

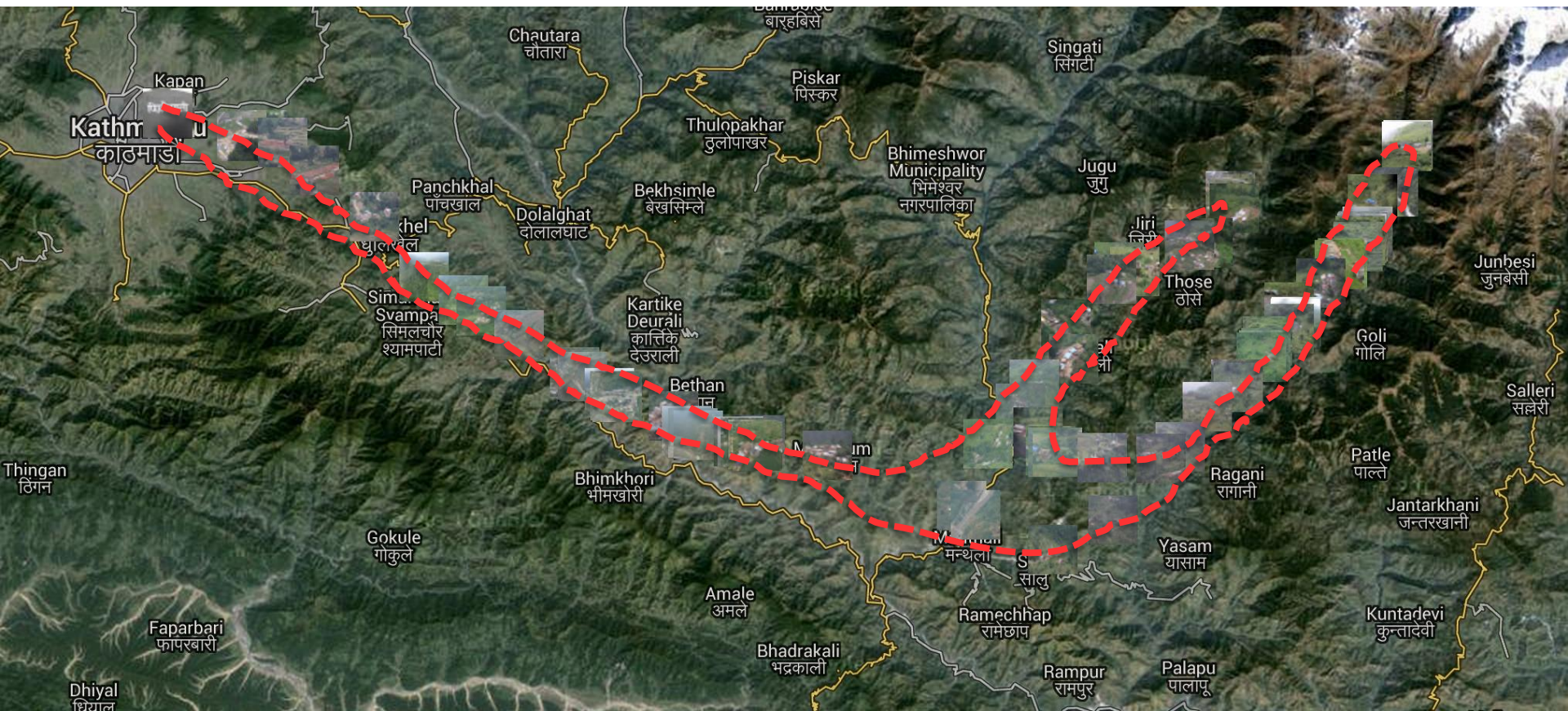
Ramechhap Shelter Flyover



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- **Flight route:**

- East and west boundary river valleys of Northern Ramechhap with views to Dolakha on the West and Solukhumbu and Okhaldhunga on the East



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- Population of 202,646 with 43,910 Households (2011 Census)
- 99% of households reported housing damage as a result of the earthquakes
- 92% of housing is reported to be mud-bonded brick/stone construction
- 80% of households reported that they feel unsafe in the shelter they are living in

Priority household needs

(Respondents' reported top three needs)

	First	Second	Third
Shelter / Housing	93%	4%	0%
Food	2%	37%	9%
Drinking water	1%	8%	7%
Building tools	1%	4%	3%
Health	1%	9%	13%
Electricity supply	1%	9%	11%
Education	1%	4%	5%
Employment / Jobs	0%	10%	12%
Hygiene items	0%	0%	6%

