

East & Northern Conference

Surveying in a modern world



Entrenchment of emerging surveying technologies in Uganda;-prospects and constraints

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Drone technology & CORS(NRTK) technology

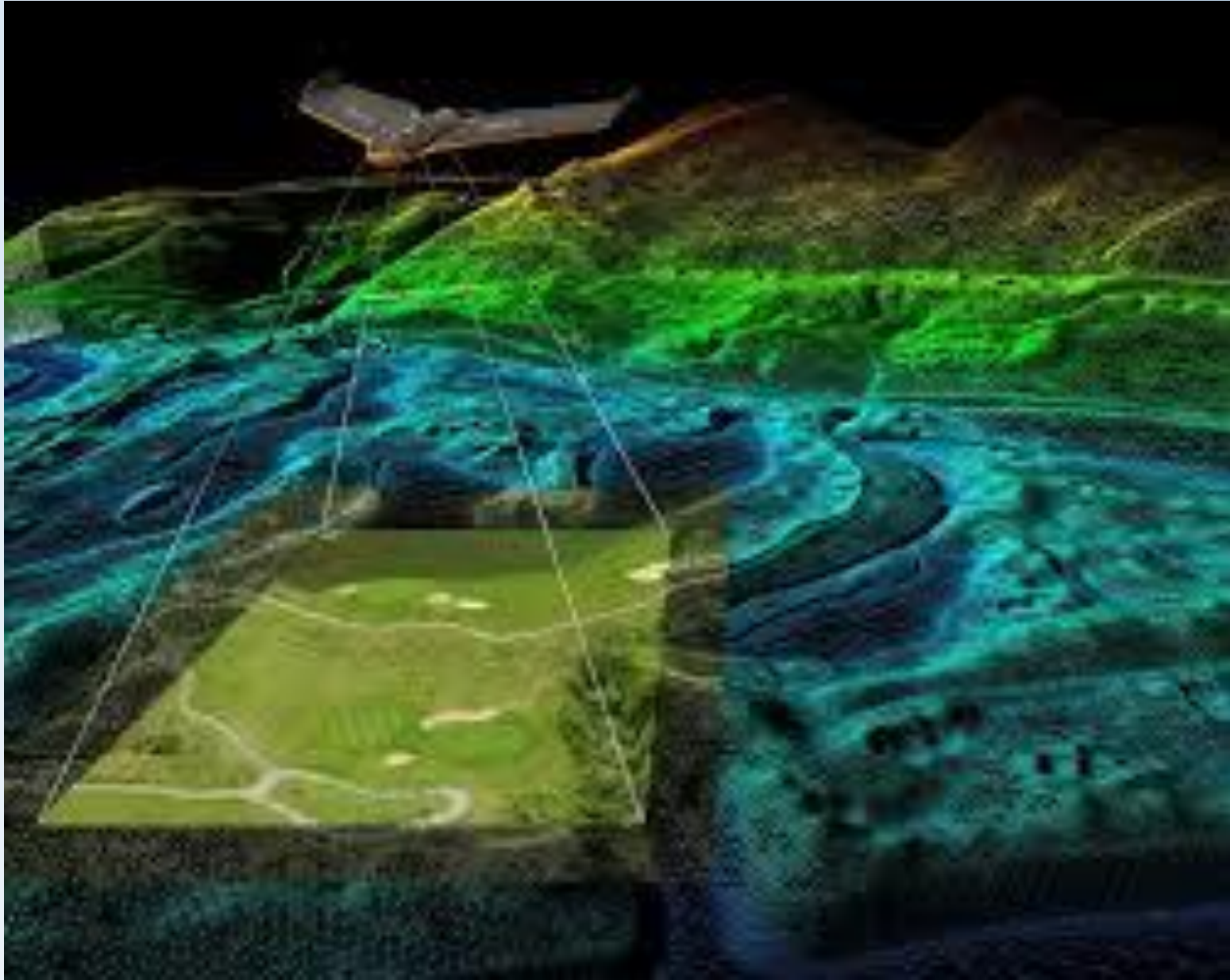
Drone technology



Multi-rotor and Fixed Wing



Bird's eye view



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Flight Planning



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Adv

- Safety of employees
- Survey Speed
- Project budget
- Improved data resolution
- Access to unreachable places
- Single tool

