

Understanding & Appreciating Zhemgang

Dzongkhag Administration, Zhemgang



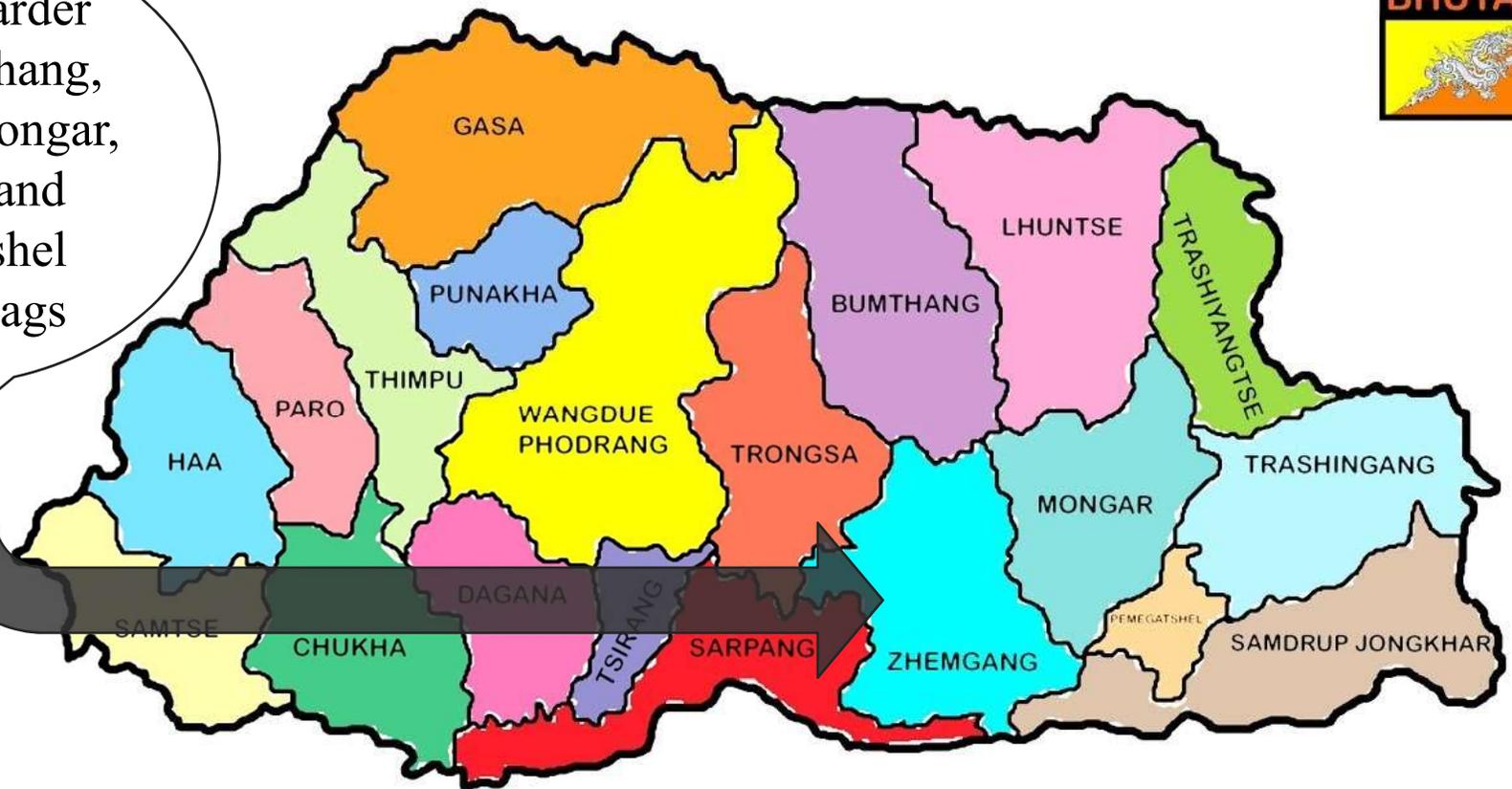
What People think about Zhemgang?

- Isolated
- Poor (High Poverty)
- Least Developed
- SSSS

Where is Zhemgang?



