Kamwenge District Profile

Location

Western part of Uganda with its headquarters 305.9 km from Kampala by road

Neighbours; North – Kabarole and Bunyangabu; South – Kitagwenda; South East – Ibanda; East – Kazo; North East – Kyegegwa; West - Kasese

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Population

2014 population census (Total 414,454)

Male: 203,164

Female: 211,290

Ubos projections

2020: 335,200

2021: 347,400

Major Economic Activity: Agro processing and commercial farming

Unemployment: /

Youth Livelihood Programme (YLP) from Auditor General's Report 2019

Low recovery of YLP funds: Whereas the groups funded the 2015/2016 were expected to have repaid a total amount of Shs. 246,976,347 (Interest inclusive) by close of the financial year 2018/2019, only Shs 78,352,100 (32 %) was repaid.

The two sample youth groups visited had broken up and were no longer working.

Education: No census data.

Construction of Baize Seed Secondary School under UgIFT

Cost: Shs. 1,072,681,005.

 Funds received early in financial year but construct was just beginning at time of inspection.

Health: No census data.

Upgrade of Kanara and Kabambiro Health Centres II to HCIII status under UgIFT

Cost: Shs. 924,359,698

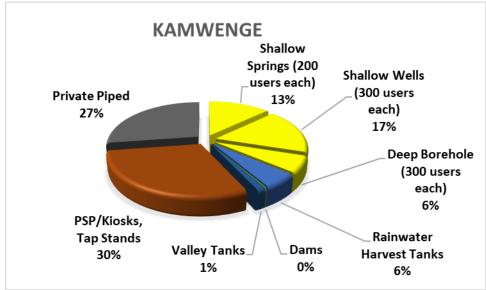
Works ongoing as a result of procurement delays.

Access to Energy for Lighting (UBOS Census 2014)

Tadooba: 64.1% Paraffin Lantern: 7.1% Electricity: 9.2%

Access to Water

Population: 322,491 Population served: 240,295 Not served: 82,196



Pie chart generated from Access to Safe Water (from MWE Database) accessed 15.10.20



Administration

Budget Performance: Revenue

- Central Government transfers: 78.2% of budget received

- Tax revenue: 100% collected

- Non-tax revenue: 100%

- Transfers from other government entities: 100%

- Grants (incl. donor funds): /

Environmental Protection

- Lack of land titles to forests, wetlands and other land exposing them to the risk of landgrabbing.
- Lack of a District Environmental Committee
- (Source: Auditor General's Report 2018)

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