



SPECIAL RELEASE

Highlights of the 2020 Census of Population and Housing (CPH) Municipality of Caramoran

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Caramoran reaches 32, 114 population in 2020

Based on the results of 2020 Census of Population and Housing, Caramoran reached 32, 114 population count, accounting to 11.81 percent of the total population in the province. Caramoran also was the third most populous municipality in the province in 2020.

The 2020 population of Caramoran is higher by 2, 058 persons from the population of 30, 056 in 2015. This was also more than 4, 051 persons compared with the population of 28, 063 in 2010. (Table 1)

Census Year	Census Reference Date	Total Population
2000	1 May 2000	23,790
2010	1 May 2010	28,063
2015	15 August 2015	30,056
2020	1 May 2020	32,114

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, Census of Population and Housing

Annual growth rate in Caramoran registers at 1.40% in 2020

Population in municipality of Caramoran increased by 1.40 percent annually from 2015-2020. By comparison, the rate at which the municipality's population grew from 2010 to 2015 was lower at 1.31 percent. (Table 2)

Intercensal Period	Annual Population Growth Rate (%)
2000-2010	1.66
2010-2015	1.31
2015-2020	1.40

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, Census of Population and Housing

Household population in Caramoran records at 32, 072 persons in 2020

Household population in municipality of Caramoran was recorded at 32, 072 persons in 2020. This registered an increase of 2, 055 persons compared to recorded 30, 017 household population in 2015. (Table 3)

Number of households in municipality of Caramoran was recorded at 6, 573 in 2020 registering an increase of 680 households from recorded 5, 893 households in 2015. (Table 3)

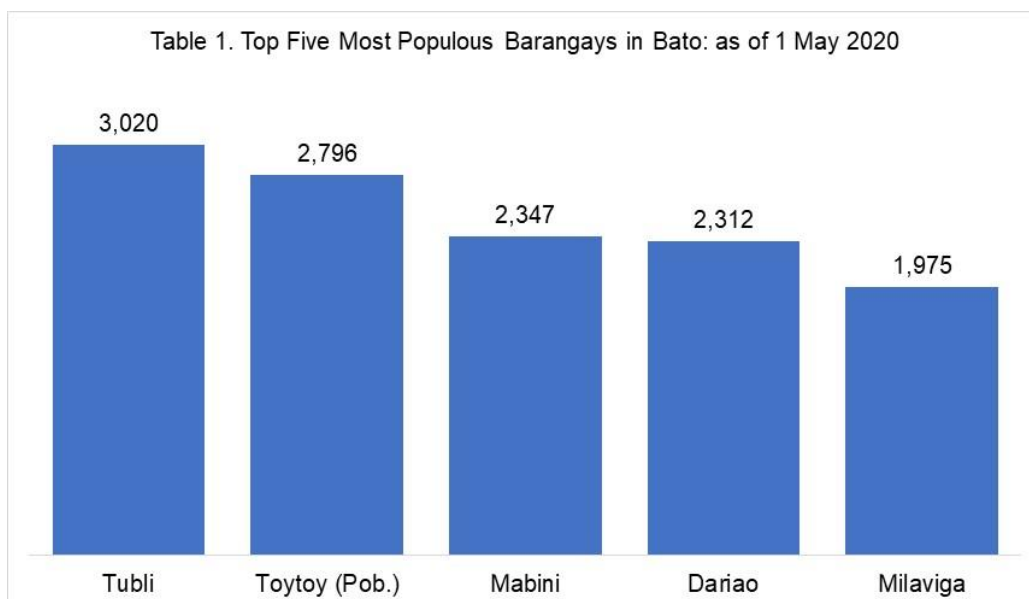
Average household size was registered at 4.9 persons per household in 2020 which registered a decrease of 0.2 percent in recorded 5.1 persons per household in 2015. (Table 3)

Census Year	Census Reference Date	Household Population	Number of Households	Average Household Size
2015	15 August 2015	30,017	5,893	5.1
2020	1 May 2020	32,072	6,573	4.9

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, Census of Population and Housing

