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Regional overview

LEGEND

BOUNDARIES

- international border
- - - disputed border

WATERS

-  lake
-  stream, river

NAMES

- Iran** country
- Tehran capital
- Socotra island
-  Lake Van waters

SCALE 1 : 25 000 000



PROJECTION
Robinson, WGS84



Topography

LEGEND

LINES OF COMMUNICATION AND WATERS

- main railway
- minor railway
- - - railway under construction
- motorway
- main road
- minor road
- track
- - - road under construction
- lake, impermanent lake
- dry salt lake, marsh
- stream, river
- impermanent river, canal
- desert
- glacier

HYPSOMETRIC LAYER

- above 7 000 m
- 6 000 to 7 000 m
- 5 000 to 6 000 m
- 4 000 to 5 000 m
- 3 000 to 4 000 m
- 2 000 to 3 000 m
- 1 000 to 2 000 m
- 500 to 1 000 m
- 200 to 500 m
- 0 to 200 m

NAMES AND MUNICIPAL REPRESENTATION

India

Azad disputed territory

KABUL

capital

Peshawar

settlement more than 1 million inhabitants

Sukkur

settlement 500 000 to 1 million inhabitants

Kandahar

settlement 100 000 to 500 000 inhabitants

Kunduz

settlement 20 000 to 100 000 inhabitants

Bamyan

settlement 5 000 to 20 000 inhabitants

Nanai

settlement under 5 000 inhabitants

P a m i r

landscape/mountain range

Noshaq

mountain summit and height

Khyber Pass

mountain pass and height

Kajakai-Dam

dam

Helmand

waters

BOUNDARIES

— international border

- - - disputed border

SCALE 1 : 6 500 000

0 50 100 150 200 250 km

PROJECTION

Robinson, WGS84



Physiography

LEGEND

NAMES AND MUNICIPAL REPRESENTATION

- India** country
- Ghor province
- Azad** disputed territory
 - national capital
 - provincial capital
 - other settlement (more than 100 000 inhabitants)

BOUNDARIES

- international border
- provincial border
- district boundary (Afghanistan)
- disputed border

SCALE 1 : 6 500 000



PROJECTION

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Kabul



Herat



Kandahar



Mazar-e Sharif



Jalalabad



Ethnic groups

ETHNIC GROUPS (LANGUAGES)

- 17 Persians (Persian speaking)
- 10 Kurds (Kurdish speaking)
- 5 Baloch (Balochi speaking)
- 2 Arabs (Arabic speaking)
- 2/17 Arabs and Persians
- 25 Turkmen (Turkmen speaking)
- 16 Pashtuns (Pashto speaking)
- 21 Tajiks (Persian speaking)
- 9 Hazaras (speaking Persian dialect Hazaragi)
- 27 Uzbeks (Uzbek speaking)
- 1 Aimaq (mainly speaking Aimaq dialects of Persian)
- 14 Nuristanis (speaking Nuristani languages)
- 15 Pashai (Pashai speaking)
- 18 Punjabis, including Saraikis (speaking Punjabi languages)
- 20 Sindhis (Sindhi speaking)
- 5/20 Baloch and Sindhis
- 28 Others such as Kho/Chitralis, Balti, Shina, Burusho, Kalasha, Wakhi, etc. (various languages)
- 2/5 Arabs and Baloch (Arabic and Balochi speaking)

LEGEND

BOUNDARIES

- international border
- international maritime border (notional)
- disputed border

WATERS

- lake
- stream, river

NAMES AND MUNICIPAL REPRESENTATION

- India** country
- Azad* disputed territory
- KABUL** capital
- Karachi** settlement more than 5 million inhabitants
- Peshawar** settlement 1 million to 5 million inhabitants
- Sukkur settlement 500 000 to 1 million inhabitants
- Kandahar settlement 100 000 to 500 000 inhabitants
- Kunduz settlement 20 000 to 100 000 inhabitants
- Bamyan** settlement under 20 000 inhabitants
- Masirah* island
- Helmand* waters

SCALE 1 : 10 000 000



PROJECTION

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Religious groups

RELIGIOUS GROUPS

- 59 Sunni Muslims
- 60 Twelver Shia Muslims
- 59/60 Sunni Muslims and Twelver Shia Muslims
- 58 Ismailis
- 56 Hindus
- 60/57 Shia Muslims and Ibadi Muslims
- 57 Ibadi Muslims
- 59/57 Sunni Muslims and Ibadi Muslims

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WATERS

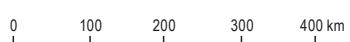
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Oil and gas fields

OIL & GAS FIELDS

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<i>Masirah</i>	island
<i>Helmand</i>	waters

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Security situation

Provinces 2017 - 2018

LEGEND

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- bomb incident/explosives/hoax devices
- shootings/sniper incidents
- terrorist arrested/captured/killed locations
- other

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Azad disputed territory
Baghdis Afghanistan province

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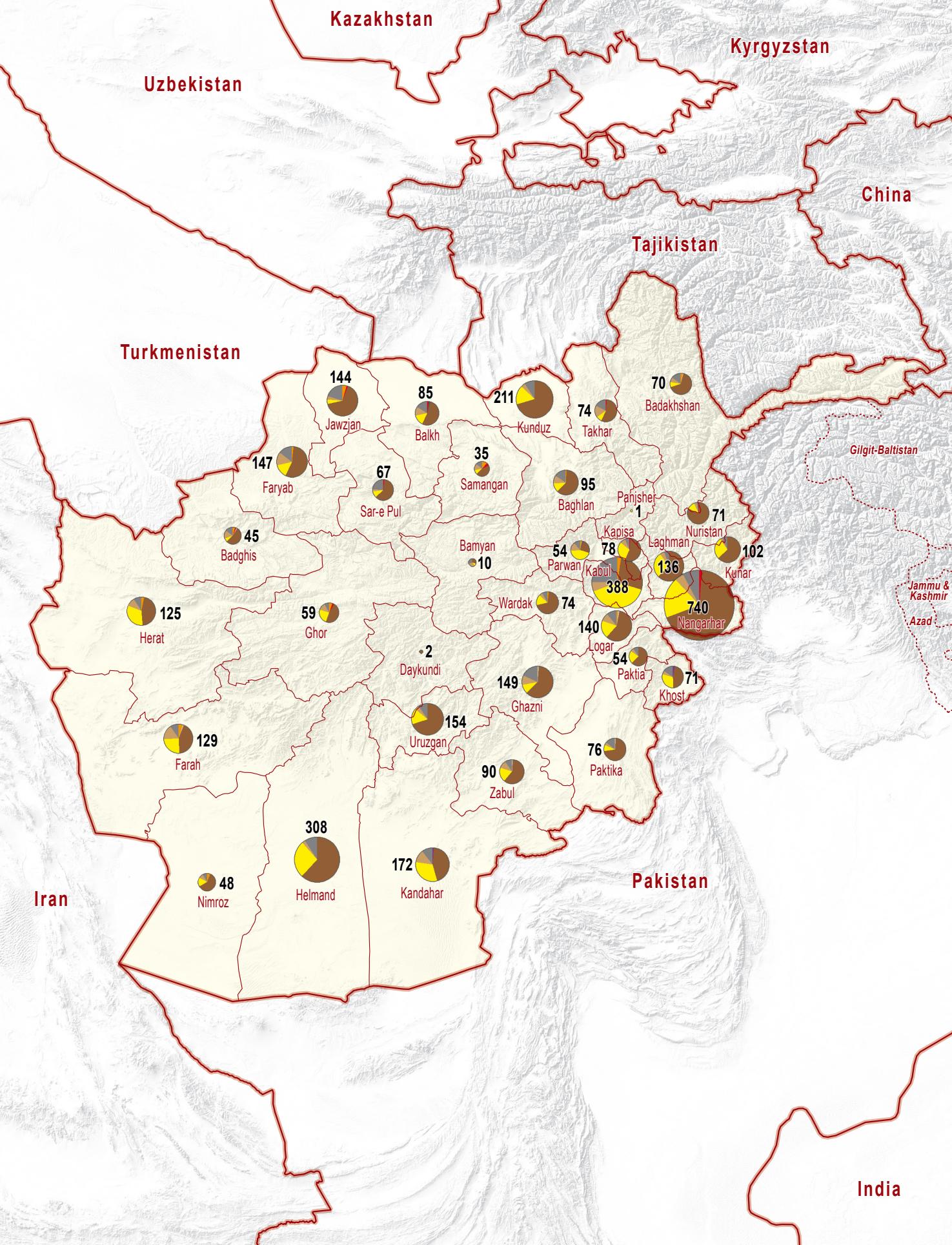
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- disputed border
- Afghanistan province boundary

SCALE 1 : 6 500 000



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Security situation

Districts 1.1.2017 - 31.3.2018

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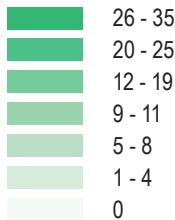
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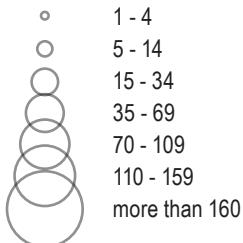
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NUMBER OF INCIDENTS

