



SORSOGON Mineral Profile

Region: Region V (Bicol)
Province: Sorsogon
Independent City: 0
Component City: 1
Municipality: 14
Barangays: 541
Population (2015 Census):
Total: 792,949
Density: 370/km²
Income Classification: 2nd Class Province
Major economic activities: Agricultural,
Mining, Fishery, Industrial, and
Commercial and Service Centers

Economic Contribution

Php 2.707 Billion or 1.7%
Estimated Gross Regional Domestic Product (GRDP) of Region V from mining and quarrying at constant 2000 prices. It accounted 2.704% Billion with a percentage contribution of 1.7% of the total GRDP of the Region in 2016.

Mining Investments

No Data.

Gross Output

No Data.

Export

No Data.

Employment

No Data.

Taxes and Fees Paid

No Data.

Mineral Resources in the Province

(Estimated Reserves in MT)

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| Iron | - | 69,250 |
| Manganese | - | 3,300 |
| Magnetite Sand | - | 217,123,425 |
| Limestone | - | 27,750,000 |
| Marble | - | 3,750,000 |
| Guano | - | 583 |
| Phosphate rock | - | 614 |
| Red Clay | - | 5,886,250 |
| Pumice | - | 19,329,200 |
| White Clay | - | 1,050 |
| Sulfur | - | 775 |

Social Equity and Development

The Philippine government recognizes the rights and participation of the communities and Indigenous Peoples and ensures the fair and equitable sharing of benefits among the company, the government and host communities

The Philippine government promotes the rational exploration, development, utilization and conservation of mineral resources guided by its commitment to responsible minerals development.



Economic Growth

The Philippine government commits to provide a competitive investment climate and adequate protection of the rights and privileges of mining investors.

Land Area and Mineral Potential

211,901 has
Total land area of Sorsogon in hectares.

0.76% or 1,620.0043 hectares

(as of April 2017)

Percentage of the Sorsogon total land area covered by mining tenements. However, it should be emphasized that said area is still subject to the mandatory relinquishment as provided by law.

Environmental Protection and Rehabilitation

The Philippine government ensures the adequate protection of the environment, before, during mining operations and beyond the life of the mine.

Social Development and Management Program

No Data.

Environmental Protection

No Data.

Mining Forest Program

No Data.

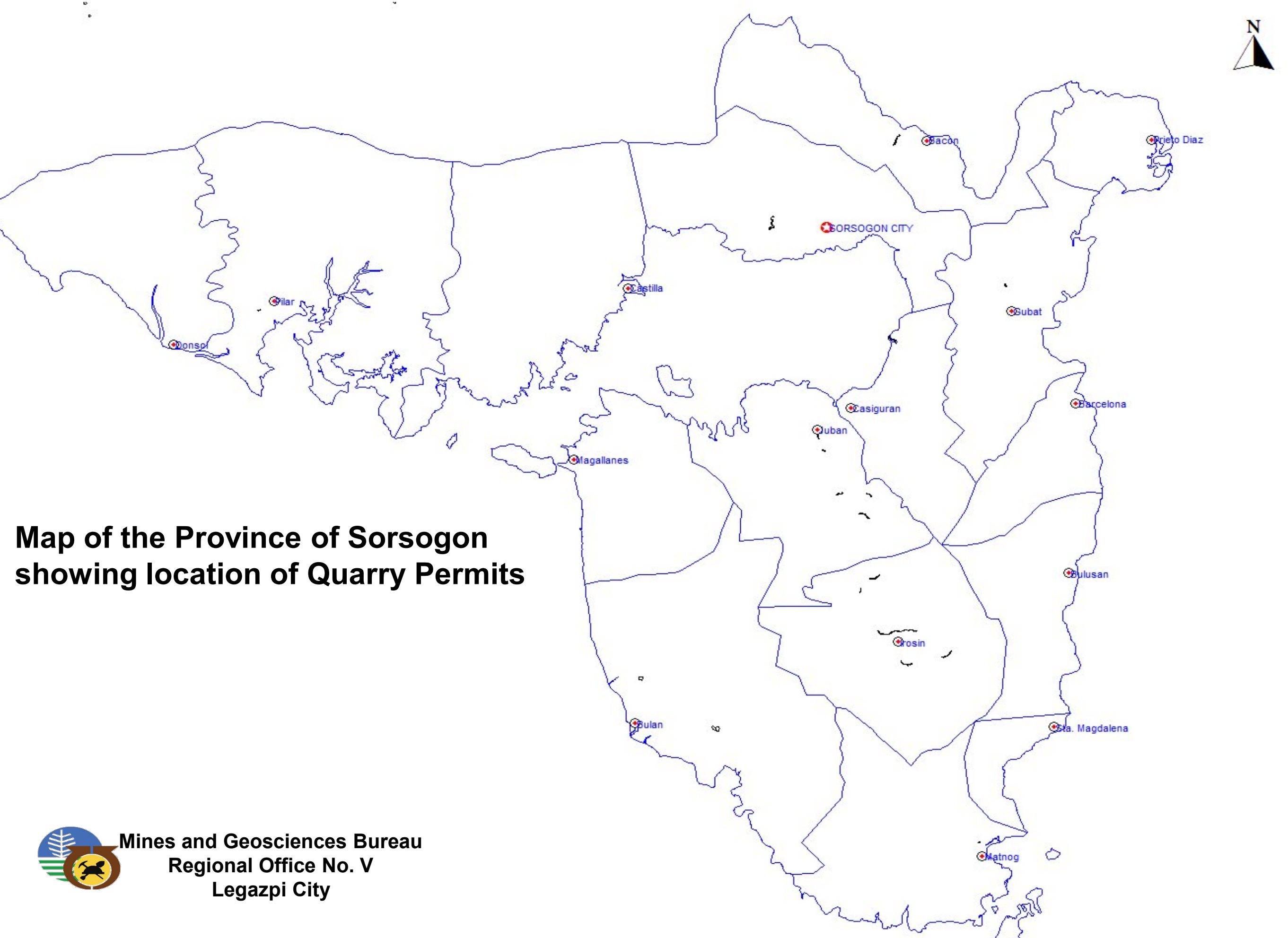
Mineral Resources Development Projects

1 Under Exploration

- EP-013-2011-V (Tomas G. Rañola)

15 LGU Issued Permits

- 5 Quarry Permits
- 9 Commercial Sand and Gravel Permits
- 1 Industrial Sand and Gravel Permit



Map of the Province of Sorsogon showing location of Quarry Permits