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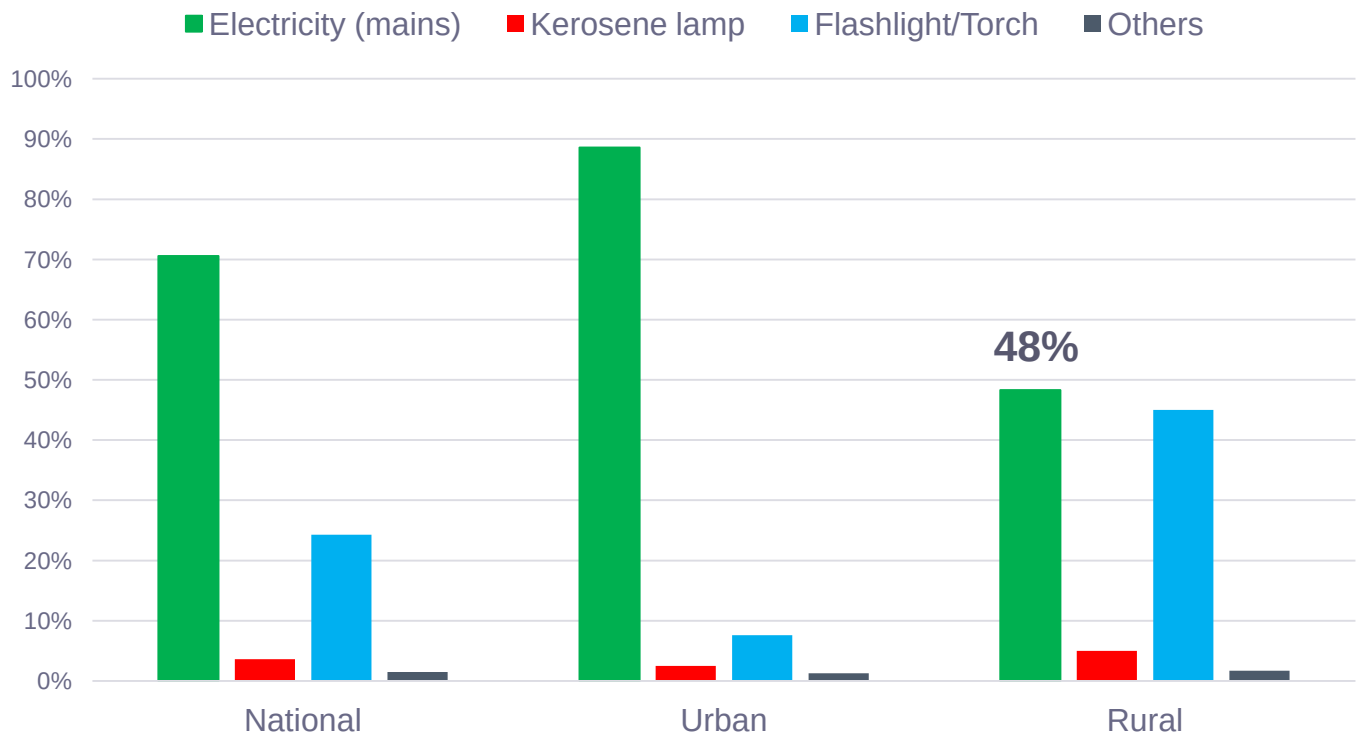
Introduction

1. At the end of 2013, 48% of rural **households** have access to electricity.



Ghana Statistical Services (2014)

