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## Securing Gender Sensitive Systems for Land Survey and Registration in Uganda

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## Presentation Outline

- Background
- Land Survey Tools
- Land Registration Tools
- Progressive Benefits
- Drawbacks
- Achievements





## Background

**SDG Indicator 5.a.2;**

**Uganda's Land Act, Article 27;**

**Uganda Vision 2040;**

**Uganda's National Development Plan III reflect land rights through: -**

- Addressing Inequality in land rights against women;
- Increasing land survey and registration interventions;
- Developing gender sensitive tools for land administration.

## Land Survey Tools

- Traditional Survey Tools (Capture Spatial Data);
- Modern Survey Tools (Capture both Spatial and Non-Spatial Data);
- SLAAC Data Capture and Processing Tool – software tool that can be installed on any OS on a tablet or computer.
- **SLAAC Tool is aimed at improving land survey processes and accelerate service delivery. It is secure and low-cost technology tool applying AI. The tool also allows data integration with UgNLIS.**



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## Land Registration Tools



- SLAAC Data Capture and Processing Tool – installed on Computer for processing spatial and ownership details;
- **Uganda National Land Information System (UgNLIS);**
- The documented land rights and ownership records have significantly improved land security, contribute to the social-economic welfare of the vulnerable groups (women, children, etc), and systematically transform the economy of the Country.

## Land Registration Tool Functions

- Individual Ownership;
- Joint Ownership;
- Institutional Ownership (such as Trustees, etc)

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## Progressive Benefits



- Increased women access and control on land;
- Improved land tenure security;
- Improved food security;
- Socio-economic transformation;
- Significantly reduced land conflicts in the pilot areas;
- Women empowerment (minimum of 30% in Land Administration Institutions – Land Boards, Committees, etc);
- Economic benefits are increasingly justifiable.

## Drawbacks

- Land Surveys and Registration are significantly demand driven;
- Strict social norms affecting women inheritance of land;
- Threatening cultural practices on women ownership of land;
- Limited participation of women in Land Administration and Management.





## Achievements



- Raised Awareness on women land rights and tenure security;
- Empowered women and promoted household benefits;
- Multi-stakeholder engagement;
- Simplified legal ownership of land;
- Socio-economic transformation;
- Developed Monitoring and Evaluation Matrix to measure success;
- Training and Enhancement of Awareness of Women Land Rights.



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