Reported emergency shelter needs

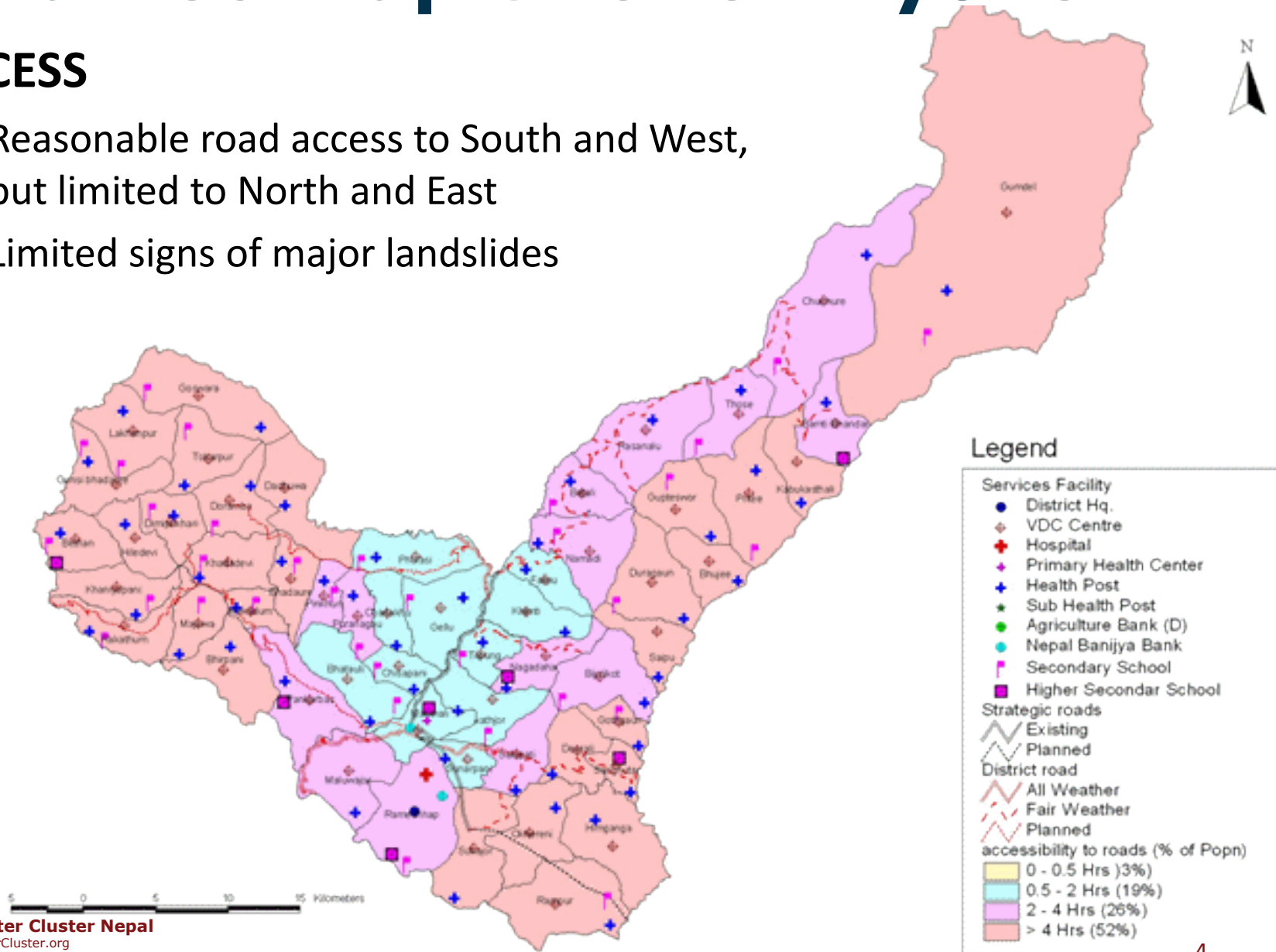
	First	Second	Third
Durable construction materials	93%	80%	52%
Labour	5%	8%	12%
Shelter materials	3%	11%	29%
Technical assistance	0%	0%	4%
Mats / Blankets	0%	0%	0%
Recovery of belongings	0%	1%	0%

