

# Data Sources

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The following data sources are gratefully acknowledged:

## Farming Systems

**Draft Farming Systems of Africa** - GAEZ FAO/IIASA, FAOSTAT, Harvest Choice and expert opinion

## Contextual Layers

**Length of Growing Period** - GAEZ ver 3.0 FAO/IIASA

**Market access** - Harvest Choice

**Cropland area** - Harvest Choice based on Ramankutty et al. (2008), "Farming the planet: 1. Geographic distribution of global agricultural lands in the year 2000", Global Biogeochemical Cycles, Vol. 22, GB1003, doi:10.1029/2007GB002952.)

**Irrigated cropland** - Siebert, S., Döll, P., Hoogeveen, J., 2002. Global map of irrigated areas version 2.1. Center for Environmental Systems Research, University of Kassel, Germany, and FAO, Rome, Italy.

**Land degradation/ Change in Net Primary Production** - Original data sourced from Bai ZG, Dent DL, Olsson L and Schaepman ME 2008. Global assessment of land degradation and improvement. 1. Identification by remote sensing. Report 2008/01, ISRIC - World Soil Information, Wageningen

**Elevation** - USGS Hydro1K via Harvest Choice

**Tropical Livestock Unit** - Harvest Choice. Tropical Livestock Units are livestock numbers converted to a common unit (in 2005). Conversion factors are: cattle = 0.7, sheep = 0.1, goats = 0.1, pigs = 0.2, chicken = 0.01. Factors taken mostly from <http://www.lrrd.org/lrrd18/8/chil18117.htm>, except for cattle. See also [http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Livestock\\_grazing\\_comparison](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Livestock_grazing_comparison).

**Tree cover on agricultural land** - Original data sourced from Zomer RJ, Trabucco A, Coe R and Place F. 2009. Trees on Farm: Analysis of Global Extent and Geographical Patterns of Agroforestry. ICRAF Working Paper no. 89. Nairobi, Kenya: World Agroforestry Centre

**Undernourishment** - Original Data sourced from van Wesenbeeck and Merbis (2009) Data repository of the food economy of Sub-Saharan Africa. Centre for World Food Studies, VU University, De Boelelaan, Amsterdam, the Netherlands

**Yield gaps of major crops** - GAEZ ver 3.0 FAO/IIASA

## Farming Subsystems

**Highland Perennial Farming Systems** - GAEZ ver 3.0 FAO/IIASA, FAOSTAT, Harvest Choice and expert opinion

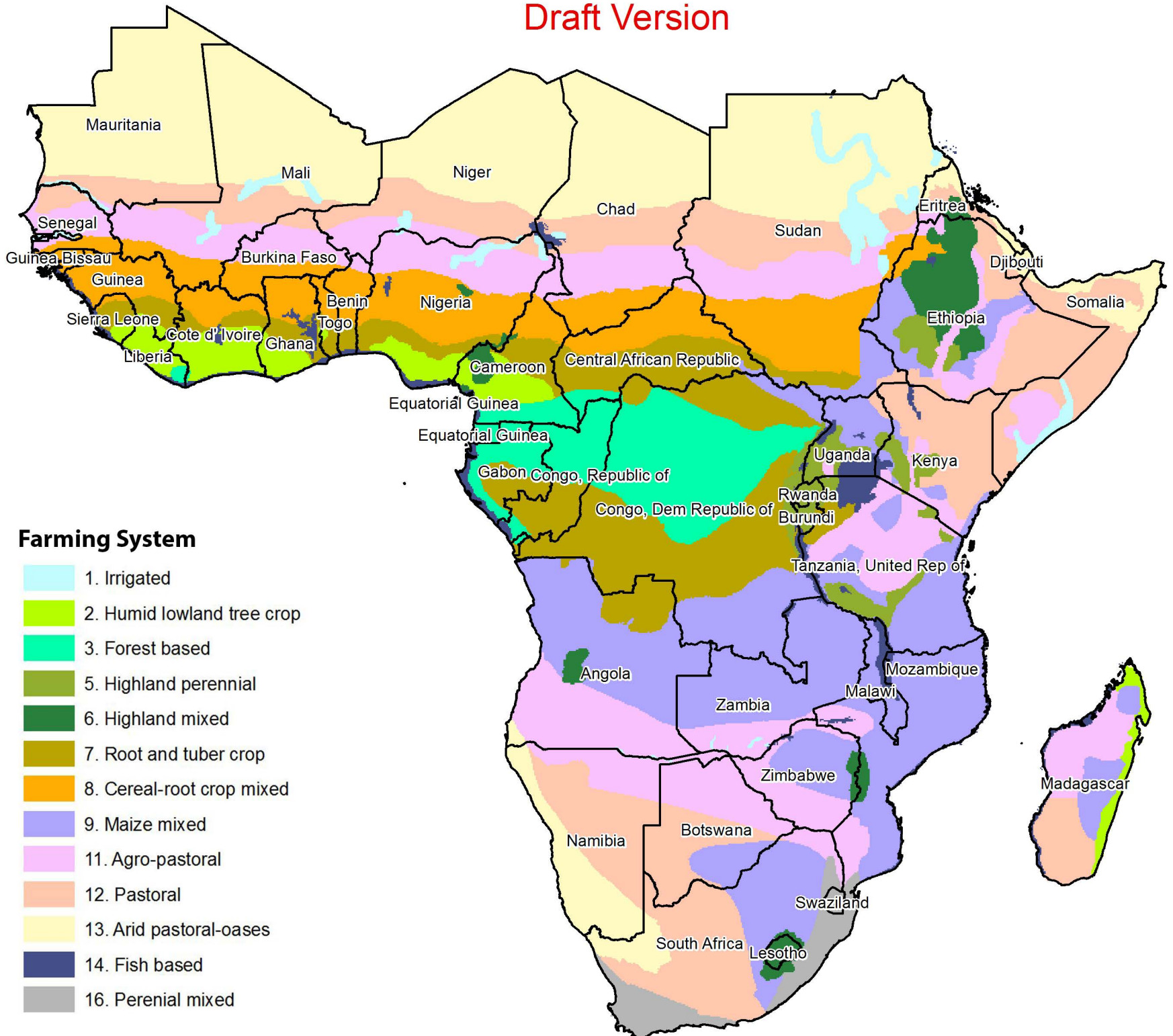
**Maize Mixed Farming System** - GAEZ ver 3.0 FAO/IIASA, FAOSTAT, HC and expert opinion

