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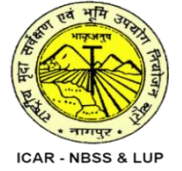
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## PREFACE

In Karnataka, as in other Indian States, the livelihoods of rural people are intertwined with farming pursuits. The challenges in agriculture are seriously threatening the livelihood of a large number of farmers as they have been practicing farming in contextual factors beyond their control. Climatic factors are the most important ones and have become much more significant in recent times due to rapid climate changes induced by intensive anthropogenic activities affecting our ecosystem in multiple ways. Climate change has become the reality, it is happening and efforts to evolve and demonstrate climate resilient technologies have become essential. Due to the already over stressed scenario of agrarian sector, the climate change is resulting in manifold increase in the complexities, pushing the rural mass to face more and more unpredictable situations. The rising temperatures and unpredictable rainfall patterns are going to test seriously the informed decisions farmers have to make in order to survive in farming and sustain their livelihood.

It is generally recognized that impacts of climate change shall not be uniform across the globe. It is said that impact of climate change is more severe in South Asia. Based on the analysis of meteorological data, it is predicted that in India, there will be upward trend in mean temperature, downward trend in relative humidity, annual rainfall and number of wet days in a year. Also, in general, phenomena like erratic monsoon, spread of tropical diseases, rise in sea levels, changes in availability of fresh water, frequent floods, droughts, heat waves, storms and hurricanes are predicted. Each one of these adverse situations are already being experienced in various parts of India and also at the global level. Decline in agricultural productivity of small and marginal farmers becoming more vulnerable is already witnessed.

In Karnataka, more than 60 per cent of the population live in rural areas and depend on agriculture and allied activities for their livelihood. Though the state has achieved significant progress in increasing the yield of many crops, there is tremendous pressure on the land resources due to the growing and competing demands of various land uses. This is reflected in the alarming rate of land degradation observed. Already more than 50 per cent of the area is affected by various forms of degradation. If this trend continues, the sustainability of the fragile ecosystem will be badly affected. The adverse effects of change in the climatic factors are putting additional stress on the land resources and the farmers dependent on this.

The natural resources (land, water and vegetation) of the state need adequate and constant care and management, backed by site-specific technological interventions and investments particularly by the government. Detailed database pertaining to the nature of

the land resources, their constraints, inherent potentials and suitability for various land based rural enterprises, crops and other uses is a prerequisite for preparing location-specific action plans, which are in tune with the inherent capability of the resources. Any effort to evolve climate resilient technologies has to be based on the baseline scientific database. Then only one can expect effective implementation of climate resilient technologies, monitor the progress, make essential review of the strategy, and finally evaluate the effectiveness of the implemented programs. The information available at present on the land resources of the state are of general nature and useful only for general purpose planning. Since the need of the hour is to have site-specific information suitable for farm level planning and detailed characterization and delineation of the existing land resources of an area into similar management units is the only option.

ICAR-NBSS&LUP, Regional Centre, Bangalore has taken up a project sponsored by the Karnataka Watershed Development Project-II, (Sujala-III), Government of Karnataka funded by the World Bank under Component -1 Land Resource Inventory. This study was taken up to demonstrate the utility of such a database in reviewing, monitoring and evaluating all the land based watershed development programs on a scientific footing. To meet the requirements of various land use planners at grassroots level, the present study on “Land Resource Inventory and Socio-Economic Status of Farm Households for Watershed Planning and Development of for Bhanapur microwatershed in Koppal Taluk and District, Karnataka” for integrated development was taken up in collaboration with the State Agricultural Universities, IISC, KRSRAC, KSNDMC as Consortia partners. The project provides detailed land resource information at cadastral level (1:7920 scale) for all the plots and socio-economic status of farm households covering thirty per cent farmers randomly selected representing landed and landless class of farmers in the microwatershed. The project report with the accompanying maps for the microwatershed will provide required detailed database for evolving effective land use plan, alternative land use options and conservation plans for the planners, administrators, agricultural extension personnel, KVK officials, developmental departments and other land users to manage the land resources in a sustainable manner.

It is hoped that this database will be useful to the planners, administrators and developmental agencies working in the area in not only for formulating location specific developmental schemes but also for their effective monitoring at the village/watershed level.

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## **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

*The land resource inventory of Bhanapur microwatershed was conducted using village cadastral maps and IRS satellite imagery on 1:7920 scale. The false colour composites of IRS imagery were interpreted for physiography and these physiographic delineations were used as base for mapping soils. The soils were studied in several transects and a soil map was prepared with phases of soil series as mapping units. Random checks were made all over the area outside the transects to confirm and validate the soil map unit boundaries. The soil map shows the geographic distribution and extent, characteristics, classification, behavior and use potentials of the soils in the Microwatershed.*

*The present study covers an area of 575 ha in Koppal taluk and district, Karnataka. The climate is semiarid and categorized as drought - prone with an average annual rainfall of 662 mm, of which about 424 mm is received during south –west monsoon, 161 mm during north-east and the remaining 77 mm during the rest of the year. An area of about 96 per cent is covered by soil, 3 per cent by water bodies, settlements and <1 per cent by Railway. The salient findings from the land resource inventory are summarized briefly below.*

- ❖ *The soils belong to 14 soil series and 25 soil phases (management units) and 7 land management units.*
- ❖ *The length of crop growing period is <90 days and starts from 2<sup>nd</sup> week of August to 2<sup>nd</sup> week of November.*
- ❖ *From the master soil map, several interpretative and thematic maps like land capability, soil depth, surface soil texture, soil gravelliness, available water capacity, soil slope and soil erosion were generated.*
- ❖ *Soil fertility status maps for macro and micronutrients were generated based on the surface soil samples collected at every 320 m grid interval.*
- ❖ *Land suitability for growing 31 major agricultural and horticultural crops were assessed and maps showing the degree of suitability along with constraints were generated.*
- ❖ *Entire area is suitable for agriculture.*
- ❖ *About 10 per cent of the soils are shallow (25-50cm), 51 per cent of the soils are moderately shallow (50-75 cm), 15 per cent moderately deep (75- 100 cm) and 21 per cent is deep (100-150cm) soils.*
- ❖ *About 7 per cent of the soils are sandy (loamy sand), 58 per cent loamy (sandy loam and sandy clay loam) and 32 per cent has clayey (sandy clay and clay) soils at the surface.*
- ❖ *About 24 per cent of the area has non-gravelly (<15%), 37 per cent gravelly (15-35%) soils, 34 per cent has very gravelly soils (35-60 % gravel) and 2 per cent has extremely gravelly (60-80%) soils.*

- ❖ *With respect to available water capacity 52 per cent of the area has very low (<50mm/m), 19 per cent of the area has low (51-100 mm/m), 10 per cent medium (101-150 mm/m) and 16 per cent area is very high (>200mm/m) in available water capacity.*
- ❖ *An area of about <1 per cent has nearly level (0-1%), 88 per cent has very gently sloping (1-3%) and 8 per cent has gently sloping (3-5%) lands.*
- ❖ *An area of about 21 per cent is slightly eroded (e1) and 76 per cent is moderately eroded (e2).*
- ❖ *An area of about 8 per cent is moderately acid (pH 5.5 to 6.0), 17 per cent is slightly acid (pH 6.0 to 6.5), 34 per cent is neutral (pH 6.5 to 7.3), 36 per cent is slightly alkaline (pH 7.3 to 7.8) and 1 per cent strongly alkaline (pH 8.4-9.0).*
- ❖ *The Electrical Conductivity (EC) of the soils are <2 dsm<sup>-1</sup> indicating that soils are non saline.*
- ❖ *Organic carbon is low (<0.5%) in 6 per cent, 77 per cent medium (0.5-0.75%) and 14 per cent is high (>0.75%).*
- ❖ *Available phosphorus is low (<23 kg/ha) in <1 per cent, medium (<23 kg/ha) in 40 per cent and high (>57 kg/ha) in 56 per cent area of the soils.*
- ❖ *Available potassium is medium (145-337 kg/ha) in 73 per cent and high (>337 kg/ha) in 24 per cent area of the soils.*
- ❖ *Available sulphur is low (<10 ppm) in 73 per cent and medium (10-20 ppm) in 23 per cent area of the soils.*
- ❖ *Available boron is low (<0.5 ppm) in 73 per cent and medium (0.5-1.0 ppm) in 24 per cent area of the microwatershed.*
- ❖ *Available iron is deficient (<4.5ppm) in 28 per cent and sufficient (>4.5 ppm) in 68 per cent of the area.*
- ❖ *Available zinc is deficient (<0.6 ppm) in 89 per cent and sufficient (>0.6 ppm) in 8 per cent area of the microwatershed.*
- ❖ *Available manganese and copper are sufficient in the entire area.*
- ❖ *The land suitability for 31 major agricultural and horticultural crops grown in the microwatershed was assessed and the areas that are highly suitable (class S1) and moderately suitable (class S2) are given below. It is however to be noted that a given soil may be suitable for various crops but what specific crop to be grown may be decided by the farmer looking to his capacity to invest on various inputs, marketing infrastructure, market price, and finally the demand and supply position.*

**Land suitability for various crops in the microwatershed**

Crop	Suitability Area in ha (%)		Crop	Suitability Area in ha (%)	
	Highly suitable (S1)	Moderately suitable (S2)		Highly suitable (S1)	Moderately suitable (S2)
Sorghum	21(4)	197(34)	Sapota	21(4)	67(12)
Maize	21(4)	197(34)	Pomegranate	21(4)	185(32)
Bajra	60(10)	401(70)	Guava	21(4)	67(12)
Redgram	21(4)	175(30)	Jackfruit	21(4)	67(12)
Bengal gram	-	118(21)	Jamun	-	30(5)
Groundnut	-	334(58)	Musambi	21(4)	185(32)
Sunflower	21 (4)	175(30)	Lime	21(4)	185(32)
Cotton	-	196(34)	Cashew	21(4)	67(12)
Chilli	21(4)	197(34)	Custard apple	60(10)	401(70)
Tomato	21(4)	79(14)	Amla	60(10)	283(49)
Brinjal	21(4)	79(14)	Tamarind	-	30(5)
Onion	21(4)	79(14)	Marigold	21(4)	197(34)
Bhendi	21(4)	197(34)	Chrysanthemum	21(4)	197 (34)
Drumstick	21(4)	67(12)	Jasmine	21(4)	79(14)
Mulberry	21(4)	67(12)	Crossandra	21(4)	79(14)
Mango	-	30(5)	-	-	-

- ❖ *Apart from the individual crop suitability, a proposed crop plan has been prepared for the 7 identified LMUs by considering only the highly and moderately suitable lands for different crops and cropping systems with food, fodder, fibre and other horticulture crops.*
- ❖ *Maintaining soil-health is vital for crop production and conserve soil and land resource base for maintaining ecological balance and to mitigate climate change. For this, several ameliorative measures have been suggested to these problematic soils like saline/alkali, highly eroded, sandy soils etc.,*
- ❖ *Soil and water conservation and drainage line treatment plans have been prepared that would help in identifying the sites to be treated and also the type of structures required.*
- ❖ *As part of the greening programme, several tree species have been suggested to be planted in marginal and submarginal lands, field bunds and also in the hillocks, mounds and ridges. That would help in supplementing the farm income, provide fodder and fuel, and generate lot of biomass which in turn would help in maintaining the ecological balance and contribute to mitigating the climate change.*





## **INTRODUCTION**

Land is a scarce resource and basic unit for any material production. It can support the needs of the growing population, provided they use the land in a rational and judicious manner. But what is happening in many areas of the state is a cause for concern to everyone involved in the management of land resources at the grassroots level. The area available for agriculture is about 51 per cent of the total area and more than 60 per cent of the people are still dependant on agriculture for their livelihood. The limited land area is under severe stress and strain due to increasing population pressure and competing demands of various land uses. Due to this, every year there is significant diversion of farm lands and water resources for non-agricultural purposes. Apart from this, due to lack of interest in farmers for farming, large tracts of cultivable lands are turning into fallows in many areas and this trend is continuing at an alarming rate.

Further, land degradation has emerged as a serious problem which has already affected about 38 lakh ha of cultivated area in the state. Soil erosion alone has degraded about 35 lakh ha. Almost all the uncultivated areas are facing various degrees of degradation, particularly soil erosion. Salinity and alkalinity has emerged as a major problem in more than 3.5 lakh ha in the irrigated areas of the state. Nutrient depletion and declining factor productivity is common in both rainfed and irrigated areas. The degradation is continuing at an alarming rate and there appears to be no systematic effort among the stakeholders to contain this process. In recent times, an aberration of weather due to climate change phenomenon has added another dimension leading to unpredictable situations to be tackled by the farmers.

In this critical juncture, the challenge before us is not only to increase the productivity per unit area which is steadily declining and showing a fatigue syndrome, but also to prevent or at least reduce the severity of degradation. If the situation is not reversed at the earliest, then the sustainability of the already fragile crop production system and the overall ecosystem will be badly affected in the state. The continued neglect and unscientific use of the resources for a long time has led to the situation observed at present in the state. It is a known fact and established beyond doubt by many studies in the past that the cause for all kinds of degradation is the neglect and irrational use of the land resources. Hence, there is urgent need to generate a detailed site-specific farm level database on various land resources for all the villages/watersheds in a time bound manner that would help to protect the valuable soil and land resources and also to stabilize the farm production.

Therefore, the land resource inventory required for farm level planning is the one which investigates not only the surface but also consider the other parameters which are critical for productivity *viz.*, soils, climate, water, minerals and rocks, topography, geology, hydrology, vegetation, crops, land use pattern, animal population, socio-

economic conditions, infrastructure, marketing facilities and various schemes and developmental works of the government etc. From the data collected at farm level, the specific problems and potentials of the area can be identified and highlighted, conservation measures required for the area can be planned on a scientific footing, suitability of the area for various uses can be worked out and finally viable and sustainable land use options suitable for each and every land holding can be prescribed.

The Land Resource Inventory is basically done for identifying potential and problem areas, developing sustainable land use plans, estimation of surface run off and water harvesting potential, preparation of soil and water conservation plans, land degradation/desertification etc. The Bureau is presently engaged in developing an LRI methodology using high resolution satellite remote sensing data and Digital Elevation Model (DEM) data to prepare Landscape Ecological Units (LEU) map representing agro-ecosystem as a whole. The LEU is preferred over landform as the base map for LRI. LEU is the assemblage of landform, slope and land use. An attempt was made to upscale the soil resource information from 1:250000 and 1:50000 scale to the LEU map in Goa and other states.

The land resource inventory aims to provide site-specific database for Bhanapur Microwatershed in Koppal Taluk, Koppal District, Karnataka State for the Karnataka Watershed Development Department. The database was generated by using cadastral map of the village as a base along with high resolution IRS LISS IV and Cartosat-1 merged satellite imagery. Later, an attempt will be made to uplink this LRI data generated at 1:7920 scale under Sujala-III Project to the proposed Landscape Ecological Units (LEUs) map.

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## GEOGRAPHICAL SETTING

### 2.1 Location and Extent

The Bhanapur micro-watershed is located in the central part of Karnataka in Koppal taluk and district (Fig 2.1). It lies between  $15^{\circ} 4'$  and  $15^{\circ} 37'$  North latitudes and  $76^{\circ} 01'$  and  $76^{\circ} 03'$  East longitudes and covers an area of about 575 ha. It comprises parts of Thalabala, Thalakalla and Banapura villages. It is about 14 km from Koppal town and is bounded by Banapura on the east, Thalabala on the west and north and Thalakalla on the southern side of the microwatershed.

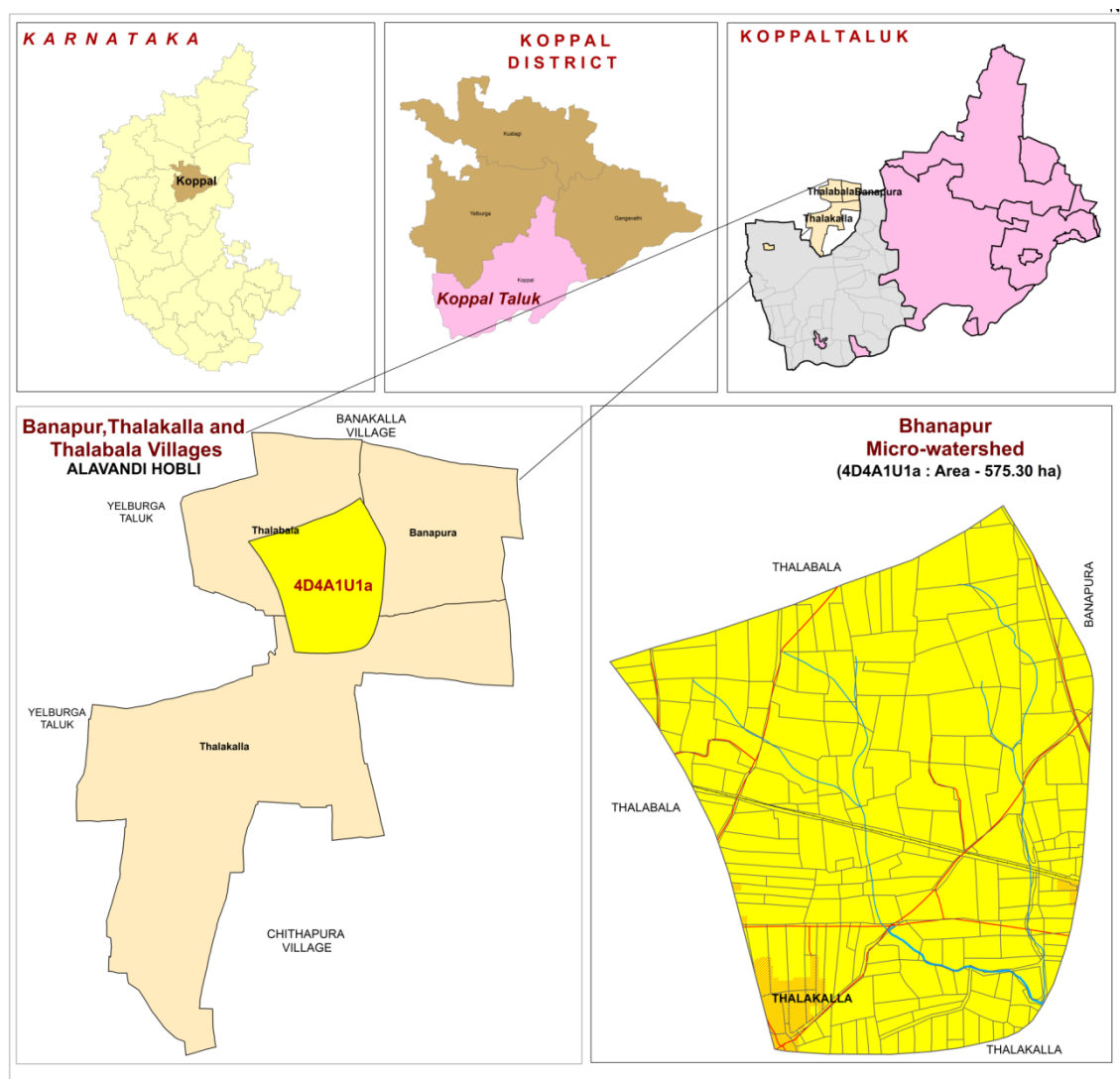


Fig.2.1 Location map of Bhanapur Microwatershed

### 2.2 Geology

Major rock formations observed in the microwatershed are granite gneiss and alluvium (Fig.2.2 a and b). Granite gneisses are essentially pink to gray and are coarse to medium grained. They consist primarily of quartz, feldspar, biotite and hornblende. The

gray granite gneisses are highly weathered, fractured and fissured upto a depth of about 10 m. Dolerite dykes and quartz veins are common with variable width and found to occur in Bhanapur village. The thickness of the alluvium generally is limited to less than a meter, except in river valleys where it is very deep extending to tens of meters. Such soils are transported and represent paleo black soils originally formed at higher elevation, but now occupying river valleys.



Fig.2.2 a Granite and granite gneiss rocks



Fig.2.2 b Alluvium

### 2.3 Physiography

Physiographically, the area has been identified as Granite gneiss and Alluvial landscapes based on geology. The microwatershed area has been further divided into mounds/ridges, summits, side slopes and very gently sloping uplands and nearly level

plains based on slope and its relief features. The elevation ranges from 513 to 537 m in the gently sloping uplands. The mounds and ridges are mostly covered by rock outcrops.

## 2.4 Drainage

The area is drained by several small seasonal streams that join Hire *halla* and Chenna *halla* along its course. Though, the streams are not perennial, during rainy season they carry large quantities of rain water. The microwatershed has only few small tanks which are not able to store the water flowing during the rainy season. Due to this, the ground water recharge is very much affected in the villages. This is reflected in the failure of many bore wells in the villages. If the available rain water is properly harnessed by constructing tanks and recharge structures at appropriate places in the villages, then the drinking and irrigation needs of the area can be easily met. The drainage network is dendritic to sub parallel.

## 2.5 Climate

The district falls under semiarid tract of the state and is categorized as drought - prone with total annual rainfall of 662 mm (Table 2.1). Of this, a maximum of 424 mm precipitation is received during south–west monsoon period from June to September, north-east monsoon contributes about 161 mm and prevails from October to early December and the remaining 77 mm is received during the rest of the year. The winter season is from December to February. During April and May, the temperatures reach up to 45°C and in December and January, the temperatures will go down to 16°C. Rainfall distribution is shown in Figure 2.3. The average Potential Evapo Transpiration (PET) is 145 mm and varies from a low of 101 mm in December to 193 mm in the month of May. The PET is always higher than precipitation in all the months except in the month of September. Generally, the Length of crop Growing Period (LGP) is <90 days and starts from 2<sup>nd</sup> week of August to 2<sup>nd</sup> week of November.

**Table 2.1 Mean Monthly Rainfall, PET, 1/2 PET at Koppal Taluk and District**

Sl. no.	Months	Rainfall	PET	1/2 PET
1	January	1.60	116.70	58.35
2	February	1.50	129.20	64.60
3	March	14.10	169.80	84.90
4	April	18.10	180.60	90.30
5	May	41.60	193.50	96.75
6	June	85.80	167.90	83.95
7	July	72.10	156.20	78.10
8	August	110.50	152.50	76.25
9	September	155.60	138.50	69.25
10	October	116.30	122.30	61.15
11	November	36.00	106.40	53.20
12	December	9.10	101.00	50.50
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>662.30</b>	<b>144.55</b>	

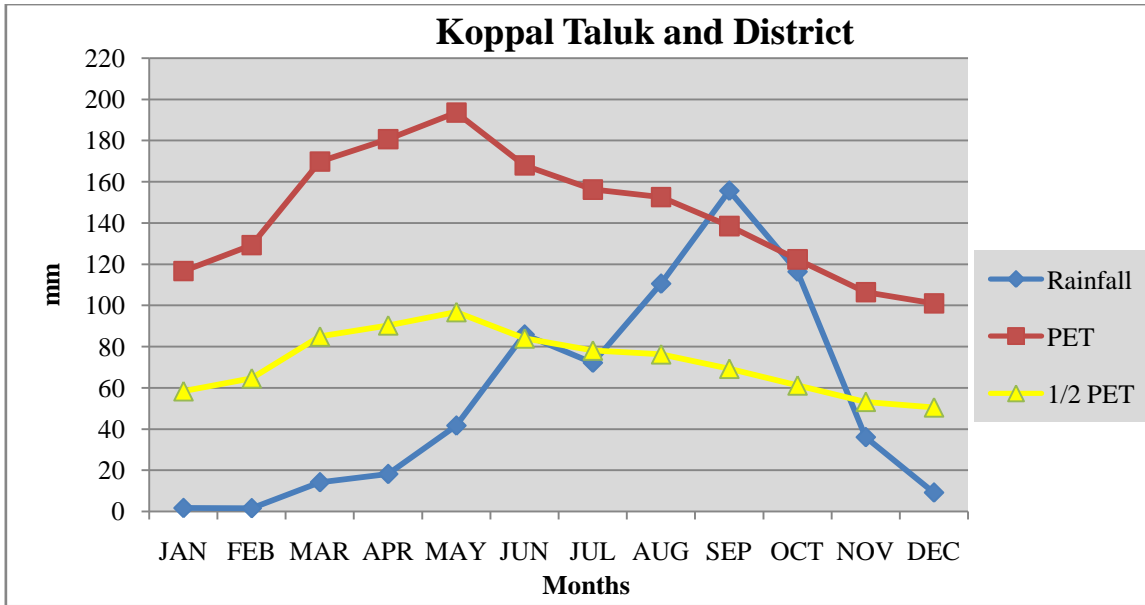


Fig. 2.3 Rainfall distribution in Koppal Taluk and District

## 2.6 Natural Vegetation

The natural vegetation is sparse comprising few tree species, shrubs and herbs. The mounds, ridges and boulders occupy sizeable areas which are under thin to moderately thick forest vegetation. Still, there are some remnants of the past forest cover which can be seen in patches in some ridges and hillocks in the microwatershed (Fig 2.4).

Apart from the continuing deforestation, the presence of large population of goats, sheep and other cattle in the microwatershed is causing vegetative degradation of whatever little vegetation left in the area. The uncontrolled grazing has left no time for the regeneration of the vegetative cover. This leads to the accelerated rate of erosion on the hill slopes, resulting in the formation of deep gullies in the foot slopes and eventually resulting in the heavy siltation of few tanks and reservoirs in the microwatershed.



Fig 2.4 Natural vegetation of Bhanapur Microwatershed



## 2.7 Land Utilization

About 91 per cent area (Table 2.2) in Koppal district is cultivated at present and about 17 per cent of the area is sown more than once. An area of about 3 per cent is currently barren. Forests occupy a small area of about 5 per cent and the tree cover is in a very poor state. Most of the mounds, ridges and boulder areas have very poor vegetative cover. Major crops grown in the area are sorghum, maize, bajra, cotton, safflower, sunflower, red gram, horse gram, onion, mulberry, pomegranate, sugarcane, bengalgram and groundnut (Fig 2.5 a and b). While carrying out land resource inventory, the land use/land cover particulars are collected from all the survey numbers and a current land use map of the microwatershed is prepared. The current land use map prepared shows the arable and non-arable lands, other land uses and different types of crops grown in the area. The current land use map of Bhanapur Microwatershed is presented in Fig.2.6. Simultaneously, enumeration of existing wells (bore wells) is made and their location in different survey numbers is marked on the cadastral map. Map showing the location of wells in Bhanapur Microwatershed is given in Fig 2.7.

**Table 2.2 Land Utilization in Koppal District**

Sl. No.	Agricultural land use	Area ( ha)	Per cent
1	Total geographical area	552495	
2	Total cultivated area	500542	90.6
3	Area sown more than once	92696	16.8
4	Trees and groves	210	0.04
5	Cropping intensity	-	118
6	Forest	29451	5.33
7	Cultivable wasteland	2568	0.46
8	Permanent Pasture land	14675	2.66
9	Barren land	16627	3.01
10	Non agricultural land	40591	7.35
11	Current fallow	19660	3.56



Fig.2.5 (a) Different crops and cropping systems in Bhanapur Microwatershed

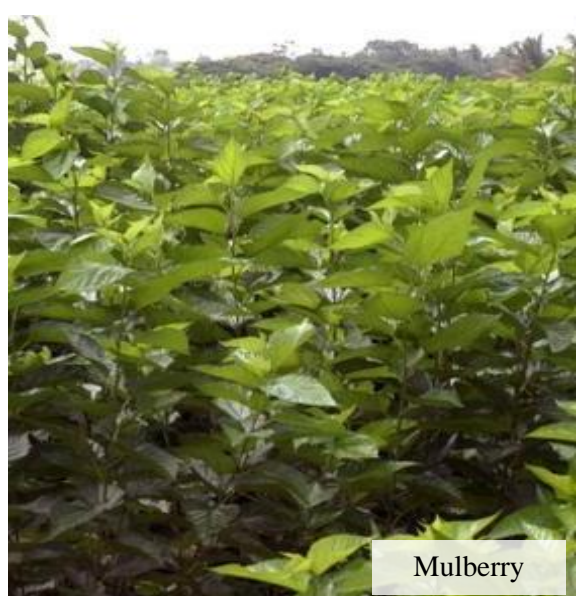
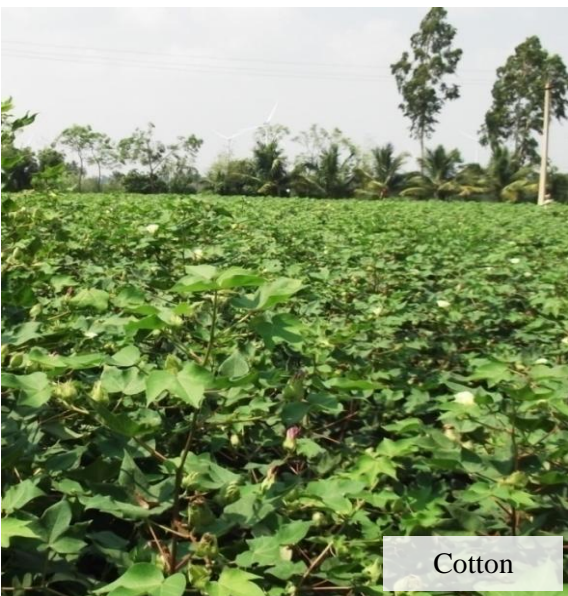


Fig.2.5 (b) Different crops and cropping systems in Bhanapur Microwatershed



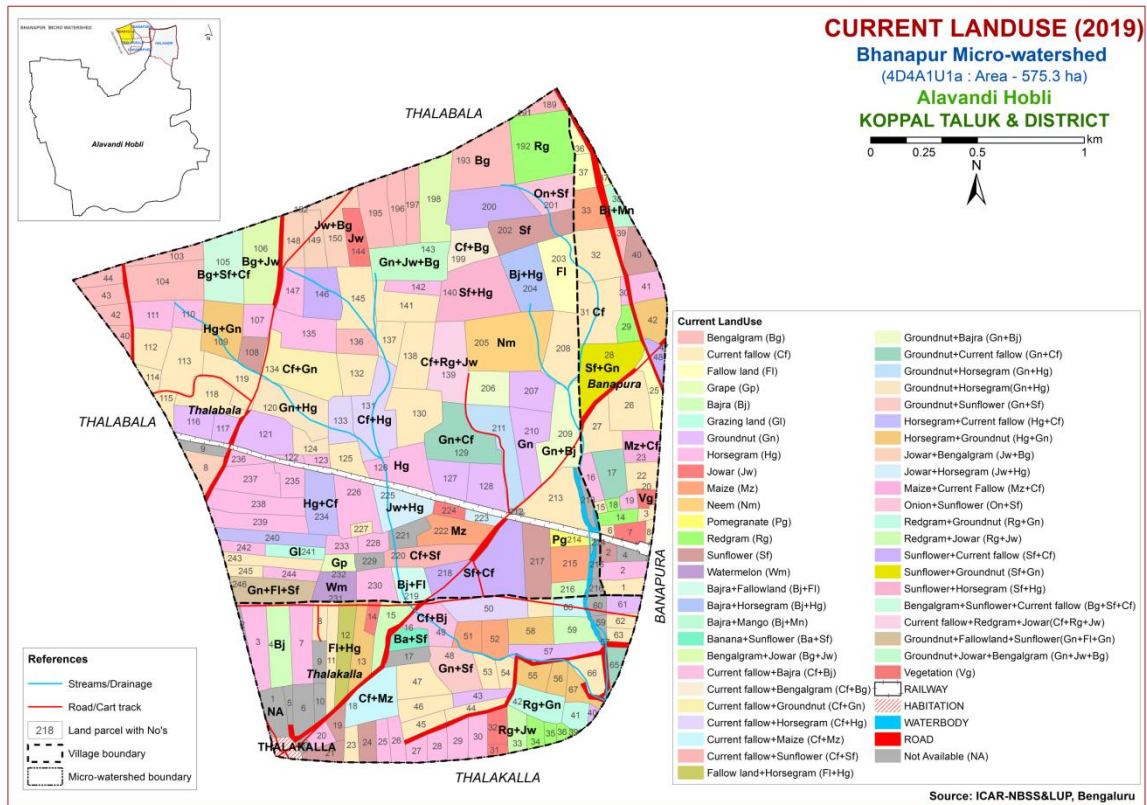


Fig.2.6 Current Land Use – Bhanapur Microwatershed

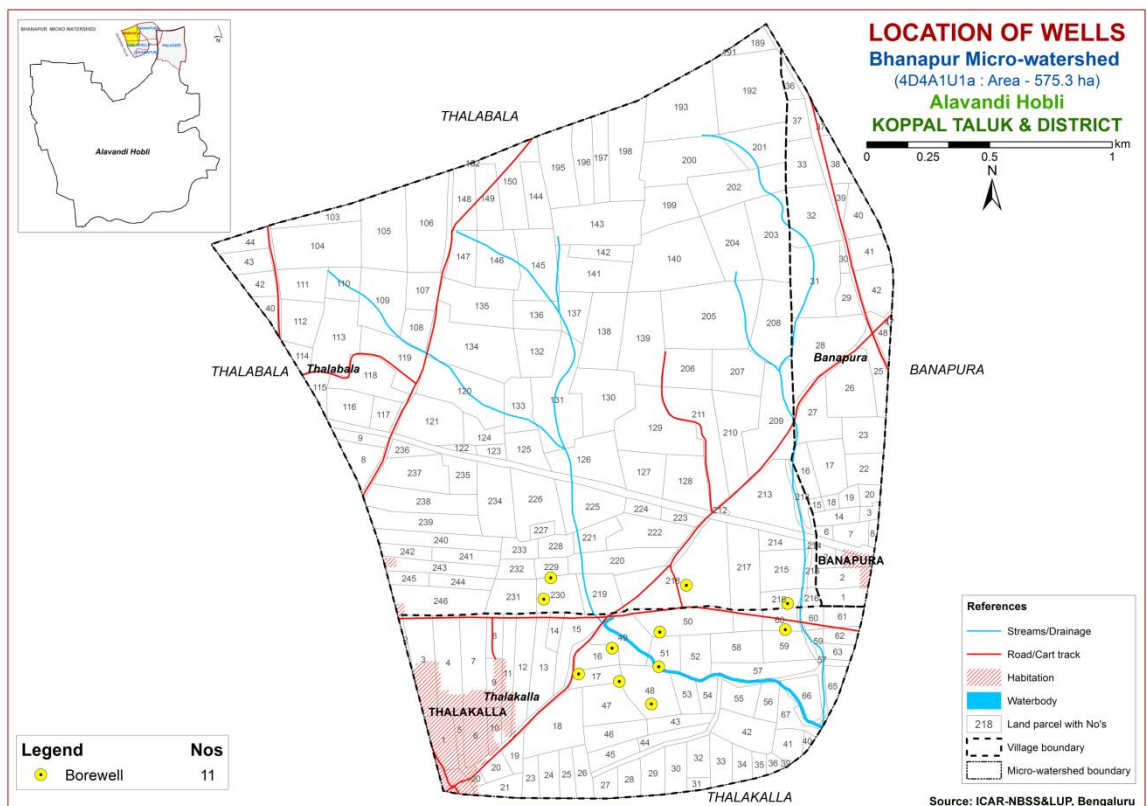


Fig.2.7 Location of wells– Bhanapur Microwatershed



## SURVEY METHODOLOGY

The purpose of land resource inventory is to delineate similar areas (soil series and phases), which respond or expected to respond similarly for a given level of management. This was achieved in Bhanapur microwatershed by the detailed study of all the soil characteristics (depth, texture, colour, structure, consistence, coarse fragments, porosity, soil reaction, soil horizons etc.) and site characteristics (slope, erosion, drainage, occurrence of rock fragments etc.) followed by grouping of similar areas based on soil-site characteristics into homogeneous (management units) units and showing their extent and geographic distribution on the microwatershed cadastral map. The detailed soil survey at 1:7920 scale was carried out in 575 ha area. The methodology followed for carrying out land resource inventory was as per the guidelines given in Soil Survey Manual (IARI, 1971; Soil Survey Staff, 2006; Natarajan *et al.*, 2015) which is briefly described below.

### 3.1 Base Maps

The detailed survey of the land resources occurring in the microwatershed was carried out by using digitized cadastral map and satellite imagery as base supplied by the KRSRSAC. The cadastral map shows field boundaries with their survey numbers, location of tanks, streams and other permanent features of the area (Fig. 3.1). Apart from the cadastral map, remote sensing data products from Cartosat-1 and LISS IV merged at the scale of 1:7920 were used in conjunction with the cadastral map to identify the geology, landscapes, landforms and other surface features. The imagery helped in the identification and delineation of boundaries between hills, uplands and lowlands, water bodies, forest and vegetated areas, roads, habitations and other cultural features of the area (Fig.3.2). The cadastral map was overlaid on the satellite imagery (Fig.3.3) that helps to identify the parcel boundaries and other permanent features. Apart from cadastral maps and images, toposheets of the area (1:50,000 scale) were used for initial traversing, identification of geology, landscapes and landforms, drainage features, present land use and also for selection of transects in the microwatershed.

### 3.2 Image Interpretation for Physiography

False Colour Composites (FCC) of Cartosat-I and LISS-IV merged satellite data covering the microwatershed area was visually interpreted using image interpretation elements and all the available collateral data with local knowledge. The delineated physiographic boundaries were transferred on to a cadastral map overlaid on satellite imagery. Physiographically, the area has been identified as granite gneiss and alluvial landscapes and is divided into landforms such as ridges, mounds and uplands based on slope. They were further subdivided into physiographic/ image interpretation units based on image characteristics. The image interpretation legend for physiography is given below.

## **Image Interpretation Legend for Physiography**

### **G- Granite gneiss landscape**

- G1 Hills/ Ridges/ Mounds
  - G11 Summits
  - G12 Side slopes
    - G121 Side slopes with dark grey tones
- G2 Uplands
  - G21 Summits
  - G22 Gently sloping uplands
    - G221 Gently sloping uplands, yellowish green (eroded)
    - G222 Gently sloping uplands, yellowish white (severely eroded)
  - G23 Very gently sloping uplands
    - G231 Very gently sloping uplands, yellowish green
    - G232 Very gently sloping uplands, medium green and pink
    - G233 Very gently sloping uplands, pink and green (scrub land)
    - G234 Very gently sloping uplands, medium greenish grey
    - G235 Very gently sloping uplands, yellowish white (eroded)
    - G236 Very gently sloping uplands, dark green
    - G237 Very gently sloping uplands, medium pink (coconut garden)
    - G238 Very gently sloping uplands, pink and bluish white (eroded)

### **DSe -Alluvial landscape**

#### **DSe 1 Summit**

- DSe 11 Nearly level Summit with dark grey tone
- DSe 12 Nearly level Summit with medium grey tone
- DSe 13 Nearly level Summit with whitish grey tone
- DSe 14 Nearly level Summit with whitish tone (Calcareousness)
- DSe 15 Nearly level Summit with pinkish grey tone
- DSe 16 Nearly level Summit with medium pink tone
- DSe 17 Nearly level Summit with bluish white tone
- DSe 18 Nearly level Summit with greenish grey tone

#### **DSe 2 Very gently sloping**

- DSe 21 Very gently sloping, whitish tone
- DSe 22 Very gently sloping, greyish pink tone
- DSe 23 Very gently sloping, whitish grey tone
- DSe 24 Very gently sloping, medium grey tone
- DSe 25 Very gently sloping, medium pink tone
- DSe 26 Very gently sloping, dark grey tone
- DSe 27 Very gently sloping, bluish grey tone
- DSe 28 Very gently sloping, greenish grey tone
- DSe 29 Very gently sloping, Pinkish grey

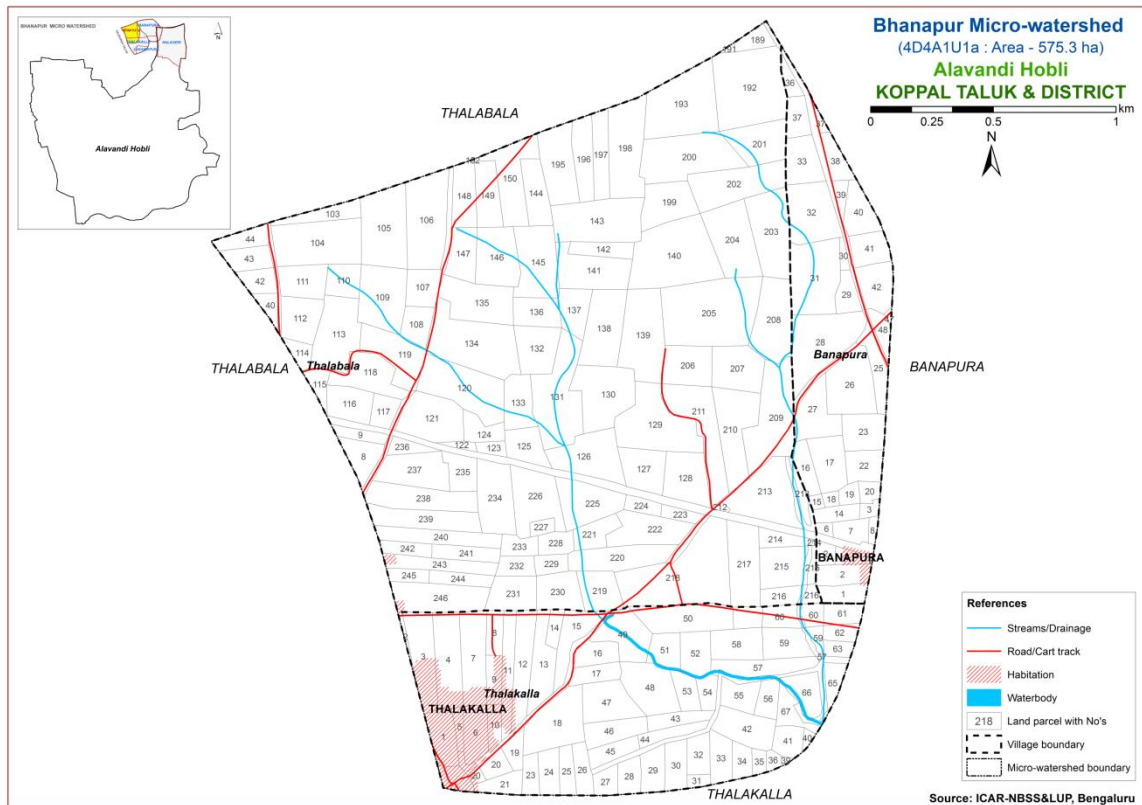


Fig 3.1 Scanned and Digitized Cadastral map of Bhanapur Microwatershed

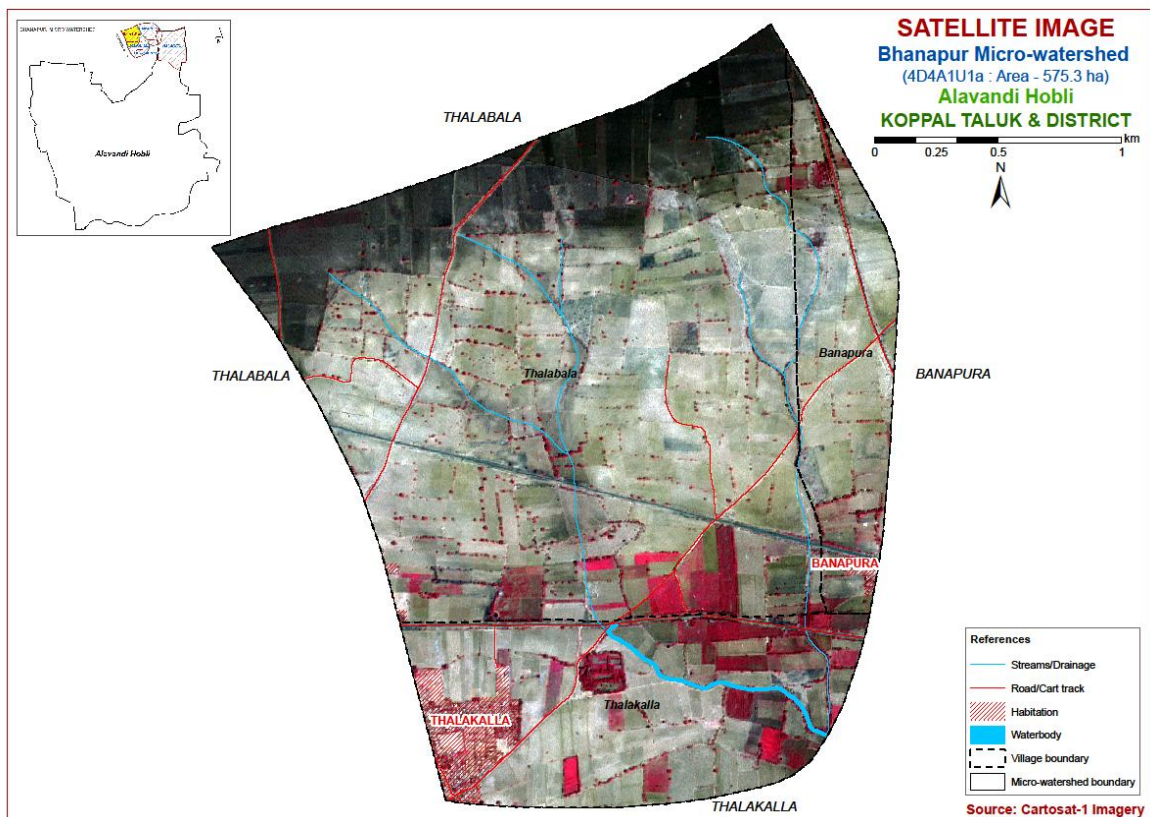


Fig.3.2 Satellite Image of Bhanapur Microwatershed



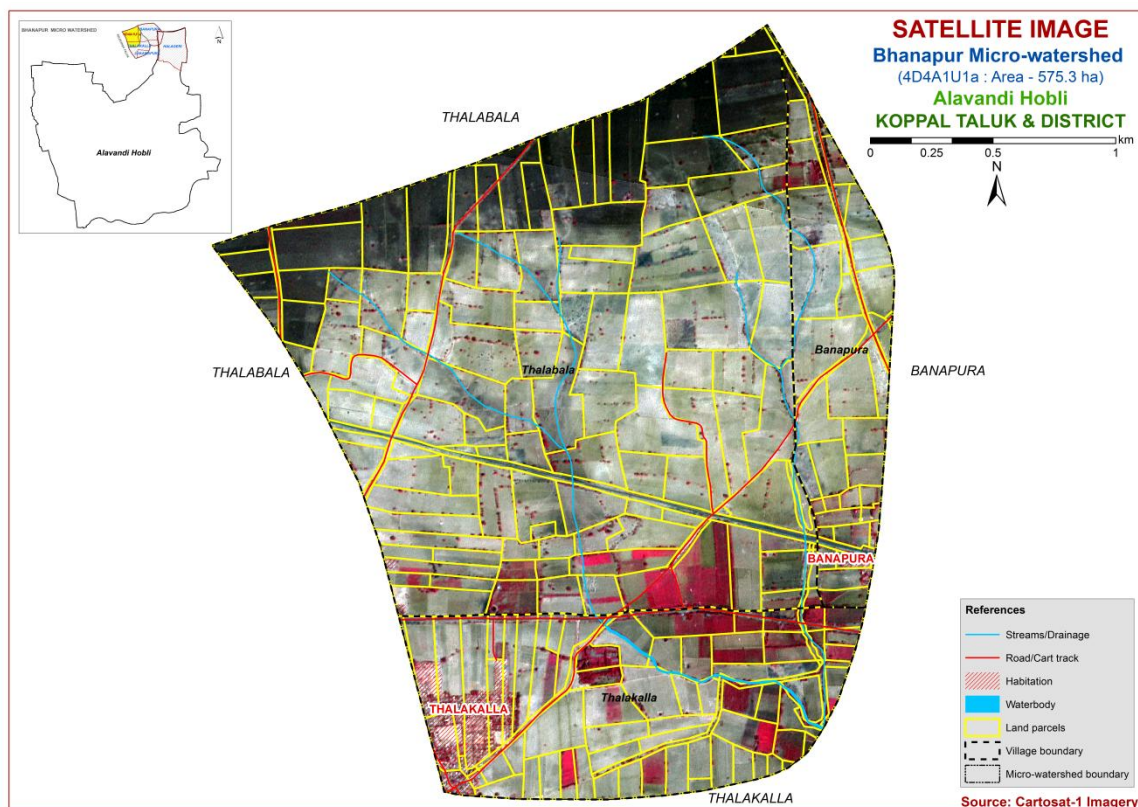


Fig.3.3 Cadastral map overlaid on IRS PAN+LISS IV merged imagery of Bhanapur Microwatershed

### 3.3 Field Investigation

The field boundaries and survey numbers given on the cadastral sheet were located on the ground by following permanent features like roads, cart tracks, *nallas*, streams, tanks etc., and wherever changes were noticed, they were incorporated on the microwatershed cadastral map. Preliminary traverse of the microwatershed was carried out with the help of cadastral map, imagery and toposheets. While traversing, landforms and physiographic units identified were checked and preliminary soil legend was prepared by studying soils at few selected places. Then, intensive traversing of each physiographic unit like hills, ridges, uplands and plains was carried out. Based on the variability observed on the surface, transects (Fig 3.4) were selected across the slope covering all the landform units in the microwatershed (Natarajan and Dipak Sarkar, 2010).

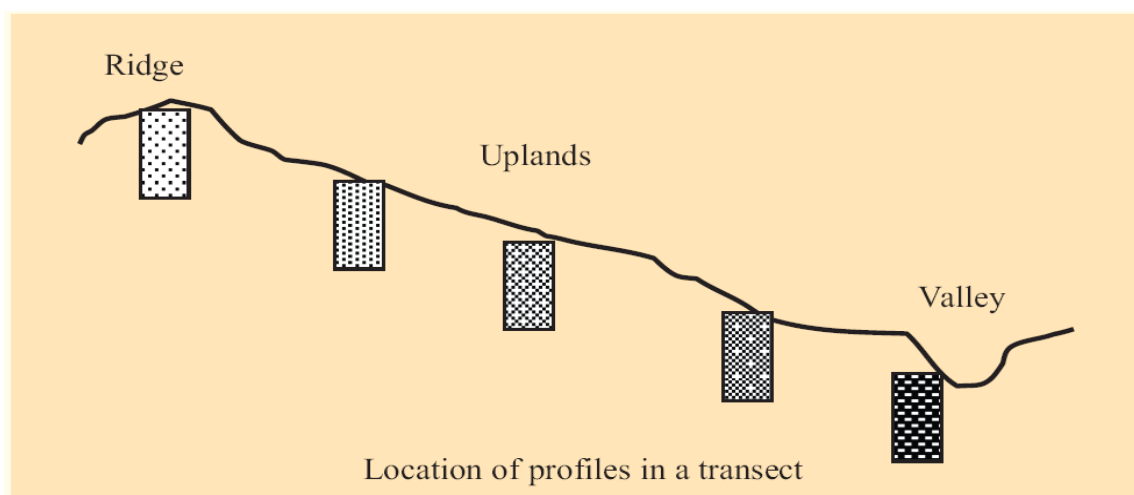


Fig: 3.4. Location of profiles in a transect

In the selected transect, soil profiles (Fig.3.4) were located at closely spaced intervals to take care of any change in the land features like break in slope, erosion, gravel, stones etc. In the selected sites, profiles (vertical cut showing the soil layers from surface to the rock) were opened upto 200 cm or to the depth limited by rock or hard substratum and studied in detail for all their morphological and physical characteristics. The soil and site characteristics were recorded for all profile sites on a standard proforma as per the guidelines given in USDA Soil Survey Manual (Soil Survey Staff, 2012). Apart from the transect study, profiles were also studied at random, almost like in a grid pattern, outside the transect areas to validate the soil map unit boundaries.

