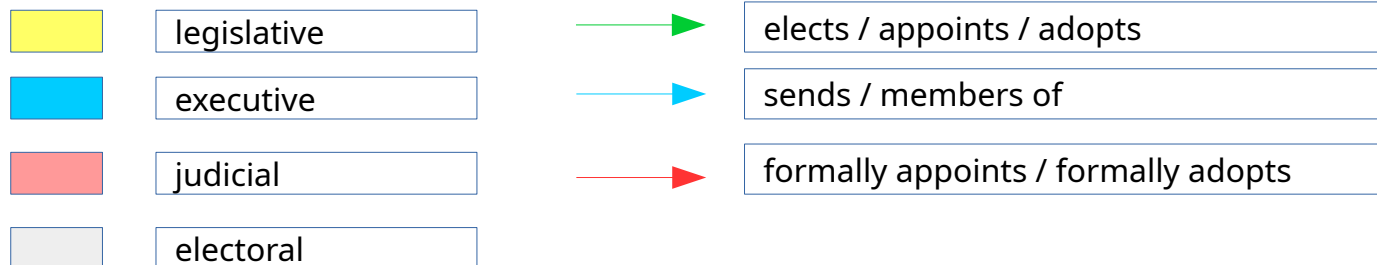
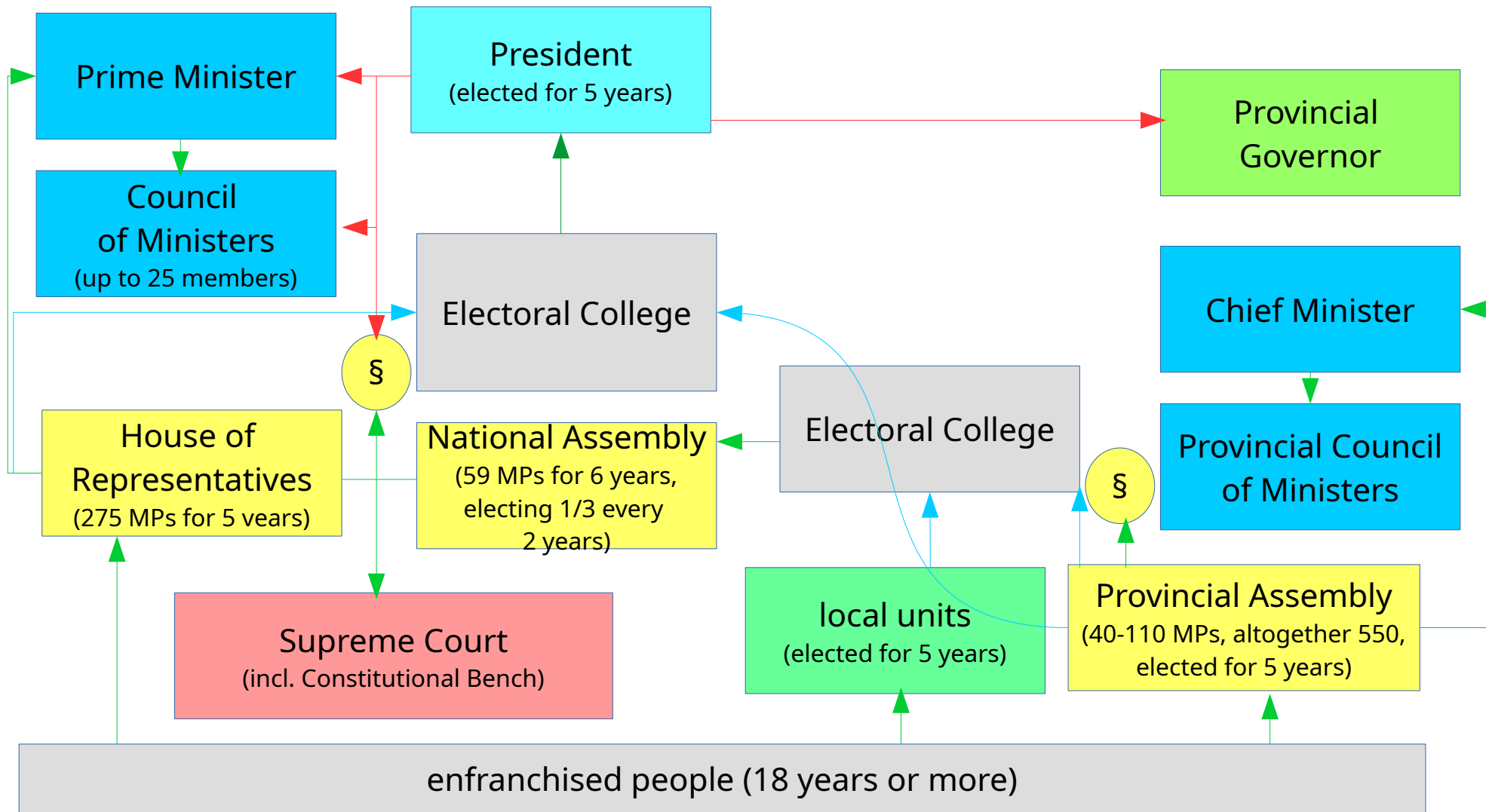