01.01.2017 - 31.03.2018

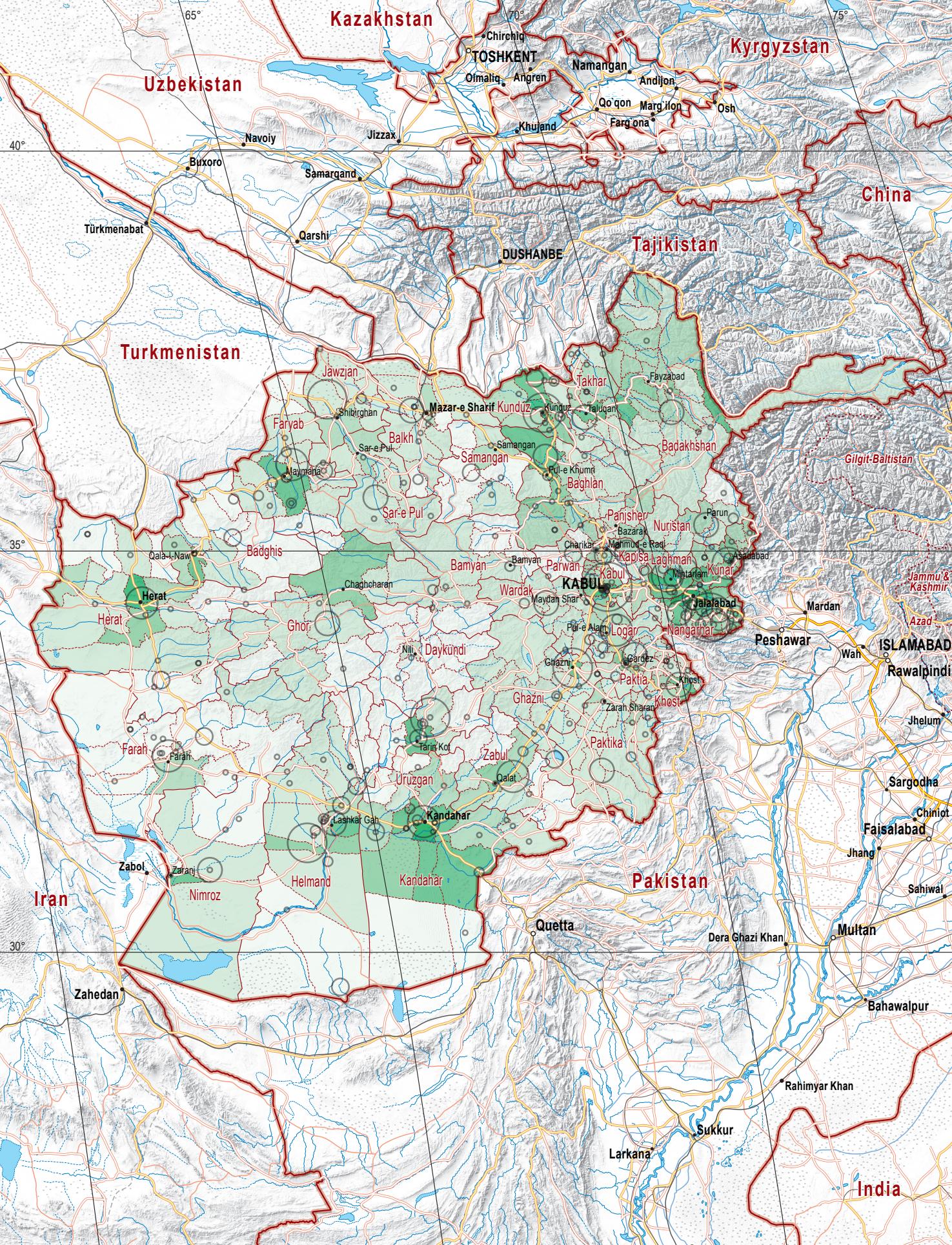


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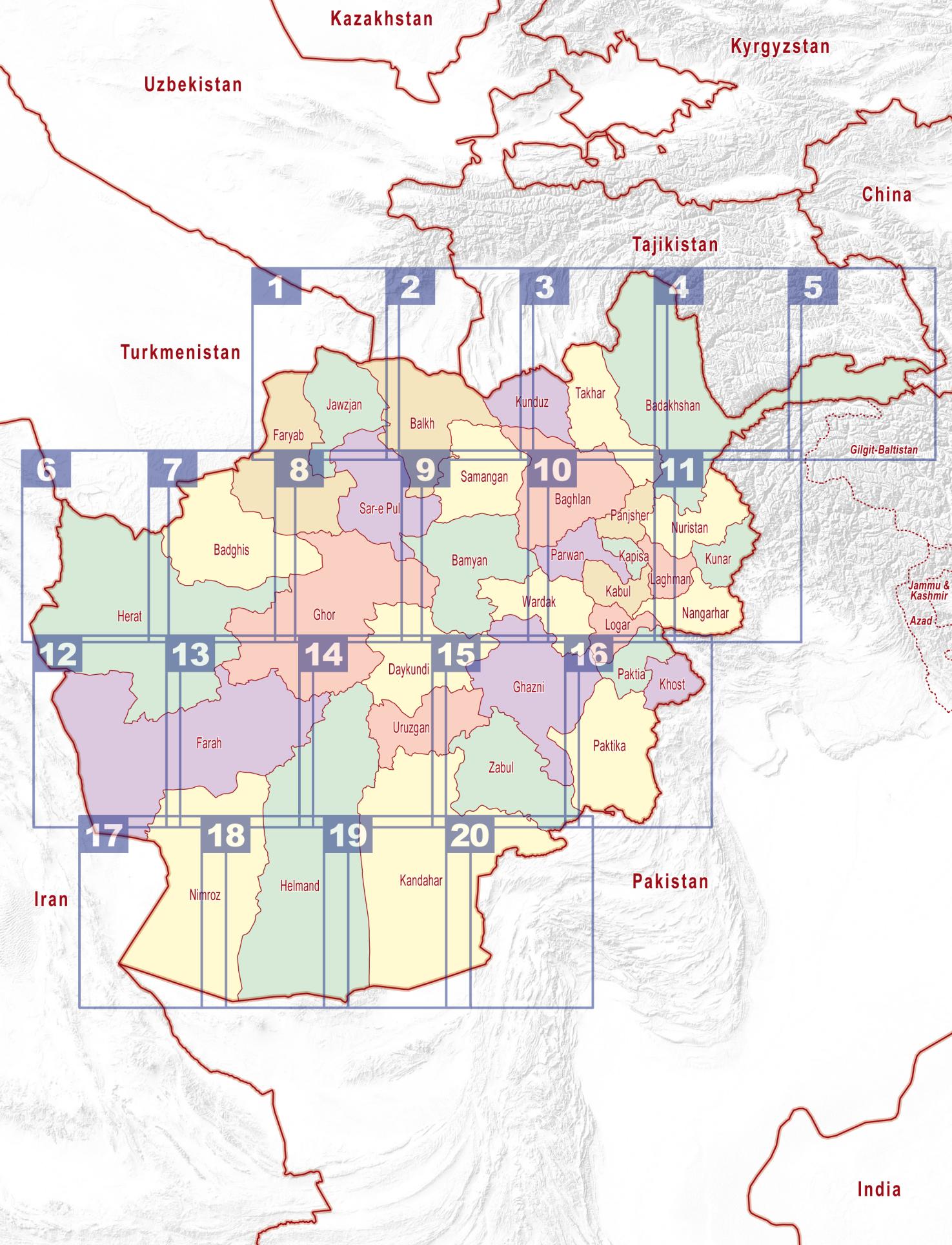
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Security situation

Overview



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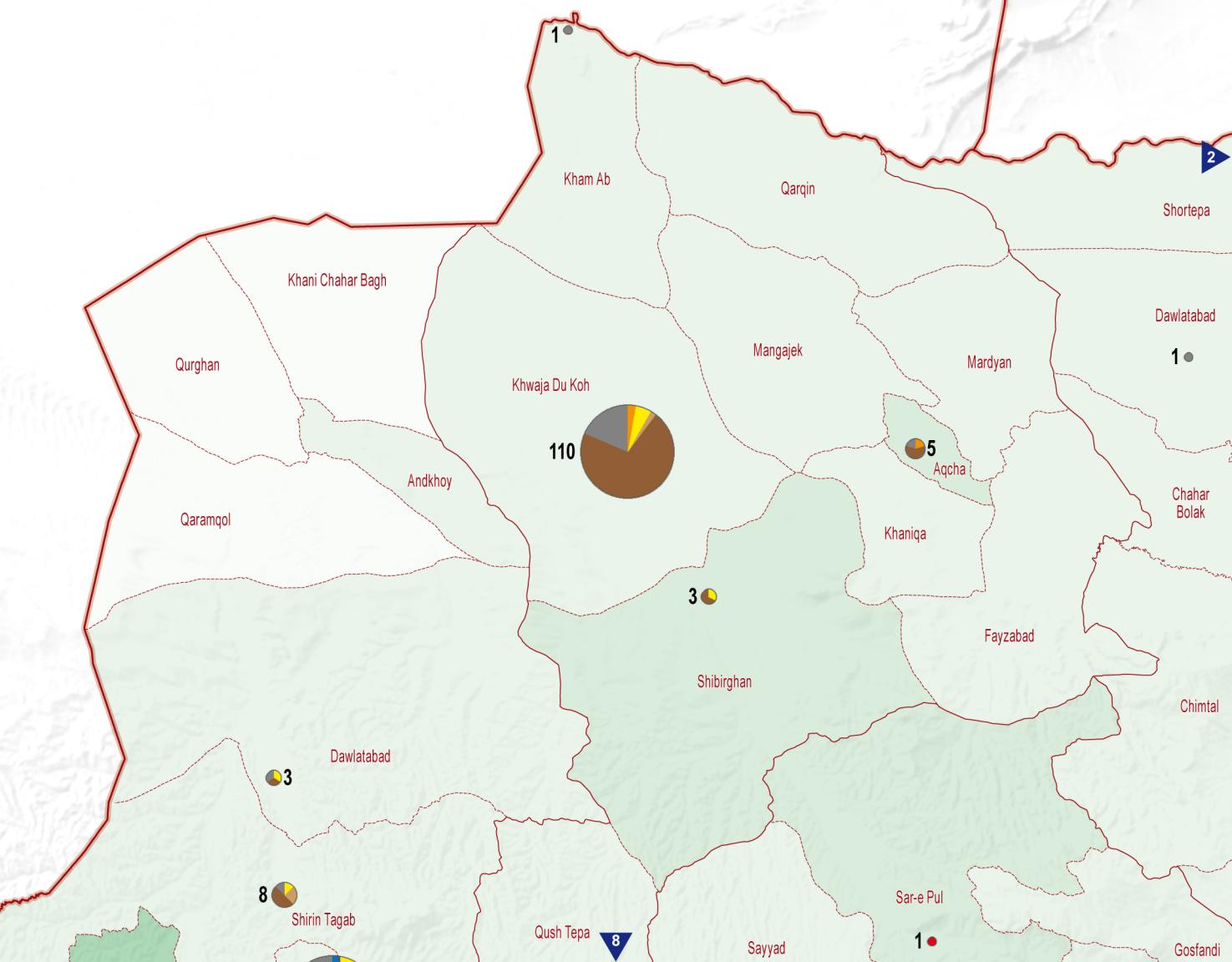
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Uzbekistan

