

RICE SUITABILITY MAP (Key Rice Areas)

PROVINCE OF ZAMBOANGA SIBUGAY

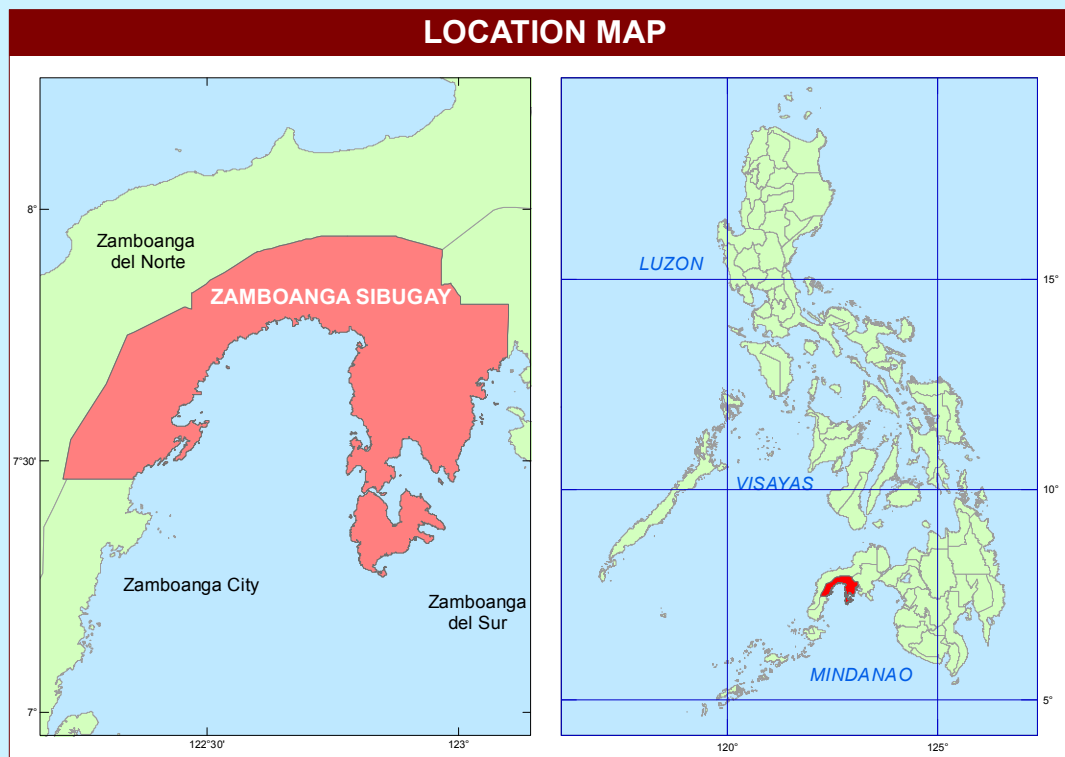
SCALE 1:95,000
0 2 4 6 8 10
Kilometers

Projection : Transverse Mercator
Datum Luzon 1911
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LEGEND					
SUITABILITY RATING	DESCRIPTION	LIMITING FACTORS			AREA
		Moderate	Marginal	Severe	ha %
S1	Highly Suitable	-	-	-	212 1.06
S2d		d	-	-	151 0.76
S2df		d,f	-	-	3,919 19.66
S2f	Moderately Suitable	f	-	-	9,275 46.52
S2x		x	-	-	88 0.44
S2xf		x,f	-	-	3,480 17.45
S3x	Marginally Suitable	d,f	x	-	2,461 12.34
N0x	Not Suitable	f	-	d,x	352 1.77
		TOTAL			19,938 100.00

Note:
Highly Suitable (S1) - with none to slight limitations for any given use. Slight limitations will not significantly reduce productivity or benefit nor raise inputs above an acceptable level.
Moderately Suitable (S2) - with limitations which are moderately severe for sustained application for a given use. Limitations will moderately reduce productivity or benefits. Requires increased input to the extent that the overall advantage to be gained will be inferior to that expected on S1 land.
Marginally Suitable (S3) - with limitations which in aggregate are severe for sustained application of a given use and will significantly reduce productivity or benefits. Limitations will significantly increase required inputs, that this expenditure will only be marginally offset.
Not Suitable (N) - with severe limitations which are difficult to overcome in time or cannot be corrected or currently acceptable cost. Limitations are so severe that prevent successful sustained use of the land in the given manner.

LIMITING FACTORS	RATING ARRANGED IN INCREASING SEVERITY OF LIMITATION			
	Highly Suitable (S1)	Moderately Suitable (S2)	Marginally Suitable (S3)	Not Suitable (N)
Water Availability m - no dry months (<25mm) r - annual average rainfall (mm)	0 - 3 > 1500	4 - 6 1200 - 1500	7 - 9 800 - 1200	> 9 < 800
Temperature Regime t - annual average temperature (°C)	25 - 29	30 - 32 22 - 24	33 - 35 18 - 21	> 35 < 18
Terrain s - slope (%) e - soiliness r - erosion f - flooding	0 - 3 none none - slight slight - moderate	3 - 8 slight - moderate slight - moderate	8 - 18 moderate moderate - severe severe	> 18 severe severe -
Rooting Conditions d - soil drainage class	VPD - SPD C, SC, SL, CL, SL, SCL, SCL	SPD - MWD	WD	SED - ID
x - soil texture	C, SC, SL, CL, SL, SCL, SCL	L, SL, S	SL, LS	S
h - soil depth (cm)	> 50	41 - 50	20 - 40	< 20
Nutrient Availability F - soil fertility	Moderately High to High (H1 - H)	Moderately Low (ML)	Low (L)	-



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

MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION

SOURCES OF INFORMATION - Topographic information taken from NAMRIA Topographic Map at a scale of 1:50,000. Elevation data taken from SRTM 1 arc-second global dataset (2015). Bathymetry information taken from SIO Global Topographic Database. Fertility data gathered through the Bureau of Soils and Water Management (BSWM), National Soil Sampling and Testing for Fertility and Crop Suitability Assessment Project led by the Soil Survey Division (SSD) in 2016.

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