Nepal Government Chart



Separation of powers

LEGISLATURE



Elected representatives make laws

EXECUTIVE



PM and the Cabinet implement laws

JUDICIARY



The Supreme Court evaluates, interprets laws, constitution

CHECKS AND BALANCES Government



Can remove PM; dissolve government in case of failure to prove numbers; can overrule bills, decisions brought by government

Can overturn government decisions if it rules them unconstitutional; can instruct government to make amendments to its decisions

PARLIAMENT

SUPREME COURT

Can impeach judges, constitutional body chiefs

Can overturn laws it rules unconstitutional

Ideas of the federal state

	System A	System B
features	avoidance of all kinds of ethnic and regional affinity partly cutting of traditional ethnic territories relative majority of Tagadhari groups in all provinces if possible only subordinate role of ethnic cultures and languages rejection of province names on the basis of traditional ethnic areas and languages	taking into account traditional ethnic territories while restructuring the state if possible, relative majorities of groups other than Tagadhari special position of ethnic cultures and languages in provinces if possible, names of provinces after traditional ethnic and regional settlement areas
demande before CA-I by		ethnic organisation (early 1990s), CPN-Maoist (later 1990s)
political support in CA I	Nepali Congress, CPN-UML (then minority in CA)	UCPN-Maoist, Madhesi parties, ethnic minority parties
political support after March 2015	Nepali Congress, CPN-UML, UCPN-Maoist	Madhesi parties, ethnic minority parties

Design of the federal state

	System A	System B
suggestions and agreements in CA-I	6 provinces as demanded by minority group of SRC (representatives of NC and UML, 01/2012)	14 provinces on the basis of ethnic and regional aspects (official commission of CA-I, early 2010) 11 provinces as demanded by majority group of SRC (representatives of UCPN-M, Madheshi, ethnic parties and Dalits, 01/2012) division of Tarai areas in not more than 2 provinces
fixing in new constitution of 20 September 2015	7 federal provinces Tarai areas distributed on 6 provinces cutting up of the Tharu area of western Tarai no naming of new provinces all further decisions on the federal state by a commission that shall be nominated by the big parties (according to the interim constitution the task of the inclusively elected CA)	(as reaction of this constitution and procedure of the big party leaders: start of demonstrations and blockades in the whole Tarai area; later unofficially supported by India)
justification of the supported system	necessary to avoid disintegration and separatism	the consideration of ethnic and regional aspects in state reconstruction is necessary for inclusion, equality and justice

