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LAND RESOURCES EVALUATION AND SUITABILITY ASSESSMENT OF STRATEGIC PRODUCTION AREAS

PROVINCE OF DAVAO DEL SUR



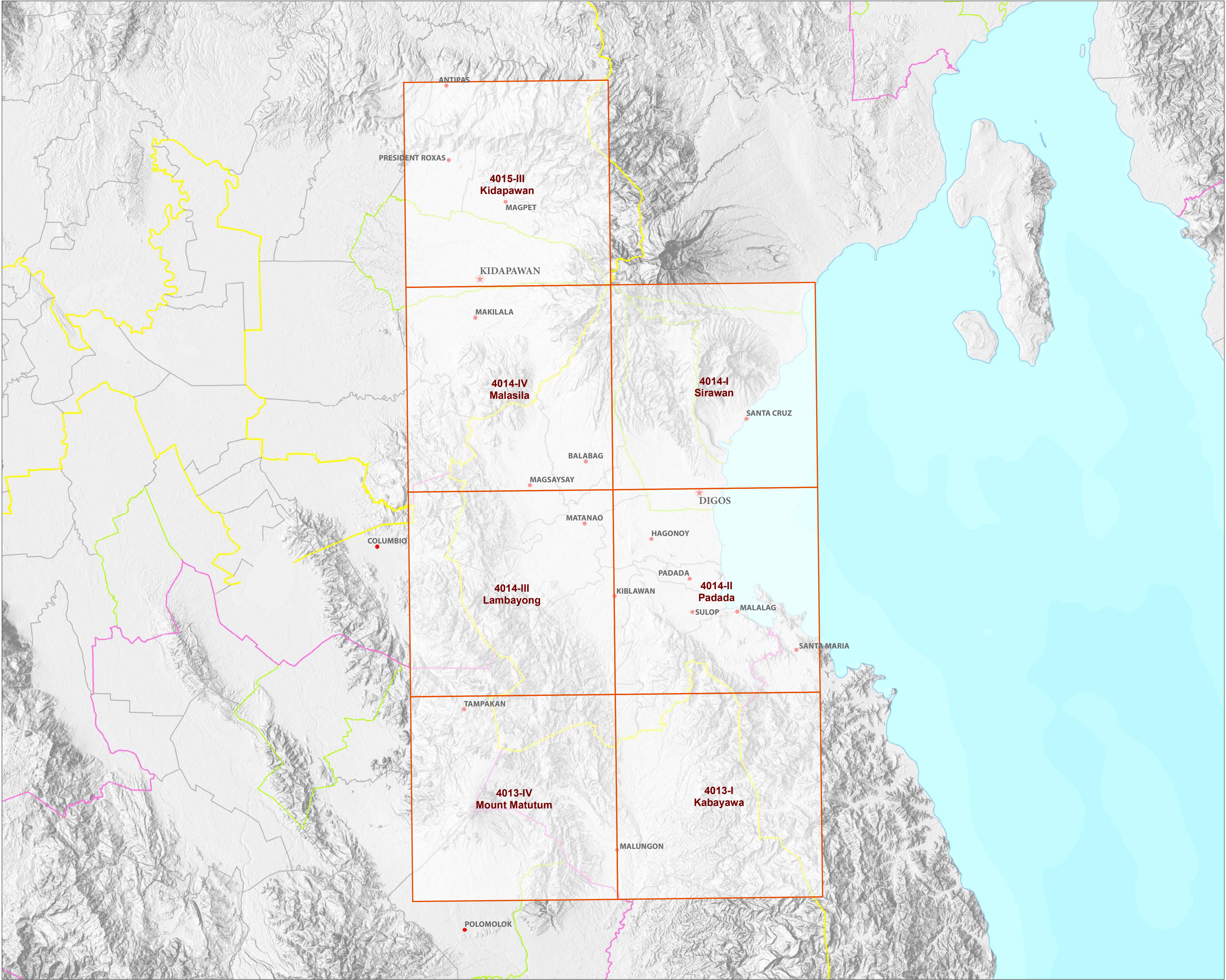
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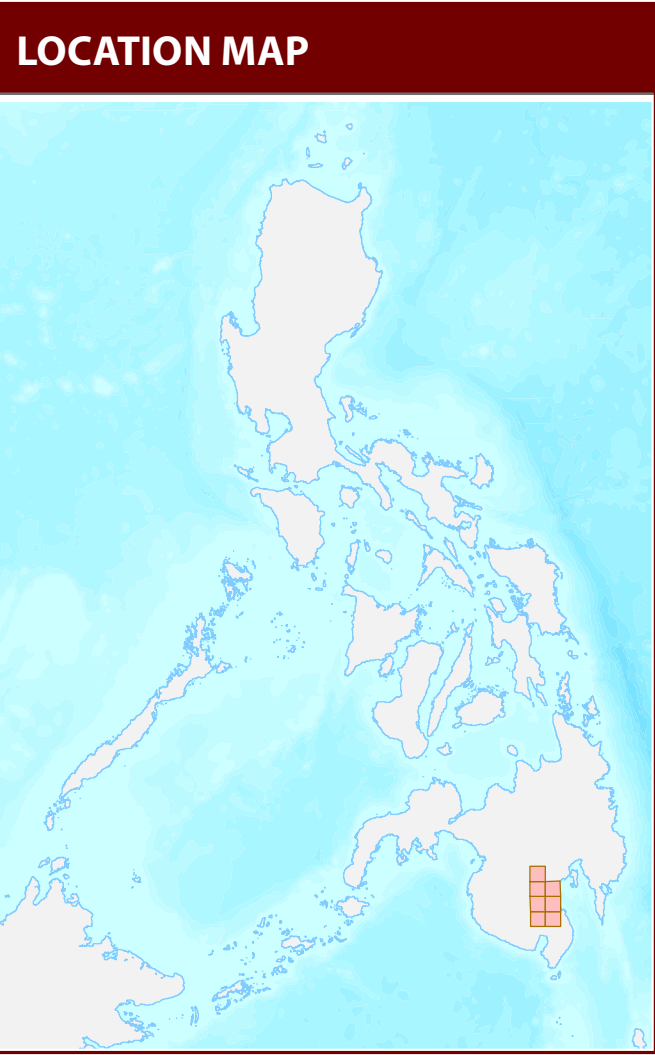
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LAND SUITABILITY MAP FOR CACAO

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EXTENT OF SUITABILITY FOR CACAO PRODUCTION BY MUNICIPALITY

MUNICIPALITY	EXISTING CACAO (Ha)			TOTAL EXISTING AREA (Ha)	EXPANSION AREA (Ha)						CONFLICT RESOLUTION AREA (Ha)										TOTAL POTENTIAL EXPANSION AREA (Ha)
					Coconut		Shrubland, unmanaged*		Grassland, unmanaged*		Mango		Banana		Corn		Sugarcane		Other crops		
	S1	S2	S3		S1	S2	S1	S2	S1	S2	S1	S2	S1	S2	S1	S2	S1	S2			
BANSALAN	-	-	-	-	4,705	1,274	4	105	-	-	2,393	129	-	1	24	-	28	-	137	18	8,817
CITY OF DIGOS	-	-	-	-	3,579	-	13	-	39	-	670	-	65	-	47	-	17	-	175	-	4,605
HAGONOY	-	-	-	-	691	-	-	-	-	-	98	-	1,302	16	42	-	13	-	188	77	2,428
KIBLAWAN	-	-	-	-	1,549	-	35	143	162	392	29	-	1,768	-	1,632	-	1,376	14	-	-	7,101
MAGSAYSAY	-	-	-	-	5,435	58	2	7	85	195	423	-	-	119	7	-	-	2,034	-	-	8,365
MALALAG	-	-	-	-	5,603	-	56	-	78	-	127	-	542	-	156	-	21	-	-	-	6,583
MATANAO	-	-	-	-	1,927	-	-	-	145	109	4,038	-	18	-	555	-	706	-	68	-	7,566
PADADA	-	-	-	-	1,672	-	-	-	-	-	30	-	757	-	72	-	-	-	-	-	2,531
SANTA CRUZ	-	-	-	-	5,234	179	-	-	59	9	1	-	211	-	-	-	-	-	877	-	6,569
SULOP	-	-	-	-	5,317	138	146	-	10	-	135	-	1,567	-	160	-	61	2	-	-	7,536
TOTAL	-	-	-	-	35,713	1,649	256	255	579	704	7,943	129	6,229	17	2,807	7	2,222	16	3,479	94	62,101