Based on the soil characteristics, the soils were grouped into different soil series. Soil series is the most homogeneous unit having similar horizons and properties and behaves similarly for a given level of management. Soil depth, texture, colour, kind of horizon and horizon sequence, amount and nature of gravel present, calcareousness, nature of substratum etc, were used as the major differentiating characteristics for identifying soil series occurring in the area. The differentiating characteristics used for identifying the soil series are given in Table 3.1. Based on the above characteristics, 14 soil series were identified in Bhanapur microwatershed.

**Table 3.1 Differentiating Characteristics used for identifying Soil Series  
(Characteristics are of Series Control Section)**

Soils of Granite Gneiss Landscape							
Sl. No	Soil Series	Depth (cm)	Colour (moist)	Texture	Gravel (%)	Horizon sequence	Calcareousness
1	<b>Harve (HRV)</b>	25-50	2.5YR3/4,3/6 5YR3/3,4/4,3/4	gscl	>35	Ap-Bt-Cr-	-
2	<b>Lakkur (LKR)</b>	50-75	2.5YR 2.5/3, 2.5/4, 3/4, 3/6	gsc	40-60	Ap-Bt-Bc-Cr	-
3	<b>Mukhadahalli (MKH)</b>	50-75	5YR3/3,3/4,4/3, 5/4,6/6 2.5YR3/4	gsc	>35	Ap-Bt-Cr	-

4	<b>Kutegoudanahundi (KGH)</b>	50-75	7.5YR3/2,3/3,3/4	gscl	15-35	Ap-Bt-Cr	-
5	<b>Kethanapura (KTP)</b>	50-75	2.5YR3/4, 3/6	gsc	15-35	Ap-Bt-Cr	-
6	<b>Bidanagere (BDG)</b>	75-100	5YR3/3,3/4,4/3,5/4 2.5YR3/4	gc	35-60	Ap-Bt-Cr	-
7	<b>Hooradhahalli (HDH)</b>	75-100	2.5YR2.5/4,3/4, 3/6	gsc-gc	>35	Ap-Bt-Cr	-
8	<b>Bisarahalli (BSR)</b>	75-100	5 YR 3/3, 3/4	gsc	15-35	Ap-Bt-Cr	-
9	<b>Balapur (BPR)</b>	100-150	2.5YR2.5/4,3/4	gsc-gc	>35	Ap-Bt-Cr	-
10	<b>Giddadapalya (GDP)</b>	100-150	2.5YR3/4, 3/6	gsc-gc	30-60 after 60 cm	Ap-Bt-Cr	-
11	<b>Kumchahalli (KMH)</b>	100-150	2.5YR3/4, 3/6	sc	<15	Bt-Cr	-
<b>Soils of Alluvial Landscape</b>							
12	<b>Ravanaki (RNK)</b>	50-75	7.5YR3/2,3/3,5/2,5/ 310YR3/1,3/2,4/1, 4/2, 5/1,6/1	c	<15	Ap-Bw-Cr	e-ev
13	<b>Dambarahalli (DRL)</b>	75-100	10YR 2/1, 3/1, 4/3	c	<15	Ap-Bw- Ck	e-es
14	<b>Kavalur (KVR)</b>	100-150	10 YR 2/2, 3/1, 3/2, 3/3, 4/4	c	-	Ap-Bss- Bck-Cr	es-ev

### 3.4 Soil Mapping

The area under each soil series was further separated into soil phases and their boundaries delineated on the cadastral map based on the variations observed in the texture of the surface soil, slope, erosion, presence of gravel, stoniness etc. A soil phase is a subdivision of soil series based mostly on surface features that affect its use and management. The soil mapping units are shown on the map (Fig.3.5) in the form of symbols. During the survey many soil profile pits, few mini pits and a few auger bores representing different landforms occurring in the microwatershed were studied. In addition to the profile study, spot observations in the form of mini pits, road cuts, terrace cuts etc., were studied to validate the soil boundaries on the soil map.

The soil map shows the geographic distribution of 25 mapping units representing 14 soil series occurring in the microwatershed. The soil map unit (soil legend) description is presented in Table 3.2. The soil phase map (management units) shows the distribution of 25 phases mapped in the microwatershed. Each mapping unit (soil phase) delineated on the map has similar soil and site characteristics. In other words, all the farms or survey numbers included in one soil phase will have similar management needs and have to be treated accordingly.

### 3.5 Land Management Units

The 25 soil phases identified and mapped in the microwatershed were regrouped into seven Land Management Units (LMU's) for the purpose of preparing a Proposed



Crop Plan for sustained development of the microwatershed. The database (soil phases) generated under LRI was utilized for identifying Land Management Units (LMU's) based on the management needs. One or more than one soil site characteristic having influence on the management have been chosen for identification and delineation of LMUs. For Bhanapur microwatershed, five soil and site characteristics, namely the soil depth, soil texture, slope, erosion and gravel content have been considered for defining LMUs. The land management units are expected to behave similarly for a given level of management.

### 3.5 Laboratory Characterization

Soil samples for each soil series soil were collected from representative master profiles for laboratory characterization by following the methods outlined in the Laboratory Manual (Sarma *et al*, 1987). Surface soil samples collected in the year 2018 from farmer's fields in Bhanapur microwatershed for fertility status (major and micronutrients) at 320 m grid interval were analyzed in the laboratory (Katyal and Rattan, 2003). By linking the soil fertility data to the survey numbers through GIS, soil fertility maps were generated using Kriging method for the microwatershed.

**Table 3.2 Soil map unit description of Bhanapur Microwatershed**

Soil map unit No*	Soil Series	Soil Phase Symbol	Mapping Unit Description	Area in ha (%)
<b>Soils of Granite gneiss Landscape</b>				
	HRV		Harve soils are shallow (25-50 cm), well drained, dark red to dark reddish brown, red gravelly sandy clay loam soils occurring on nearly level to gently sloping uplands under cultivation	<b>55</b> <b>(9.55)</b>
465		HRVcB2g1	Sandy loam surface, slope 1-3%, moderate erosion, gravelly (15-35%)	10 (1.76)
22		HRVcC2g2R2	Sandy loam surface, slope 3-5%, moderate erosion, very gravelly (35-60%), Rocky (10-25%)	37 (6.36)
30		HRViB1g2	Sandy clay surface, slope 1-3%, slight erosion, very gravelly (35-60%)	8 (1.43)
	LKR		Lakkur soils are moderately shallow (50-75 cm), well drained, have dark reddish brown to dark red, red gravelly sandy clay soils occurring on very gently to moderately sloping uplands under cultivation	<b>197</b> <b>(34.26)</b>
43		LKRcB2g1	Sandy loam surface, slope 1-3%, moderate erosion, gravelly (15-35%)	53 (9.25)
44		LKRcB2g2	Sandy loam surface, slope 1-3%, moderate erosion, very gravelly (35-60%)	107 (18.59)
49		LKRhC2g3	Sandy clay loam, slope 3-5%, moderate erosion, extremely gravelly (60-80%)	12 (2.08)
51		LKRiB1g1	Sandy clay surface, slope 1-3%, slight erosion, gravelly (15-35%)	25 (4.34)
	MKH		Mukhadahalli soils are moderately shallow (50-75 cm), well	<b>48</b>

Soil map unit No*	Soil Series	Soil Phase Symbol	Mapping Unit Description	Area in ha (%)
			drained, have dark brown to reddish brown, red gravelly sandy clay soils occurring on gently very gently to gently sloping uplands under cultivation	<b>(8.35)</b>
75		MKHcB1g1	Sandy loam surface, slope 1-3%, slight erosion, gravelly (15-35%)	10 (1.79)
78		MKHcB2g2	Sandy loam surface, slope 1-3%, moderate erosion, very gravelly (35-60%)	35 (6.06)
90		MKHiB2g1	Sandy clay surface, slope 1-3%, moderate erosion, gravelly (15-35%)	3 (0.5)
	KGH		Kutegoudanahundi soils are moderately shallow (50-75 cm), well drained, have brown to dark brown, red gravelly sandy clay loam soils occurring on nearly level to gently sloping uplands under cultivation	<b>13 (2.13)</b>
68		KGHhB2	Sandy clay loam surface, slope 1-3%, moderate erosion	6 (0.97)
69		KGHhB2g1	Sandy clay loam surface, slope 1-3%, moderate erosion, gravelly (15-35%)	7 (1.16)
	KTP		Kethanapura soils are moderately shallow (50-75 cm), well drained, have dark reddish brown, red gravelly sandy clay soils occurring on very gently sloping uplands under cultivation	<b>10 (1.77)</b>
71		KTPcB1g1	Sandy loam surface, slope 1-3%, slight erosion, gravelly (15-35%)	10 (1.77)
	BDG		Bidanagere soils are moderately deep (75-100 cm), well drained, have dark reddish brown red, gravelly clay soils occurring on nearly level to gently sloping uplands under cultivation	<b>9 (1.5)</b>
188		BDGhB2g1	Sandy clay loam surface, slope 1-3%, moderate erosion, gravelly (15-35%)	9 (1.5)
	HDH		Hooradhahalli soils are moderately deep (75-100 cm), well drained, dark red to dark reddish brown, red gravelly sandy clay to clay soils occurring on nearly level to moderately sloping uplands under cultivation	<b>10 (1.81)</b>
112		HDHcB2g2	Sandy loam surface, slope 1-3%, moderate erosion, very gravelly (35-60%)	10 (1.81)
	BSR		Bisarahalli soils are moderately deep (75-100 cm), well drained, have dark reddish brown, red gravelly sandy clay soils occurring on very gently sloping uplands under cultivation	<b>39 (6.83)</b>
158		BSRbB2g1	Loamy sand surface, slope 1-3%, moderate erosion, gravelly (15-35%)	39 (6.83)
	BPR		Balapur soils are deep (100-150 cm), well drained, have dark reddish brown to dark red gravelly sandy clay to clay soils occurring on nearly level to gently sloping uplands under cultivation	<b>9 (1.52)</b>
221		BPRcA1g1	Sandy loam surface, slope 0-1%, slight	3

Soil map unit No*	Soil Series	Soil Phase Symbol	Mapping Unit Description	Area in ha (%)
			erosion	(0.44)
225		BPRcB2g1	Sandy loam surface, slope 1-3%, moderate erosion, gravelly (15-35%)	6 (1.08)
	GDP		Giddadapalya soils are deep (100-150 cm), well drained, have dark reddish brown to dark red, gravelly sandy clay to clay soils occurring on very gently sloping uplands under cultivation	<b>20</b> <b>(3.46)</b>
267		GDPcB2	Sandy loam surface, slope 1-3%, moderate erosion	20 (3.46)
	KMH		Kumchahalli soils are deep (100-150cm), well drained, have dark reddish brown to dark red, sandy clay soils occurring on nearly level to very gently sloping uplands under cultivation	<b>1</b> <b>(0.18)</b>
196		KMHcA1	Sandy loam surface, slope 0-1%, slight erosion	1 (0.18)
<b>Soils of Alluvial Landscape</b>				
	RNK		Ravanaki soils are moderately shallow (50-75 cm), moderately well drained, have dark brown to very dark grayish brown and dark gray, calcareous black clay soils occurring on nearly level to very gently sloping plains under cultivation	<b>27</b> <b>(4.7)</b>
336		RNKmB2	Clay surface, slope 1-3%, moderate erosion	27 (4.7)
	DRL		Dambarahalli soils are moderately deep (75-100 cm), moderately well drained, have dark brown to very dark gray, calcareous black cracking clay soils occurring on nearly level to very gently sloping plains under cultivation	<b>28</b> <b>(6.0)</b>
350		DRLmB2	Clay surface, slope 1-3%, moderate erosion	19 (3.32)
351		DRLmB2g1	Clay surface, slope 1-3%, moderate erosion, gravelly (15-35%)	9 (1.63)
	KVR		Kavalur soils are deep (100-150 cm), moderately well drained, have dark yellowish brown to very dark grayish brown, calcareous cracking black clay soils occurring on nearly level to very gently sloping plains under cultivation	<b>90</b> <b>(15.63)</b>
388		KVRmB1	Clay surface, slope 1-3%, slight erosion	63 (10.87)
390		KVRmB2g1	Clay surface, slope 1-3%, moderate erosion, gravelly (15-35%)	27 (4.76)
992		Railway		3 (0.52)
1000		Others	Habitation & Waterbody	16 (2.84)

\*Soil map unit numbers are continuous for the taluk, not the microwatersheds



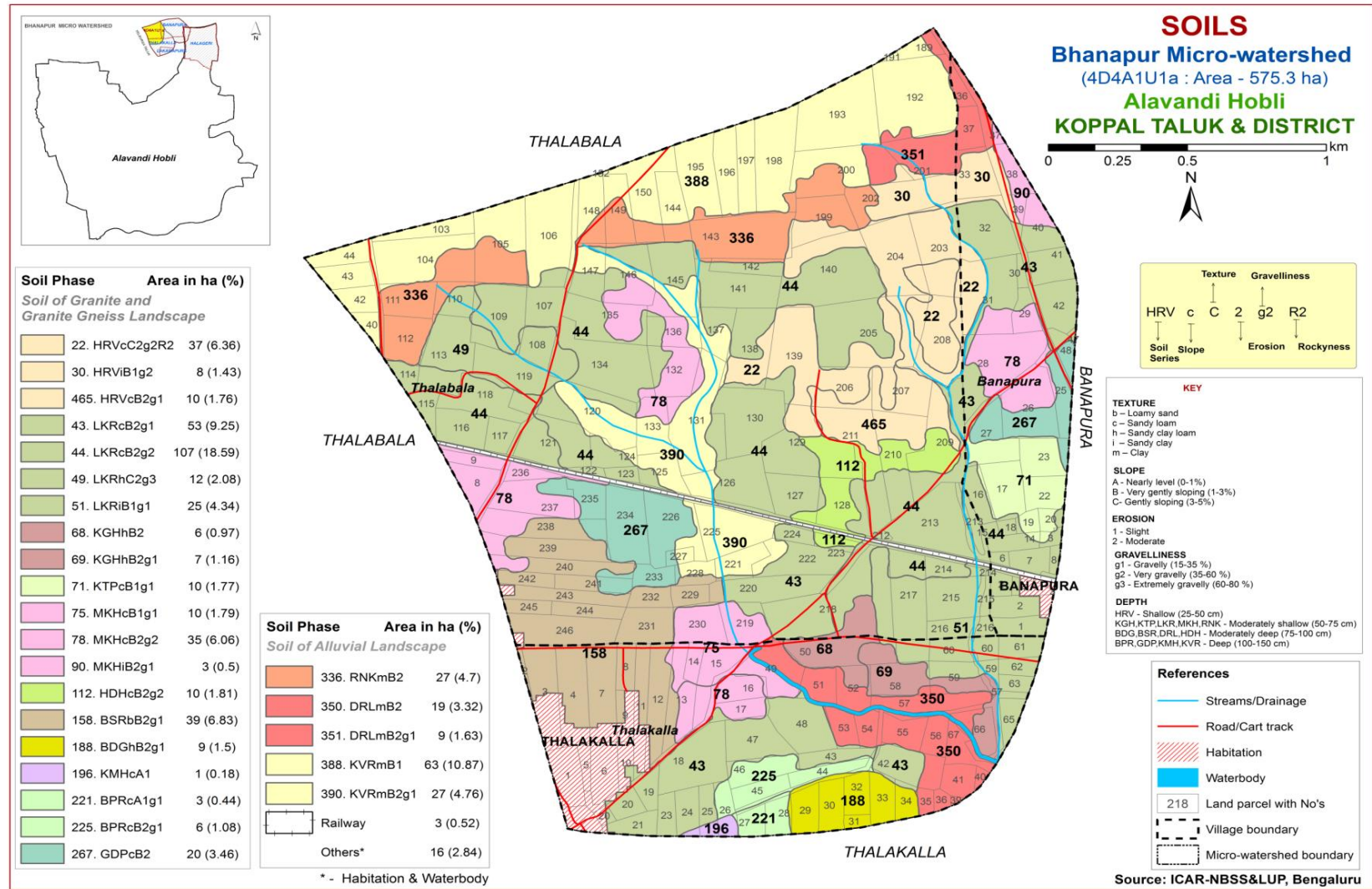


Fig 3.5 Soil Phase or Management Units- Bhanapur Microwatershed



## THE SOILS

Detailed information pertaining to the nature, extent and distribution of different kinds of soils occurring in Bhanapur microwatershed is provided in this chapter. The microwatershed area has been identified as granite gneiss and alluvial landscapes based on geology. In all, 14 soil series were identified. Soil formation is the result of the combined effect of environmental and terrain factors that are reflected in soil morphology. The soil formation is dominantly influenced by the parent material, climate, time and relief.

A brief description of each of the 14 soil series identified followed by 25 soil phases (management units) mapped (Fig. 3.5) are furnished below. The physical and chemical characteristics of soil series identified in Bhanapur microwatershed are given in Table 4.1 along with soil classification. The soils in any one map unit differ from place to place in their depth, texture, slope, gravelliness, erosion or any other site characteristic that affect management. The soil phase map can be used for identifying the suitability of areas for growing specific crops or for other alternative uses and also for deciding the type of conservation structures needed. The detailed information on soil and site-characteristics like soil depth, surface soil texture, slope, erosion, gravelliness, AWC, LCC etc, with respect to each of the soil phase identified is given village/survey number wise for the microwatershed in Appendix-I.

### 4.1 Soils of Granite gneiss Landscape

In this landscape, 11 soil series were identified and mapped. Of these series, Lakkur (LKR) series occupies a maximum area of 197 ha (34 %) and others occupy minor area. The brief description of the soil series along with the soil phases identified and mapped is given below.

**4.1.1 Harve (HRV) Series:** Harve soils are shallow (25-50 cm), well drained, have reddish brown to dark red gravelly sandy clay loam soils. They have developed from weathered granite gneiss and occur on very gently to moderately sloping uplands. The Harve series has been classified as a member of the loamy-skeletal, mixed isohyperthermic family of (Paralithic) Rhodustalfs.

The thickness of the solum ranges from 28 to 48 cm. The thickness of A-horizon ranges from 12 to 17 cm. Its colour is in 5YR and 2.5 YR hue with value 3 to 4 and chroma 4 to 6. The texture varies from loamy sand to sandy loam with 20 to 60 per cent gravel. The thickness of B-horizon ranges from 16 to 32 cm. Its colour is in 2.5 YR and 5 YR hue with value 3 to 4 and chroma 4 to 6. Its texture is sandy clay loam with gravel content of more than 35 per cent. The available water capacity is very low (<50mm/m). Three soil phases were identified and mapped.





Landscape and soil profile characteristics of Harve (HRV) Series

**4.1.2 Lakkur (LKR) Series:** Lakkur soils are moderately shallow (50-75cm), well drained, have reddish brown to dark red gravelly sandy clay soils. They have developed from weathered granite gneiss and occur on nearly level to very gently and gently sloping uplands. The Lakkur series has been classified as a member of the clayey-skeletal, mixed, isohyperthermic family of Typic Rhodustalfs.

The thickness of the solum ranges from 51 to 74 cm. The thickness of A horizon ranges from 12 to 18 cm. Its colour is in 5YR and 2.5 YR hue with value 3 to 4 and chroma 4 to 6. The texture varies from loamy sand to sandy clay loam with 15 to 50 per cent gravel. The thickness of B horizon ranges from 39 to 58 cm. Its colour is in 2.5 YR hue with value 3 to 4 and chroma 4 to 6. Texture is sandy clay with 40 to 60 per cent gravel. The available water capacity is low (50-100 mm/m). Four soil phases were identified and mapped.



Landscape and soil profile characteristics of Lakkur (LKR) Series



**4.1.3 Mukhadahalli (MKH) Series:** Mukhadahalli soils are moderately shallow (50-75 cm), well drained, have dark brown to reddish brown gravelly sandy clay soils. They are developed from weathered granite gneiss and occur on very gently to gently sloping uplands. The Mukhadahalli series has been classified as a member of the clayey-skeletal, mixed, isohyperthermic family of Typic Haplustalfs.

The thickness of the solum ranges from 51 to 72 cm. The thickness of A horizon ranges from 12 to 17 cm. Its colour is in 5 YR and 7.5 YR hue with value 3 to 4 and chroma 2 to 4. The texture varies from loamy sand to sandy loam with 20 to 45 per cent gravel. The thickness of B horizon ranges from 40 to 68 cm. Its colour is in 2.5 YR and 5 YR hue with value and chroma 3 to 6. Texture is sandy clay loam to sandy clay with 35 to 50 per cent gravel. The available water capacity is low (50-100 mm/m). Three soil phases were identified and mapped.



Landscape and soil profile characteristics of Mukhadahalli (MKH) Series

**4.1.4 Kutegoudanahundi (KGH) Series:** Kutegoudanahundi soils are moderately shallow (50-75 cm), well drained, have brown to dark brown gravelly sandy clay loam soils. They have developed from weathered granite gneiss and occur on very gently to gently sloping uplands. The Kutegoudanahundi series has been classified as a member of the fine-loamy, mixed, isohyperthermic family of Typic Haplustalfs.

The thickness of the solum ranges from 50 to 74 cm. The thickness of A horizon ranges from 12 to 22 cm. Its colour is in 7.5 YR and 10 YR hue with value and chroma 3 to 4. The texture varies from loamy sand to sandy loam with 15 to 30 per cent gravel. The thickness of B horizon ranges from 40 to 62 cm. Its colour is in 7.5 YR hue with value and chroma 3 to 4. Its texture is sandy clay loam with gravel content of 15 to 35 per cent. The available water capacity is medium (100-150 mm/m). Two soil phases were identified and mapped.



Landscape and soil profile characteristics of Kutegoudanahundi (KGH) Series

**4.1.5 Kethanapura (KTP) Series:** Kethanapura soils are moderately shallow (50-75cm), well drained, have dark reddish brown gravelly sandy clay soils. They are developed from weathered granite gneiss and occur on very gently to gently sloping uplands. The Kethanapura series has been classified as a member of the fine, mixed, isohyperthermic family of Rhodic Paleustalfs .

The thickness of the solum ranges from 53 to 72 cm. The thickness of A-horizon ranges from 11 to 16 cm. Its colour is in 5YR and 2.5 YR hue with value 3 to 4 and chroma 3 to 6. The texture varies from loamy sand to sandy clay loam with 15 to 40 per cent gravel. The thickness of B-horizon varies from 41 to 56 cm. Its colour is in 2.5 YR hue with value 3 to 4 and chroma 4 to 6. Texture is dominantly sandy clay loam with 15 to 35 per cent gravel. The available water capacity is medium (101-150 mm/m). One soil phase was identified and mapped.



Landscape and soil profile characteristics of Kethanapura (KTP) Series



**4.1.6 Bidanagere (BDG) Series:** Bidanagere soils are moderately deep (75-100 cm), well drained, have dark reddish brown gravelly clay soils. They have developed from weathered granite gneiss and occur on very gently sloping uplands under cultivation. The Bidanagere series has been classified as a member of the clayey-skeletal, mixed, isohyperthermic family of Rhodic Paleustalfs.

The thickness of the solum ranges from 78 to 99 cm. The thickness of A-horizon ranges from 12 to 19 cm. Its colour is in 2.5 YR and 5 YR hue with value 2 to 3 and chroma 3 to 4. The texture varies from sandy clay loam to sandy clay with 10 to 20 per cent gravel. The thickness of B-horizon ranges from 68 to 85 cm. Its colour is in 5 YR and 2.5 YR hue with value 3 to 5 and chroma 3 to 4. Its texture is gravelly clay with gravel content of 35-60 per cent. The available water capacity is very low (<50 mm/m). One soil phase was identified and mapped.



Landscape Soil Profile Characteristics of Bidanagere (BDG) Series

**4.1.7 Hooradhahalli (HDH) Series:** Hooradhahalli soils are moderately deep (75-100 cm), well drained, have red to dark red and reddish brown gravelly sandy clay to clay soils. They are developed from weathered granite gneiss and occur on very gently to gently sloping uplands. The Hooradhahalli series has been classified as a member of the clayey-skeletal, mixed isohyperthermic family of Rhodic Paleustalfs.

The thickness of the solum ranges from 76 to 100 cm. The thickness of A horizon ranges from 11 to 19 cm. Its colour is in 5 YR and 2.5 YR hue with value 3 to 4 and chroma 3 to 6. The texture varies from loamy sand to sandy clay with 15 to 50 per cent gravel. The thickness of B horizon varies from 65 to 83 cm. Its colour is in 2.5 YR hue with value 2.5 to 3 and chroma 4 to 6. Texture is sandy clay to clay with 35 to 50 per cent gravel. The available water capacity is low (50-100mm/m). One soil phase was identified and mapped.



Landscape and soil profile characteristics of Hooradhahalli (HDH) Series

**4.1.8 Bisarahalli (BSR) Series:** Bisarahalli soils are moderately deep (75-100 cm), well drained, have dark reddish brown, red gravelly sandy clay soils. They have developed from weathered granite gneiss and occur on very gently sloping uplands under cultivation. The Bisarahalli series has been classified as a member of the fine, mixed isohyperthermic family of Typic Paleustalfs.

The thickness of the solum ranges from 75 to 98 cm. The thickness of A horizon ranges from 17 to 25 cm. Its colour is in 5 YR hue with value 3 to 4 and chroma 3 to 6. The texture ranges from sandy clay loam to sandy clay with 15 to 35 per cent gravel. The thickness of B horizon ranges from 61 to 79 cm. Its colour is in 5 YR hue with value 3 and chroma 3 to 4. Its texture is gravelly sandy clay with gravel content of 15-35 per cent. The available water capacity is low (50-100 mm/m). One soil phase was identified and mapped.



Landscape and soil profile characteristics of Bisarahalli (BSR) Series



**4.1.9 Balapur (BPR) Series:** Balapur soils are deep (100-150 cm), well drained, have dark reddish brown to dark red, gravelly sandy clay to clay soils. These soils are developed from weathered granite gneiss and occur on very gently to gently sloping uplands. The Balapur series has been classified as a member of the clayey-skeletal, mixed, isohyperthermic family of Typic Rhodustalfs.

The thickness of the solum ranges from 102 to 147 cm. The thickness of A horizon ranges from 12 to 17cm. Its colour is in 5 YR and 2.5 YR hue with value and chroma 3 to 4. The texture ranges from loamy sand to sandy clay with 15 to 50 per cent gravel. The thickness of B horizon ranges from 90 to 132 cm. Its colour is in 2.5 YR hue with value 2.5 to 3 and chroma 4 to 6. Texture is sandy clay to clay with 35 to 50 per cent gravel. The available water capacity is medium (100-150 mm/m). Two soil phases were identified and mapped.



Landscape and soil profile characteristics of Balapur (BPR) Series

**4.1.10 Giddadapalya (GDP) Series:** Giddadapalya soils are deep (100-150 cm), well drained, have dark reddish brown to dark red, gravelly sandy clay to clay soils. They are developed from weathered granite gneiss and occur on very gently sloping uplands under cultivation. The Giddadapalya soil series has been classified as a member of the fine, mixed, isohyperthermic family of Rhodic Paleustalfs.

The thickness of the solum ranges from 106 to 145 cm. The thickness of A-horizon ranges from 12 to 13 cm. Its colour is in 5 YR hue with value and chroma 3 to 4. The texture ranges from sandy loam with 10 to 15 per cent gravel. The thickness of B-horizon ranges from 106 to 123 cm. Its colour is in 2.5 YR hue with value 3 to 4 and chroma 3 to 6. Texture is sandy clay to clay with 35 to 75 per cent gravel. The available water capacity is low (51-100 mm/m). One soil phase was identified and mapped.



Landscape and soil profile characteristics of Giddadapalya (GDP) Series

**4.1.11 Kumchahalli (KMH) Series:** Kumchahalli soils are deep (100-150cm), well drained, have dark reddish brown to dark red sandy clay soils. They have developed from weathered granite gneiss and occur on nearly level to very gently sloping uplands. The Kumchahalli series has been classified as a member of the fine, mixed, isohyperthermic family of Typic Rhodustalfs.

The thickness of the solum ranges from 102 to 150 cm. The thickness of A horizon ranges from 11 to 23 cm. Its colour is in 5 YR and 2.5 YR hue with value 2.5 to 3 and chroma 3 to 6. The texture is dominantly sandy clay. The thickness of B horizon ranges from 95 to 132 cm. Its colour is in 2.5 YR hue with value 3 and chroma 4 to 6. Its texture is dominantly sandy clay loam to sandy clay. The available water capacity is high (150-200 mm/m). One soil phase was identified and mapped.



Landscape and soil profile characteristics of Kumchahalli (KMH) Series



## 4.2 Soils of Alluvial Landscape

In this landscape, three soil series were identified and mapped. Of these series, Kavalur (KVR) series occupies an area of 90 ha (16 %) and others occupy minor area. The brief description of the soil series along with the soil phases identified and mapped is given below.

**4.2.1 Ravanaki (RNK) Series:** Ravanaki soils are moderately shallow (50-75 cm), well drained, have dark brown to very dark grayish brown, calcareous clay soils. They have developed from alluvium and occur on nearly level to very gently sloping plains. The Ravanaki series has been classified as a member of the very fine, smectitic (calc), isohyperthermic family of Typic Haplustepts.

The thickness of the solum ranges from 50 to 75 cm. The thickness of A horizon ranges from 15 to 20 cm. Its colour is in 7.5 YR and 10 YR hue with value 2 to 3 and chroma 2.5 to 4. The texture varies from sandy clay to clay with 10 to 15 per cent gravel. The thickness of B horizon ranges from 35 to 60 cm. Its colour is in 10 YR and 7.5 YR hue with value 2 to 6 and chroma 2 to 4. Its texture is sandy clay to clay with gravel content of 10 to 20 per cent. The available water capacity is low (51-100 mm/m). One soil phase was identified and mapped.



Landscape and Soil Profile Characteristics of Ravanaki (RNK) Series

**4.2.2 Dambarahalli (DRL) Series:** Dambarahalli soils are moderately deep (75-100 cm), moderately well drained, have black and very dark gray to dark brown, calcareous cracking clay soils. They have developed from alluvium and occur on very gently to gently sloping plains under cultivation. The Dombarahalli series has been classified as a member of the very fine, smectitic (calc) isohyperthermic family of Typic Haplusterts.

The thickness of the solum ranges from 75 to 99 cm. The thickness of A horizon ranges from 13 to 24 cm. Its colour is in 10 YR hue with value 3 to 4 and chroma 1 to 2.

The texture is clay. The thickness of B horizon ranges from 54 to 85 cm. Its colour is in 10 YR hue with value 2 to 4 and chroma 1 to 3. Its texture is clay and are calcareous. The available water capacity is high (151-200 mm/m). Two soil phases were identified and mapped.



Landscape and soil profile characteristics of Dambarahalli (DRL) Series.

**4.2.3 Kavalur (KVR) Series:** Kavalur soils are deep (100-150 cm), moderately well drained, have dark yellowish brown to very dark brown and very dark gray, calcareous black cracking clay soils They have developed from alluvium and occur on very gently sloping plains. The Kavalur series has been classified as a member of the fine, smectitic(calc), isohyperthermic family of Typic Haplusterts.

The thickness of the solum is 113 to 143 cm. The thickness of A horizon ranges from 9 to 24 cm. Its colour is in 10 YR hue with value 3 and chroma 1. The texture is clay with no gravel. The thickness of B horizon ranges from 89 to 134 cm. Its colour is in 10 YR hue with value 3 and chroma 1. Its texture is clay. The available water capacity is very high (>200 mm/m). Two soil phases were identified and mapped.





Landscape and soil profile characteristics of Kavalur (KVR) series

**Table: 4.1 Physical and Chemical Characteristics of Soil Series identified in Bhanapur microwatershed**

**Series Name:** Harve (HRV), **Pedon:**R-10

**Location:** 15°25'11.63"N, 76°22'03.65"E Jabbaragudda village, Koppal taluk and district

**Analysis at:** NBSS&LUP, Regional Centre, Bangalore. **Classification:** Loamy-skeletal, mixed, isohyperthermic (Paralithic) Rhodustalfs

Depth (cm)	Horizon	Size class and particle diameter (mm)								Coarse fragments w/w (%)	Texture Class (USDA)	% Moisture	
		Total			Sand							1/3 Bar	15 Bar
		Sand (2.0-0.05)	Silt (0.05-0.002)	Clay (<0.002)	Very coarse (2.0-1.0)	Coarse (1.0-0.5)	Medium (0.5-0.25)	Fine (0.25-0.1)	Very fine (0.1-0.05)				
0-15	Ap	65.64	9.07	25.28	29.04	12.99	9.00	3.48	11.15	50	scl	12.87	4.81
15-29	Bt1	56.13	7.75	36.12	27.81	11.43	7.21	1.44	8.24	60	sc	15.69	6.24
29-47	Bt2	63.42	6.53	30.05	32.38	13.93	7.48	5.74	3.89	60	scl	15.41	9.29

Depth (cm)	pH (1:2.5)			E.C. (1:2.5)	O.C.	CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Exchangeable bases					CEC	CEC/Clay	Base saturation	ESP
	Water	CaCl <sub>2</sub>	M KCl	dS m <sup>-1</sup>	%	%	Ca	Mg	K	Na	Total				
							cmol kg <sup>-1</sup>								
0-15	6.05	-	-	0.21	0.93	-	8.89	1.96	0.50	0.08	11.43	11.24	0.44	100.00	0.73
15-29	5.99	-	-	0.15	0.29	-	9.72	2.75	0.51	0.09	13.07	12.71	0.35	100.00	0.74
29-47	6.07	-	-	0.11	0.38	-	9.35	2.47	0.49	0.06	12.36	12.71	0.42	97.29	0.44

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**Soil Series:** Lakkur (LKR), **Pedon:** RM-8.

**Location:** 15°04'26.3"N, 75°37'84.1"E, (4D4A3I1f), Belhatti village, Shirahatti taluk, Gadag district

**Analysis at:** NBSS&LUP, Regional Centre, Bengaluru **Classification:** Clayey-skeletal, mixed, isohyperthermic Typic Rhodustalfs

Depth (cm)	Horizon	Size class and particle diameter (mm)								Coarse fragments w/w (%)	Texture Class (USDA)	% Moisture	
		Total			Sand							1/3 Bar	15 Bar
		Sand (2.0-0.05)	Silt (0.05-0.002)	Clay (<0.002)	Very coarse (2.0-1.0)	Coarse (1.0-0.5)	Medium (0.5-0.25)	Fine (0.25-0.1)	Very fine (0.1-0.05)				
0-21	Ap	74.00	8.34	17.66	9.62	11.57	15.76	23.13	13.92	20	sl	-	-
21-35	Bt	54.37	10.48	35.14	16.33	8.64	9.69	11.59	8.11	40	sc	-	-
35-56	Bc	48.37	13.46	38.17	10.96	7.69	9.17	11.28	9.27	60	sc	-	-

Depth (cm)	pH (1:2.5)			E.C. (1:2.5)	O.C.	CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Exchangeable bases					CEC	CEC/Clay	Base saturation	ESP			
	Water	CaCl <sub>2</sub>	M KCl				dS m <sup>-1</sup>	%	%	Ca	Mg					K	Na	Total
										cmol kg <sup>-1</sup>						%	%	
0-21	8.18	-	-	0.30	0.56	0.94	-	-	0.31	0.55	0.86	12.19	0.69	100.00	4.51			
21-35	8.17	-	-	0.30	0.52	1.29	-	-	0.19	0.84	1.03	22.18	0.63	100.00	3.79			
35-56	7.95	-	-	0.46	0.48	1.99	-	-	0.24	0.58	0.82	22.94	0.60	100.00	2.53			

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**Series Name:** Mukahadahalli (MKH), **Pedon:** R-11

**Location:** 15°22'05.4"N, 76°04'10.3"E, Halageri village, Koppal taluk and district

**Analysis at:** NBSS&LUP, Regional Centre, Bangalore. **Classification:** Clayey-skeletal, mixed, isohyperthermic Typic Haplustalfs

Depth (cm)	Horizon	Size class and particle diameter (mm)								Coarse fragments w/w (%)	Texture Class (USDA)	% Moisture	
		Total			Sand							1/3 Bar	15 Bar
		Sand (2.0-0.05)	Silt (0.05-0.002)	Clay (<0.002)	Very coarse (2.0-1.0)	Coarse (1.0-0.5)	Medium (0.5-0.25)	Fine (0.25-0.1)	Very fine (0.1-0.05)				
0-19	Ap	65.71	8.83	25.46	9.27	9.06	14.42	21.52	11.43	70	scl	16.54	8.60
19-32	Bt	55.89	11.13	32.98	6.47	9.18	11.89	19.19	9.18	50	scl	19.24	12.78
32-58	Bt	47.95	10.41	41.63	17.52	3.78	9.13	9.55	7.97	50	sc	24.03	16.02

Depth (cm)	pH (1:2.5)			E.C. (1:2.5)	O.C.	CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Exchangeable bases					CEC	CEC/Clay	Base saturation	ESP			
	Water	CaCl <sub>2</sub>	M KCl				dS m <sup>-1</sup>	%	%	Ca	Mg					K	Na	Total
										cmol kg <sup>-1</sup>								
0-19	7.38	-	-	0.09	0.2	0.00	8.97	4.32	0.26	0.22	13.77	14.84	0.58	93	1.49			
19-32	7.5	-	-	0.106	0.41	0.00	15.98	3.27	0.16	0.50	19.91	20.88	0.63	95	2.38			
32-58	7.46	-	-	0.173	0.49	0.00	19.71	4.53	0.23	1.32	25.79	25.76	0.62	100	5.11			

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**Series Name:** Kutegoudanahundi (KGH) **Pedon:** R1

**Location:** 15°24'57"N, 76°19'29" E Lambani tanda village, Koppal taluk and district

**Analysis at:** NBSS&LUP, Regional Centre, Bangalore **Classification:** Fine-loamy, mixed, isohyperthermic Typic Haplustalfs

Depth (cm)	Horizon	Size class and particle diameter (mm)								Coarse fragments w/w (%)	Texture Class (USDA)	% Moisture	
		Total			Sand							1/3 Bar	15 Bar
		Sand (2.0-0.05)	Silt (0.05-0.002)	Clay (<0.002)	Very coarse (2.0-1.0)	Coarse (1.0-0.5)	Medium (0.5-0.25)	Fine (0.25-0.1)	Very fine (0.1-0.05)				
0-12	Ap	79.84	7.93	12.23	30.70	15.50	14.08	12.26	7.29	20	sl	10.46	4.79
12-35	Bt1	64.49	9.69	25.82	33.88	10.92	8.06	7.45	4.18	25	scl	16.40	9.12
35-58	Bt2	62.27	9.51	28.22	35.38	8.90	7.06	3.27	7.67	30	scl	19.13	11.05
58-72	Bc	62.77	7.40	29.83	32.76	11.50	7.63	6.82	4.07	40	scl	19.86	10.16

Depth (cm)	pH (1:2.5)			E.C. (1:2.5) dS m <sup>-1</sup>	O.C. %	CaCO <sub>3</sub> %	Exchangeable bases					CEC	CEC/Clay	Base saturation %	ESP %
	Water	CaCl <sub>2</sub>	M KCl				Ca	Mg	K	Na	Total				
0-12	6.66			0.089	0.83		6.39	1.56	0.21	0.08	8.23	8.22	0.67	100	0.93
12-35	7.39			0.061	0.73				0.25	0.07		14.95	0.58	100	0.49
35-58	7.56			0.064	0.69				0.27	0.08		16.34	0.58	100	0.52
58-72	7.92			0.146	0.47				0.36	0.12		17.72	0.59	100	0.69

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**Series Name:** Kethanapura (KTP) **Pedon:** R-9

**Location:** 15°25'28.81"N, 76°22'00.76" E Jabbaragudda village, Koppal taluk and district

**Analysis at:** NBSS&LUP, Regional Centre, Bangalore **Classification:** Fine, mixed, isohyperthermic Rhodic Paleustalfs

Depth (cm)	Horizon	Size class and particle diameter (mm)								Coarse fragments w/w (%)	Texture Class (USDA)	% Moisture	
		Total			Sand							1/3 Bar	15 Bar
		Sand (2.0-0.05)	Silt (0.05-0.002)	Clay (<0.002)	Very coarse (2.0-1.0)	Coarse (1.0-0.5)	Medium (0.5-0.25)	Fine (0.25-0.1)	Very fine (0.1-0.05)				
0-18	Ap	83.64	10.52	5.84	25.61	22.36	15.24	13.52	6.91	10	ls	7.92	2.58
18-38	Bt1	46.06	5.63	48.31	21.58	9.54	3.53	4.15	7.26	30	sc	19.62	14.48
38-73	Bt2	52.31	6.91	40.78	24.56	12.74	5.96	5.55	3.49	30	sc	17.73	11.95

Depth (cm)	pH (1:2.5)			E.C. (1:2.5)	O.C.	CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Exchangeable bases					CEC	CEC/Clay	Base saturation	ESP			
	Water	CaCl <sub>2</sub>	M KCl				dS m <sup>-1</sup>	%	%	Ca	Mg					K	Na	Total
										cmol kg <sup>-1</sup>						%	%	
0-18	6.42	-		0.07	1.24	-	2.95	0.93	0.57	0.02	4.48	4.41	0.75	100.00	0.05			
18-38	6.63	-	-	0.09	0.70	-	11.71	3.53	0.98	0.08	16.31	16.59	0.34	98.30	0.50			
38-73	6.88	-	-	0.15	0.48	-	11.36	3.30	0.72	0.13	15.50	15.75	0.39	98.42	0.80			

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**Series:** Bidanagere (BDG), **Pedon:** RM-3

**Location:** 13°22'11"N, 76°38'03"E, (4D3D8G1a), Tharabenahalli village, Chikkanayakanahalli taluk, Tumakuru district.

**Analysis at:** NBSS&LUP, Regional Centre, Bengaluru **Classification:** Clayey-skeletal, mixed, isohyperthermic Rhodic, Paleustalfs

Depth (cm)	Horizon	Size class and particle diameter (mm)								Coarse fragments w/w (%)	Texture Class (USDA)	% Moisture	
		Total			Sand							1/3 Bar	15 Bar
		Sand (2.0-0.05)	Silt (0.05-0.002)	Clay (<0.002)	Very coarse (2.0-1.0)	Coarse (1.0-0.5)	Medium (0.5-0.25)	Fine (0.25-0.1)	Very fine (0.1-0.05)				
0-20	Ap	81.19	11.25	7.56	12.54	15.07	17.90	21.94	13.75	50	ls	-	-
20-35	Bt1	57.45	11.45	31.10	12.76	11.02	10.92	12.45	10.31	50	scl	-	-
35-92	Bt2	44.63	7.85	47.52	12.40	9.61	8.37	7.75	6.51	60	c	-	-

Depth (cm)	pH (1:2.5)			E.C. (1:2.5)	O.C.	CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Exchangeable bases					CEC	CEC/Clay	Base saturation	ESP			
	Water	CaCl <sub>2</sub>	M KCl				dS m <sup>-1</sup>	%	%	Ca	Mg					K	Na	Total
										cmol kg <sup>-1</sup>								
0-20	6.24	-	-	0.06	0.60	0.00	1.61	0.26	0.10	0.01	1.98	3.76	0.50	52.56	0.35			
20-35	5.99	-	-	0.02	0.40	0.00	4.25	0.46	0.08	0.28	5.07	8.02	0.26	63.18	3.46			
35-92	6.70	-	-	0.03	0.20	0.00	5.45	0.31	0.10	0.22	6.09	9.90	0.21	61.48	2.24			

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**Soil Series:** Hooradhahalli (HDH), **Pedon:** RM-69

**Location:** 13°24'31"N, 76°33'41"E, (4D3D8G2d), Hesarahalli village, Chikkanayakanahalli taluk, Tumukura district

**Analysis at:** NBSS&LUP, Regional Centre, Bengaluru **Classification:** Clayey-skeletal, mixed isohyperthermic Rhodic Paleustalfs

Depth (cm)	Horizon	Size class and particle diameter (mm)								Coarse fragments w/w (%)	Texture Class (USDA)	% Moisture	
		Total			Sand							1/3 Bar	15 Bar
		Sand (2.0-0.05)	Silt (0.05-0.002)	Clay (<0.002)	Very coarse (2.0-1.0)	Coarse (1.0-0.5)	Medium (0.5-0.25)	Fine (0.25-0.1)	Very fine (0.1-0.05)				
0-18	Ap	72.56	15.17	12.27	4.57	8.33	17.38	23.88	18.39	35	sl	-	-
18-33	Bt1	56.29	10.75	32.96	7.88	10.24	13.41	14.43	10.34	55	scl	-	-
33-58	Bt2	46.66	10.79	42.55	10.79	9.87	8.43	9.04	8.53	55	sc	-	-
58-90	Bt3	43.09	13.63	43.27	9.90	8.25	7.32	8.76	8.87	45	c	-	-

Depth (cm)	pH (1:2.5)			E.C. (1:2.5) dS m <sup>-1</sup>	O.C. %	CaCO <sub>3</sub> %	Exchangeable bases					CEC	CEC/Clay	Base saturation %	ESP %
	Water	CaCl <sub>2</sub>	M KCl				Ca	Mg	K	Na	Total				
0-18	6.54	-	-	0.07	0.60	0.00	2.68	1.38	0.44	0.42	4.91	5.84	0.48	84.07	7.11
18-33	5.90	-	-	0.07	0.52	0.00	3.99	1.27	0.09	0.37	5.71	8.61	0.26	66.32	4.29
33-58	6.16	-	-	0.07	0.44	0.00	4.92	1.67	0.08	0.55	7.22	10.00	0.24	72.23	5.50
58-90	6.39	-	-	0.06	0.40	0.00	4.30	2.02	0.08	0.46	6.87	9.21	0.21	74.61	5.05

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**Series Name:** Bisarahalli (BSR) **Pedon:** R-9

**Location:** 15°25'21.0"N, 76°11'42.0"E Hatti village, Koppal taluk and district

**Analysis at:** NBSS&LUP, Regional Centre, Bangalore **Classification:** Fine, mixed, isohyperthermic Typic Paleustalfs

Depth (cm)	Horizon	Size class and particle diameter (mm)								Coarse fragments w/w (%)	Texture Class (USDA)	% Moisture	
		Total			Sand							1/3 Bar	15 Bar
		Sand (2.0-0.05)	Silt (0.05-0.002)	Clay (<0.002)	Very coarse (2.0-1.0)	Coarse (1.0-0.5)	Medium (0.5-0.25)	Fine (0.25-0.1)	Very fine (0.1-0.05)				
0-14	Ap	70.11	9.29	20.60	22.31	15.97	11.98	9.83	10.03	20	scl	13.22	7.81
14-57	Bt1	47.27	7.52	45.20	27.04	8.28	4.61	2.10	5.24	25	sc	16.39	13.31
57-80	Bt2	41.93	8.67	49.40	21.95	6.83	4.76	4.66	3.73	30	c	21.41	15.41
80-99	Bt3	49.02	9.87	41.11	19.90	10.78	6.84	6.42	5.08	40	sc	21.82	14.24

Depth (cm)	pH (1:2.5)			E.C. (1:2.5) dS m <sup>-1</sup>	O.C. %	CaCO <sub>3</sub> %	Exchangeable bases					CEC	CEC/Clay	Base saturation %	ESP %
	Water	CaCl <sub>2</sub>	M KCl				Ca	Mg	K	Na	Total				
0-14	6.59	-	-	0.12	0.73	-	4.47	1.77	0.06	0.53	6.82	8.80	0.43	77.55	6.00
14-57	7.02	-	-	0.04	0.48	-	5.85	2.31	0.06	0.20	8.43	14.70	0.33	57.32	1.36
57-80	7.00	-	-	0.05	0.28	-	11.74	2.26	0.08	0.22	14.31	15.60	0.32	91.73	1.44
80-99	6.90	-	-	0.06	0.18	-	13.70	2.16	0.08	0.14	16.08	16.50	0.40	97.44	0.83

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**Soil Series:** Balapur (BPR), **Pedon:** RM-78

**Location:** 13°26'39"N, 76°35'03"E, (4D3D8G2c), Kasaba, Chikkanayakanahalli taluk, Tumakuru district

**Analysis at:** NBSS&LUP, Regional Centre, Bengaluru **Classification:** Clayey-skeletal, mixed, isohyperthermic, Typic Rhodustalfs

Depth (cm)	Horizon	Size class and particle diameter (mm)								Coarse fragments w/w (%)	Texture Class (USDA)	% Moisture	
		Total			Sand							1/3 Bar	15 Bar
		Sand (2.0-0.05)	Silt (0.05-0.002)	Clay (<0.002)	Very coarse (2.0-1.0)	Coarse (1.0-0.5)	Medium (0.5-0.25)	Fine (0.25-0.1)	Very fine (0.1-0.05)				
0-12	Ap	65.66	18.66	15.68	4.14	6.16	13.33	21.82	20.20	-	sl	-	-
12-34	Bt1	61.91	11.52	26.57	2.36	6.78	12.53	21.36	18.89	-	scl	-	-
34-60	Bt2	51.81	11.24	36.94	4.66	5.70	12.23	15.96	13.26	30	sc	-	-
60-84	Bt3	46.61	9.02	44.37	14.70	6.88	7.51	8.97	8.55	55	sc	-	-
84-112	Bt4	48.75	12.92	38.33	15.73	8.13	6.87	8.23	9.79	60	sc	-	-
112-127	Bc	50.98	24.74	24.28	5.25	4.63	5.15	10.92	25.03	50	scl	-	-

Depth (cm)	pH (1:2.5)			E.C. (1:2.5)	O.C.	CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Exchangeable bases					CEC	CEC/Clay	Base saturation	ESP
	Water	CaCl <sub>2</sub>	M KCl				Ca	Mg	K	Na	Total				
				dS m <sup>-1</sup>	%	%	cmol kg <sup>-1</sup>					%	%		
0-12	6.64	-	-	0.03	0.56	0.00	1.90	1.32	0.21	0.03	3.46	5.45	0.35	63.48	0.51
12-34	6.99	-	-	0.02	0.48	0.00	3.66	1.90	0.07	0.08	5.70	7.82	0.29	72.93	0.96
34-60	7.29	-	-	0.02	0.40	0.00	5.13	2.08	0.11	0.20	7.52	11.19	0.30	67.18	1.75
60-84	7.50	-	-	0.02	0.32	0.00	5.83	6.36	0.13	0.23	12.55	12.38	0.28	101.43	1.83
84-112	7.54	-	-	0.02	0.24	0.00	6.02	6.59	0.11	0.25	12.96	12.77	0.33	101.49	1.97
112-127	7.90	-	-	0.02	0.20	0.00	8.04	3.62	0.07	0.32	12.04	12.47	0.51	96.56	2.55