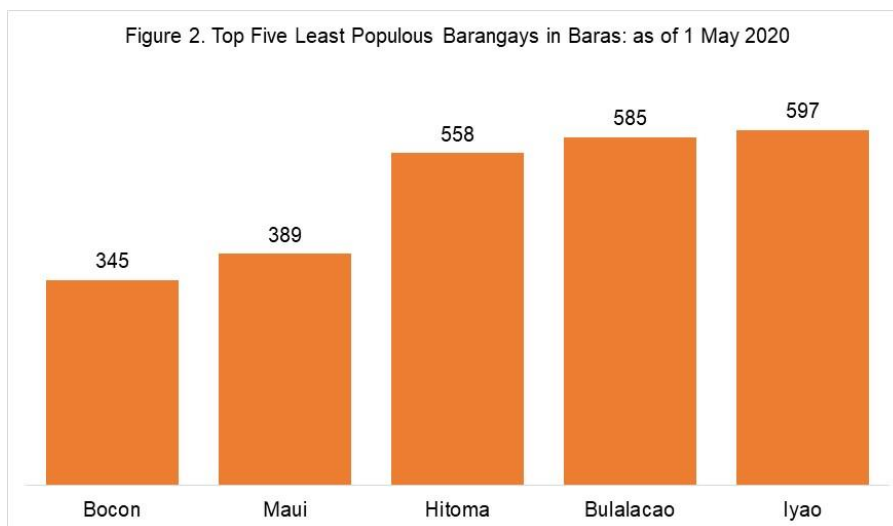
Tubli is the most populous barangay in Caramoran in 2020

Of the 27 barangays in municipality of Caramoran, Tubli had the biggest population with 3, 020 in 2020. This comprises about 9.40 percent out of the total population in Caramoran in 2020. It was followed by barangays Toytoy (Pob.), Mabini, Dariao and Milaviga with 2, 796; 2, 347; 2, 312; and 1, 975 persons respectively in 2020. (Figure 1)



Bocon is the least populous barangay in Caramoran in 2020

Meanwhile, Bocon was the least populous barangay in municipality of Caramoran in 2020 with only 345. This comprises about only 1.07 percent out of the total population in Caramoran in 2020. It was followed by barangays Maui with 389, Hitoma with 558, Bulalacao with 585 and Iyao with 597. (Figure 2)



Caramoran has the fourth least population density in Catanduanes in 2020

Municipality of Caramoran had the fourth least population density in Catanduanes in 2020 registered at 122 persons per square kilometer. An increase of 2.2 percent was noted in population density of Bato from the recorded 438 in 2015. (Table 4 and Table 5)

Province/Municipality	Population Density
Catanduanes	182
Bagamanoc	137
Baras	123
Bato	447
Caramoran	122
Gigmoto	48
Pandan	179
Panganiban	121
San Andres	230
San Miguel	121
Viga	145
Virac	502

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, Census of Population and Housing