Bottlenecks

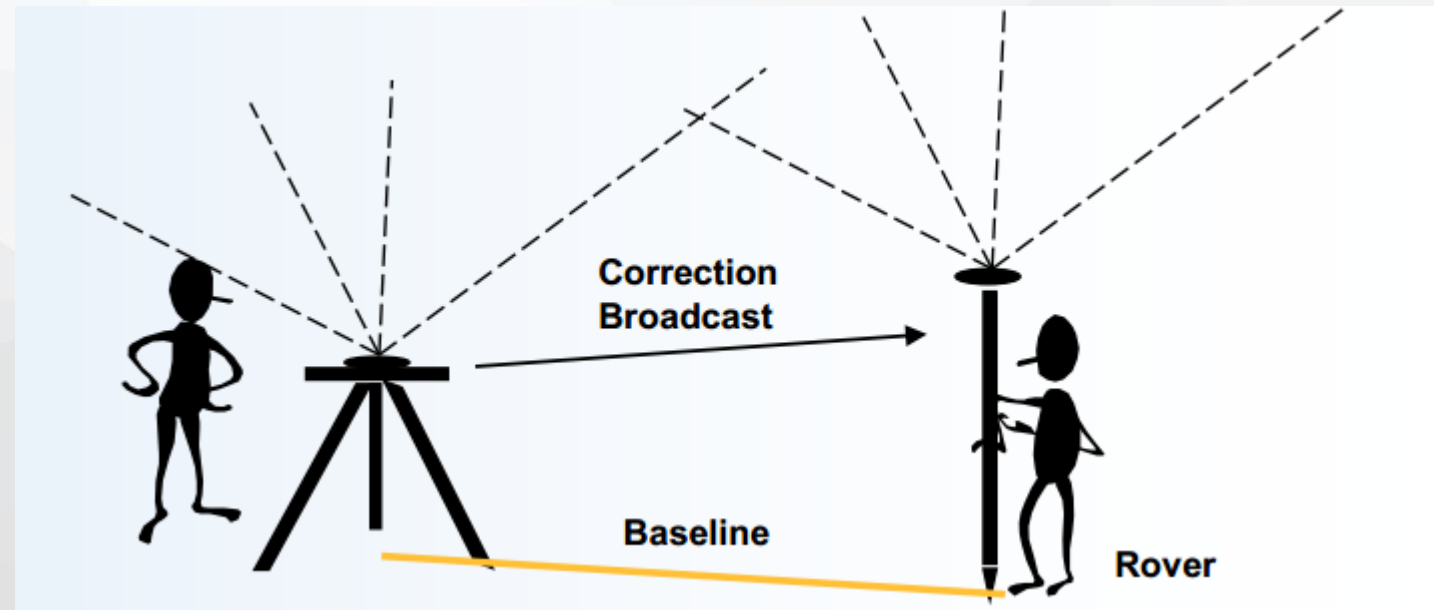
- Legislation
- Cost
- Professional drone pilots
- Weight
- Fewer sensors
- Training centers