Note: Delivery of cacao planting materials must be started on the onset of rainy season.
*establishment of shade trees prior to planting of cacao.

SUITABILITY CLASSES:



Highly Suitable (S1)
Land having no significant limitation to sustained application of a given use, or only minor limitations that will not significantly reduce productivity or benefits and will not raise inputs above an acceptable level.



Marginally Suitable (S3)
Land having limitations which in aggregate are severe for sustained application of a given use and will so reduce productivity or benefits, or increase required inputs, that this expenditure will be only marginally justified.



Moderately Suitable (S2)
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Not Suitable / Not Relevant
Land having limitations which may be surmountable in time but which cannot be corrected with existing knowledge at currently acceptable cost; the limitations are so severe as to preclude successful sustained use of the land in the given manner. Existing forest, shrubland greater than 18% slope, irrigated paddy rice and miscellaneous land types such as built up areas, roads, etc are considered as not relevant.

AGRONOMIC REQUIREMENT OF CACAO PRODUCTION

LAND UTILIZATION TYPE	SUITABILITY RATING	SLOPE (%)	SOIL DEPTH (cm)	SOIL TEXTURE	SOIL DRAINAGE	SOIL REACTION (pH)	INHERENT FERTILITY	FLOODING CLASS	EROSION CLASS	ROCK OUTCROPS	ELEVATION (masl)	ANNUAL RAINFALL (mm)	CLIMATIC TYPE
Cacao	S1	<8	>100	CL, SICL, SCL, SC, SiC, C, HC	WD,MWD	5.6 -7.2	high	none-slight	none-slight	none-few	<1000	2001-4500	I, III, IV
	S2	8 - 30	50 - 100	FSL, L, SIL	SPD,PD	5.1 - 5.5 7.3 - 7.8	medium	moderate	moderate	common	1000-1500	1000-2000	I, II
	S3	>30	<50	S, LS, CSL, SL	VPD,ED	<5.0 - > 7.9	low	severe	severe	many	>1500	<1000 >4500	

SLOPE (%)

0 - 3 - level to gently sloping
3 - 8 - gently sloping to undulating
8 - 18 - undulating to rolling
18 - 30 - rolling to moderately steep
30 - 50 - steep
> 50 - very steep

SOIL DRAINAGE

ED - excessively drained
WD - well drained
MWD - moderately well drained
SPD - somewhat poorly drained
PD - poorly drained
VPD - very poorly drained

SOIL REACTION (pH)

< 4.5 - extremely acid
4.5 - 5.0 - very strongly acid
5.1 - 5.5 - strongly acid
5.6 - 6.0 - medium acid
6.1 - 6.5 - slightly acid
6.6 - 7.2 - neutral
7.3 - 7.8 - mildly alkaline
7.9 - 8.4 - moderately alkaline
> 8.5 - strongly alkaline

SOIL TEXTURE

Coarse

S - sand
LS - loamy sand
CSL - coarse sandy loam
SL - sandy loam

Medium

FSL - fine sandy loam
L - loam
SIL - silt loam
CL - clay loam
SICL - silty clay loam
SCL - sandy clay loam

Fine

SC - sandy clay
SIC - silty clay
C - clay
HC - heavy clay

SOIL DEPTH (cm)

0 - 30 - very shallow
30 - 50 - shallow
50 - 100 - moderately deep
> 100 - deep to very deep

SURFACE IMPEDIMENT

ROCK OUTCROPS
< 10% - none - few
10 - 30% - common
> 30% - many

LAND LIMITATIONS DESCRIPTION AND COMBINATIONS

ELEVATION

EI2 - 1000m - 1500m
EI3 - > 1500m

SOIL DRAINAGE

D2 - Somewhat poorly drained to poorly drained
D3 - Very poorly drained or excessively drained

SOIL DEPTH

Sh2 - Moderately deep (50 - 100cm)
Sh3 - Very shallow to shallow (< 50cm)