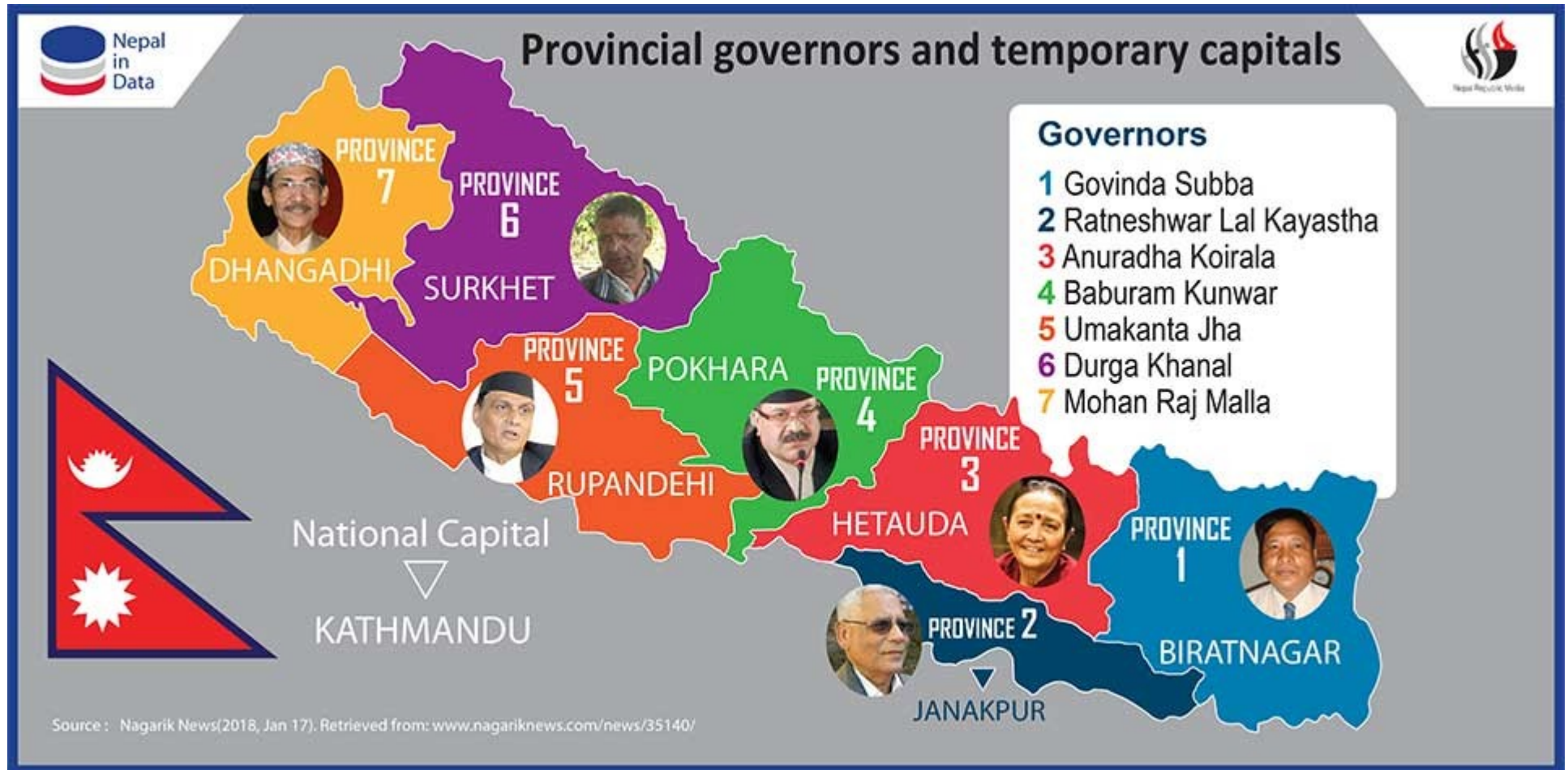
Design of the federal state by CA committee (January 2010)