Turkmenistan



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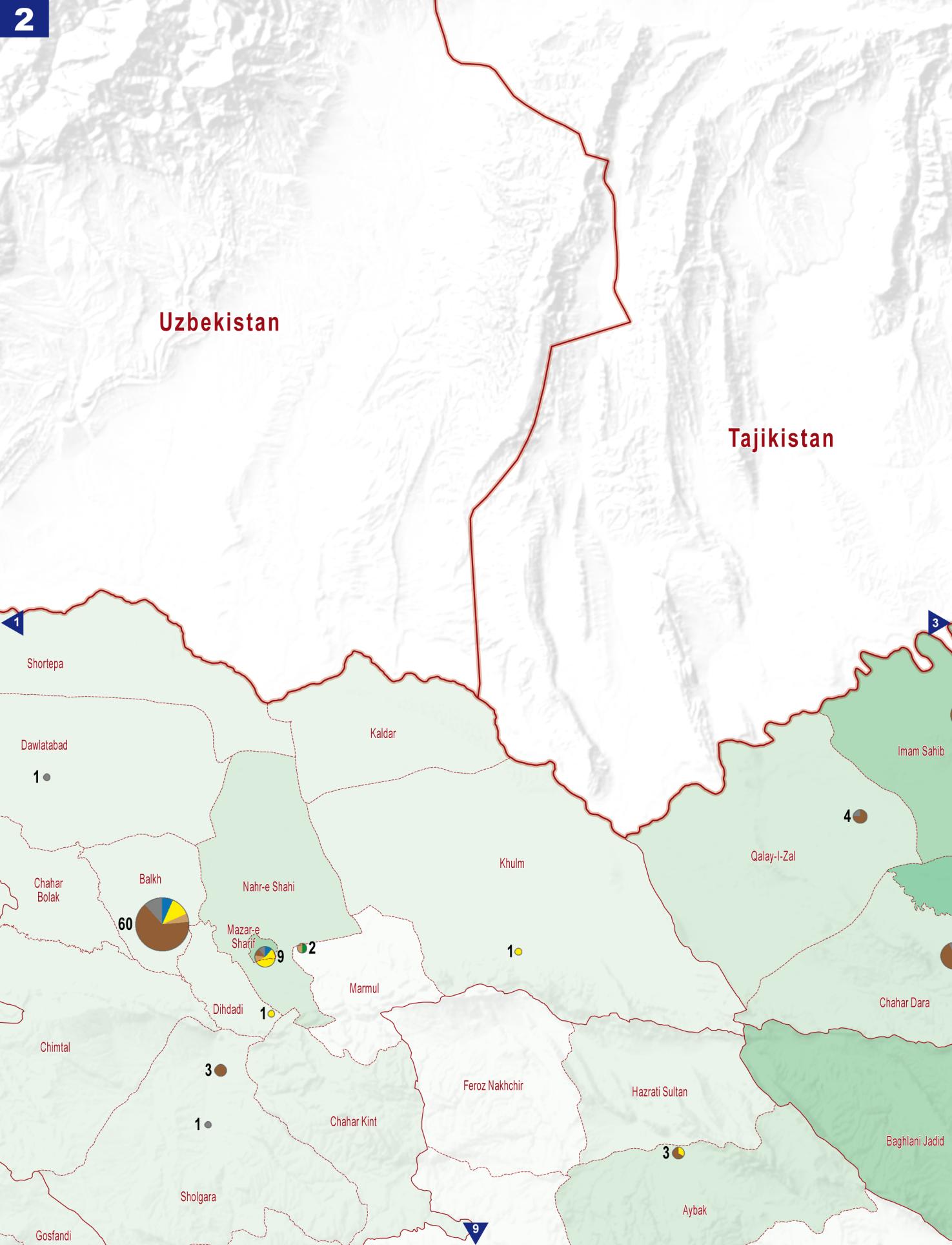
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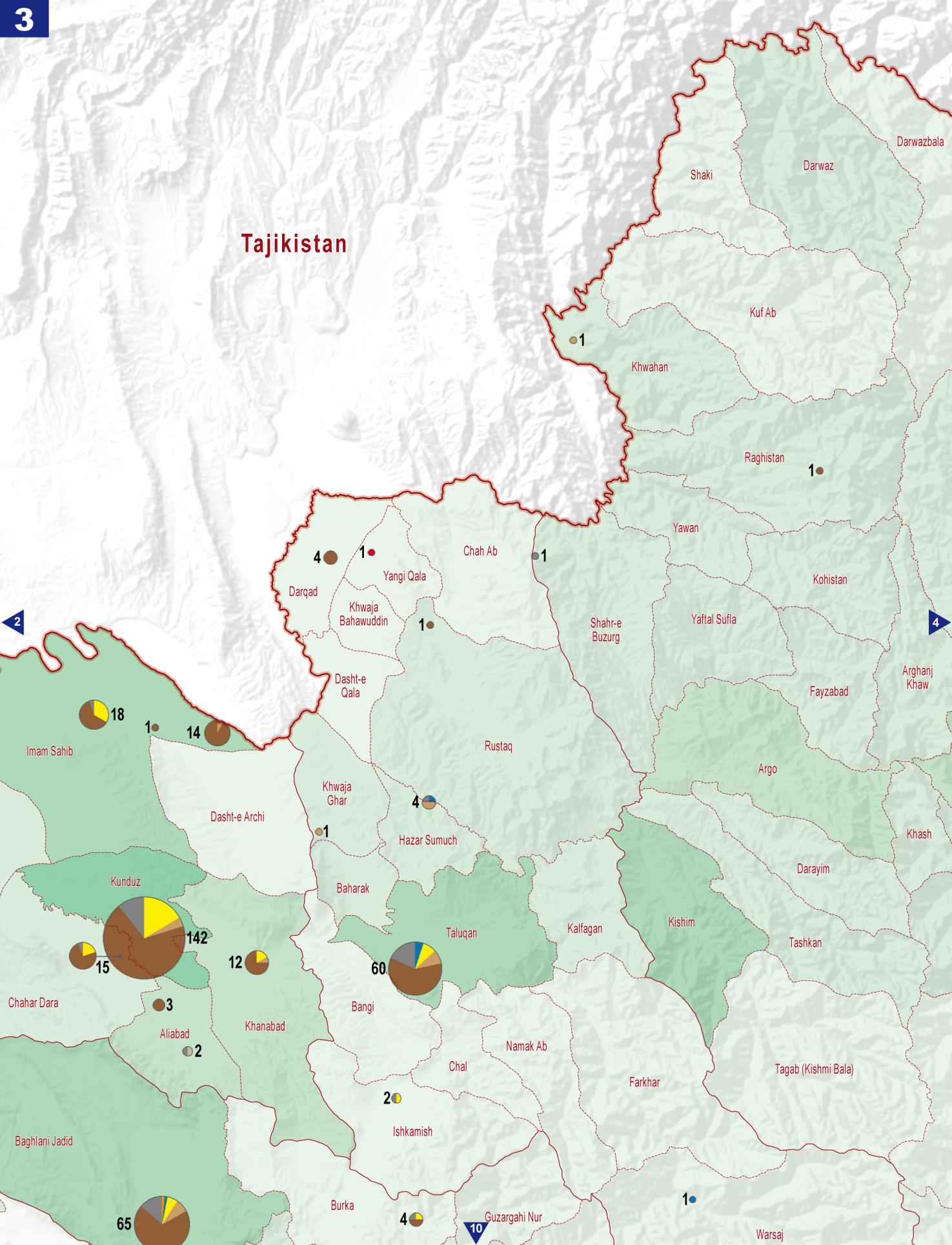
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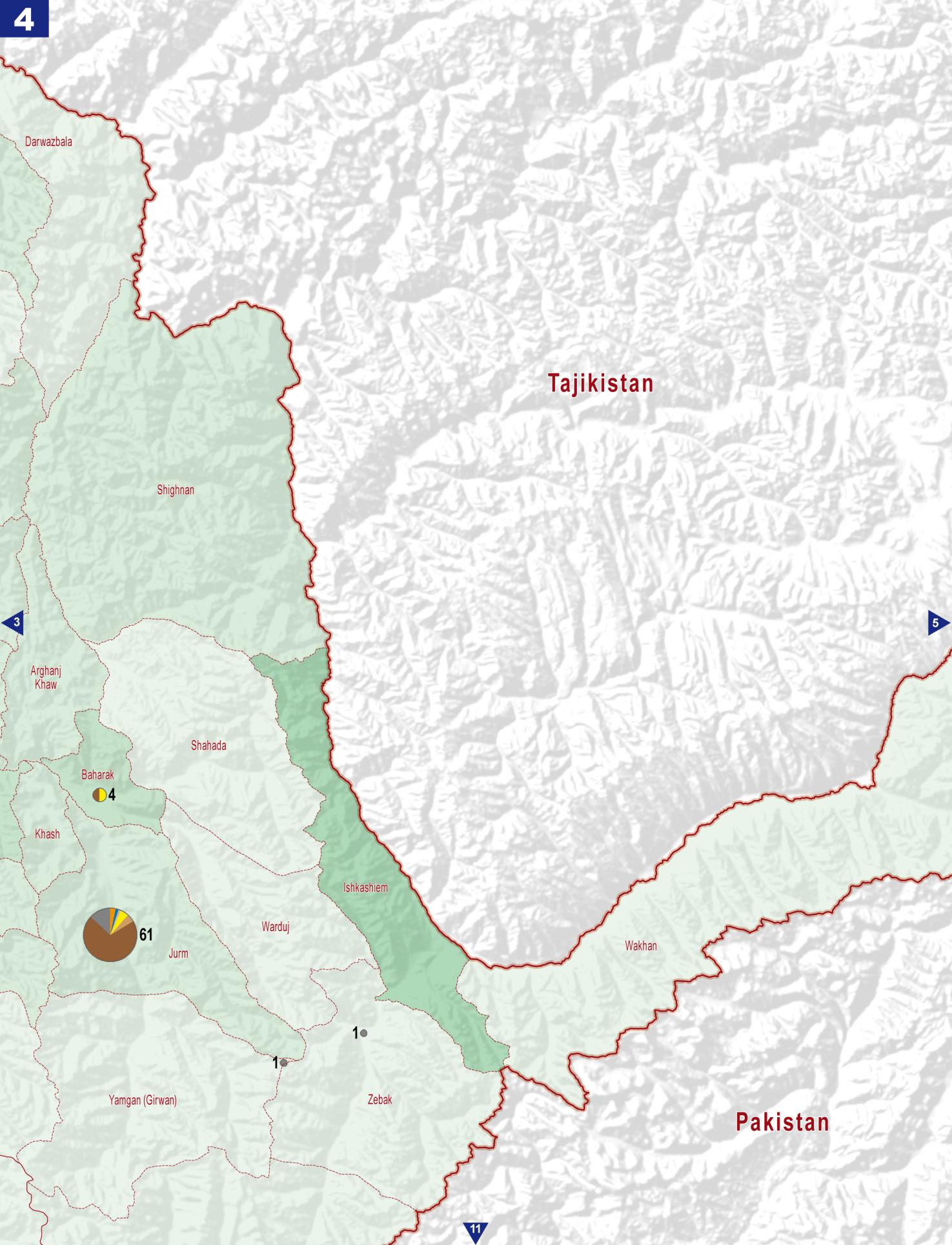