**Cereal-Root Crop Mixed farming systems** - GAEZ ver 3.0 FAO/IIASA, FAOSTAT, Harvest Choice and expert opinion

**Agro-pastoral farming systems** - GAEZ ver 3.0 FAO/IIASA, FAOSTAT, Harvest Choice and expert opinion

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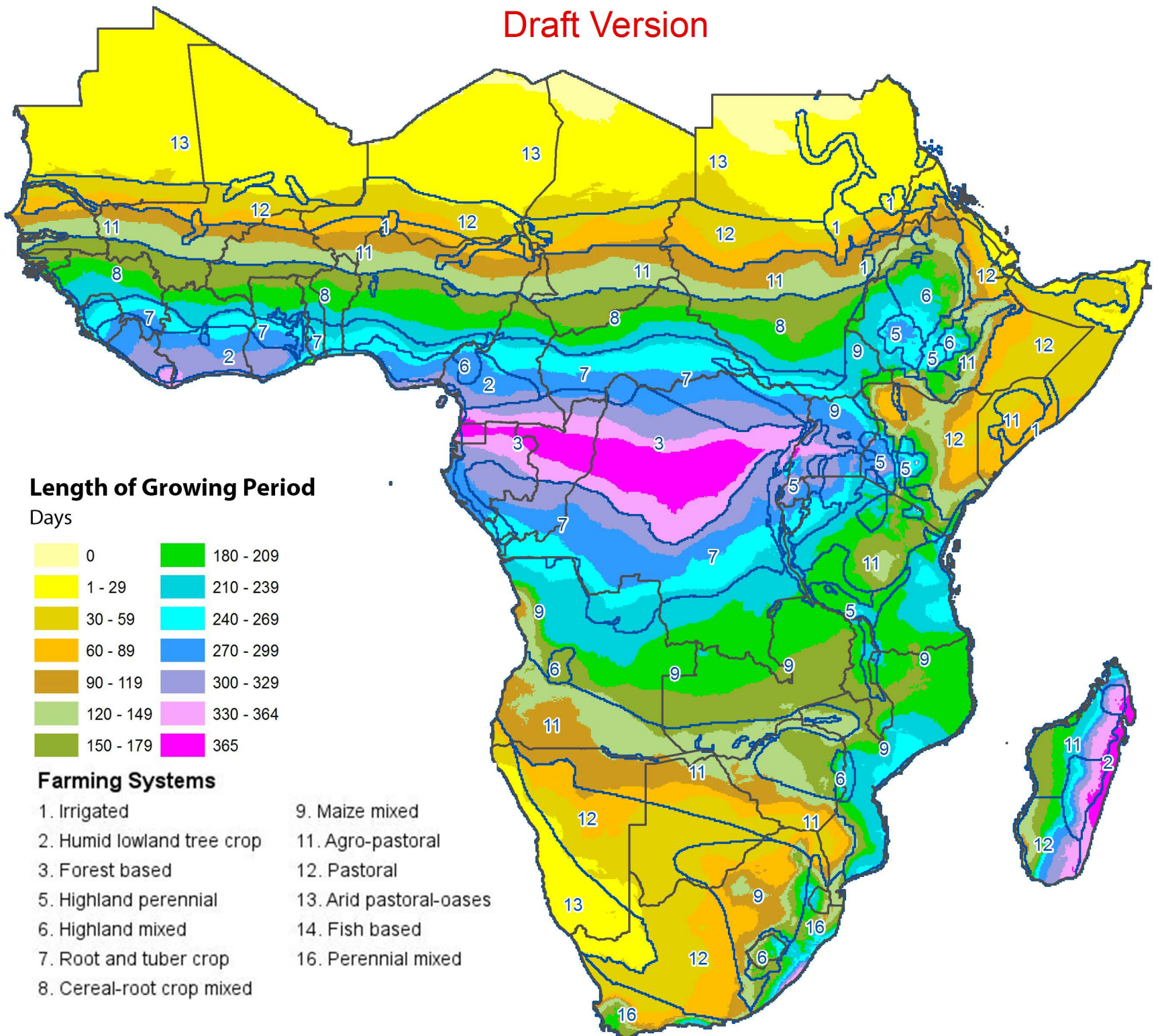


## Farming System

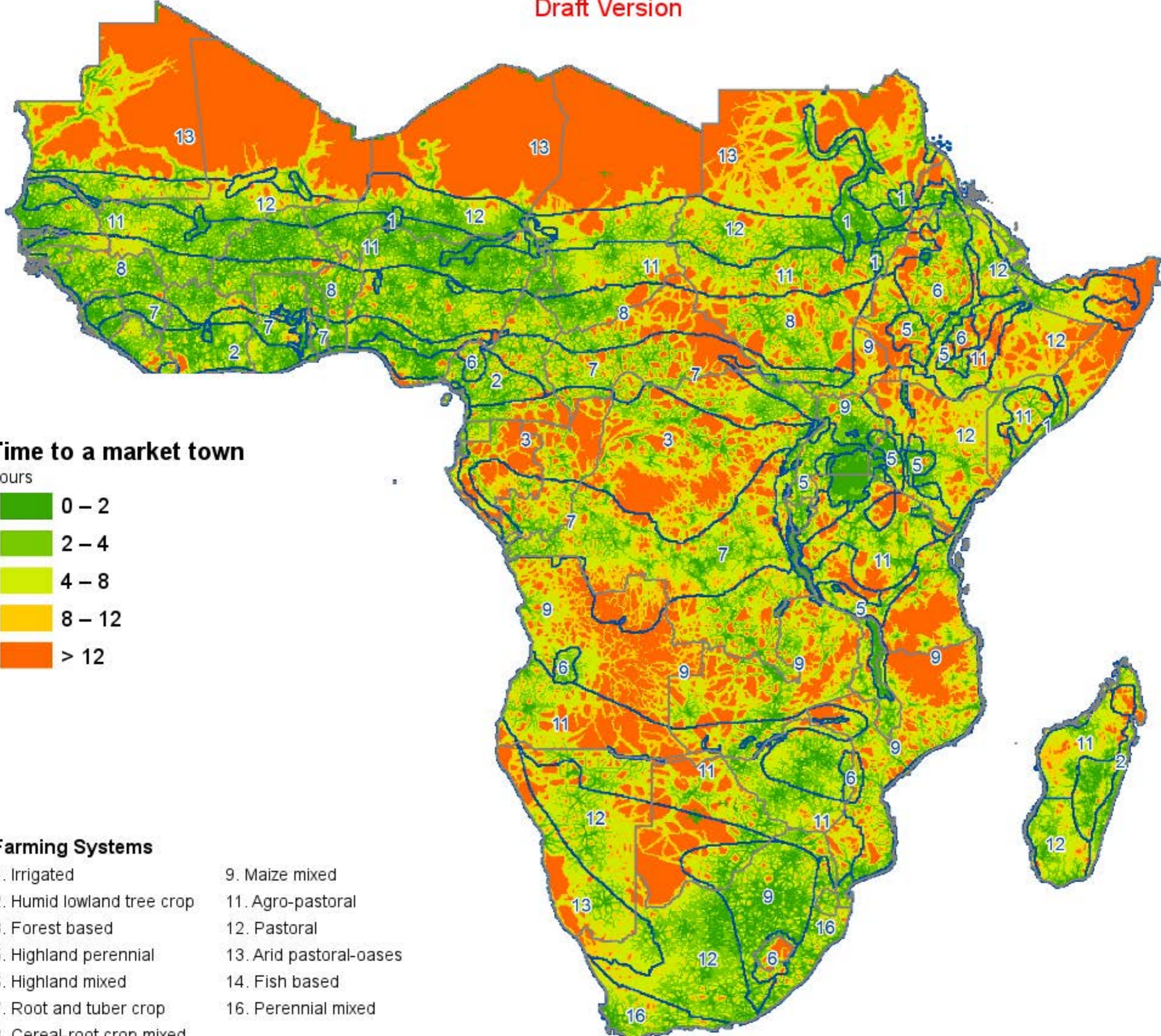
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- 9. Maize mixed
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- 13. Arid pastoral-oases
- 14. Fish based
- 16. Perennial mixed



