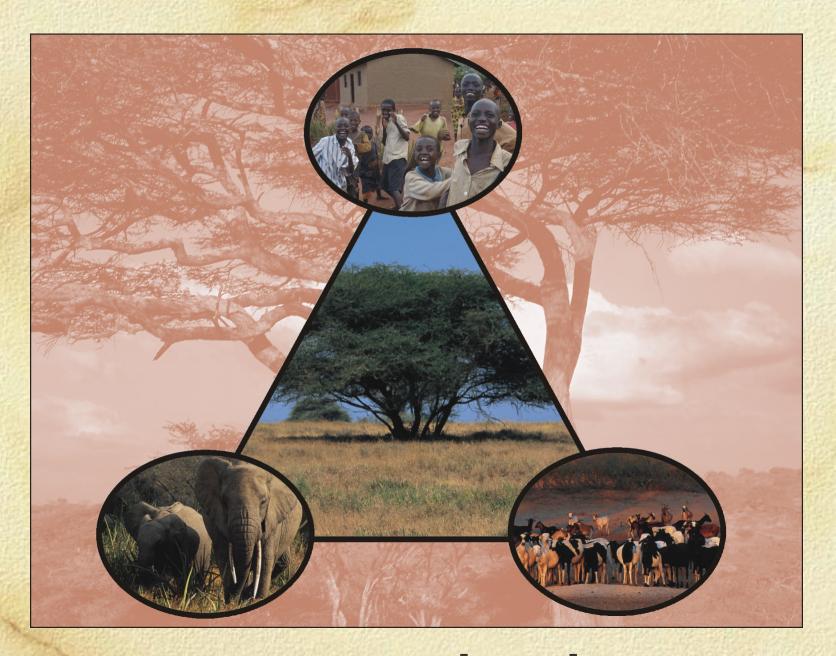


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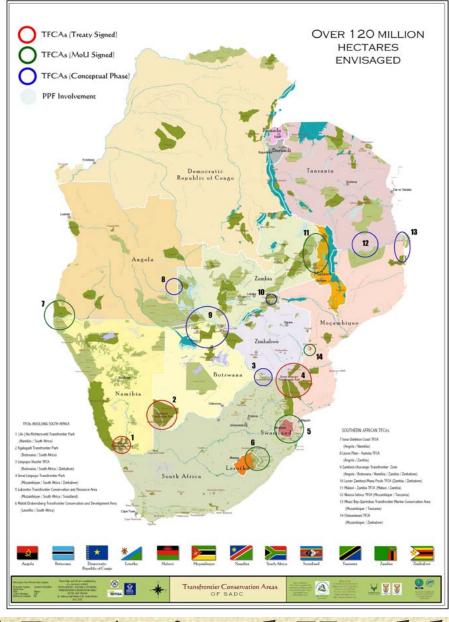