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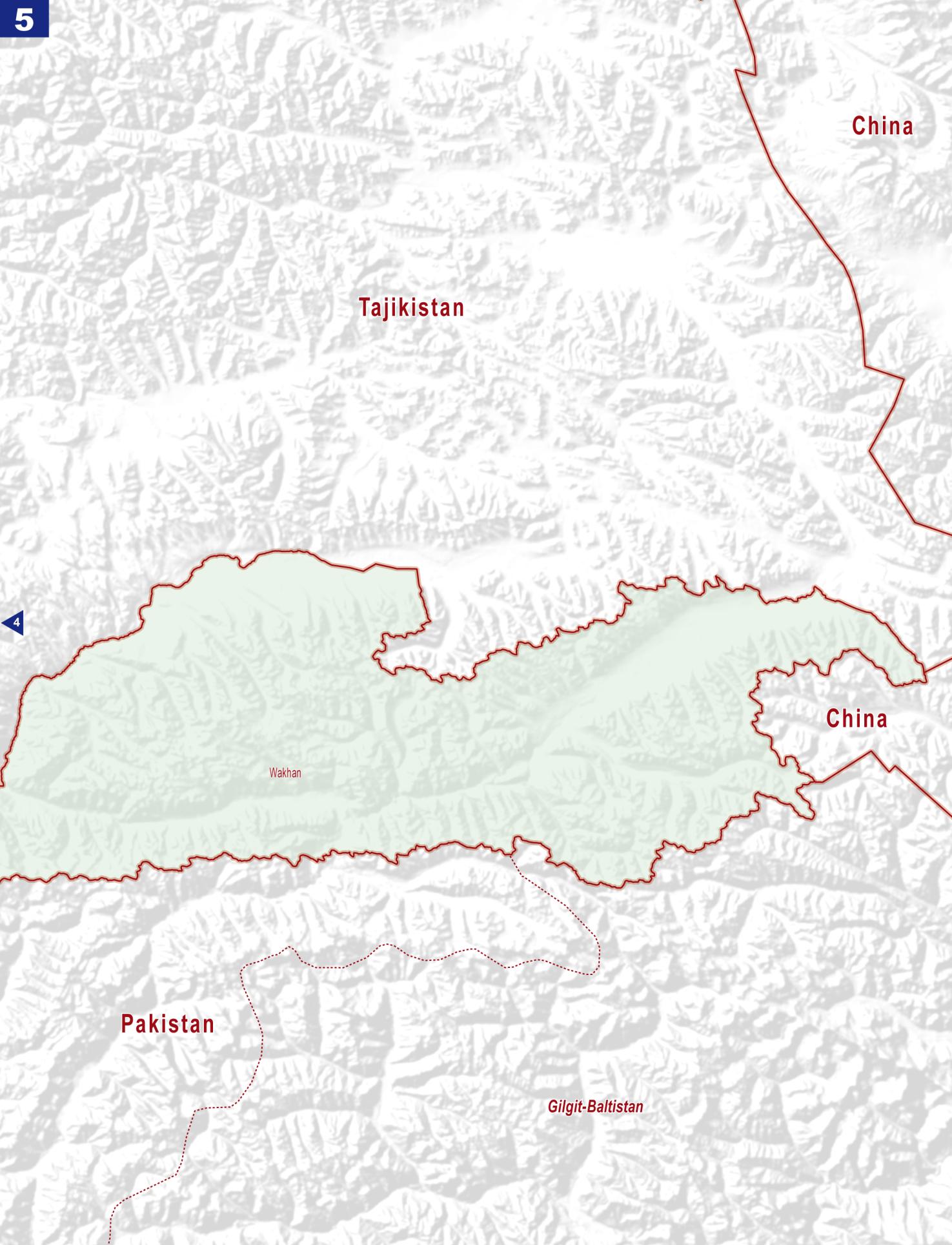
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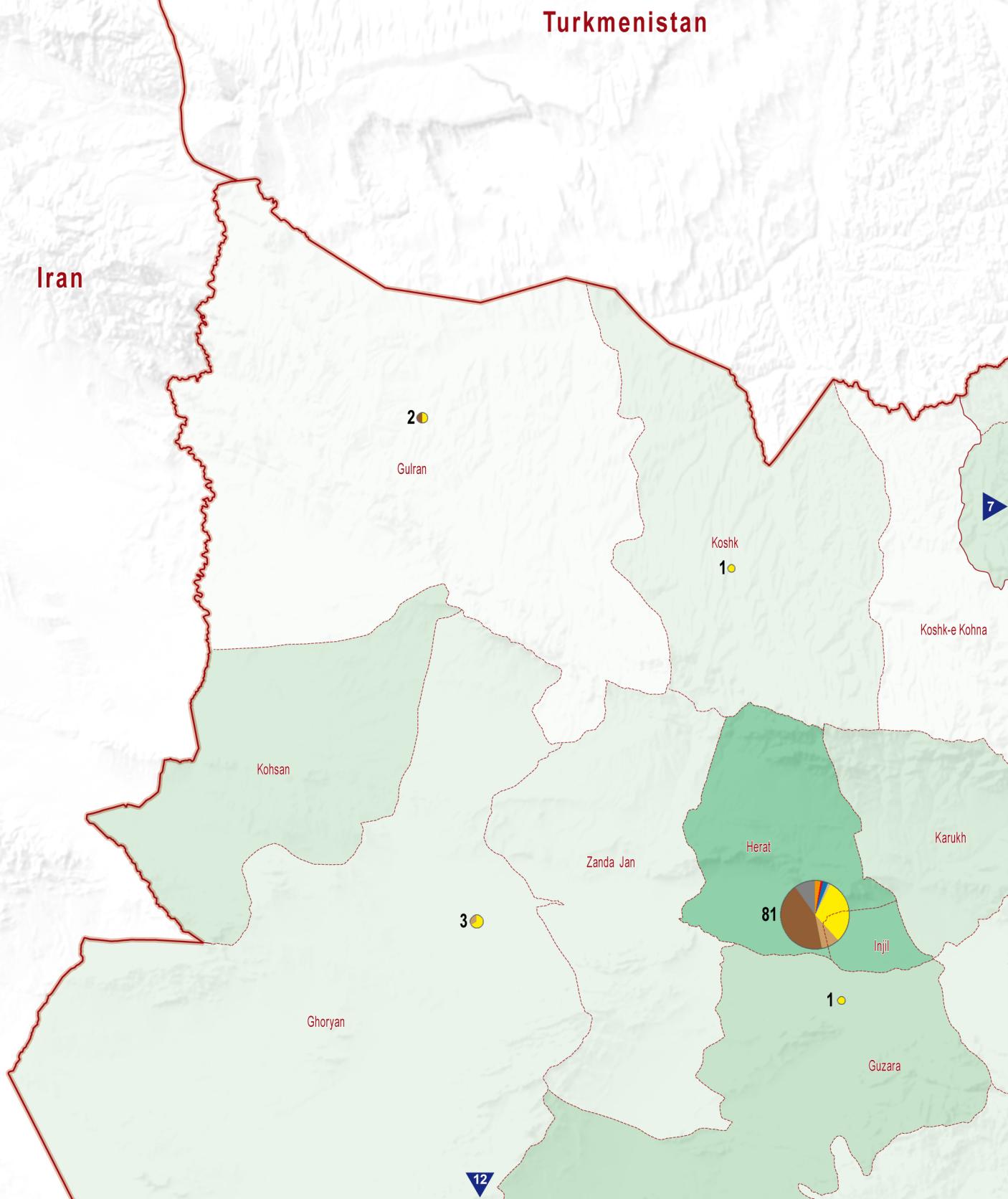
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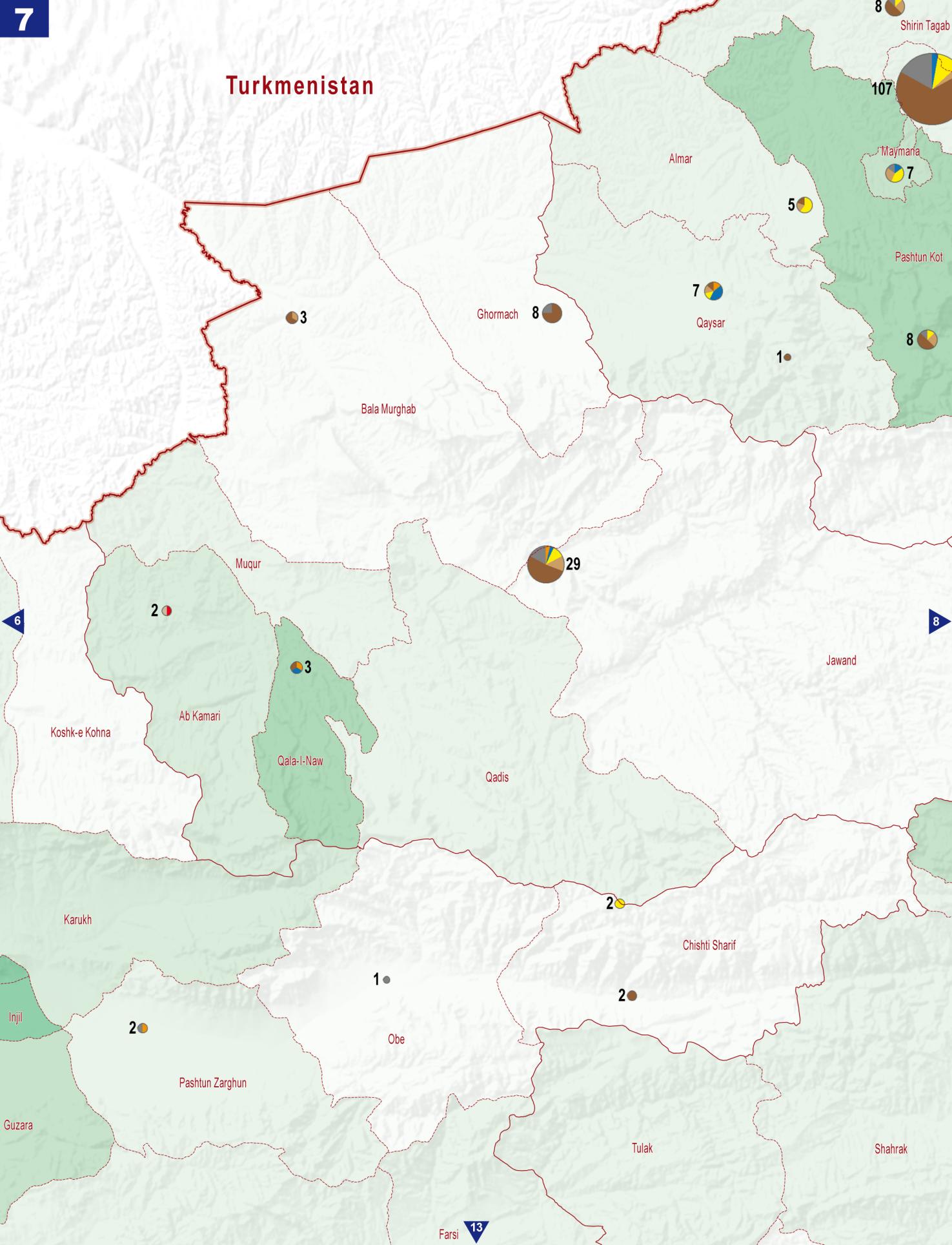
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Turkmenistan