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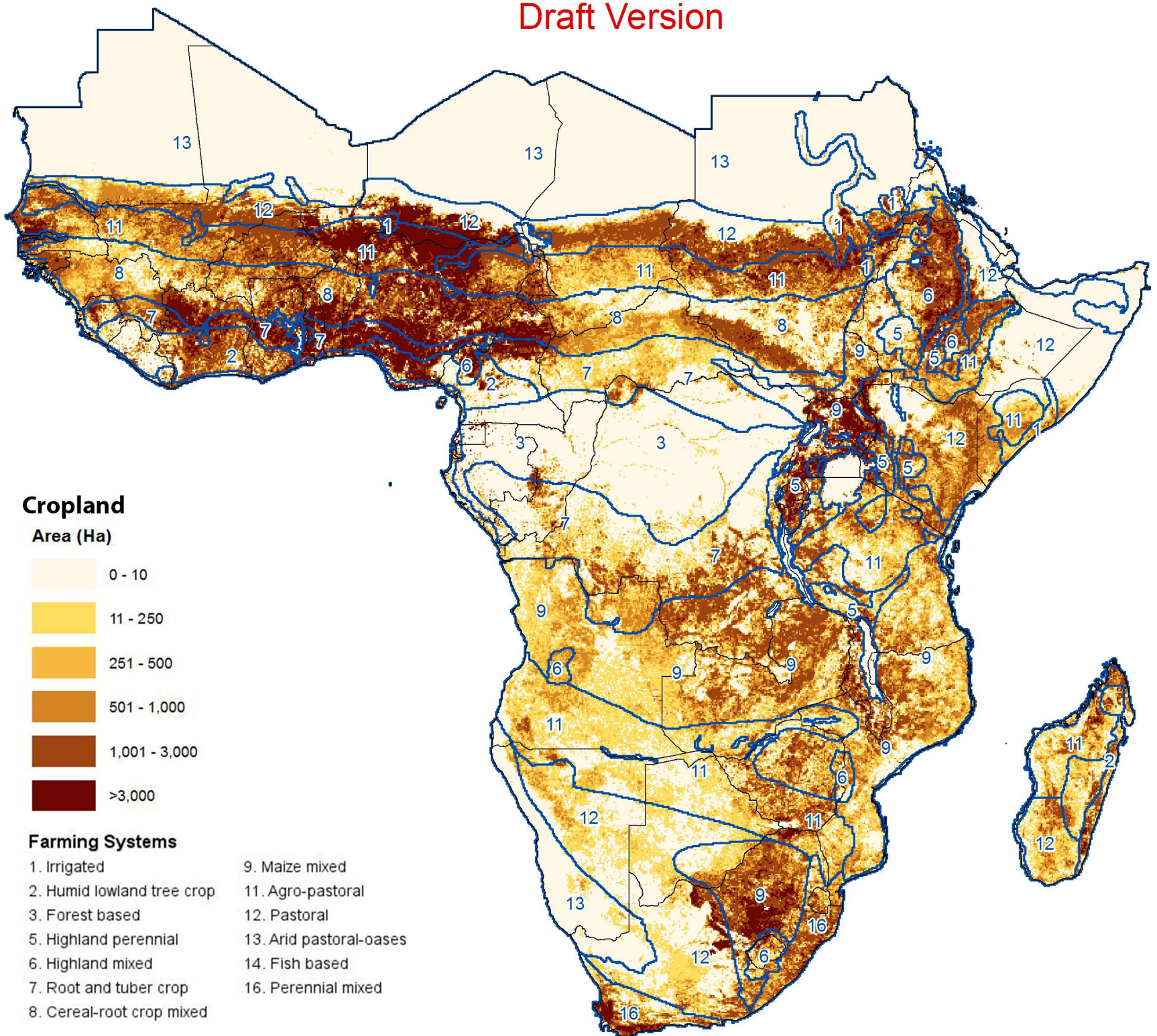
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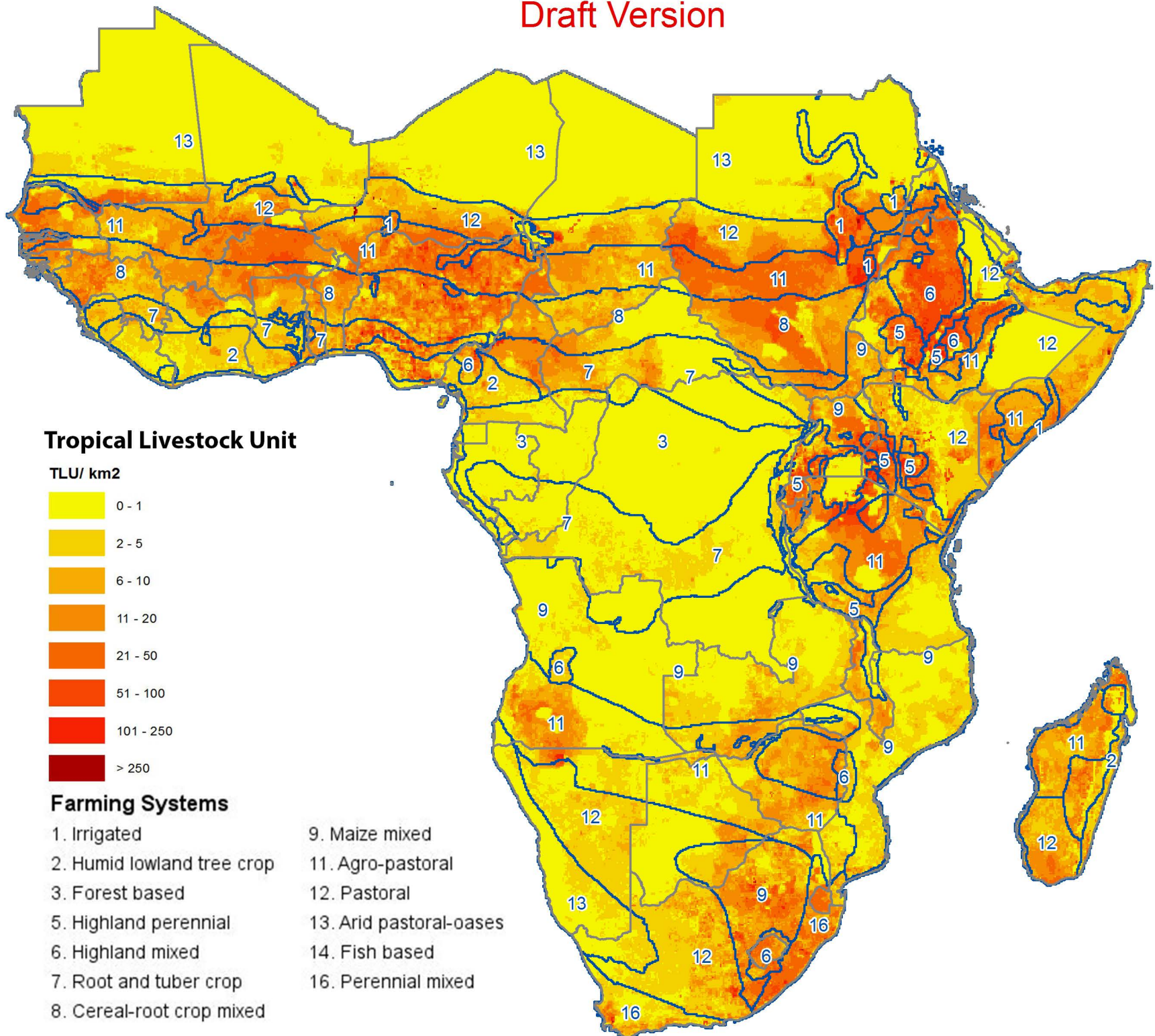
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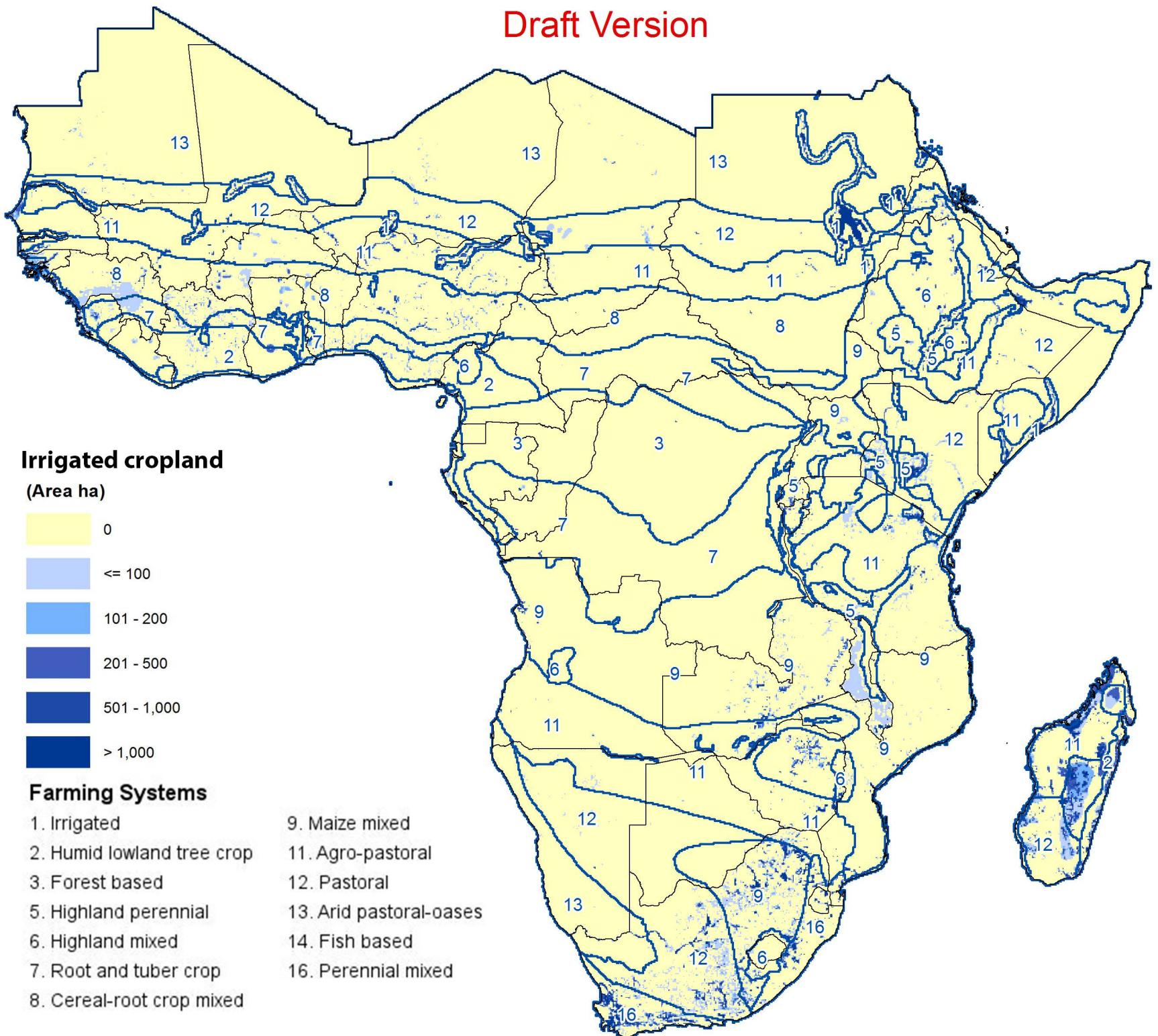