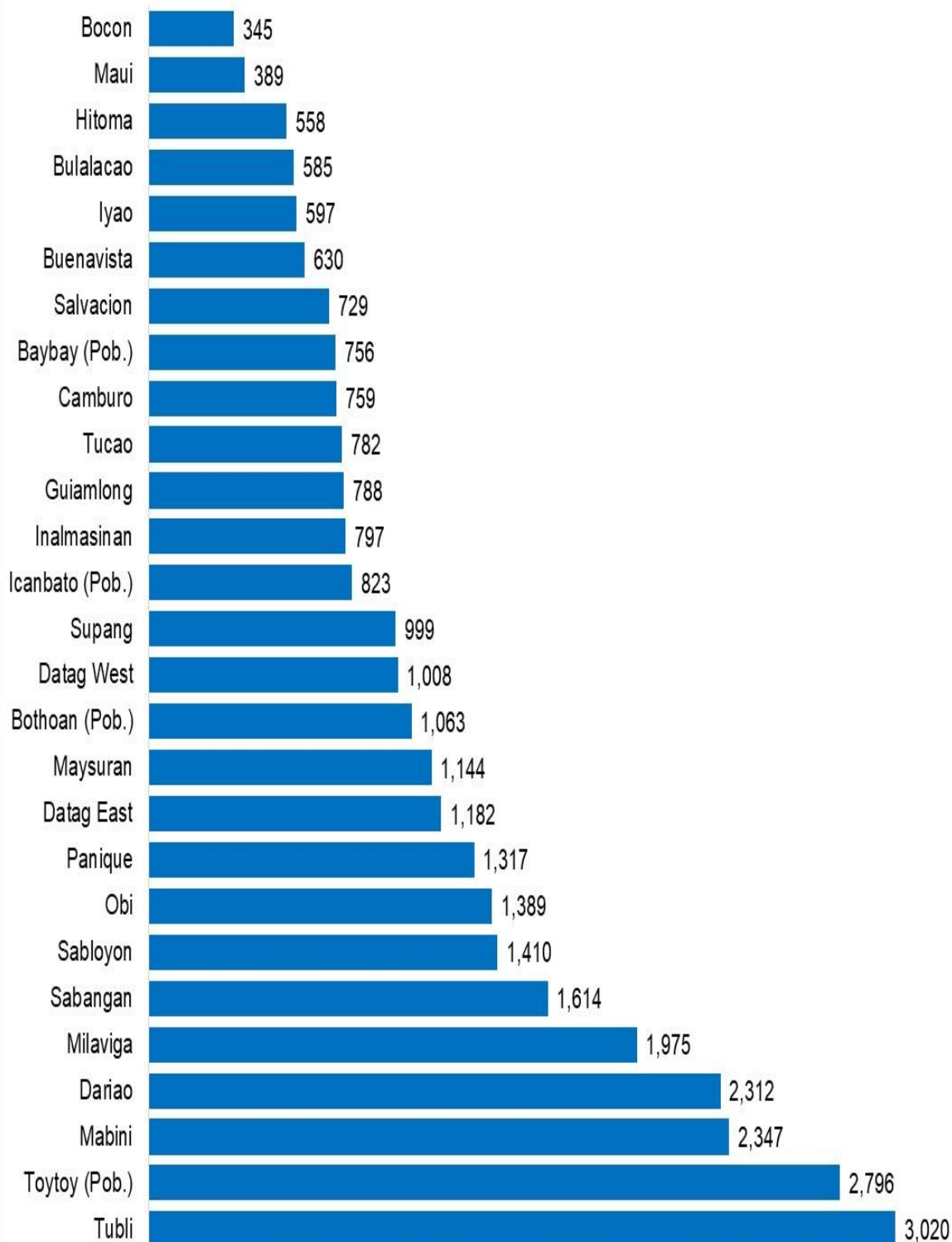
Notes: Population Density refers to the number of persons per unit of land area (usually in square kilometer). This measure is more meaningful if given as population per unit of arable land.

Table 5. Population, Land Area, Population Density, and Percent Change in Population Density, Caramoran: 2010, 2015, and 2020

Municipality	Population			Land Area (square kilometers)	Population Density (persons per square kilometer)			Percent Change in Population Density		
	2010	2015	2020		2010	2015	2020	2010-2015	2010-2020	2015-2020
Caramoran	28,063	30,056	32,114	263.74	106	114	122	7.1	14.4	6.8

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, Census of Population and Housing

Figure 3. Total Population per Barangay in Caramoran, as of 1 May 2020



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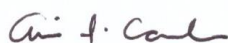
The 2020 CPH was undertaken by the Philippine Statistics Authority pursuant to Republic Act No. 10625, also known as the Philippine Statistical Act of 2013, Executive Order No. 352 – Designation of Statistical Activities That Will Generate Critical Data for Decision-Making of the Government and the Private Sector, and Batas Pambansa (BP) Bilang 72, which provide the basis for the decennial conduct of the integrated census of population and housing.

May 2020 was declared as the National Census Month pursuant to Proclamation No. 928, s. 2020, which provided that the 2020 CPH be conducted in May 2020, with 01 May 2020 as the census reference date. Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, 2020 Census of Population and Housing.

However, in light of the Coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) pandemic, the census enumeration was moved to September 2020. Information on the count of the population was collected with 12:01 AM of 01 May 2020 as the reference time and date, in accordance with the provisions indicated under BP 72.

President Rodrigo Roa Duterte has declared official for all purposes the population counts by province, city/municipality, and barangay based on the 2020 CPH under Proclamation No. 1179 dated 06 July 2021. The population counts were based on census questionnaires administered by about 112,000 enumerators deployed during the nationwide census taking.

The successful completion of the census-taking amidst the COVID-19 pandemic would not have been possible without the cooperation and support of the census respondents and barangay officials nationwide. The PSA would also like to thank the members of the national and local census coordinating boards, officials of national government agencies and local government units, media practitioners, private agencies, non-government organizations, homeowners' associations, building administrators, and all other census stakeholders. Credits also go to the hundreds of enumerators, supervisors, and other census workers hired by the PSA for the 2020 CPH.



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