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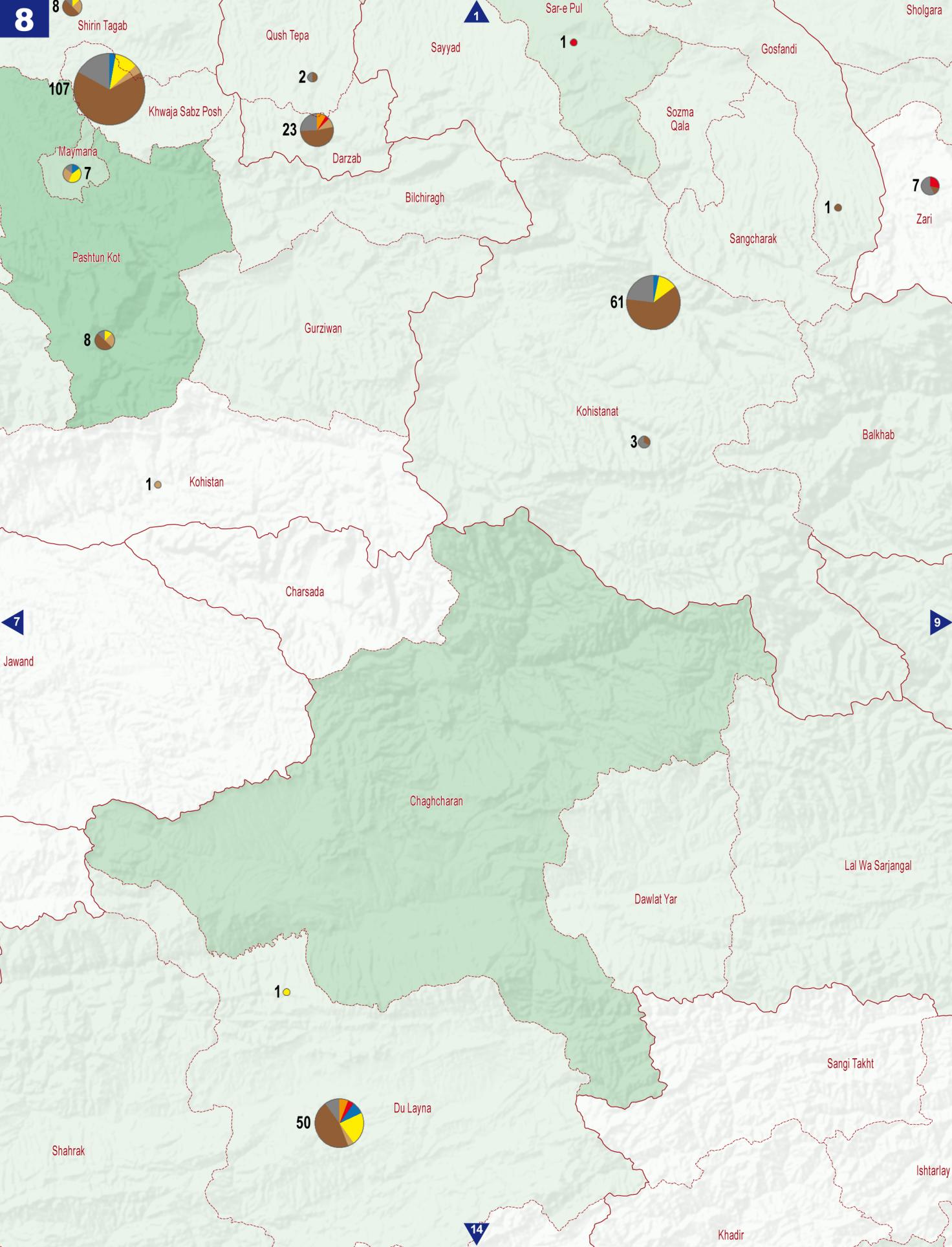
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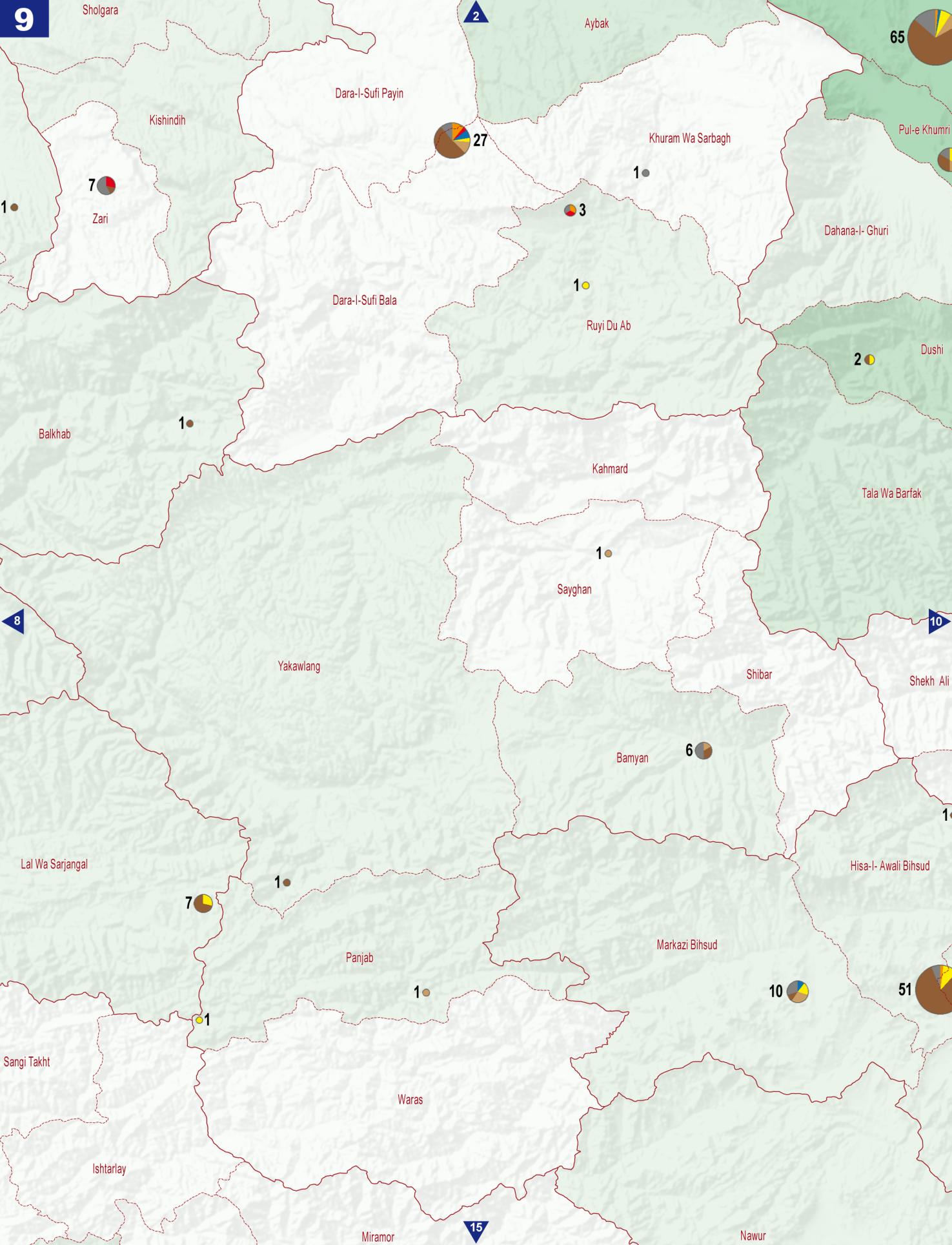
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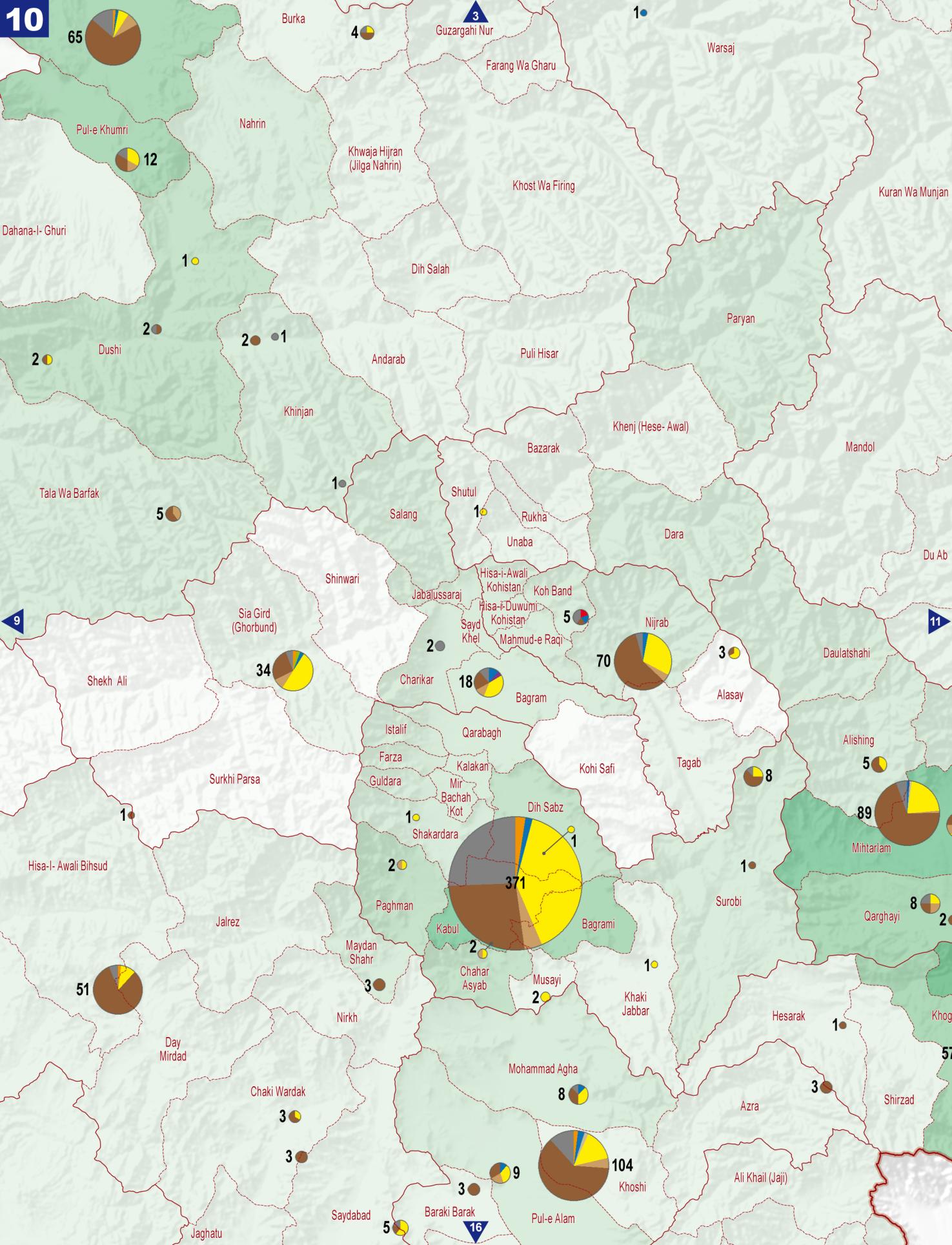
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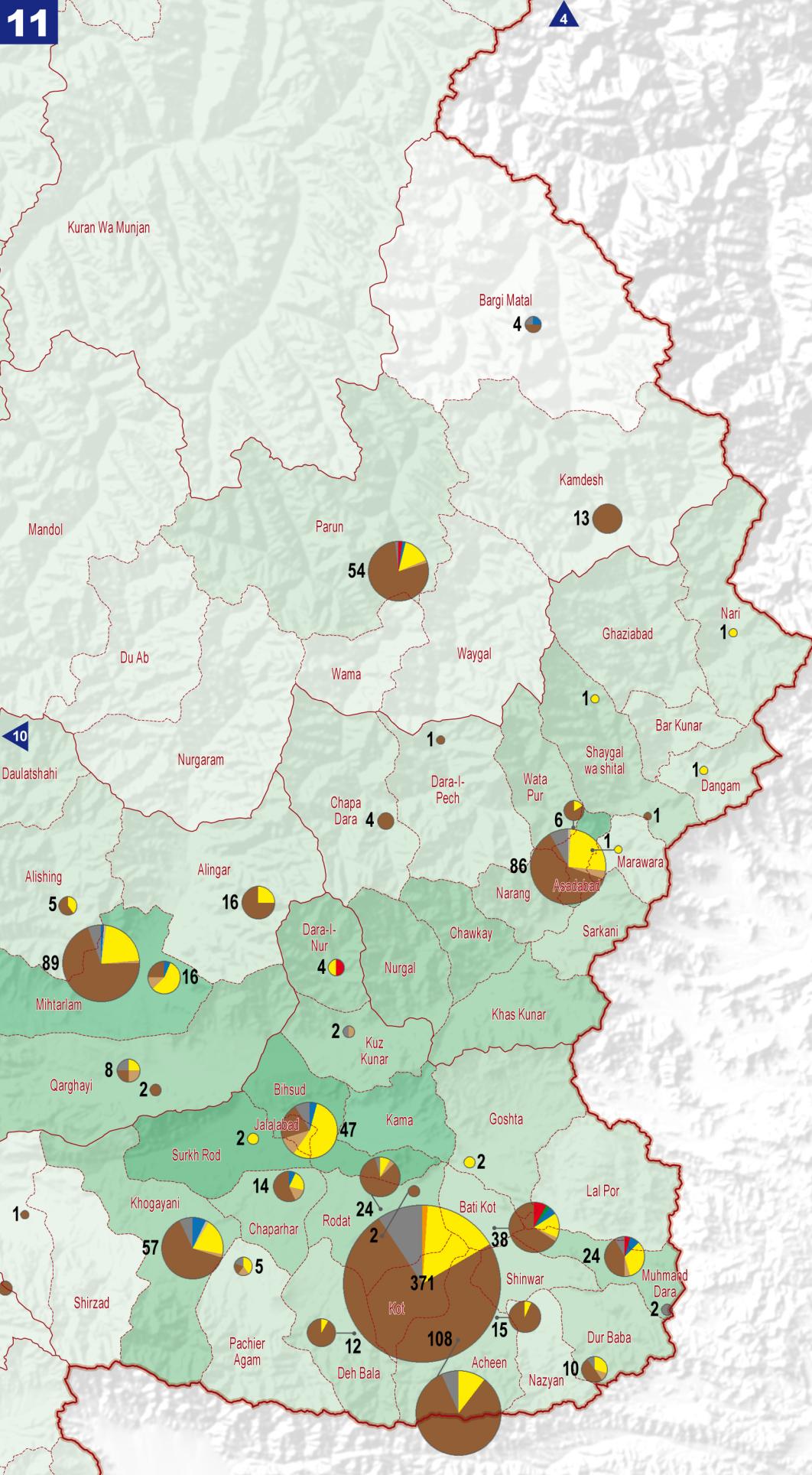
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Pakistan