Agencies in charge of rural electrification

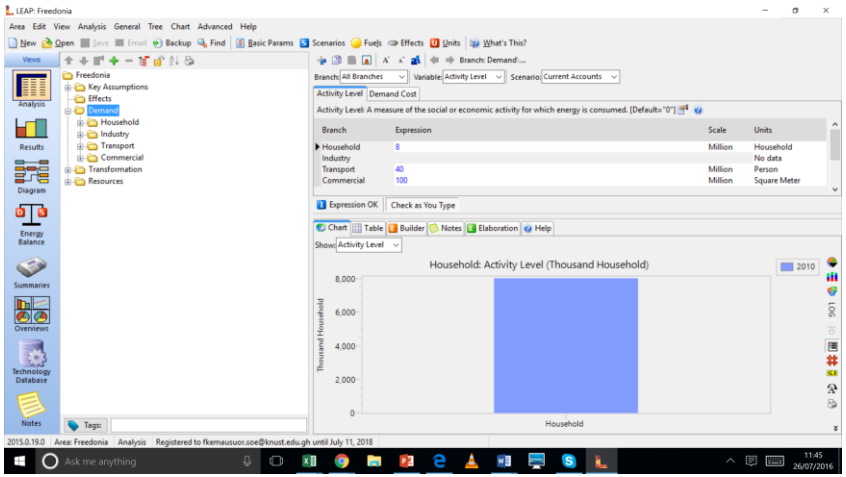
- Rural electricity planning is coordinated by the Ministry of Power.
  - Renewable and Alernative Energy Directorate
  - Ghana Energy Development and Access Project (GEDAP)
  - Energy Commission
- Many of remaining **un-electrified** rural households are in remote and island communities – off-grid and mini-grids targetted
- Renewable Energy Masterplan (REMP) under preparation, with **targets for RE mini-grids and solar systems** for remote and island communities

System	2020	2025	2030
Solar standalone (MW)	7	9	10
Solar Lanterns (units)	500,000	1,300,000	2,000,000
Mini-grids (units)	50	100	200

Source: REMP Taskforce (provisional)

