### CAPIZ

### **Mineral Profile**

### I. GENERAL INFORMATION

Region: WESTERN VISAYAS (Region VI)
Province: Capiz
Population (as of August 1, 2015; in thousand): 2,384
Income classification: 1<sup>st</sup> Class Province
Major economic activities: Farming and fishing

The Province of Capiz is located at the northeastern portion of Panay Island, bordering Aklan and Antique to the west and Iloilo to the South. Capiz faces the Sibuyan Sea to the North.

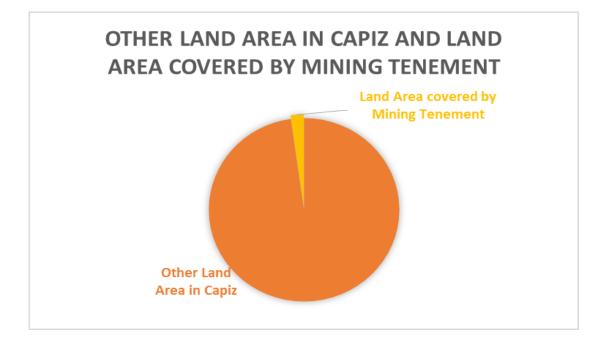
Capiz is composed of one component city known as its capital, 16 municipalities, further subdivided into 590 barangays.

### II. LAND AREA AND MINERAL POTENTIAL

Total land area of the province of Capiz is 263,371 hectares. The total area covered by the approved mining rights is only 2.26% or 5,957.5233 hectares of the total land area of Capiz.

# Number of Mining Rights Issued by National Government in Capiz

TYPE OF MINING RIGHT	NUMBER	AREA
Mineral Production Sharing Agreements (MPSA)	2	5,888.0115 has.
Commercial Sand and Gravel (CSAG) Permit	10	31.8315 has.
Quarry Permit (QP)	31	37.6803 has.
TOTAL	43	5,957.5233 has.



### **III. MINERAL RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS**

The province has no operating mining company. All mining companies are under exploration. Teresa Marble Corporation (MPSA No. 107-98-VI) and Parvisgold, Inc. (MPSA No. 129-98-VI) explore minerals like copper and gold. Other permit issued are for the extraction of sand and gravel.

	Mining Projects/Operators/Permit Holder
Gold and copper	Teresa Marble Corporation
	Parvisgold, Inc.
Sand and Gravel	Claire H. Funcion Gerard O. Balgos Richard F. Biaco Marina L. Deloso Pablito F. Faco Albert F. Fajardo Meneleo V. Fajardo Eva F. Fellores Rodelo F. Floro Lilia L. Fulgia Victoria P. Olmedo Fernando Ramon D. Salcedo Cornelio F. Sanchez, Jr. Lucio F. Gequillo Jeremias H. Abalecio Teodoro Edrosolano, Sr. Estrelita M. Bayog

Lydia D. Adricula Rosana T. Clerigo Edgardo P. Dadivas, Jr. Marites L. Dasilag Rodilyn D. Datar Salcedo A. Dayalo Vanessa A. Deocampo Edmund P. Durias Paula D. Pionelo Nenita B. Baquilar Angelyn G. Dinero Allan G. Faunillo Benjie G. Gicole Nestor G. Gloria Oscar A.V. Acolentaba Anita L. Alianza Mark Anthony Almalbis Gregorio A. Arcenas Hannah O. Arcenas **Ricardo A. Arcenas Ricardo A. Arcenas** Hannibal Zennon D. Ong Nerry Joachim D. Ong Hyacinth O. Viterbo

#### **Ordinary Earth**

## IV. ECONOMIC CONTRIBUTION

# > PRODUCTION

Mineral Commodity	Quantity	Value (PhP)
Sand and Gravel	18,280.00 Cu. M	2,041,560.00
Ordinary Earth	56,821.65 MT	19,603,808.25

## EMPLOYMENT

Based on the LGU-issued permits of the province of Capiz, there is a total of 162 employees, 124 (76.5%) of which are male and 38 (23.5%) are female.

The role of mining when it comes to employment generation whether direct or indirect in the rural areas cannot be overly emphasized.

# > TAXES PAID

- Total amount occupational fee paid by the Parvisgold, Inc. and Teresa Marble Corporation amounted to PhP 651,475.00.
- The municipalities where the company explores for copper and gold are Maayon, Dumarao, Pontevedra and President Roxas.

Note: All other LGU remittances from permittees are yet to be submitted.