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**Series Name:** Giddadapalya (GDP), **Pedon:** R-8

**Location:** 15°25'26"N, 76°10'59"E, Kalakeri village, Koppal taluk and district

**Analysis at:** NBSS&LUP, Regional Centre, Bangalore. **Classification:** Fine, mixed, isohyperthermic Rhodic Paleustalfs

Depth (cm)	Horizon	Size class and particle diameter (mm)								Coarse fragments w/w (%)	Texture Class (USDA)	% Moisture	
		Total			Sand							1/3 Bar	15 Bar
		Sand (2.0-0.05)	Silt (0.05-0.002)	Clay (<0.002)	Very coarse (2.0-1.0)	Coarse (1.0-0.5)	Medium (0.5-0.25)	Fine (0.25-0.1)	Very fine (0.1-0.05)				
0-16	Ap	74.95	9.24	15.81	18.43	18.94	13.85	14.97	8.76	-	sl	11.88	5.09
16-43	Bt1	41.69	13.89	44.42	9.84	10.90	7.41	7.62	5.93	-	c	23.13	14.53
43-61	Bt2	47.67	6.13	46.19	21.14	10.15	5.29	6.45	4.65	-	sc	21.60	11.87
61-83	Bt3	52.52	7.10	40.38	24.42	10.59	5.66	7.55	4.30	40	sc	19.51	11.35
83-119	Bt4	43.76	11.59	44.65	20.15	7.56	5.77	5.46	4.83	60	c	20.80	12.06
119-139	Bt5	54.93	9.84	35.23	29.70	10.49	5.50	5.92	3.32	50	sc	15.24	11.97

Depth (cm)	pH (1:2.5)			E.C. (1:2.5)	O.C.	CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Exchangeable bases					CEC	CEC/Clay	Base saturation	ESP			
	Water	CaCl <sub>2</sub>	M KCl				dS m <sup>-1</sup>	%	%	Ca	Mg					K	Na	Total
0-16	7.88	-	-	0.103	0.79	-	5.98	1.35	0.05	0.22	7.60	7.8	0.49	97	2.87			
16-43	7.81	-	-	0.117	0.66	-	13.99	1.97	0.08	0.46	16.50	16.9	0.38	98	2.74			
43-61	7.74	-	-	0.132	0.51	-	12.70	2.18	0.08	0.69	15.64	15.9	0.34	98	4.36			
61-83	7.72	-	-	0.142	0.39	-	11.46	2.22	0.08	0.66	14.41	14.6	0.36	99	4.53			
83-119	7.58	-	-	0.115	0.22	-	11.30	2.70	0.09	0.73	14.82	15.3	0.34	97	4.79			
119-139	7.50	-	-	0.113	0.22	-	10.03	2.19	0.07	0.65	12.95	13.2	0.37	98	4.89			

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**Series Name:** Kumchahalli (KMH), **Pedon:** RM-9

**Location:** 15°20'05"N, 76°13'21"E, Basapura village, Koppal taluk and district

**Analysis at:** NBSS&LUP, Regional Centre, Bangalore **Classification:** Fine mixed, isohyperthermic Typic Rhodustalfs

Depth (cm)	Horizon	Size class and particle diameter (mm)								Coarse fragments w/w (%)	Texture Class (USDA)	% Moisture	
		Total			Sand							1/3 Bar	15 Bar
		Sand (2.0-0.05)	Silt (0.05-0.002)	Clay (<0.002)	Very coarse (2.0-1.0)	Coarse (1.0-0.5)	Medium (0.5-0.25)	Fine (0.25-0.1)	Very fine (0.1-0.05)				
0-13	Ap	51.76	9.05	39.19	7.99	8.84	13.42	14.38	7.14	-	sc	20.08	13.69
13-27	A21	53.50	8.12	38.38	7.00	11.05	15.21	14.33	5.91	-	sc	17.05	12.32
27-43	A22	63.60	5.01	31.40	3.85	11.56	24.52	18.52	5.14	-	scl	11.76	9.09
43-64	Bt1	48.74	5.91	45.35	8.87	9.31	12.49	12.27	5.81	10	sc	16.68	13.35
64-84	Bt2	45.13	8.90	45.97	9.86	7.12	10.95	10.62	6.57	20	sc	17.45	13.42
84-114	BC	65.04	6.94	28.02	10.49	16.21	17.80	13.88	6.67	40	scl	13.20	9.75

Depth (cm)	pH (1:2.5)			E.C. (1:2.5)	O.C.	CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Exchangeable bases					CEC	CEC/Clay	Base saturation	ESP
	Water	CaCl <sub>2</sub>	M KCl				Ca	Mg	K	Na	Total				
				dS m <sup>-1</sup>	%	%	cmol kg <sup>-1</sup>						%	%	
0-13	7.2	-	-	0.193	0.81	3.00	9.69	3.93	1.41	0.08	15.10	15.07	0.38	100	0.54
13-27	7.13	-	-	0.161	0.7	3.00	8.69	3.57	1.29	0.16	13.70	13.75	0.36	100	1.14
27-43	7.31	-	-	0.096	0.89	2.64	5.19	2.36	1.07	0.24	8.86	9.46	0.30	94	2.51
43-64	7.65	-	-	0.089	1.16	2.52	8.25	2.88	0.72	0.35	12.20	12.65	0.28	96	2.79
64-84	7.98	-	-	0.1	0.38	3.12	10.49	2.88	0.26	0.41	14.04	14.63	0.32	96	2.78
84-114	8.23	-	-	0.121	0.58	2.88	8.02	1.87	0.09	0.43	10.41	10.67	0.38	98	4.02

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**Series Name:** Ravanaki (RNK), **Pedon:** RM-20

**Location:** 15°14'22.7"N, 75°57'45.8"E, Gatareddihalla village, Koppal taluk and district

**Analysis at:** NBSS&LUP, Regional Centre, Bangalore

**Classification:** Very fine, smectitic (calc), isohyperthermic Typic Haplustepts

Depth (cm)	Horizon	Size class and particle diameter (mm)								Coarse fragments w/w (%)	Texture Class (USDA)	% Moisture	
		Total			Sand							1/3 Bar	15 Bar
		Sand (2.0-0.05)	Silt (0.05-0.002)	Clay (<0.002)	Very coarse (2.0-1.0)	Coarse (1.0-0.5)	Medium (0.5-0.25)	Fine (0.25-0.1)	Very fine (0.1-0.05)				
0-28	Ap	24.43	17.76	57.81	5.30	3.89	3.78	7.14	4.32	20	c	41.40	29.60
28-55	Bw	18.77	15.59	65.64	2.74	3.73	2.85	4.83	4.61	10	c	46.71	35.18

Depth (cm)	pH (1:2.5)			E.C. (1:2.5) dS m <sup>-1</sup>	O.C. %	CaCO <sub>3</sub> %	Exchangeable bases					CEC	CEC/Clay	Base saturation %	ESP %
	Water	CaCl <sub>2</sub>	M KCl				Ca	Mg	K	Na	Total				
							cmol kg <sup>-1</sup>								
0-28	8.86	-	-	0.483	0.63	15.48	-	-	0.86	6.27	-	37.00	0.64	-	6.78
28-55	8.61	-	-	1.4	0.23	13.68	-	-	0.68	12.27	-	53.20	0.81	-	9.22

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**Series Name:** Dombarahalli (DRL)

**Pedon:** R-8

**Location:** 15°13'96.2"N, 75°57'48.6" E Rangunathanahalli village, Koppal taluk and district

**Analysis at:** NBSS&LUP, Regional Centre, Bangalore.

**Classification:** Very fine, smectitic (calc), isohyperthermic Typic Haplusterts

Depth (cm)	Horizon	Size class and particle diameter (mm)								Coarse fragments w/w (%)	Texture Class (USDA)	% Moisture	
		Total			Sand							1/3 Bar	15 Bar
		Sand (2.0-0.05)	Silt (0.05-0.002)	Clay (<0.002)	Very coarse (2.0-1.0)	Coarse (1.0-0.5)	Medium (0.5-0.25)	Fine (0.25-0.1)	Very fine (0.1-0.05)				
0-15	Ap	28.25	19.48	52.27	4.76	4.44	4.87	8.23	5.95	-	c	39.86	27.20
15-27	BA1	21.55	20.00	58.45	3.76	2.76	3.43	6.30	5.30	-	c	46.35	34.84
27-45	Bss1	14.86	20.89	64.25	2.46	2.23	2.23	3.91	4.02	-	c	57.99	41.06
45-80	Bss2	10.42	19.04	70.54	1.74	1.97	1.27	2.78	2.66	-	c	66.36	36.24

Depth (cm)	pH (1:2.5)			E.C. (1:2.5) dS m <sup>-1</sup>	O.C. %	CaCO <sub>3</sub> %	Exchangeable bases					CEC	CEC/Clay	Base saturation %	ESP %
	Water	CaCl <sub>2</sub>	M KCl				Ca	Mg	K	Na	Total				
0-15	8.78	-	-	0.42	0.32	12.35	-	-	0.59	4.25	-	49.70	0.95	100.00	5.62
15-27	9.03	-	-	0.61	0.30	12.48	-	-	0.30	8.96	-	57.23	0.98	100.00	10.07
27-45	9.10	-	-	0.67	0.34	11.70	-	-	0.25	11.85	-	60.71	0.95	100.00	14.05
45-80	9.18	-	-	0.86	0.32	13.39	-	-	0.27	15.40	-	63.33	0.90	100.00	18.45

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**Series Name:** Kavalura (KVR), **Pedon:** A2/RM-9

**Location:** 15°18'86.8"N, 75°56'56.3"E, Kavalura village, Koppal taluk and district

**Analysis at:** NBSS&LUP, Regional Centre, Bangalore **Classification:** Fine, smectitic (calc), isohyperthermic Typic Haplusterts

Depth (cm)	Horizon	Size class and particle diameter (mm)								Coarse fragments w/w (%)	Texture Class (USDA)	% Moisture	
		Total			Sand							1/3 Bar	15 Bar
		Sand (2.0-0.05)	Silt (0.05-0.002)	Clay (<0.002)	Very coarse (2.0-1.0)	Coarse (1.0-0.5)	Medium (0.5-0.25)	Fine (0.25-0.1)	Very fine (0.1-0.05)				
0-24	Ap	36.18	17.80	46.02	7.04	7.47	6.62	9.28	5.76	10	c	28.20	18.75
24-50	Bss1	38.79	15.36	45.85	6.25	6.25	9.70	10.67	5.93	05	c	27.16	18.81
50-85	Bss2	36.80	14.66	48.54	9.63	8.23	7.03	7.58	4.33	<5	c	30.16	22.17
85-124	Bss3	22.66	17.24	60.09	4.18	3.85	5.28	5.06	4.29	<5	c	40.34	31.42

Depth (cm)	pH (1:2.5)			E.C. (1:2.5) dS m <sup>-1</sup>	O.C. %	CaCO <sub>3</sub> %	Exchangeable bases					CEC	CEC/Clay	Base saturation %	ESP %
	Water	CaCl <sub>2</sub>	M KCl				Ca	Mg	K	Na	Total				
0-24	8.4	-	-	0.265	0.2	8.04	-	-	0.97	0.65	-	43.25	0.94	-	0.60
24-50	9.27	-	-	0.23	0.37	8.04	-	-	0.31	3.21	-	41.66	0.91	-	3.08
50-85	9.44	-	-	0.297	0.41	8.64	-	-	0.35	6.43	-	43.99	0.91	-	5.85
85-124	9.37	-	-	0.46	0.41	11.40	-	-	0.42	7.99	-	51.09	0.85	-	6.26





## INTERPRETATION FOR LAND RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

The most important soil and site characteristics that affect the land use and conservation needs of an area are land capability, land irrigability, soil depth, soil texture, coarse fragments, available water capacity, soil slope, soil erosion, soil reaction etc. These are interpreted from the data base generated through land resource inventory and several thematic maps are generated. These would help in identifying the areas suitable for growing crops and, soil and water conservation measures and structures needed thus helping to maintain good soil health for sustained crop production. The various thematic maps generated are described below.

### 5.1 Land Capability Classification

Land capability classification is an interpretative grouping of soil map units (soil phases) mainly based on inherent soil characteristics, external land features and environmental factors that limit the use of land for agriculture, pasture, forestry, or other uses on a sustained basis (IARI, 1971). The land and soil characteristics used to group the land resources in an area into various land capability classes, subclasses and units are

*Soil characteristics:* Soil depth, soil texture, coarse fragments, soil reaction, available water capacity, calcareousness, salinity/alkali *etc.*

*Land characteristics:* Slope, erosion, drainage, rock outcrops.

*Climate:* Total rainfall and its distribution, and length of crop growing period.

The Land Capability Classification system is divided into land capability classes, subclasses and units based on the level of information available. Eight land capability classes are recognized. They are

*Class I:* They are very good lands that have no limitations or very few limitations that restrict their use.

*Class II:* They are good lands that have minor limitations and require moderate conservation practices.

*Class III:* They are moderately good lands that have severe limitations that reduce the choice of crops or that require special conservation practices.

*Class IV:* They are fairly good lands that have very severe limitations that reduce the choice of crops or that require very careful management.

*Class V:* Soils in these lands are not likely to erode, but have other limitations like wetness that are impractical to remove and as such not suitable for agriculture, but suitable for pasture or forestry with minor limitations.

*Class VI:* The lands have severe limitations that make them generally unsuitable for cultivation, but suitable for pasture or forestry with moderate limitations.

*Class VII:* The lands have very severe limitations that make them unsuitable for cultivation, but suitable for pasture or forestry with major limitations.

*Class VIII:* Soil and other miscellaneous areas (rock lands) that have very severe limitations that nearly preclude their use for any crop production, but suitable for wildlife, recreation and installation of wind mills.

The land capability subclasses are recognized based on the dominant limitations observed within a given land capability class. The subclasses are designated by adding a lower case letter like ‘e’, ‘w’, ‘s’, or ‘c’ to the class numeral. The subclass “e” indicates that the main hazard is risk of erosion, “w” indicates drainage or wetness as a limitation for plant growth, “s” indicates shallow soil depth, coarse or heavy textures, calcareousness, salinity/alkalinity or gravelliness and “c” indicates limitation due to climate.

The land capability subclasses have been further subdivided into land capability units based on the kinds of limitations present in each subclass. Ten land capability units are used in grouping the soil map units. They are stony or rocky (0), erosion hazard (slope, erosion) (1), coarse texture (sand, loamy sand, sandy loam) (2), fine texture (cracking clay, silty clay) (3), slowly permeable subsoil (4), coarse underlying material (5), salinity/alkali (6), stagnation, overflow, high ground water table (7), soil depth (8) and fertility problems (9). The capability units thus identified have similar soil and land characteristics that respond similarly to a given level of management. The soils of the microwatershed have been classified upto land capability subclass level.

The 25 soil map units identified in the Bhanapur Microwatershed are grouped under three land capability classes and five land capability subclasses (Fig. 5.1).

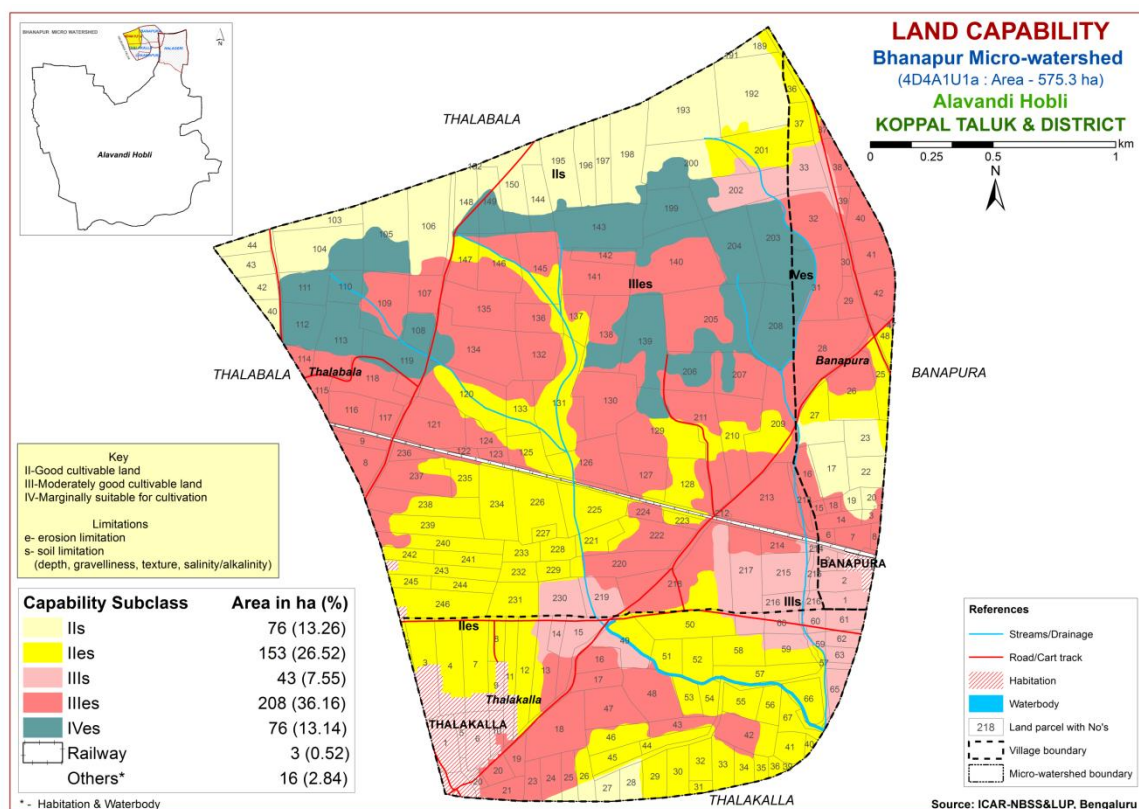


Fig. 5.1 Land Capability map of Bhanapur Microwatershed

Entire cultivated area in the microwatershed is suitable for agriculture. Good lands (Class II) cover an area of about 229 ha (40%) and distributed in the southern, western and northern part of the microwatershed with minor problems of soil and erosion. Moderately good lands (Class III) occupy an area of about 251 ha (44%) and distributed in the major part of the microwatershed with severe limitations of soil and erosion. Fairly good lands cover an area of about 76 ha (13%) and distributed in the northern part of the microwatershed. An area of about 3 ha (<1%) is covered by railway and 16 ha (3%) is covered by habitation and water body.

## 5.2 Soil Depth

Soil depth refers to the depth of the soil occurring above the parent material or hard rock. The depth of the soil determines the effective rooting depth for plants and in accordance with soil texture, mineralogy and gravel content, the capacity of the soil column to hold water and nutrient availability. Soil depth is one of the most important soil characteristic that is used in differentiating soils into different soil series. The soil depth classes used in identifying soils in the field are very shallow (<25 cm), shallow (25-50 cm), moderately shallow (50-75 cm), moderately deep (75-100 cm), deep (100-150 cm) and very deep (>150 cm). They were used to classify the soils into different depth classes and a soil depth map was generated (Fig. 5.2). The area extent and their geographical distribution in the microwatershed is given in Fig. 5.2.

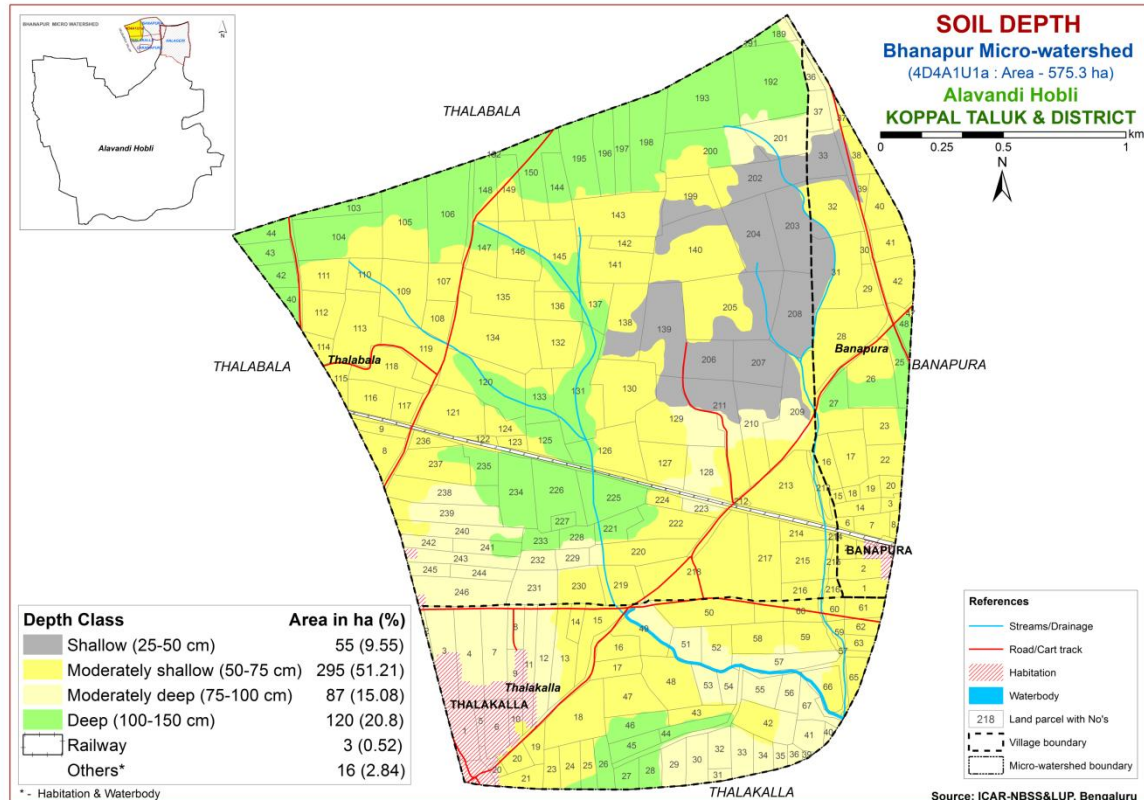


Fig. 5.2 Soil Depth map of Bhanapur Microwatershed

Shallow soils (25-50 cm) cover about 55 ha (10%) and distributed in the northeastern part of the microwatershed. Moderately shallow (50-75 cm) soils cover a maximum area of about 295 ha (51%) and distributed in the major part of the microwatershed. An area of about 87 ha (15%) is moderately deep soils (75-100 cm) and distributed in the southern and western part of the microwatershed. Deep (100- 150 cm) soils occupy an area of about 120 ha (21%) and distributed in the northern and central part of the microwatershed.

The most productive lands cover about 120 ha (21%) where all climatically adopted long duration crops be grown. Problem soils cover an area of 55 ha (10%) where occasionally short duration crops can be grown. The probability of crop failure is very high

### **5.3 Surface Soil Texture**

Texture is an expression to indicate the coarseness or fineness of the soil as determined by the relative proportion of primary particles of sand, silt and clay. It has a direct bearing on the structure, porosity, adhesion and consistence. The surface layer of a soil to a depth of about 25 cm is the layer that is most used by crops and plants. The surface soil textural class provides a guide to understanding soil-water retention and availability, nutrient holding capacity, infiltration, workability, drainage, physical and chemical behavior, microbial activity and crop suitability. The textural classes used for LRI were used to classify and a surface soil texture map was generated. The area extent and their geographical distribution in the microwatershed is shown in Fig 5.3.

An area of about 39 ha (7%) is sandy (loamy sand) and distributed in the southwestern part of the microwatershed. An area of about 335 ha (58%) is loamy (sandy loam and sandy clay loam) at the surface and distributed in the major part of the microwatershed. Clayey (sandy clay and clay) soils cover about 181 ha (32%) and are distributed in the northern and southeastern part of the microwatershed.

The most productive lands with respect to surface soil texture are clayey soils that (32%) have high potential for soil-water retention and availability and nutrient retention and availability, but have more problems of drainage, infiltration, workability and other physical problems. The other productive lands are loamy (58%) soils which also have high potential for soil- water retention and nutrient availability but have no drainage or other physical problems. Sandy soils (7%) have the major limitations of moisture and nutrient retention capacity, hence frequent and shallow irrigation with balanced fertilizer application is to be followed in order to get better crop yields.

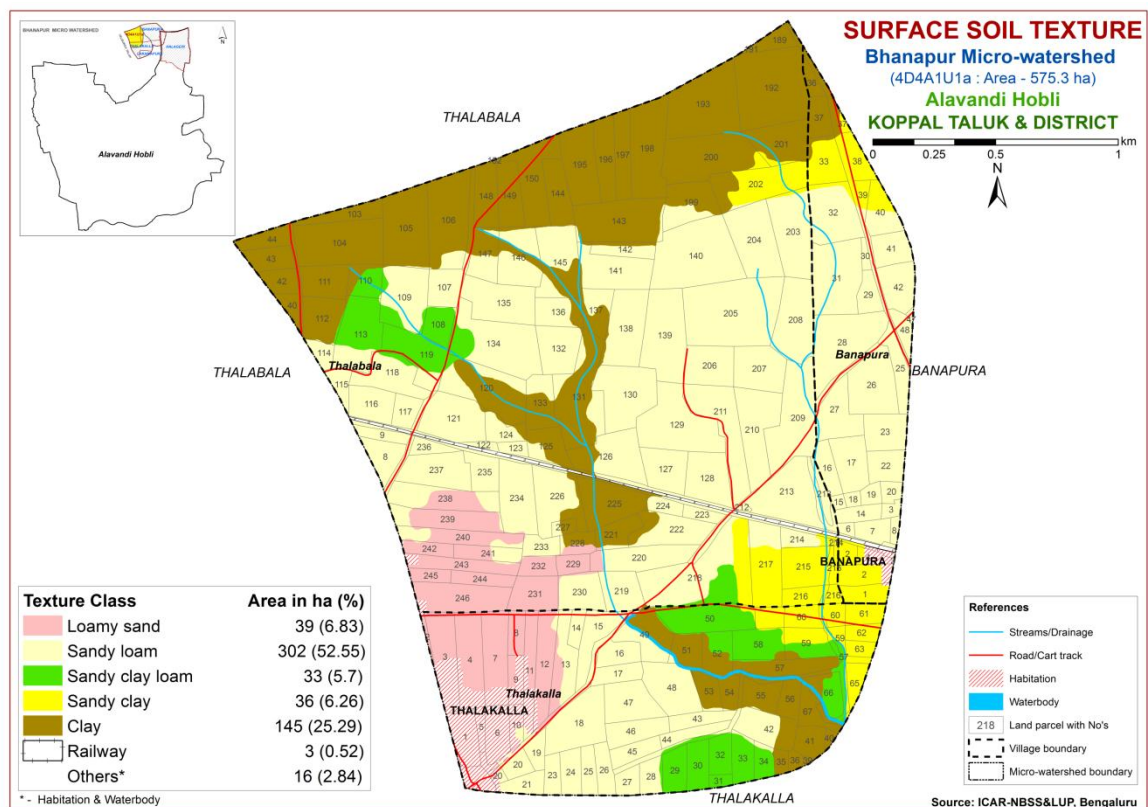


Fig. 5.3 Surface Soil Texture map of Bhanapur Microwatershed

#### 5.4 Soil Gravelliness

Gravel is the term used for describing coarse fragments between 2 mm and 7.5 cm diameter and stones for those between 7.5 cm and 25 cm. The presence of gravel and stones in soil reduces the volume of soil responsible for moisture and nutrient storage, drainage, infiltration and runoff, and hinders plant growth by impeding root growth and seedling emergence, intercultural operations and farm mechanization. The gravelliness classes used in LRI were used to classify the soils and using these classes a gravelliness map was generated. The area extent and their geographic distribution in the microwatershed is shown in Fig. 5.4.

The soils that are non-gravelly (<15% gravel) cover an area of about 135 ha (24%) and distributed in the southern and northern part of the microwatershed. Maximum area of about 212 ha (37 %) is covered by gravelly (15-35% gravel) soils and are distributed in the major part of the microwatershed. An area of about 197 ha (34%) is covered by very gravelly (35-60%) soils and distributed in the central and western part of the microwatershed. Extremely gravelly soils (60-80%) cover about 12 ha (2%) and distributed in the northwestern part of the microwatershed (Fig. 5.4).

The most productive lands with respect to gravelliness are found to be 24 per cent. They are non-gravelly with less than 15 per cent gravel and have potential for growing both annual and perennial crops. The problem soils that are very gravelly (35-60%) to extremely gravelly (60-80%) cover about 36 per cent where only short duration crops can be grown.



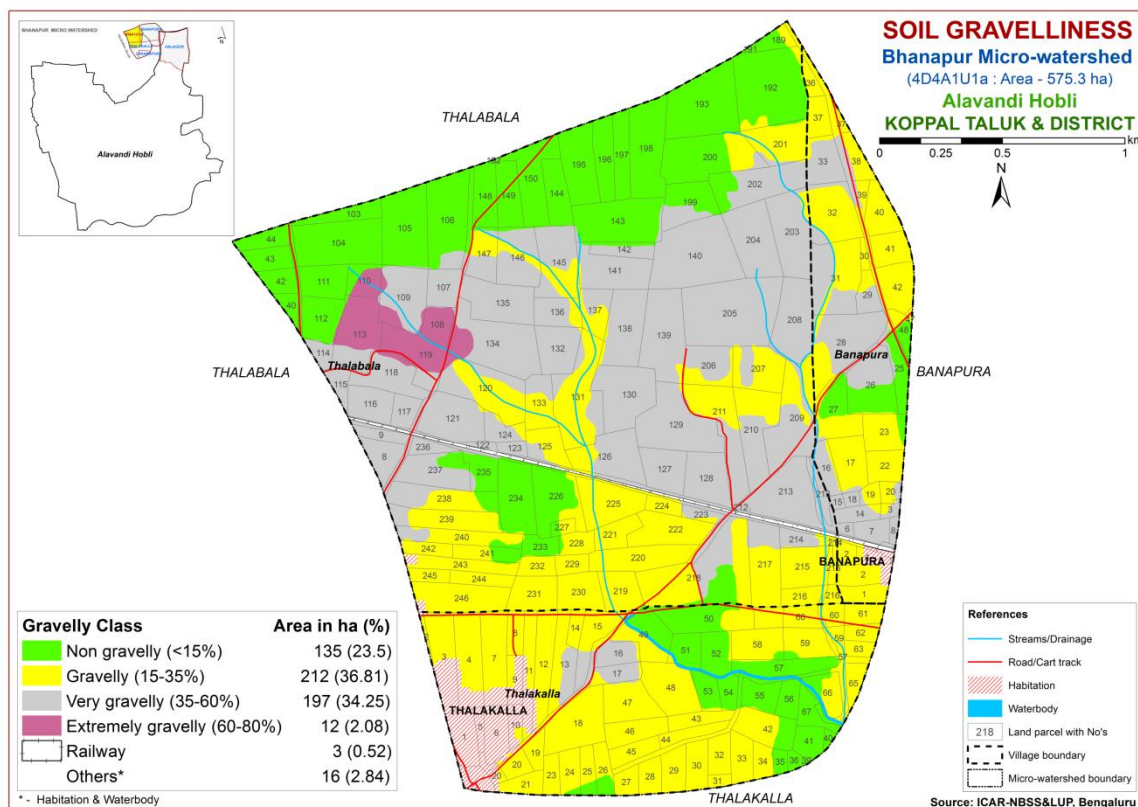


Fig. 5.4 Soil Gravelliness map of Bhanapur Microwatershed

### 5.5 Available Water Capacity

The soil available water capacity (AWC) is estimated based on the ability of the soil column to retain water between the tensions of 0.33 and 15 bar in a depth of 100 cm or the entire solum if the soil is shallower. The AWC of the soils (soil series) as estimated by considering the soil texture, mineralogy, soil depth and gravel content (Sehgal *et al.*, 1990) and accordingly the soil map units were grouped into five AWC classes *viz.*, very low (<50 mm/m), low (50-100 mm/m), medium (100-150 mm/m), high (150-200 mm/m) and very high (>200 mm/m) and using these values, an AWC map was generated. The area extent and their geographic distribution of different AWC classes in the microwatershed is shown in Fig. 5.5.

Maximum area of about 300 ha (52%) in the microwatershed has soils that are very low (<50 mm/m) in available water capacity and are distributed in the major part of the microwatershed. An area of about 109 ha (19%) has soils that are low (51 to 100 mm/m) in available water capacity and are distributed in the southern, western and eastern part of the microwatershed. An area of about 57 ha (10%) has soils that are medium (101-150 mm/m) in available water capacity and are distributed in the northern and southern part of the microwatershed. An area of about 90 ha (16%) very high (>200 mm/min) in available water capacity and distributed in the northern and central part of the microwatershed.

An area of about 300 ha (52%) in the microwatershed has soils that are problematic with regard to available water capacity. Here, only short duration crops can

be grown and the probability of crop failure is very high. These areas are best put to other alternative uses. An area of about 90 ha (16%) has soils that have high potential (151- >200 mm/m) with regard to available water capacity where all climatically adapted long duration crops can be grown successfully.

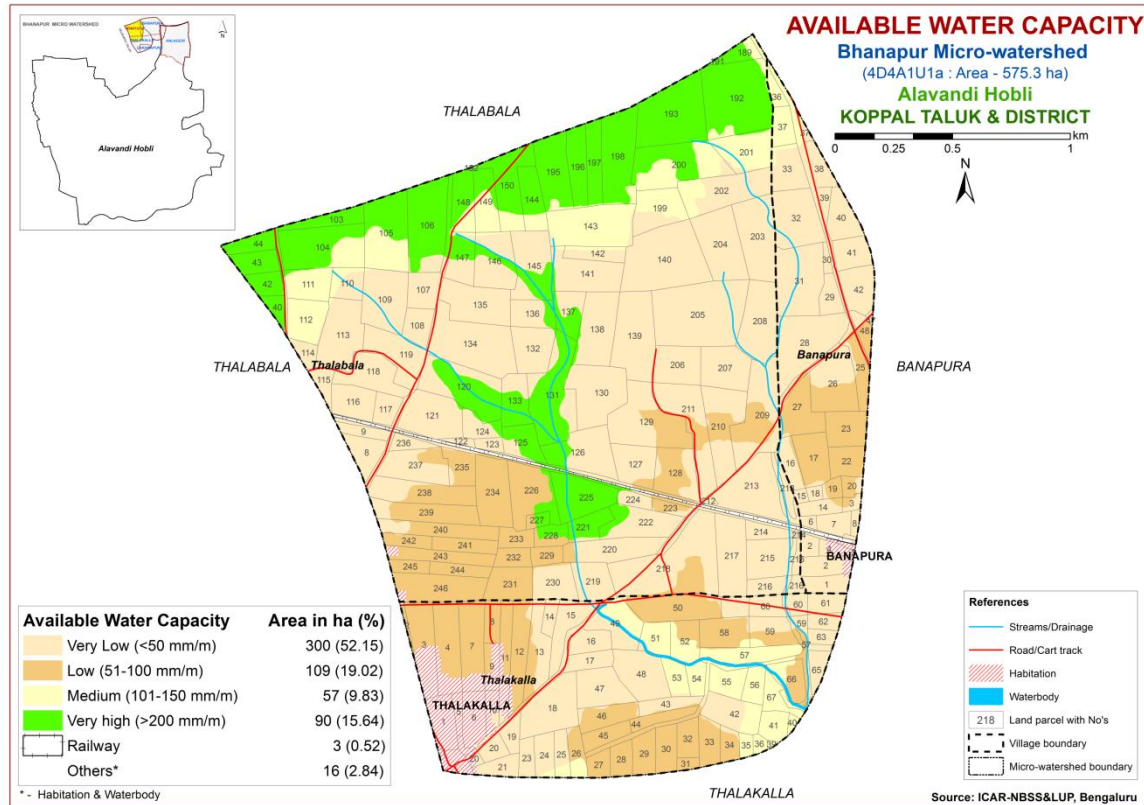


Fig. 5.5 Soil Available Water Capacity map of Bhanapur Microwatershed

## 5.6 Soil Slope

Soil slope refers to the inclination of the surface of the land. It is defined by gradient, shape and length, and is an integral feature of any soil as a natural body. Slope is considered important in soil genesis, land use and land development. The length and gradient of slope influences the rate of runoff, infiltration, erosion and deposition. The soil map units were grouped into two slope classes and a slope map was generated showing the area extent and their geographic distribution of different slope classes in the microwatershed (Fig. 5.6).

Nearly level (0-1%) lands cover an area of about 4 ha (<1%) and distributed in the southern part of the microwatershed. Very gently sloping (1-3%) lands cover a maximum area of about 504 ha (88%) and distributed in the major part of the microwatershed. Gently sloping lands (3-5%) cover about 49 ha (8%) and distributed in the central part of the microwatershed. In all these areas, all climatically adapted annual and perennial crops can be grown without much soil and water conservation and other land development measures.

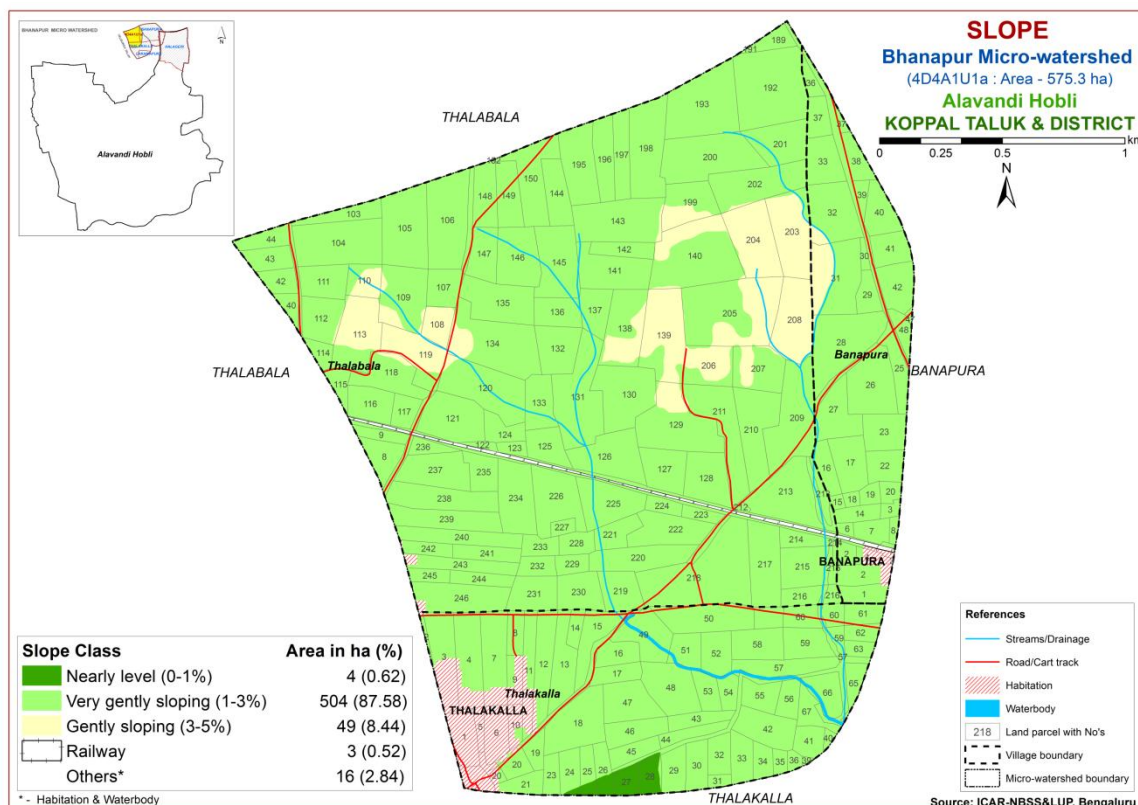


Fig. 5.6 Soil Slope map of Bhanapur Microwatershed

## 5.7 Soil Erosion

Soil erosion refers to the wearing away of the earth's surface by the forces of water, wind and ice involving detachment and transport of soil by raindrop impact. It is used for accelerated soil erosion resulting from disturbance of the natural landscape by burning, excessive grazing and indiscriminate felling of forest trees and tillage, all usually by man. The erosion classes showing an estimate of the current erosion status as judged from field observations in the form of rills, gullies or a carpet of gravel on the surface are recorded. Four erosion classes, viz, slight erosion (e1), moderate erosion (e2), severe erosion (e3) and very severe erosion (e4) are recognized. The soil map units were grouped into different erosion classes and a soil erosion map generated. The area extent and their spatial distribution in the microwatershed is given in Figure 5.7.

Slightly eroded lands cover an area of about 120 ha (21 %) and distributed in the eastern and northern part of the microwatershed. Maximum area of about 436 ha (76 %) is moderately eroded (e2 class) and distributed in the major part of the microwatershed. Moderately eroded lands are problematic and need appropriate soil and water conservation and other land development measures.



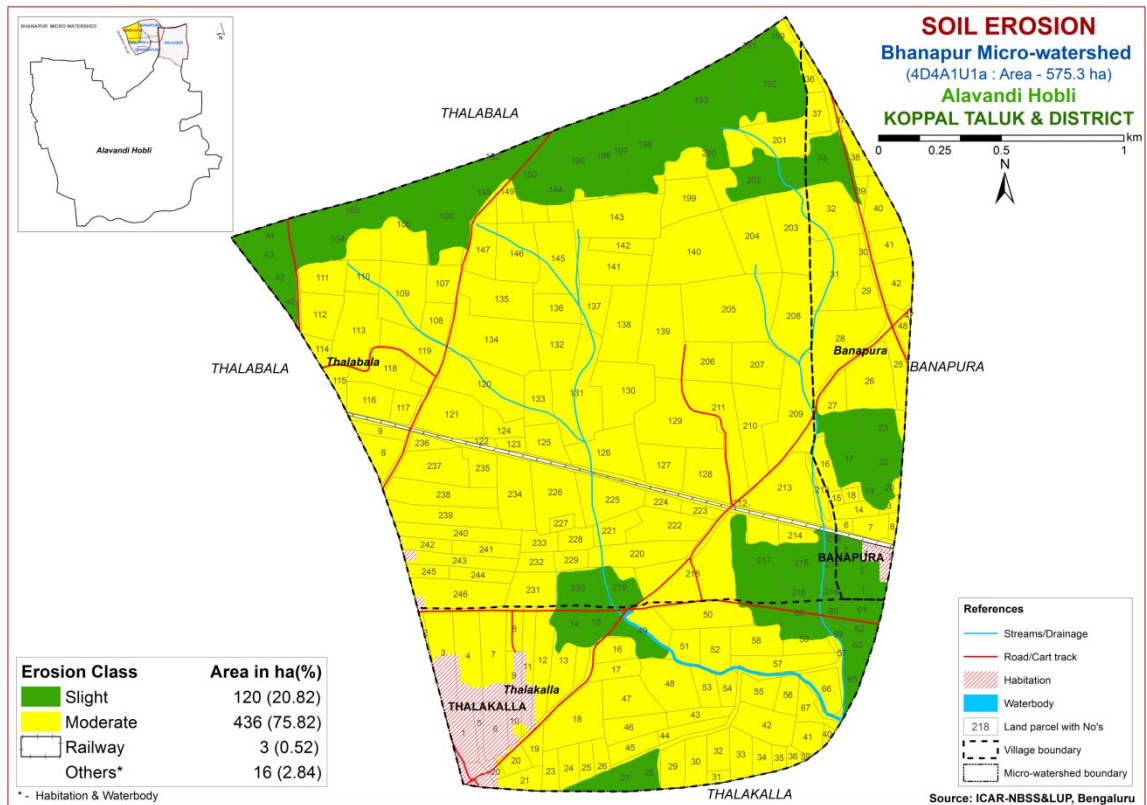


Fig. 5.7 Soil Erosion map of Bhanapur Microwatershed



## **FERTILITY STATUS**

Soil fertility plays an important role in increasing crop yield. The adoption of high yielding varieties that require high amounts of nutrients has resulted in deficiency symptoms in crops and plants due to imbalanced fertilization and poor inherent fertility status, as these areas are characterized by low rainfall and high temperatures. Hence, it is necessary to know the fertility (macro and micro nutrients) status of the soils of the watersheds for assessing the kind and amount of fertilizers required for each of the crop intended to be grown. For this purpose, the surface soil samples collected from the grid points (one soil sample at every 320 m grid interval) all over the microwatershed through land resource inventory in the year 2018 were analyzed for pH, EC, organic carbon, available phosphorus and potassium, and for micronutrients like zinc, boron, copper, iron and manganese, and secondary nutrient sulphur.

Soil fertility data generated has been assessed and individual maps for all the nutrients for the microwatershed have been generated by using the Kriging method under GIS. The village/survey number wise fertility data for the microwatershed is given in Appendix-II.

### **6.1 Soil Reaction (pH)**

The soil analysis of the Bhanapur microwatershed for soil reaction (pH) showed that moderately to slightly acid soils (pH 5.5-6.5) cover about 146 ha (25%) and distributed in the western and central part of the microwatershed. Neutral (pH 6.5-7.3) soils cover an area of about 194 ha (34%) and distributed in the western, eastern and central part of the microwatershed. Slightly alkaline soils (pH 7.3-7.8) cover a maximum area of about 207 ha (36%) and distributed in the major part of the microwatershed. Strongly alkaline (pH 8.4-9.0) soils cover an area of about 8 ha (1%) and distributed in the southern part of the microwatershed (Fig.6.1). An area of about 146 ha (25%) is acid, 194 ha (34%) is neutral and 215 ha (37%) is alkaline in reaction.

### **6.2 Electrical Conductivity (EC)**

The Electrical Conductivity of the soils of the entire microwatershed area is  $<2 \text{ dSm}^{-1}$  (Fig 6.2) and as such the soils are non-saline.

### **6.3 Organic Carbon**

An area of about 34 ha (6%) is low ( $<0.5\%$ ) in organic carbon and distributed in the southwestern part of the microwatershed. Maximum area of about 442 ha (77%) is medium (0.5-0.75%) and distributed in the major part of the microwatershed. An area of about 80 ha (14%) is high ( $>0.75\%$ ) and distributed in the southern part of the microwatershed (Fig.6.3).

## 6.4 Available Phosphorus

An area of about 4 ha (<1%) is low (<23 kg/ha) in available phosphorous and distributed in the northern microwatershed. An area of about 229 ha (40%) is medium (23-57 kg/ha) in available phosphorus and distributed in the southern, eastern and northern part of the microwatershed. Maximum area of about 323 ha(56%) is high (>57 kg/ha) and distributed in the major part of the microwatershed. The areas with high phosphorus content reduce 25 per cent from the recommended dose to avoid the excess application of fertilizer. Apply additional 25% phosphorus in areas where it is low and medium (Fig 6.4).