Energy Planning Tools

1. Long Range Energy Alternative Planning Tool - EC



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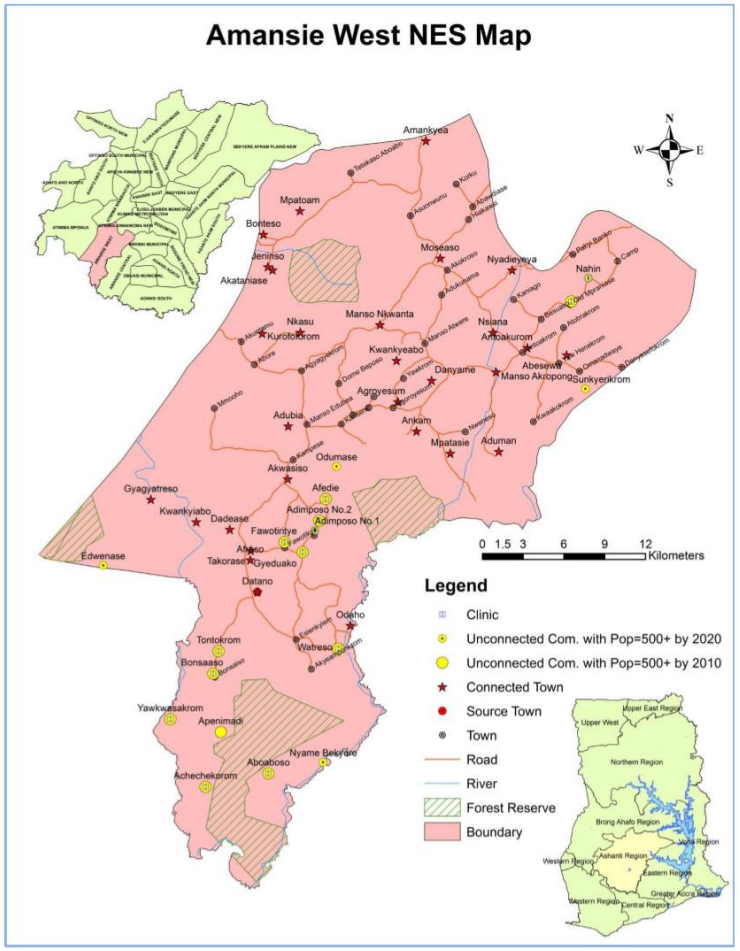
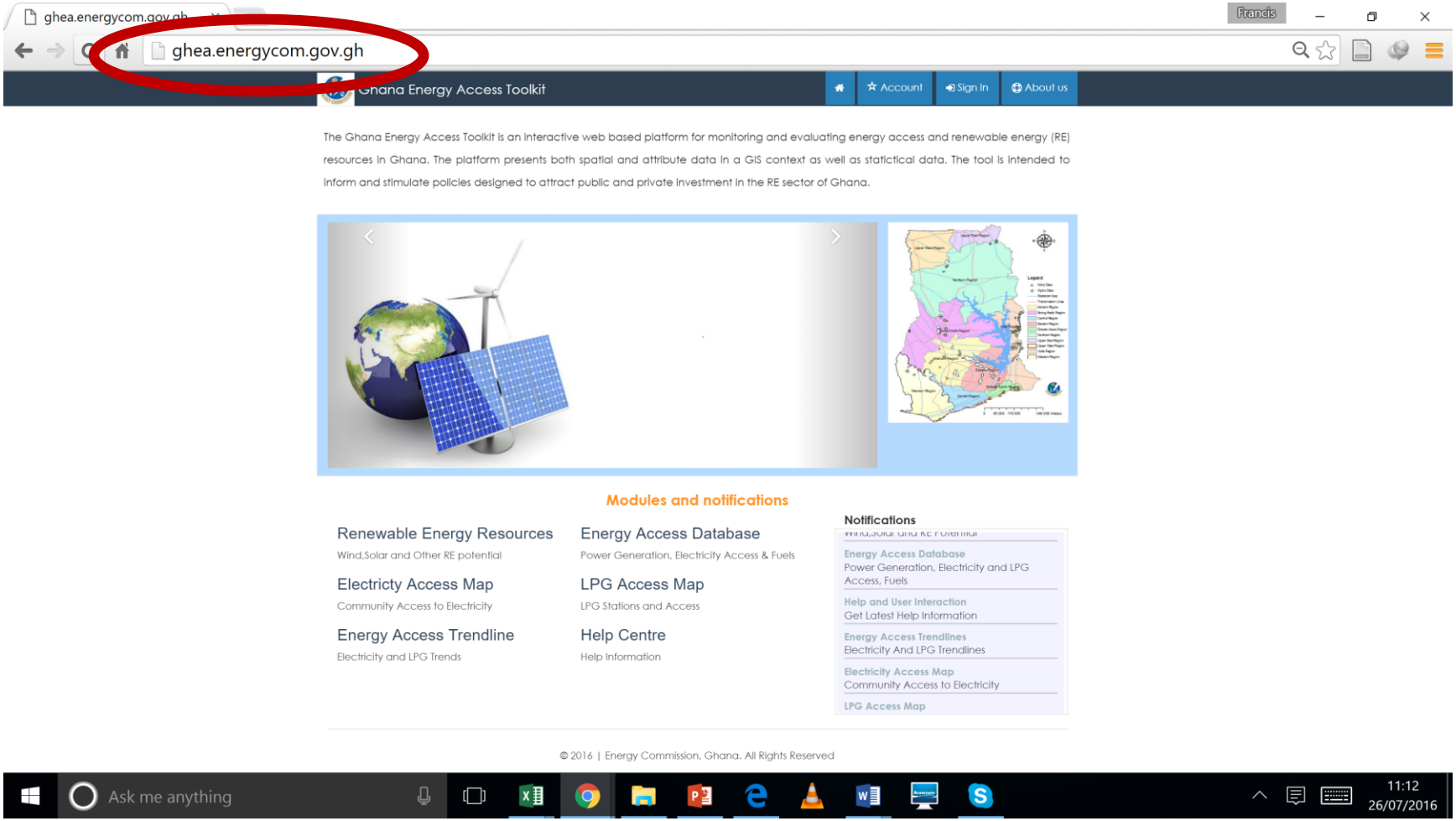
2. GIS – MoE Electrification Materplan Review



