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Field Data Collection for Geographical Names in Brunei Darussalam

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## Goal

Record, document and standardize geographical names for official and public use.

## Methodology

- Review existing maps and digital data
- Field survey using GPS
- Community engagement
- Photographic and audio documentation

## **Elements Collected**

- Geographical name
- Feature type

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- Coordinates
- Language origin / history and meaning

## Challenges

- Coordination with agencies
- Selection of informants
- Accessibility
- Variations in language, spelling and pronunciation
- Verification

- Usage
- Photos and audios

