



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

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

Land Area

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

Mineral Potential

0.76% or 1,620.0043 hectares
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.

Economic Contribution

Php 3.7 Billion of 2.0%
Estimated Gross Regional Domestic Product (GRDP) of Region V under mining and quarrying for 2018.

Mining Investments

No Data.

Gross Output

No Data.

Export

No Data.

Employment

No Data.

Taxes and Fees Paid

No Data.



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)

Mineral Resources in the Province

(Estimated Reserves in MT)

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

Economic Growth

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

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

Map of the Province of Sorsogon showing location of Quarry Permits