Continuously Operating Reference Stations

- Courtesy of EagleCORS Uganda

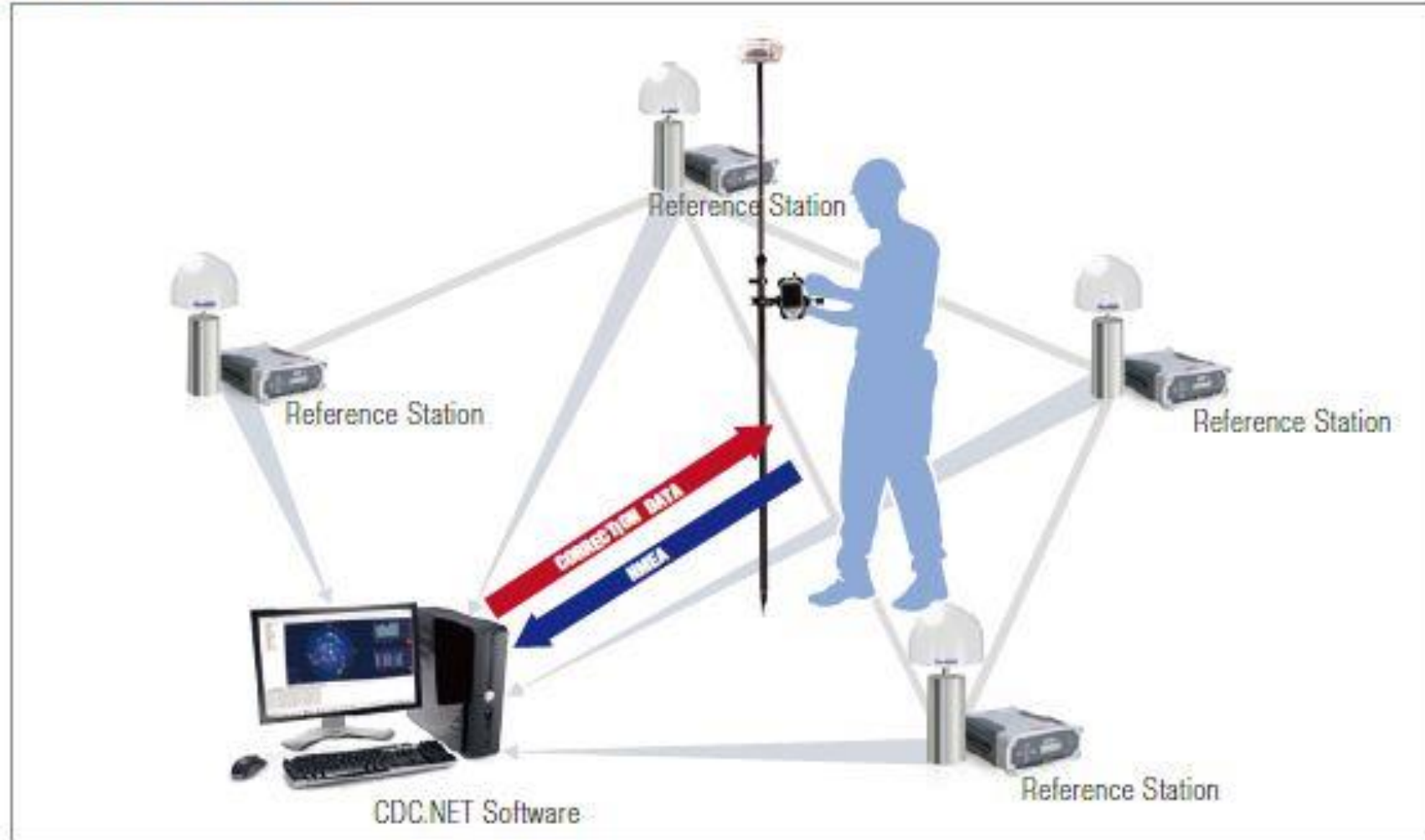
Conventional RTK: Base -Rover

- A Reference Station (RS) receiver makes observations
- RS sends differential corrections (or raw data) to a rover receiver that could be either stationary or moving via a data link (UHF, now GPRS also available on ComNav T300)
- Rover receiver performs DGPS/RTK positioning using the corrections (or raw data)