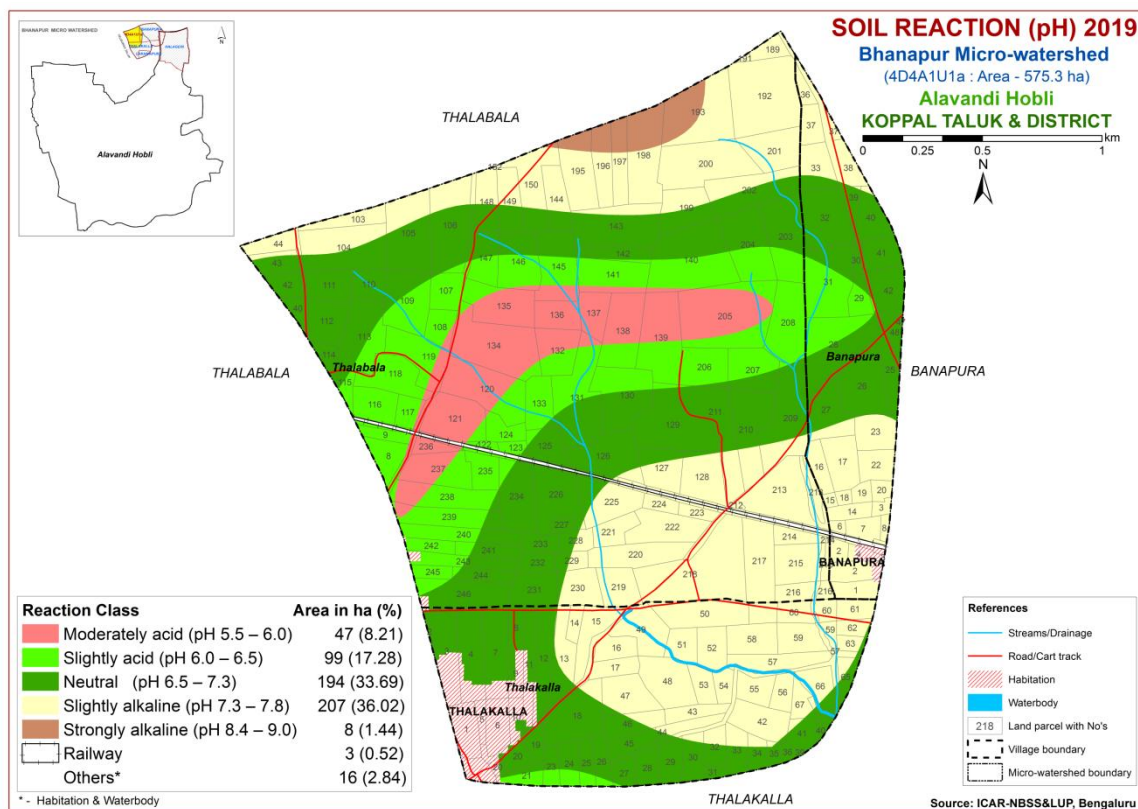


Fig.6.1 Soil Reaction (pH) map of Bhanapur Microwatershed

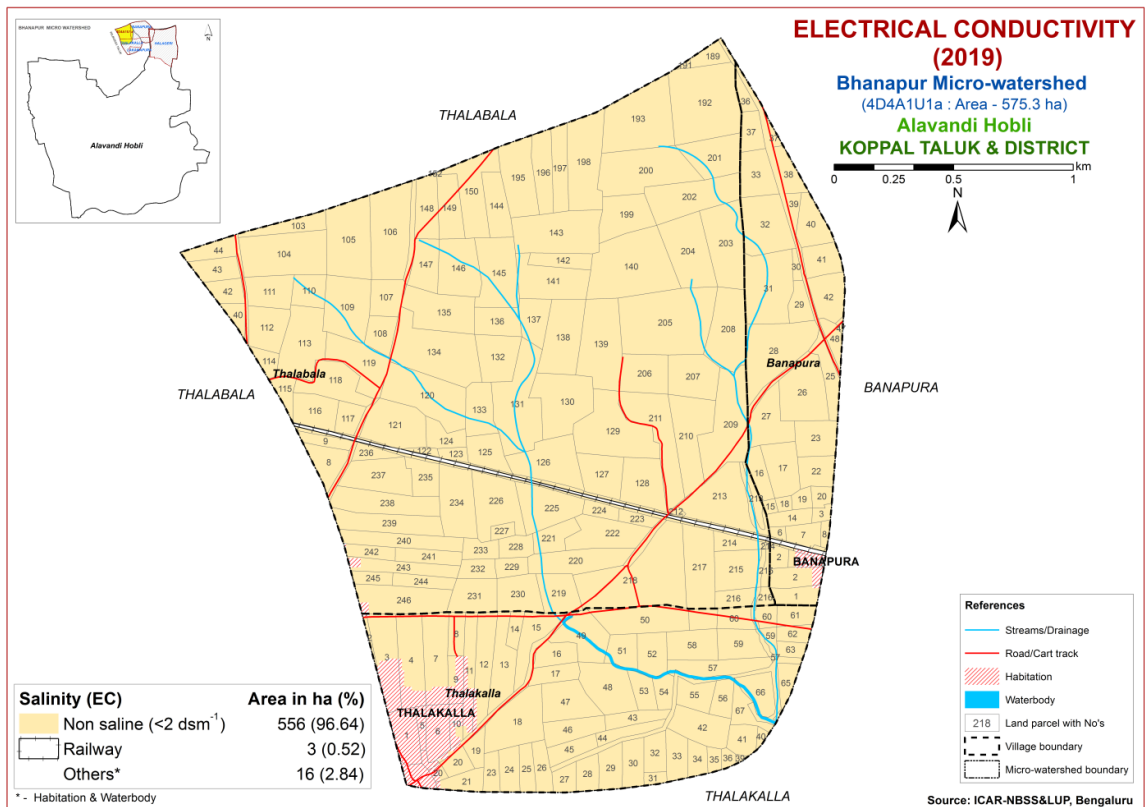


Fig.6.2 Electrical Conductivity (EC) map of Bhanapur Microwatershed

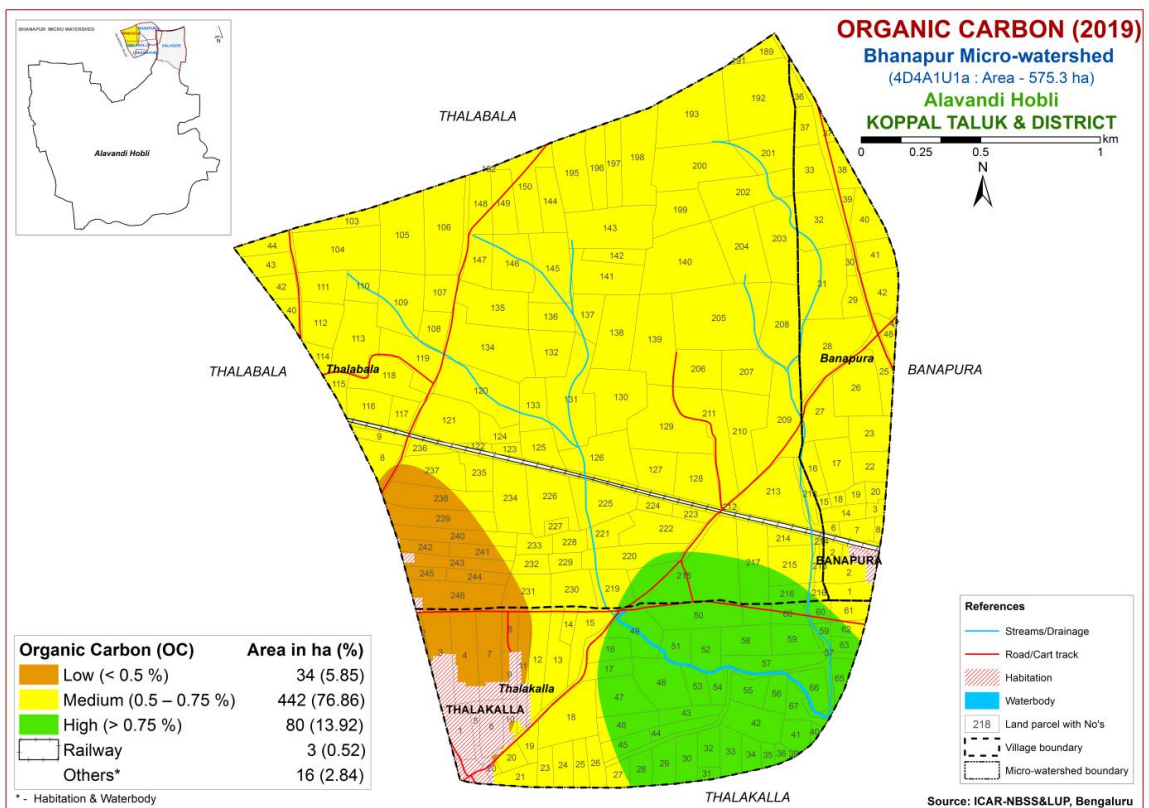


Fig.6.3 Soil Organic Carbon map of Bhanapur Microwatershed

### **6.5 Available Potassium**

Available potassium is medium (145-337 kg/ha) in 420 ha (73%) and distributed in the major part of the microwatershed. An area of about 136 ha (24%) is high (>337 kg/ha) and distributed in the southeastern part of the microwatershed. The areas with high potassium content reduce 25 per cent from the recommended dose to avoid the excess application of fertilizer. Apply additional 25% potassium in areas where it is medium (Fig 6.5).

### **6.6 Available Sulphur**

Soil analysis of available sulphur content in Bhanapur microwatershed showed that an area of about 423 ha (73%) is low and distributed in the major part of the microwatershed. An area of about 133 ha (23%) is medium (10-20 ppm) in available sulphur content and distributed in the southern part of the microwatershed (Fig.6.6). The areas that are low and medium in available sulphur need to be applied with magnesium sulphate or gypsum or factomphos (p) fertilizer (13% sulphur) for 2-3 years for the deficiency to be corrected.

### **6.7 Available Boron**

An area of about 420 ha (73%) is low (< 0.5ppm) in available boron and distributed in the major part of the microwatershed. An area of about 136 ha (24%) is medium (0.5-1.0 ppm) and distributed in the western, southern and eastern part of the microwatershed (Fig.6.7).

### **6.8 Available Iron**

Available iron content in the soils of the Bhanapur microwatershed is deficient (<4.5 ppm) in an area of about 164 ha (28%) and distributed in the eastern and northern part of the microwatershed. Maximum area of about 392 ha (68%) showed sufficiency (>4.5 ppm) with respect to iron content and distributed in the major part of the microwatershed (Fig 6.8).

### **6.9 Available Manganese**

Available manganese content is sufficient (>1.0 ppm) in the entire microwatershed area (Fig 6.9).

### **6.10 Available Copper**

Available copper content is sufficient (>0.2 ppm) in the entire microwatershed area (Fig 6.10).

### **6.11 Available Zinc**

Available zinc content is deficient (<0.6 ppm) in 512 ha (89 %) and distributed in the major part of the microwatershed. An area of about 44 ha (8%) is sufficient (>0.6 ppm) and distributed in the southwestern part of the microwatershed (Fig 6.11).



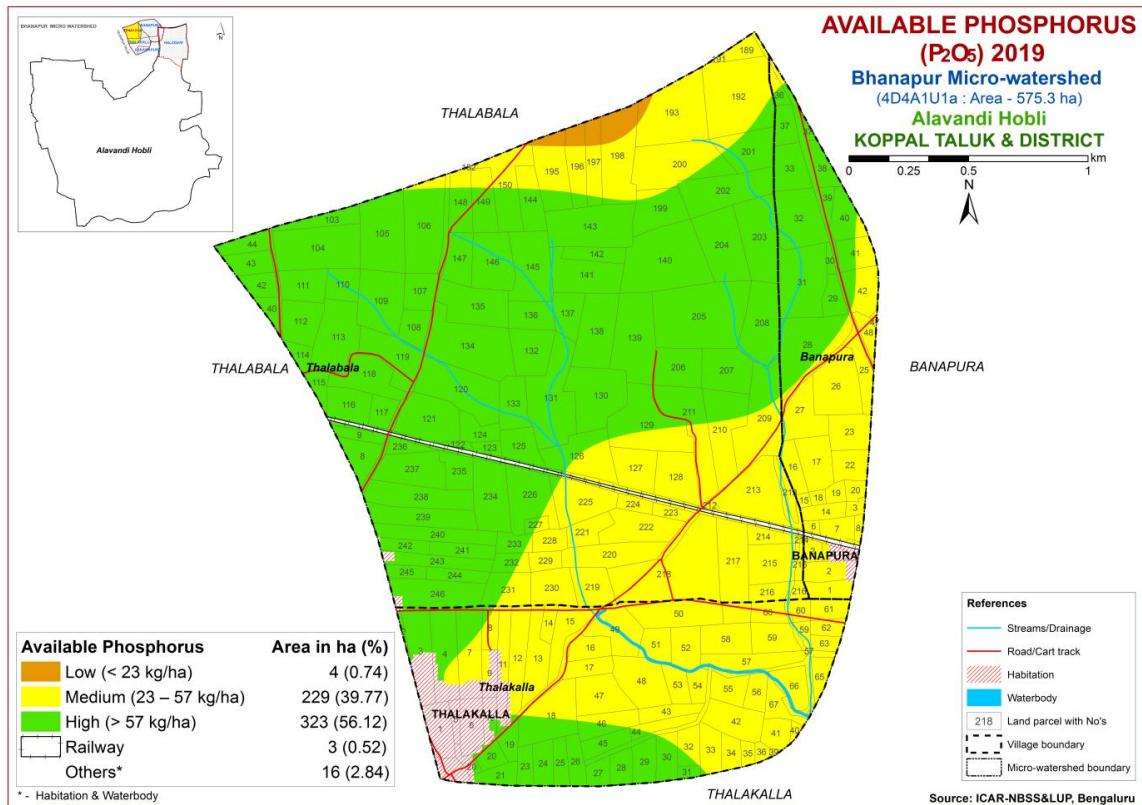


Fig.6.4 Soil Available Phosphorus map of Bhanapur Microwatershed

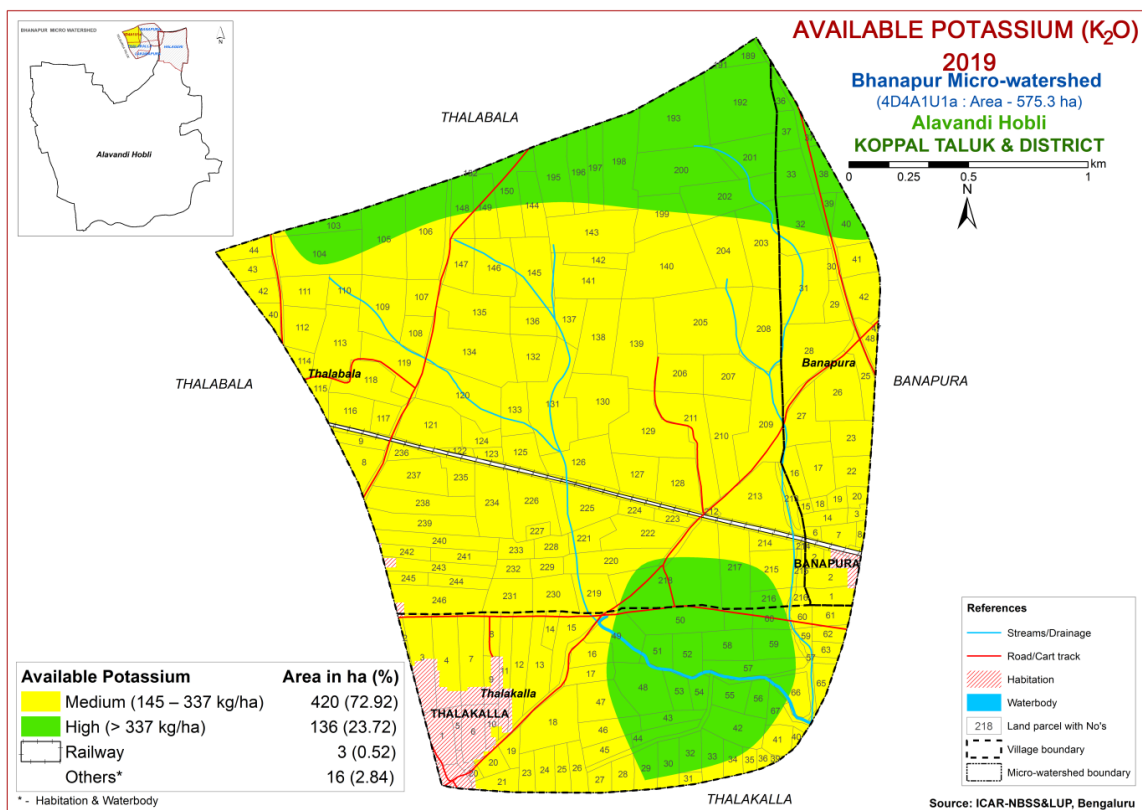


Fig.6.5 Soil Available Potassium map of Bhanapur Microwatershed

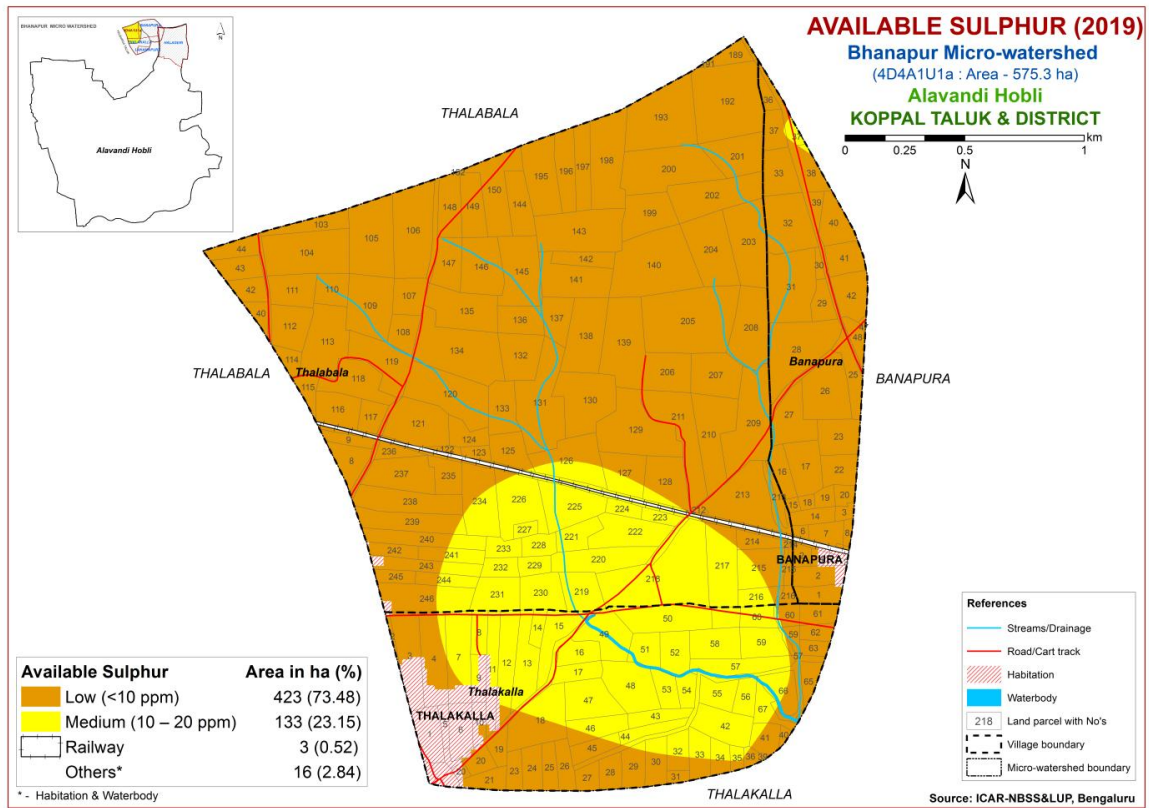


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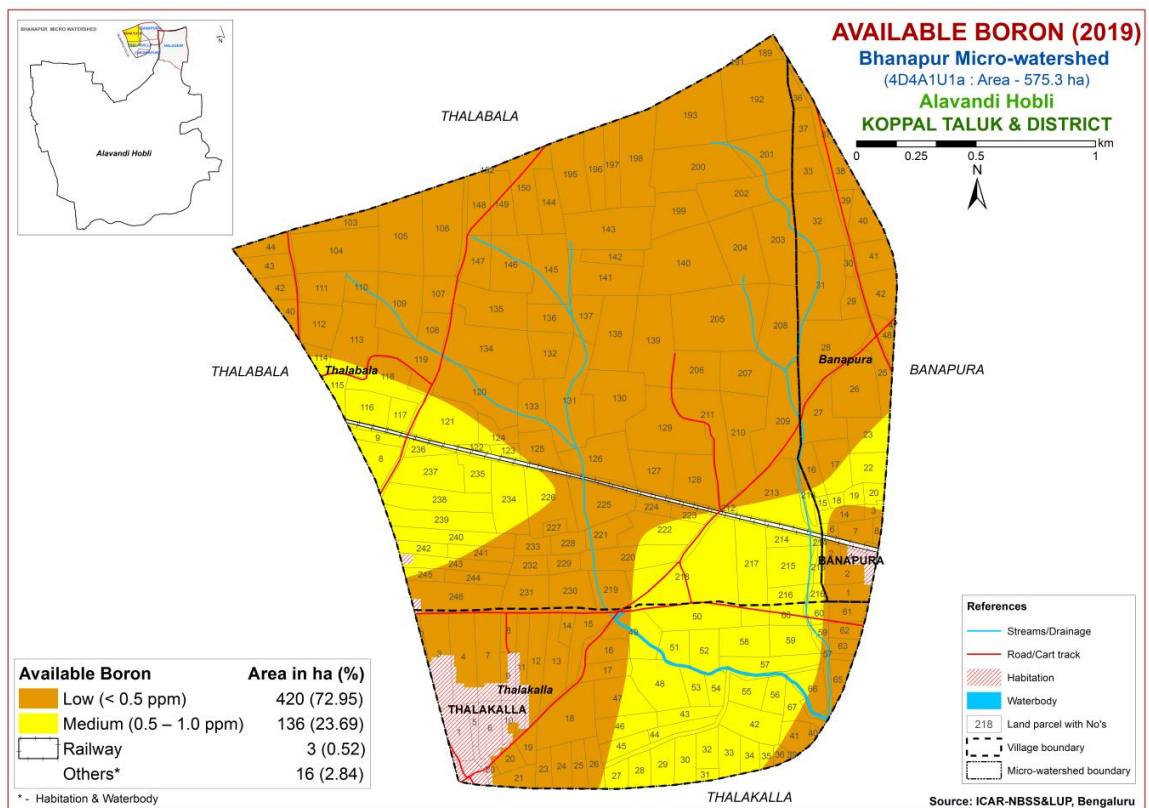


Fig.6.7 Soil Available Boron map of Bhanapur Microwatershed



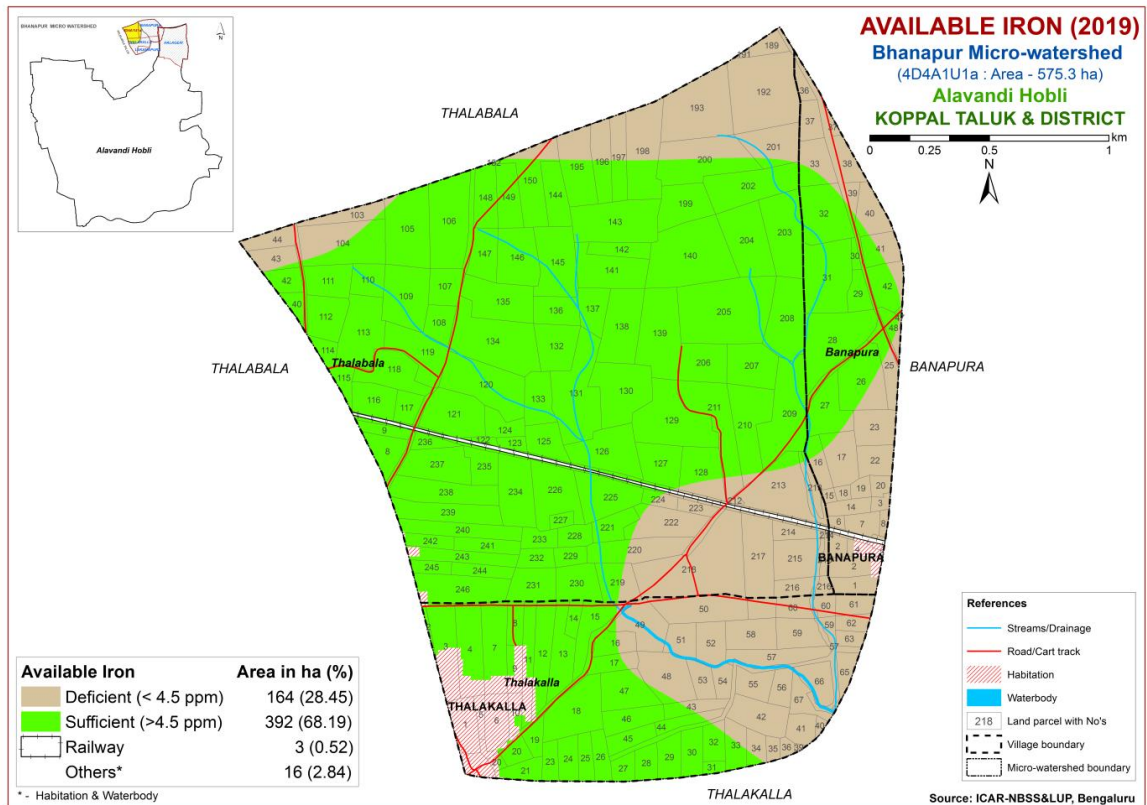


Fig.6.8 Soil Available Iron map of Bhanapur Microwatershed

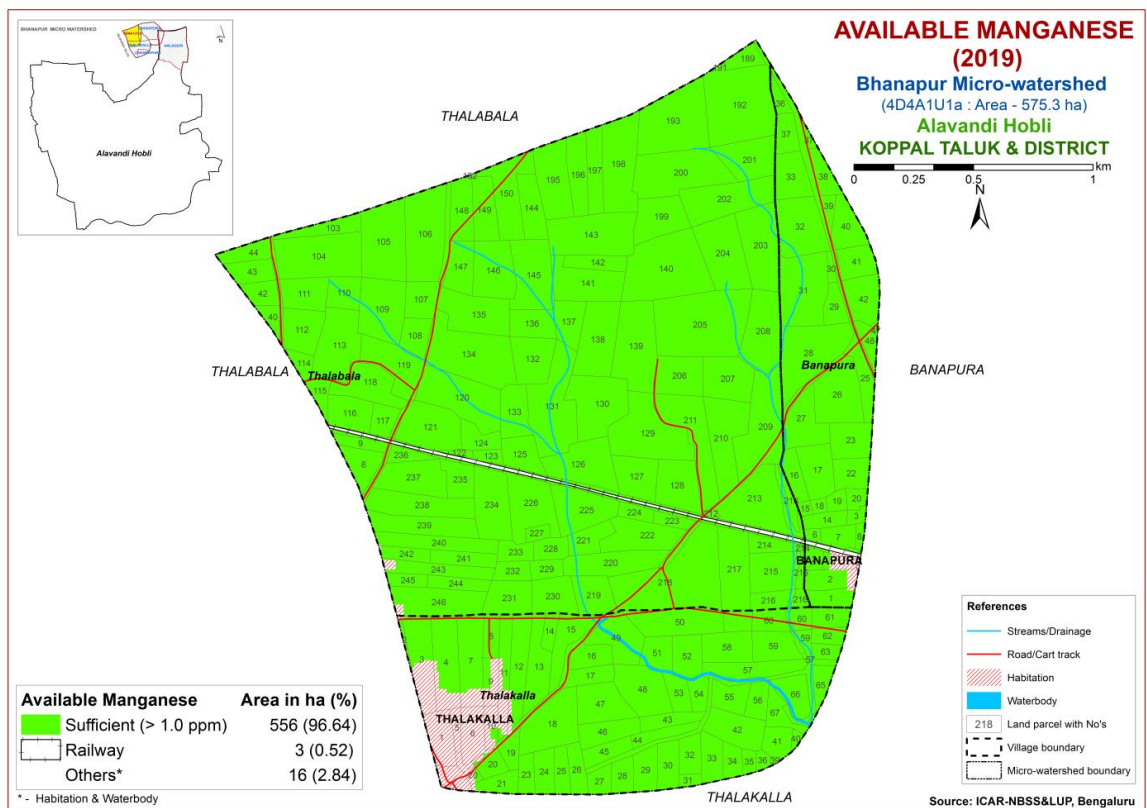


Fig.6.9 Soil Available Manganese map of Bhanapur Microwatershed

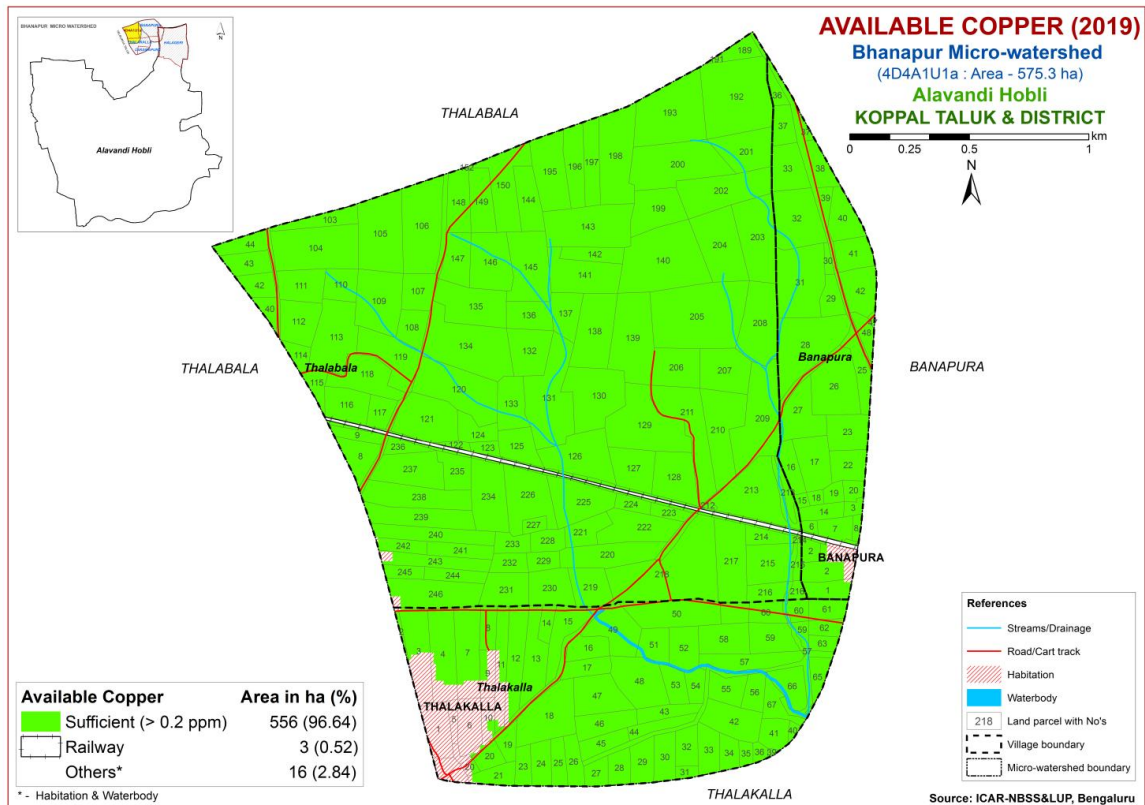


Fig.6.10 Soil Available Copper map of Bhanapur Microwatershed

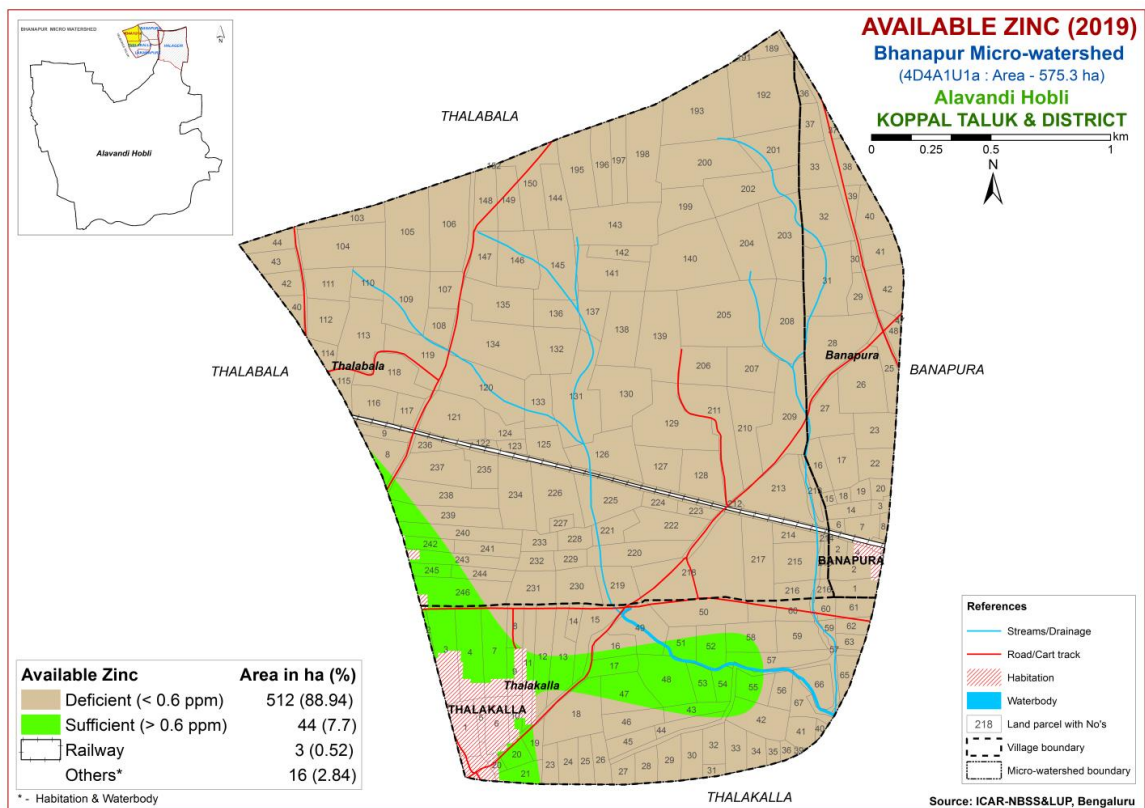


Fig.6.11 Soil Available Zinc map of Bhanapur Microwatershed

## LAND SUITABILITY FOR MAJOR CROPS

The soil and land resource units (soil phases) of Bhanapur Microwatershed were assessed for their suitability for growing food, fodder, fibre and other horticulture crops by following the procedure as outlined in FAO, 1976 and 1983. Crop requirements were developed for each of the crop from the available research data and also by referring to Naidu *et. al.* (2006) and Natarajan *et. al.* (2015). The soil and land characteristics were matched with the crop requirements to arrive at the crop suitability. The soil and land characteristics table (Table 7.1) were matched with the crop requirements (Tables 7.2-7.32) to arrive at the crop suitability and the crop requirement tables are given at the end of the chapter. In FAO land suitability classification, two orders are recognized. Order S- Suitable and Order N- Not suitable. The orders have classes, subclasses and units. Order S has three classes, Class S1- Highly Suitable, Class S2- Moderately Suitable and Class S3- Marginally Suitable. Order N has two Classes, N1- Currently not Suitable and N2- Permanently not Suitable. There are no subclasses within the Class S1 as they will have very minor or no limitations for crop growth. Classes S2, S3 and N1 are divided into subclasses based on the kinds of limitations encountered. The limitations that affect crop production are 'c' for erratic rainfall and its distribution and length of growing period (LGP), 'e' for erosion hazard, 'r' for rooting condition, 't' for lighter or heavy texture, 'g' for gravelliness or stoniness, 'n' for nutrient availability, 'l' for topography, 'm' for moisture availability, 's' for sodium 'z' for calcareousness and 'w' for drainage. These limitations are indicated as lower case letters to the class symbol. For example, moderately suitable lands with the limitations of soil depth and erosion are designated as S2re. For the microwatershed, the soil mapping units were evaluated and classified up to subclass level.

Using the above criteria, the soil map units of the microwatershed were evaluated and land suitability maps for 31 major agricultural and horticultural crops were generated. The detailed information on the kind of suitability of each of the soil phase for the crops assessed are given village/ survey number wise for the microwatershed in Appendix-III.

### 7.1 Land Suitability for Sorghum (*Sorghum bicolor*)

Sorghum is one of the major food crop grown in Karnataka in an area of 10.47 lakh ha in Bijapur, Gulbarga, Raichur, Bidar, Belgaum, Dharwad, Bellary, Chitradurga, Mysore and Chamarajnagar districts. The crop requirements for growing sorghum (Table 7.2) were matched with the soil-site characteristics (Table 7.1) of the soils of the microwatershed and a land suitability map for growing sorghum was generated. The area extent and their geographic distribution of different suitability subclasses in the microwatershed are given in Figure 7.1.

Highly suitable (Class S1) lands occupy an area of about 21 (4%) for growing sorghum and occur in the western part of the microwatershed. An area of about 197 ha



(34%) is moderately suitable (Class S2) for growing sorghum and distributed in the southern eastern and northern part of the microwatershed with minor limitations of gravelliness, rooting depth, texture and calcareousness. Maximum area of about 326 ha (57%) is marginally suitable for growing sorghum and distributed in the major part of the microwatershed. They have moderate limitations of gravelliness, rooting depth and nutrient availability. Area currently not suitable (Class N1) cover about 12 ha (2%) and distributed in the northwestern part of the microwatershed with severe limitation of gravelliness.

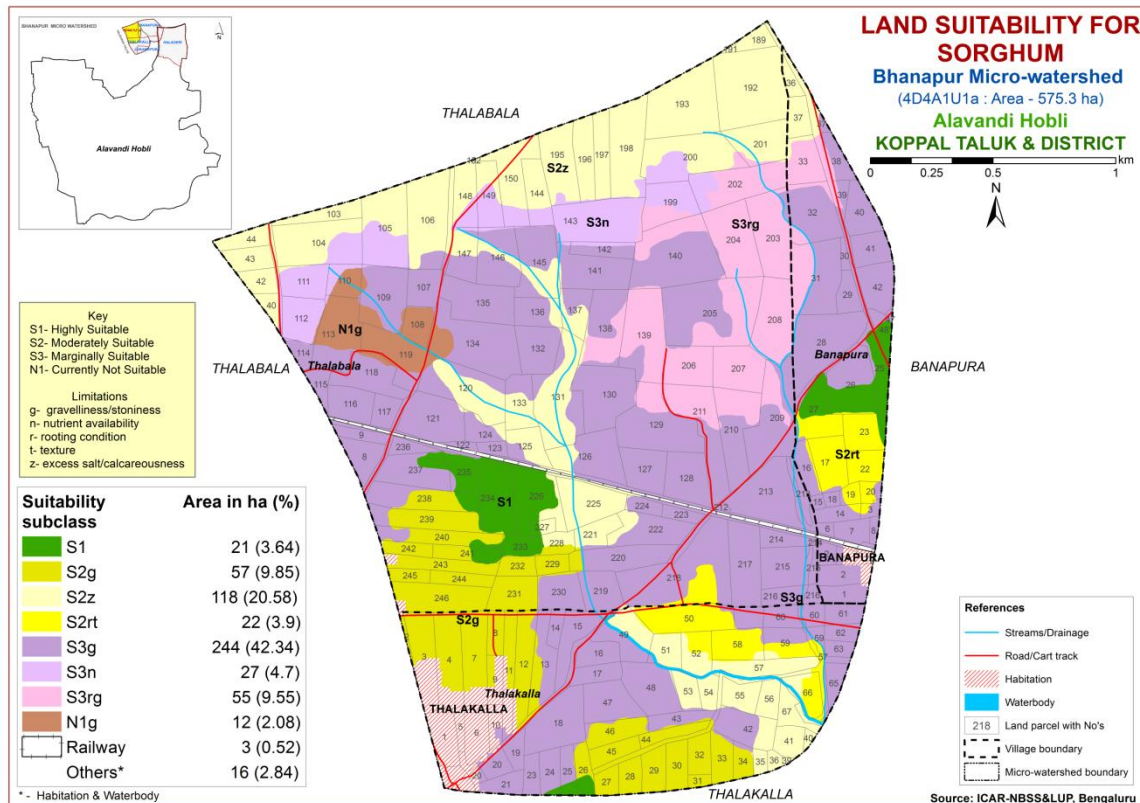


Fig. 7.1 Land Suitability map of Sorghum

## 7.2 Land Suitability for Maize (*Zea mays*)

Maize is one of the most important food crop grown in an area of 13.37 lakh ha in almost all the districts of the State. The crop requirements for growing maize (Table 7.3) were matched with the soil-site characteristics (Table 7.1) and a land suitability map for growing maize was generated. The area extent and their geographical distribution of different suitability subclasses in the microwatershed are given in Figure 7.2.

Highly suitable (Class S1) lands occupy an area of about 21 (4%) for growing maize and occur in the southern and western part of the microwatershed. An area of about 197 ha (34%) is moderately suitable (Class S2) for growing maize and distributed in the southern, western and northern part of the microwatershed with minor limitations of gravelliness, rooting depth, texture and calcareousness. Maximum area of about 326 ha (57%) is marginally suitable for growing major and distributed in the major part of the

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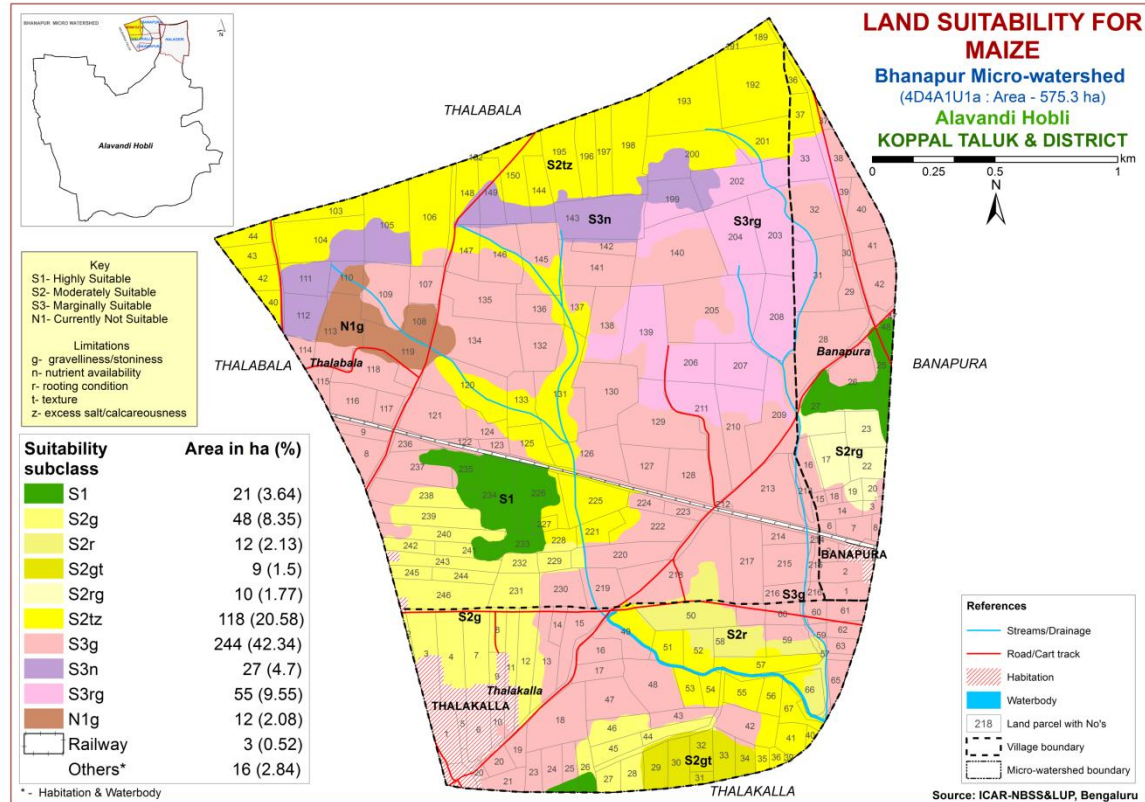


Fig. 7.2 Land Suitability map of Maize

### 7.3 Land Suitability for Bajra (*Pennisetum glaucum*)

Bajra is one of the major food crop grown in an area of 2.34 lakh ha in Karnataka in the northern districts. The crop requirements (Table 7.4) for growing bajra were matched with the soil-site characteristics (Table 7.1) of the soils of the microwatershed and a land suitability map for growing bajra was generated. The area extent and their geographic distribution of different suitability subclasses in the microwatershed are given in Figure 7.3.

Highly suitable (Class S1) lands occupy an area of about 60 ha (10 %) for growing bajra and occur in the western and eastern part of the microwatershed. Maximum area of about 401 ha (70%) is moderately suitable (Class S2) for growing bajra and distributed in the major part of the microwatershed with minor limitations of texture, calcareousness, rooting depth and gravelliness. An area of about 94 ha (16%) is marginally suitable for growing bajra and distributed in the northern part of the microwatershed. They have moderate limitations of gravelliness, nutrient availability and rooting depth.

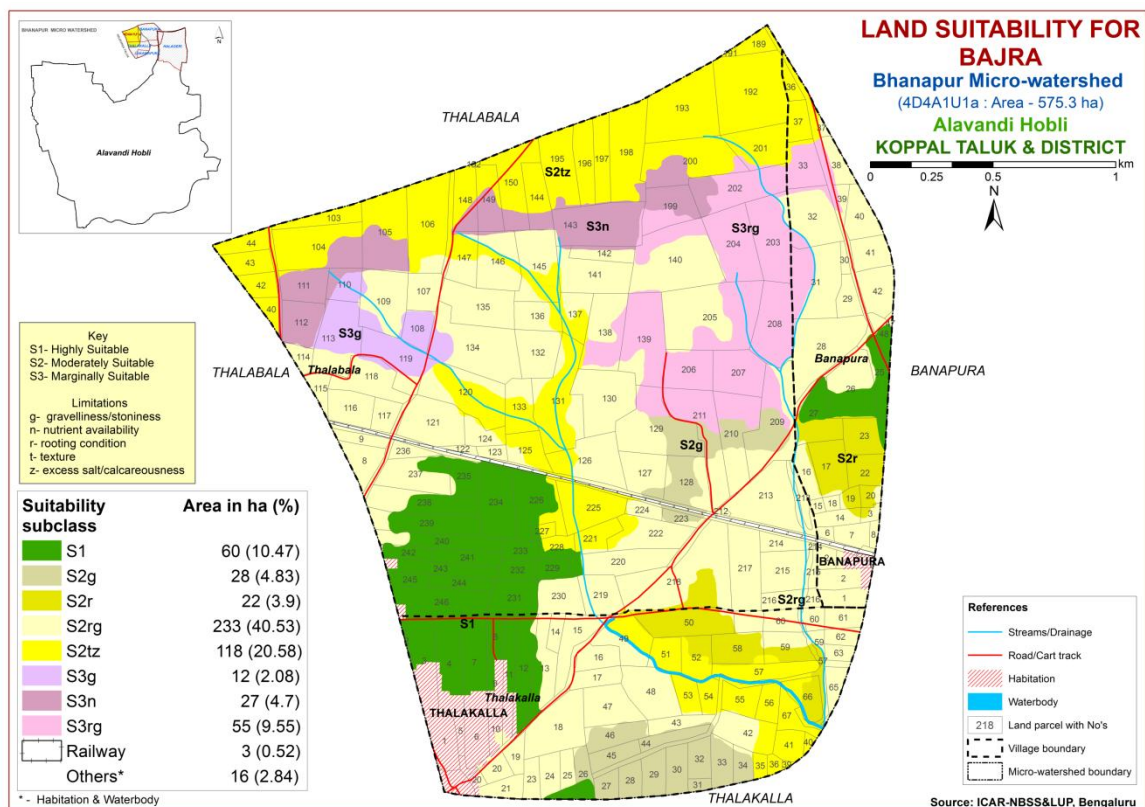


Fig. 7.3 Land Suitability map of Bajra

#### 7.4 Land Suitability for Redgram (*Cajanus cajan*)

Redgram is one of the most important pulse crop grown in an area of 7.28 lakh ha in almost all the districts of the State. The crop requirements for growing redgram (Table 7.5) were matched with the soil-site characteristics (Table 7.1) and a land suitability map for growing redgram was generated. The area extent and their geographical distribution of different suitability subclasses in the microwatershed is given in Figure 7.4.

Highly suitable (Class S1) lands occupy an area of about 21 ha (4 %) for growing redgram and occur in the western part of the microwatershed. An area of about 175 ha (30%) is moderately suitable (Class S2) for growing redgram and distributed in the southern, western and northern part of the microwatershed. They have minor limitations of gravelliness, calcareousness, rooting depth and texture. Marginally suitable lands (Class S3) occupy a maximum area of about 292 ha (51%) and occur in the major part of the microwatershed. They have moderate limitations of rooting depth, gravelliness, nutrient availability and texture. Area currently not suitable (Class N1) cover about 67 ha (12%) and distributed in the central and northern part of the microwatershed with severe limitations of gravelliness and rooting depth.



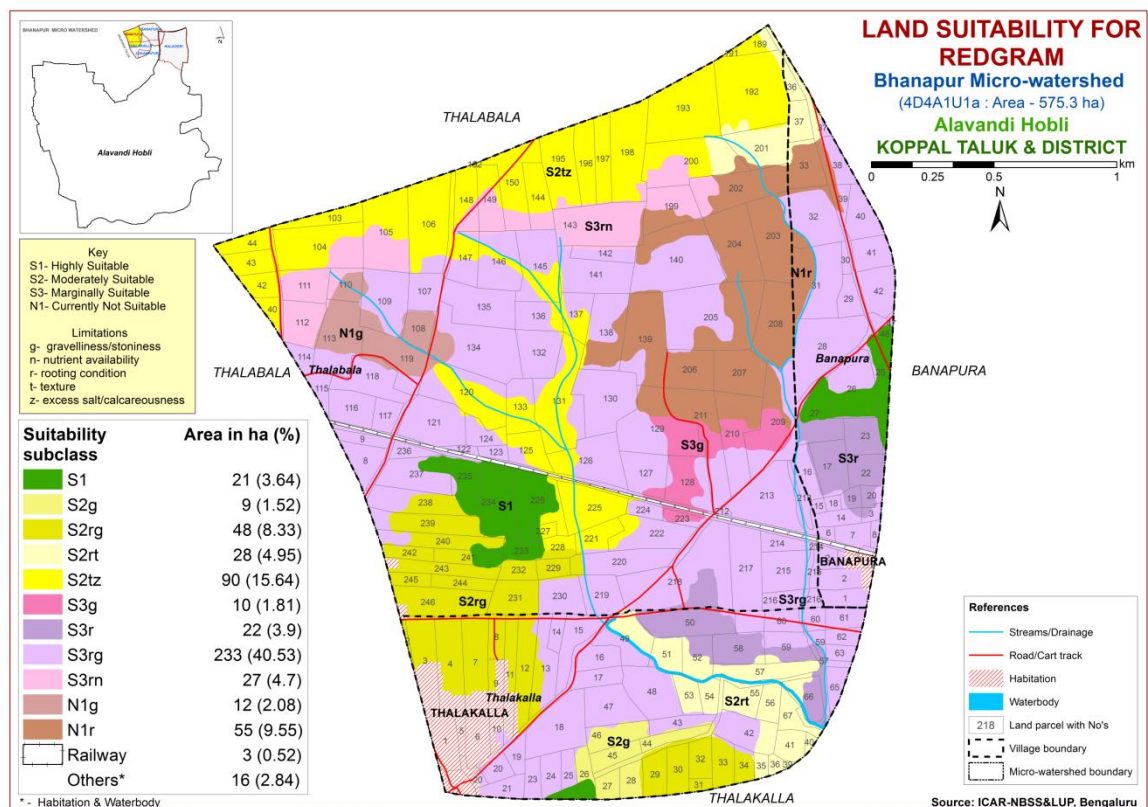


Fig. 7.4 Land Suitability map of Redgram

### 7.5 Land Suitability for Bengal gram (*Cicer arietinum*)

Bengal gram is one of the major pulse crop grown in an area of 9.39 lakh ha in northern Karnataka in Bijapur, Gulbarga, Raichur, Bidar, Belgaum, Dharwad and Bellary districts. The crop requirements for growing Bengal gram (Table 7.6) were matched with the soil-site characteristics (Table 7.1) of the soils of the microwatershed and a land suitability map for growing Bengal gram was generated. The area extent and their geographic distribution of different suitability subclasses in the microwatershed are given in Figure 7.5.

An area of about 118 ha (21%) is moderately suitable (Class S2) for growing bengalgram and are distributed in the central and northern part of the microwatershed. They have minor limitation of calcareousness. Marginally suitable (Class S3) lands cover an area of about 426 ha (74%) and are distributed in the major part of the microwatershed. They have moderate limitations of gravelliness, rooting depth, nutrient availability and texture. Area currently not suitable (Class N1) cover about 12 ha (2%) and distributed in the northwestern part of the microwatershed with severe limitation of gravelliness.

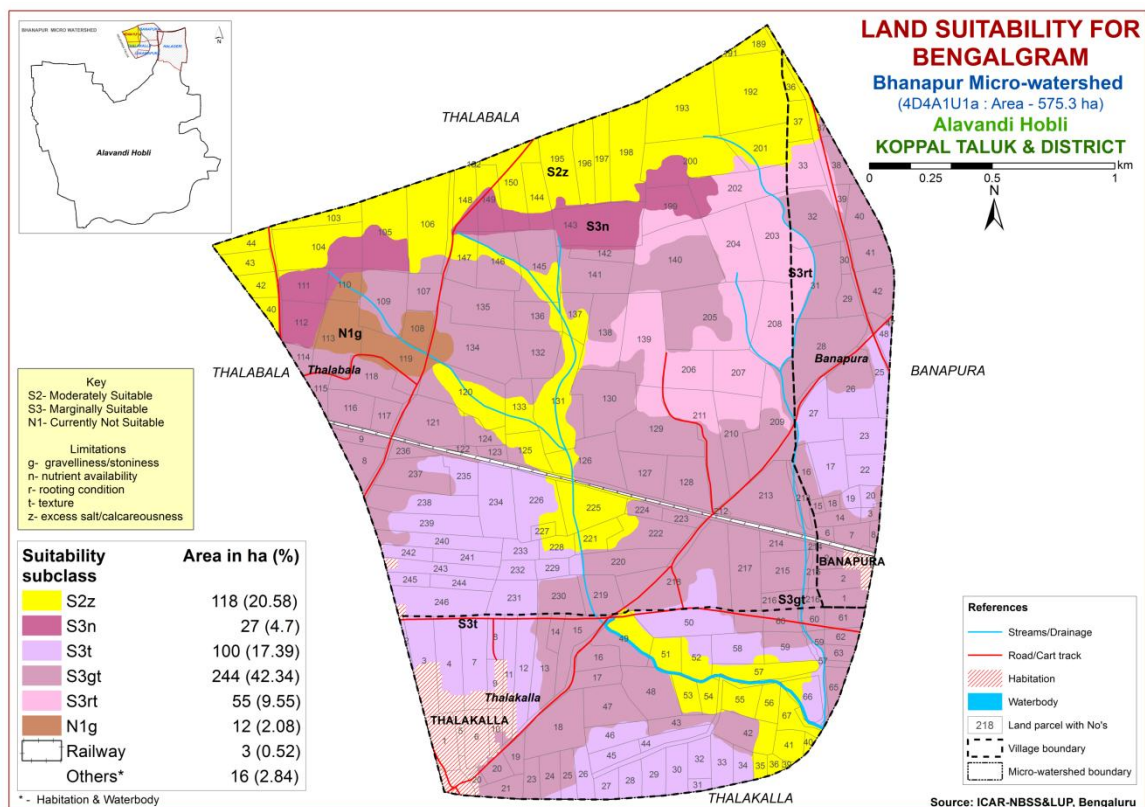


Fig. 7.5 Land Suitability map of Bengal gram

## 7.6 Land Suitability for Groundnut (*Arachis hypogaea*)

Groundnut is one of the major oilseed crop grown in an area of 6.54 lakh ha in Karnataka in most of the districts either as rainfed or irrigated crop. The crop requirements for growing groundnut (Table 7.7) were matched with the soil-site characteristics (Table 7.1) of the soils of the microwatershed and a land suitability map for growing groundnut was generated. The area extent and their geographic distribution of different suitability subclasses in the microwatershed are given in Figure 7.6.