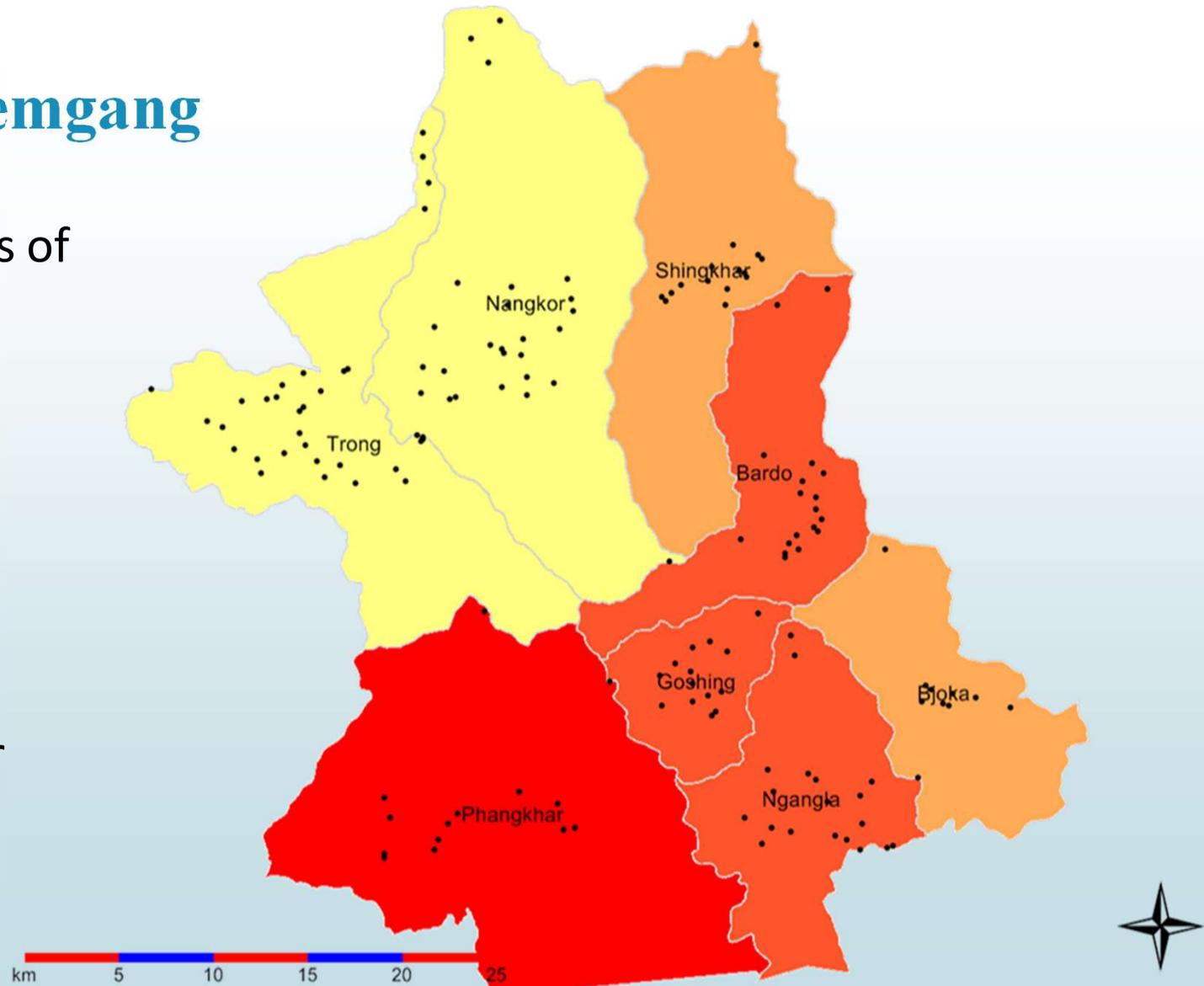
Shares boarder with Bumthang, Trongsa, Mongar, Sarpang and Pemagatshel Dzongkhags



Map of Zhemgang

Eight Gewogs of
Zhemgang

- ❖ Bardo
- ❖ Bjoka
- ❖ Goshing
- ❖ Nangkor
- ❖ Nangla
- ❖ Phangkhar
- ❖ Shingkhar
- ❖ Trong



Zhemgang: The Land and its People



➤ The Land

➤ Comprises of three geological zones:

- Highly erodible sediments in the south
- Well developed soils in the middle
- Hard rocks and young soils in the north



➤ Traditionally divided in three parts (*Khengrig Nam-sum*):

- Upper Kheng (*Phikor-Bardo & Shingkar*)
- Middle Kheng (*Nangkor-Nangkor*)
- Lower Kheng (*Tamachok-Trong, Bjoka, Nangla, Phangkar & Goshing*)