Design of the federal state by SRC in January 2012

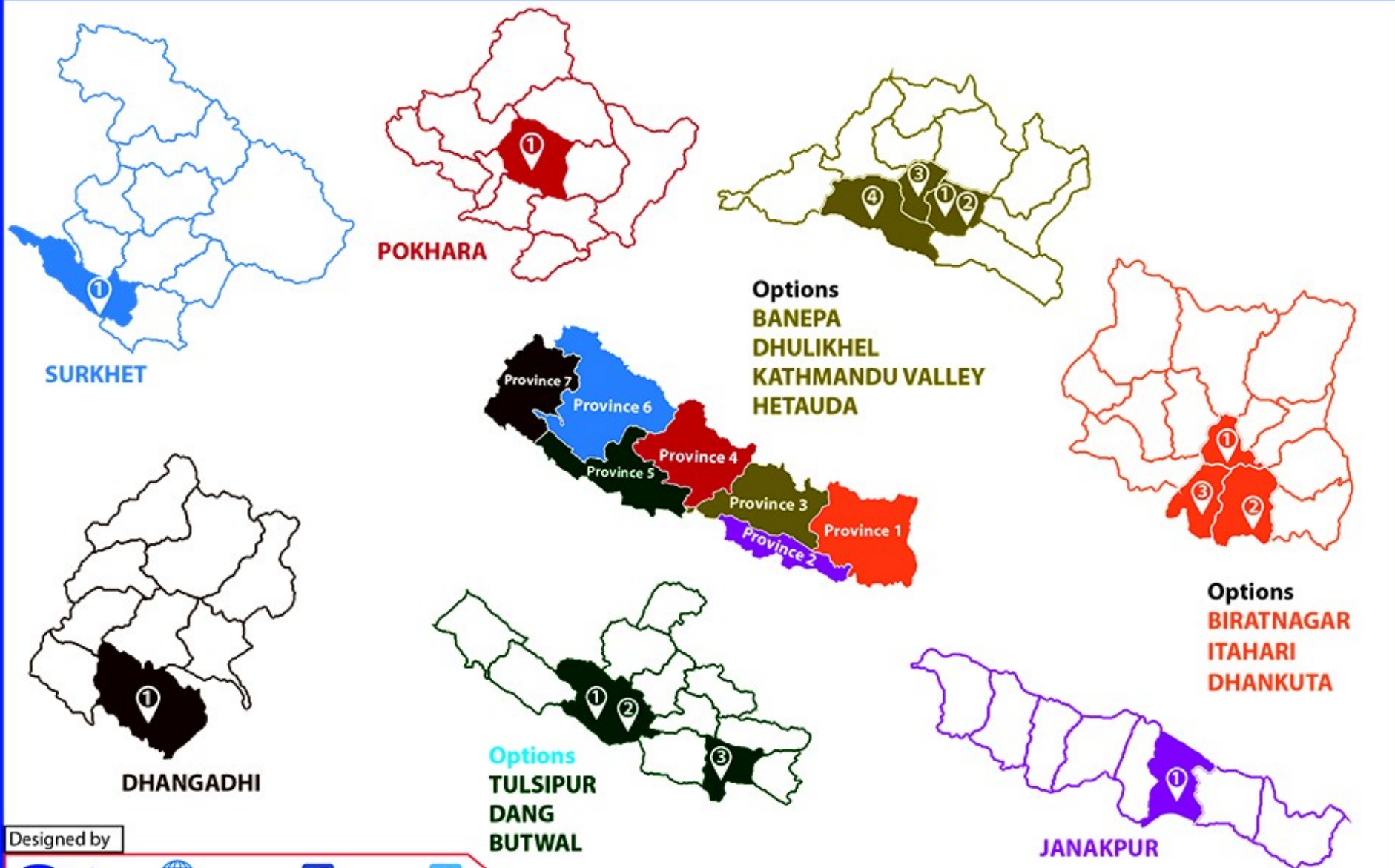


Design of the federal state in Constitution of 2015



Possible provincial capitals

Proposed Provincial Capitals (with options)



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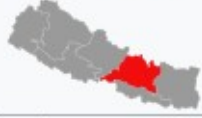
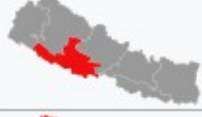
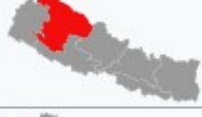
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Source: High-Powered Federal Administrative Restructuring Committee