Maximum area of about 334 ha (58%) is moderately suitable (Class S2) for growing groundnut and distributed in the major part of the microwatershed. They have minor limitations of gravelliness, rooting depth and texture. An area of about 194 ha (34%) is marginally suitable (Class S3) for growing groundnut and are distributed in the southern, central and northern part of the microwatershed with moderate limitations of gravelliness, rooting depth and texture. Area currently not suitable (Class N1) cover about 27 ha (5%) and distributed in the northern part of the microwatershed with severe limitation of nutrient availability.



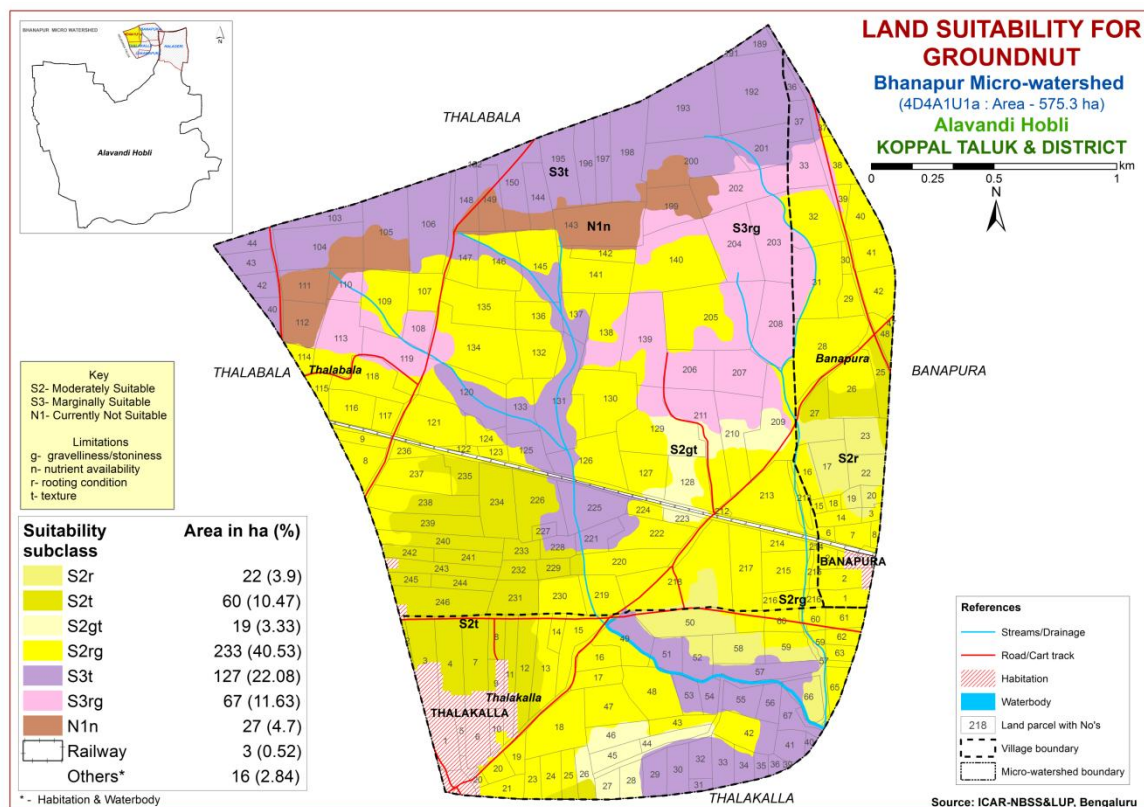


Fig. 7.6 Land Suitability map of Groundnut

### 7.7 Land Suitability for Sunflower (*Helianthus annus*)

Sunflower is one of the most important oilseed crop grown in an area of 3.56 lakh ha in the State in all the districts. The crop requirements for growing sunflower (Table 7.8) were matched with the soil-site characteristics (Table 7.1) and a land suitability map for growing sunflower was generated. The area extent and their geographical distribution of different suitability subclasses in the microwatershed is given in Figure 7.7.

An area of about 21 ha (4%) is highly suitable (Class S1) for growing sunflower and are distributed in the central and eastern part of the microwatershed. An area of about 175 ha (30%) is moderately suitable (Class S2) and are distributed in the southern, western and northern part of the microwatershed. They have minor limitations of gravelliness, calcareousness and rooting depth. Marginally suitable (Class S3) lands occupy a maximum area of about 265 ha (46%) and are distributed in the major part of the microwatershed with moderate limitations of rooting depth and gravelliness. Area currently not suitable (Class N1) cover about 94 ha (16%) and distributed in the northern and central part of the microwatershed with severe limitations of gravelliness, nutrient availability and rooting depth.

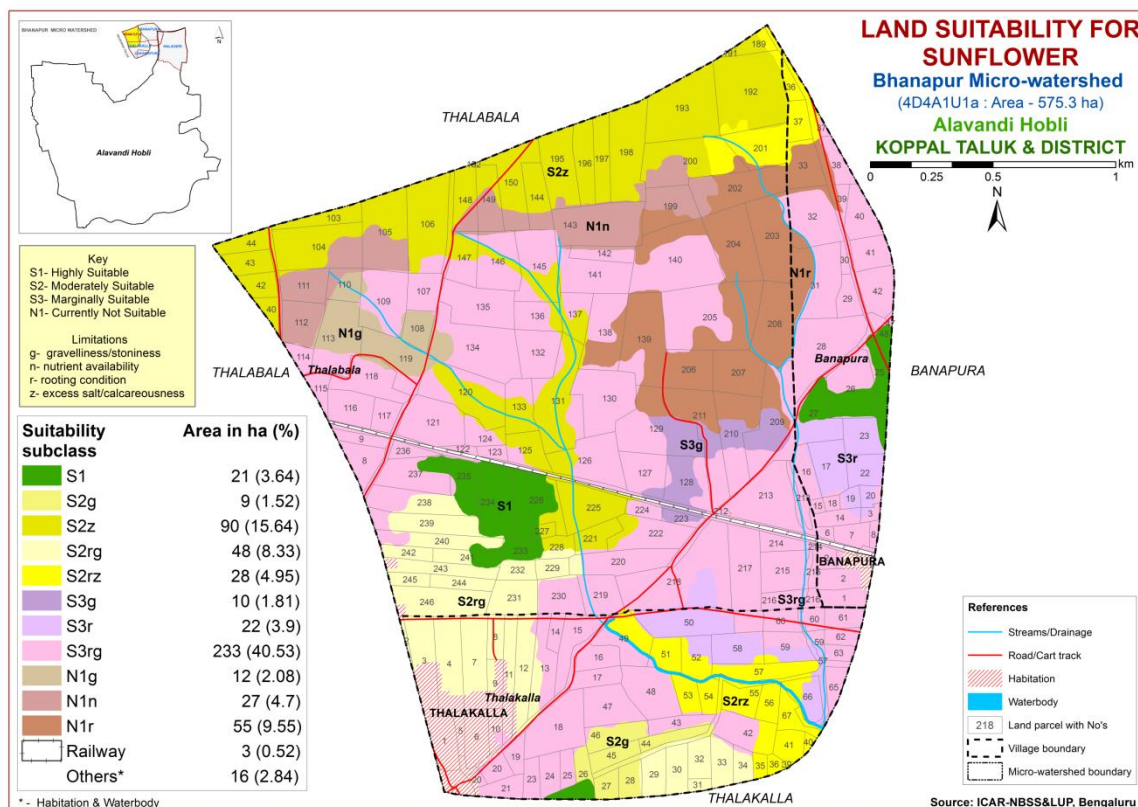


Fig. 7.7 Land Suitability map of Sunflower

## 7.8 Land Suitability for Cotton (*Gossypium hirsutum*)

Cotton is one of the most important fibre crop grown in the State in about 8.75 lakh ha area in Raichur, Dharwad, Belgaum, Gulbarga, Bijapur, Bidar, Bellary, Chitradurga and Chamarajnar district. The crop requirements for growing cotton (Table 7.9) were matched with the soil-site characteristics (Table 7.1) and a land suitability map for growing cotton was generated. The area extent and their geographical distribution of different suitability subclasses in the microwatershed is given in Figure 7.8.

An area of about 196 ha (34%) is moderately suitable (Class S2) and are distributed in the southern, western and northern part of the microwatershed. They have minor limitations of rooting depth, calcareousness, texture and gravelliness. Marginally suitable (Class S3) lands occupy an area of about 348 ha (60%) and are distributed in the major part of the microwatershed with moderate limitations of rooting depth, texture, nutrient availability and gravelliness. Area currently not suitable (Class N1) cover about 12 ha (2%) and distributed in the northwestern part of the microwatershed with severe limitation of gravelliness.

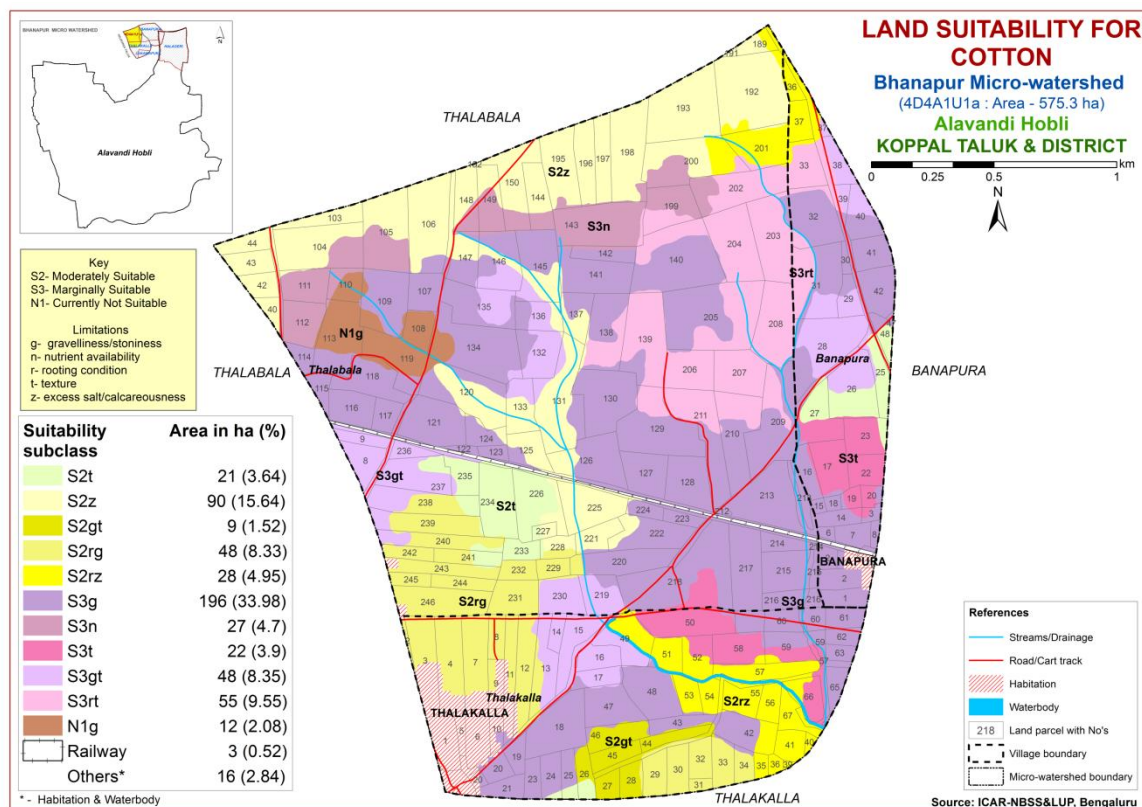


Fig. 7.8 Land Suitability map of Cotton

## 7.9 Land Suitability for Chilli (*Capsicum annuum L*)

Chilli is one of the most important spice crop grown in an area of 0.42 lakh ha in Karnataka State. The crop requirements for growing chilli (Table 7.10) were matched with the soil-site characteristics (Table 7.1) of the soils of the microwatershed and a land suitability map for growing chilli was generated. The area extent and their geographic distribution of different suitability subclasses in the microwatershed are given in Figure 7.9.

An area of about 21 ha (4%) is highly suitable (Class S1) for growing chilli and are distributed in the western part of the microwatershed. An area of about 197 ha (34%) is moderately suitable (Class S2) and are distributed in the southern, western and northern part of the microwatershed. They have minor limitations of rooting depth, texture, calcareousness and gravelliness. Marginally suitable (Class S3) lands cover a maximum area of about 299 ha (52%) and distributed in the major part of the microwatershed. They have moderate limitations of gravelliness and rooting depth. Area currently not suitable (Class N1) cover about 39 ha (7%) and distributed in the northern part of the microwatershed with severe limitations of gravelliness and nutrient availability.



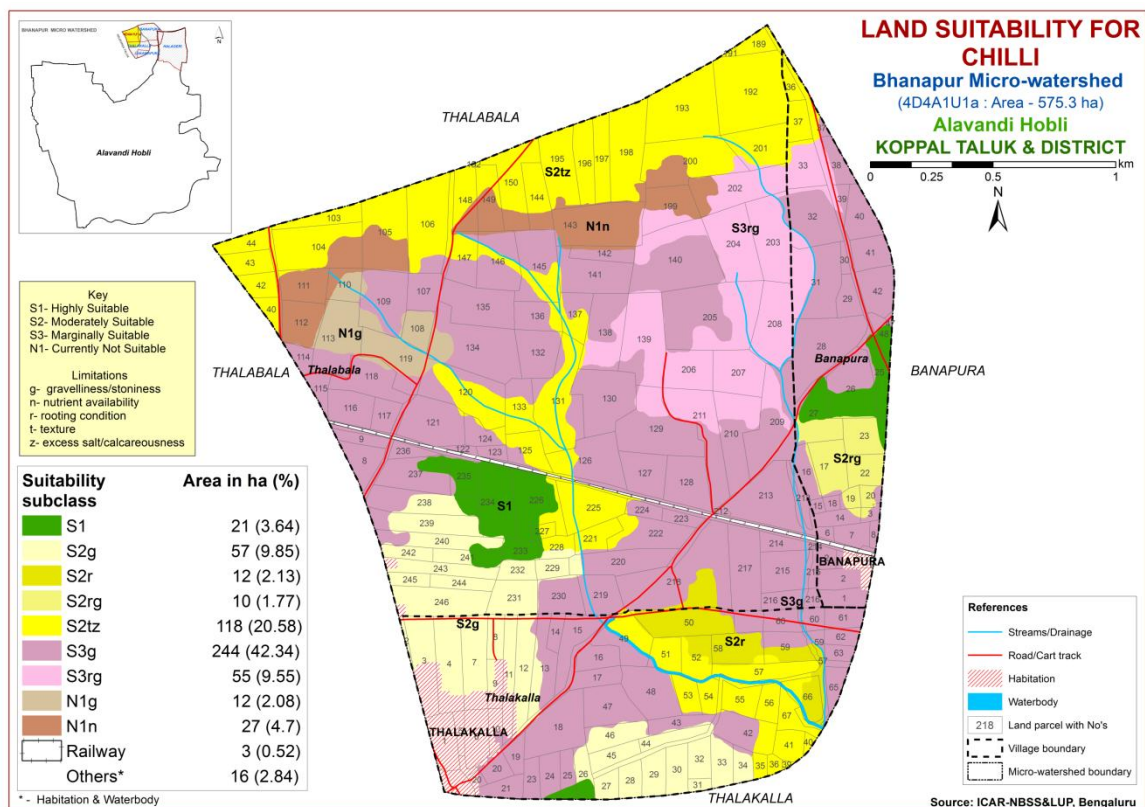


Fig. 7.9 Land Suitability map of Chilli

### 7.10 Land Suitability for Tomato (*Solanum lycopersicum*)

Tomato is one of the most important vegetable crop grown in an area of 0.65 lakh ha in almost all the districts of the State. The crop requirements (Table 7.11) for growing tomato were matched with the soil-site characteristics (Table 7.1) and a land suitability map for growing tomato was generated. The area extent and their geographic distribution of different suitability subclasses in the microwatershed are given in Figure 7.10.

An area of about 21 ha (4%) is highly suitable (Class S1) for growing tomato and are distributed in the western part of the microwatershed. An area of about 79 ha (14%) is moderately suitable (Class S2) and are distributed in the southern and western part of the microwatershed. They have minor limitations of rooting depth and gravelliness. Marginally suitable (Class S3) lands cover a maximum area of about 417 ha (72%) and distributed in the major part of the microwatershed. They have moderate limitations of gravelliness, rooting depth and texture. Area currently not suitable (Class N1) cover about 39 ha (7%) and distributed in the northern part of the microwatershed with severe limitations of gravelliness and nutrient availability.

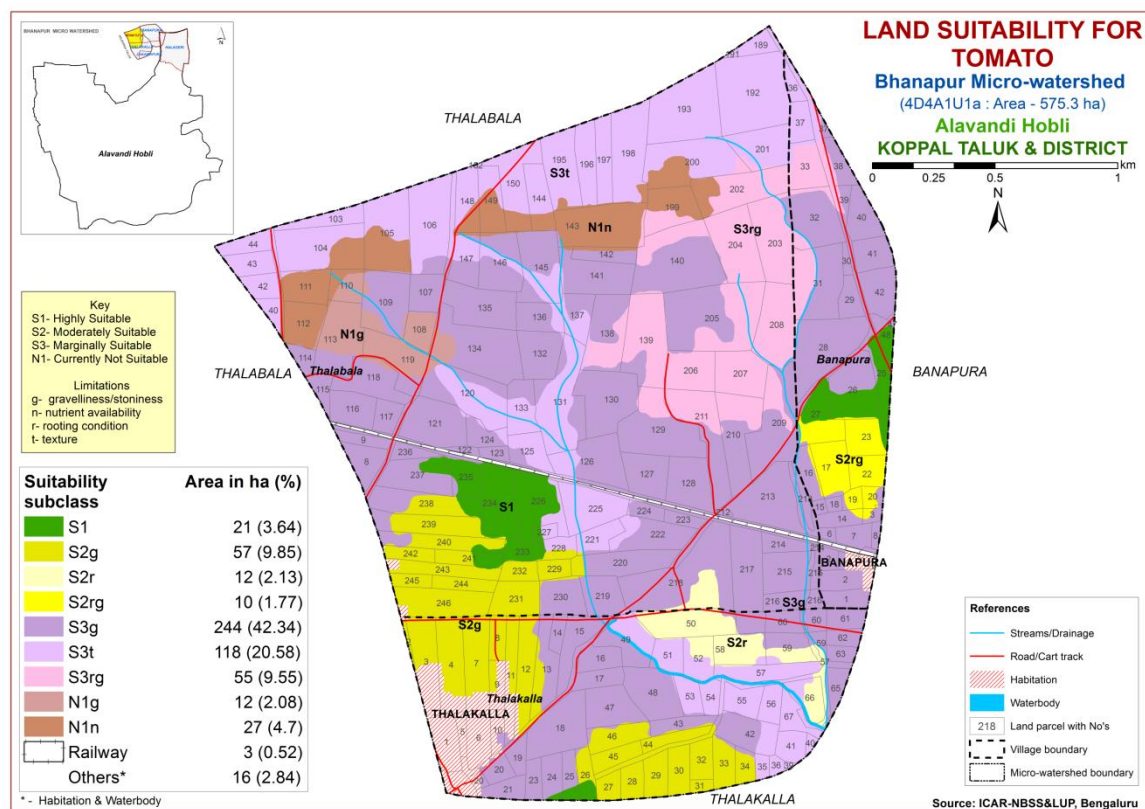


Fig. 7.10 Land Suitability map of Tomato

### 7.11 Land Suitability for Brinjal (*Solanum melongena*)

Brinjal is one of the most important vegetable crop grown in the state. The crop requirements for growing brinjal (Table 7.12) were matched with the soil-site characteristics (Table 7.1) and a land suitability map for growing brinjal was generated. The area extent and their geographical distribution of different suitability subclasses in the microwatershed is given in Figure 7.11.

An area of about 21 ha (4%) is highly suitable (Class S1) for growing Brinjal and are distributed in the western and eastern part of the microwatershed. An area of about 79 ha (14%) is moderately suitable (Class S2) for growing Brinjal and distributed in the southern and western part of the microwatershed with minor limitations of rooting depth and gravelliness. Marginally suitable (Class S3) lands cover a maximum area of about 417 ha (72%) and occur in the major part of the microwatershed with moderate limitations of gravelliness, texture and rooting depth. Area currently not suitable (Class N1) cover about 39 ha (7%) and distributed in the northern part of the microwatershed with severe limitations of gravelliness and nutrient availability.

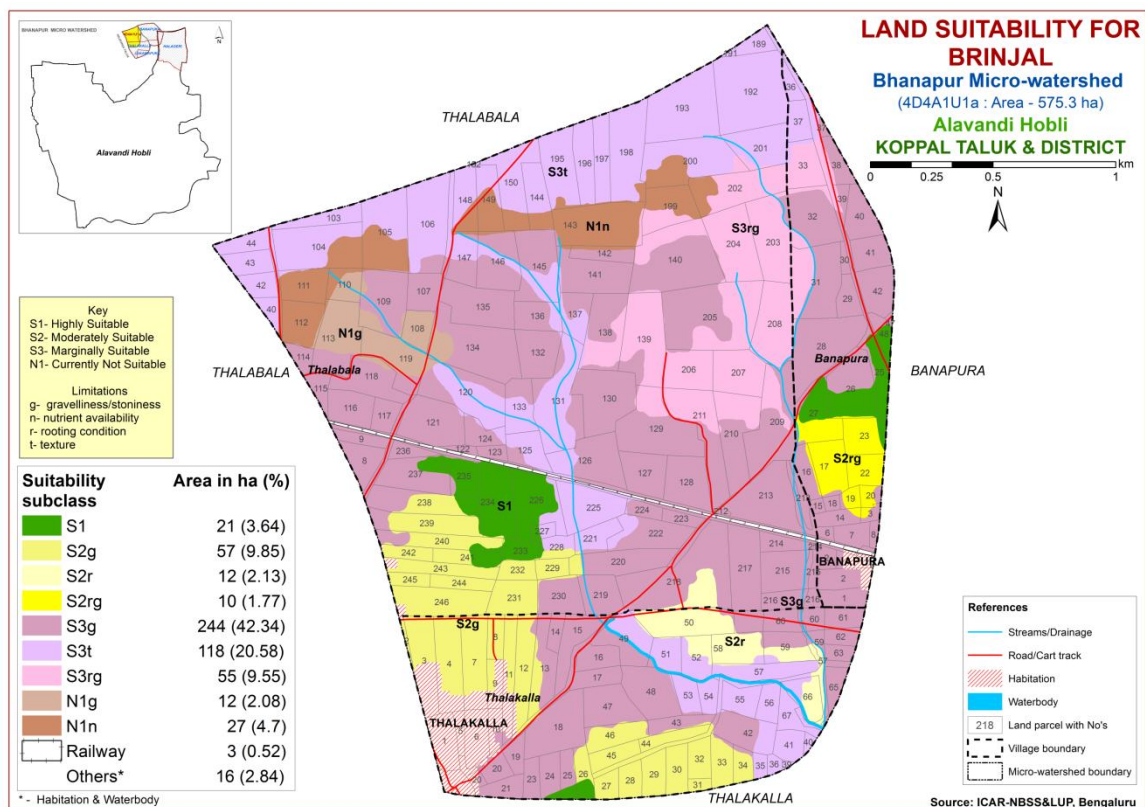


Fig 7.11 Land Suitability map of Brinjal

## 7.12 Land Suitability for Onion (*Allium cepa L.*)

Onion is one of the most important vegetable crop grown in the state. The crop requirements for growing onion (Table 7.13) were matched with the soil-site characteristics (Table 7.1) and a land suitability map for growing onion was generated. The area extent and their geographical distribution of different suitability subclasses in the microwatershed is given in Figure 7.12.

An area of about 21 ha (4%) is highly suitable (Class S1) for growing Onion and are distributed in the western part of the microwatershed. An area of about 79 ha (14%) is moderately suitable (Class S2) for growing Onion and distributed in the eastern and western part of the microwatershed with minor limitations of rooting depth and gravelliness. Marginally suitable (Class S3) lands cover a maximum area of about 417 ha (72%) and occur in the major part of the microwatershed with moderate limitations of texture, gravelliness, rooting depth and calcareousness. Area currently not suitable (Class N1) cover about 39 ha (7%) and distributed in the northern part of the microwatershed with severe limitations of gravelliness and nutrient availability.



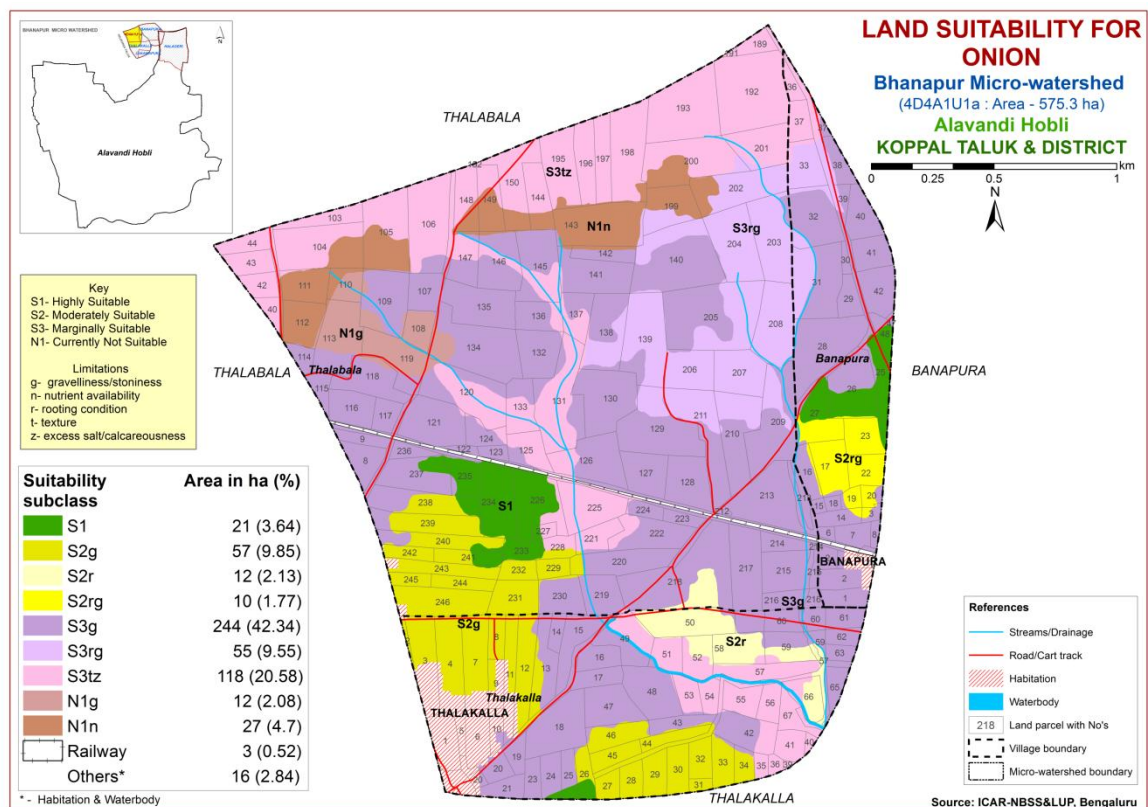


Fig 7.12 Land Suitability map of Onion

### 7.13 Land Suitability for Bhendi (*Abelmoschus esculentus*)

Bhendi is one of the most important vegetable crop grown in the state. The crop requirements for growing bhendi (Table 7.14) were matched with the soil-site characteristics (Table 7.1) and a land suitability map for growing bhendi was generated. The area extent and their geographical distribution of different suitability subclasses in the microwatershed is given in Figure 7.13.

An area of about 21 ha (4 %) is highly suitable (Class S1) for growing Bhendi and are distributed in the eastern part of the microwatershed. Moderately suitable (Class S1) lands occupy an area of about 197 ha (34%) for growing Bhendi and occur in the southern, central and northern part of the microwatershed with minor limitations of rooting depth, gravelliness, texture and calcareousness. Maximum area of about 299 ha (52%) is marginally suitable (Class S3) for growing Bhendi and distributed in the major part of the microwatershed with moderate limitations of gravelliness and rooting depth. Area currently not suitable (Class N1) cover about 39 ha (7%) and distributed in the northern part of the microwatershed with severe limitations of gravelliness and nutrient availability.

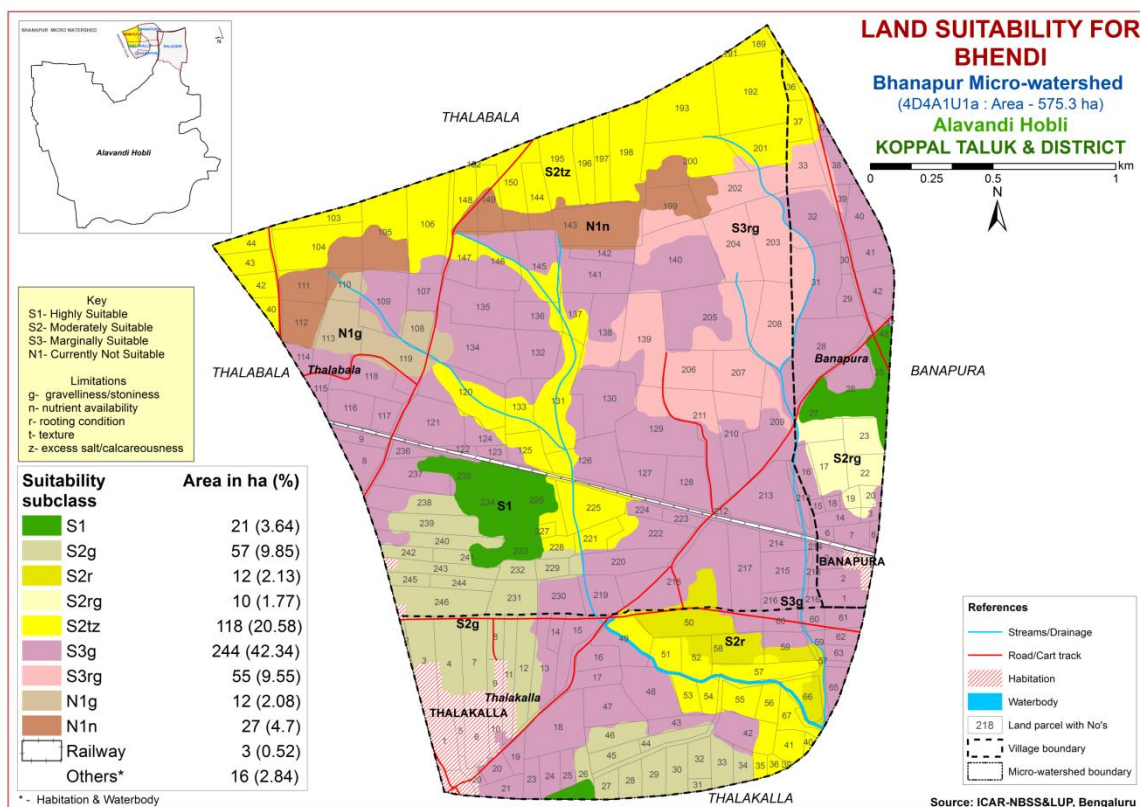


Fig 7.13 Land Suitability map of Bhenadi

#### 7.14 Land Suitability for Drumstick (*Moringa oleifera*)

Drumstick is one of the most important vegetable crop grown in 2403 ha area in the state. The crop requirements for growing drumstick (Table 7.15) were matched with the soil-site characteristics (Table 7.1) and a land suitability map for growing drumstick was generated. The area extent and their geographical distribution of different suitability subclasses in the microwatershed are given in Figure 7.14.

An area of about 21 ha (4%) is highly suitable (Class S1) for growing drumstick and are distributed in the central part of the microwatershed. Moderately suitable (Class S2) lands cover an area of about 67 ha (12%) and are distributed in the southern and western part of the microwatershed. They have minor limitations of rooting depth and gravelliness. Marginally suitable (Class S3) lands cover a maximum area of about 385 ha (67%) and occur in the major part of the microwatershed. They have moderate limitations of gravelliness, calcareousness and rooting depth. Area currently not suitable (Class N1) cover about 82 ha (14%) and distributed in the central and northern part of the microwatershed with severe limitations of nutrient availability and rooting depth.

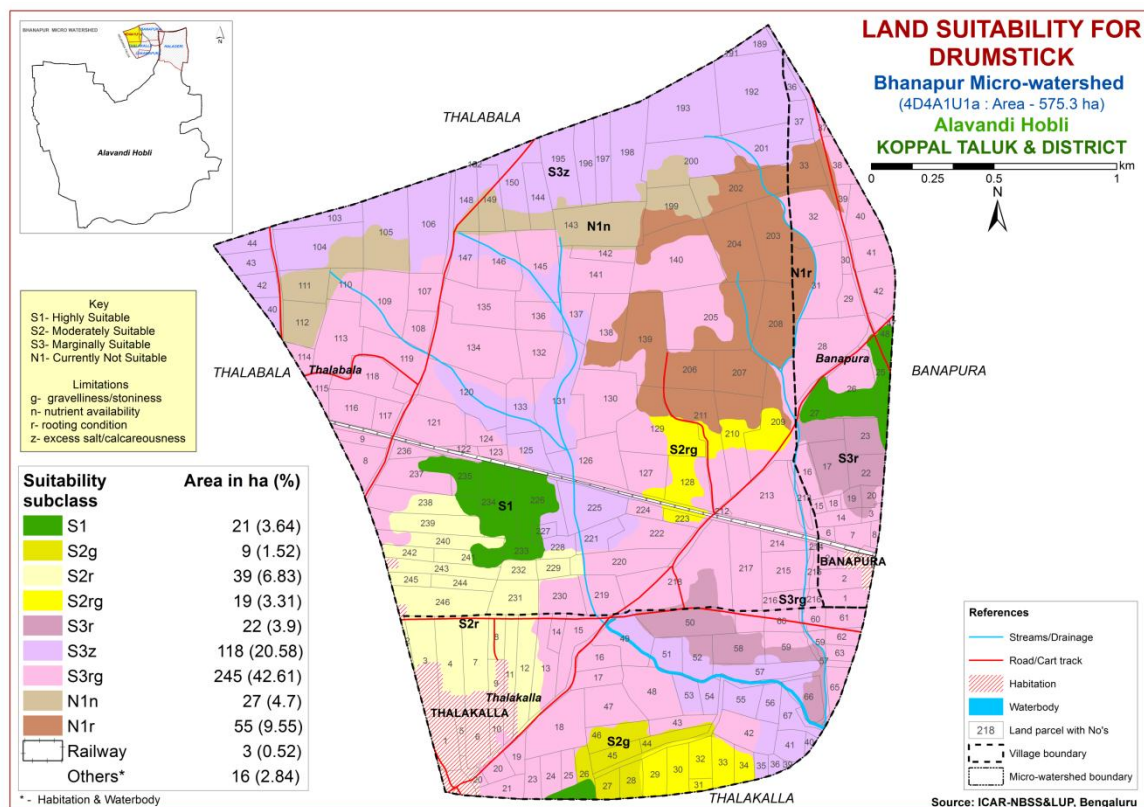


Fig. 7.14 Land Suitability map of Drumstick

### 7.15 Land Suitability for Mulberry (*Morus nigra*)

Mulberry is the most important leaf crop grown for rearing silkworms in about 1.66 lakh ha in all the districts of the state. The crop requirements for growing mulberry (Table 7.16) were matched with the soil-site characteristics (Table 7.1) and a land suitability map for growing mulberry was generated. The area extent and their geographical distribution of different suitability subclasses in the microwatershed is given in Figure 7.15.

An area of about 21 ha (4%) is highly suitable (Class S1) for growing mulberry and are distributed in the western part of the microwatershed. An area of about 67 ha (12%) is moderately suitable (Class S2) for growing mulberry and distributed in the southern, western and central part of the microwatershed. They have minor limitations of gravelliness and rooting depth. Marginally suitable (Class S3) lands cover a maximum area of about 385 ha (67 %) and occur in the major part of the microwatershed. They have moderate limitations of rooting depth, gravelliness texture and calcareousness. Area currently not suitable (Class N1) cover about 82 ha (14%) and distributed in the central and northern part of the microwatershed with severe limitations of rooting depth and nutrient availability.



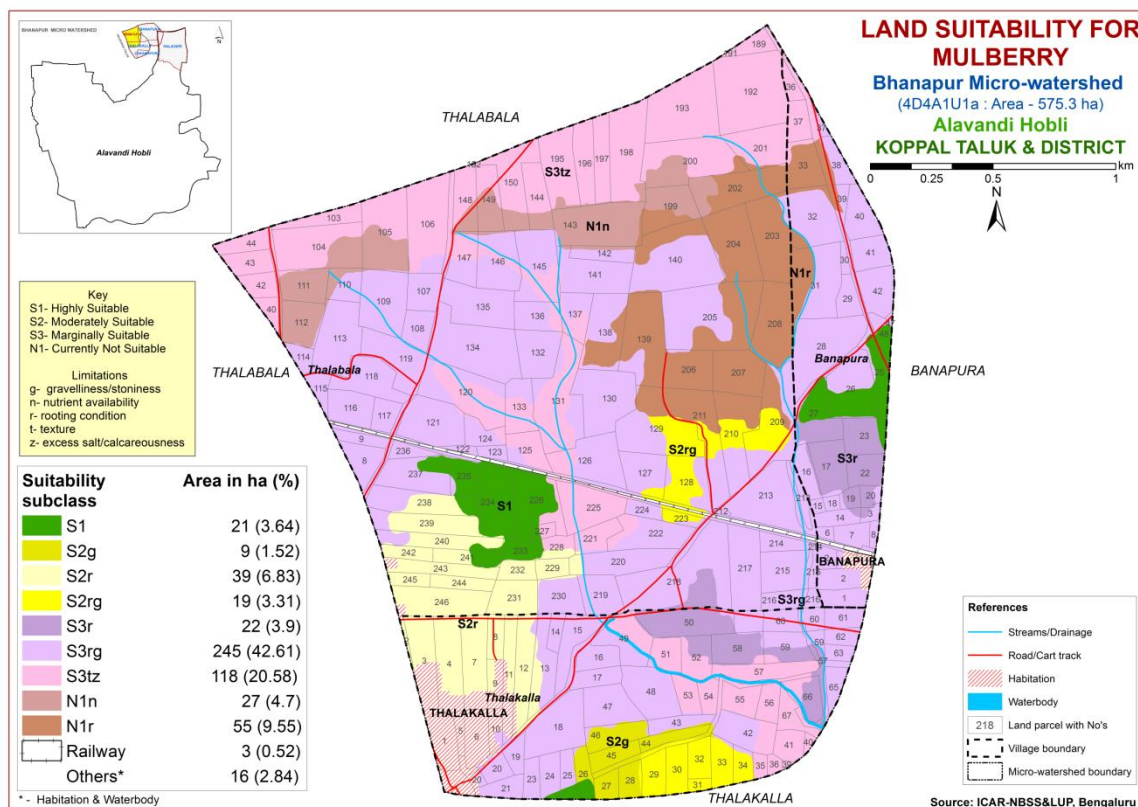


Fig. 7.15 Land Suitability map of Mulberry

### 7.16 Land Suitability for Mango (*Mangifera indica*)

Mango is one of the most important fruit crop grown in about 1.73 lakh ha in almost all the districts of the State. The crop requirements (Table 7.17) for growing mango were matched with the soil-site characteristics (Table 7.1) and a land suitability map for growing mango was generated. The area extent and their geographic distribution of different suitability subclasses in the microwatershed are given in Figure 7.16.

An area of about 30 ha (5%) is moderately suitable (Class S2) for growing mango and distributed in the southern and western part of the microwatershed. They have minor limitations of gravelliness and rooting depth. Marginally suitable (Class S3) lands cover an area of about 176 ha (31%) and occur in the southern and western part of the microwatershed. They have moderate limitations of rooting depth, gravelliness and texture. Area currently not suitable (Class N1) for growing mango cover a maximum area of about 350 ha (61%) and distributed in the major part of the microwatershed with severe limitations of rooting depth, nutrient availability and gravelliness.

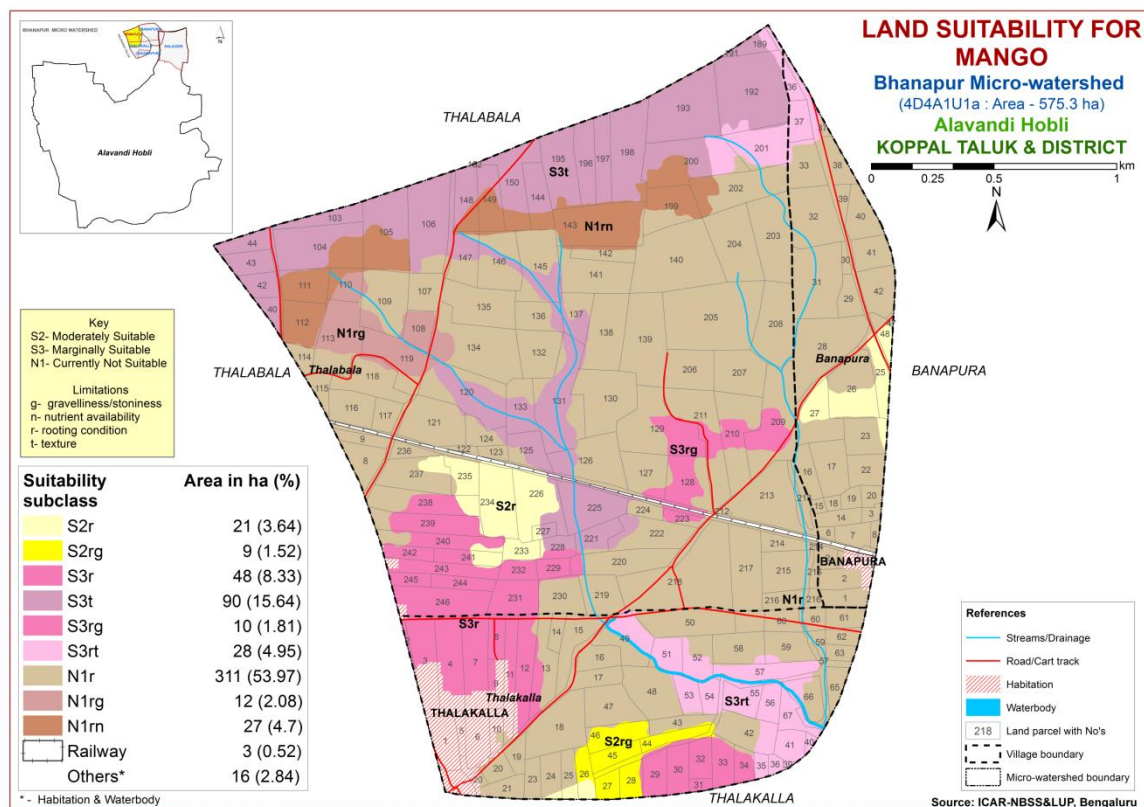


Fig. 7.16 Land Suitability map of Mango

### 7.17 Land Suitability for Sapota (*Manilkara zapota*)

Sapota is one of the most important fruit crop grown in an area of about 29373 ha in almost all the districts of the state. The crop requirements (Table 7.18) for growing sapota were matched with the soil-site characteristics (Table 7.1) and a land suitability map for growing sapota was generated. The area extent and their geographic distribution of different suitability subclasses in the microwatershed are given in Figure 7.17.

An area of about 21 ha (4%) is highly suitable (Class S1) for growing sapota and are distributed in the western part of the microwatershed. Moderately suitable (S2) lands cover an area of about 67 ha (12%) and are distributed in the western and southern part of the microwatershed. They have minor limitations of rooting depth and gravelliness. Marginally suitable (Class S3) lands cover a maximum area of about 373 ha (65%) and occur in the major part of the microwatershed. They have moderate limitations of rooting depth, gravelliness and texture. Area currently not suitable (Class N1) cover about 94 ha (16%) and distributed in the central and northern part of the microwatershed with severe limitations of gravelliness, nutrient availability and rooting depth.

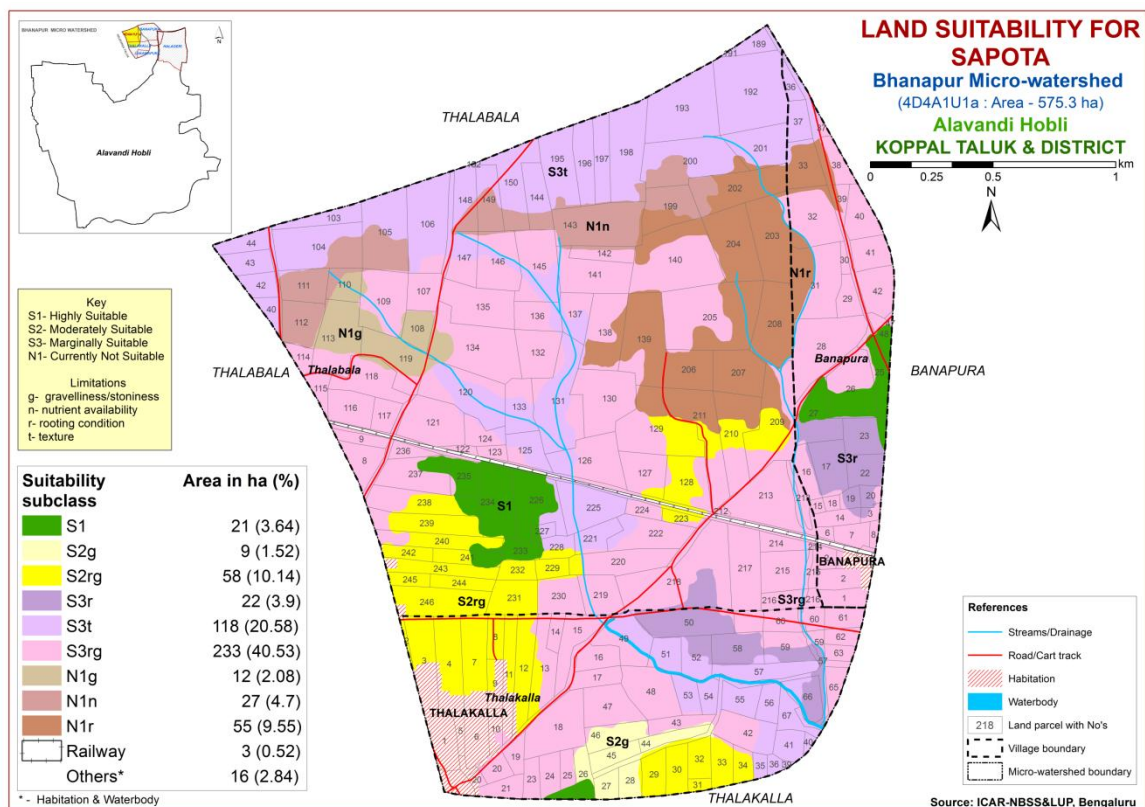


Fig. 7.17 Land Suitability map of Sapota

### 7.18 Land Suitability for Pomegranate (*Punica granatum*)

Pomegranate is one of the commercially grown fruit crop in about 18488 ha in Karnataka mainly in Bijapur, Bagalkot, Koppal, Gadag and Chitradurga districts. The crop requirements for growing pomegranate (Table 7.19) were matched with the soil-site characteristics (Table 7.1) of the soils of the microwatershed and a land suitability map for growing pomegranate was generated. The area extent and their geographic distribution of different suitability subclasses in the microwatershed are given in Figure 7.18.

An area of about 21 ha (4%) is highly suitable (Class S1) for growing pomegranate and are distributed in the western part of the microwatershed. Moderately suitable (Class S2) lands occupy an area of about 185 ha (32%) and are distributed in the southern and western part of the microwatershed. They have minor limitations of rooting depth, gravelliness, calcareousness and texture. Marginally suitable (Class S3) lands for growing pomegranate occupy an area of about 267 ha (47%) and are distributed in the major part of the microwatershed with moderate limitations of rooting depth and gravelliness. Area currently not suitable (Class N1) cover about 82 ha (14%) and distributed in the northern and central part of the microwatershed with severe limitations of nutrient availability and rooting depth.



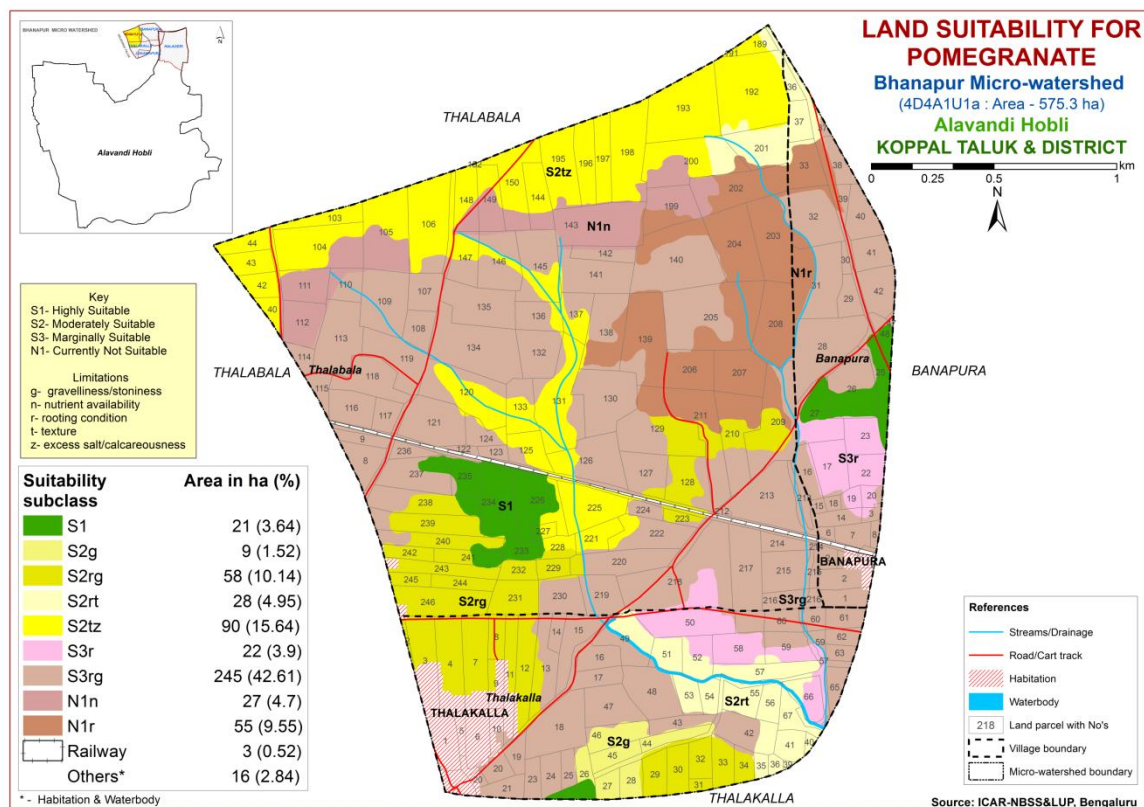


Fig. 7.18 Land Suitability map of Pomegranate

### 7.19 Land Suitability for Guava (*Psidium guajava*)

Guava is one of the most important fruit crop grown in an area of about 6558 ha in almost all the districts of the state. The crop requirements (Table 7.20) for growing guava were matched with the soil-site characteristics (Table 7.1) and a land suitability map for growing guava was generated. The area extent and their geographic distribution of different suitability subclasses in the microwatershed are given in Figure 7.19.

