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NETWORK OF PROTECTED AREAS FOR AGRICULTURAL AND AGRO-INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT (NPAAAD) MAP



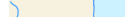
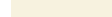
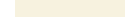



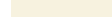
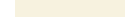




Municipality of Mercedes
Province of Eastern Samar

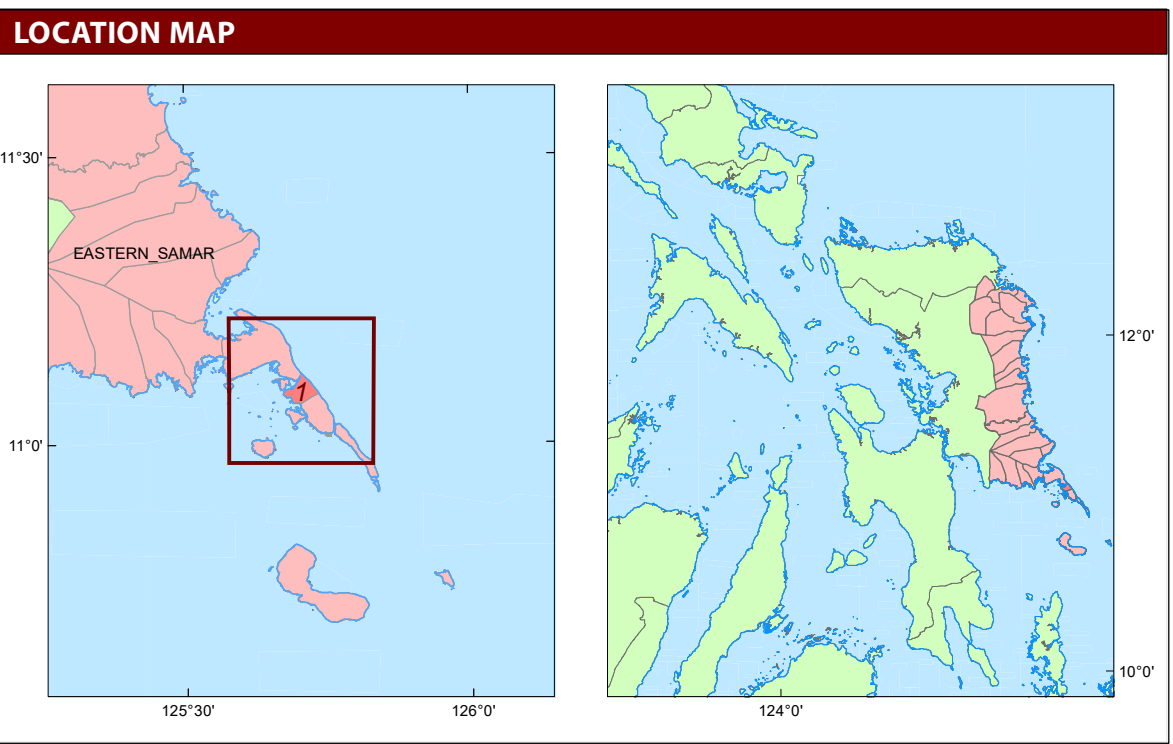


SCALE 1:50,000
0 0.5 1 2 3 4
Kilometers


Universal Transverse Mercator Zone 51 North PRS 1992
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LEGEND			
MAPPING SYMBOL	DESCRIPTION	AREA	
		(Ha)	(%)
PRIME AGRICULTURAL LANDS			
A	All irrigated lands/areas	0	0
B	All irrigable lands already covered by irrigation projects with firm funding commitments	0	0
C	All alluvial plain lands highly suitable for agriculture, not irrigated	445.08	34.01
D	Agro-industrial croplands or lands presently planted to industrial crops that support the viability of existing agricultural infrastructure and agro-based enterprises	863.72	65.99
E	Highlands or areas located at an elevation of five hundred (500) meters or above highly suitable for growing semi-temperate and high value crops	0	0
FRAGILE AGRICULTURAL LANDS			
F	All agricultural lands that are ecologically fragile, the conversion of which will result in serious environmental degradation that will affect mangrove areas and fish sanctuaries	0	0
G	All fishery areas as defined pursuant to Fisheries Code of 1998	0	0
MISCELLANEOUS LAND TYPES (Not Relevant for Agriculture)			
 H	Forest/Watershed areas (critical watersheds including mangroves)	--	--
Bu	Built-up Areas (urban land, airport, roads and bridges)	--	--
Others	Quarry, mine pit, barren land, rock land, river wash, beach sand, sand dunes, landfill	--	--
TOTAL		1,308.8	100

CONVENTIONAL SIGNS		
ROADS	BOUNDARY	HYDROLOGY
 Expressway	 Regional	 Sea / Shoreline
 Trunk line	 Provincial	 Lakes / Rivers
 Primary	 City	PLACES
 Secondary	 Municipal	 Capital City / City
 Tertiary	 Barangay	 Capital Town / Town



MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION

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