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Highlights of the Population of Sarangani Province 2020 Census of Population and Housing (2020 CPH)

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- As of 01 May 2020, the population of Sarangani, including Filipinos in Philippine embassies, consulates, and missions abroad is 558,946 persons based on the 2020 Census of Population and Housing (2020 CPH).
- The population for 2020 has increased by 14,685 persons from the population of 544,261 in 2015. While, population in 2020 is higher by 60,042 persons than the population of 498,904 in 2010. (Table 1)

Table 1. Total Population of Sarangani Based on Various Censuses

Census Year	Census Reference Date	Total Population
2010	May 1, 2010	498,904
2015	August 1, 2015	544,261
2020	May 1, 2020	558,946

Sources: *Philippine Statistics Authority, Census of Population and Housing*

- From 2015 to 2020, the population in Sarangani has increased by 0.56% annually. By comparison, the rate wherein the province's population grew from 2015 to 2020 was at the lowest at 0.56%. The annual population increase, however, was higher during the period 2000 to 2010 at 1.97%. (Table 2)

Table 2. Annual Population Growth Rate of Sarangani Based on Various Censuses

Intercensal Period	Annual Population Growth Rate (%)
2000 to 2010	1.97
2010 to 2015	1.67
2015 to 2020	0.56
2010 to 2020	1.14

Sources: *Philippine Statistics Authority, Census of Population and Housing*



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- In terms of population within the region, Sarangani ranked 5th among the provinces/cities, with 558,946 persons in 2020.
- The province of Sarangani is constituted of seven municipalities and is further subdivided into 141 barangays.
- Out of the seven municipalities in the province, Glan is the most populous in 2020 with a population of 109,547. It is followed by Malungon with 105,465 persons and Alabel with 88,294.
- The municipality of Maitum had the smallest population with 44,185. (Table 3)

Table 3. Total Population by Municipality Based on Various Census: Sarangani

Municipality	Total Population			
	2000	2010	2015	2020
Alabel	60,779	75,477	80,359	88,294
Glan	83,051	106,518	118,263	109,547
Kiamba	44,724	54,871	61,058	65,774
Maasim	39,424	52,933	59,468	64,940
Maitum	35,536	41,675	44,595	44,185
Malapatan	53,876	72,386	76,914	80,741
Malungon	93,232	95,044	103,604	105,465

Sources: Philippine Statistics Authority, Census of Population and Housing

- Based on the annual population growth rate (PGR) of Sarangani, the fastest growing municipality is Alabel having a PGR of 2.00% from 2015 to 2020 followed by Maasim with a PGR of 1.87% and Kiamba with 1.58%. (Table 4)

Table 4. Annual Population Growth Rate by Municipality Based on Various Census: Sarangani

Municipality	Annual Population Growth Rate(%)		
	2000 to 2010	2010 to 2015	2015 to 2020
Alabel	2.19	1.20	2.00
Glan	2.52	2.01	-1.60
Kiamba	2.06	2.05	1.58
Maasim	2.99	2.24	1.87
Maitum	1.61	1.30	-0.19

Malapatan	3.00	1.16	1.03
Malungon	0.19	1.65	0.38

Sources: Philippine Statistics Authority, 2020 Census of Population and Housing

- Among the barangays in the province of Sarangani, Barangay Poblacion, Alabel was the most populous barangay with 19,440 persons, followed by Barangay Poblacion, Malapatan with 16,259 persons, then by Barangay Malandag, Malungon (15,975), Barangay Kinam, Malapatan (12,779) and Barangay Poblacion, Kiamba (12,714). (Table 5)

Table 5. Ten Most Populous Barangays in Sarangani: 2020

Rank	Barangay	Municipality	Total Population
1	Poblacion	Alabel	19,440
2	Poblacion	Malapatan	16,259
3	Malandag	Malungon	15,975
4	Kinam	Malapatan	12,779
5	Poblacion	Kiamba	12,714
6	Lun Padidu	Malapatan	12,177
7	Poblacion	Malungon	9,882
8	Alegria	Alabel	8,899
9	Pag-Asa	Alabel	8,463
10	Kablacan	Maasim	8,305

Sources: Philippine Statistics Authority, 2020 Census of Population and Housing

- Barangay Seven Hills in Maasim had the smallest population size with 515 persons. This is followed by Barangay Kling (Lumit), Kiamba with 591 persons, then by Barangay Kibala, Malungon (757), Barangay Datal Bila, Malungon (885) and Barangay Lebe, Kiamba (1,025). (Table 6)

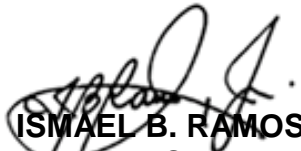
Table 6. Ten Least Populous Barangays in Sarangani: 2020

Rank	Barangay	Municipality	Total Population
1	Seven Hills	Maasim	515
2	Kling (Lumit)	Kiamba	591
3	Kibala	Malungon	757
4	Datal Bila	Malungon	885
5	Lebe	Kiamba	1,025
6	Batotuling	Glan	1,041


7	Bati-an	Maitum	1,069
8	Pangi (Linao)	Maitum	1,122
9	Kiambing	Maitum	1,177
10	New La Union	Maitum	1,193

Sources: Philippine Statistics Authority, 2020 Census of Population and Housing

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