An area of about 21 ha (4%) is highly suitable (Class S1) for growing guava and are distributed in the eastern and western part of the microwatershed. Moderately suitable (Class S2) lands occupy an area of about 67 ha (12%) and are distributed in the southern and western part of the microwatershed. They have minor limitations of rooting depth and gravelliness. Marginally suitable (Class S3) lands for growing guava occupy an area of about 373 ha (65%) and are distributed in the major part of the microwatershed with moderate limitations of gravelliness, texture and rooting depth. Area currently not suitable (Class N1) cover about 94 ha (16%) and distributed in the northern and central part of the microwatershed with severe limitations of gravelliness, nutrient availability and rooting depth.

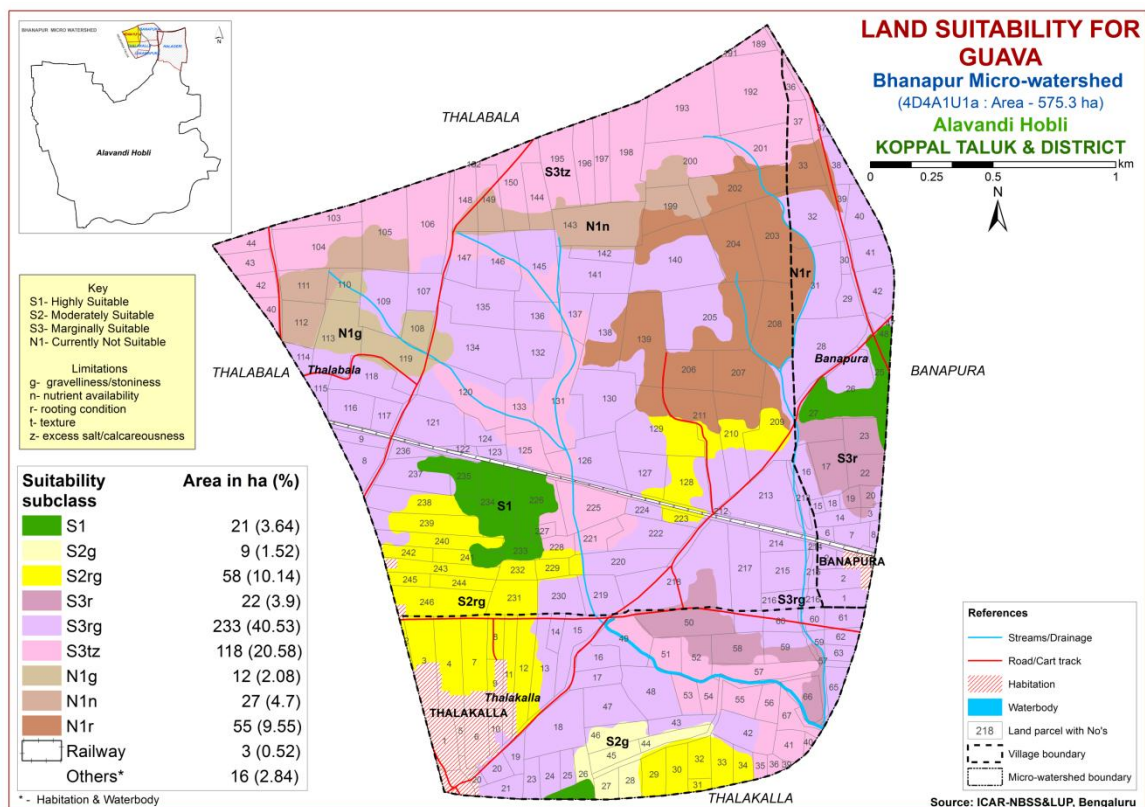


Fig. 7.19 Land Suitability map of Guava

## 7.20 Land Suitability for Jackfruit (*Artocarpus heterophyllus*)

Jackfruit is one of the most important fruit crop grown in 5368 ha in all the districts of the state. The crop requirements (Table.7.21) for growing jackfruit were matched with the soil-site characteristics (Table 7.1) and a land suitability map for growing jackfruit was generated. The area extent and their geographic distribution of different suitability subclasses in the microwatershed are given in figure 7.20.

An area of about 21 ha (4%) is highly suitable (Class S1) for growing jackfruit and are distributed in the eastern and western part of the microwatershed. Moderately suitable (Class S2) lands occupy an area of about 67 ha (12%) and are distributed in the southern and western part of the microwatershed. They have minor limitations of rooting depth and gravelliness. Marginally suitable (Class S3) lands for growing jackfruit occupy an area of about 373 ha (65%) and are distributed in the major part of the microwatershed with moderate limitations of gravelliness, texture and rooting depth. Area currently not suitable (Class N1) cover about 94 ha (16%) and distributed in the northern and central part of the microwatershed with severe limitations of gravelliness, nutrient availability and rooting depth.

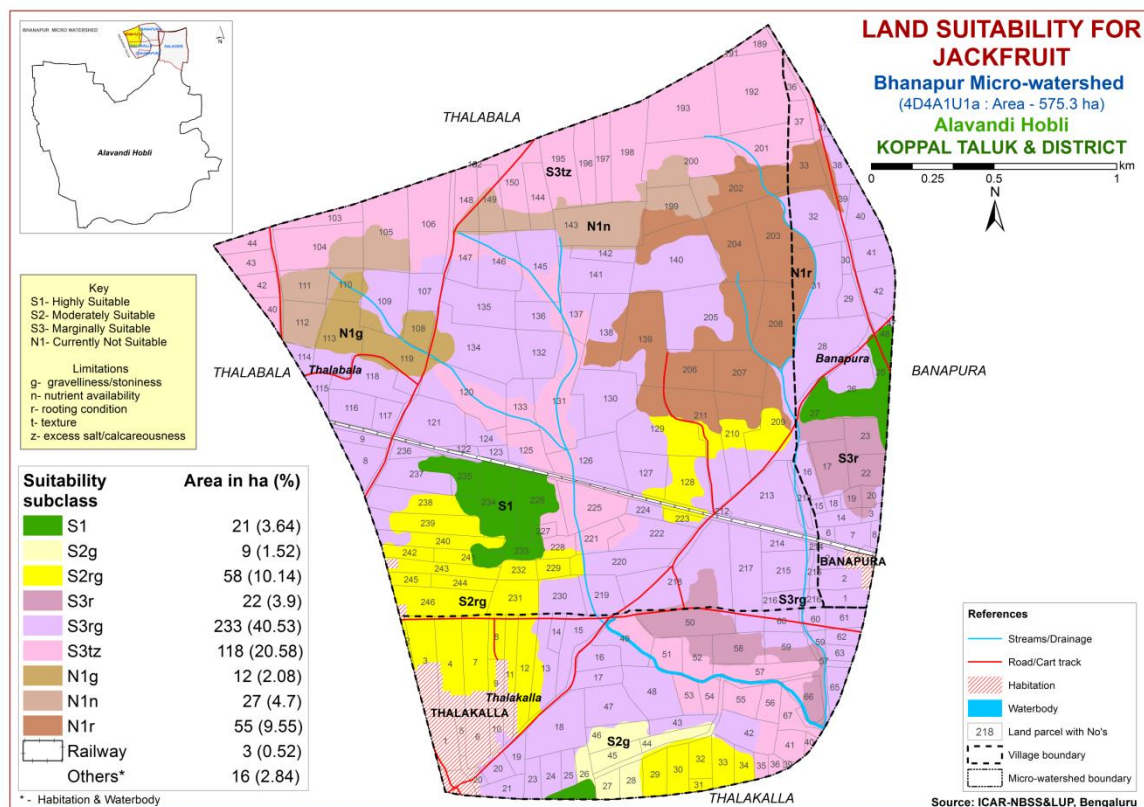


Fig. 7.20 Land Suitability map of Jackfruit

### 7.21 Land Suitability for Jamun (*Syzygium cumini*)

Jamun is an important fruit crop grown in almost all the districts of the state. The crop requirements (Table 7.22) for growing jamun were matched with the soil-site characteristics and a land suitability map for growing jamun was generated. The area extent and their geographic distribution of different suitability subclasses in the microwatershed are given in Figure 7.21.

Moderately suitable (Class S2) lands occupy an area of about 30 ha (5%) and distributed in the southern and western part of the microwatershed. They have minor limitations of rooting depth and gravelliness. Marginally suitable (Class S3) lands cover a maximum area of about 432 ha (75%) and are distributed in the major part of the microwatershed with moderate limitations of rooting depth, gravelliness and calcareousness. Area currently not suitable (Class N1) cover about 94 ha (16%) and distributed in the northern and central part of the microwatershed with severe limitations of gravelliness, nutrient availability and rooting depth.



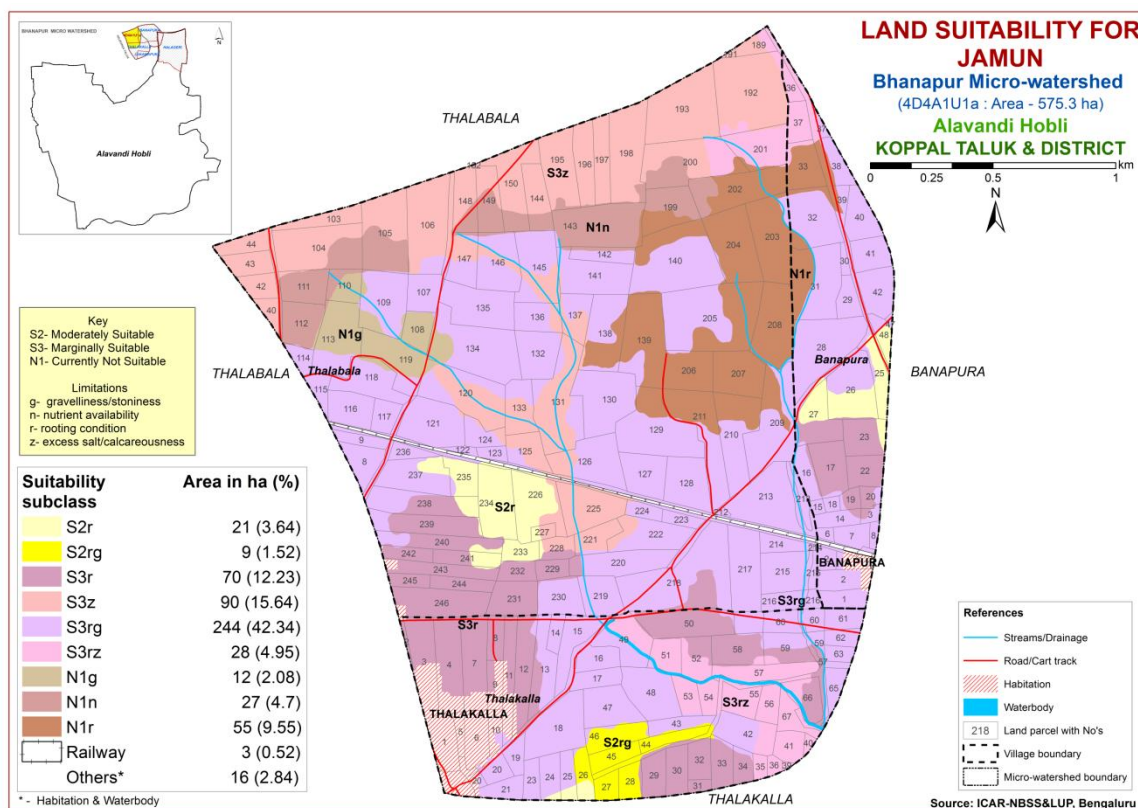


Fig. 7.21 Land Suitability map of Jamun

## 7.22 Land Suitability for Musambi (*Citrus limetta*)

Musambi is one of the most important fruit crop grown in an area of 5446 ha in almost all the districts of the state. The crop requirements (Table 7.23) for growing musambi were matched with the soil-site characteristics (Table 7.1) and a land suitability map for growing musambi was generated. The area extent and their geographic distribution of different suitability subclasses in the microwatershed are given in Figure 7.22.

An area of about 21 ha (4%) is highly suitable (Class S1) for growing musambi and are distributed in the eastern part of the microwatershed. An area of about 185 ha (32%) is moderately suitable (Class S2) and occur in the southern, western and central part of the microwatershed. They have minor limitations of calcareousness, gravelliness and rooting depth. Maximum area of about 255 ha (44%) is marginally suitable (Class S3) for growing musambi and are distributed in the major part of the microwatershed with moderate limitations of gravelliness and rooting depth. Area currently not suitable (Class N1) cover about 94 ha (16%) and distributed in the northern and central part of the microwatershed with severe limitations of gravelliness, nutrient availability and rooting depth.

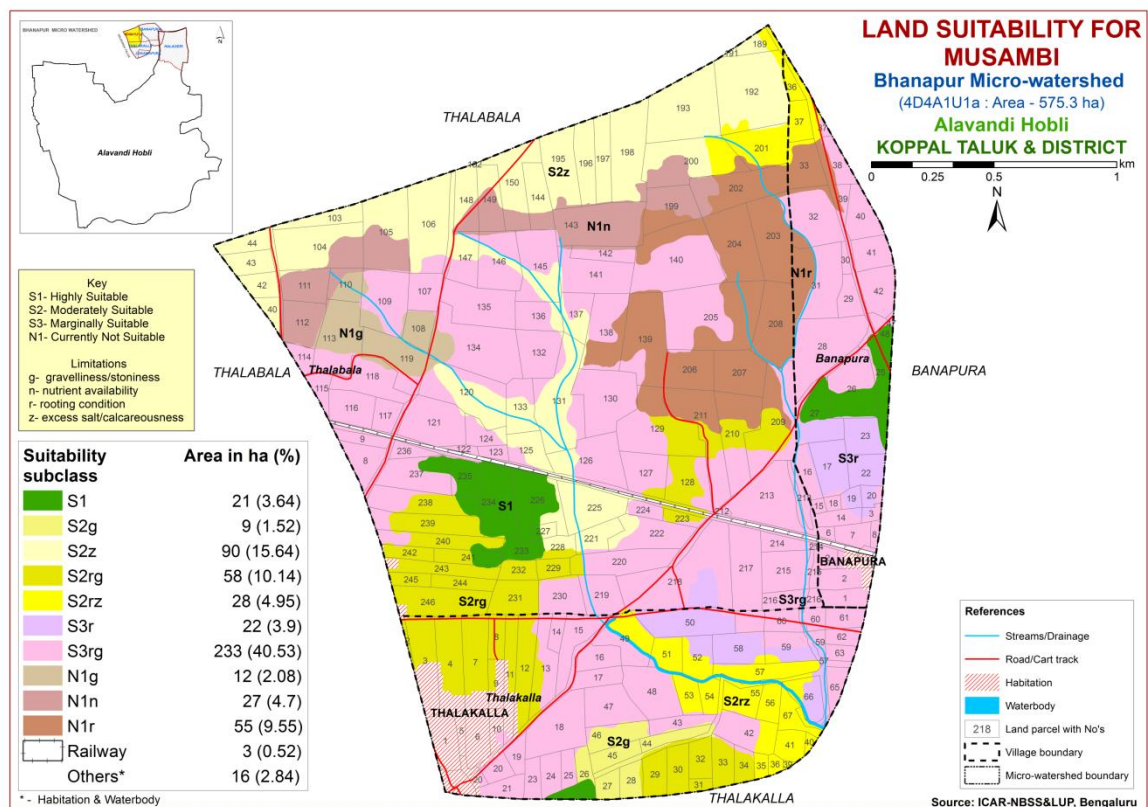


Fig. 7.22 Land Suitability map of Musambi

### 7.23 Land Suitability for Lime (*Citrus sp*)

Lime is one of the most important fruit crop grown in an area of 11752 ha in almost all the districts of the State. The crop requirements for growing lime (Table 7.24) were matched with the soil-site characteristics (Table 7.1) and a land suitability map for growing lime was generated. The area extent and their geographic distribution of different suitability subclasses in the microwatershed are given in Figure 7.23.

An area of about 21 ha (4%) is highly suitable (Class S1) for growing lime and are distributed in the eastern and western part of the microwatershed. An area of about 185 ha (32%) is moderately suitable (Class S2) and occur in the northern, central and eastern part of the microwatershed. They have minor limitations of calcareousness, gravelliness and rooting depth. An area of about 255 ha (44%) is marginally suitable (Class S3) for growing lime and are distributed in the major part of the microwatershed with moderate limitations of gravelliness and rooting depth. Area currently not suitable (Class N1) cover about 94 ha (16%) and distributed in the northern and central part of the microwatershed with severe limitations of gravelliness, nutrient availability and rooting depth.

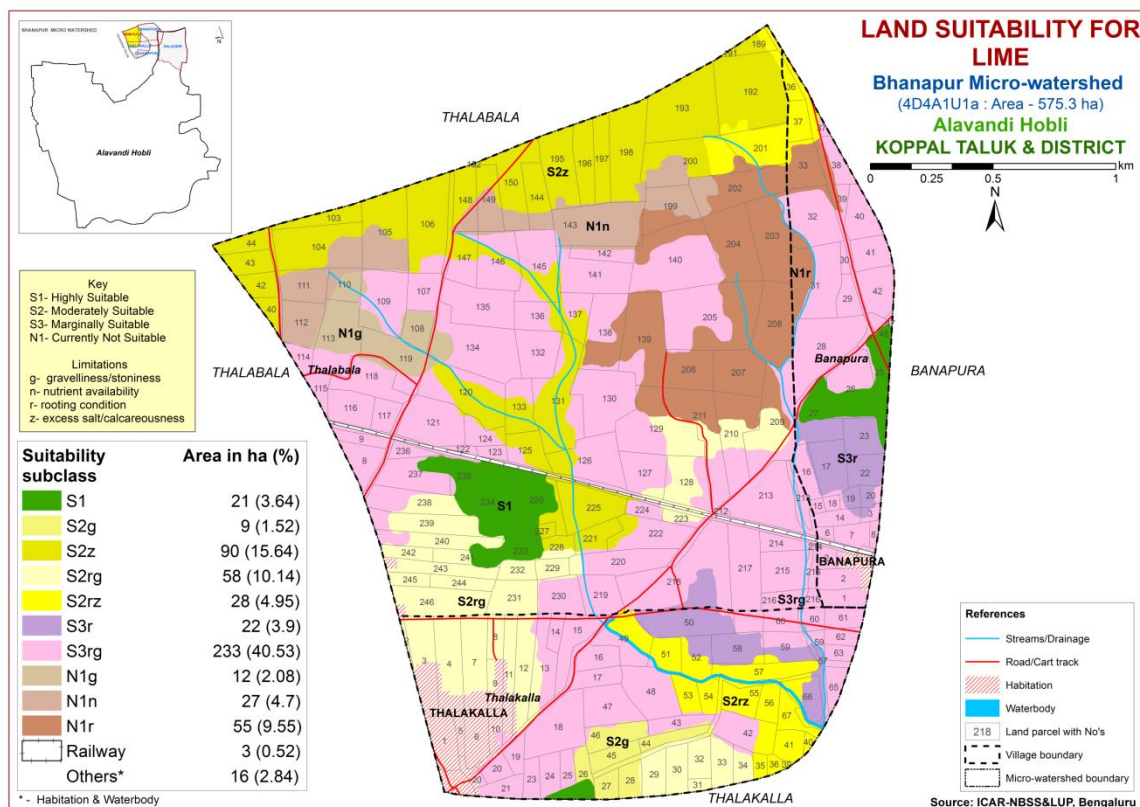


Fig. 7.23 Land Suitability map of Lime

## 7.24 Land Suitability for Cashew (*Anacardium occidentale*)

Cashew is one of the most important nut crop grown in an area of 7052 ha in almost all the districts of the State. The crop requirements for growing cashew (Table 7.25) were matched with the soil-site characteristics (Table 7.1) and a land suitability map for growing cashew was generated. The area extent and their geographic distribution of different suitability subclasses in the microwatershed are given in Figure 7.24.

An area of about 21 ha (4%) is highly suitable (Class S1) for growing cashew and are distributed in the western and southern part of the microwatershed. An area of about 67 ha (12%) is moderately suitable (Class S2) and occur in the major part of the microwatershed. They have minor limitations of gravelliness and rooting depth. Maximum area of about 255 ha (44%) is marginally suitable (Class S3) for growing cashew and are distributed in the major part of the microwatershed with moderate limitations of gravelliness and rooting depth. An area of about 212 ha (37%) is currently not suitable (Class N1) for growing cashew and distributed in the northern, southern and central part of the microwatershed with severe limitations of rooting depth, gravelliness texture, nutrient availability and calcareousness.



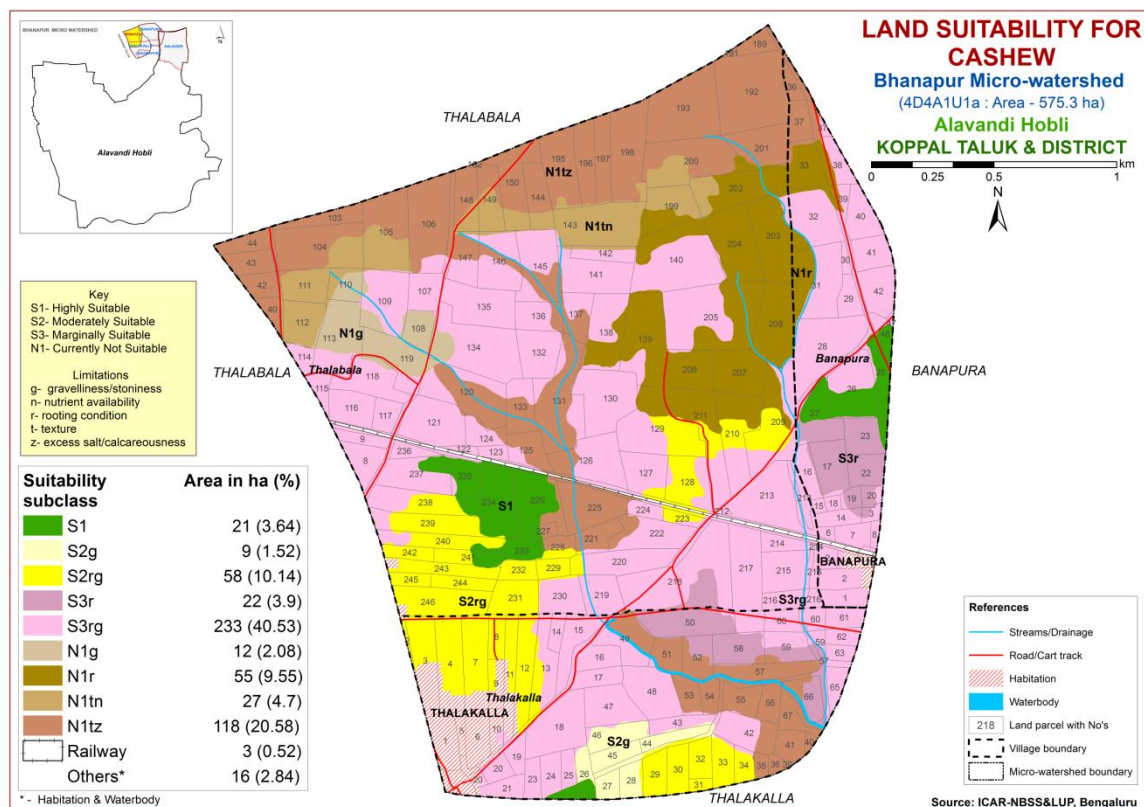


Fig. 7.24 Land Suitability map of Cashew

## 7.25 Land Suitability for Custard Apple (*Annona reticulata*)

Custard apple is one of the most important fruit crop grown in 1426 ha in almost all the districts of the State. The crop requirements( Table 7.26) for growing custard apple were matched with the soil-site characteristics (Table 7.1) and a land suitability map for growing custard apple was generated .The area extent and their geographic distribution of different suitability subclasses in the microwatershed are given in Figure 7.25.

An area of about 60 ha (10%) is highly suitable (Class S1) for growing custard apple and are distributed in the western part of the microwatershed. Moderately suitable (Class S2) lands cover a maximum area of about 401 ha (70%) and occur in the major part of the microwatershed. They have minor limitations of rooting depth, calcareousness and gravelliness. An area of about 67 ha (12%) is marginally suitable (Class S3) for growing custard apple and are distributed in the central and northern part of the microwatershed with moderate limitations of gravelliness and rooting depth. An area of about 27 ha (5%) is currently not suitable (Class N1) for growing custard apple and distributed in the northern, southern and central part of the microwatershed with severe limitation of nutrient availability.

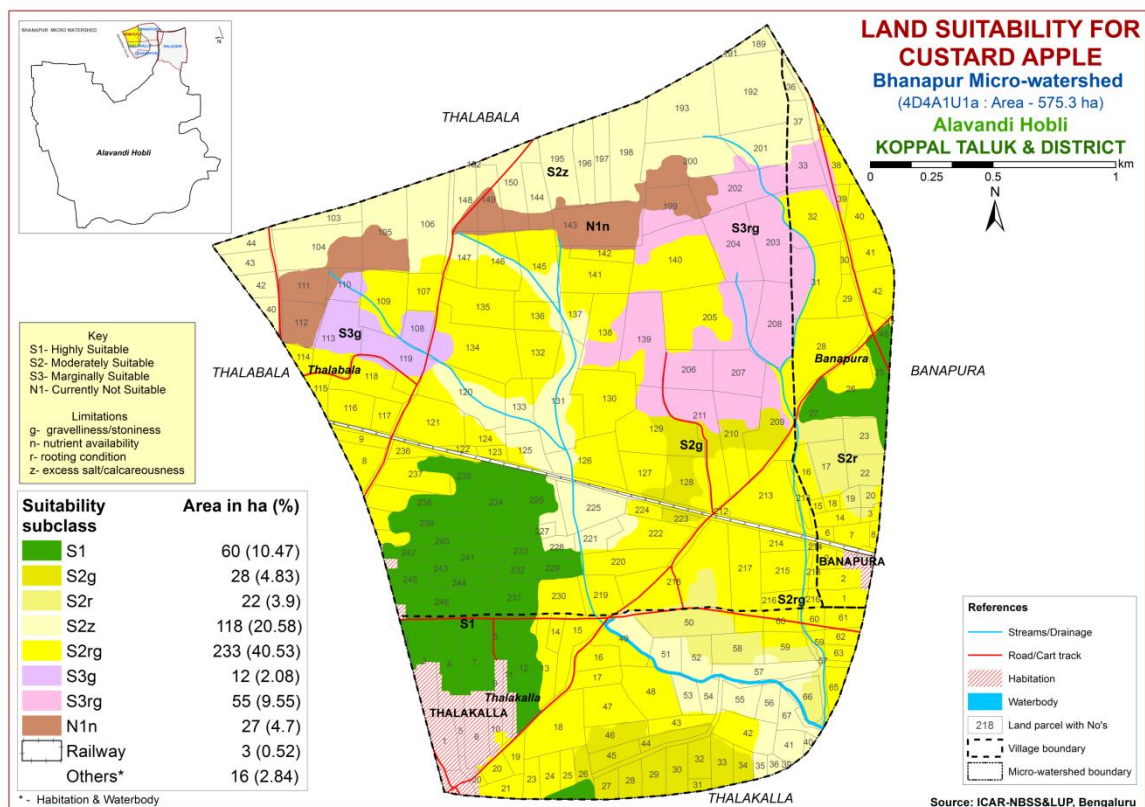


Fig. 7.25 Land Suitability map of Custard Apple

### 7.26 Land Suitability for Amla (*Phyllanthus emblica*)

Amla is one of the most important fruit and medicinal crop grown in an area of 151 ha and distributed in almost all the districts of the state. The crop requirements (Table 7.27) for growing amla were matched with the soil-site characteristics (Table 7.1) and a land suitability map for growing amla was generated. The area extent and their geographic distribution of different suitability subclasses in the microwatershed are given in Figure 7.26.

An area of about 60 ha (10%) is highly suitable (Class S1) for growing amla and are distributed in the western part of the microwatershed. Moderately suitable (Class S2) lands cover a maximum area of about 283 ha (49%) and occur in the major part of the microwatershed. They have minor limitations of rooting depth and gravelliness. An area of about 185 ha (32%) is marginally suitable (Class S3) for growing amla and are distributed in the southern, central and northern part of the microwatershed with moderate limitations of gravelliness, calcareousness and rooting depth. An area of about 27 ha (5%) is currently not suitable (Class N1) for growing amla and distributed in the northern part of the microwatershed with severe limitation of nutrient availability.

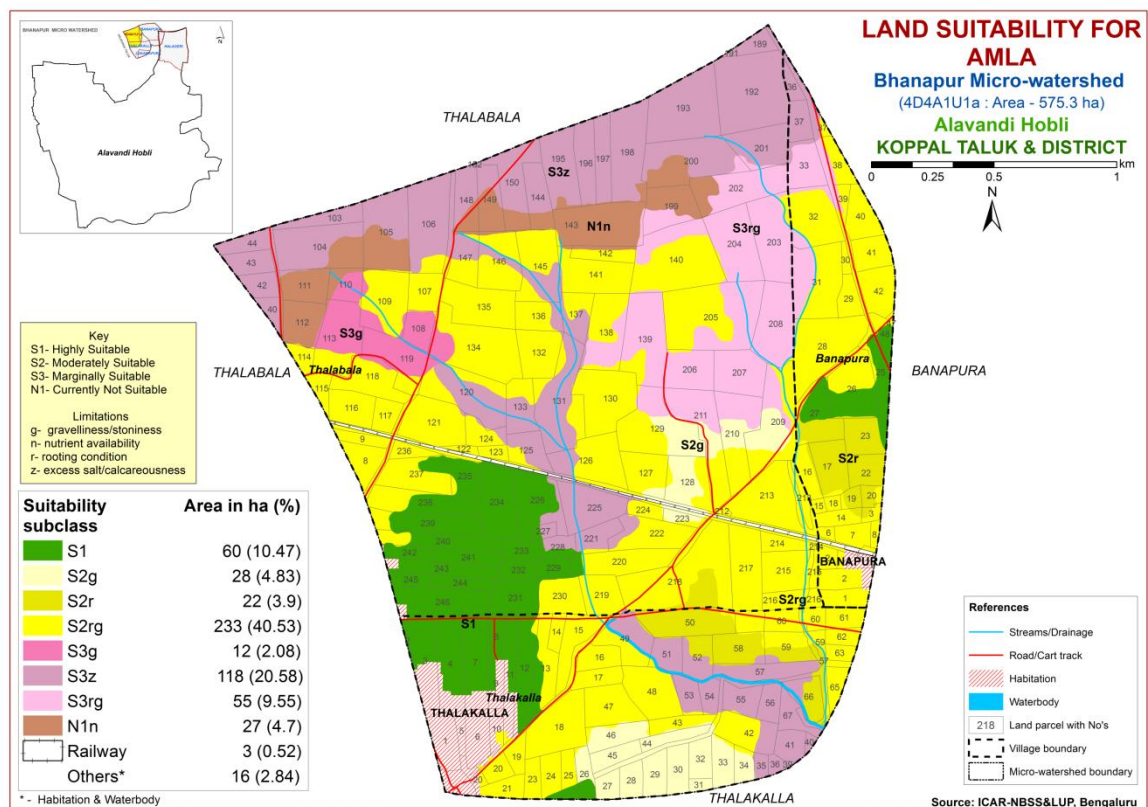


Fig. 7.26 Land Suitability map of Amla

### 7.27 Land Suitability for Tamarind (*Tamarindus indica*)

Tamarind is one of the most important spice crop grown in 14897 ha in all the districts of the state. The crop requirements (Table 7.28) for growing tamarind were matched with the soil-site characteristics (Table 7.1) and a land suitability map for growing tamarind was generated. The area extent and their geographical distribution of different suitability subclasses in the microwatershed are given in Figure 7.27.

An area of about 30 ha (5%) is moderately suitable (Class S2) and occur in the western and southern part of the microwatershed. They have minor limitations of gravelliness and rooting depth. An area of about 176 ha (31%) is marginally suitable (Class S3) for growing tamarind and are distributed in the southern, western and northern part of the microwatershed with moderate limitations of rooting depth, texture, calcareousness and gravelliness. Maximum area of about 350 ha (61%) is currently not suitable (Class N1) for growing tamarind and distributed in the major part of the microwatershed with severe limitations of rooting depth, gravelliness and nutrient availability.



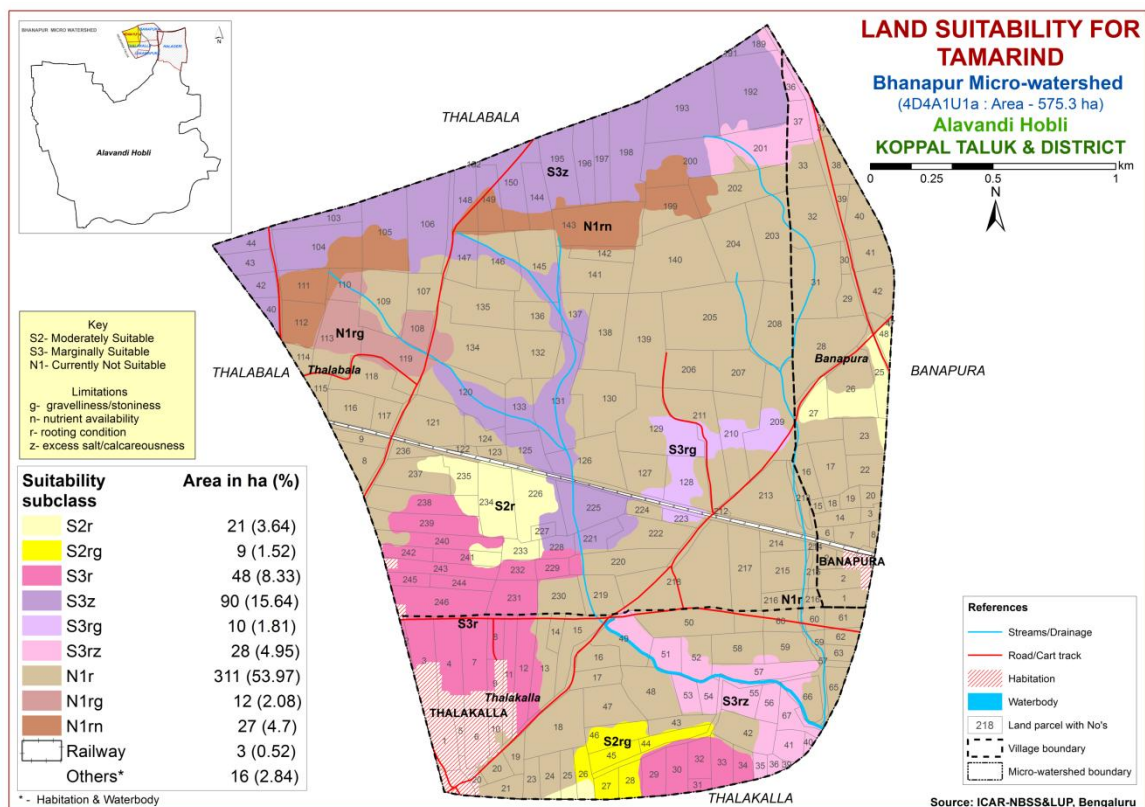


Fig. 7.27 Land Suitability map of Tamarind

### 7.28 Land Suitability for Marigold (*Tagetes erecta*)

Marigold is one of the most important flower crop grown in an area of 9108 ha in almost all the districts of the state. The crop requirements (Table 7.29) for growing marigold were matched with the soil-site characteristics and a land suitability map for growing marigold was generated. The area extent and their geographical distribution of different suitability subclasses in the microwatershed is given in Figure 7.28.

An area of about 21 ha (4%) is highly suitable (Class S1) for growing marigold and are distributed in the western part of the microwatershed. An area of about 197 ha (34%) is moderately suitable (Class S2) and occur in the southern, western and northern part of the microwatershed. They have minor limitations of calcareousness, gravelliness, rooting depth and texture. Maximum area of about 299 ha (52%) is marginally suitable (Class S3) for growing marigold and are distributed in the major part of the microwatershed with moderate limitations of gravelliness and rooting depth. An area of about 39 ha (7%) is currently not suitable (Class N1) for growing marigold and distributed in the northern part of the microwatershed with severe limitations of gravelliness and nutrient availability.

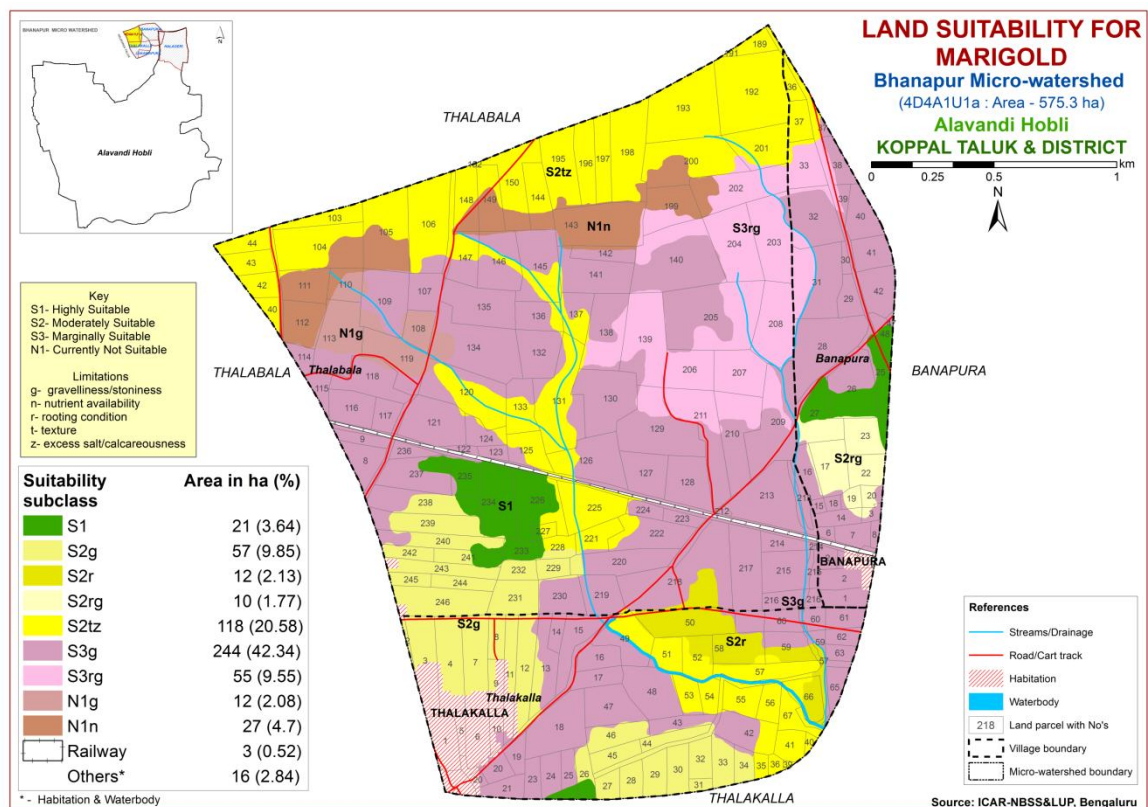


Fig. 7.28 Land Suitability map of Marigold

### 7.29 Land Suitability for Chrysanthemum (*Chrysanthemum indicum*)

Chrysanthemum is one of the most important flower crop grown in an area of 4978 ha in almost all the districts of the State. The crop requirements (Table 7.30) for growing chrysanthemum were matched with the soil-site characteristics (Table 7.1) and a land suitability map for growing chrysanthemum was generated. The area extent and their geographic distribution of different suitability subclasses in the microwatershed is given in Figure 7.29.

An area of about 21 ha (4%) is highly suitable (Class S1) for growing chrysanthemum and are distributed in the western part of the microwatershed. An area of about 197 ha (34%) is moderately suitable (Class S2) and occur in the western, southern and central part of the microwatershed. They have minor limitations of rooting depth, gravelliness, calcareousness and texture. Maximum area of about 299 ha (52%) is marginally suitable (Class S3) for growing chrysanthemum and are distributed in the major part of the microwatershed with moderate limitations of gravelliness and rooting depth. An area of about 39 ha (7%) is currently not suitable (Class N1) for growing chrysanthemum and distributed in the northern part of the microwatershed with severe limitations of gravelliness and nutrient availability.



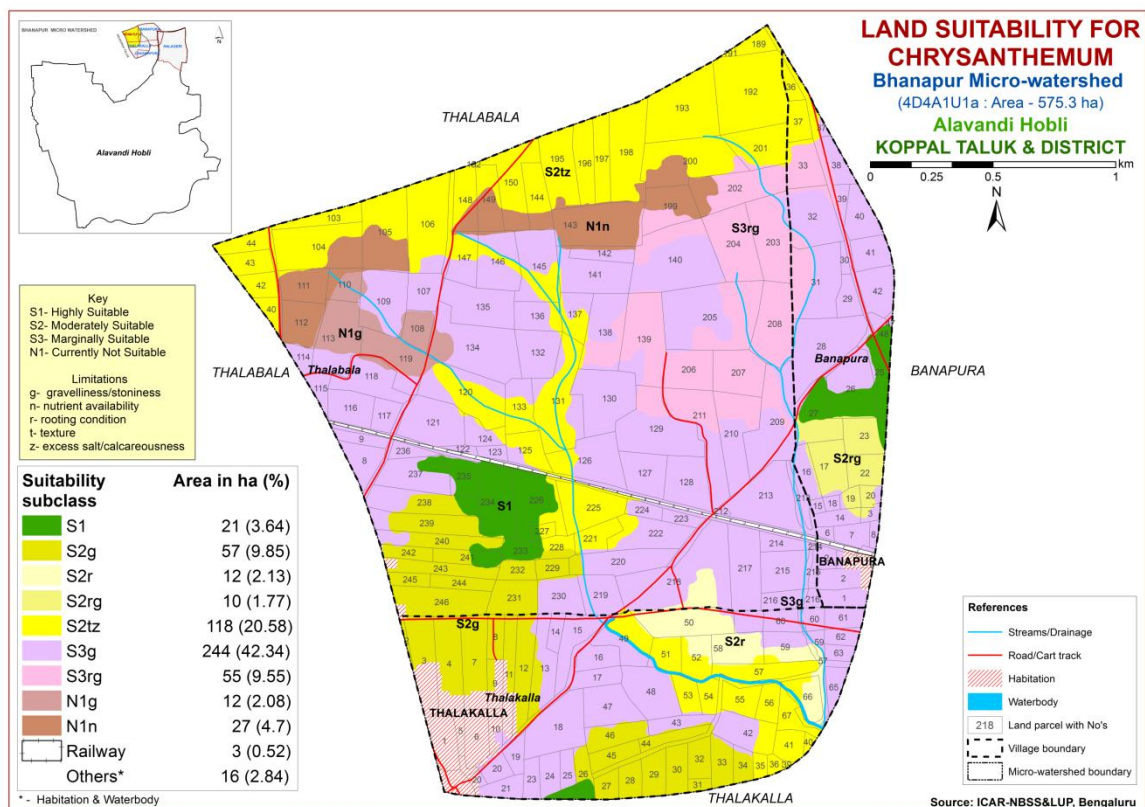


Fig. 7.29 Land Suitability map of Chrysanthemum

### 7. 30 Land Suitability for Jasmine (*Jasminum sp.*)

Jasmine is one of the most important flower crop grown in an area of 803 ha in almost all the districts of the State. The crop requirements (Table 7.31) for growing jasmine were matched with the soil-site characteristics (Table 7.1) and a land suitability map for growing jasmine was generated. The area extent and their geographical distribution of different suitability subclasses in the microwatershed are given in Figure 7.30.

An area of about 21 ha (4%) is highly suitable (Class S1) for growing jasmine and are distributed in the western part of the microwatershed. An area of about 79 ha (14%) is moderately suitable (Class S2) and occur in the southern, western and northern part of the microwatershed. They have minor limitations of gravelliness and rooting depth. Maximum area of about 417 ha (72%) is marginally suitable (Class S3) for growing jasmine and are distributed in the major part of the microwatershed with moderate limitations of gravelliness, texture and rooting depth. An area of about 39 ha (7%) is currently not suitable (Class N1) for growing jasmine and distributed in the northern part of the microwatershed with severe limitations of gravelliness and nutrient availability.

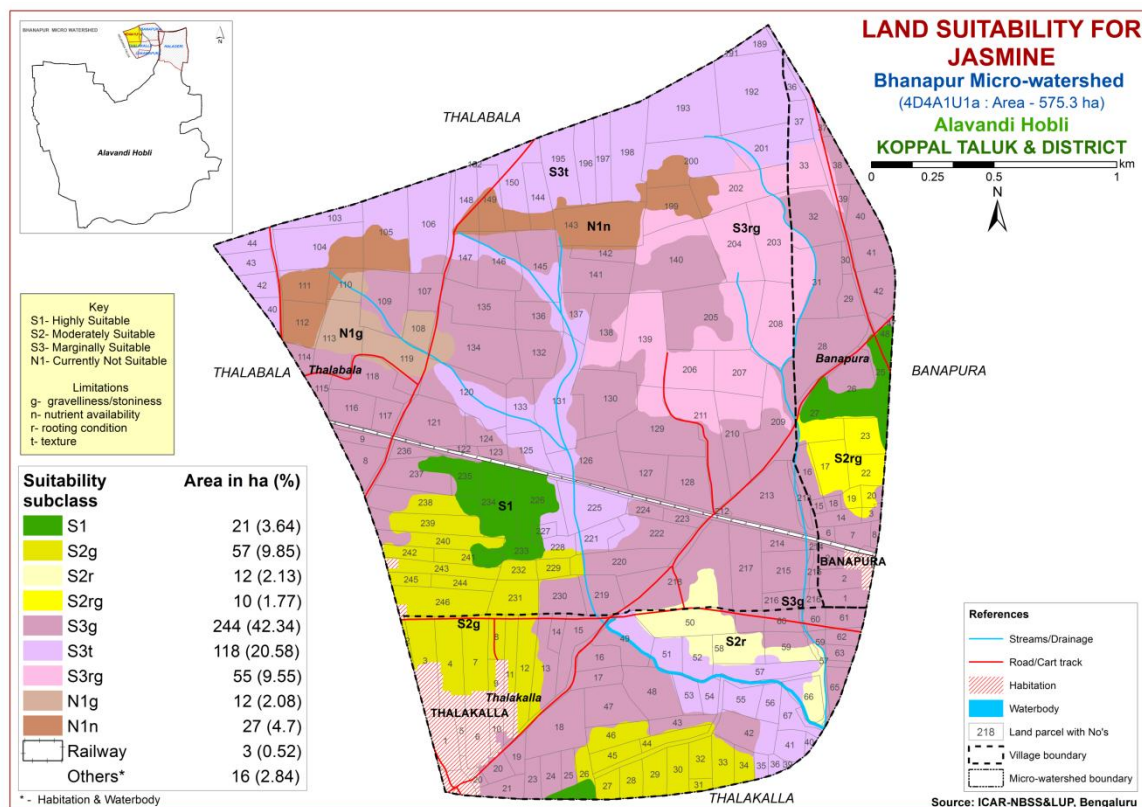


Fig. 7.30 Land Suitability map of Jasmine

### 7. 31 Land Suitability for Crossandra (*Crossandra infundibuliformis*)

Crossandra is one of the most important flower crop grown in almost all the districts of the State. The crop requirements (Table 7.32) for growing crossandra were matched with the soil-site characteristics (Table 7.1) and a land suitability map for growing crossandra was generated. The area extent and their geographical distribution of different suitability subclasses in the microwatershed are given in Figure 7.31.

An area of about 21 ha (4%) is highly suitable (Class S1) for growing crossandra and are distributed in the western and eastern part of the microwatershed. An area of about 79 ha (14%) is moderately suitable (Class S2) and occur in the eastern, western and southern part of the microwatershed. They have minor limitations of gravelliness and rooting depth. Maximum area of about 417 ha (72%) is marginally suitable (Class S3) for growing crossandra and are distributed in the major part of the microwatershed with moderate limitations of gravelliness, rooting depth and texture. An area of about 39 ha (7%) is currently not suitable (Class N1) for growing crossandra and distributed in the northern part of the microwatershed with severe limitations of gravelliness and nutrient availability.