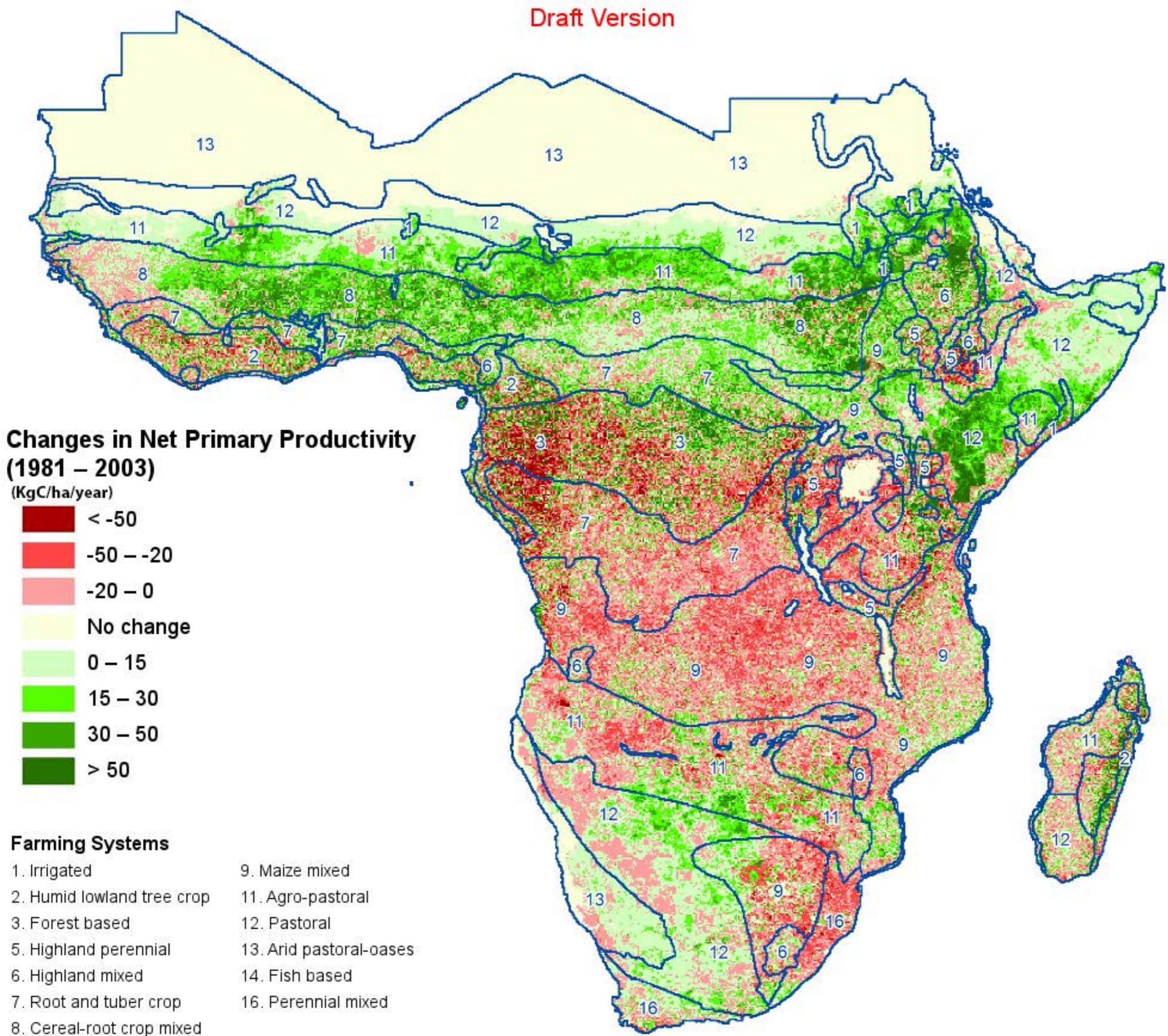




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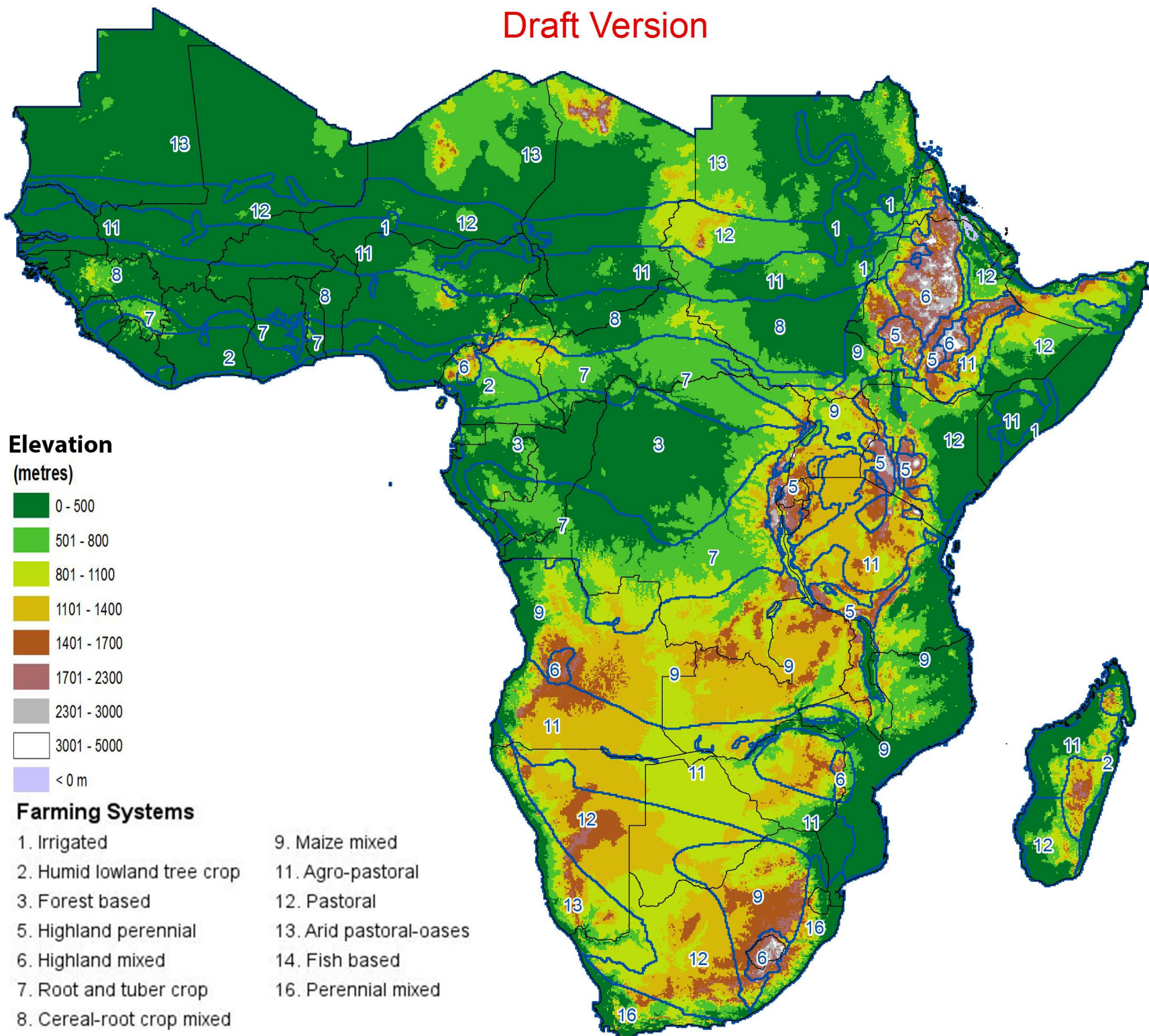