Provinces

Province ⇅	Capital ⇅	Governor ⇅	Chief Minister ⇅	Districts ⇅	Area (km²) ⇅	Population (2011) ⇅	Density (people/km²) ⇅	Map ⇅
Province No. 1	Biratnagar (Temporary)	Govinda Subba	Sher Dhan Rai	14	25,905 km²	4,534,943	175	
Province No. 2	Janakpur (Temporary)	Ratneshwar Lal Kayastha	Mohammad Lalbabu Raut	8	9,661 km²	5,404,145	559	
Province No. 3	Hetauda (Temporary)	Anuradha Koirala	Dormani Poudel	13	20,300 km²	5,529,452	272	
Gandaki	Pokhara	Baburam Kunwar	Prithvi Subba Gurung	11	21,504 km²	2,403,757	112	
Province No. 5	Butwal (Temporary)	Umakanta Jha	Shankar Pokharel	12	22,288 km²	4,499,272	219	
Karnali	Birendranagar	Durga Keshar Khanal	Mahendra Bahadur Shahi	10	27,984 km²	1,570,418	41	
Sudurpashchim	Godawari	Mohan Raj Malla	Trilochan Bhatta	9	19,539 km²	2,552,517	130	

Ministries proposed for provinces

- *Cabinet and the office of the chief minister*
- *The Ministry for Economic Development*
- *The Ministry for Agriculture, Cooperative and Land Management*
- *The Ministry for Home Affairs*
- *The Ministry for Infrastructure Development*
- *The Ministry for Forest, Science and Environment*
- *The Ministry for Education, Health and Social Development*

Obstacles to the implementation of the federal state

- Violation of the Interim Constitution and numerous agreements in writing the constitution
- Holding election before removing obstacles concerning the federal setup
- Opposition to the federal state from RPP-Nepal, but also from some politicians of NC und CPN-UML
- Rejection of ethnic and regional demands, especially from CPN-UML
- Radical reactions from ethnic and regional forces against the distrustful politics of the Tagadhari leaders of the major parties
- Non-inclusive constructions of national identity
- The myth of disintegration
- Unequal treatment of ethnic/regional demands and those of Tagadhari leaders
- Missing aspects of economic and financial issues
- Misuse of ethnic demands for the power struggles of the ruling elite

Federal powers

SN	Matters
1.	Relating to defence and military
(a)	Protection of national unity and territorial integrity
(b)	Relating to national security
2.	War and defence
3.	Arms and ammunitions factories and production thereof
4.	Central Police, Armed Police Force, national intelligence and investigation, peace, security
5.	Central planning, central bank, finance policies, monetary and banking, monetary policies, foreign grants, aid and loans
6.	Foreign and diplomatic affairs, international relations and United Nations related matters
7.	International treaties or agreements, extradition, mutual legal assistance and international borders, international boundary rivers
8.	Telecommunications, allocation of radio frequency, radio, television and postal matters
9.	Customs, excise-duty, value-added tax, corporate income tax, individual income tax, remuneration tax, passport fee, visa fee, tourism fee, service charge and fee, penalty
10.	Federal civil service, judicial service and other government services
11.	Policies relating to conservation and multiple uses of water resources
12.	Inland and inter-State electricity transmission lines
13.	Central statistics (national and international standards and quality)
14.	Central level large electricity, irrigation and other projects
15.	Central universities, central level academies, universities standards and regulation, central libraries