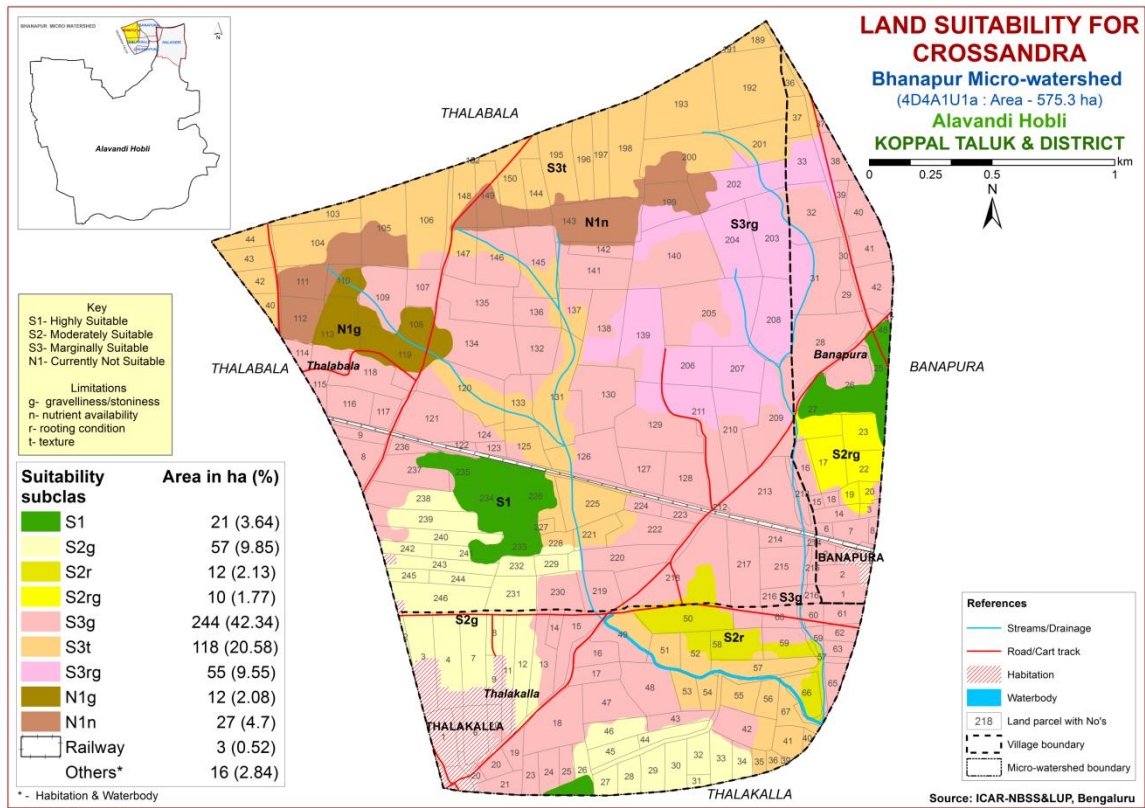


Fig. 7.31 Land Suitability map of Crossandra

**Table 7.1 Soil-Site Characteristics of Bhanapur Microwatershed**

Soil Map Units	Climate (P) (mm)	Growing period (Days)	Drainage Class	Soil depth (cm)	Soil texture		Gravelliness		AWC (mm/m)	Slope (%)	Erosion	pH	EC (dSm <sup>-1</sup> )	ESP	CEC [Cmol (p <sup>+</sup> )kg <sup>-1</sup> ]	BS (%)
					Surf-ace	Sub-surface	Surf-ace	Sub-surface								
HRVcB2g1	662	<90	WD	25-50	sl	gscl	15-35	>35	<50	1-3	moderate	6.05	0.21	0.73	11.24	100
HRVcC2g2R2	662	<90	WD	25-50	sl	gscl	35-60	>35	<50	3-5	moderate	6.05	0.21	0.73	11.24	100
HRViB1g2	662	<90	WD	25-50	sc	gscl	35-60	>35	<50	1-3	slight	6.05	0.21	0.73	11.24	100
LKRcB2g1	662	<90	WD	50-75	sl	gsc	15-35	40-60	51-100	1-3	moderate	8.18	0.30	4.51	12.19	100
LKRcB2g2	662	<90	WD	50-75	sl	gsc	35-60	40-60	51-100	1-3	moderate	8.18	0.30	4.51	12.19	100
LKRhC2g3	662	<90	WD	50-75	scl	gsc	60-80	40-60	51-100	3-5	moderate	8.18	0.30	4.51	12.19	100
LKRiB1g1	662	<90	WD	50-75	sc	gsc	15-35	40-60	51-100	1-3	slight	8.18	0.30	4.51	12.19	100
MKHcB1g1	662	<90	WD	50-75	sl	gsc	15-35	>35	51-100	1-3	slight	7.38	0.09	1.49	14.84	93
MKHcB2g2	662	<90	WD	50-75	sl	gsc	35-60	>35	51-100	1-3	moderate	7.38	0.09	1.49	14.84	93
MKHhB2g1	662	<90	WD	50-75	sc	gsc	15-35	>35	51-100	1-3	moderate	7.38	0.09	1.49	14.84	93
KGHhB2	662	<90	WD	50-75	scl	scl	-	15-35	101-150	1-3	moderate	6.66	0.08	0.93	8.22	100
KGHhB2g1	662	<90	WD	50-75	scl	scl	15-35	15-35	101-150	1-3	moderate	6.66	0.08	0.93	8.22	100
KTPcB1g1	662	<90	WD	50-75	sl	sc	15-35	15-35	101-150	1-3	slight	6.42	0.07	0.05	4.41	100
BDGhB2g1	662	<90	WD	75-100	scl	gc	15-35	35-60	<50	1-3	moderate	6.24	0.06	0.35	3.76	52.56
HDHcB2g2	662	<90	WD	75-100	sl	gsc-gc	35-60	>35	51-100	1-3	moderate	6.54	0.07	7.11	5.84	84.7
BSRbB2g1	662	<90	WD	75-100	ls	gsc	15-35	15-35	51-100	1-3	moderate	6.59	0.12	6.00	8.80	77.55
BPRcA1g1	662	<90	WD	100-150	sl	gsc-gc	15-35	>35	51-100	0-1	slight	6.64	0.03	0.51	5.45	63.48
BPRcB2g1	662	<90	WD	100-150	sl	gsc-gc	15-35	>35	51-100	1-3	moderate	6.64	0.03	0.51	5.45	63.48
GDPcB2	662	<90	WD	100-150	sl	gsc-gc	-	30-60	51-100	1-3	moderate	7.88	0.10	2.87	7.8	97
KMHcA1	662	<90	WD	100-150	sl	sc	-	<15	151-200	0-1	slight	7.2	0.19	0.54	15.07	100
RNKmB2	662	<90	MWD	50-75	c	c	-	<15	51-100	1-3	moderate	8.86	0.48	16.94	37.0	-
DRLmB2	662	<90	MWD	75-100	c	c	-	<15	151-200	1-3	moderate	8.78	0.42	5.62	49.70	100
DRLmB2g1	662	<90	MWD	75-100	c	c	15-35	<15	151-200	1-3	moderate	8.78	0.42	5.62	49.70	100
KVRmB1	662	<90	MWD	75-100	c	c	-	-	>200	1-3	slight	8.4	0.26	0.60	43.25	-
KVRmB2g1	662	<90	MWD	100-150	c	c	15-35	-	>200	1-3	moderate	8.4	0.26	0.60	43.25	-

**Table 7.2 Land suitability criteria for Sorghum**

Land use requirement			Rating			
Soil –site characteristics		Unit	Highly suitable (S1)	Moderately suitable (S2)	Marginally suitable (S3)	Not suitable (N1)
Climatic regime 1	Mean temperature in growing season	°C	26–30	30–34; 24–26	34–40; 20–24	>40; <20
	Mean max. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean min. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean RH in growing season	%				
	Total rainfall	mm				
	Rainfall in growing season	mm				
Land quality	Soil-site characteristics					
Moisture availability	Length of growing period for short duration	Days				
	Length of growing period for long duration					
	AWC	mm/m				
Oxygen availability to roots	Soil drainage	Class	Well drained	Moderately well drained	Poorly drained	V. poorly drained
	Water logging in growing season	Days				
Nutrient availability	Texture	Class	sc, c (red), c (black)	scl, cl	ls, sl	-
	pH	1:2.5	5.5-7.8	5.0-5.5 7.8-9.0	>9.0	-
	CEC	C mol (p+)/Kg				
	BS	%				
	CaCO <sub>3</sub> in root zone	%		<5	5-10	10-15
	OC	%				
Rooting conditions	Effective soil depth	cm	>75	50-75	25-50	<25
	Stoniness	%				
	Coarse fragments	Vol %	<15	15-35	35-60	60-80
Soil toxicity	Salinity (EC saturation extract)	dS/m	<2	2-4	4-8	>8
	Sodicity (ESP)	%	5-10	10-15	>15	
Erosion hazard	Slope	%	0-3	3-5	5-10	>10



**Table 7.3 Land suitability criteria for Maize**

Land use requirement		Rating				
Soil –site characteristics		Unit	Highly suitable (S1)	Moderately suitable (S2)	Marginally suitable (S3)	Not suitable (N1)
Climatic regime	Mean temperature in growing season	°C	30-34	35-38 26-30	38-40 26-20	
	Mean max. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean min. tempt. in growing season	°C				
	Mean RH in growing season	%				
	Total rainfall	mm				
	Rainfall in growing season	mm				
Land quality	Soil-site characteristic					
Moisture availability	Length of growing period for short duration	Days				
	Length of growing period for long duration					
	AWC	mm/m				
Oxygen availability to roots	Soil drainage	Class	Well drained	Moderately well drained	Poorly drained	Very poorly drained
	Water logging in growing season	Days				
Nutrient availability	Texture	Class	scl, cl, sc	c (red), c (black)	ls, sl	-
	pH	1:2.5	5.5-7.8	5.0-5.5 7.8-9.0	>9.0	-
	CEC	C mol (p+)/Kg				
	BS	%				
	CaCO <sub>3</sub> in root zone	%		<5	5-10	>10
	OC	%				
Rooting conditions	Effective soil depth	cm	>75	50-75	25-50	<25
	Stoniness	%				
	Coarse fragments	Vol %	<15	15-35	35-60	60-80
Soil toxicity	Salinity (EC saturation extract)	ds/m	<2	2-4	4-8	>8
	Sodicity (ESP)	%	5-10	10-15	>15	-
Erosion hazard	Slope	%	0-3	3-5	5-10	>10

**Table 7.4 Land suitability criteria for Bajra**

Land use requirement			Rating			
Soil –site characteristics		Unit	Highly suitable (S1)	Moderately suitable (S2)	Marginally suitable (S3)	Not suitable (N1)
Climatic regime	Mean temperature in growing season	°C	28-32	33-38 24-27	39-40 20-23	<20
	Mean max. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean min. tempt. in growing season	°C				
	Mean RH in growing season	%				
	Total rainfall	mm	500-750	400-500	200-400	<200
	Rainfall in growing season	mm				
Land quality	Soil-site characteristic					
Moisture availability	Length of growing period for short duration	Days				
	Length of growing period for long duration					
	AWC	mm/m				
Oxygen availability to roots	Soil drainage	Class	Well drained	Moderately well drained	Poorly drained	Very poorly drained
	Water logging in growing season	Days				
Nutrient availability	Texture	Class	Sl, scl, cl,sc,c (red)	C (black)	ls	-
	pH	1:2.5	6.0-7.8	5.0-5.5 7.8-9.0	5.5-6.0 >9.0	
	CEC	C mol (p+)/ Kg				
	BS	%				
	CaCO3 in root zone	%		<5	5-10	>10
	OC	%				
Rooting conditions	Effective soil depth	cm	>75	50-75	25-50	<25
	Stoniness	%				
	Coarse fragments	Vol %	15-35	35-60	>60	
Soil toxicity	Salinity (EC saturation extract)	dS/m	<2	2-4	4-8	>8
	Sodicity (ESP)	%	5-10	10-15	>15	
Erosion hazard	Slope	%	1-3	3-5	5-10	>10

**Table 7.5 Land suitability criteria for Red gram**

Land use requirement			Rating			
Soil –site characteristics		Unit	Highly suitable (S1)	Moderately suitable (S2)	Marginally suitable (S3)	Not suitable (N1)
Climatic regime	Mean temperature in growing season	°C	30-35(G) 20-25(AV) 15-18 (F&PS) 35-40(M)	25-30(G) 20-25 (AV) 12-15 (F&PS) 30-35(M)	20-25(G) 15-20(AV) 10-12 (F&PS) 25-30(M)	< 20 <15 <10 <25
	Mean max. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean min. tempt. in growing season	°C				
	Mean RH in growing season	%				
	Total rainfall	mm				
	Rainfall in growing season	mm				
Land quality	Soil-site characteristic					
Moisture availability	Length of growing period for short duration	Days				
	Length of growing period for long duration					
	AWC	mm/m				
Oxygen availability to roots	Soil drainage	Class	Well drained	Mod. Well drained	Poorly drained	Very Poorly drained
	Water logging in growing season	Days				
Nutrient availability	Texture	Class	sc, c (red)	c (black),sl, scl, cl	ls	-
	pH	1:2.5	6.0-7.8	5.5-6.0 7.8-9.0	5.0-5.5 >9.0	-
	CEC	C mol (p+)/ Kg				
	BS	%				
	CaCO <sub>3</sub> in root zone	%		<5	5-10	>10
	OC	%				
Rooting conditions	Effective soil depth	cm	>100	75-100	50-75	<50
	Stoniness	%				
	Coarse fragments	Vol %	<15	15-35	35-50	60-80
Soil toxicity	Salinity (EC saturation extract)	dS/m	<1.0	1.0-2.0	>2.0	
	Sodicity (ESP)	%	5-10	10-15	>15	
Erosion hazard	Slope	%	<3	3-5	5-10	>10

**Table 7.6 Land suitability criteria for Bengal gram**

Land use requirement			Rating			
Soil –site characteristics	Unit	Highly suitable (S1)	Moderately suitable (S2)	Marginally suitable (S3)	Not suitable (N1)	
Climatic regime	Mean temperature in growing season	°C	20–25	25–30; 15–20	30–35; 10–15	>35; <10
	Mean max. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean min. tempt. in growing season	°C				
	Mean RH in growing season	%				
	Total rainfall	mm				
	Rainfall in growing season	mm				
Land quality	Soil-site characteristic					
Moisture availability	Length of growing period for short duration	Days				
	Length of growing period for long duration					
	AWC	mm/m				
Oxygen availability to roots	Soil drainage	Class	Well drained	Mod. Well drained	Poorly drained	Very Poorly drained
	Water logging in growing season	Days				
Nutrient availability	Texture	Class	C (black)	-	c (red), scl, cl, sc	ls, sl
	pH	1:2.5	6.0-7.8	5.0-6.0 7.8-9.0	>9.0	-
	CEC	C mol (p+)/Kg				
	BS	%				
	CaCO <sub>3</sub> in root zone	%		<5	5-10	>10
	OC	%				
Rooting conditions	Effective soil depth	cm	>75	50-75	25-50	<25
	Stoniness	%				
	Coarse fragments	Vol %	<15	15-35	35-60	60-80
Soil toxicity	Salinity (EC saturation extract)	dS/m	<2	2-4	4-8	>8
	Sodicity (ESP)	%	5-10	10-15	>15	-
Erosion hazard	Slope	%	<3	3-5	5-10	>10

**Table 7.7 Land suitability criteria for Groundnut**

Land use requirement			Rating			
Soil –site characteristics		Unit	Highly suitable (S1)	Moderately suitable (S2)	Marginally suitable (S3)	Not suitable (N1)
Climatic regime	Mean temperature in growing season	°C	24–33	22–24; 33–35	20–22; 35–40	<20; >40
	Mean max. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean min. tempt. in growing season	°C				
	Mean RH in growing season	%				
	Total rainfall	mm				
	Rainfall in growing season	mm				
Land quality	Soil-site characteristic					
Moisture availability	Length of growing period for short duration	Days				
	Length of growing period for long duration					
	AWC	mm/m				
Oxygen availability to roots	Soil drainage	Class	Well drained	Mod. Well drained	Poorly drained	Very Poorly drained
	Water logging in growing season	Days				
Nutrient availability	Texture	Class	scl	sl,cl, sc	c (red), c (black), ls	-
	pH	1:2.5	6.0-7.8	5.5-6.0 7.8-8.4	5.0-5.5 8.4-9.0	>9.0
	CEC	C mol (p+)/Kg				
	BS	%				
	CaCO3 in root zone	%		<5	5-10	>10
	OC	%				
Rooting conditions	Effective soil depth	cm	>75	50-75	25-50	<25
	Stoniness	%				
	Coarse fragments	Vol %	<35	35-60	>60	
Soil toxicity	Salinity (EC saturation extract)	dS/m	<2	2-4	4-8	>8
	Sodicity (ESP)	%	<5	5-10	10-15	>15
Erosion hazard	Slope	%	<3	3-5	5-10	>10



**Table 7.8 Land suitability criteria for Sunflower**

Land use requirement			Rating			
Soil –site characteristics		Unit	Highly suitable (S1)	Moderately suitable (S2)	Marginally suitable (S3)	Not suitable (N1)
Climatic regime	Mean temperature in growing season	°C	24–30	30–34; 20–24	34–38; 16–20	>38; <16
	Mean max. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean min. tempt. in growing season	°C				
	Mean RH in growing season	%				
	Total rainfall	mm				
	Rainfall in growing season	mm				
Land quality	Soil-site characteristic					
Moisture availability	Length of growing period for short duration	Days				
	Length of growing period for long duration					
	AWC	mm/m				
Oxygen availability to roots	Soil drainage	Class	Well drained	mod. Well drained	-	Poorly to very drained
	Water logging in growing season	Days				
Nutrient availability	Texture	Class	cl, sc,c (red), c (black)	scl	ls, sl	-
	pH	1:2.5	6.5-7.8	7.8-8.4 5.5-6.5	8.4-9.0; 5.0-5.5	>9.0
	CEC	C mol (p+)/Kg				
	BS	%				
	CaCO3 in root zone	%		<5	5-10	>10
	OC	%				
Rooting conditions	Effective soil depth	cm	>100	75-100	50-75	<50
	Stoniness	%				
	Coarse fragments	Vol %	<15	15-35	35-60	60-80
Soil toxicity	Salinity (EC saturation extract)	dS/m	<2	2-4	4-8	>8
	Sodicity (ESP)	%	<5	5-10	10-15	>15
Erosion hazard	Slope	%	<3	3-5	5-10	>10

**Table 7.9 Land suitability criteria for Cotton**

Land use requirement			Rating			
Soil –site characteristics		Unit	Highly suitable (S1)	Moderately suitable (S2)	Marginally suitable (S3)	Not suitable (N1)
Climatic regime	Mean temperature in growing season	°C	22-32	>32	<19	-
	Mean max. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean min. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean RH in growing season	%				
	Total rainfall	mm				
	Rainfall in growing season	mm				
Land quality	Soil-site characteristic					
Moisture availability	Length of growing period for short duration	Days				
	Length of growing period for long duration					
	AWC	mm/m				
Oxygen availability to roots	Soil drainage	Class	Well to moderately well	Poorly drained/Some what excessively drained	-	very poorly/excessively drained
	Water logging in growing season	Days				
Nutrient availability	Texture	Class	sc, c (red,black)	cl	scl	ls, sl
	pH	1:2.5	6.5-7.8	7.8-8.4	5.5-6.5 8.4->9.0	<5.5
	CEC	C mol (p+)Kg				
	BS	%				
	CaCO3 in root zone	%		<5	5-10	>10
	OC	%				
Rooting conditions	Effective soil depth	cm	>100	50-100	25-50	<25
	Stoniness	%				
	Coarse fragments	Vol %	<15	15-35	35-60	60-80
Soil toxicity	Salinity (EC saturation extract)	dS/m	<2	2-4	4-8	>8
	Sodicity (ESP)	%	5-10	10-15	>15	
Erosion hazard	Slope	%	<3	3-5	-	>5

**Table 7.10 Land suitability criteria for Chili**

Land use requirement			Rating			
Soil –site characteristics		Unit	Highly suitable (S1)	Moderately suitable (S2)	Marginally suitable (S3)	Not suitable (N1)
Climatic regime	Mean temperature in growing season	°C	25-32	33-35 20-25	35-38 <20	>38
	Mean max. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean min. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean RH in growing season	%				
	Total rainfall	mm				
	Rainfall in growing season	mm				
Land quality	Soil-site characteristic					
Moisture availability	Length of growing period for short duration	Days				
	Length of growing period for long duration					
	AWC	mm/m				
Oxygen availability to roots	Soil drainage	Class	Well drained	Moderately well drained	Poorly drained	Very poorly drained
	Water logging in growing season	Days				
Nutrient availability	Texture	Class	scl, cl, sc	c (black), sl	ls	-
	pH	1:2.5	6.0-7.3	5.0-6.0 7.3-8.4	8.4-9.0	>9.0
	CEC	C mol (p+)/Kg				
	BS	%				
	CaCO3 in root zone	%		<5	5-10	>10
	OC	%				
Rooting conditions	Effective soil depth	cm	>75	50-75	25-50	<25
	Stoniness	%				
	Coarse fragments	Vol %	<15	15-35	35-60	60-80
Soil toxicity	Salinity (EC saturation extract)	dS/m	<2	2-4	4-8	>8
	Sodicity (ESP)	%	<5	5-10	10-15	>15
Erosion hazard	Slope	%	<3	3-5	5-10	>10

**Table 7.11 Land suitability criteria for Tomato**

Land use requirement		Rating				
Soil –site characteristics	Unit	Highly suitable (S1)	Moderately suitable (S2)	Marginally suitable (S3)	Not suitable (N1)	
Climatic regime	Mean temperature in growing season	°C	25-28	29-32 20-24	15-19 33-36	<15 >36
	Mean max. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean min. tempt. in growing season	°C				
	Mean RH in growing season	%				
	Total rainfall	mm				
	Rainfall in growing season	mm				
Land quality	Soil-site characteristic					
Moisture availability	Length of growing period for short duration	Days				
	Length of growing period for long duration					
	AWC	mm/m				
Oxygen availability to roots	Soil drainage	Class	Well drained	Moderately well drained	Poorly drained	V.poorly drained
	Water logging in growing season	Days				
Nutrient availability	Texture	Class	sl, scl, cl, sc, c (red)	-	ls, c(black)	-
	pH	1:2.5	6.0-7.3	5.0-6.0 7.3-8.4	8.4-9.0	>9.0
	CEC	C mol (p+)/Kg				
	BS	%				
	CaCO3 in root zone	%		<5	5-10	>10
	OC	%				
Rooting conditions	Effective soil depth	cm	>75	50-75	25-50	<25
	Stoniness	%				
	Coarse fragments	Vol %	<15	15-35	35-60	60-80
Soil toxicity	Salinity (EC saturation extract)	dS/m	<2.0	2-4	4-8	>8.0
	Sodicity (ESP)	%	<5	5-10	10-15	>15
Erosion hazard	Slope	%	<3	3-5	5-10	>10

**Table 7.12 Land suitability criteria for Brinjal**

Land use requirement			Rating			
Soil –site characteristics		Unit	Highly suitable (S1)	Moderately suitable (S2)	Marginally suitable (S3)	Not suitable (N1)
Climatic regime	Mean temperature in growing season	°C	Well drained	Moderately well drained	Poorly drained	V. Poorly drained
	Mean max. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean min. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean RH in growing season	%				
	Total rainfall	mm				
	Rainfall in growing season	mm				
Land quality	Soil-site characteristic					
Moisture availability	Length of growing period for short duration	Days				
	Length of growing period for long duration					
	AWC	mm/m				
Oxygen availability to roots	Soil drainage	Class				
	Water logging in growing season	Days				
Nutrient availability	Texture	Class	sl, scl, cl, sc c (red)	-	ls, c (black)	-
	pH	1:2.5	6.0-7.3	7.3-8.4 5.0-6.0	8.4-9.0	>9.0
	CEC	C mol (p+)/Kg				
	BS	%				
	CaCO <sub>3</sub> in root zone	%		<5	5-10	>10
	OC	%				
Rooting conditions	Effective soil depth	cm	>75	50-75	25-50	<25
	Stoniness	%				
	Coarse fragments	Vol %	<15	15-35	35-60	>60
Soil toxicity	Salinity (EC saturation extract)	ds/m	<2.0	2-4	4-8	>8.0
	Sodicity (ESP)	%	<5	5-10	10-15	>15
Erosion hazard	Slope	%	<3	3-5	5-10	>10



**Table 7.13 Land suitability criteria for Onion**

Land use requirement			Rating			
Soil –site characteristics		Unit	Highly suitable (S1)	Moderately suitable (S2)	Marginally suitable (S3)	Not suitable (N1)
Climatic regime	Mean temperature in growing season	°C	20-30	30-35	35-40	>40
	Mean max. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean min. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean RH in growing season	%				
	Total rainfall	mm				
	Rainfall in growing season	mm				
Land quality	Soil-site characteristic					
Moisture availability	Length of growing period for short duration	Days				
	Length of growing period for long duration					
	AWC	mm/m				
Oxygen availability to roots	Soil drainage	Class	Well drained	Moderately /imperfectly	-	Poorly to V poorly drained
	Water logging in growing season	Days				
Nutrient availability	Texture	Class	sl,scl,cl,sc,c (red)	-	c (Black),ls	-
	pH	1:2.5	6.0-7.3	5.0-6.0 7.3-7.8	7.8-8.4	>8.4
	CEC	C mol (p+)/Kg				
	BS	%				
	CaCO3 in root zone	%		<5	5-10	>10
	OC	%				
Rooting conditions	Effective soil depth	cm	>75	50-75	25-50	<25
	Stoniness	%				
	Coarse fragments	Vol %	<15	15-35	35-60	60-80
Soil toxicity	Salinity (EC saturation extract)	ds/m	<1.0	1.0-2.0	2.0-4.0	<4
	Sodicity (ESP)	%	<5	5-10	10-15	>15
Erosion hazard	Slope	%	<3	3-5	5-10	>10

**Table 7.14 Land suitability criteria for Bhendi**

Land use requirement			Rating			
Soil –site characteristics		Unit	Highly suitable (S1)	Moderately suitable (S2)	Marginally suitable (S3)	Not suitable (N1)
Climatic regime	Mean temperature in growing season	°C	25-28	29-32 20-24	15-19 33-36	<15 >36
	Mean max. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean min. tempt. in growing season	°C				
	Mean RH in growing season	%				
	Total rainfall	mm				
	Rainfall in growing season	mm				
Land quality	Soil-site characteristic					
Moisture availability	Length of growing period for short duration	Days				
	Length of growing period for long duration					
	AWC	mm/m				
Oxygen availability to roots	Soil drainage	Class	Well drained	Moderately well drained	Imperfectly drained	Poorly to very poorly drained
	Water logging in growing season	Days				
Nutrient availability	Texture	Class	scl, cl,sc, c (red)	c (black)	ls	-
	pH	1:2.5	6.0-7.3	5.0-6.0 7.3-8.4	8.4-9.0	>9.0
	CEC	C mol (p+)/Kg				
	BS	%				
	CaCO <sub>3</sub> in root zone	%		<5	5-10	>10
	OC	%				
Rooting conditions	Effective soil depth	cm	>75	50-75	25-50	<25
	Stoniness	%				
	Coarse fragments	Vol %	<15	15-35	35-60	60-80
Soil toxicity	Salinity (EC saturation extract)	ds/m	<2.0	2-4	4-8	>8.0
	Sodicity (ESP)	%	<5	5-10	10-15	>15
Erosion hazard	Slope	%	<3	3-5	5-10	>10

**Table 7.15 Land suitability criteria for Drumstick**

Land use requirement			Rating			
Soil –site characteristics		Unit	Highly suitable (S1)	Moderately suitable (S2)	Marginally suitable (S3)	Not suitable (N1)
Climatic regime	Mean temperature in growing season	°C				
	Mean max. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean min. tempt. in growing season	°C				
	Mean RH in growing season	%				
	Total rainfall	mm				
	Rainfall in growing season	mm				
Land quality	Soil-site characteristic					
Moisture availability	Length of growing period for short duration	Days				
	Length of growing period for long duration					
	AWC	mm/m				
Oxygen availability to roots	Soil drainage	Class	Well drained	Moderately well drained	Poorly drained	V.Poorly drained
	Water logging in growing season	Days				
Nutrient availability	Texture	Class	sc, scl, cl, c (red)	sl, c (black)	ls	s
	pH	1:2.5	6.0-7.3	5.0-5.5 7.3-7.8	5.5-6.0 7.8-8.4	>8.4
	CEC	C mol (p+)/Kg				
	BS	%				
	CaCO3 in root zone	%		<5	5-10	>10
	OC	%				
Rooting conditions	Effective soil depth	cm	>100	75-100	50-75	<50
	Stoniness	%				
	Coarse fragments	Vol %	<35	35-60	60-80	>80
Soil toxicity	Salinity (EC saturation extract)	dS/m				
	Sodicity (ESP)	%	<5	5-10	10-15	>15
Erosion hazard	Slope	%	<3	3-10	-	>10

**Table 7.16 Land suitability criteria for Mulberry**

Land use requirement			Rating			
Soil –site characteristics		Unit	Highly suitable (S1)	Moderately suitable (S2)	Marginally suitable (S3)	Not suitable (N1)
Climatic regime	Mean temperature in growing season	°C	24–28	22–24; 28–32	32–38; 22–18	>38; <18
	Mean max. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean min. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean RH in growing season	%				
	Total rainfall	mm				
	Rainfall in growing season	mm				
Land quality	Soil-site characteristic					
Moisture availability	Length of growing period for short duration	Days				
	Length of growing period for long duration					
	AWC	mm/m				
Oxygen availability to roots	Soil drainage	Class	Well drained	Moderately well drained	Poorly drained	V. Poorly drained
	Water logging in growing season	Days				
Nutrient availability	Texture	Class	sc, cl, scl	c (red)	c (black), sl, ls	-
	pH	1:2.5	5.5-7.3	5.0-5.5 7.8-8.4	7.3-8.4	>8.4
	CEC	C mol (p+)/Kg				
	BS	%				
	CaCO <sub>3</sub> in root zone	%		<5	5-10	>10
	OC	%				
Rooting conditions	Effective soil depth	cm	>100	75-100	50-75	<50
	Stoniness	%				
	Coarse fragments	Vol %	0-35	35-60	60-80	>80
Soil toxicity	Salinity (EC saturation extract)	dS/m	<2	2-4	4-8	>8
	Sodicity (ESP)	%	<5	5-10	10-15	>15
Erosion hazard	Slope	%	0-3	3-5	5-10	>10

**Note:** Suitability evaluation only for Mulberry leaf not for Silk worm rearing

**Table 7.17 Land suitability criteria for Mango**

Land use requirement			Rating			
Soil –site characteristics		Unit	Highly suitable (S1)	Moderately suitable (S2)	Marginally suitable (S3)	Not suitable (N1)
Climatic regime	Mean temperature in growing season	°C	28-32	24-27 33-35	36-40	20-24
	Min temp. before flowering	°C	10-15	15-22	>22	-
	Mean max. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean min. tempt. in growing season	°C				
	Mean RH in growing season	%				
	Total rainfall	mm				
	Rainfall in growing season	mm				
Land quality	Soil-site characteristic					
Moisture availability	Length of growing period for short duration	Days				
	Length of growing period for long duration	Days				
	AWC	mm/m				
Oxygen availability to roots	Soil drainage	Class	Well drained	Moderately well drained	Poorly drained	V.Poorly drained
	Water logging in growing season	Days				
Nutrient availability	Texture	Class	scl, cl, sc, c (red)	-	ls, sl, c (black)	-
	pH	1:2.5	5.5-7.3	5.0-5.5 7.3-8.4	8.4-9.0	>9.0
	CEC	C mol (p+)/Kg				
	BS	%				
	CaCO3 in root zone	%		<5	5-10	>10
	OC	%				
Rooting conditions	Effective soil depth	cm	>150	100-150	75-100	<75
	Stoniness	%				
	Coarse fragments	Vol %	<15	15-35	35-60	60-80
Soil toxicity	Salinity (EC saturation extract)	dS/m	<2.0	2-4	4-8	>8.0
	Sodicity (ESP)	%	<5	5-10	10-15	>15
Erosion hazard	Slope	%	<3	3-5	5-10	>10



**Table 7.18 Land suitability criteria for Sapota**

Land use requirement			Rating			
Soil –site characteristics		Unit	Highly suitable (S1)	Moderately suitable (S2)	Marginally suitable (S3)	Not suitable (N1)
Climatic regime	Mean temperature in growing season	°C	28-32	33-36 24-27	37-42 20-23	>42 <18
	Mean max. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean min. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean RH in growing season	%				
	Total rainfall	mm				
	Rainfall in growing season	mm				
Land quality	Soil-site characteristic					
Moisture availability	Length of growing period for short duration	Days				
	Length of growing period for long duration					
	AWC	mm/m				
Oxygen availability to roots	Soil drainage	Class	Well drained	Moderately well drained	-	Poorly to very drained
	Water logging in growing season	Days				
Nutrient availability	Texture	Class	scl, cl, sc, c (red)	sl	ls, c (black)	-
	pH	1:2.5	6.0-7.3	5.0-6.0 7.3-8.4	8.4-9.0	>9.0
	CEC	C mol (p+)/Kg				
	BS	%				
	CaCO3 in root zone	%		<5	5-10	>10
	OC	%				
Rooting conditions	Effective soil depth	cm	>100	75-100	50-75	<50
	Stoniness	%				
	Coarse fragments	Vol %	<15	15-35	35-60	60-80
Soil toxicity	Salinity (EC saturation extract)	dS/m	<2.0	2-4	4-8	>8.0
	Sodicity (ESP)	%	<5	5-10	10-15	>15
Erosion hazard	Slope	%	<3	3-5	5-10	>10

**Table 7.19 Land suitability criteria for Pomegranate**

Land use requirement			Rating			
Soil –site characteristics		Unit	Highly suitable (S1)	Moderately suitable (S2)	Marginally suitable (S3)	Not suitable (N1)
Climatic regime	Mean temperature in growing season	°C	30-34	35-38 25-29	39-40 15-24	
	Mean max. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean min. tempt. in growing season	°C				
	Mean RH in growing season	%				
	Total rainfall	mm				
	Rainfall in growing season	mm				
Land quality	Soil-site characteristic					
Moisture availability	Length of growing period for short duration	Days				
	Length of growing period for long duration					
	AWC	mm/m				
Oxygen availability to roots	Soil drainage	Class	Well drained	Moderately well drained	Poorly drained	V.Poorly drained
	Water logging in growing season	Days				
Nutrient availability	Texture	Class	scl,cl, sc, c (red)	c (black),sl	ls	-
	pH	1:2.5	5.5-7.8	7.8-8.4	5.0-5.5 8.4-9.0	>9.0
	CEC	C mol (p+)/ Kg				
	BS	%				
	CaCO3 in root zone	%		<5	5-10	>10
	OC	%				
Rooting conditions	Effective soil depth	cm	>100	75-100	50-75	<50
	Stoniness	%				
	Coarse fragments	Vol %	<15	15-35	35-60	60-80
Soil toxicity	Salinity (EC saturation extract)	dS/m	<2.0	2-4	4-8	>8.0
	Sodicity (ESP)	%	<5	5-10	10-15	>15
Erosion hazard	Slope	%	<3	3-5	5-10	>10

**Table 7.20 Land suitability criteria for Guava**

Land use requirement			Rating			
Soil –site characteristics		Unit	Highly suitable (S1)	Moderately suitable (S2)	Marginally suitable (S3)	Not suitable (N1)
Climatic regime	Mean temperature in growing season	°C	28-32	33-36 24-27	37-42 20-23	
	Mean max. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean min. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean RH in growing season	%				
	Total rainfall	mm				
	Rainfall in growing season	mm				
Land quality	Soil-site characteristic					
Moisture availability	Length of growing period for short duration	Days				
	Length of growing period for long duration					
	AWC	mm/m				
Oxygen availability to roots	Soil drainage	Class	Well drained	Moderately well drained	Poorly drained	V.Poorly drained
	Water logging in growing season	Days				
Nutrient availability	Texture	Class	scl, cl, sc, c (red)	sl	c (black), ls	-
	pH	1:2.5	6.0-7.8	5.0-6.0	7.8-8.4	>8.4
	CEC	C mol (p+)/Kg				
	BS	%				
	CaCO <sub>3</sub> in root zone	%		<5	5-10	>10
	OC	%				
Rooting conditions	Effective soil depth	cm	>100	75-100	50-75	<50
	Stoniness	%				
	Coarse fragments	Vol %	<15	15-35	35-60	60-80
Soil toxicity	Salinity (EC saturation extract)	dS/m	<2.0	2-4	4-8	>8.0
	Sodicity (ESP)	%	<5	5-10	10-15	>15
Erosion hazard	Slope	%	<3	3-5	5-10	>10

**Table 7.21 Land suitability criteria for Jackfruit**

Land use requirement			Rating			
Soil –site characteristics		Unit	Highly suitable (S1)	Moderately suitable (S2)	Marginally suitable (S3)	Not suitable (N1)
Climatic regime	Mean temperature in growing season	°C				
	Mean max. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean min. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean RH in growing season	%				
	Total rainfall	mm				
	Rainfall in growing season	mm				
Land quality	Soil-site characteristic					
Moisture availability	Length of growing period for short duration	Days				
	Length of growing period for long duration					
	AWC	mm/m				
Oxygen availability to roots	Soil drainage	Class	Well drained	Mod. well	Poorly	V. Poorly
	Water logging in growing season	Days				
Nutrient availability	Texture	Class	scl, cl, sc, c (red)	-	sl, ls, c (black)	-
	pH	1:2.5	5.5-7.3	5.0-5.5 7.3-7.8	7.8-8.4	>8.4
	CEC	C mol (p+)/Kg				
	BS	%				
	CaCO3 in root zone	%		<5	5-10	>10
	OC	%				
Rooting conditions	Effective soil depth	cm	>100	75-100	50-75	<50
	Stoniness	%				
	Coarse fragments	Vol %	<15	15-35	35-60	>60
Soil toxicity	Salinity (EC saturation extract)	dS/m	<2.0	2-4	4-8	>8.0
	Sodicity (ESP)	%	<5	5-10	10-15	>15
Erosion hazard	Slope	%	0-3	3-5	5-10	>10-

**Table 7.22 Land suitability criteria for Jamun**

Land use requirement		Rating				
Soil –site characteristics	Unit	Highly suitable (S1)	Moderately suitable (S2)	Marginally suitable (S3)	Not suitable (N1)	
Climatic regime	Mean temperature in growing season	°C				
	Mean max. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean min. tempt. in growing season	°C				
	Mean RH in growing season	%				
	Total rainfall	mm				
	Rainfall in growing season	mm				
Land quality	Soil-site characteristic					
Moisture availability	Length of growing period for short duration	Days				
	Length of growing period for long duration					
	AWC	mm/m				
Oxygen availability to roots	Soil drainage	Class	Well	Mod. well	Poorly	V.Poorly
	Water logging in growing season	Days				
Nutrient availability	Texture	Class	scl, cl, sc, c(red)	sl, c (black)	ls	-
	pH	1:2.5	6.0-7.8	5.0-6.0	7.8-8.4	>8.4
	CEC	C mol (p+)/Kg				
	BS	%				
	CaCO <sub>3</sub> in root zone	%		<5	5-10	>10
	OC	%				
Rooting conditions	Effective soil depth	cm	>150	100-150	50-100	<50
	Stoniness	%				
	Coarse fragments	Vol %	<15	15-35	35-60	>60
Soil toxicity	Salinity (EC saturation extract)	dS/m	<2.0	2-4	4-8	>8.0
	Sodicity (ESP)	%	<5	5-10	10-15	>15
Erosion hazard	Slope	%	0-3	3-5	5-10	>10

**Table 7.23 Land suitability criteria for Musambi**

Land use requirement			Rating			
Soil –site characteristics		Unit	Highly suitable (S1)	Moderately suitable (S2)	Marginally suitable (S3)	Not suitable (N1)
Climatic regime	Mean temperature in growing season	°C	28-30	31-35 24-27	36-40 20-23	>40 <20
	Mean max. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean min. tempt. in growing season	°C				
	Mean RH in growing season	%				
	Total rainfall	mm				
	Rainfall in growing season	mm				
Land quality	Soil-site characteristic					
Moisture availability	Length of growing period for short duration	Days				
	Length of growing period for long duration					
	AWC	mm/m				
Oxygen availability to roots	Soil drainage	Class	Well drained	Moderately drained	poorly	Very poorly
	Water logging in growing season	Days				
Nutrient availability	Texture	Class	scl, cl, sc, c	sl	ls	-
	pH	1:2.5	6.0-7.8	5.5-6.0 7.8-8.4	5.0-5.5 8.4-9.0	>9.0
	CEC	C mol (p+)/Kg				
	BS	%				
	CaCO3 in root zone	%		<5	5-10	>10
	OC	%				
Rooting conditions	Effective soil depth	cm	>100	75-100	50-75	<50
	Stoniness	%				
	Coarse fragments	Vol %	<15	15-35	35-60	60-80
Soil toxicity	Salinity (EC saturation extract)	dS/m	<2.0	2-4	4-8	>8.0
	Sodicity (ESP)	%	<5	5-10	10-15	>15
Erosion hazard	Slope	%	<3	3-5	5-10	>10



**Table 7.24 Land suitability criteria for Lime**

Land use requirement			Rating			
Soil –site characteristics		Unit	Highly suitable (S1)	Moderately suitable (S2)	Marginally suitable (S3)	Not suitable (N1)
Climatic regime	Mean temperature in growing season	°C	28-30	31-35 24-27	36-40 20-23	>40 <20
	Mean max. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean min. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean RH in growing season	%				
	Total rainfall	mm				
	Rainfall in growing season	mm				
Land quality	Soil-site characteristic					
Moisture availability	Length of growing period for short duration	Days				
	Length of growing period for long duration					
	AWC	mm/m				
Oxygen availability to roots	Soil drainage	Class	Well drained	Moderately drained	poorly	Very poorly
	Water logging in growing season	Days				
Nutrient availability	Texture	Class	scl, cl, sc, c	sl	ls	-
	pH	1:2.5	6.0-7.8	5.5-6.0 7.8-8.4	5.0-5.5 8.4-9.0	>9.0
	CEC	C mol (p+)/Kg				
	BS	%				
	CaCO <sub>3</sub> in root zone	%		<5	5-10	>10
	OC	%				
Rooting conditions	Effective soil depth	cm	>100	75-100	50-75	<50
	Stoniness	%				
	Coarse fragments	Vol %	<15	15-35	35-60	60-80
Soil toxicity	Salinity (EC saturation extract)	dS/m	<2.0	2-4	4-8	>8.0
	Sodicity (ESP)	%	<5	5-10	10-15	>15
Erosion hazard	Slope	%	<3	3-5	5-10	>10

**Table 7.25 Land suitability criteria for Cashew**

Land use requirement			Rating			
Soil –site characteristics		Unit	Highly suitable (S1)	Moderately suitable (S2)	Marginally suitable (S3)	Not suitable (N1)
Climatic regime	Mean temperature in growing season	°C	32 to 34	28 to 32; 34 to 38	24 to 28; 38 to 40	<20; >40
	Mean max. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean min. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean RH in growing season	%				
	Total rainfall	mm				
	Rainfall in growing season	mm				
Land quality	Soil-site characteristic					
Moisture availability	Length of growing period for short duration	Days				
	Length of growing period for long duration					
	AWC	mm/m				
Oxygen availability to roots	Soil drainage	Class	Well drained	moderately well drained	Poorly drained	Very poorly drained
	Water logging in growing season	Days				
Nutrient availability	Texture	Class	scl, cl, sc, c (red)	-	sl, ls	c (black)
	pH	1:2.5	5.5-6.5	5.0-5.5 6.5-7.3	7.3-7.8	>7.8
	CEC	C mol (p+)/ Kg				
	BS	%				
	CaCO <sub>3</sub> in root zone	%		<5	5-10	>10
	OC	%				
Rooting conditions	Effective soil depth	cm	>100	75-100	50-75	<50
	Stoniness	%				
	Coarse fragments	Vol %	<15	15-35	35-60	60-80
Soil toxicity	Salinity (EC saturation extract)	dS/m	<2	2-4	4-8	>8
	Sodicity (ESP)	%	<5	5-10	10-15	>15
Erosion hazard	Slope	%	<3	3-10	>10	-

**Table 7.26 Land suitability criteria for Custard apple**

Land use requirement			Rating			
Soil –site characteristics		Unit	Highly suitable (S1)	Moderately suitable (S2)	Marginally suitable (S3)	Not suitable (N1)
Climatic regime	Mean temperature in growing season	°C				
	Mean max. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean min. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean RH in growing season	%				
	Total rainfall	mm				
	Rainfall in growing season	mm				
Land quality	Soil-site characteristic					
Moisture availability	Length of growing period for short duration	Days				
	Length of growing period for long duration					
	AWC	mm/m				
Oxygen availability to roots	Soil drainage	Class	Well drained	Mod. well drained	Poorly drained	V.Poorly drained
	Water logging in growing season	Days				
Nutrient availability	Texture	Class	Scl, cl, sc, c (red), c (black)	-	Sl, ls	-
	pH	1:2.5	6.0-7.3	5.5-6.0 7.3-8.4	5.0-5.5 8.4-9.0	>9.0
	CEC	C mol (p+)/Kg				
	BS	%				
	CaCO3 in root zone	%		<5	5-10	>10
	OC	%				
Rooting conditions	Effective soil depth	cm	>75	50-75	25-50	<25
	Stoniness	%				
	Coarse fragments	Vol %	<15-35	35-60	60-80	-
Soil toxicity	Salinity (EC saturation extract)	dS/m	<2.0	2-4	4-8	>8.0
	Sodicity (ESP)	%	<5	5-10	10-15	>15
Erosion hazard	Slope	%	0-3	3-5	>5	-

**Table 7.27 Land suitability criteria for Amla**

Land use requirement			Rating			
Soil –site characteristics		Unit	Highly suitable (S1)	Moderately suitable (S2)	Marginally suitable (S3)	Not suitable (N1)
Climatic regime	Mean temperature in growing season	°C				
	Mean max. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean min. tempt. in growing season	°C				
	Mean RH in growing season	%				
	Total rainfall	mm				
	Rainfall in growing season	mm				
Land quality	Soil-site characteristic					
Moisture availability	Length of growing period for short duration	Days				
	Length of growing period for long duration					
	AWC	mm/m				
Oxygen availability to roots	Soil drainage	Class	Well drained	Mod.well drained	Poorly drained	V. Poorly drained
	Water logging in growing season	Days				
Nutrient availability	Texture	Class	scl, cl, sc, c (red)	c (black)	ls, sl	-
	pH	1:2.5	5.5-7.3	5.0-5.5 7.3-7.8	7.8-8.4	>8.4
	CEC	C mol (p+)/Kg				
	BS	%				
	CaCO3 in root zone	%		<5	5-10	>10
	OC	%				
Rooting conditions	Effective soil depth	cm	>75	50-75	25-50	<25
	Stoniness	%				
	Coarse fragments	Vol %	<15-35	35-60	60-80	-
Soil toxicity	Salinity (EC saturation extract)	dS/m	<2.0	2-4	4-8	>8.0
	Sodicity (ESP)	%	<5	5-10	10-15	>15
Erosion hazard	Slope	%	0-3	3-5	5-10	>10

**Table 7.28 Land suitability criteria for Tamarind**

Land use requirement			Rating			
Soil –site characteristics		Unit	Highly suitable (S1)	Moderately suitable (S2)	Marginally suitable (S3)	Not suitable (N1)
Climatic regime	Mean temperature in growing season	°C				
	Mean max. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean min. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean RH in growing season	%				
	Total rainfall	mm				
	Rainfall in growing season	mm				
Land quality	Soil-site characteristic					
Moisture availability	Length of growing period for short duration	Days				
	Length of growing period for long duration					
	AWC	mm/m				
Oxygen availability to roots	Soil drainage	Class	Well drained	Mod.well drained	Poorly drained	V.Poorly drained
	Water logging in growing season	Days				
Nutrient availability	Texture	Class	scl, cl,sc, c (red)	sl, c (black)	ls	-
	pH	1:2.5	6.0-7.3	5.0-6.0 7.3-7.8	7.8-8.4	>8.4
	CEC	C mol (p+)/Kg				
	BS	%				
	CaCO3 in root zone	%		<5	5-10	>10
	OC	%				
Rooting conditions	Effective soil depth	cm	>150	100-150	75-100	<75
	Stoniness	%				
	Coarse fragments	Vol %	<15	15-35	35-60	60-80
Soil toxicity	Salinity (EC saturation extract)	dS/m	<2	2-4	4-8	>8
	Sodicity (ESP)	%	<5	5-10	10-15	>15
Erosion hazard	Slope	%	0-3	3-5	5-10	>10

**Table 7.29 Land suitability criteria for Marigold**

Land use requirement			Rating			
Soil –site characteristics		Unit	Highly suitable (S1)	Moderately suitable (S2)	Marginally suitable (S3)	Not suitable (N1)
Climatic regime	Mean temperature in growing season	°C	18-23	17-15 24-35	35-40 10-14	>40 <10
	Mean max. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean min. tempt. in growing season	°C				
	Mean RH in growing season	%				
	Total rainfall	mm				
	Rainfall in growing season	mm				
Land quality	Soil-site characteristic					
Moisture availability	Length of growing period for short duration	Days				
	Length of growing period for long duration					
	AWC	mm/m				
Oxygen availability to roots	Soil drainage	Class	Well drained	Moderately well drained	Poorly drained	V.Poorly drained
	Water logging in growing season	Days				
Nutrient availability	Texture	Class	sl,scl, cl, sc, c (red)	c (black)	ls	-
	pH	1:2.5	6.0-7.3	5.0-6.0 7.3-8.4	8.4-9.0	>9.0
	CEC	C mol (p+)/Kg				
	BS	%				
	CaCO3 in root zone	%		<5	5-10	>10
	OC	%				
Rooting conditions	Effective soil depth	cm	>75	50-75	25-50	<25
	Stoniness	%				
	Coarse fragments	Vol %	<15	15-35	35-60	60-80
Soil toxicity	Salinity (EC saturation extract)	dS/m	<2.0	2-4	4-8	>8.0
	Sodicity (ESP)	%				
Erosion hazard	Slope	%	<3	3-5	5-10	>10



**Table 7.30 Land suitability criteria for Chrysanthemum**

Land use requirement			Rating			
Soil –site characteristics		Unit	Highly suitable (S1)	Moderately suitable (S2)	Marginally suitable (S3)	Not suitable (N1)
Climatic regime	Mean temperature in growing season	°C	18-23	17-15 24-35	35-40 10-14	>40 <10
	Mean max. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean min. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean RH in growing season	%				
	Total rainfall	mm				
	Rainfall in growing season	mm				
Land quality	Soil-site characteristic					
Moisture availability	Length of growing period for short duration	Days				
	Length of growing period for long duration					
	AWC	mm/m				
Oxygen availability to roots	Soil drainage	Class	Well drained	Moderately well drained	Poorly drained	V.Poorly drained
	Water logging in growing season	Days				
Nutrient availability	Texture	Class	sl,scl, cl, sc, c (red)	c (black)	ls	-
	pH	1:2.5	6.0-7.3	5.0-6.0 7.3-8.4	8.4-9.0	>9.0
	CEC	C mol (p+)/Kg				
	BS	%				
	CaCO3 in root zone	%		<5	5-10	>10
	OC	%				
Rooting conditions	Effective soil depth	cm	>75	50-75	25-50	<25
	Stoniness	%				
	Coarse fragments	Vol %	<15	15-35	35-60	60-80
Soil toxicity	Salinity (EC saturation extract)	dS/m	<2.0	2-4	4-8	>8.0
	Sodicity (ESP)	%				
Erosion hazard	Slope	%	<3	3-5	5-10	>10

**Table 7.31 Land suitability criteria for Jasmine (irrigated)**

Land use requirement			Rating			
Soil –site characteristics		Unit	Highly suitable (S1)	Moderately suitable (S2)	Marginally suitable (S3)	Not suitable (N1)
Climatic regime	Mean temperature in growing season	°C	18-23	17-15 24-35	35-40 10-14	-
	Mean max. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean min. tempt. in growing season	°C				
	Mean RH in growing season	%				
	Total rainfall	mm				
	Rainfall in growing season	mm				
Land quality	Soil-site characteristic					
Moisture availability	Length of growing period for short duration	Days				
	Length of growing period for long duration					
	AWC	mm/m				
Oxygen availability to roots	Soil drainage	Class	Well drained	Moderately well drained	Poorly drained	V.Poorly drained
	Water logging in growing season	Days				
Nutrient availability	Texture	Class	scl, cl, sc, c (red)	sl	ls, c (black)	-
	pH	1:2.5	6.0-7.3	5.0-6.0 7.3-8.4	8.4-9.0	>9.0
	CEC	C mol (p+)/Kg				
	BS	%				
	CaCO3 in root zone	%		<5	5-10	>10
	OC	%				
Rooting conditions	Effective soil depth	cm	>75	50-75	25-50	<25
	Stoniness	%				
	Coarse fragments	Vol %	<15	15-35	35-60	60-80
Soil toxicity	Salinity (EC saturation extract)	dS/m	<2.0	2-4	4-8	>8.0
	Sodicity (ESP)	%				
Erosion hazard	Slope	%	<3	3-5	5-10	>10

### 7.32 Land suitability criteria for Crossandra

Land use requirement			Rating			
Soil –site characteristics		Unit	Highly suitable (S1)	Moderately suitable (S2)	Marginally suitable (S3)	Not suitable (N1)
Climatic regime	Mean temperature in growing season	°C				
	Mean max. temp. in growing season	°C				
	Mean min. tempt. in growing season	°C				
	Mean RH in growing season	%				
	Total rainfall	mm				
	Rainfall in growing season	mm				
Land quality	Soil-site characteristic					
Moisture availability	Length of growing period for short duration	Days				
	Length of growing period for long duration					
	AWC	mm/m				
Oxygen availability to roots	Soil drainage	Class	Well drained	Moderately well drained	-	Poorly to very poorly drained
	Water logging in growing season	Days				
Nutrient availability	Texture	Class	scl, cl, sc, c(red)	sl,	c (black),ls	-
	pH	1:2.5	6.0-7.3	5.0-6.0 7.3-8.4	8.4-9.0	>9.0
	CEC	C mol (p+)/Kg				
	BS	%				
	CaCO3 in root zone	%		<5	5-10	>10
	OC	%				
Rooting conditions	Effective soil depth	cm	>75	50-75	25-50	<25
	Stoniness	%				
	Coarse fragments	Vol %	<15	15-35	35-60	60-80
Soil toxicity	Salinity (EC saturation extract)	dS/m	<2.0	2-4	4-8	>8.0
	Sodicity (ESP)	%				
Erosion hazard	Slope	%	<3	3-5	5-10	>10

## 7.29 Land Management Units (LMUs)

The 25 soil map units identified in Bhanapur Microwatershed have been grouped into seven Land Management Units (LMUs) for the purpose of preparing a Proposed Crop Plan. Land Management Units are grouped based on the similarities in respect of the type of soil, the depth of the soil, the surface soil texture, gravel content, AWC, slope, erosion etc. and a Land Management Units map (Fig.7.32) has been generated. These Land Management Units are expected to behave similarly for a given level of management.