SOIL EROSION

E2 - Moderate erosion
E3 - Severe erosion

SLOPE/TOPOGRAPHY

T2 - Undulating to moderately steep
T3 - Steep to very steep

SOIL TEXTURE

Tc - Coarse texture

ROCK OUTCROPS

Rc2 - Common
Rc3 - Many

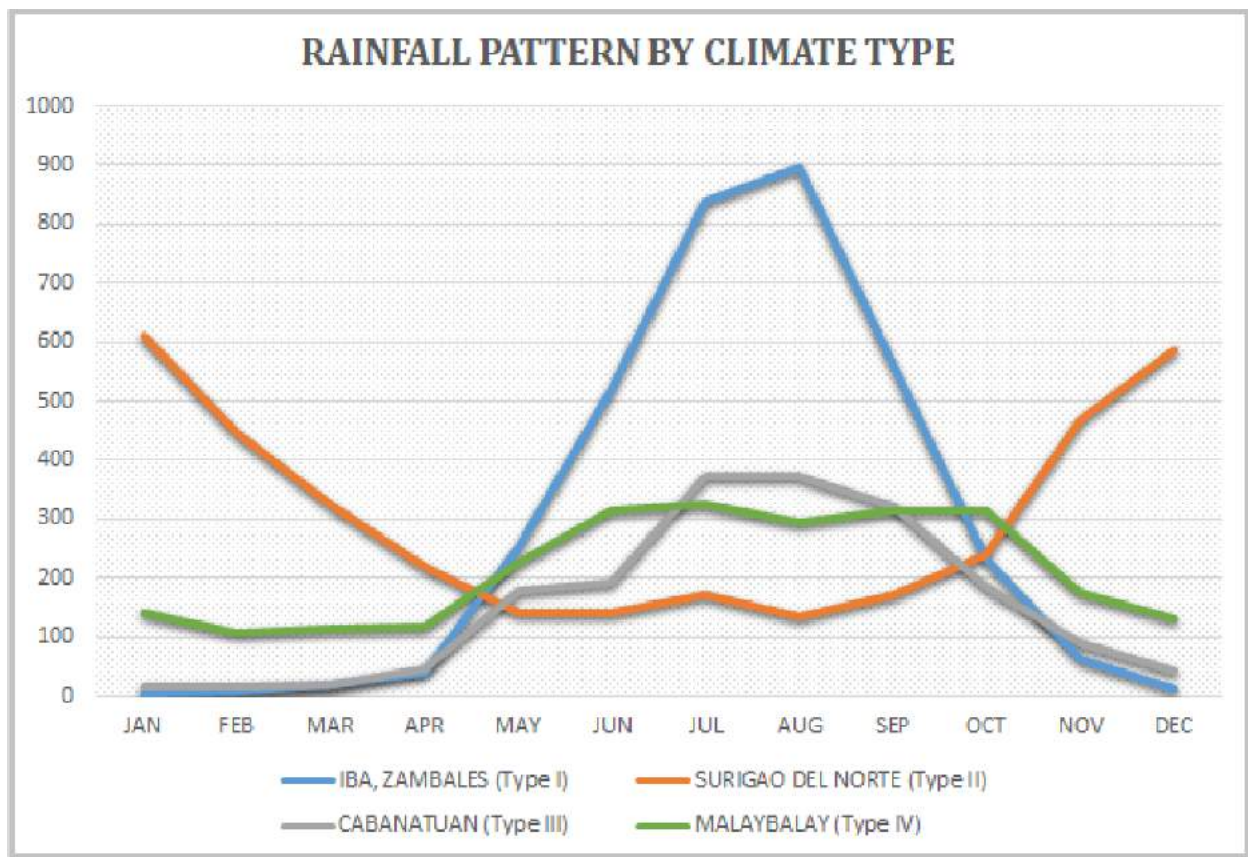
FLOODING

F2 - Moderate seasonal flooding
F3 - Severe seasonal flooding

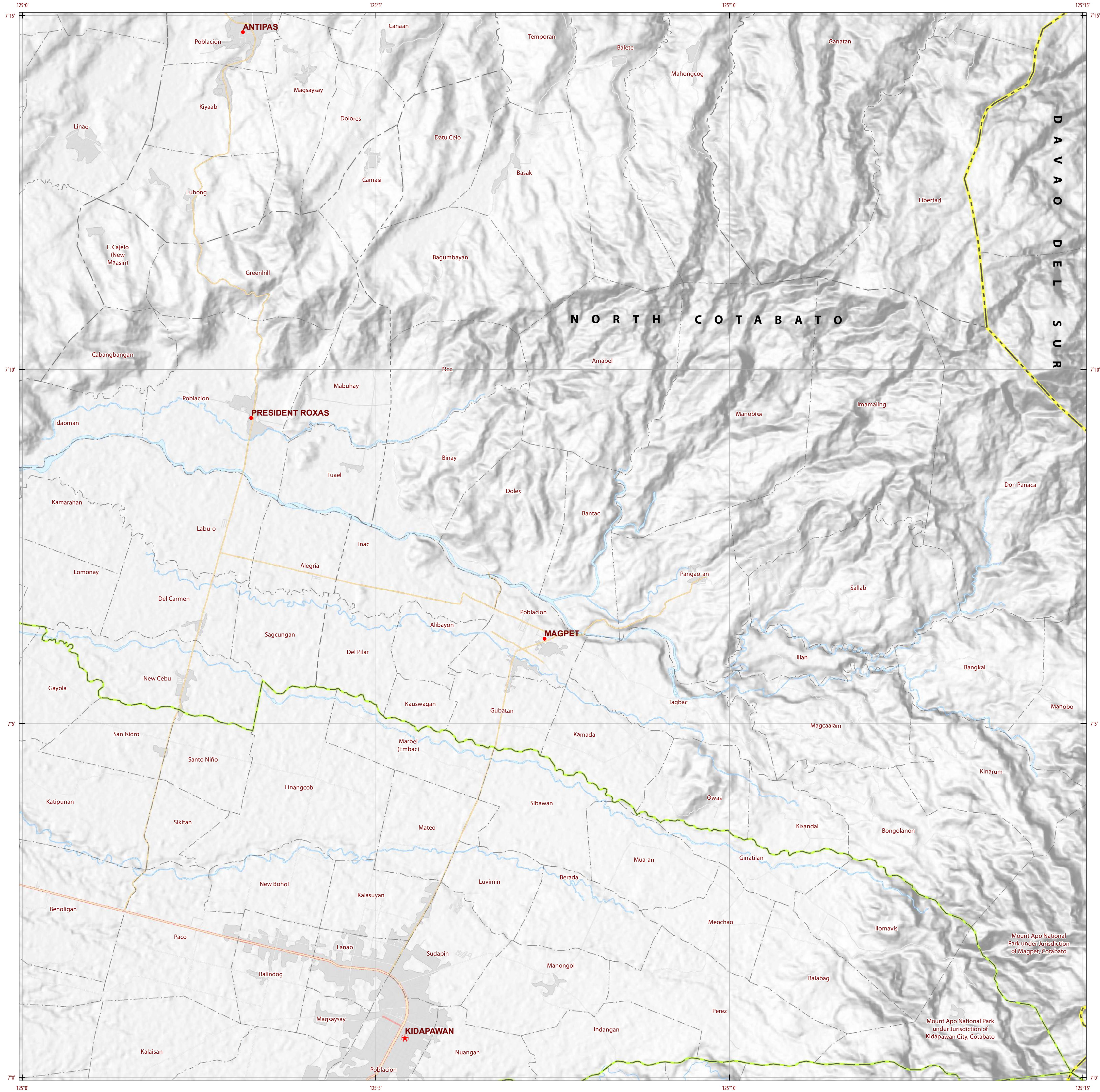
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1	E2-Sh2-Rc2	11	Sh2-Rc2	21	T2-EI3-E3	31	T3-EI2-E3	41	T3-EI2
2	EI2	12	T2	22	T2-EI3-E3-Sh2-Rc2	32	T3-EI2-E3-Sh3-Rc2	42	T3-EI2-E3
3	EI2-Sh2-Rc2	13	T2-E3	23	T2-F2-D2	33	T3-EI2-E3-Sh3-Rc3	43	T3-EI2-E3-Sh3-Rc3
4	EI2-Sh2-Rc3	14	T2-E3-Rc2	24	T2-F3-D2	34	T3-EI3-E3-Sh3-Rc2	44	T3-EI3-E3-Sh3-Rc3
5	EI3	15	T2-E3-Sh2-Rc2	25	T3	35	T3-F2-D2	45	T3-EI3
6	EI3-Sh2-Rc2	16	T2-E3-Sh2-Rc3	26	T3-E3	36	T3-F3-D2	46	Tc
7	F2-D2	17	T2-EI2	27	T3-E3-Rc2	37	T3		
8	F2-Tc	18	T2-EI2-E3	28	T3-E3-Sh3-Rc2	38	T3-E3		
9	F3-D2	19	T2-EI2-E3-Sh2-Rc2	29	T3-E3-Sh3-Rc3	39	T3-E3-Rc3		
10	Sh2	20	T2-EI2-E3-Sh2-Rc3	30	T3-EI2	40	T3-E3-Sh3-Rc3		

CODE	LANDUSE	CODE	LANDUSE
4	Corn	105	Fruit trees, mixed
34	Diversified crops	107	Abaca
50	Rootcrops	112	Sugarcane
81	Coffee	116	Coconut
84	Pineapple	126	Grassland
85	Mango	134	Shrubs, unmanaged
89	Durian	137	Rubber (T)
90	Pomelo		
91	Banana		
93	Mangosteen		

Davao Del Sur is classified as climatic Type IV.



Source: PAGASA 2018, *Climatological Normals (Rainfall)*, Philippine Atmospheric, Geophysical and Astronomical Services Administration (PAGASA), accessed 27 July 2018, <<https://www1.pagasa.dost.gov.ph/index.php/climate/climatological-normals>>.