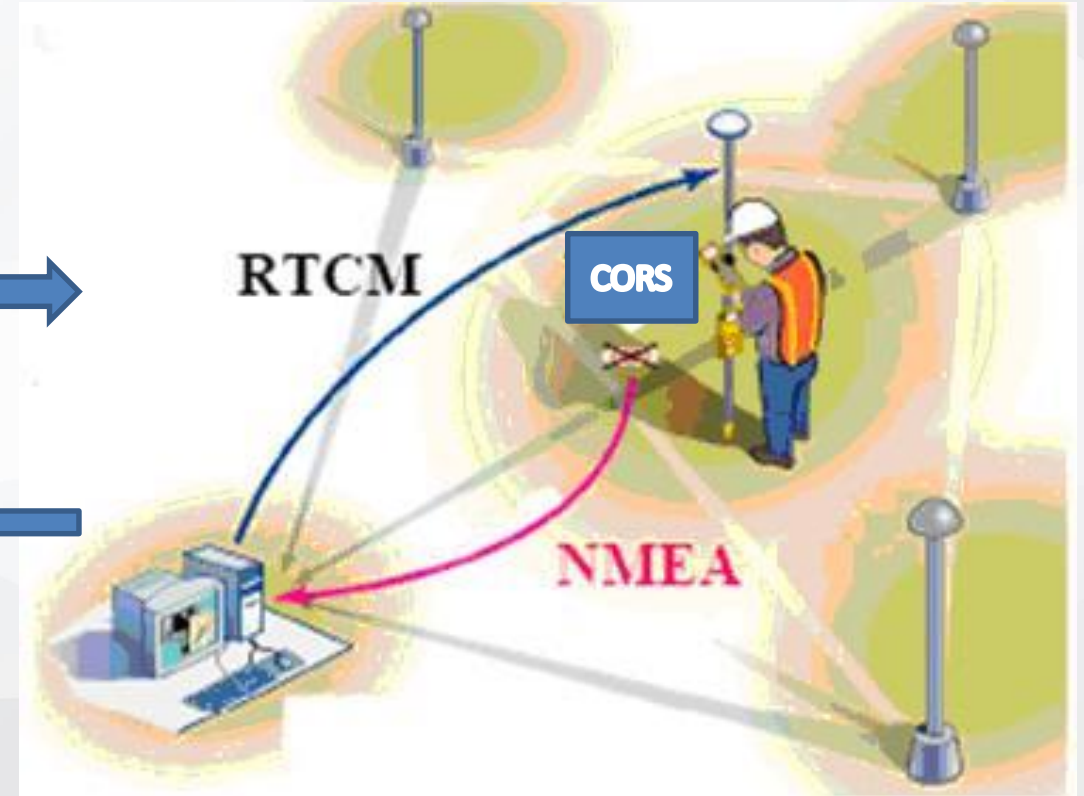
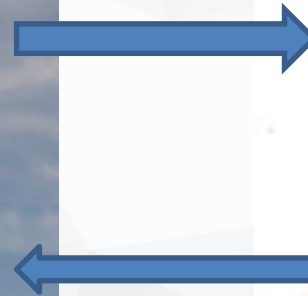


Network RTK (CORS)