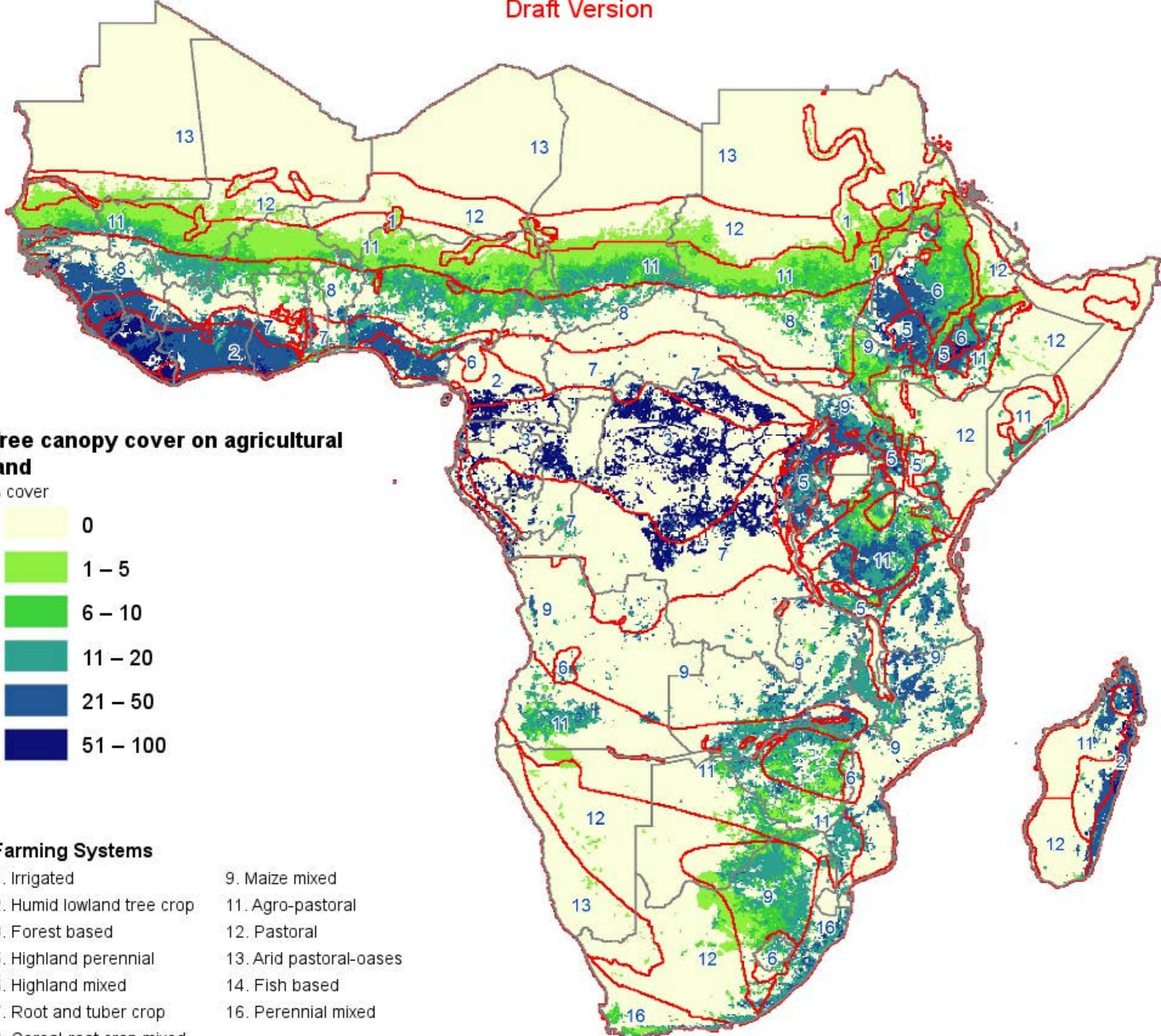




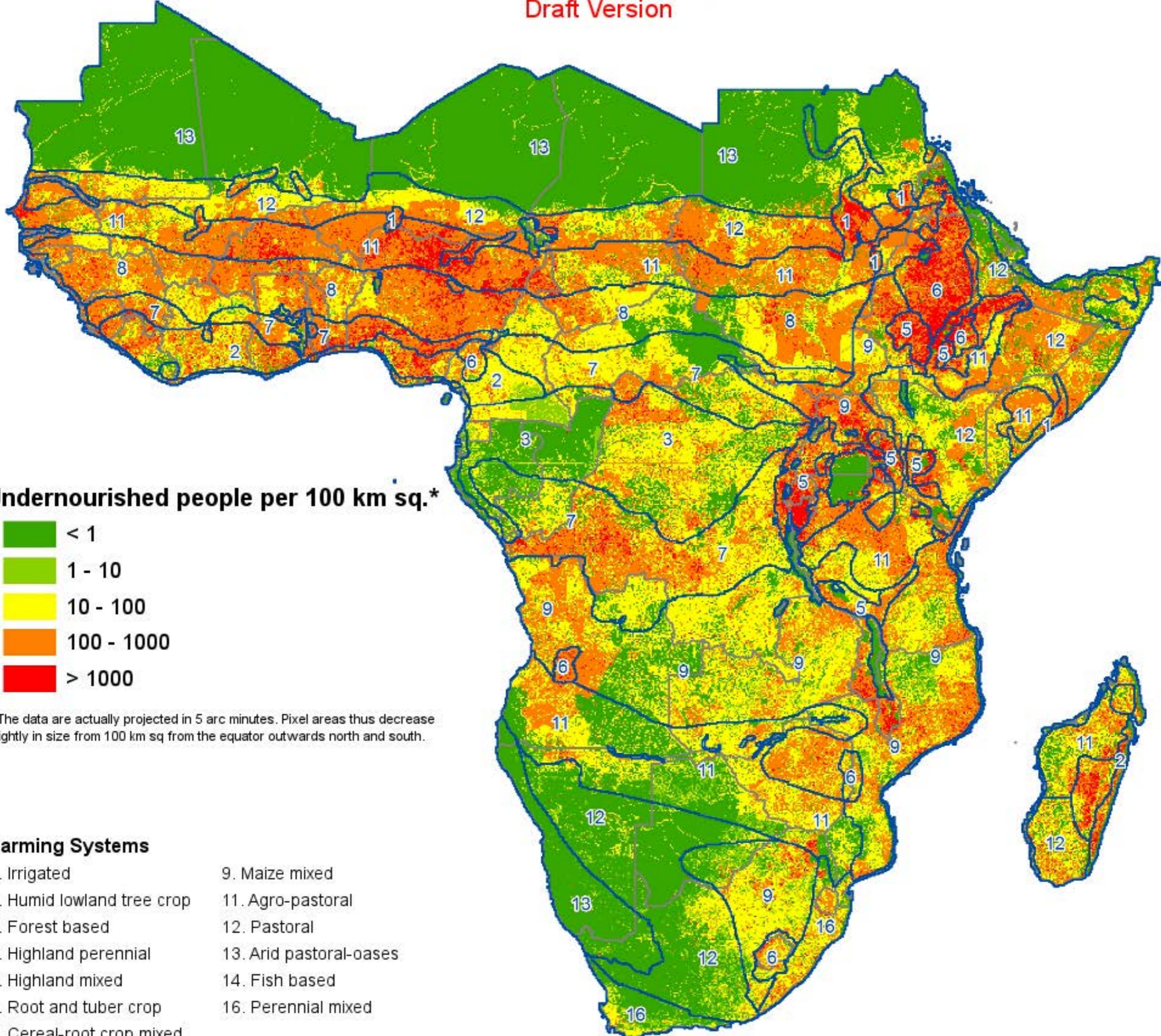
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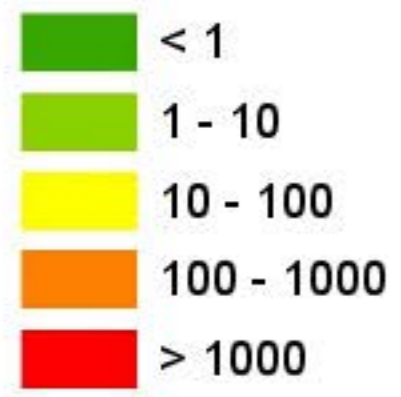