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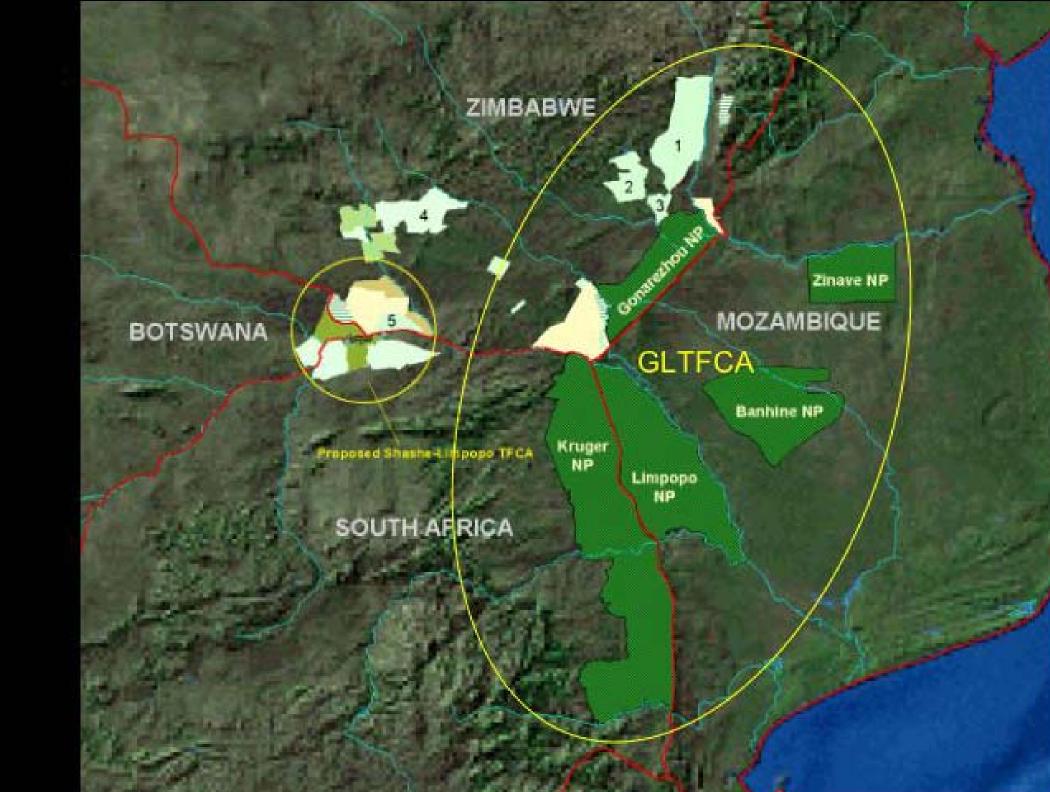
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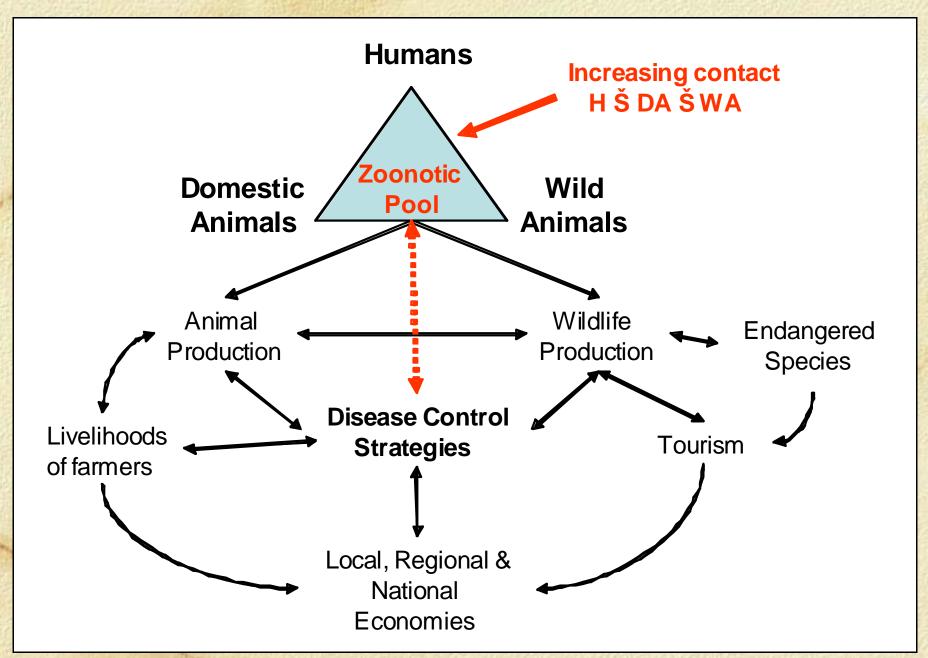




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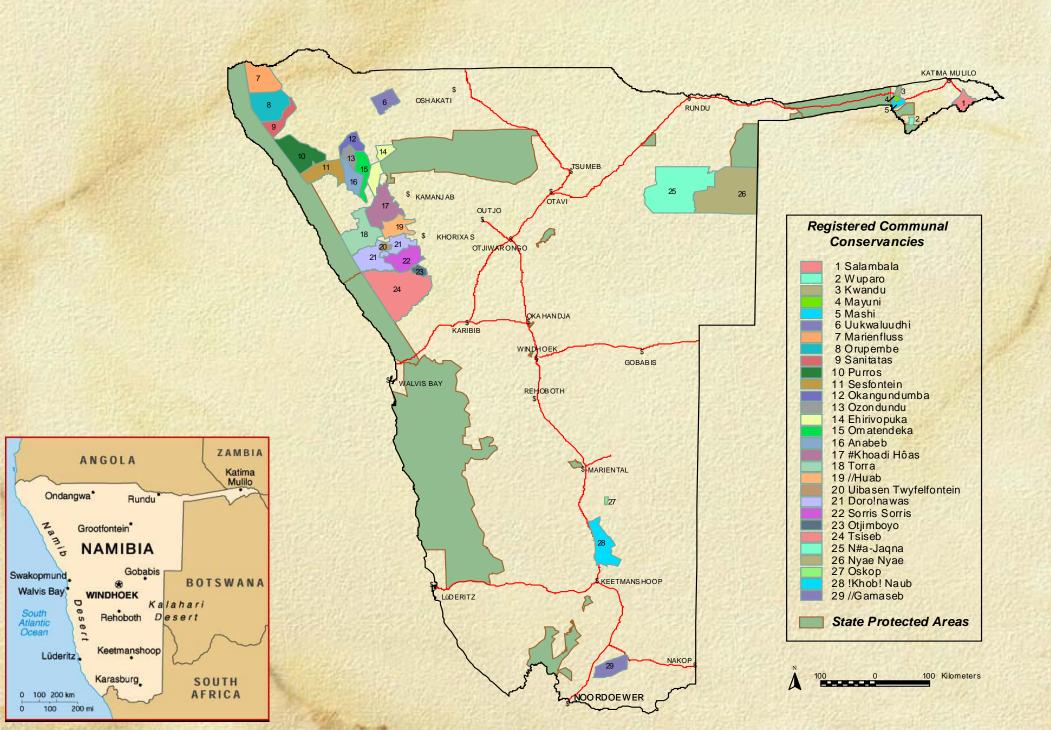