CORS CONNECTION

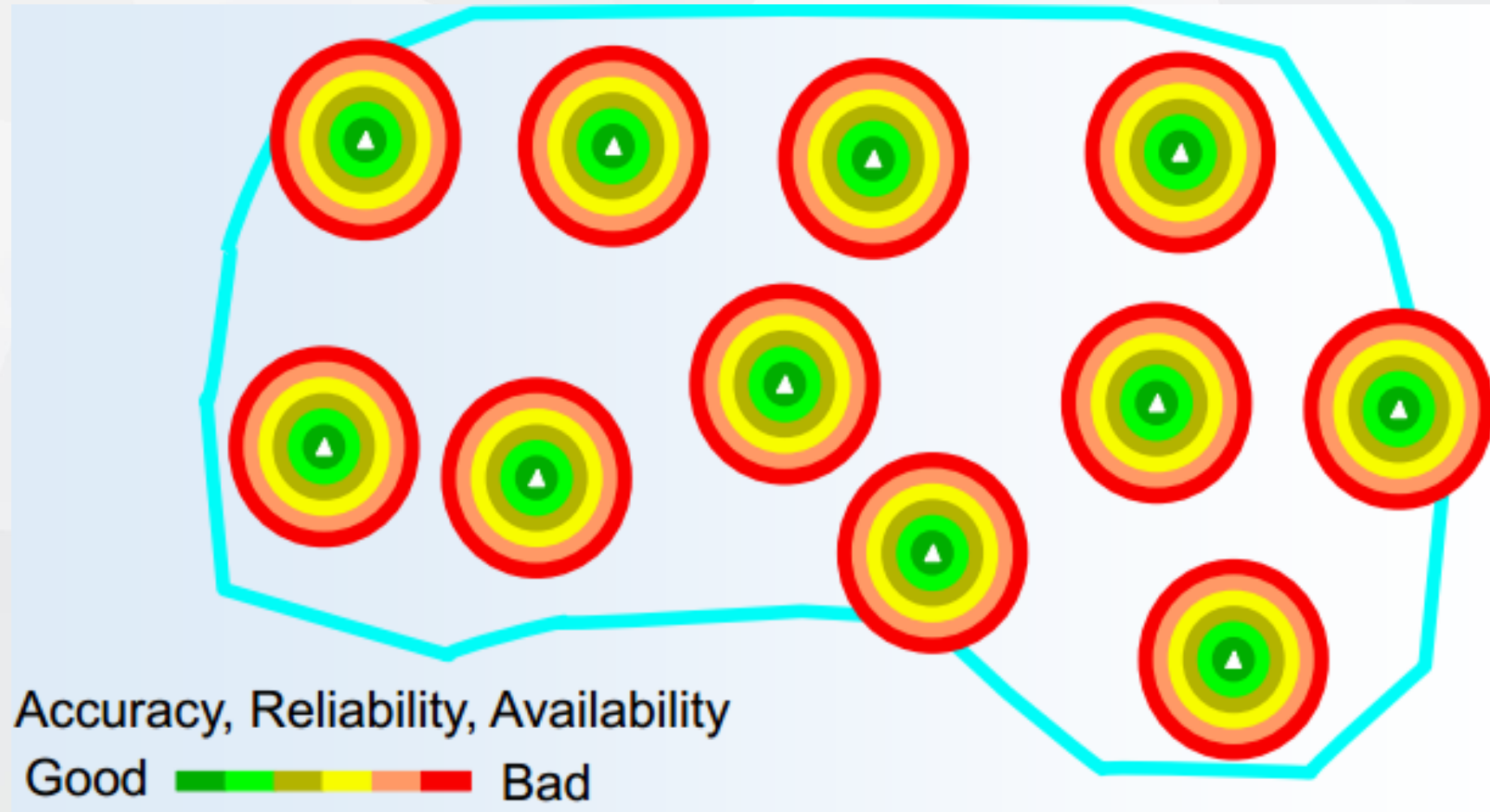


Continues Operation Reference Station (CORS)



Why Network RTK (CORS)