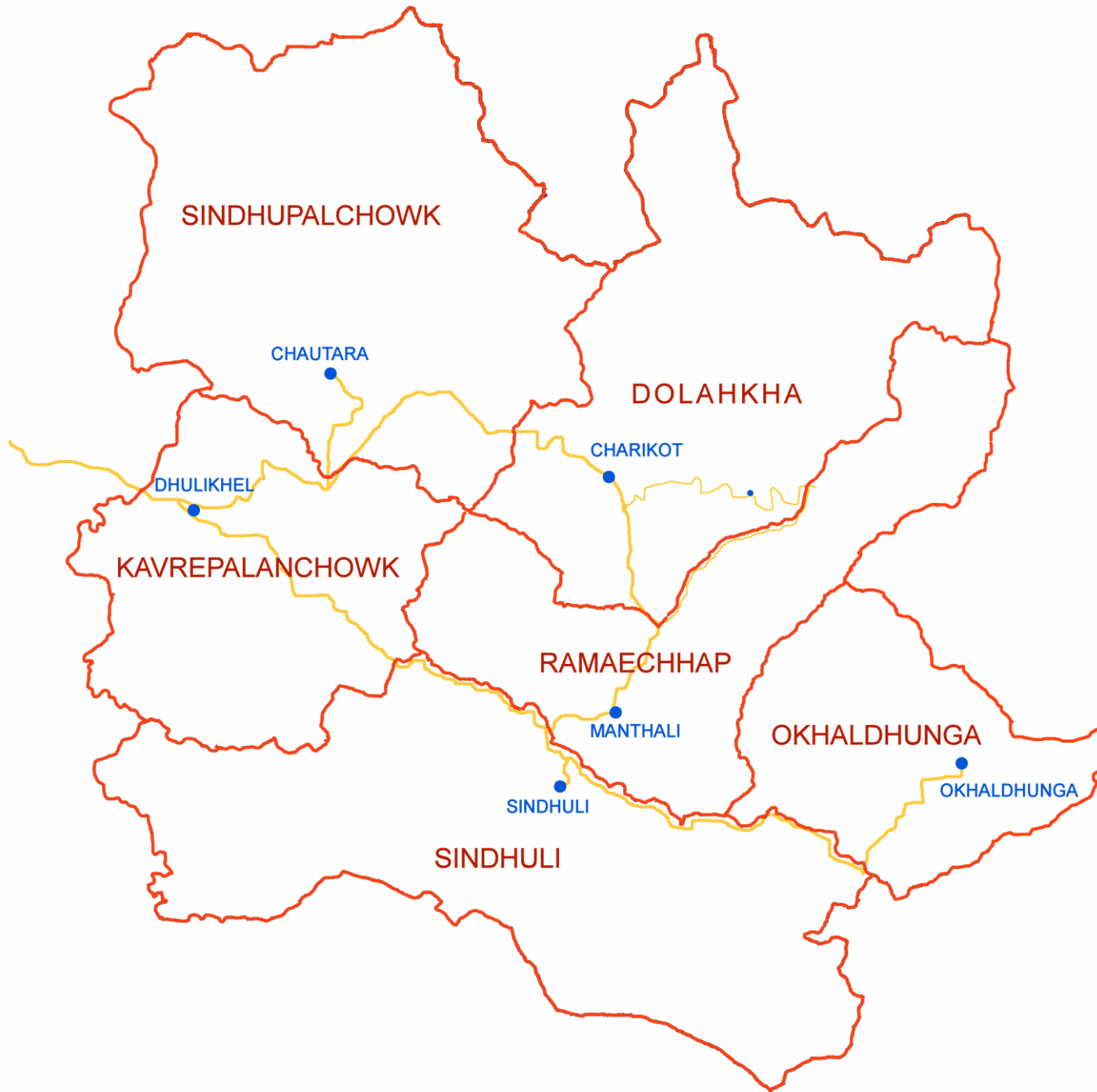


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ACCESS

- Reasonable road access to South and West, but limited to North and East
- Limited signs of major landslides