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Iran

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Adraskan

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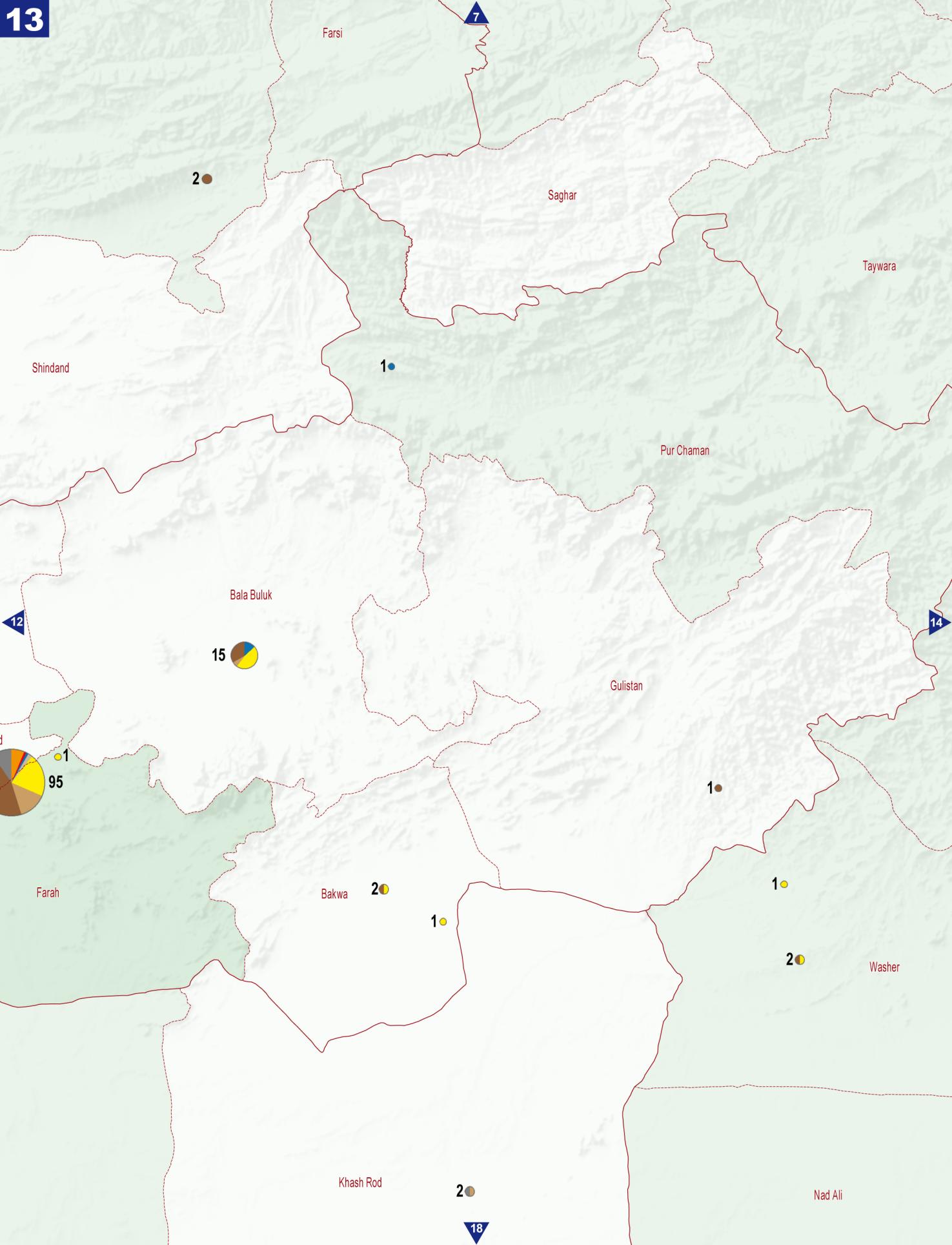
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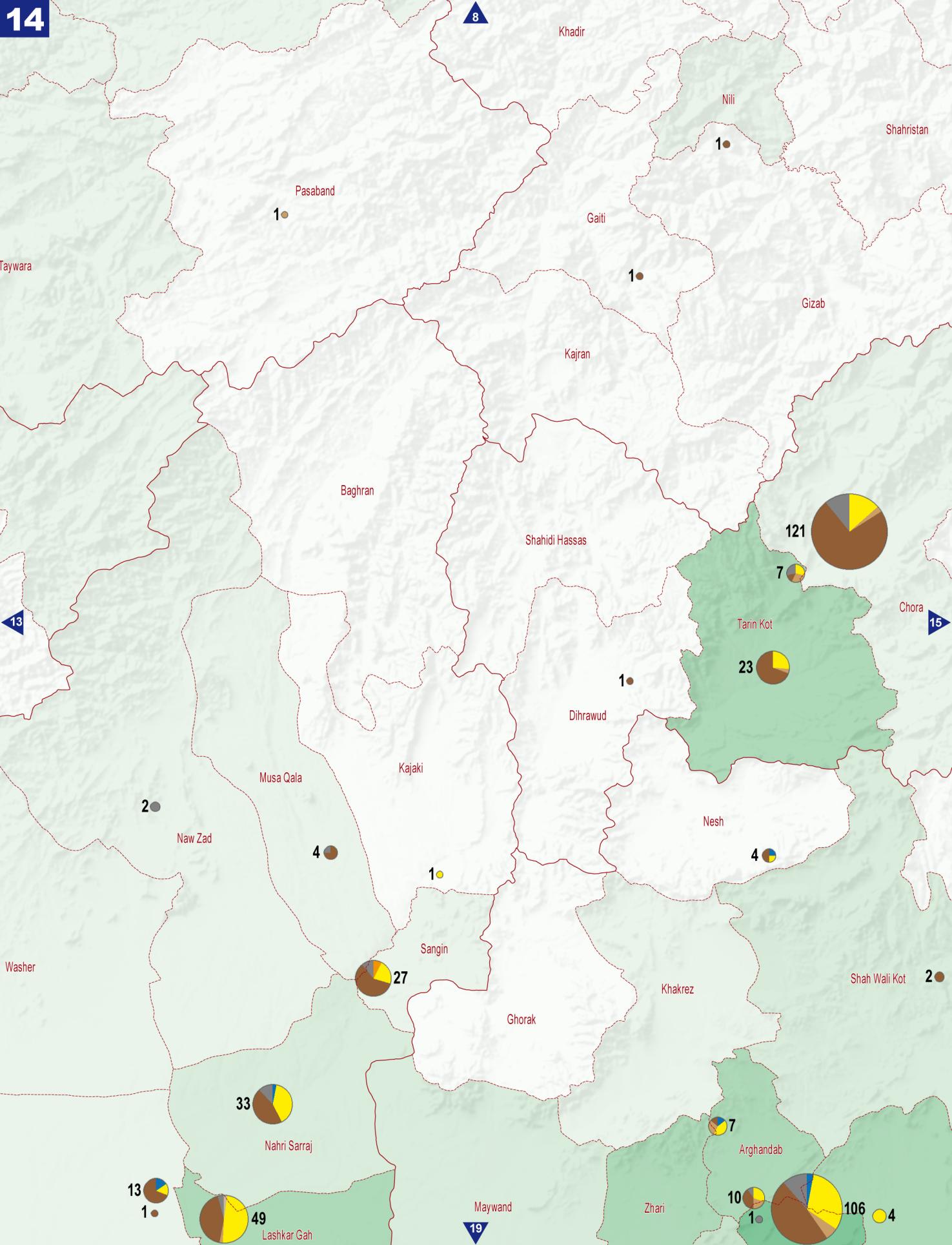
