Region XII (SOCCSKSARGEN) is located in Central Mindanao. It is surrounded by the bays of Sarangani, Ilanal and Paguil, as well as the Moro Gulf and Celebes Sea. The region includes the provinces of Cotabato, South Cotabato, Sultan Kudarat and Sarangani, and Cotobato City, General Santos City and the provinces of Cotobato, South Cotobato, Sultan Kudarat and as well as the Moro Gulf and Celebes Sea. The region includes Region XII (SOCCSKSARGEN) is located in Central Mindanao.

Population statistics trend

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Malnutrition

- Stunting: 43%
- Underweight: 25%
- Wasting: 7%

Poverty incidence among population (%)

- 2010: 45.7%
- 2012: 43.3%
- 2015: 37.3%

NUTRITION

Food insecurity

- 80% Household
- 50% Mother
- 36% Children

WASH

Water supply

- Per Capita: 71%
- Per Household: 41%
- Per Barangay: 6%

EDUCATION

Functional literacy rate

- 78%

SHELTER

Housing tenure

- 78%
- 80%
- 13.6%
- 1.5%