**Undernourished people per 100 km sq.\***

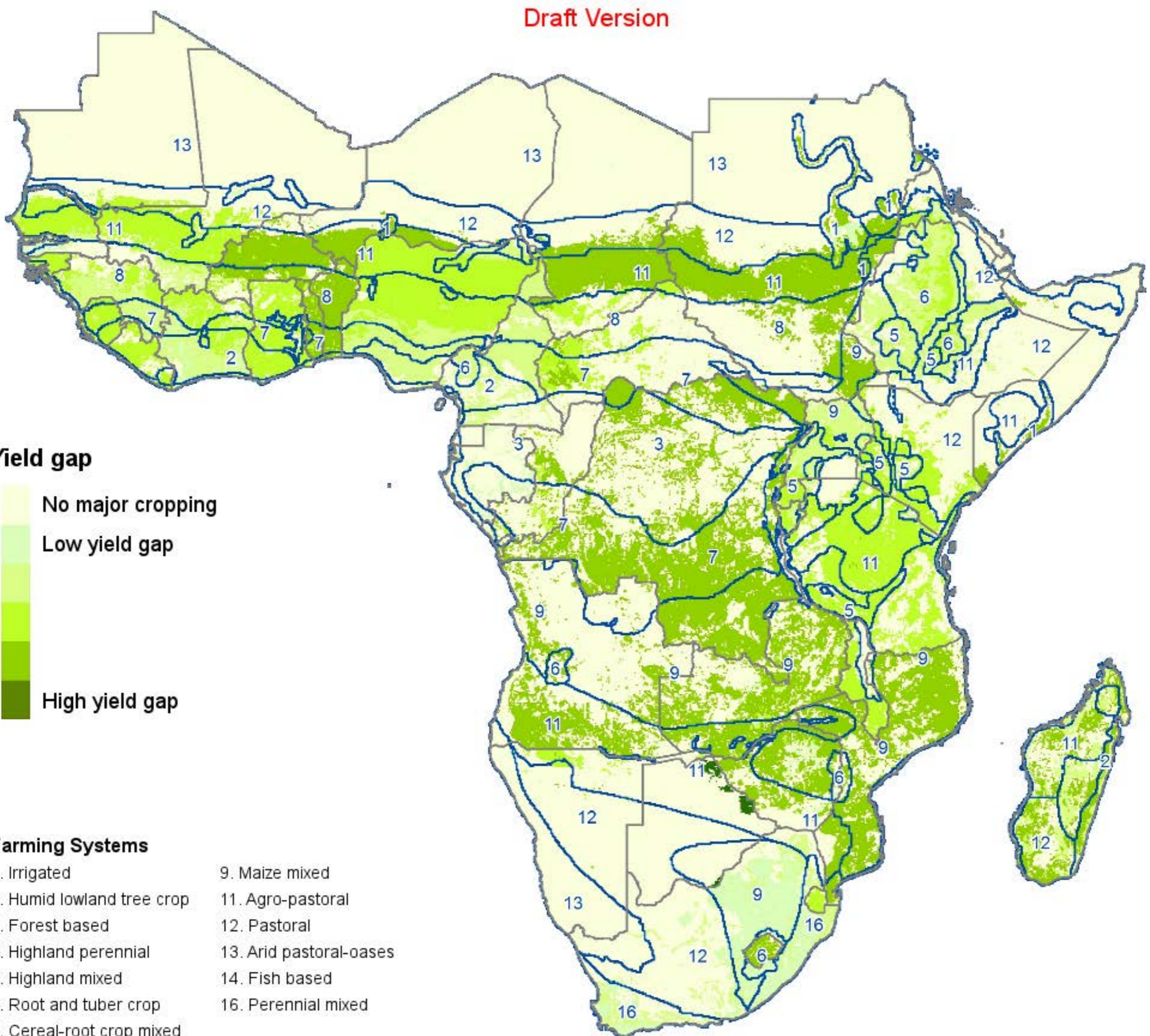


\* The data are actually projected in 5 arc minutes. Pixel areas thus decrease slightly in size from 100 km sq from the equator outwards north and south.