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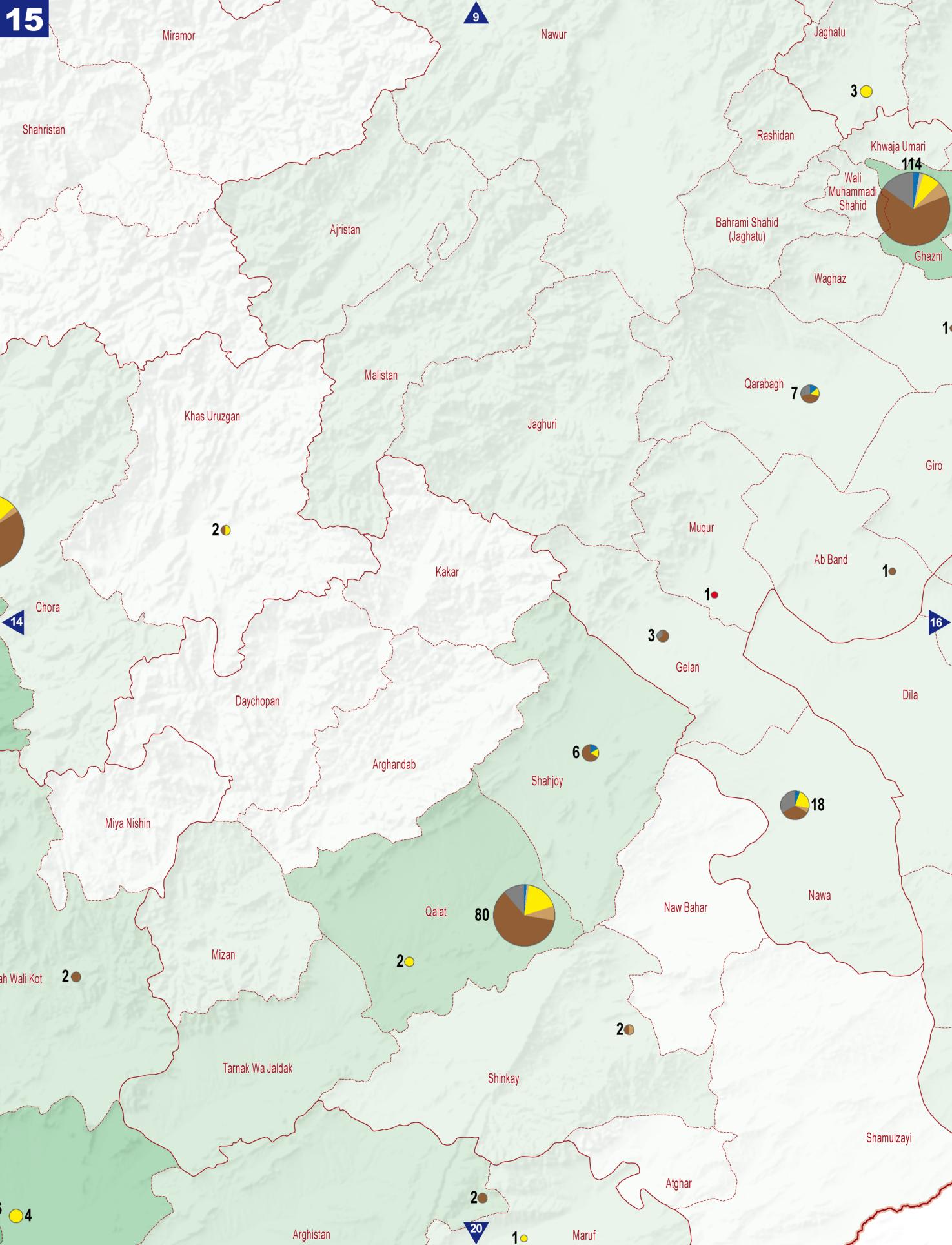
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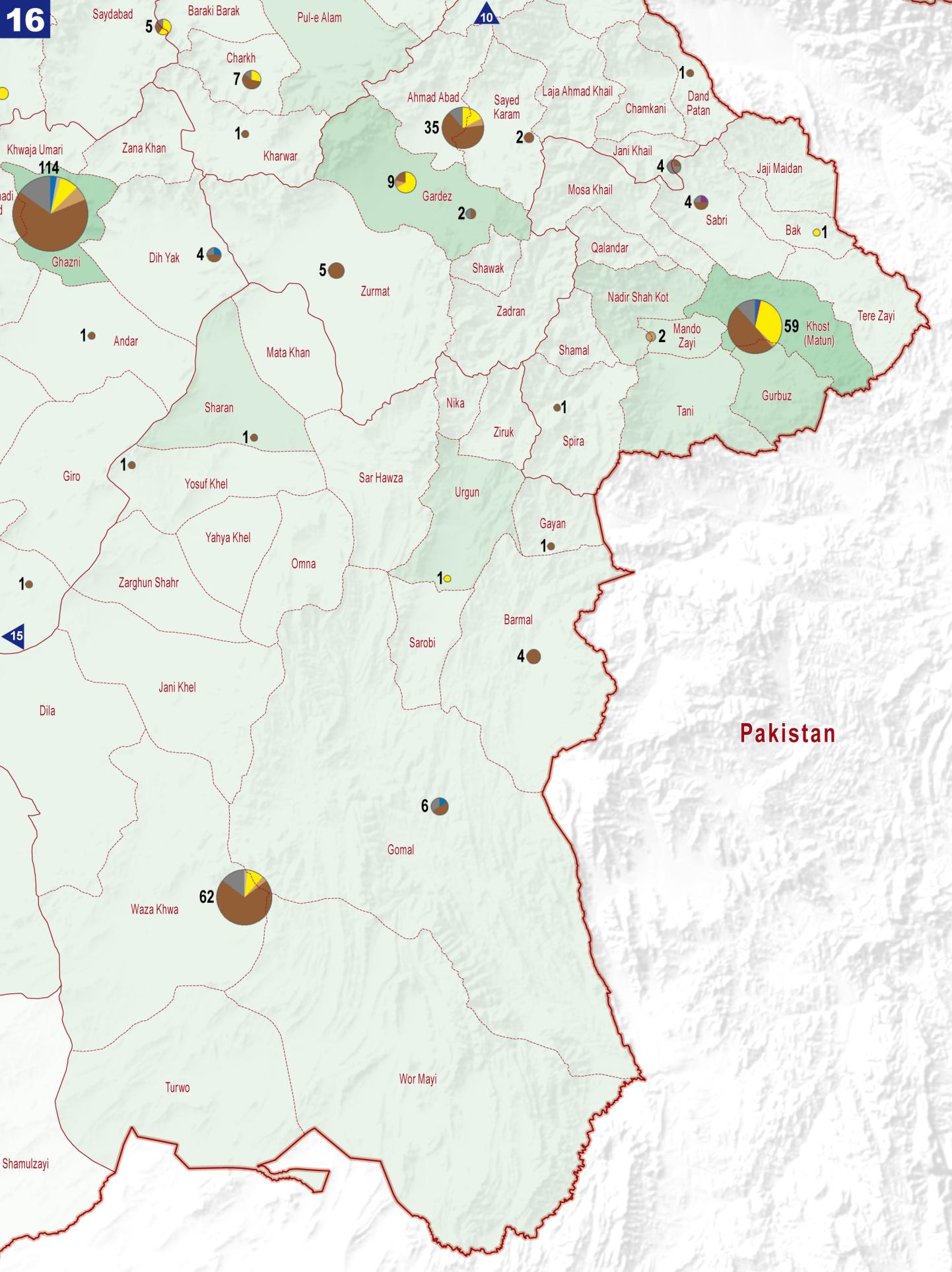
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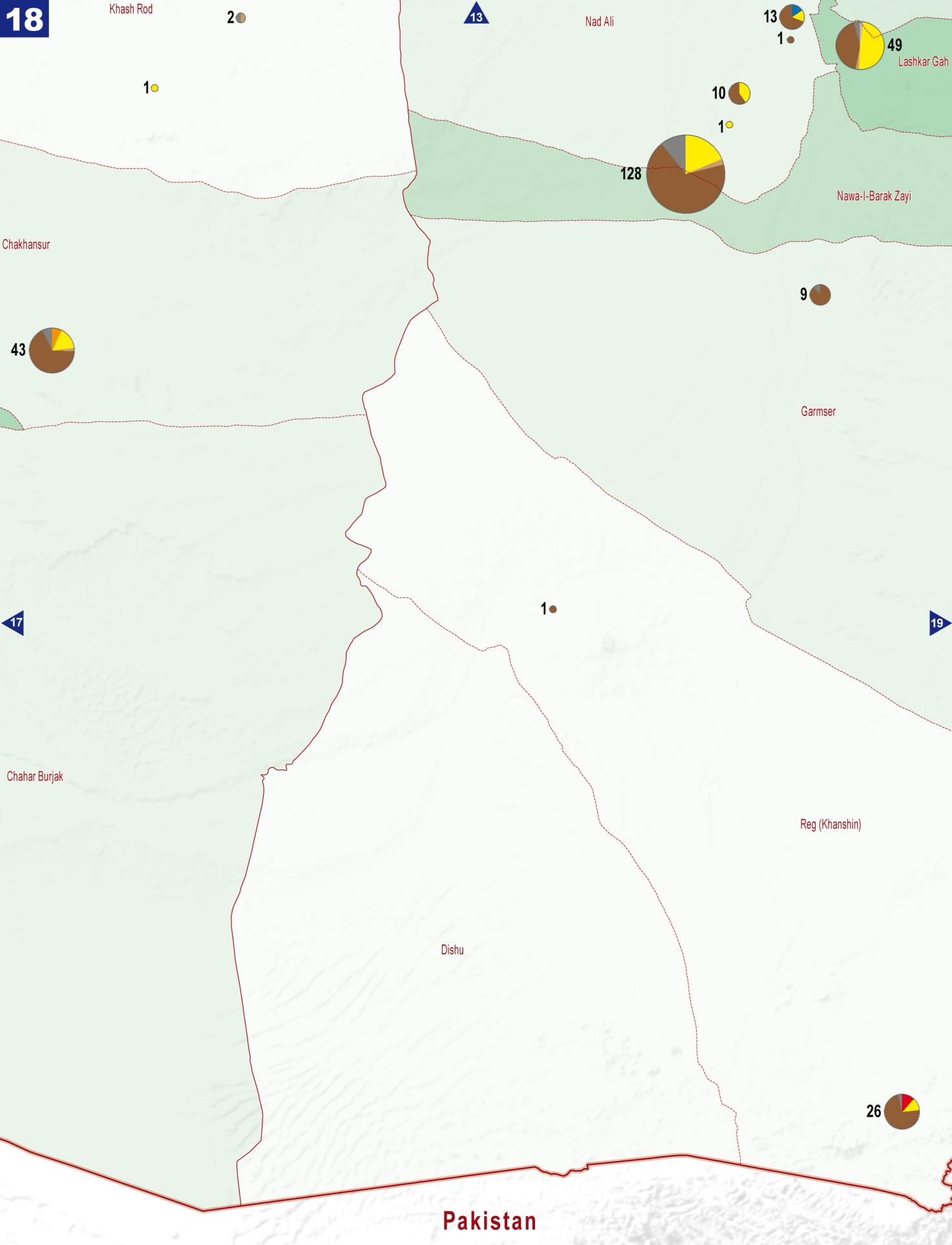