- Network of Single Reference Stations & Their Coverage

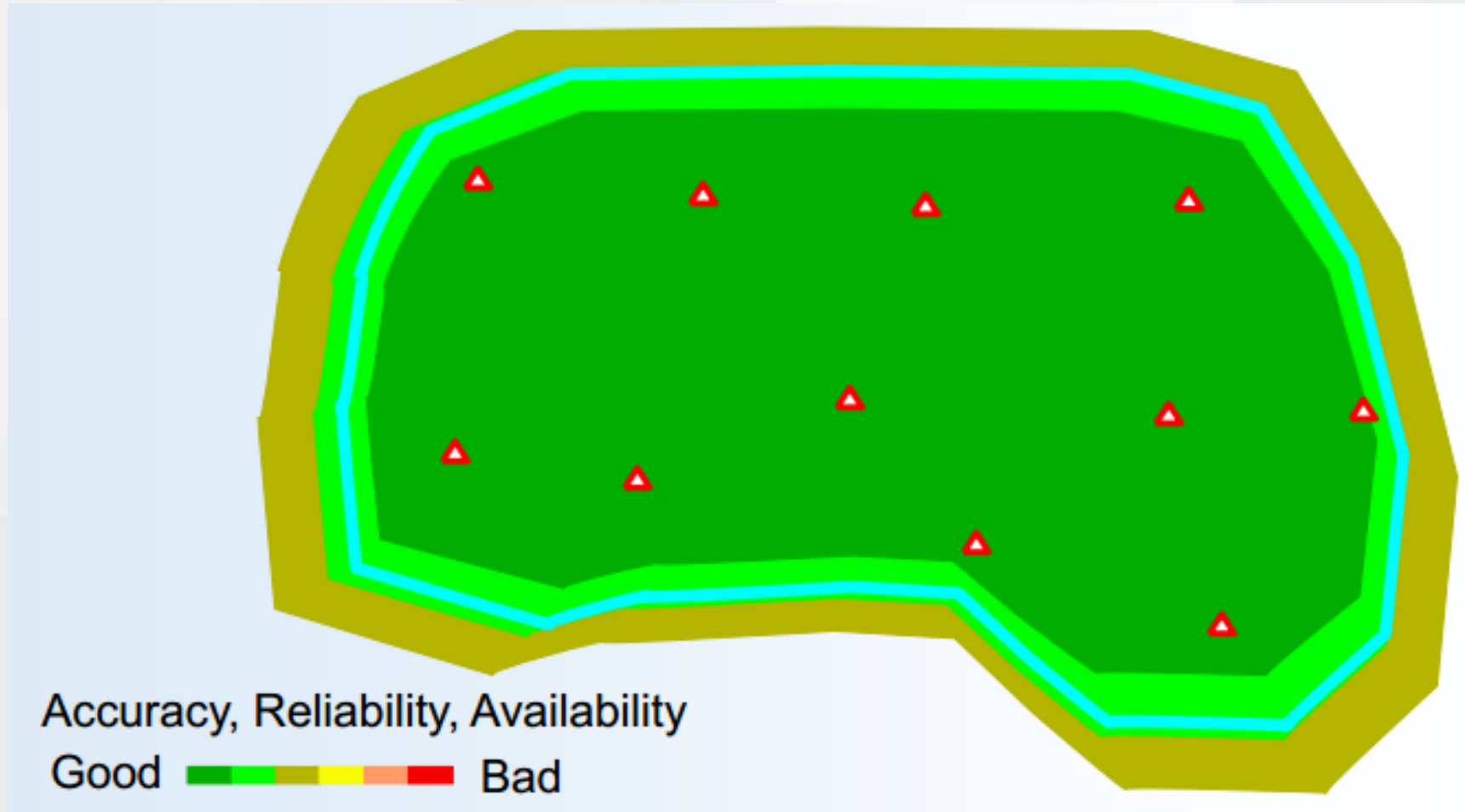


Why Network RTK (CORS)

- Improve accuracy, reliability and availability (precisely model distance dependent errors in a region)
- Reduce the number of RSs needed (inter-station distances > 80 km) & huge saving in infrastructure construction ($\sim 80\%$ less RSs)
- Expand rover-to-nearest-RS baseline > 40 km
- GSM/GPRS/3G link (better signal penetration)

Why Network RTK (CORS)

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Network RTK (CORS)

Advantages over Conventional RTK

- Modelling GPS errors over the entire network area
- Increased positioning robustness against RSs failures
- Increased mobility and efficiency– no need for temporary RSs & one person surveys!
- Quicker initialization times for rovers
- Extended surveying range
- No restriction on the network size (regional, national, global)
- Capable of supporting multiple users and applications
- Continuous operation 365/24/7
- Provide data & corrections in a consistent datum
- Apart from RTK GPS corrections, other services provided include:
 - RINEX datasets for post-processing
 - GPS corrections for DGPS (one stone two heads)
 - Wide exploitation for geospatial, meteorological, transport, environmental and engineering applications
- Allow central control and monitoring of all stations/high integrity monitoring scheme

Main Applications

- Land Survey
- Machine Control
- Agriculture
- Precise Timing
- Drive Test
- Aerospace
- Deformation monitoring
- Unmanned system



More Applications



Land surveying and GIS

- BeiDou is the big motivation



Deformation Monitoring(Kuwait)