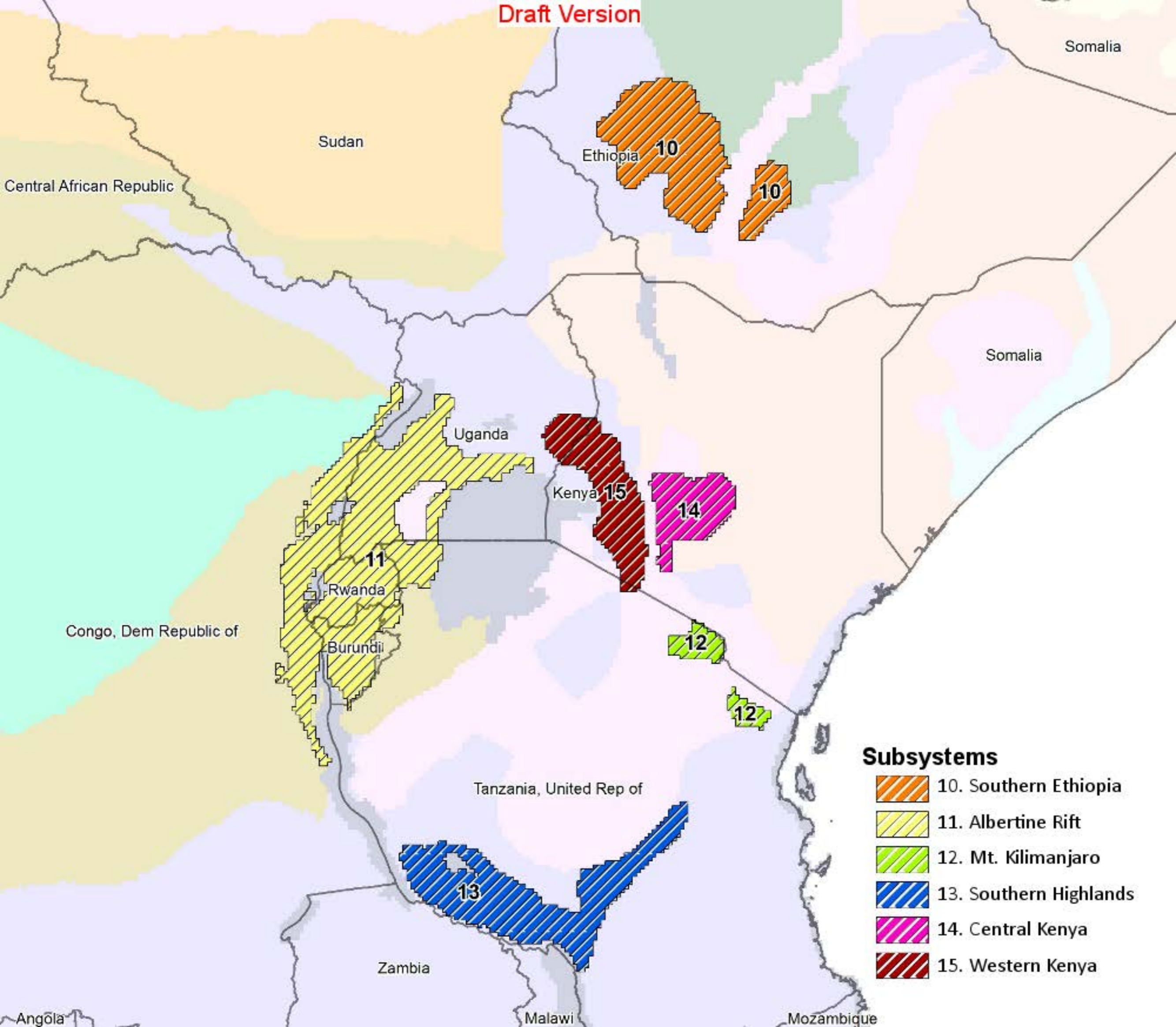
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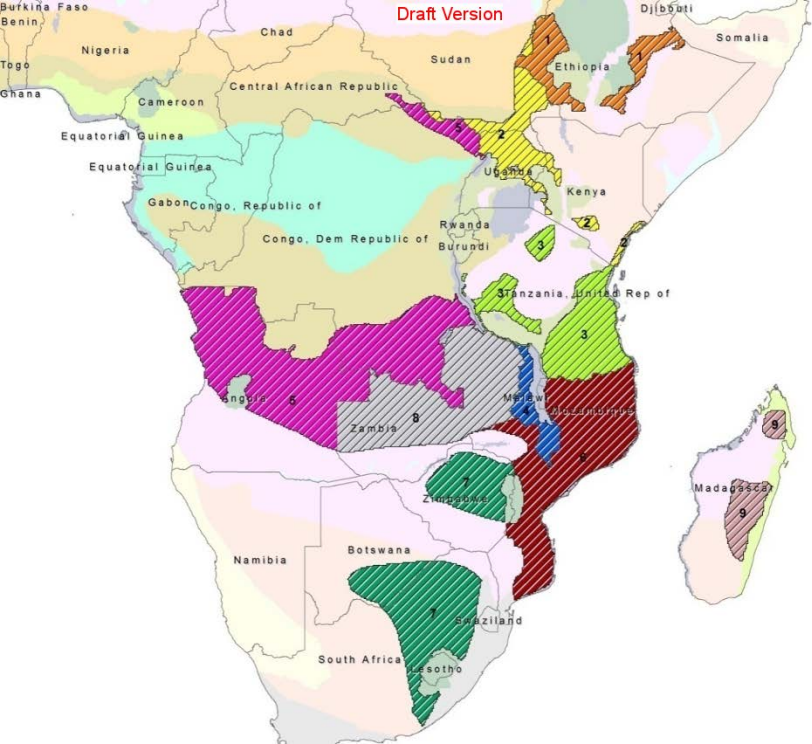


**Subsystems**

-  10. Southern Ethiopia
-  11. Albertine Rift
-  12. Mt. Kilimanjaro
-  13. Southern Highlands
-  14. Central Kenya
-  15. Western Kenya