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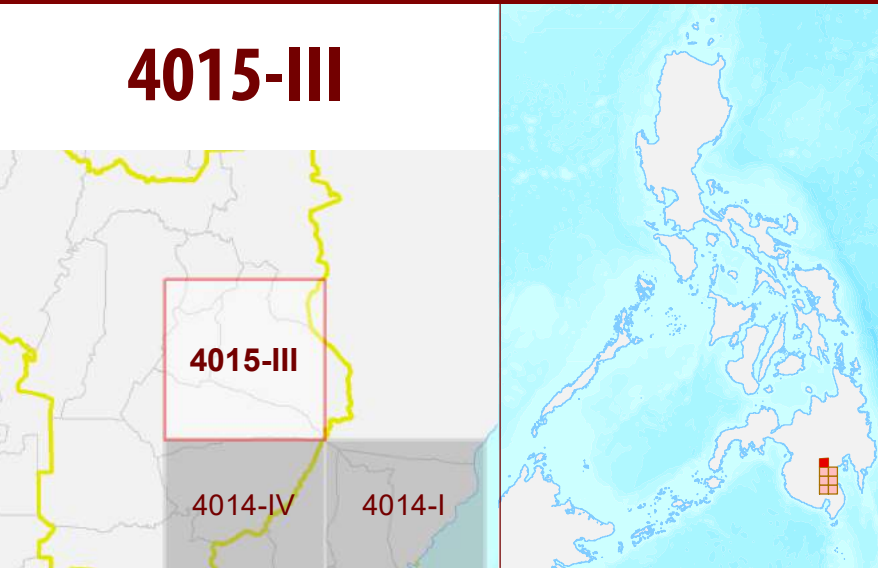
OTHER SIGNS

- NGP Areas
- Cacao
- Land limitation
- Land use

CONVENTIONAL SIGNS

- ROADS**
 - Expressway
 - Trunk line
 - Primary
 - Secondary
 - Tertiary
- BOUNDARY**
 - Region
 - Province
 - District
 - Municipality
 - Barangay
- HYDROLOGY**
 - Sea / Shoreline
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- LAND USE**
 - Built-up
 - Fishpond
 - Mangrove