16.	Health policies, health services, health standards, quality and monitoring, national or specialised service providing hospitals, traditional treatment services and communicable disease control
17.	Federal Parliament, Federal Executive, Local Level related affairs, special structure
18.	International trade, exchange, port, quarantine
19.	Civil aviation, international airports
20.	National transportation policies, management of railways and national highways
21.	Laws relating to the Supreme Court, High Courts, District Courts and administration of justice
22.	Citizenship, passport, visa, immigration
23.	Atomic energy, air space and astronomy
24.	Intellectual property (including patents, designs, trademarks and copyrights)
25.	Measurement
26.	Mines excavation
27.	National and international environment management, national parks, wildlife reserves and wetlands, national forest policies, carbon services
28.	Insurance policies, securities, cooperatives regulation
29.	Land use policies, human settlement development policies, tourism policies, environment adaptation
30.	Criminal and civil laws making
31.	Security printing
32.	Social security and poverty alleviation
33.	Constitutional Bodies, commissions of national importance
34.	Sites of archaeological importance and ancient monuments
35.	Any matter not enumerated in the Lists of Federal Powers, State Powers and Local Level Powers or in the Concurrent List and any matter not specified in this Constitution and in the Federal laws

State powers

SN	Matters
1.	State police administration and peace and order
2.	Operation of banks and financial institutions in accordance with the policies of Nepal Rastra Bank, cooperative institutions, foreign grants and assistance with the consent of the Centre
3.	Operation of Radio, F.M., television
4.	House and land registration fee, motor vehicle tax, entertainment tax, advertisement tax, tourism, agro-income tax, service charge, fee, penalty
5.	State civil service and other government services
6.	State statistics
7.	State level electricity, irrigation and water supply services, navigation
8.	State universities, higher education, libraries, museums
9.	Health services
10.	Matters relating to the State Assembly, State Council of Ministers
11.	Intra-State trade
12.	State highways
13.	State bureau of investigation
14.	Physical management and other necessary matters of State governmental offices
15.	State Public Service Commission
16.	Management of lands, land records
17.	Exploration and management of mines

18.	Protection and use of languages, scripts, cultures, fine arts and religions
19.	Use of forests and waters and management of environment within the State
20.	Agriculture and livestock development, factories, industrialization, trade, business, transportation
21.	Management of trusts (<i>Guthi</i>)

Local level powers

SN	Matters
1.	Town police
2.	Cooperative institutions
3.	Operation of F.M.
4.	Local taxes (wealth tax, house rent tax, land and building registration fee, motor vehicle tax), service charge, fee, tourism fee, advertisement tax, business tax, land tax (land revenue), penalty, entertainment tax, land revenue collection
5.	Management of the Local services
6.	Collection of local statistics and records
7.	Local level development plans and projects
8.	Basic and secondary education
9.	Basic health and sanitation
10.	Local market management, environment protection and bio-diversity
11.	Local roads, rural roads, agro-roads, irrigation
12.	Management of Village Assembly, Municipal Assembly, District Assembly, local courts, mediation and arbitration
13.	Local records management
14.	Distribution of house and land ownership certificates
15.	Agriculture and animal husbandry, agro-products management, animal health, cooperatives
16.	Management of senior citizens, persons with disabilities and the incapacitated

17.	Collection of statistics of the unemployed
18.	Management, operation and control of agricultural extension
19.	Water supply, small hydropower projects, alternative energy
20.	Disaster management
21.	Protection of watersheds, wildlife, mines and minerals
22.	Protection and development of languages, cultures and fine arts

Concurrent federal and state powers

SN	Matters
1.	Civil and criminal procedure, evidence and oaths (legal recognition, public acts and records, and judicial proceedings)
2.	Supply, distribution, price control, quality and monitoring of essential goods and services
3.	Preventive detention for reasons connected with the security of the country, prison and detention management, and maintenance of peace and order
4.	Transfer of accused persons, detainees and prisoners from one State to another State
5.	Laws relating to family affairs (marriage, transfer of property, divorce, persons on the verge of extinction, orphan, adoption, succession and joint family)
6.	Acquisition, requisitioning of property and creation of right in property
7.	Contracts, cooperatives, partnership and agency related matters
8.	Matters relating to bankruptcy and insolvency
9.	Drugs and pesticides
10.	Planning, family planning and population management
11.	Social security and employment, trade unions, settlement of industrial disputes, labour rights and disputes related matters
12.	Legal profession, auditing, engineering, medicines, <i>Ayurvedic</i> medicines, veterinary, <i>Amchi</i> and other professions
13.	State boundary river, waterways, environment protection, biological diversity