Conceptual diagram of the linkages between wildlife, livestock and human diseases and the potential implications of disease control strategies for livelihoods and conservation.



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Chapter 17

Impact and Value of Wildlife in Pastoral Livestock Production Systems in Kenya: Possibilities for Healthy Ecosystem Conservation and Livestock Development for the Poor¹

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Introduction

Despite decades of habitat loss, some parts of East Africa are still unrivalled in diversity and abundance of wildlife. The traditional pastoral approach to livestock husbandry has always been considered compatible with and complementary to wildlife. In Kenya, more than half of the wildlife habitat is outside protected areas in communal grazing lands and group ranches, where wildlife, people, and livestock all interact and compete for the same natural resources. As human population has increased, agriculture has expanded into more marginal areas and formerly open communal grazing lands have been transformed into high-density rural settlements of small-scale farmers engaged in cultivation and livestock grazing (Aligula et al. 1997, Reid et al. 1999). Pastoralists whose range has become too restricted for traditional livestock grazing practices have increasingly turned to agriculture (Thompson et al. 2002). As the pressure on land becomes more intense, there is considerable potential for conflict between wildlife and people over grazing land, predation of domestic livequantify both positive and negative impacts of wildlife for pastoral households raising livestock. In Laikipia and Kajiado districts, wildlife numbers have been fairly stable over two decades, with some species increasing in number (Peden 1987, Rainy and Worden 1997, de Leeuw et al. 1998). Both communal and commercial ranches support wildlife in these districts and, although they cover relatively small areas, they are increasingly important for Kenyan wildlife conservation. The goal was to quantify wildlife-related costs and benefits to a range of communities where livestock are being raised in close proximity to wildlife.

Ideally, such a study would follow particular households over several years and average the costs and benefits over the period to "smoothen" within and across seasonal (e.g., rainfall) variability. However, we are particularly interested in the relationship between the different causes of losses (e.g., losses due to disease compared with losses due to predation), and thus a one-shot survey across different communities



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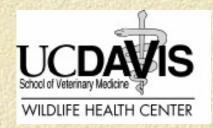
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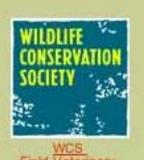
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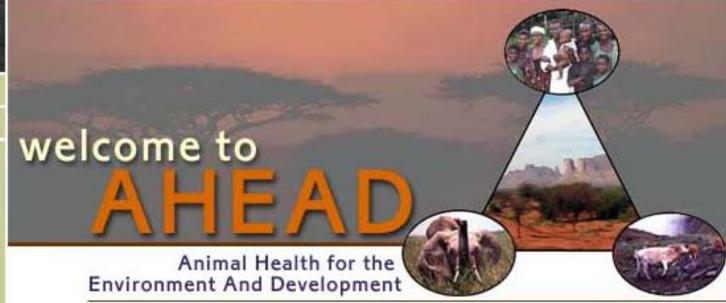
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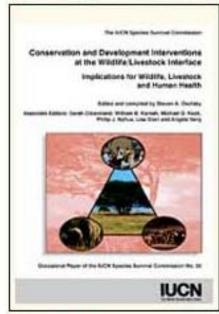
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If you would like to post an item in the next AHEAD Update, please just send it to me – thanks! A number of programmatic and funding successes make this a nice update to start 2006 with! Please note WCS-supported scholarship opportunities mentioned at the end of the Update.