3. Ghana Energy Access Toolkit



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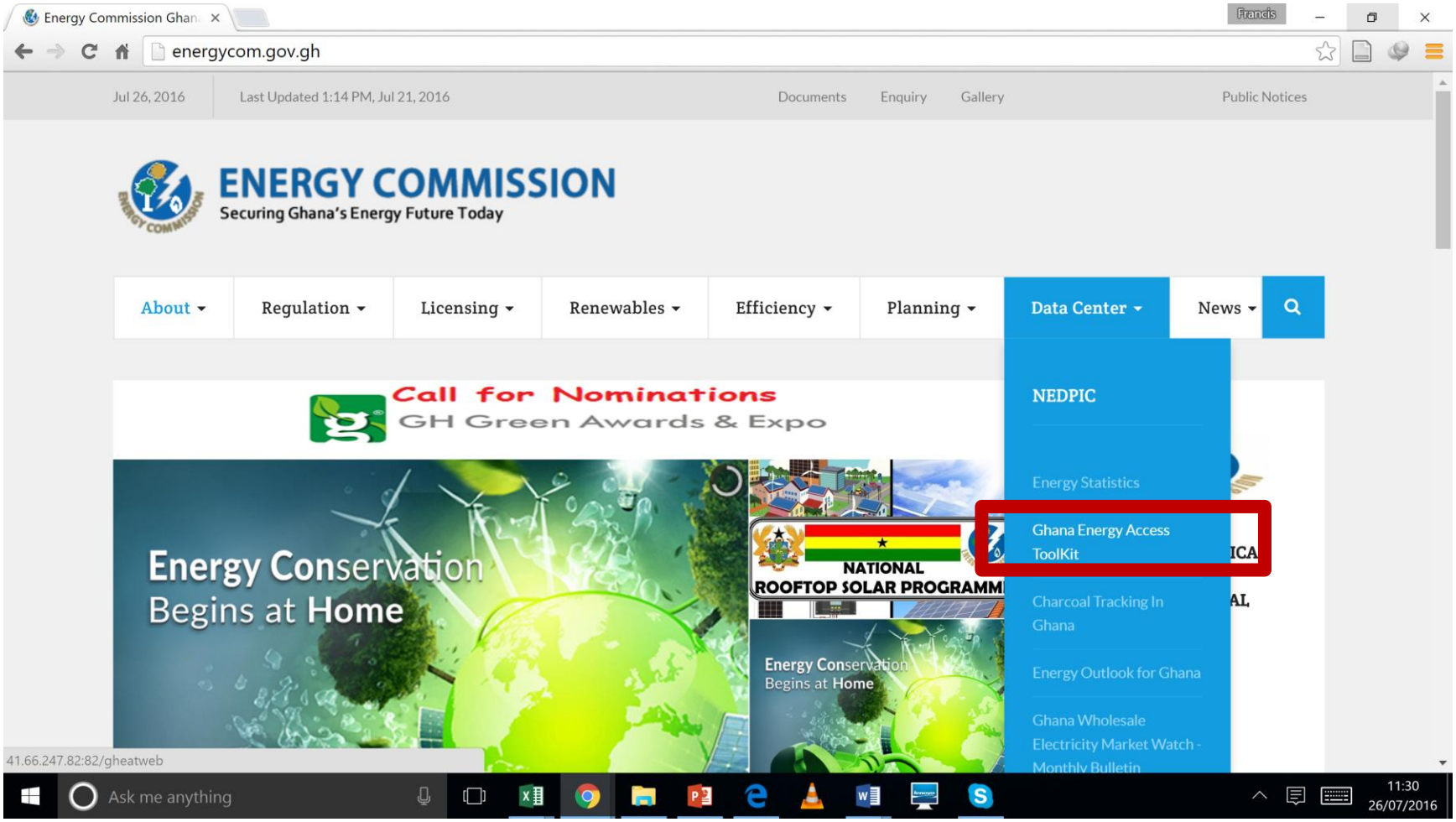