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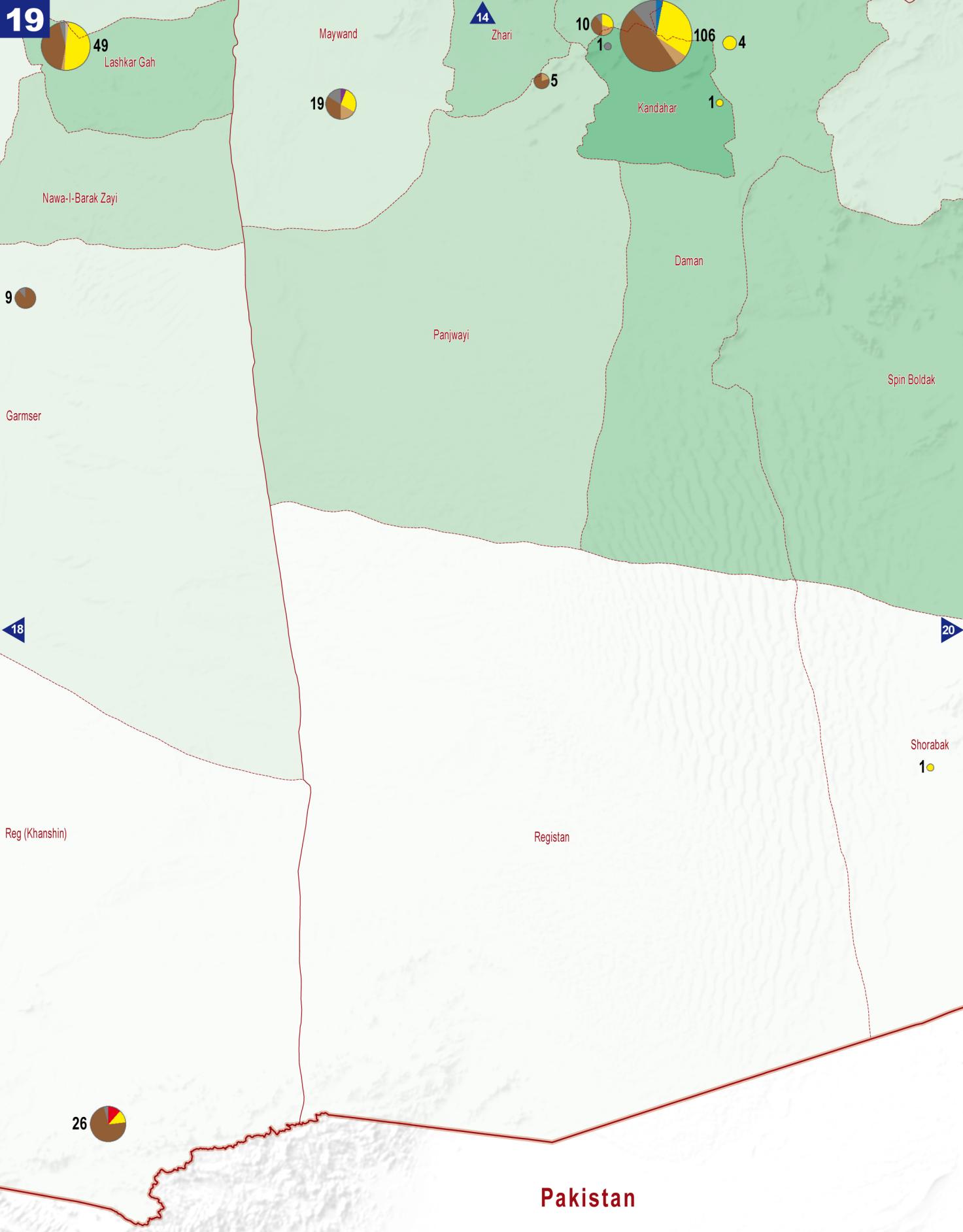
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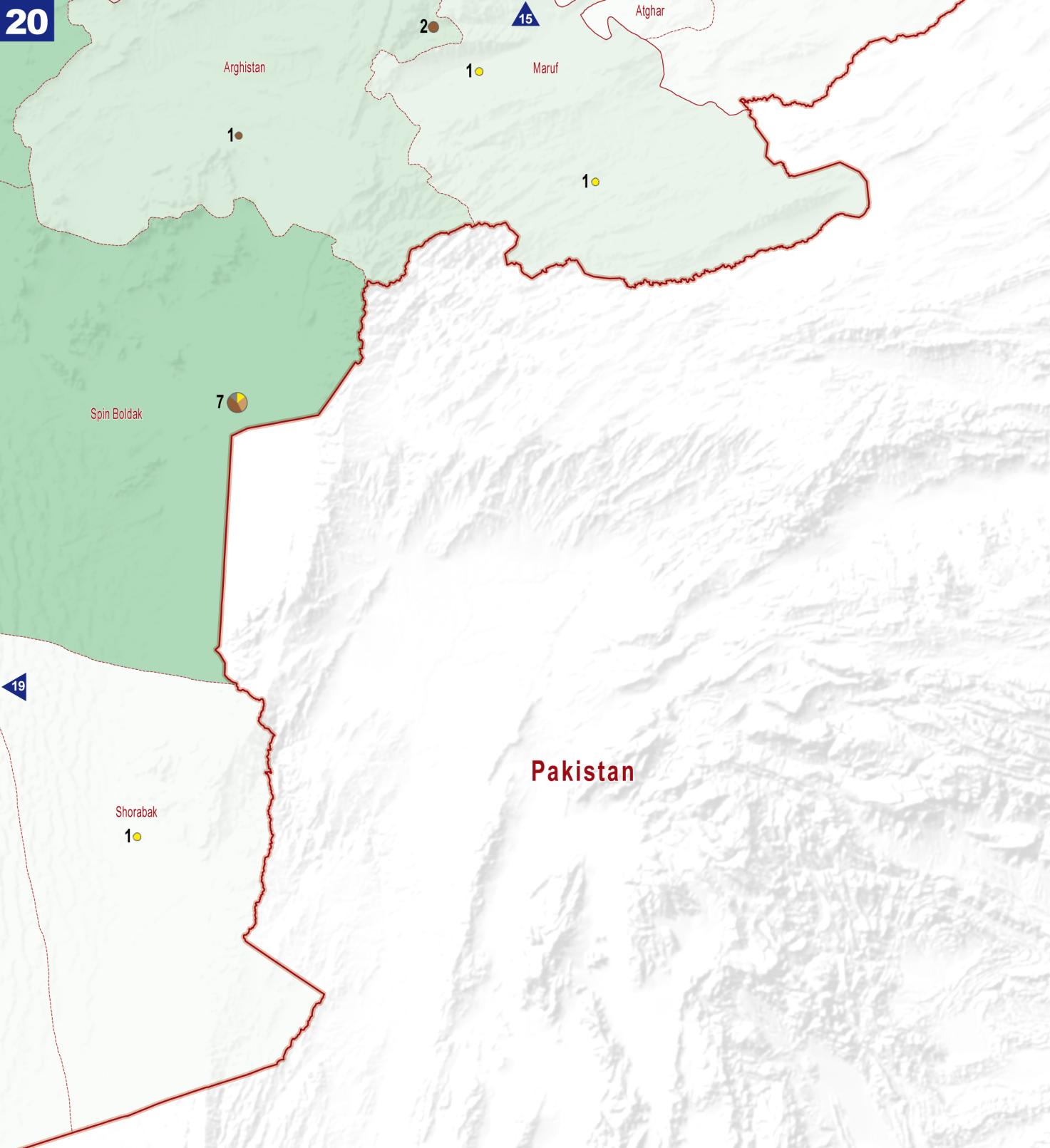
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