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- **POPULATION DENSITY**

- Reasonably high in the south but diminishing quickly to the North



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■ ASSISTANCE COVERAGE

— Tarpaulin coverage

- Sporadic and limited
- Diminishing as we headed further north



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■ ASSISTANCE COVERAGE

— CGI Coverage

- visible in very few locations
- Again diminishing quickly as we headed north



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— Self Recovery

- Very few signs of permanent reconstruction yet visible



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■ ASSISTANCE COVERAGE

— Coordination

- What shelter assistance was visible, seemed sporadic and poorly coordinated

Only one example of domed construction assistance and tent assistance seen



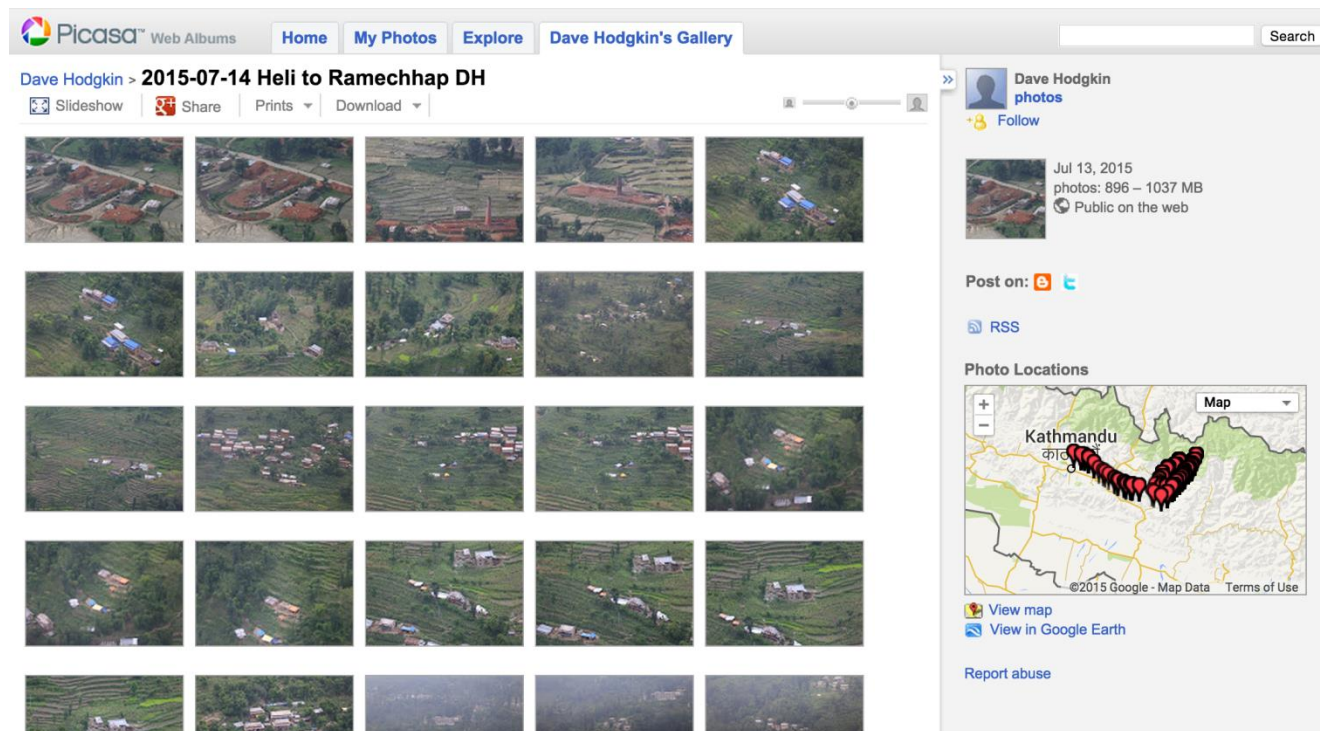
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- **Recommendations:**
 - Shelter assistance in Ramechhap appears to have been largely sporadic and seemingly uncoordinated particularly in the northern and eastern edges of the district. More shelter assistance is clearly needed, particular in the forms of roofing and training.
 - A number of seemingly well made stone houses appear to have performed remarkably well and would warrant further investigation so as to provide better guidance to reconstruction