14.	Matters related to means of communication
15.	Industries and mines and physical infrastructures
16.	Casino, lottery
17.	Early preparedness for, rescue, relief and rehabilitation from, natural and man made calamities
18.	Tourism, water supply and sanitation
19.	Motion pictures, cinema halls and sports
20.	Insurance business operation and management
21.	Poverty alleviation and industrialization
22.	Scientific research, science and technology and human resources development
23.	Utilization of forests, mountains, forest conservation areas and waters stretching in inter-State form
24.	Land policies and laws relating thereto
25.	Employment and unemployment aid

Concurrent federal, state and local level powers

SN	Matters
1.	Cooperatives
2.	Education, health and newspapers
3.	Health
4.	Agriculture
5.	Services such as electricity, water supply, irrigation
6.	Service fee, charge, penalty and royalty from natural resources, tourism fee
7.	Forests, wildlife, birds, water uses, environment, ecology and bio-diversity
8.	Mines and minerals
9.	Disaster management
10.	Social security and poverty alleviation
11.	Personal events, births, deaths, marriages and statistics
12.	Archaeology, ancient monuments and museums
13.	Landless squatters management
14.	Royalty from natural resources
15.	Motor vehicle permits

Understanding of federalism (Himalmedia, Jan. 2018)

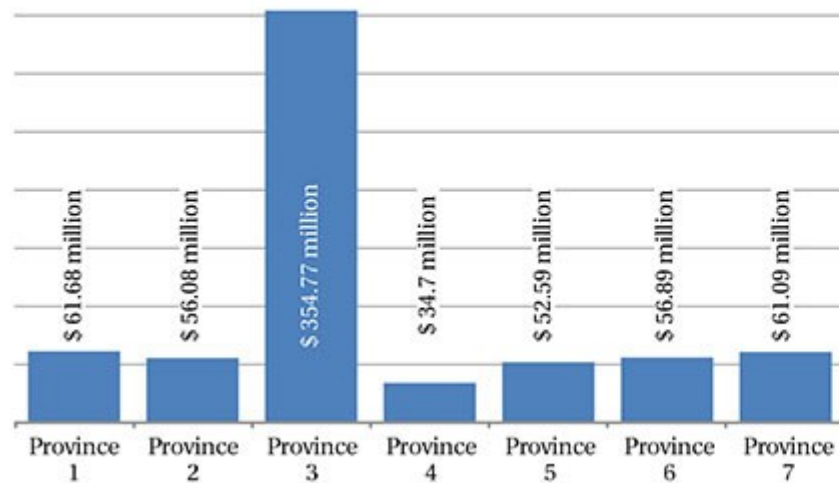
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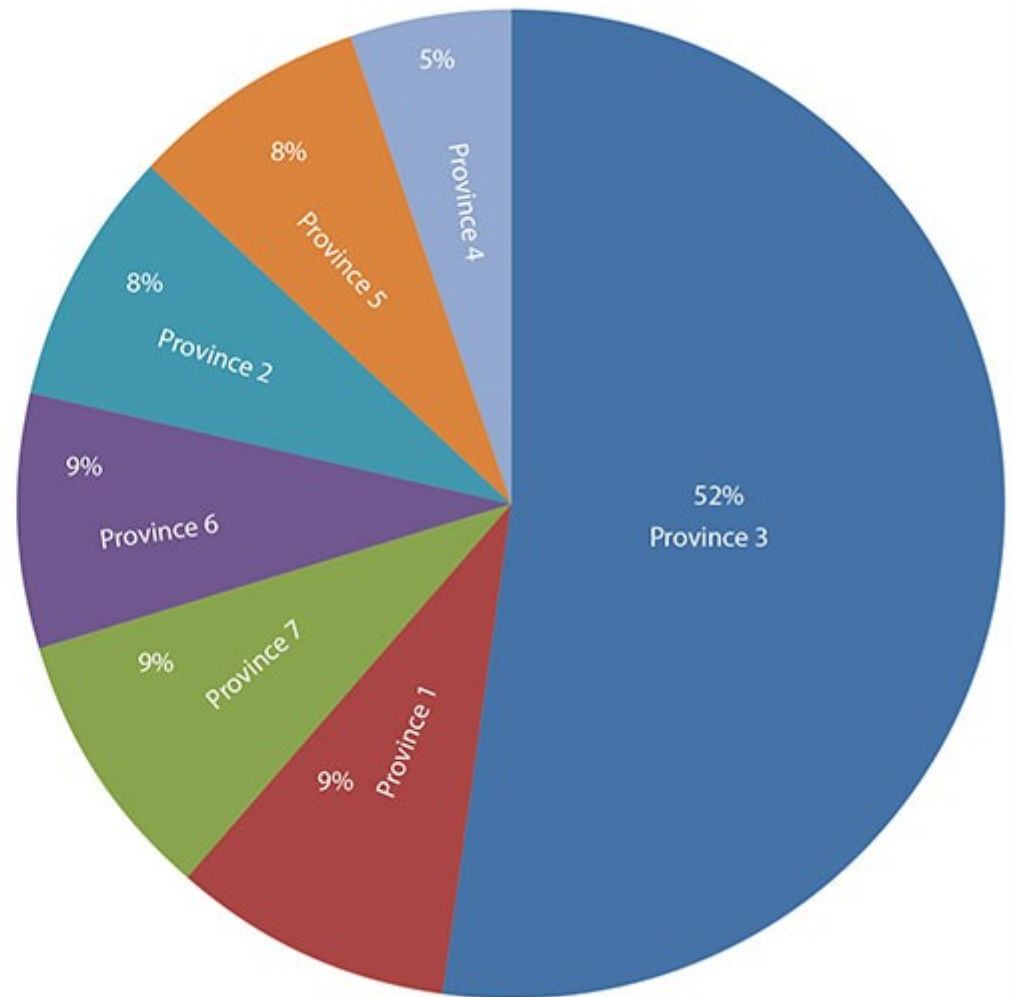
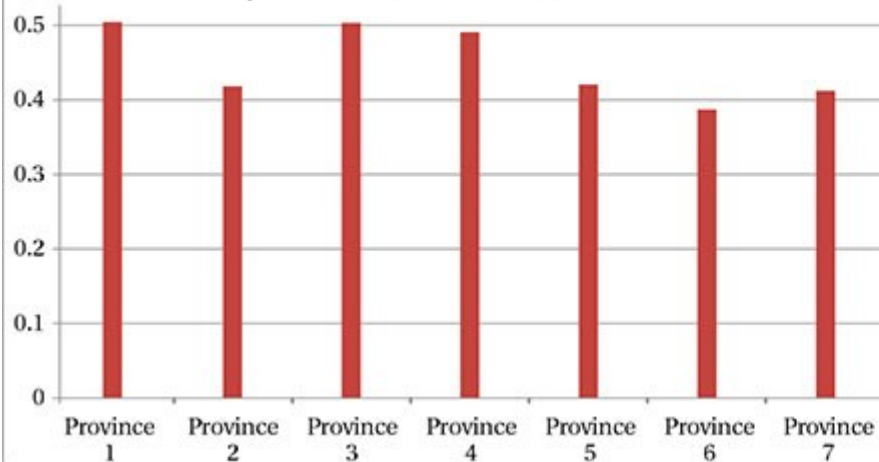
- Have no idea **41%**
- Don't know **13%**
- Not different from previous system **4%**
- Best form of decentralisation **9%**
- People can govern themselves **14%**
- Service delivery at doorsteps **7%**
- Equitable development **11%**
- Don't want to say **1%**

Distribution of foreign aid

Foreign aid disbursement in FY2016/17



Human Development Index (in 2016)



Hello Sarkar complains

Most complained 6 offices



3341

Police Headquarter



2926

National Information
Technology Center



1681

Nepal Electriticty
Authority



1015

Tribhuvan University



803

Department of Road



773

Kathmandu Metropolitan

Hello Sarkar, media used

Complains By Channel

