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Good practice from Tanzania: Joint village land use planning
Background: Tanzania

- 12,545 registered villages
- Human population 50 million
- Livestock population 28 million cattle, 17 million goats, 5 million sheep and 0.8 million donkeys
- Land Act No. 4 1999 established three land categories – general, reserved and village land
- Village Land Act No. 5 1999 regulates village land
- Land Use Planning Act No. 2007 gives authority to villages to plan village land
- National Land Use Planning Commission Participatory Land Use Planning at village and district level
- Land use plan & certificate of customary rights of occupancy (1713 villages 13% VLUPs)
- Land under increasing pressure – increasing conflicts between herders and agriculturalists
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