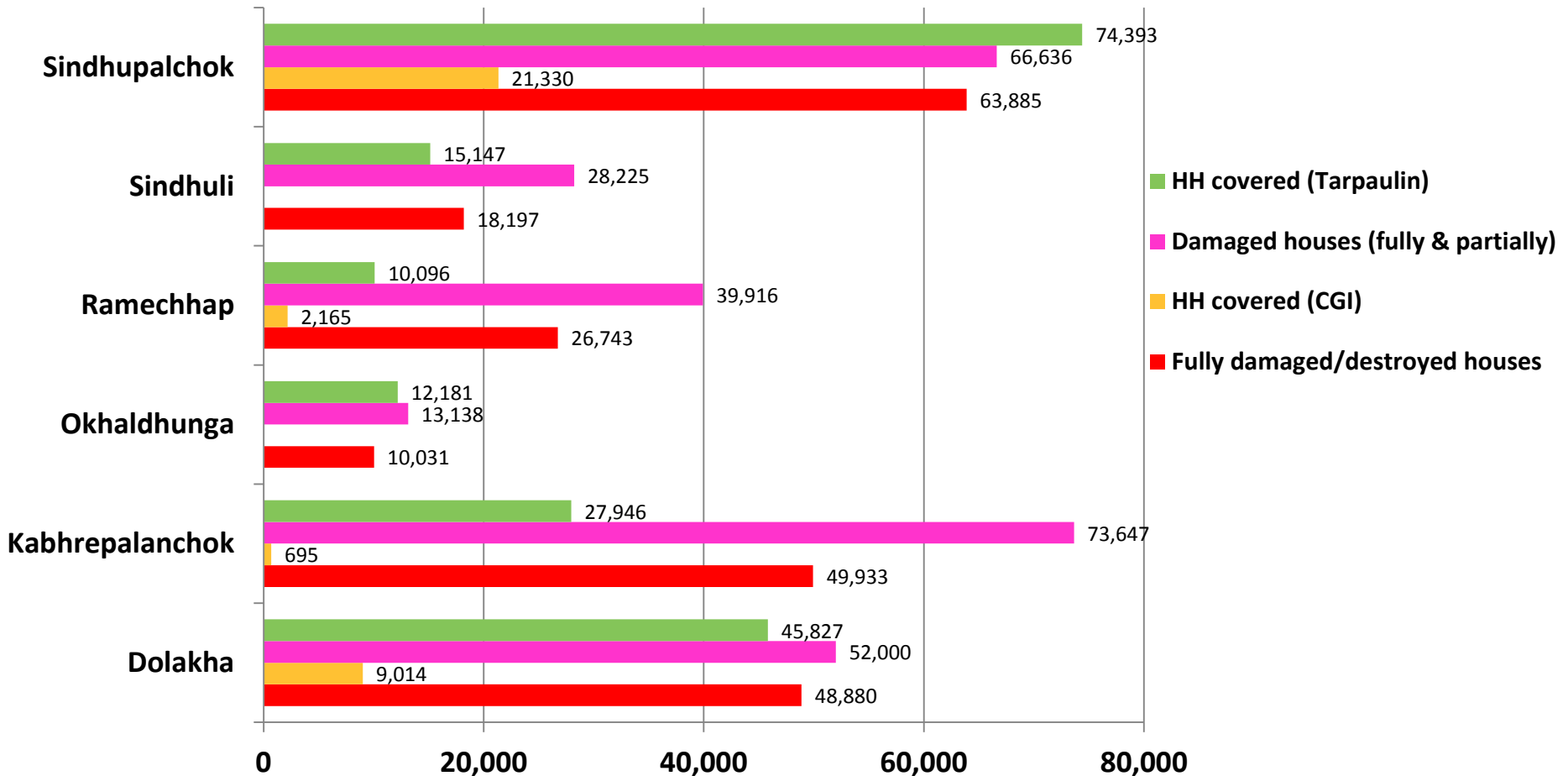


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- Additional photos may be viewed at:
<https://picasaweb.google.com/dave.hodgkin/20150714HeliToRamechhapDH>
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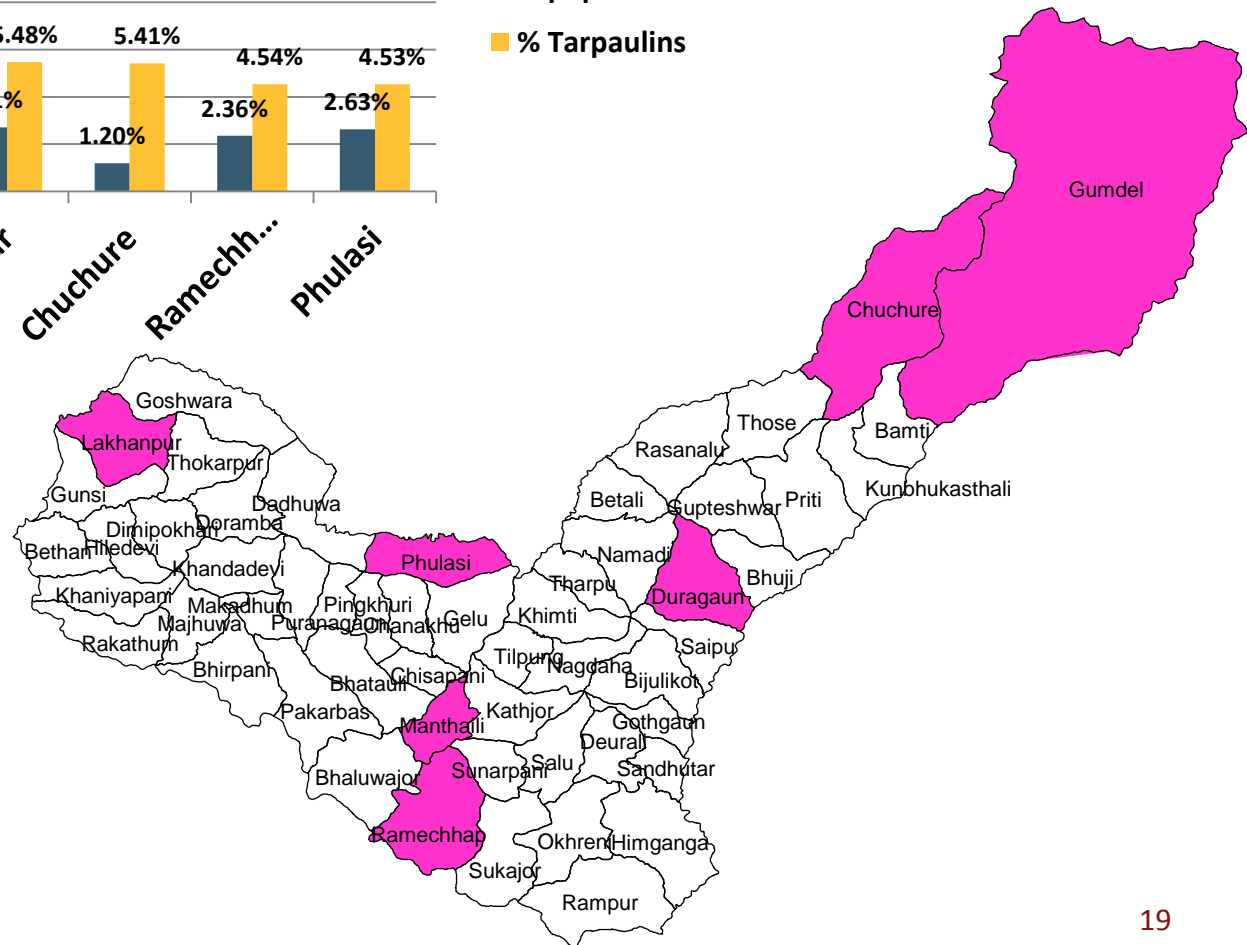
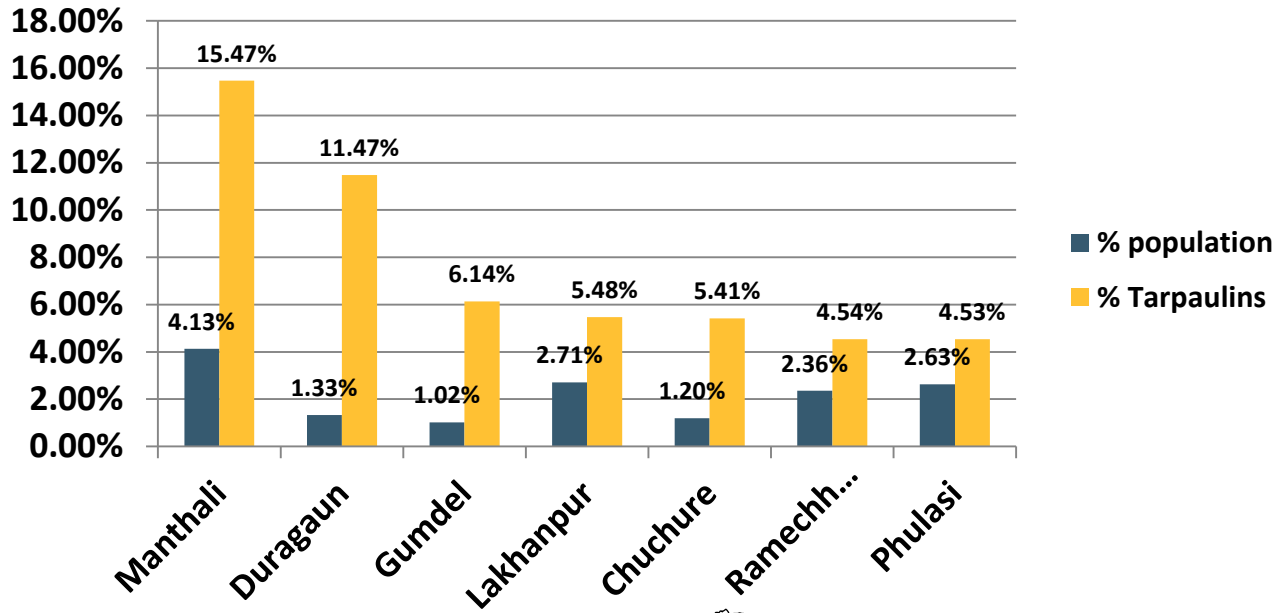