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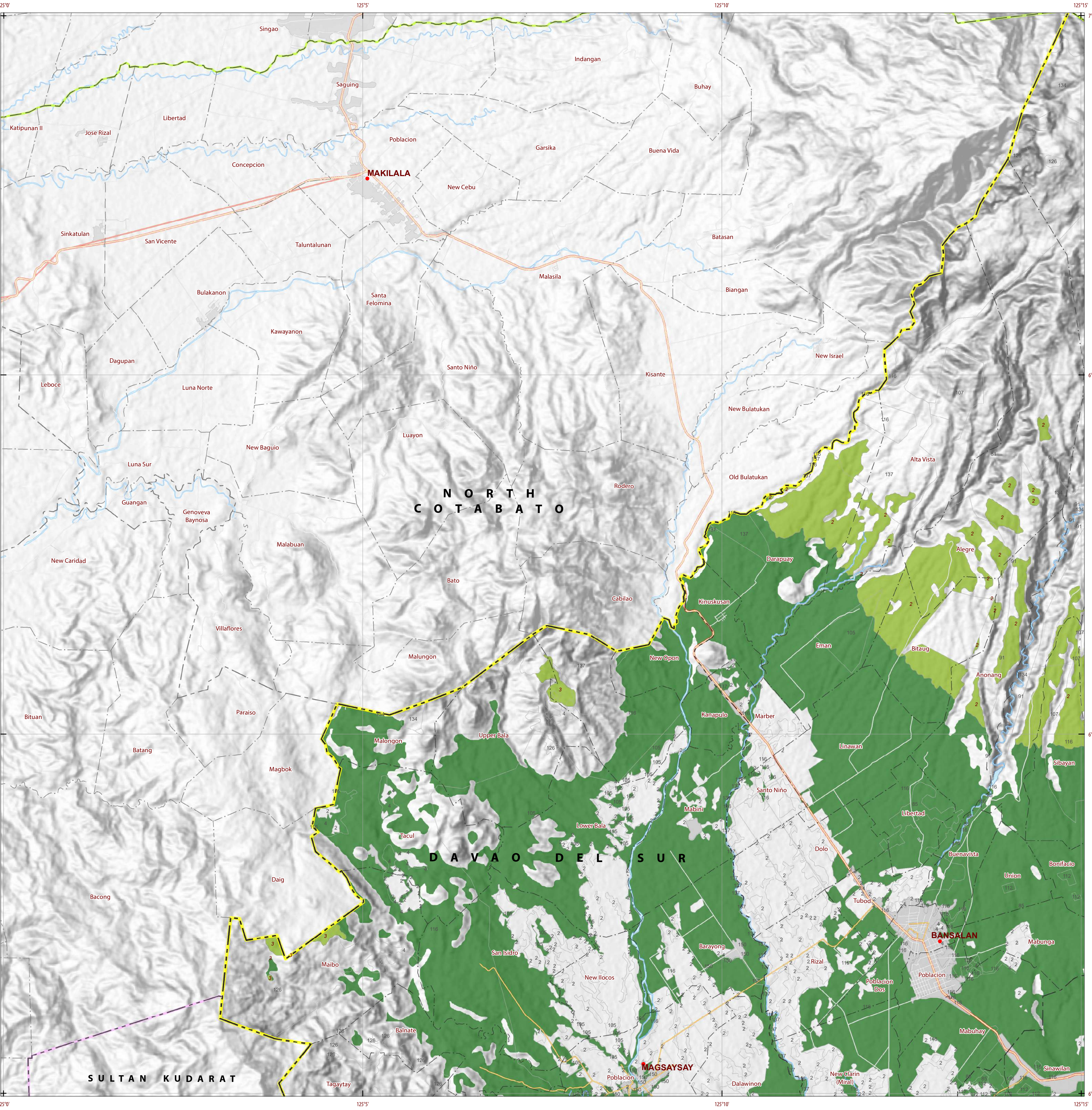
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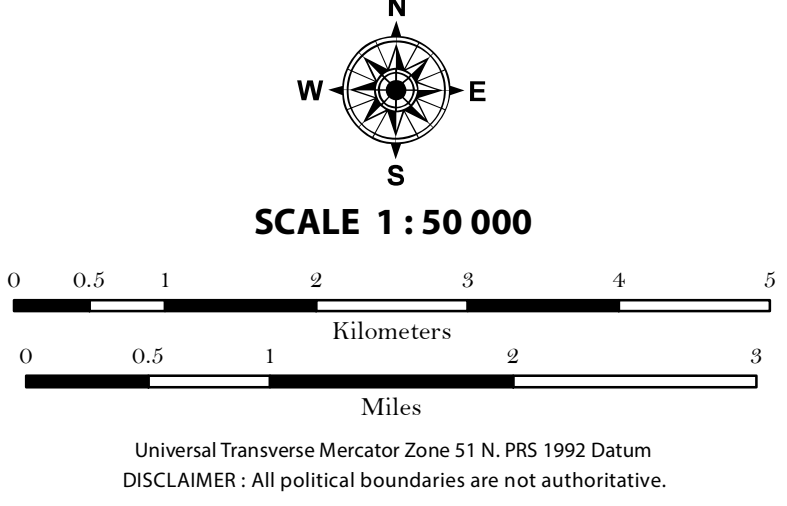
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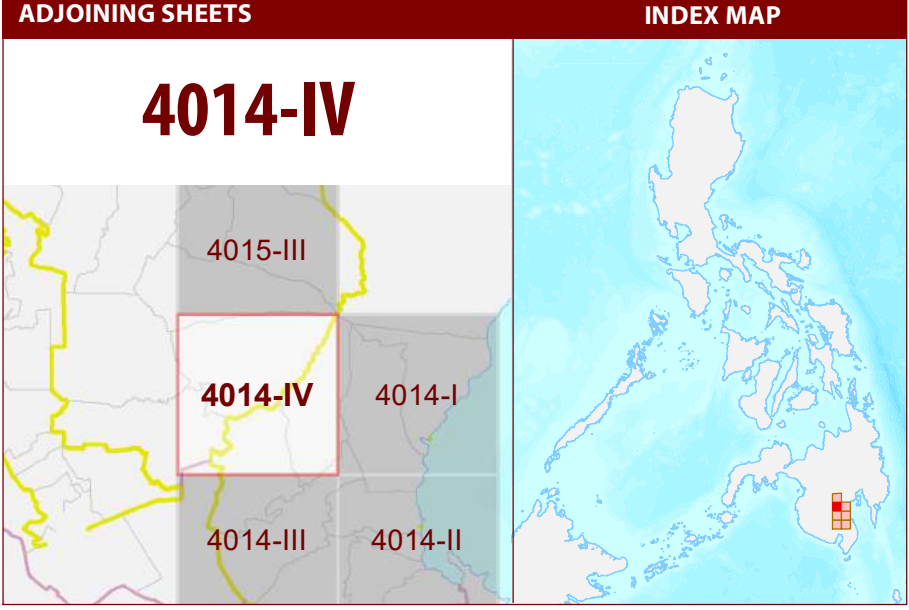
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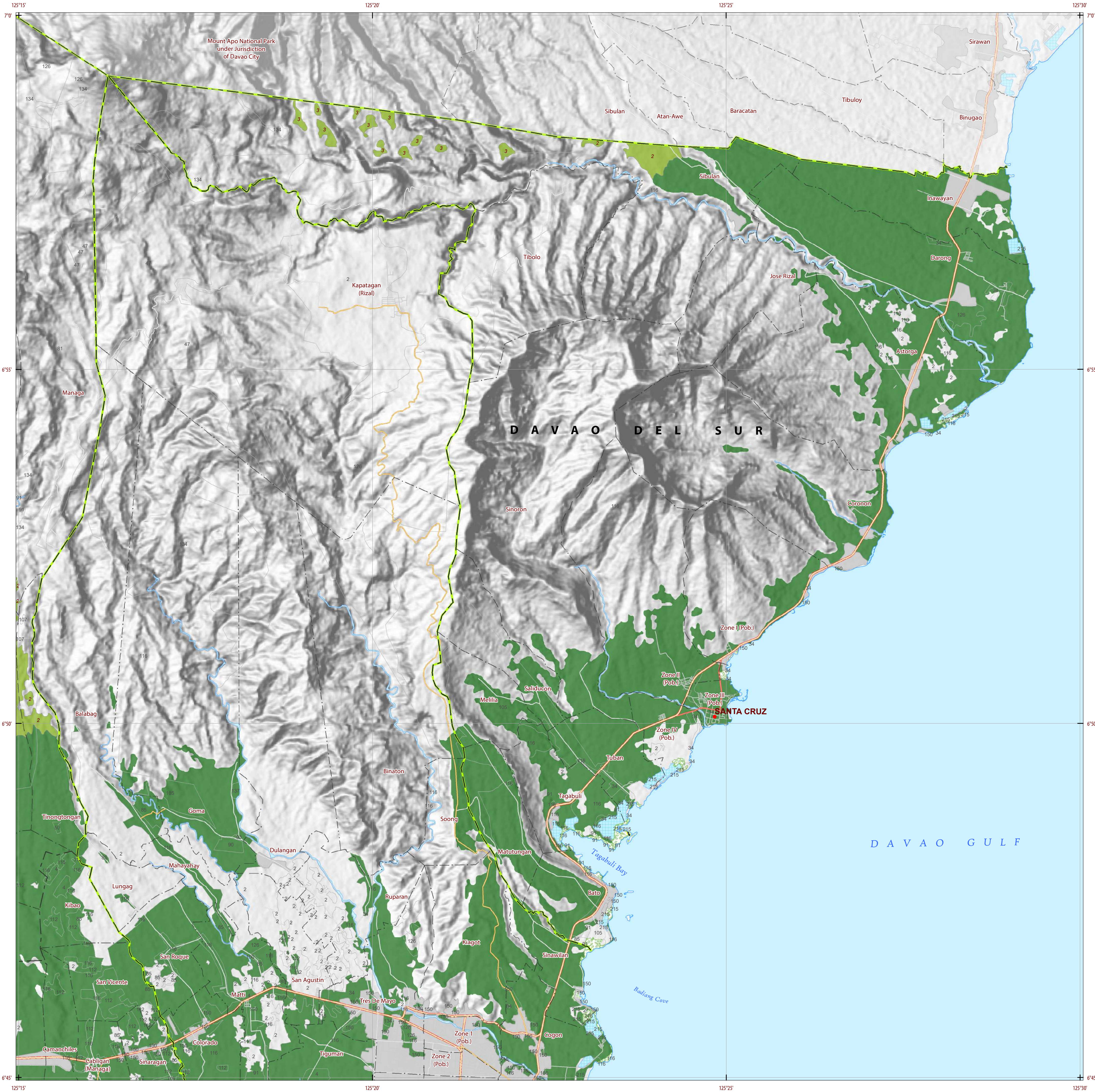