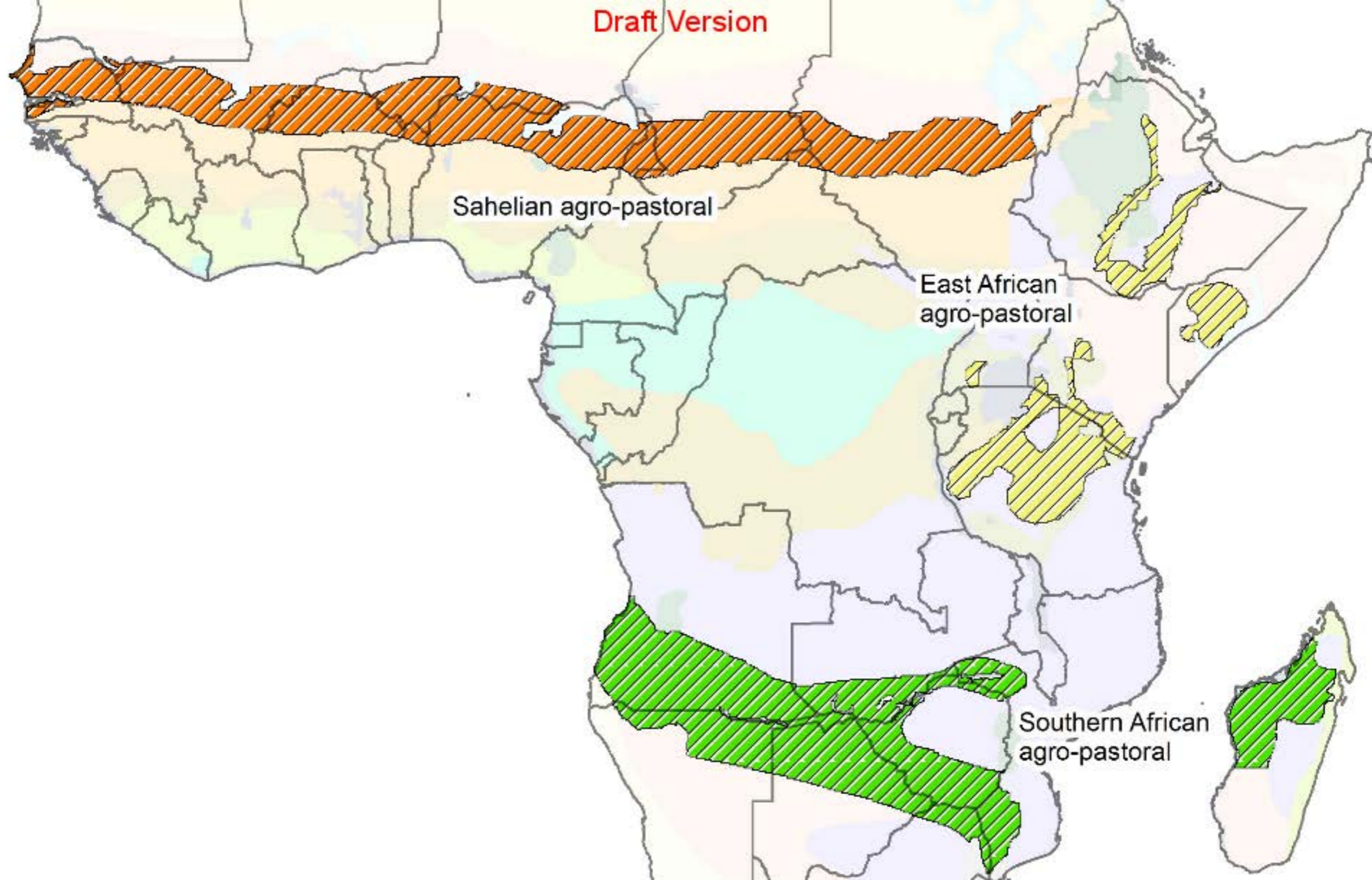


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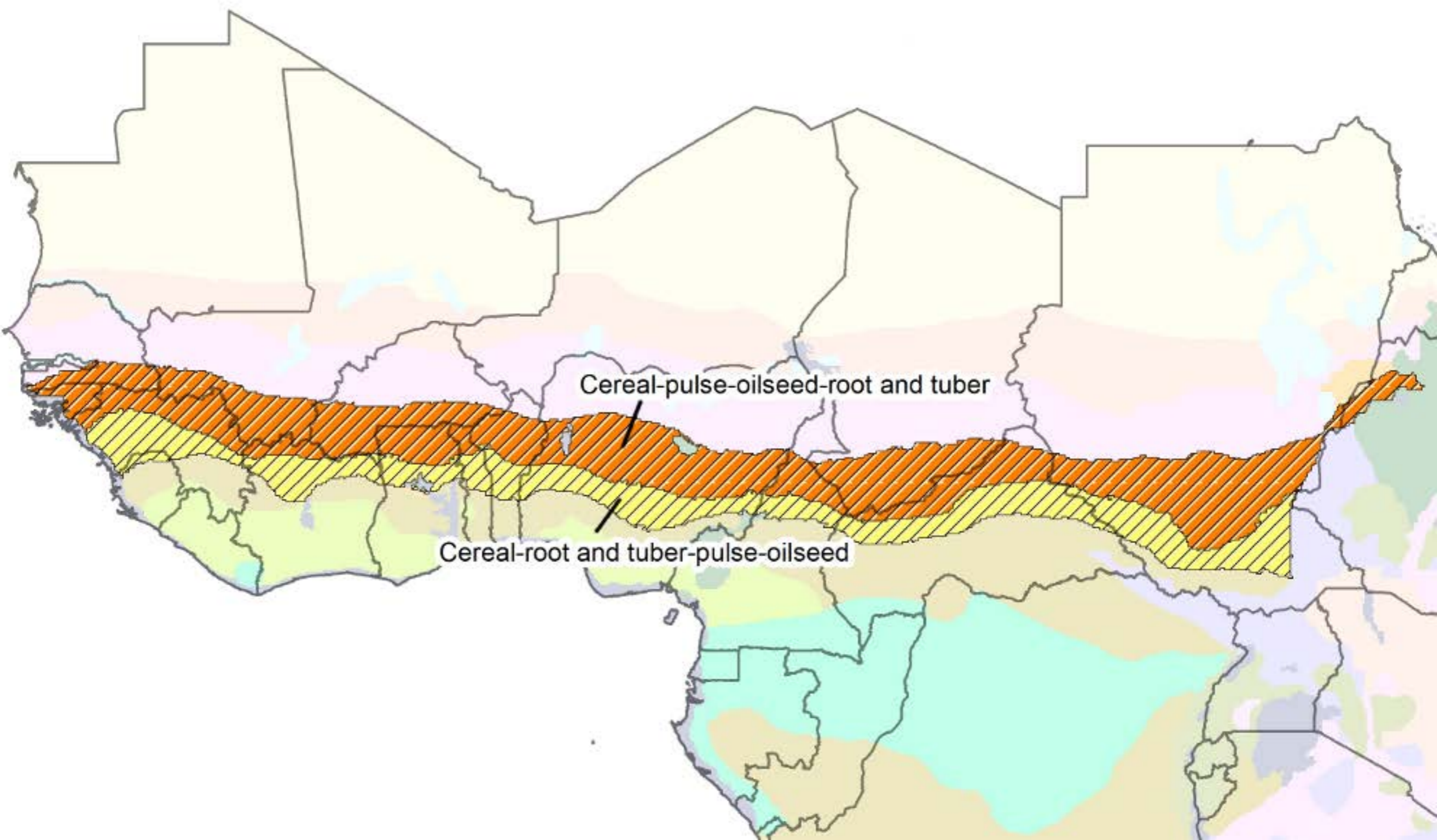




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Cereal-pulse-oilseed-root and tuber

Cereal-root and tuber-pulse-oilseed



### Subsystems

-  Livestock – barley
-  Wheat – pulses – livestock
-  Teff – maize – livestock

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