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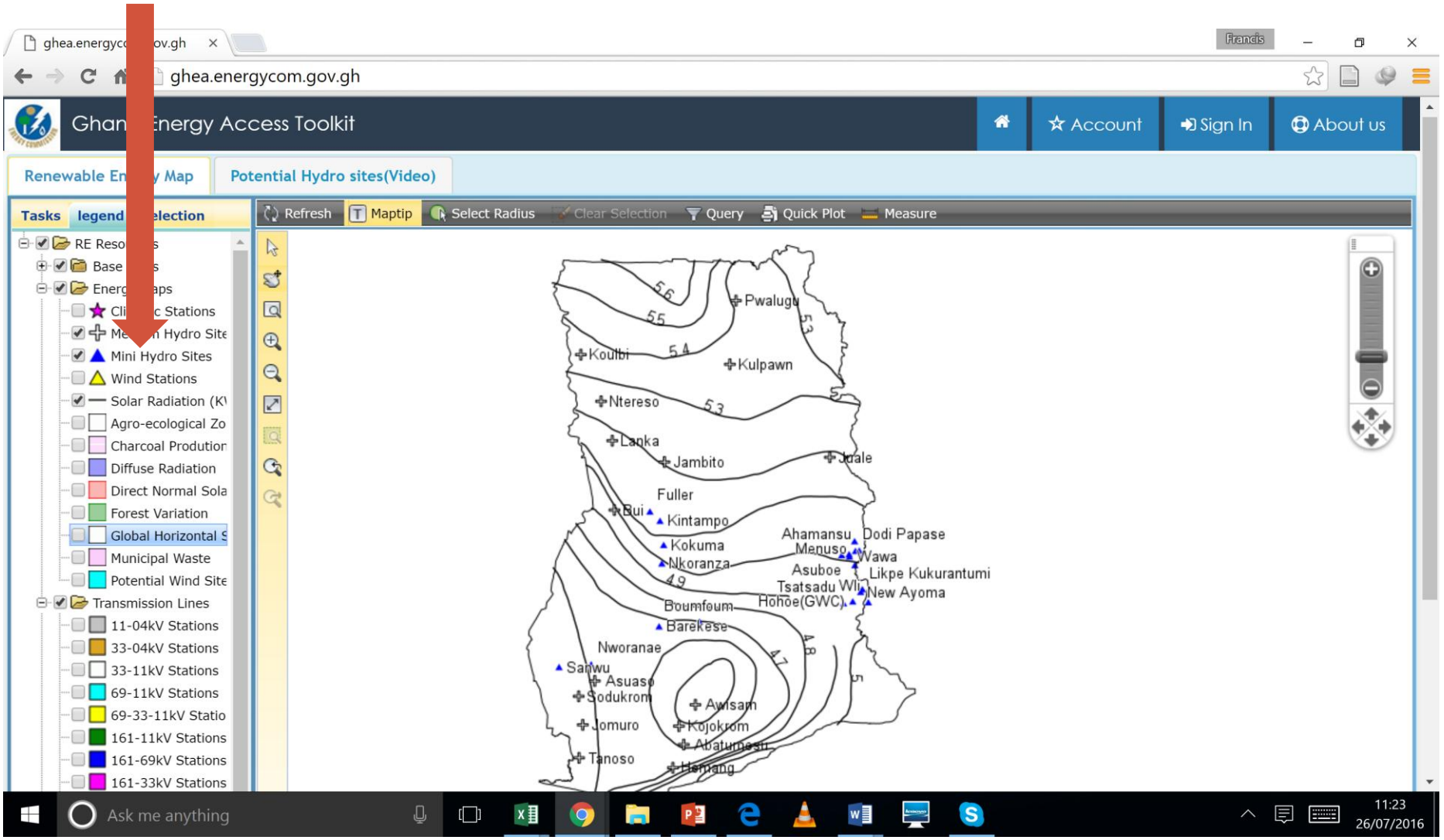
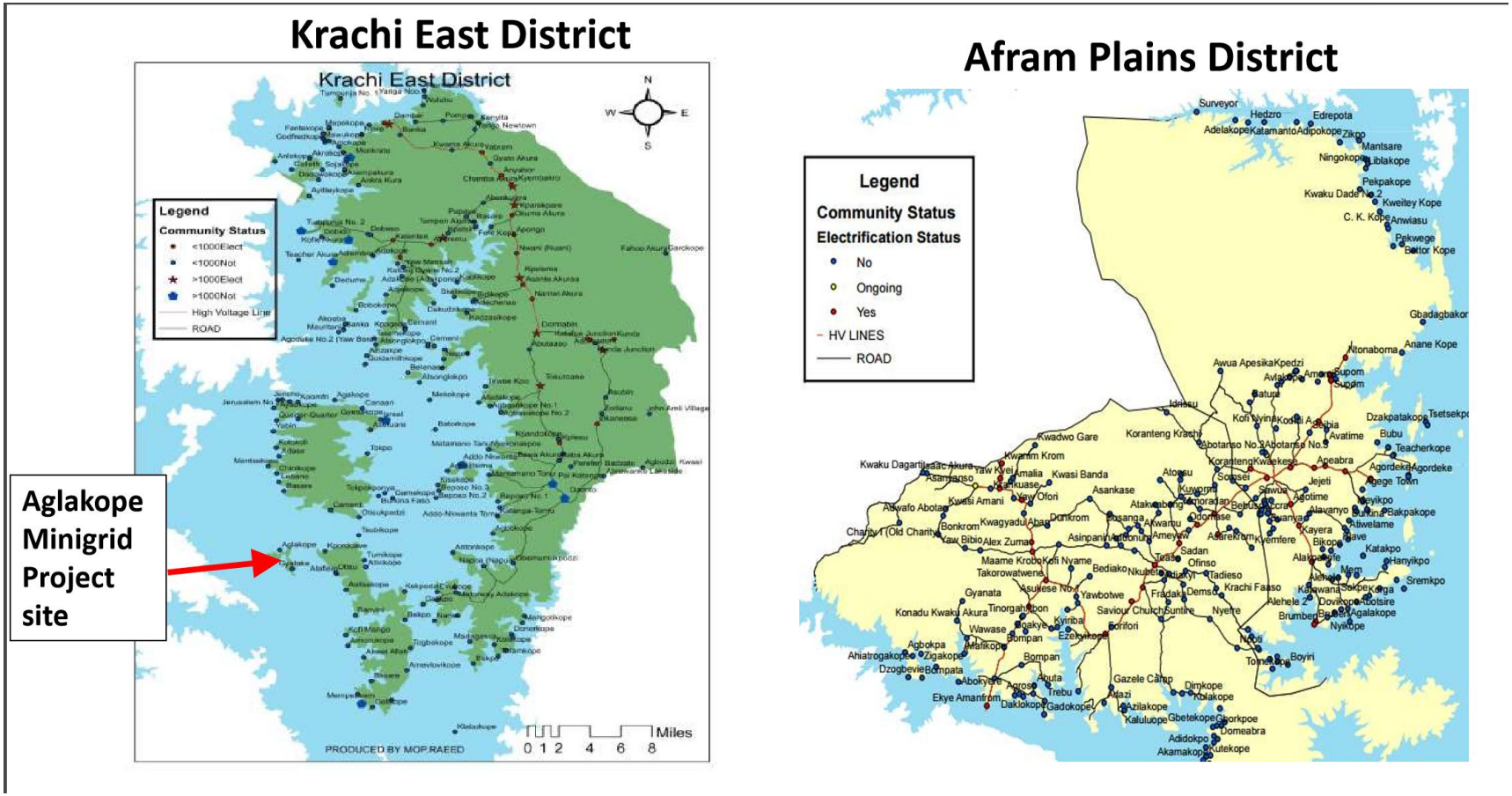


4. GIS for rural mini-grid planning - MoP



Source: Wisdom Ahiataku-Togobo, Director, Renewable and Alternative Energy Directorate, Ministry of Power (2016)

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