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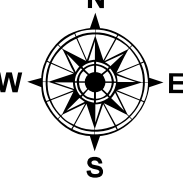
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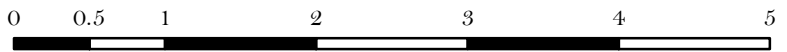


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




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




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

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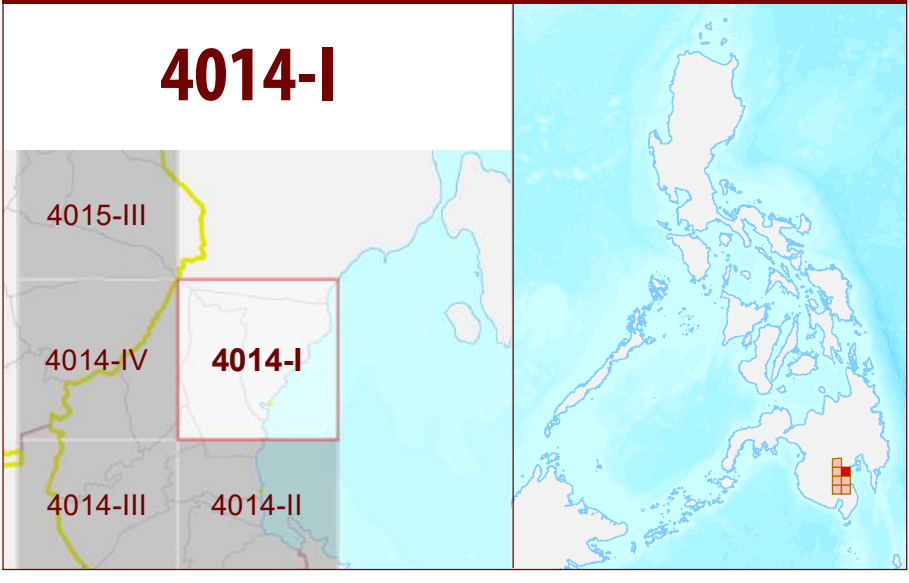