Comparative need coverage – East Hub

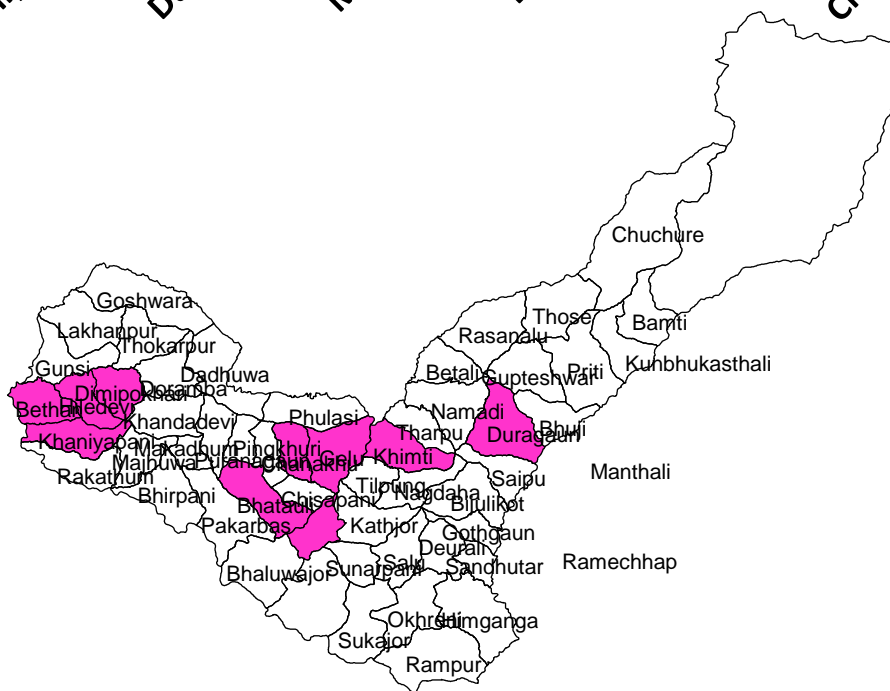
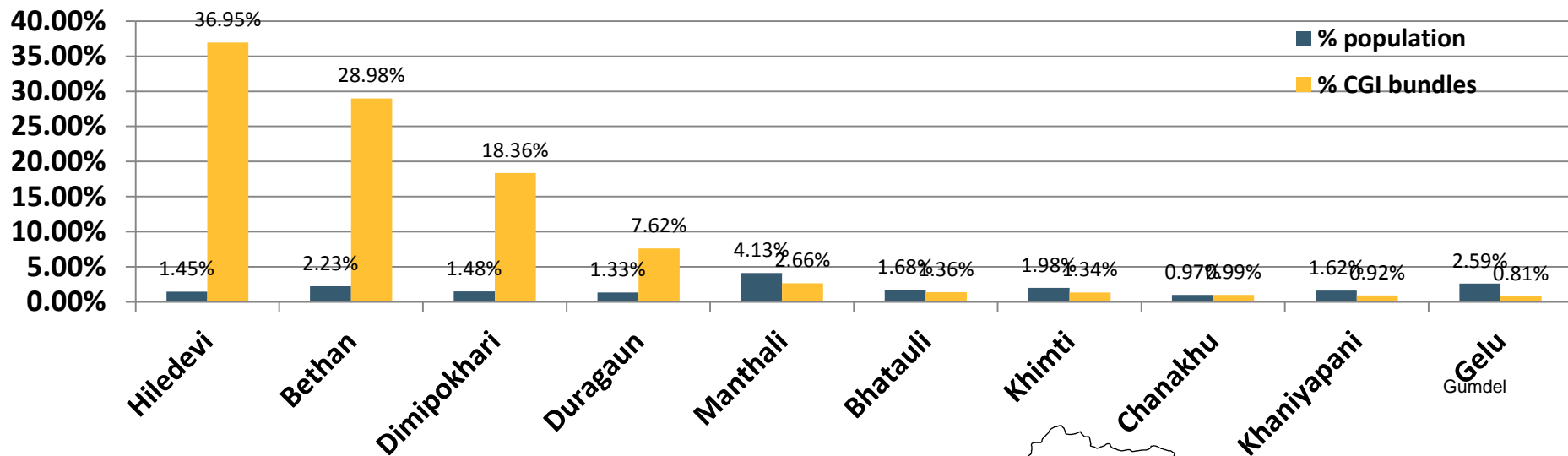


*Housing damage data per district available on <http://drrportal.gov.np/ndrrip/main.html?id=3>