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CORS in Uganda

- ComNav Technology Ltd. is the major provider and partner



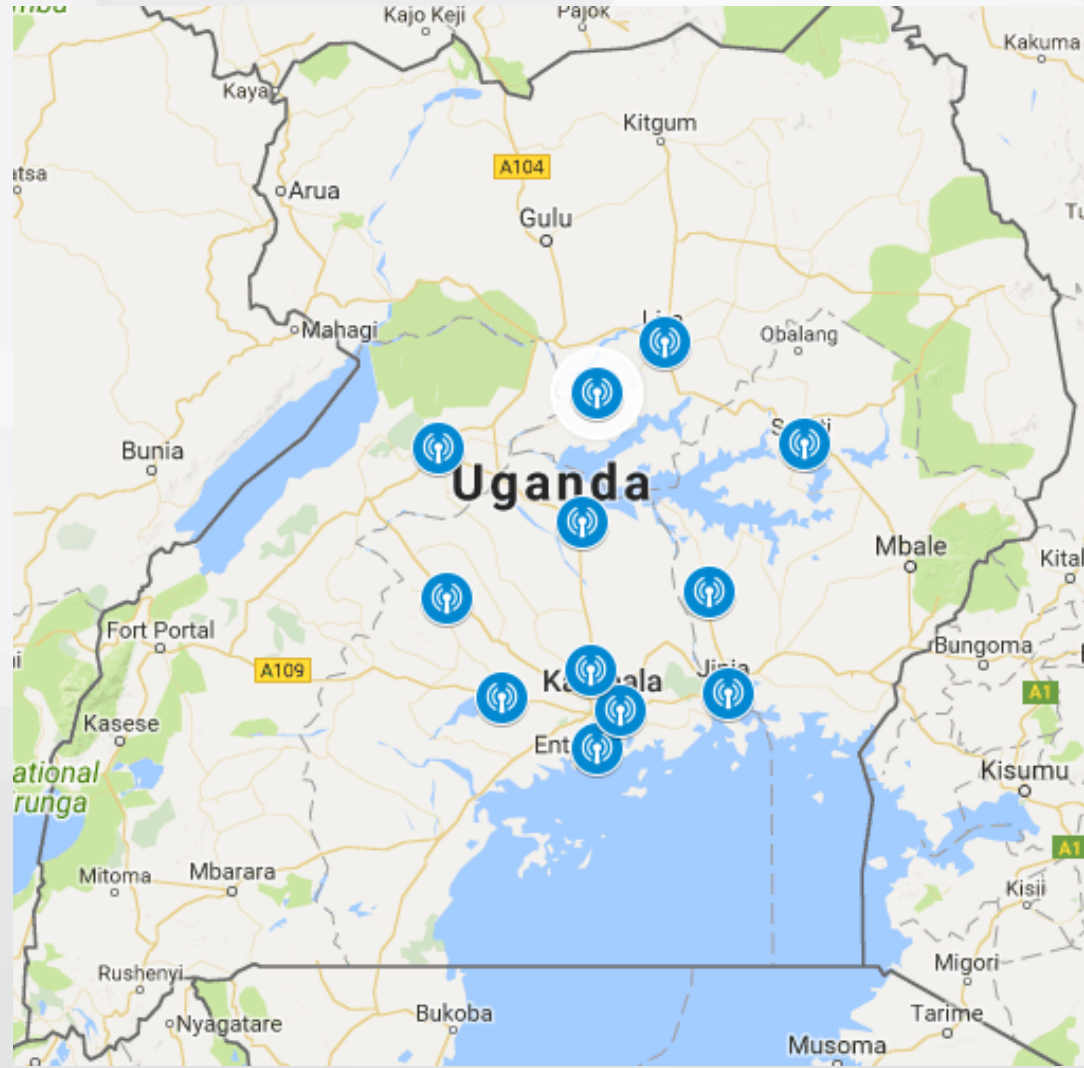
China National CORS

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- How to connect?

SURVEY MASTER
CONNECT TO EAGLECORIS UGANDA

Stake Point Comnav2016

Current status: Fixed
h: 45.477
x: 3451134.477
y: 632311.524
V: 1.80 *23 *100,213/17 H: 0.022 V: 0.012

Topo survey Comnav2016

Current status: Fixed
h: 45.480
x: 3451134.486
y: 632311.524
V: 1.80 *23 *100,213/17 H: 0.021 V: 0.011

Survey Comnav2016

Survey
Topo survey Auto survey Static PPK

Stake
Stake Point Stake Line

Compute
Site Calibrati... Grid Shift

Project Device Survey

Current status: Fixed
h: 45.492
x: 3451134.484
y: 632311.527
V: 1.80 *23 *100,213/17 H: 0.023 V: 0.012

IP: 216.104.207.102 PORT: 7906

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- How to connect?

Request for login credentials on www.eaglecorsuganda.com or WhatsApp EagleCORS on +256782817486

Connection credentials will include;

IP: 216.104.207.102

Port:7906

User:

Password:

Sourcelist: SRTK,RTCM32-MSM4

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- Benefits?
 - No need to site calibrate. We are your active stations.
 - Assured CM accuracy 24/7 with precision and reliability.
 - Seamless transmission on all GNSS brands including ComNav T300, Trimble R10, Hi-target series, Topcon etc
 - Get to enjoy VRS technology or Single base technology.
 - No need to spend on extra base unit in areas of coverage.
 - Increased robustness and greater gps error modelling power.
 - Free Static data download 365/24/7
 - Absolutely free connection.

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- Constraints
 - High cost of installations
 - Unreliable internet connection.
 - Limited viable and sound infrastructures
 - Limited users and experts.
 - Fewer numbers of maintenance experts or repair engineers.
 - No research and development centers.
 - etc

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