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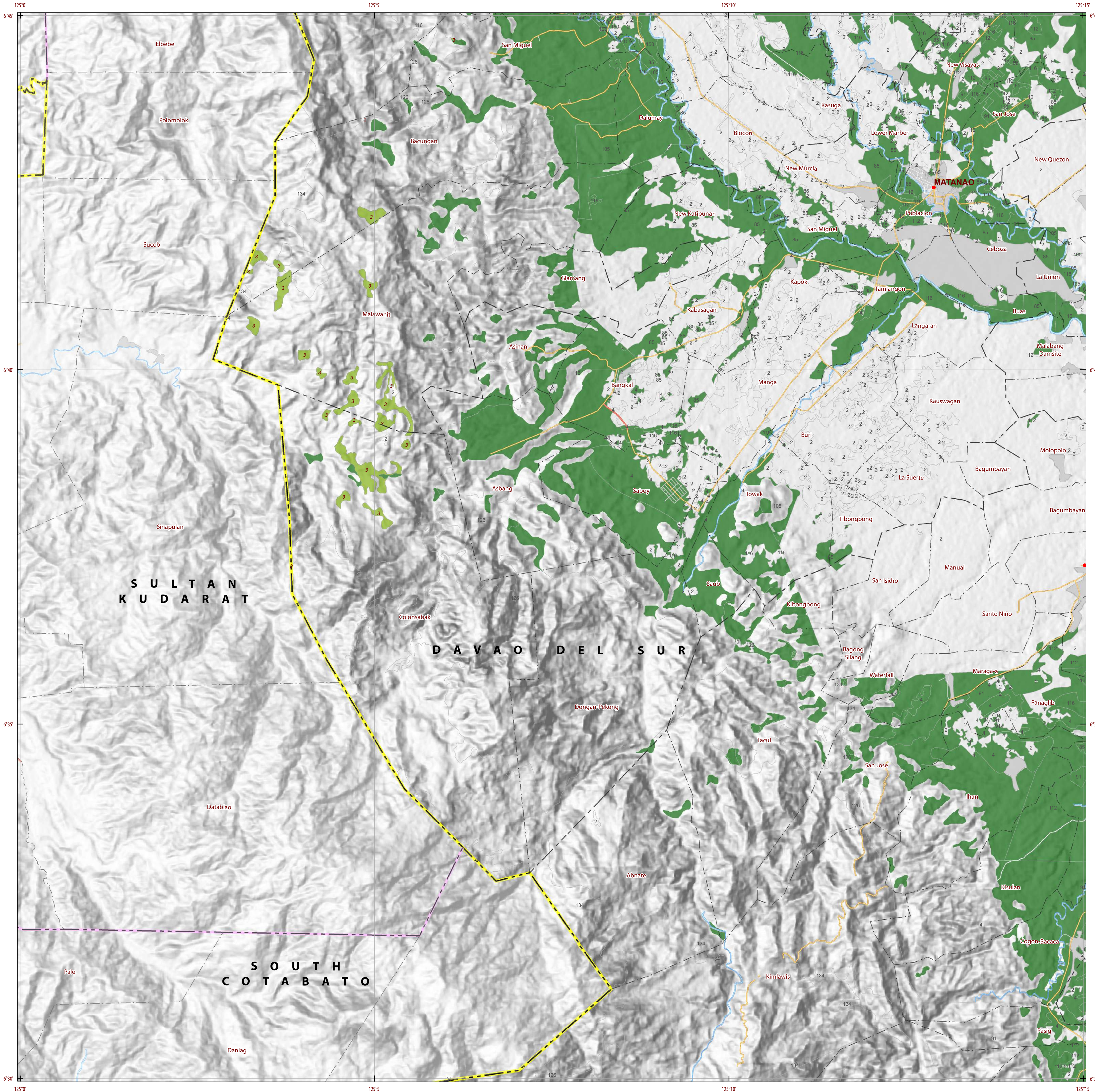


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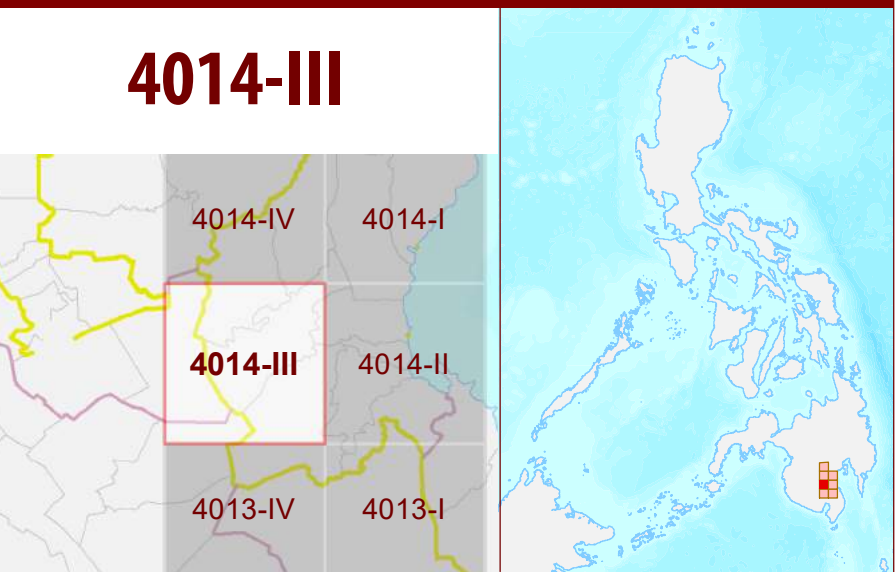
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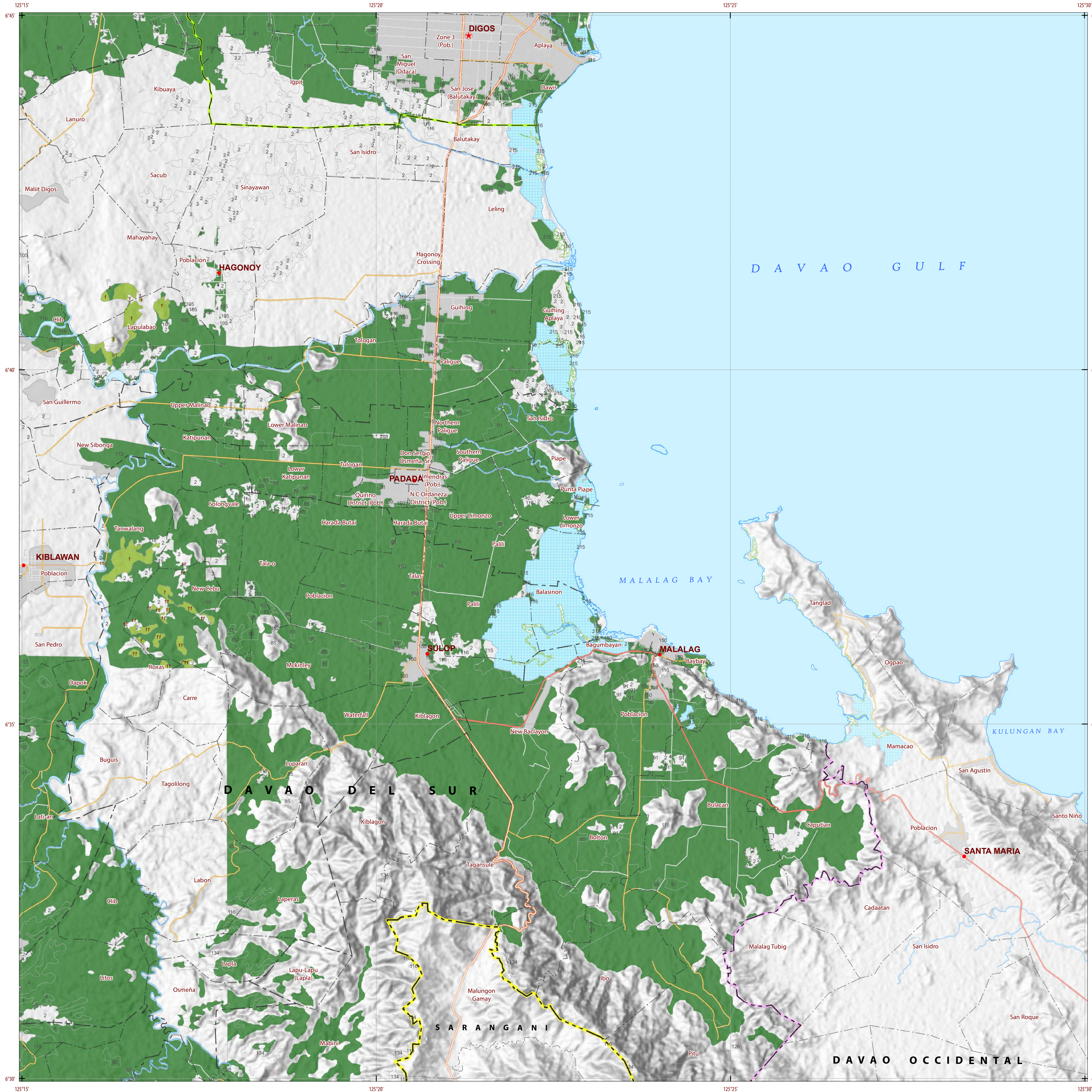
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LEGEND