Ramechhap - Tarpaulins



Ramechhap – CGI Bundles

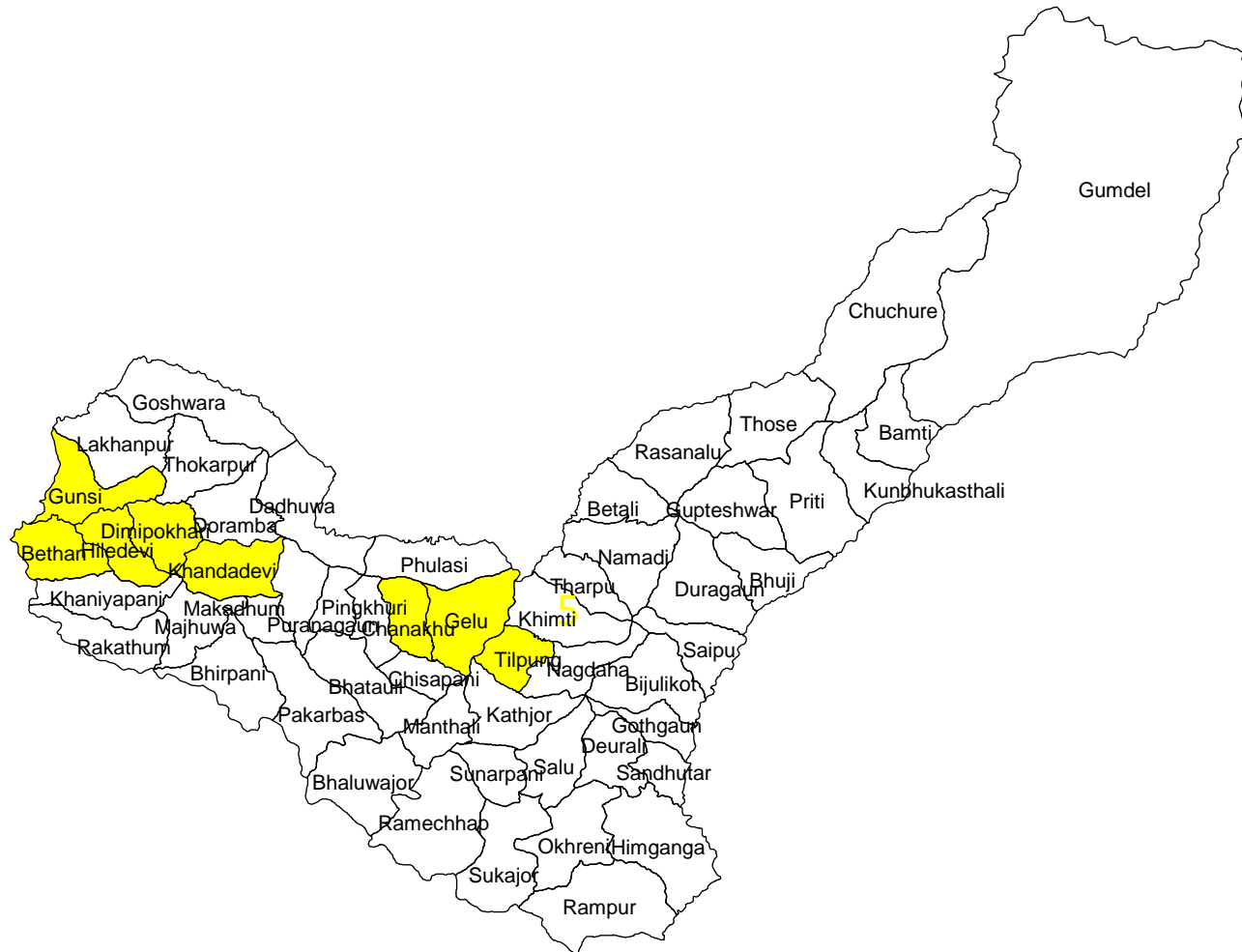


Government cash distribution

- 15,000 NPR to all households whose house was severely damaged.
- Cash distribution still ongoing (10 VDCs still missing).
- NRCS supporting district authorities through distribution in Duragaun and Khimti VDCs, as well as Manthali Municipality (Ward 7).



Ramechhap VDCs which have not yet received 15,000-NRP grant from authorities



Monsoon Preparedness

- No coordinated prepositioning ongoing.
- Government-led temporary relocation:
 - Initial planning figure 1,400 HHs (Source: Anapurna Post)
 - Later: 5,548 (Source: DUDBC)
 - Duragaun VDC's population completed. Provision of food and shelter for 4 months.
- Self-relocation of Kuvu, Gupteshwor, Bhuji VDCs' population.



Main challenges

- Political pressure/interference in delivery of humanitarian assistance
- Local tension at distribution site (Banti Bandar - Ramechhap)
- Access
- Low number of high-capacity agencies