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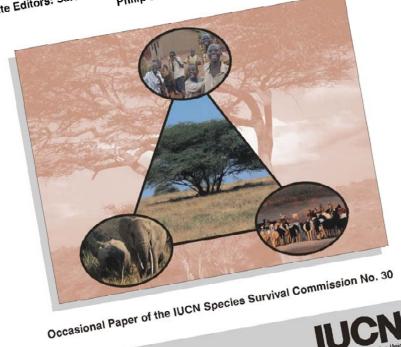


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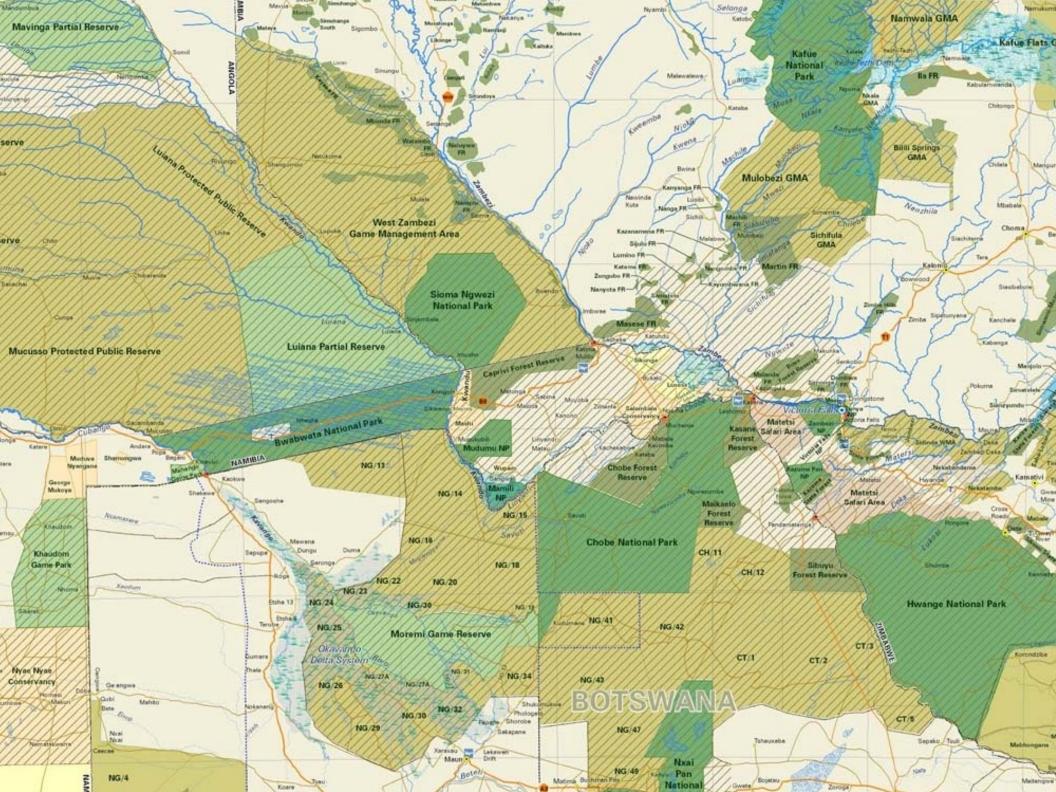




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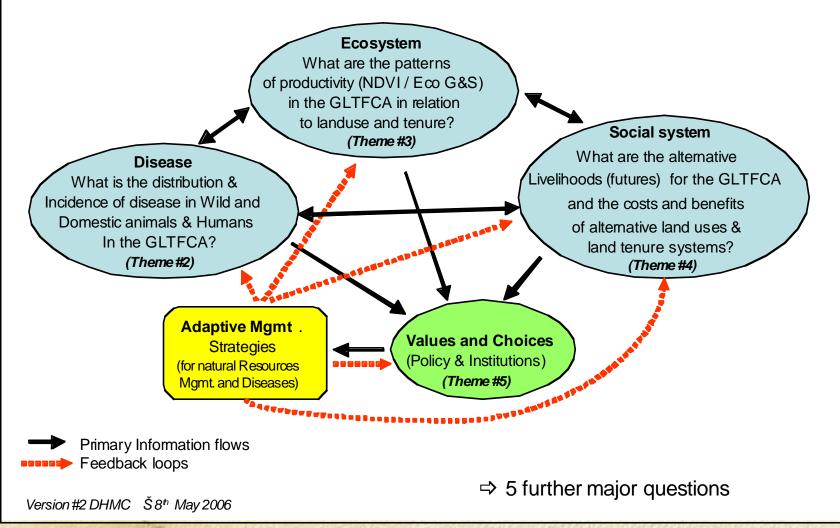






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