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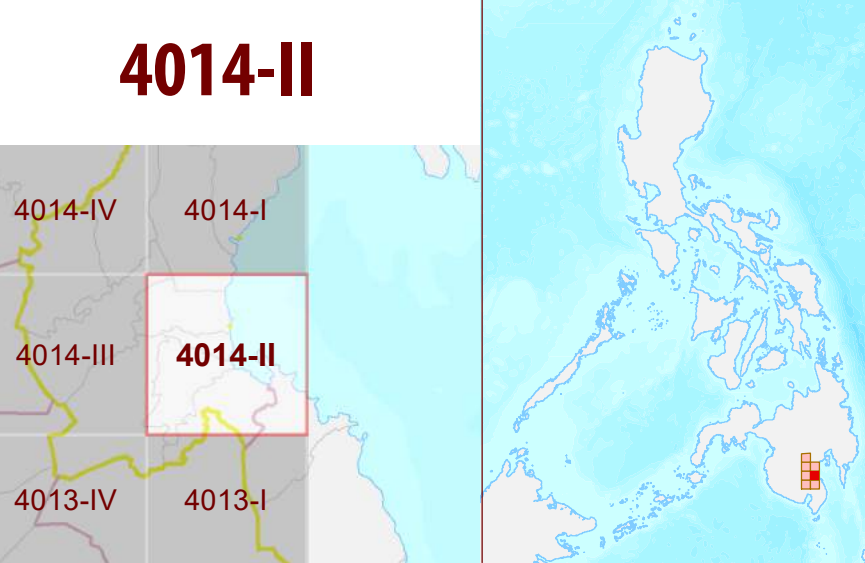
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- ROADS**
 - Expressway
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 - Primary
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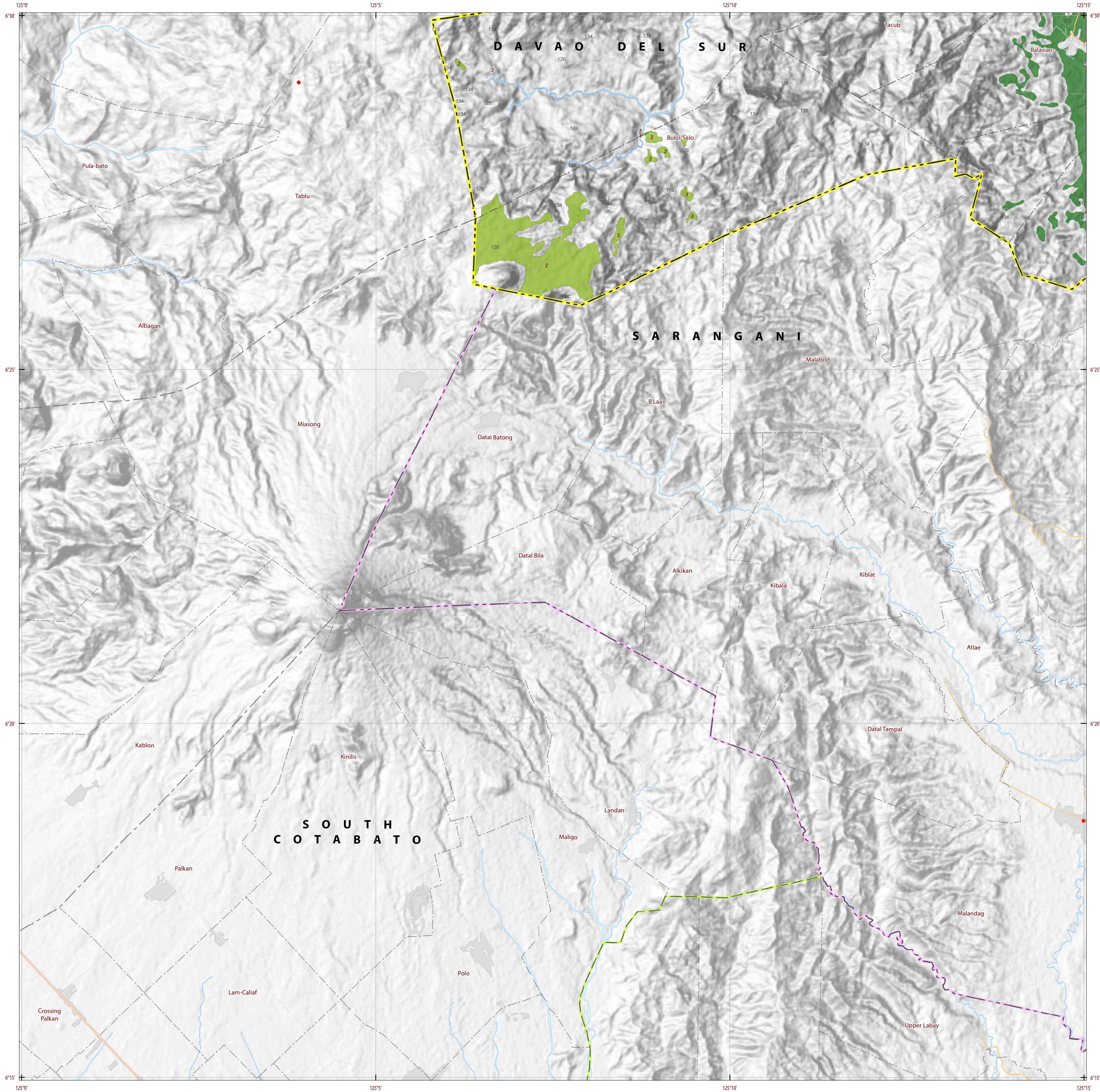
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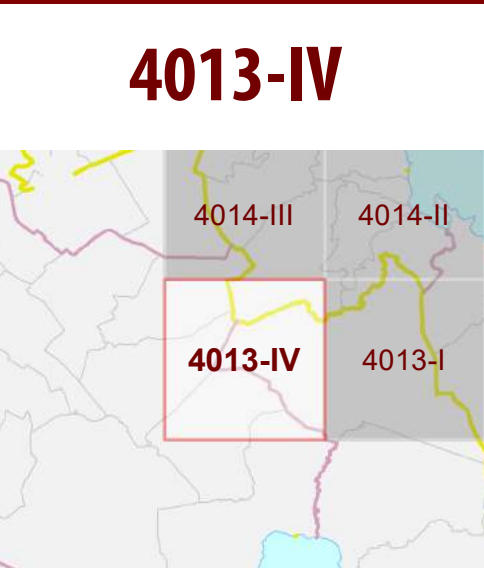
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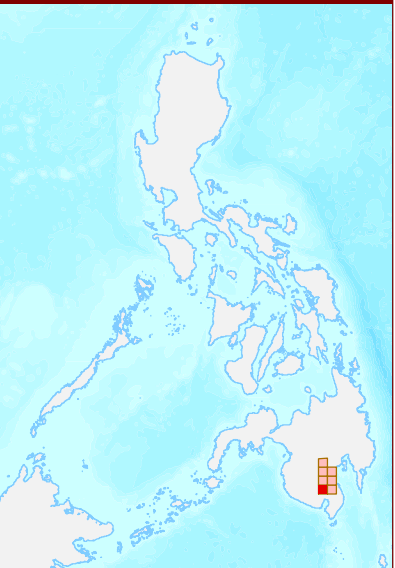
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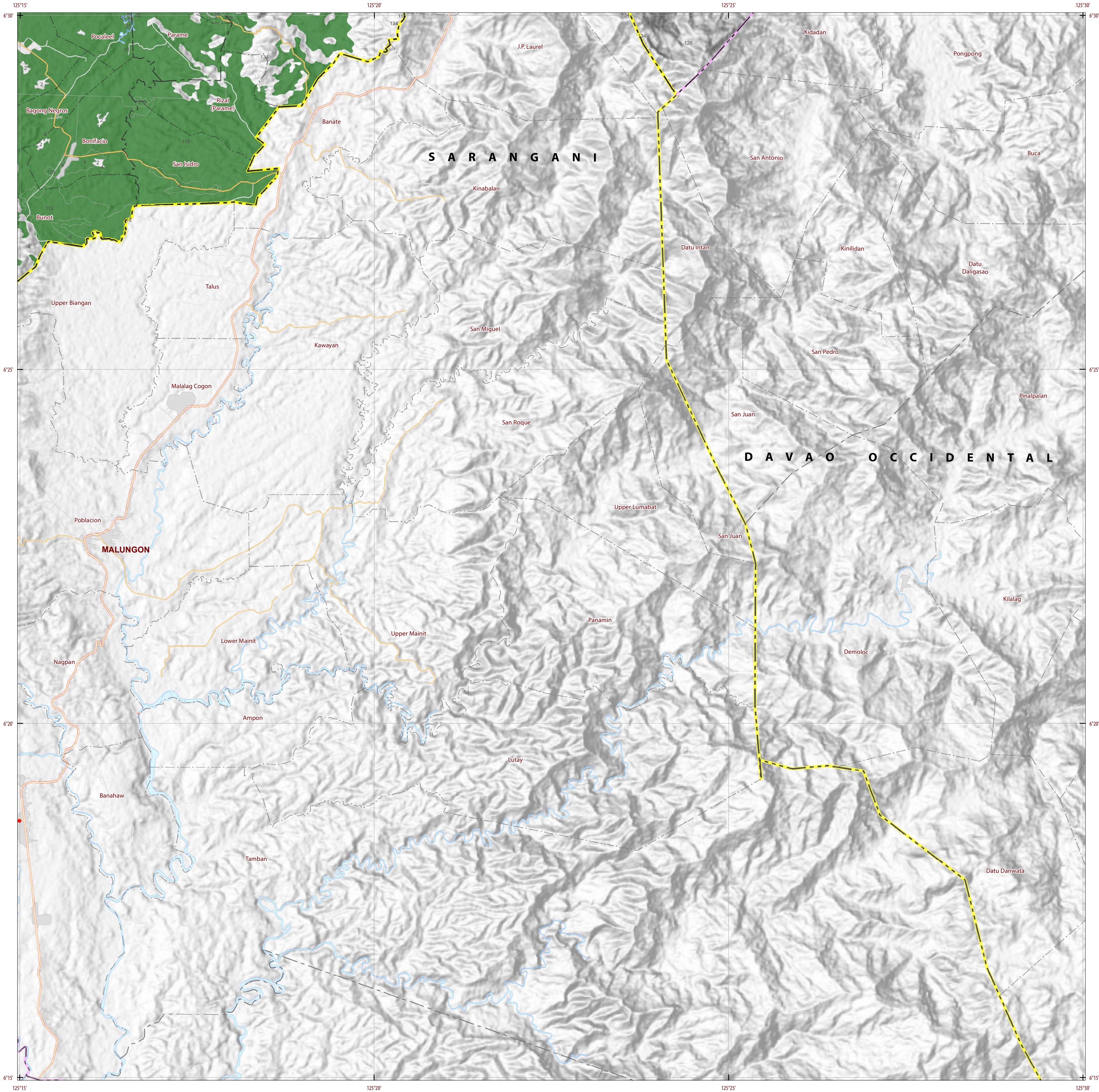
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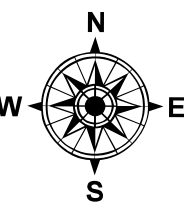
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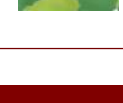
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
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
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
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
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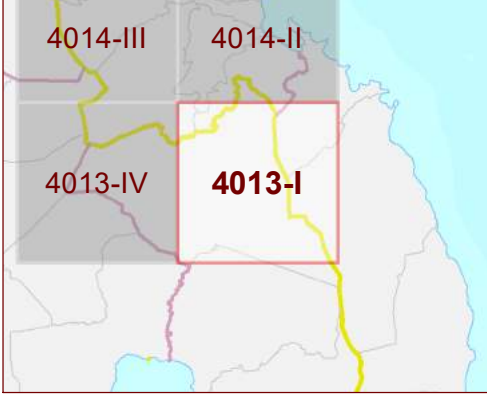
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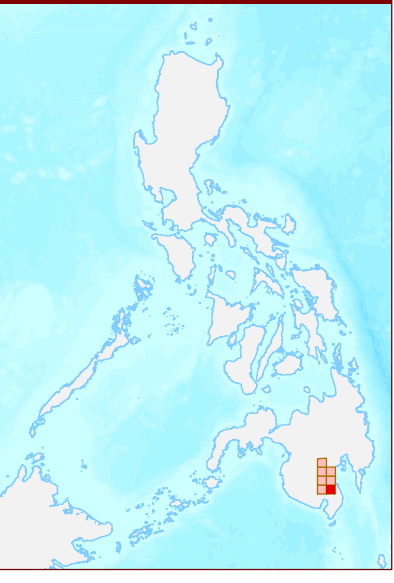
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