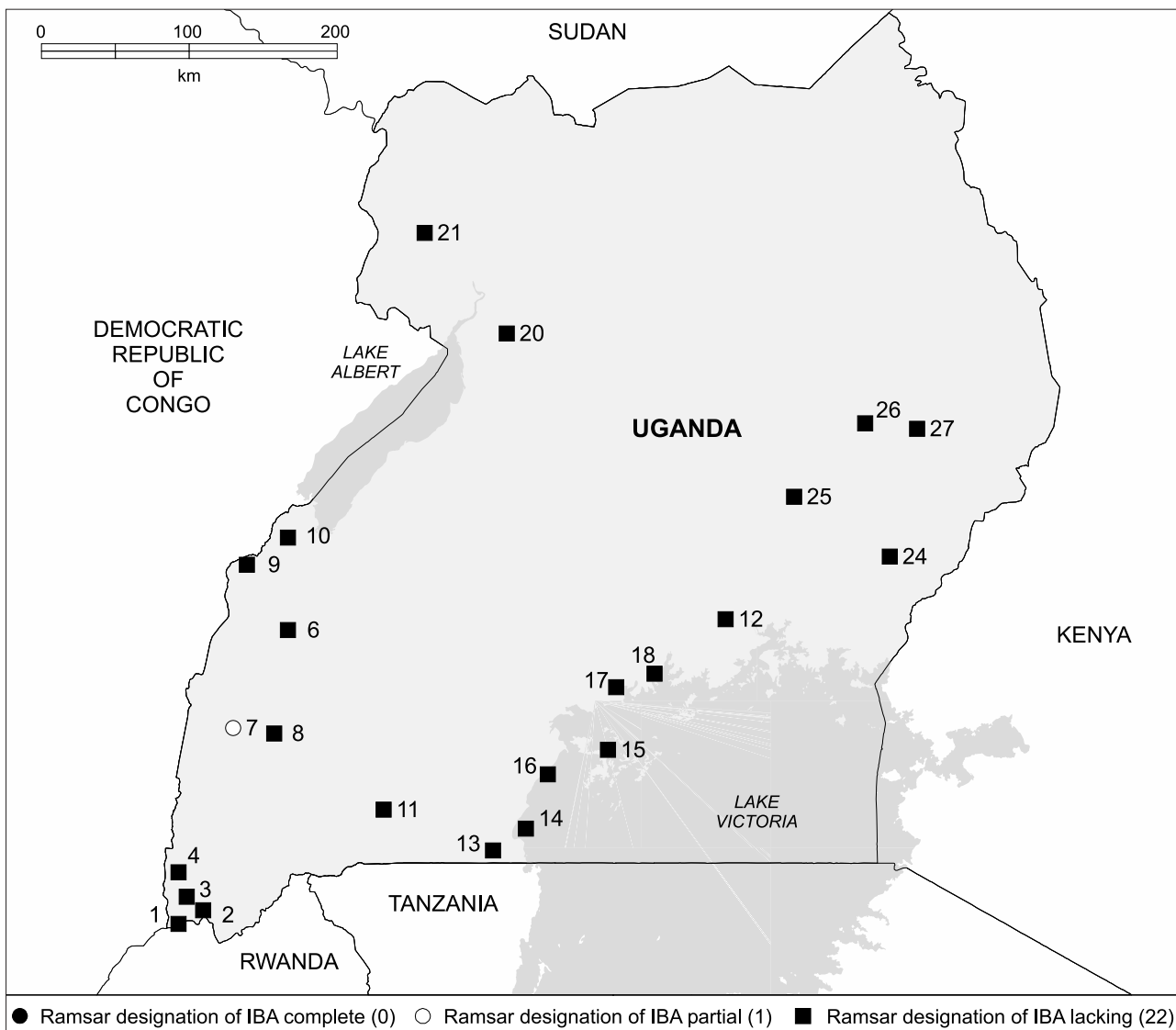


## Location of Important Bird Areas that contain areas which qualify as Ramsar Sites in Uganda



### Designation progress

Areas within 23 Important Bird Areas qualify currently as Ramsar Sites in the Republic of Uganda. Designation coverage is partial (with need of expansion) within one of

these IBAs, while 22 (96%) of the suitable IBAs in Uganda have no Ramsar designation as yet.

### Summary of Important Bird Areas that contain areas which qualify as Ramsar Sites in Uganda

IBA code	IBA name	IBA area (ha)	Ramsar Site name	Ramsar Site area (ha)	Ramsar criteria			
					2	4	5	6
Ramsar designation of IBA partial (1 IBA)								
UG007	Queen Elizabeth National Park and Lake George	223,000	Lake George	15,000	●	●		●
Subtotal					1	1	-	1

IBA code	IBA name	IBA area (ha)	Ramsar Site name	Ramsar Site area (ha)	Ramsar criteria			
					2	4	5	6
Ramsar designation of IBA lacking (22 IBAs)								
UG001	Mgahinga Gorilla National Park	4,750			●			
UG002	Echuya Forest Reserve	4,000			●			
UG003	Nyamuro swamp	5,100			●			
UG004	Bwindi Impenetrable National Park	33,100			●			
UG006	Kibale National Park	76,600			●			
UG008	Kyambura Wildlife Reserve	15,510			●	●	●	●
UG009	Semliki National Park	21,900			●			
UG010	Semliki reserves	115,000			●			
UG011	Lake Mburo National Park	37,000			●			
UG012	Mabira Forest Reserve	30,600			●			
UG013	Sango Bay area	54,000			●	●	●	●
UG014	Musambwa islands	8				●	●	●
UG015	Lutoboka point (Ssesse islands)	200				●		●
UG016	Nabugabo wetland	22,500			●			
UG017	Mabamba Bay	16,500			●			
UG018	Lutembe Bay	800			●	●	●	●
UG020	Murchison Falls National Park	39,000			●	●		●
UG021	Ajai Wildlife Reserve	15,800			●			
UG024	Doho Rice Scheme	3,200			●	●		●
UG025	Lake Nakuwa	16,500			●			
UG026	Lake Bisina	25,000			●			
UG027	Lake Opeta	56,600			●			
Subtotal					20	7	4	7
Grand total					21	8	4	8

For the full details of each site, including bird populations, see Fishpool and Evans (2001) and the Data Zone at [www.birdlife.net](http://www.birdlife.net) by 2003. See 'Identifying potential Ramsar Sites' (p.11) for a description of the site- and species-selection procedure and the method for evaluating adequacy of Ramsar coverage that have been used in this report.