The map units that have been grouped into seven Land Management Units along with brief description of soil and site characteristics are given below.

LMU	Mapping unit	Soil and site characteristics
1	BPRcA1g1, BPRcB2g1, GDPcB2, BDGhB2g1, HDHcB2g2	Moderately deep to deep, red gravelly sandy clay to clay soils with slopes of 0-3%, slight to moderate erosion, gravelly to very gravelly (15-60%)
2	KMHcA1, BSRbB2g1	Moderately deep to deep, red sandy clay soils with slopes of 0-3%, slight to moderate erosion, gravelly (15-35%)
3	KVRmB1, KVRmB2g1, DRLmB2, DRLmB2g1	Moderately deep to deep, calcareous clay soils with slopes of 1-3%, slight to moderate erosion, gravelly (15-35%)
4	RNKmB2	Moderately shallow, black calcareous clay soils with slopes of 1-3%, moderate erosion
5	LKRcB2g1, LKRcB2g2, LKRhC2g3, LKRiB1g1, MKHcB1g1, MKHcB2g2, MKHiB2g1	Moderately shallow, red gravelly sandy clay soils with slopes of 1-3%, slight to moderate erosion, gravelly to extremely gravelly (15-80%)
6	KGHhB2, KGHhB2g1, KTPcB1g1	Moderately shallow, red sandy clay to sandy clay loam soils with slopes of 1-3%, slight to moderate erosion, gravelly (15-35%)
7	HRVcB2g1, HRVcC2g2R2, HRViB1g2	Shallow, red gravelly sandy clay loam soils with slopes of 1-5%, slight to moderate erosion, gravelly to very gravelly (35-60%), Fairly rocky (2-10%)

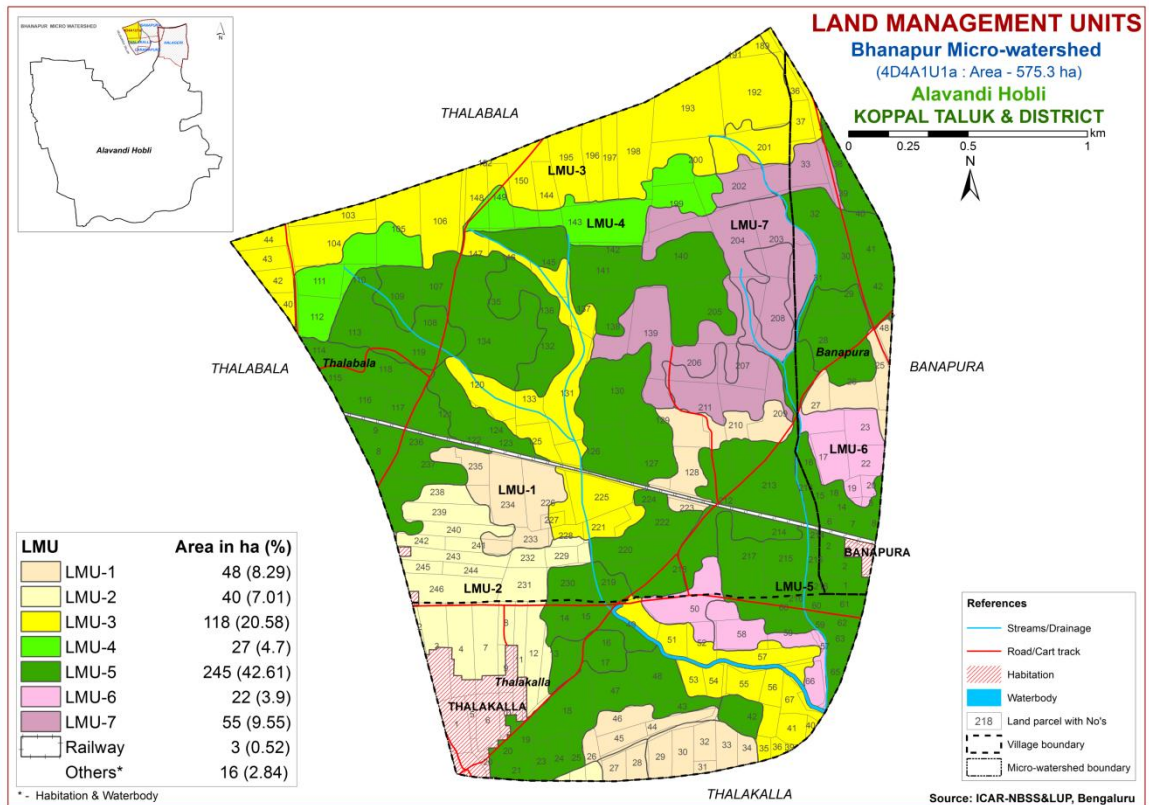


Fig 7.32 Land Management Units map of Bhanapur microwatershed

### 7.30 Proposed Crop Plan for Bhanapur Microwatershed

After assessing the land suitability for the 31 crops, the proposed crop plan has been prepared for the seven identified LMUs by considering only the highly (Class S1) and moderately (Class S2) suitable lands for each of the 31 crops. The resultant proposed crop plan is presented in Table 7.33.

**Table 7.33 Proposed Crop Plan for Bhanapur Microwatershed**

<b>LMU</b>	<b>Soil Map Units</b>	<b>Survey Number</b>	<b>Field Crops/ Commercial crops</b>	<b>Horticulture Crops (Rainfed/Irrigated )</b>	<b>Suitable Interventions</b>
1	221.BPRcA1g1 225.BPRcB2g1 267.GDPcB2 188.BDGhB2g1 112.HDHcB2g2 (Moderately deep to deep, red gravelly sandy clay to clay soils)	<b>Banapura</b> :25,48 <b>Thalabala</b> :128,209,223,226,233,234,235 <b>Thalakalla</b> :26,27,28,29,30,31,32,33,34,44,45,46	Maize, Sorghum, Sunflower, Groundnut, Bajra, Cotton, Red gram	<b>Fruit crops</b> : Sapota, Pomegranate, Amla, Cashew, Guava, Custard apple, Jack fruit, Jamun, Lime, Musambi <b>Vegetables</b> : Tomato, Chilli, Drumstick, Onion, Bhendi, Brinjal, Curry leaves <b>Flowers</b> : Marigold, Chrysanthemum, Jasmine, Crossandra	Drip irrigation, mulching, suitable soil and water conservation practices (Crescent Bunding with Catch Pit etc)
2	196.KMHcA1 158.BSRbB2g1 (Moderately deep to deep, red sandy clay soils)	<b>Thalabala</b> : 229,231,232,238,239,240,241,242,243,244, 245,246 <b>Thalakalla</b> : 2,3,4,7,8 ,11,12	Maize, Sorghum, Groundnut, Sunflower, Bajra, Mulberry, Cotton, Red gram	<b>Fruit crops</b> : Sapota, Pomegranate, Amla, Cashew, Custard apple, Guava, Jackfruit, Lime, Musambi, <b>Vegetables</b> : Tomato, Chillies, Drumstick, Onion, Bhendi, Brinjal, Curry leaves <b>Flowers</b> : Marigold, Chrysanthemum, Jasmine, Crossandra	Drip irrigation, mulching, suitable soil and water conservation practices (Crescent Bunding with Catch Pit etc)
3	388.KVRmB1 390.KVRmB2g1 350.DRLmB2 351.DRLmB2g1 (Moderately deep to deep, calcareous clay soils)	<b>Banapura</b> : 36,37 <b>Thalabala</b> :40,42,43,44,103,104,105,106,120,125,131,133,137,144,148, 150,152,189,191,192,193,195,196,197,198,200,201,221,225,227,228 <b>Thalakalla</b> :35,36,39,40,41,49,51,52,53,54,55,56,57,67	Maize, Sorghum, Sunflower, Bajra, Cotton, Red gram, Bengal gram, Soybean, Safflower, Linseed	<b>Fruit crops</b> : Pomegranate, Jamun, Lime, Musambi, Tamarind, Amla, Custard apple <b>Vegetables</b> : Drumstick, Chillies, Bhendi, Brinjal, Coriander <b>Flowers</b> : Marigold, Chrysanthemum,	Application of FYM, Biofertilizers and micronutrients, drip irrigation, mulching, suitable soil and water conservation practices
4	336.RNKmB2 (Moderately shallow, black calcareous sodic	<b>Thalabala</b> :111,112,143,149,199	-	<b>Agri-Silvi-Pasture</b> : Ber, Aonla, Acacia sp. Dhaincha, Rhodes grass, Para grass ,Bermuda grass	Application of gypsum, iron pyrites and elemental sulphur.



LMU	Soil Map Units	Survey Number	Field Crops/ Commercial crops	Horticulture Crops (Rainfed/Irrigated )	Suitable Interventions
	clay soils)				Addition of farm yard manures, green manures and providing subsurface drainage
5	43.LKRcB2g1 44.LKRcB2g2 49.LKRhC2g3 51.LKRiB1g1 75.MKHcB1g1 78.MKHcB2g2 90.MKHhB2g1 (Moderately shallow, red gravelly sandy clay soils)	<b>Banapura:</b> 1,2,3,6,7,8,14,15,16,18,26,28,29,30,31,32,38,39,40,41,42,47 <b>Thalabala:</b> 8,9,107,108,109,110,113,114,115,116,117,118,119,121,122,123,124,126,127,129,130,132,134,135,136,138,140,141,142,145,146,147,205,212,213,214,215,216,217,218,219,220,222, 224,230,236,237 <b>Thalakalla:</b> 13,14,15,16,17,18,19,20,21,23,24,25,42,43,47,48,59,60,61,62,63,65	Bajra, Groundnut, Horse gram, Castor	<b>Fruit crops :</b> Amla, Custard apple <b>Vegetables:</b> Curry leaves <b>Flowers:</b> Marigold, Chrysanthemum	Drip irrigation, mulching, suitable soil and water conservation practices (Crescent Bunding with Catch Pit etc)
6	68.KGHhB2 69.KGHhB2g1 71.KTPcB1g1 (Moderately shallow, red sandy clay to sandy clay loam soils)	<b>Banapura :</b> 17,19,20,22,23,27 <b>Thalakalla :</b> 50,58,66	Maize, Sorghum, Groundnut, Bajra, Cotton, Horse gram, Castor	<b>Fruit crops :</b> Amla, Custard apple <b>Vegetables:</b> Tomato, Chilli, Onion, Bhendi, Brinjal ,Curry leaves <b>Flowers:</b> Marigold, Chrysanthemum, Jasmine, Crossandra	Drip irrigation, mulching, suitable soil and water conservation practices (Crescent Bunding with Catch Pit etc)
7	465.HRVcB2g1 22.HRVcC2g2R2 30.HRViB1g2 (Shallow, red gravelly sandy clay loam soils)	<b>Banapura :</b> 33 <b>Thalabala:</b> 139,202,203,204,206,207,208, 210,211	-	<b>Agri-Silvi-Pasture:</b> Hybrid Napier, <i>Styloxanthes hamata</i> , Glyricidia, <i>Styloxanthes scabra</i>	Use of short duration varieties, sowing across the slope and split application of nitrogen fertilizers

## SOIL HEALTH MANAGEMENT

### 8.1 Soil Health

Soil health is basic to plant health and plant health is basic to human and bovine health. Soil is fundamental to crop production. Without soil, no food could be produced nor would livestock be fed on a large scale. Because it is finite and fragile, soil is a precious resource that requires special care from its users.

Soil health or the capacity of the soil to function is critical to human survival. Soil health has been defined as: “the capacity of the soil to function as a living system without adverse effect on the ecosystem”. Healthy soils maintain a diverse community of soil organisms that help to form beneficial symbiotic associations with plant roots, recycle essential plant nutrients, improve soil structure with positive repercussions for soil, water and nutrient holding capacity and ultimately improve crop production and also contribute to mitigating climate change by maintaining or increasing its carbon content.

Functional interactions of soil biota with organic and inorganic components, air and water determine a soil’s potential to store and release nutrients, and water to plants and to promote and sustain plant growth. Thus, maintaining soil health is vital to crop production and conserve soil resource base for sustaining agriculture.

#### **The most important characteristics of a healthy soil are**

- Good soil tilth
- Sufficient soil depth
- Good water storage and good drainage
- Adequate supply, but not excess of nutrients
- Large population of beneficial organisms
- Small proportion of plant pathogens and insect pests
- Low weed pressure
- Free of chemicals and toxins that may harm the crop
- Resistance to degradation
- Resilience when unfavourable conditions occur

#### **Characteristics of Bhanapur Microwatershed**

- ❖ The soil phases with sizeable area identified in the microwatershed belonged to the soil series of LKR(197ha), KVR (90 ha), HRV(55 ha), MKH(48 ha), BSR (39 ha), DRL(28 ha), RNK(27 ha), GDP(20 ha), KGH (13 ha), KTP(10 ha), HDH (10 ha), BPR (9 ha), BDG(9 ha) and KMH (1 ha).
- ❖ As per land capability classification, entire area in the microwatershed falls under arable land category (Class II, III and IV). The major limitations identified in the arable lands were soil and erosion.

- ❖ On the basis of soil reaction, an area of about 47 ha (8%) is moderately acid (pH 5.5-6.0), 99 ha (17%) is slightly acid (pH 6.0-6.5), 194 ha (34%) is neutral (pH 6.5-7.3), 207 ha (36%) is slightly alkaline (pH 7.3-7.8) and 8 ha(1%) is strongly alkaline (pH 8.4-9.0) in reaction.

### **Soil Health Management**

The following actions are required to improve the current land husbandry practices that provide a sound basis for the successful adoption of sustainable crop production system.

#### **Acid soils**

Acid soils occupy an area of about 146 ha (25%) in the microwatershed. The following measures are recommended for reclaiming acid soils.

1. Growing of crops suitable for a particular soil pH.
2. Ameliorating the soils through the application of amendments (liming materials).

Liming materials:

1.  $\text{CaCO}_3$  (Calcium Carbonate). More than 90% use in India.
2. Dolomite [ $\text{Ca Mg} (\text{CO}_3)_2$ ]
3. Quick lime (Cao)
4. Slaked lime [ $\text{Ca} (\text{OH})_2$ ]

For normal pH and pH-4.8 (35 t/ha) and pH 6 .0-7.0 (4 t/ha) lime is required

#### **Alkaline soils**

An area of about 215 ha (37%) is under alkaline soils. The following actions are recommended.

1. Regular addition of organic manure, green manuring, green leaf manuring, crop residue incorporation and mulching needs to be taken up to improve the soil organic matter status.
2. Application of biofertilizers (Azospirillum, Azotobacter, Rhizobium).
3. Application of 25% extra N and P (125 % RDN&P).
4. Application of  $\text{ZnSO}_4$  – 12.5 kg/ha (once in three years).
5. Application of Boron – 5 kg/ha (once in three years).

#### **Neutral soils**

Neutral soils cover about 194 ha (34%) and the following actions are recommended.

1. Regular addition of organic manure, green manuring, green leaf manuring, crop residue incorporation and mulching needs to be taken up to improve the soil organic matter status.
2. Application of biofertilizers, (Azospirillum, Azotobacter, Rhizobium).
3. Application of 100 per cent RDF.
4. Need based micronutrient applications.

Besides the above recommendations, the best transfer of technology options are also to be adopted.

### **Soil Degradation**

Soil erosion is one of the major factor affecting the soil health in the microwatershed. An area of about 436 ha (76%) is under moderate erosion. The areas with moderate erosion need immediate soil and water conservation and, other land development and land husbandry practices for restoring soil health.

### **Dissemination of Information and Communication of Benefits**

Any large scale implementation of soil health management requires that supporting information is made available widely, particularly through channels familiar to farmers and extension workers. Given the very high priority attached to soil health especially by the Central Government on issuing Soil-Health Cards to all the farmers, media outlets like Regional, State and National Newspapers, Radio and Dooradarshan programs in local languages but also modern information and communication technologies such as Cellular phones and the Internet, which can be much more effective in reaching the younger farmers.

### **Inputs for Net Planning (Saturation Plan) and Interventions needed**

Net planning in IWMP is focusing on preparation of

1. Soil and Water Conservation Treatment Plans for each plot or farm.
2. Productivity enhancement measures/ interventions for existing crops/livestock/other farm enterprises.
3. Diversification of farming mainly with perennial horticultural crops and livestock.
4. Improving livelihood opportunities and income generating activities.

In this connection, how various outputs of Sujala-III are of use in addressing these objectives of Net Planning are briefly presented below.

- ❖ **Soil Depth:** The depth of a soil decides the amount of moisture and nutrients it can hold, what crops can be taken up or not, depending on the rooting depth and the length of growing period available for raising any crop. Deeper the soil, better for a wide variety of crops. If sufficient depth is not available for growing deep rooted crops, either choose medium or short duration crops or deeper planting pits need to be opened and additional good quality soil brought from outside has to be filled into the planting pits.
- ❖ **Surface Soil Texture:** Lighter soil texture in the top soil means, better rain water infiltration, less run-off and soil moisture conservation, less capillary rise and less evaporation losses. Lighter surface textured soils are amenable to good soil tilth and are highly suitable for crops like groundnut, root vegetables (carrot, raddish, potato etc) but not ideal for crops that need stagnant water like lowland paddy. Heavy textured soils are poor in water infiltration and percolation. They are prone for sheet erosion; such soils can be improved by sand mulching. The technology that is

developed by the AICRP-Dryland Agriculture, Vijayapura, Karnataka can be adopted.

- ❖ **Gravelliness:** More gravel content is favorable for run-off harvesting but poor in soil moisture storage and nutrient availability. It is a significant parameter that decides the kind of crop to be raised.
- ❖ **Land Capability Classification:** The land capability map shows the areas suitable and not suitable for agriculture and the major constraints in each of the plot/survey number. Hence, one can decide what kind of enterprise is possible in each of these units. In general, erosion and soil are the major constraints in Bhanapur Microwatershed.
- ❖ **Organic Carbon:** An area of about 34 ha (6%) is low (<0.5%), 442 ha (77%) is medium (0.5-0.75%) in OC and 80 ha (14%) is high (>0.75%). The areas that are low and medium in OC needs to be further improved by applying farmyard manure and rotating crops with cereals and legumes or mixed cropping.
- ❖ **Promoting green manuring:** Growing of green manuring crops costs Rs. 1250/ha (green manuring seeds) and about Rs. 2000/ha towards cultivation that totals to Rs. 3250/- per ha. On the other hand, application of organic manure @ 10 tons/ha costs Rs. 5000/ha. The practice needs to be continued for 2-3 years or more. Nitrogen fertilizer needs to be supplemented by 25% in addition to the recommended level in 476 ha area where OC is less than 0.75 per cent. For example, for rainfed maize, recommended level is 50 kg N per ha and an additional 12 kg /ha needs to be applied for all the crops grown in these plots.
- ❖ **Available Phosphorus:** Available phosphorus is low (<23 kg/ha) in 4 ha(<1%), medium (23-57 kg/ha) in 229 ha (40%) and high(>57 kg/ha) in 323 ha(56%) area of the microwatershed. The areas with high phosphorus content reduce 25% from the RDF to avoid the excess application of fertilizer and apply additional 25% phosphorus in areas where it is low and medium.
- ❖ **Available Potassium:** Available potassium is medium (145-337 kg/ha) in 420 ha (73%) and high (>337 kg/ha) in 136 ha (24%) area of the microwatershed. The areas with high potassium content reduce 25% from the RDF to avoid the excess application of fertilizer and apply additional 25% potassium in areas where it is medium.
- ❖ **Available Sulphur:** Available sulphur is a very critical nutrient for oilseed crops. Available sulphur is low (<10 ppm) in 423 ha (73%) and medium in 133 ha (23%) area of the microwatershed. Areas with low and medium in available sulphur need to be applied with magnesium sulphate or gypsum or Factamphos (p) fertilizer (13% sulphur) for 2-3 years for the deficiency to be corrected.
- ❖ **Available Iron:** It is deficient (<4.5 ppm) in 164 ha (28 %) and sufficient (>4.5 ppm) in 392 ha (68 %) area of the microwatershed. To manage iron deficiency iron sulphate @ 25 kg/ha needs to be applied for 2-3 years.

- ❖ **Available Zinc:** It is deficient (<0.6 ppm) in 512 ha (89%) and sufficient (>0.6 ppm) in the 44 ha (8%) area of the microwatershed. Application of zinc sulphate @ 25kg/ha is to be followed in areas that are deficient in available zinc.
- ❖ **Available Boron:** Available boron is low in (<0.5ppm) 420 ha (73%) and medium (0.5-1.0 ppm) in 136 ha (24%) area in the microwatershed. The areas with low and medium in boron content need to be applied with sodium borate @ 10kg/ha as soil application or 0.2% borax as foliar spray to correct the deficiency.
- ❖ **Available Manganese:** It is sufficient in the entire area of the microwatershed.
- ❖ **Available Copper:** It is sufficient in the entire area of the microwatershed.
- ❖ **Soil Acidity:** The microwatershed has 146 ha (25%) area with soils that are slightly acid. These areas need application of lime (Calcium Carbonate).
- ❖ **Soil Alkalinity:** An area of about 215 ha (37%) in the microwatershed has soils that are slightly to very strongly alkaline. These areas need application of gypsum and wherever calcium is in excess, iron pyrites and element sulphur can be recommended. Management practices like treating repeatedly with good quality water to drain out the excess salts and provision of subsurface drainage and growing of salt tolerant crops like Casuarina, Acasia, Neem, Ber etc, are recommended.
- ❖ **Land Suitability for various crops:** Areas that are highly, moderately and marginally suitable and not suitable for growing various crops are indicated. Along with the suitability, various constraints that are limiting the productivity are also indicated. For example, in case of cotton, gravel content, rooting depth and salinity/alkalinity are the major constraints in various plots. With suitable management interventions, the productivity can be enhanced. In order to increase water holding capacity of light textured soils, growing of green manure crops and application of organic manure is recommended.

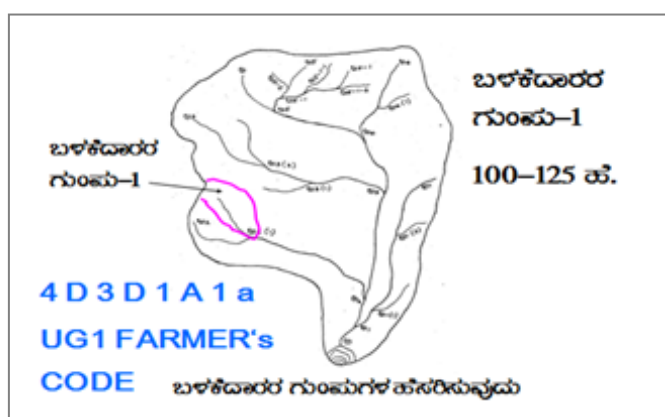




## SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION TREATMENT PLAN

For preparing soil and water conservation treatment plan for Bhanapur Microwatershed, the land resource inventory database generated under Sujala-III project has been transformed as information through series of interpretative (thematic) maps using soil phase map as a base. The various thematic maps (1:7920 scale) generated were

- Soil depth
- Surface soil texture
- Available water capacity
- Soil slope
- Soil gravelliness
- Land capability
- Present land use and land cover
- Crop suitability maps
- Rainfall map
- Hydrology
- Water Resources
- Socio-economic data
- Contour plan with existing features- network of waterways, pottissa boundaries, cut up/ minor terraces etc.
- Cadastral map (1:7920 scale)
- Satellite imagery (1:7920 scale)



Apart from these, Hand Level/ Hydro Marker/ Dumpy Level/ Total Station and Kathedars' List to be collected.

### Steps for Survey and Preparation of Treatment Plan

The boundaries of Land User Groups' and Survey No. boundaries are traced in the field.

- Naming of user groups and farmers
- Identification of arable and non arable lands
- Identification of drainage lines and gullies
- Identification of non treatable areas
- Identification of priority areas in the arable lands
- Treatment plan for arable lands
- Location of water harvesting and recharge structures

### 9.1 Treatment Plan

The treatment plan recommended for arable lands is briefly described below.

#### 9.1.1 Arable Land Treatment

## A. BUNDING

Steps for Survey and Preparation of Treatment Plan		USER GROUP-1
Cadastral map (1:7920 scale) is enlarged to a scale of 1:2500 scale Existing network of waterways, pothissa boundaries, grass belts, natural drainage lines/ watercourse, cut ups/ terraces are marked on the cadastral map to the scale Drainage lines are demarcated into		
Small gullies	(up to 5 ha catchment)	<div style="text-align: center;"> <b>CLASSIFICATION OF GULLIES</b> </div> <div style="text-align: center; background-color: #90EE90; padding: 5px;">                     ಕೊರಕಲಿನ ವರ್ಗೀಕರಣ                 </div> <div style="display: flex; align-items: center;"> <div style="width: 30%;"> <p>UPPER REACH</p> <p>MIDDLE REACH</p> <p>LOWER REACH</p> </div> <div style="width: 70%;"> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• ಮೂಲಸ್ಥರ 15 Ha.</li> <li>• ಮಧ್ಯಸ್ಥರ 15+10=25 ಹ.</li> <li>• ಕೆಳಸ್ಥರ 25 ಹೆಕ್ಟಾರ್ ಗಿಂತ ಅಧಿಕ</li> </ul> </div> </div>
Medium gullies	(5-15 ha catchment)	
Ravines	(15-25 ha catchment) and	
Halla/Nala	(more than 25ha catchment)	

### Measurement of Land Slope

Land slope is estimated or determined by the study and interpretation of contours or by measurement in the field using simple instruments like Hand Level or Hydromarker.



Vertical and Horizontal intervals between bunds as recommended by the Watershed Development Department.

Slope percentage	Vertical interval (m)	Corresponding Horizontal Distance (m)
2 - 3%	0.6	24
3 - 4%	0.9	21
4 - 5%	0.9	21
5 - 6%	1.2	21
6 - 7%	1.2	21

**Note:** i) The above intervals are maximum.

(ii) Considering the slope class and erosion status (A1... A= 0-1% slope, 1= slight erosion) the intervals have to be decided.

**Bund length recording:** Considering the contour plan and the existing grass belts/partitions, the bunds are aligned and lengths are measured.

**Section of the Bund**

Bund section is decided considering the soil texture class and gravelliness class (bg<sub>0</sub> .....b = loamy sand, g<sub>0</sub> = <15% gravel). The recommended sections for different soils are given below.

**Recommended Bund Section**

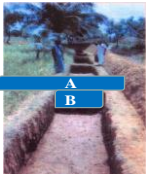
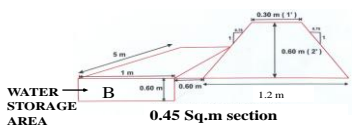
Top width (m)	Base width (m)	Height (m)	Side slope (Z:1;H:V)	Cross section (sq m)	Soil Texture	Remarks
0.3	0.9	0.3	01:01	0.18	Sandy loam	Vegetative bund
0.3	1.2	0.3	1.5:1	0.225	Sandy clay	
0.3	1.2	0.5	0.9:1	0.375	Red gravelly soils	
0.3	1.2	0.6	0.75:1	0.45		
0.3	1.5	0.6	01:01	0.54	Red sandy loam	
0.3	2.1	0.6	1.5:1	0.72	Very shallow clayey black soils	
0.45	2	0.75	01:01	0.92		
0.45	2.4	0.75	1.3:1	1.07	Shallow clayey black soils	
0.6	3.1	0.7	1.78:1	1.29	Medium clayey black soils	
0.5	3	0.85	1.47:1	1.49		

**Formation of Trench cum Bund**

Dimensions of the Borrow Pits/ Trenches to be excavated (machinery are decided considering the Bund Section).

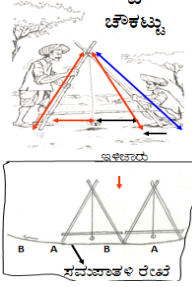
Details of Borrow Pit dimensions are given below

**TRENCH CUM BUND**

**IDEAL FOR HORTICULTURE CROPS**

**'A' FRAME FOR INTERBUND MANAGEMENT**



1. ಸಮಾನಾಕಲ ಉಳುವಂ
2. ಸಮಾನಾಕಲ ಬಿತ್ತನೆ/ನಾಟಿ

### Size of Borrow Pits/ Trench recommended for Trench cum Bund (by machinery)

Bund section	Bund length	Earth quantity	Pit				Berm (pit to pit)	Soil depth Class
			L(m)	W(m)	D(m)	Quantity (m <sup>3</sup> )		
0.375	6	2.25	5.85	0.85	0.45	2.24	0.15	Shallow
0.45	6	2.7	5.4	1.2	0.43	2.79	0.6	Shallow
0.45	6	2.7	5	0.85	0.65	2.76	1	Moderately Shallow
0.54	5.6	3.02	5.5	0.85	0.7	3.27	0.1	Moderately shallow
0.54	5.5	2.97	5	1.2	0.5	3	0.5	Shallow
0.72	6.2	4.46	6	1.2	0.7	5.04	0.2	Moderately shallow
0.72	5.2	3.74	5.1	0.85	0.9	3.9	0.1	Moderately deep

### B. Waterways

- a) Existing waterways are marked on the cadastral map (1:7920 scale) and their dimensions are recorded.
- b) Considering the contour plan of the MWS, additional waterways/ modernization of the existing ones can be thought of.
- c) The design details are given in the Manual.

### C. Farm Ponds

Waterways and the catchment area will give an indication on the size of the Farm Pond. Location of the pond can be decided based on the contour plan/ field condition and farmers' need/desire.

### D. Diversion Channel

Existing EPT/ CPT are marked on the cadastral map. Looking to the need, these can be modernized or fresh diversion channel can be proposed and runoff from this can be stored in *Gokatte/ Recharge Ponds*.

### 9.1.2 Non-Arable Land Treatment

Depending on the gravelliness and crops preferred by the farmers, the concerned authorities can decide appropriate treatment plan. The recommended treatments may be Contour Trench, Staggered Trench, Crescent Bund, Boulder Bund or Pebble Bund.

### **9.1.3 Treatment of Natural Water Course/ Drainage Lines**

- a) The cadastral map has to be updated as regards the network of drainage lines (gullies/ *nalas/ hallas*) and existing structures are marked to the scale and storage capacity of the existing water bodies are documented.
- b) The drainage line will be demarcated into Upper Reach, Middle Reach and Lower Reach.
- c) Considering the Catchment, *Nala* bed and bank conditions, suitable structures are decided.
- d) Number of storage structures (Check dam/ *Nala* bund/ Percolation tank) will be decided considering the commitments and available runoff in water budgeting and quality of water in the wells and site suitability.
- e) Detailed Levelling Survey using Dumpy Level / Total Station has to be carried out to arrive at the site-specific designs as shown in the Manual.
- f) The location of ground water recharge structures are decided by examining the lineaments and fracture zones from geological maps.
- g) Rainfall intensity data of the nearest Rain Gauge Station is considered for Hydrologic Designs.
- h) Silt load to the Storage/Recharge Structures is reduced by providing vegetative, boulder and earthen checks in the natural water course. Location and design details are given in the Manual.

### **9.2 Recommended Soil and Water Conservation Measures**

The appropriate conservation structures best suited for each of the land parcel/ survey number (Appendix-I) are selected based on the slope per cent, severity of erosion, amount of rainfall, land use and soil type. The different kinds of conservation structures recommended are

1. Graded / Strengthening of Bunds
2. Trench cum Bunds (TCB)
3. Trench cum Bunds / Strengthening
4. Crescent Bunds

A map (Fig. 9.1) showing soil and water conservation plan with different kinds of structures recommended has been prepared which shows the spatial distribution and extent of area. A maximum area of about 407 ha (71%) needs trench cum bunding, an area of about 145 ha (25 %) needs graded bunding and 4 ha (<1 %) requires strengthening of existing bunds/ bunding. The conservation plan prepared may be presented to all the stakeholders including farmers and after considering their suggestions, the conservation plan for the microwatershed may be finalized in a participatory approach.



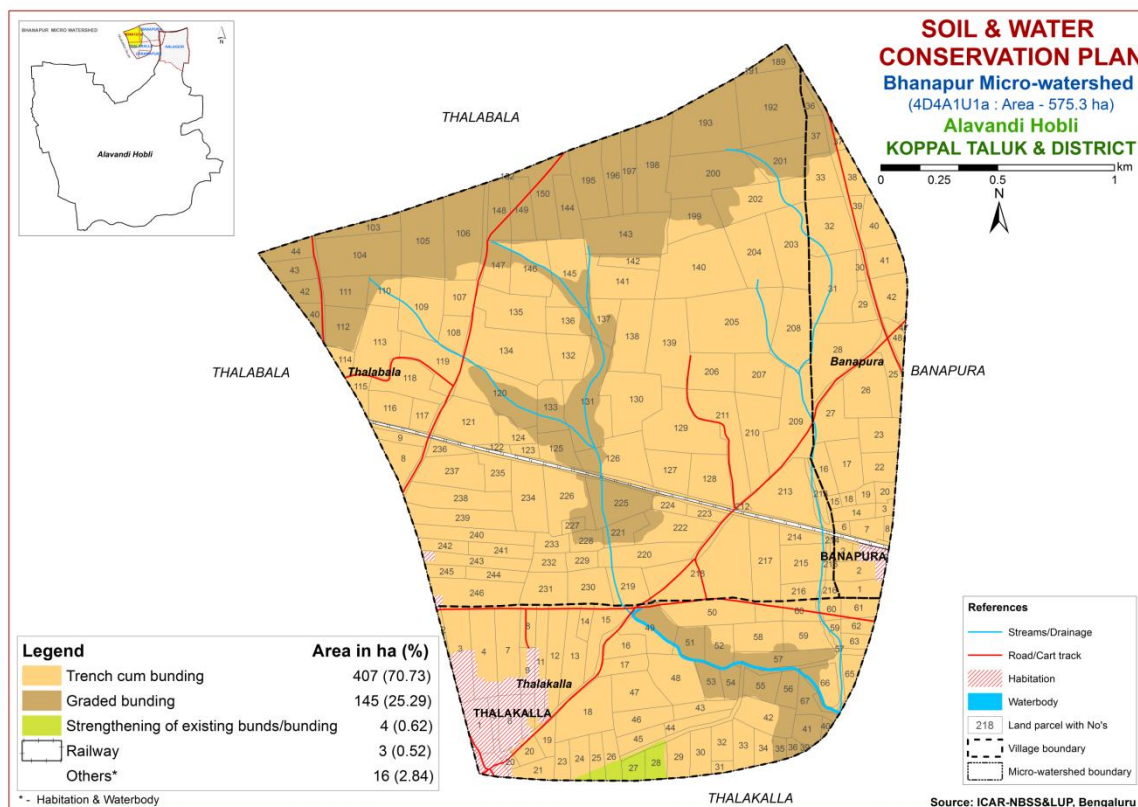


Fig. 9.1 Soil and Water Conservation Plan map of Bhanapur Microwatershed

### 9.3 Greening of Microwatershed

As part of the greening programme in the watersheds, it is envisaged to plant a variety of horticultural and other tree plants that are edible, economical and produce lot of biomass which helps to restore the ecological balance in the watersheds. The lands that are suitable for greening programme are non-arable lands (land capability classes V, VI VII and VIII) and also the lands that are not suitable or marginally suitable for growing annual and perennial crops. The method of planting these trees is given below.

It is recommended to open the pits during the 1<sup>st</sup> week of March along the contour and heap the dugout soil on the lower side of the slope in order to harness the flowing water and facilitate weathering of soil in the pit. Exposure of soil in the pit also prevents spread of pests and diseases due to scorching sun rays. The pits should be filled with mixture of soil and organic manure during the second week of April and keep ready with sufficiently tall seedlings produced either in poly bags or in root trainer nurseries so that planting can be done during the 2<sup>nd</sup> or 3<sup>rd</sup> week of April depending on the rainfall.

The tree species suitable for the area considering rainfall, temperature and adaptability is listed below; waterlogged areas are recommended to be planted with species like Neral (*Syzgium cumini*) and Bamboo. Dry areas are to be planted with species like Honge, Bevu, Seetaphal etc.

<b>Dry Deciduous Species</b>			<b>Temp (°C)</b>	<b>Rainfall (mm)</b>
1.	Bevu	<i>Azadiracta indica</i>	21–32	400 –1,200
2.	Tapasi	<i>Holoptelia integrifolia</i>	20-30	500 - 1000
3.	Seetaphal	<i>Anona Squamosa</i>	20-40	400 - 1000
4.	Honge	<i>Pongamia pinnata</i>	20 -50	500–2,500
5.	Kamara	<i>Hardwickia binata</i>	25 -35	400 - 1000
6.	Bage	<i>Albezzia lebbek</i>	20 - 45	500 - 1000
7.	Ficus	<i>Ficus bengalensis</i>	20 - 50	500–2,500
8.	Sisso	<i>Dalbargia Sissoo</i>	20 - 50	500 -2000
9.	Ailanthus	<i>Ailanthus excelsa</i>	20 - 50	500 - 1000
10.	Hale	<i>Wrightia tinctoria</i>	25 - 45	500 - 1000
11.	Uded	<i>Steriospermum chelanoides</i>	25 - 45	500 -2000
12.	Dhupa	<i>Boswella Serrata</i>	20 - 40	500 - 2000
13.	Nelli	<i>Emblia Officinalis</i>	20 - 50	500 -1500
14.	Honne	<i>Pterocarpus marsupium</i>	20 - 40	500 - 2000
<b>Moist Deciduous Species</b>			<b>Temp (°C)</b>	<b>Rainfall (mm)</b>
15.	Teak	<i>Tectona grandis</i>	20 - 50	500-5000
16.	Nandi	<i>Legarstroemia lanceolata</i>	20 - 40	500 - 4000
17.	Honne	<i>Pterocarpus marsupium</i>	20 - 40	500 - 3000
18.	Mathi	<i>Terminalia alata</i>	20 -50	500 - 2000
19.	Shivane	<i>Gmelina arborea</i>	20 -50	500 -2000
20.	Kindal	<i>T.Paniculata</i>	20 - 40	500 - 1500
21.	Beete	<i>Dalbargia latifolia</i>	20 - 40	500 - 1500
22.	Tare	<i>T. belerica</i>	20 - 40	500 - 2000
23.	Bamboo	<i>Bambusa arundinasia</i>	20 - 40	500 - 2500
24.	Bamboo	<i>Dendrocalamus strictus</i>	20 – 40	500 – 2500
25.	Muthuga	<i>Butea monosperma</i>	20 - 40	400 - 1500
26.	Hippe	<i>Madhuca latifolia</i>	20 - 40	500 - 2000
27.	Sandal	<i>Santalum album</i>	20 - 50	400 - 1000
28.	Nelli	<i>Emblia officinalis</i>	20 - 40	500 - 2000
29.	Nerale	<i>Sizyzium cumini</i>	20 - 40	500 - 2000
30.	Dhaman	<i>Grevia tilifolia</i>	20 - 40	500 - 2000
31.	Kaval	<i>Careya arborea</i>	20 - 40	500 - 2000
32.	Harada	<i>Terminalia chebula</i>	20 - 40	500 - 2000



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**Appendix I**  
**Bhanapur (4D4A1U1a) Microwatershed**  
**Soil Phase Information**

Village	Survey No	Area (ha)	Soil Phase	LMU	Soil Depth	Surface Soil Texture	Soil Gravelliness	Available Water Capacity	Slope	Soil Erosion	Current Land Use	Wells	Land Capability	Conservation Plan
Thalabala	8	1.97	MKHcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Jowar+Bengalgram (Jw+Bg)	Not Available	IIes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	9	0.98	MKHcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Not Available (NA)	Not Available	IIes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	40	0.81	KVRmB1	LMU-3	Deep (100-150 cm)	Clay	Non gravelly (<15%)	Very high (>200 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Bengalgram (Bg)	Not Available	IIs	Graded bunding
Thalabala	42	1.35	KVRmB1	LMU-3	Deep (100-150 cm)	Clay	Non gravelly (<15%)	Very high (>200 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Bengalgram (Bg)	Not Available	IIs	Graded bunding
Thalabala	43	1.7	KVRmB1	LMU-3	Deep (100-150 cm)	Clay	Non gravelly (<15%)	Very high (>200 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Bengalgram (Bg)	Not Available	IIs	Graded bunding
Thalabala	44	1.51	KVRmB1	LMU-3	Deep (100-150 cm)	Clay	Non gravelly (<15%)	Very high (>200 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Bengalgram (Bg)	Not Available	IIs	Graded bunding
Thalabala	103	1.8	KVRmB1	LMU-3	Deep (100-150 cm)	Clay	Non gravelly (<15%)	Very high (>200 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Bengalgram (Bg)	Not Available	IIs	Graded bunding
Thalabala	104	6.29	KVRmB1	LMU-3	Deep (100-150 cm)	Clay	Non gravelly (<15%)	Very high (>200 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Bengalgram (Bg)	Not Available	IIs	Graded bunding
Thalabala	105	5.82	KVRmB1	LMU-3	Deep (100-150 cm)	Clay	Non gravelly (<15%)	Very high (>200 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Bengalgram+Sunflower+Current fallow (Bg+Sf+Cf)	Not Available	IIs	Graded bunding
Thalabala	106	6.19	KVRmB1	LMU-3	Deep (100-150 cm)	Clay	Non gravelly (<15%)	Very high (>200 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Bengalgram+Jowar (Bg+Jw)	Not Available	IIs	Graded bunding
Thalabala	107	2.06	LKRcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Horsegram (Hg)	Not Available	IIes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	108	1.71	LKRhC2g3	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy clay loam	Extremely gravelly (60-80%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Gently sloping (3-5%)	Moderate	Sunflower (Sf)	Not Available	IVes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	109	4.73	LKRcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Horsegram+Groundnut (Hg+Gn)	Not Available	IIes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	110	1.84	LKRhC2g3	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy clay loam	Extremely gravelly (60-80%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Gently sloping (3-5%)	Moderate	Horsegram (Hg)	Not Available	IVes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	111	2.54	RNKmB2	LMU-4	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Clay	Non gravelly (<15%)	Medium (101-150 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Horsegram (Hg)	Not Available	IVes	Graded bunding
Thalabala	112	2.81	RNKmB2	LMU-4	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Clay	Non gravelly (<15%)	Medium (101-150 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Current fallow (Cf)	Not Available	IVes	Graded bunding
Thalabala	113	4.88	LKRhC2g3	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy clay loam	Extremely gravelly (60-80%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Gently sloping (3-5%)	Moderate	Current fallow (Cf)	Not Available	IVes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	114	0.91	LKRcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Current fallow (Cf)	Not Available	IIes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	115	1.06	LKRcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Current fallow (Cf)	Not Available	IIes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	116	2.47	LKRcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Groundnut (Gn)	Not Available	IIes	Trench cum bunding



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Thalabala	117	1.31	LKRcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Groundnut (Gn)	Not Available	IIes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	118	3.48	LKRcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Current fallow (Cf)	Not Available	IIes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	119	3.91	LKRhC2g3	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy clay loam	Extremely gravelly (60-80%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Gently sloping (3-5%)	Moderate	Current fallow (Cf)	Not Available	IVes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	120	5.91	KVRmB2g1	LMU-3	Deep (100-150 cm)	Clay	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very high (>200 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Groundnut+Horsegram (Gn+Hg)	Not Available	Iles	Graded bunding
Thalabala	121	4.41	LKRcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Groundnut (Gn)	Not Available	IIes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	122	0.39	LKRcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Horsegram (Hg)	Not Available	IIes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	123	0.64	LKRcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Horsegram (Hg)	Not Available	IIes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	124	1.51	LKRcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Groundnut+Horsegram (Gn+Hg)	Not Available	IIes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	125	2.14	KVRmB2g1	LMU-3	Deep (100-150 cm)	Clay	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very high (>200 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Current fallow (Cf)	Not Available	Iles	Graded bunding
Thalabala	126	4.58	LKRcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Horsegram (Hg)	Not Available	IIes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	127	2.93	LKRcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Groundnut (Gn)	Not Available	IIes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	128	3.52	HDHcB2g2	LMU-1	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Groundnut (Gn)	Not Available	Iles	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	129	6.55	LKRcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Groundnut+Current fallow (Gn+Cf)	Not Available	IIes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	130	5.33	LKRcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Current fallow (Cf)	Not Available	IIes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	131	6.86	KVRmB2g1	LMU-3	Deep (100-150 cm)	Clay	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very high (>200 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Currentfallow+Horsegram (Cf+Hg)	Not Available	Iles	Graded bunding
Thalabala	132	3.14	MKHcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Current fallow (Cf)	Not Available	IIes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	133	2.53	KVRmB2g1	LMU-3	Deep (100-150 cm)	Clay	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very high (>200 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Currentfallow+Horsegram (Cf+Hg)	Not Available	Iles	Graded bunding
Thalabala	134	7.44	LKRcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Current fallow+Groundnut (Cf+Gn)	Not Available	IIes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	135	4.48	LKRcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Horsegram (Hg)	Not Available	IIes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	136	2.24	MKHcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Bengalgram (Bg)	Not Available	IIes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	137	2.15	KVRmB2g1	LMU-3	Deep (100-150 cm)	Clay	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very high (>200 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Current fallow (Cf)	Not Available	Iles	Graded bunding
Thalabala	138	4.75	LKRcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Current fallow (Cf)	Not Available	IIes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	139	6.04	HRVcC2g2R2	LMU-7	Shallow (25-50 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Gently sloping (3-5%)	Moderate	Currentfallow+Redgram+Jowar(Cf+Rg+Jw)	Not Available	IVes	Trench cum bunding

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Thalabala	140	8.5	LKRcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Sunflower+Horsegram (Sf+Hg)	Not Available	IIes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	141	4.22	LKRcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Current fallow (Cf)	Not Available	IIes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	142	1.56	LKRcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Horsegram (Hg)	Not Available	IIes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	143	6.09	RNKmB2	LMU-4	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Clay	Non gravelly (<15%)	Medium (101-150 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Groundnut+Jowar+Bengalgram (Gn+Jw+Bg)	Not Available	IVes	Graded bunding
Thalabala	144	2.52	KVRmB1	LMU-3	Deep (100-150 cm)	Clay	Non gravelly (<15%)	Very high (>200 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Jowar (Jw)	Not Available	IIs	Graded bunding
Thalabala	145	4.78	LKRcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Current fallow (Cf)	Not Available	IIes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	146	4.02	LKRcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Sunflower+Current fallow (Sf+Cf)	Not Available	IIes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	147	2.38	LKRcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Horsegram (Hg)	Not Available	IIes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	148	2.5	KVRmB1	LMU-3	Deep (100-150 cm)	Clay	Non gravelly (<15%)	Very high (>200 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Jowar+Bengalgram (Jw+Bg)	Not Available	IIs	Graded bunding
Thalabala	149	2.59	RNKmB2	LMU-4	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Clay	Non gravelly (<15%)	Medium (101-150 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Jowar+Bengalgram (Jw+Bg)	Not Available	IVes	Graded bunding
Thalabala	150	4.31	KVRmB1	LMU-3	Deep (100-150 cm)	Clay	Non gravelly (<15%)	Very high (>200 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Jowar+Bengalgram (Jw+Bg)	Not Available	IIs	Graded bunding
Thalabala	152	0.01	KVRmB1	LMU-3	Deep (100-150 cm)	Clay	Non gravelly (<15%)	Very high (>200 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Not Available (NA)	Not Available	IIs	Graded bunding
Thalabala	189	1.1	KVRmB1	LMU-3	Deep (100-150 cm)	Clay	Non gravelly (<15%)	Very high (>200 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Bengalgram (Bg)	Not Available	IIs	Graded bunding
Thalabala	191	0.13	KVRmB1	LMU-3	Deep (100-150 cm)	Clay	Non gravelly (<15%)	Very high (>200 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Bengalgram (Bg)	Not Available	IIs	Graded bunding
Thalabala	192	8.62	KVRmB1	LMU-3	Deep (100-150 cm)	Clay	Non gravelly (<15%)	Very high (>200 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Redgram (Rg)	Not Available	IIs	Graded bunding
Thalabala	193	7.12	KVRmB1	LMU-3	Deep (100-150 cm)	Clay	Non gravelly (<15%)	Very high (>200 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Bengalgram (Bg)	Not Available	IIs	Graded bunding
Thalabala	195	4.19	KVRmB1	LMU-3	Deep (100-150 cm)	Clay	Non gravelly (<15%)	Very high (>200 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Bengalgram (Bg)	Not Available	IIs	Graded bunding
Thalabala	196	2.61	KVRmB1	LMU-3	Deep (100-150 cm)	Clay	Non gravelly (<15%)	Very high (>200 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Bengalgram (Bg)	Not Available	IIs	Graded bunding
Thalabala	197	2.34	KVRmB1	LMU-3	Deep (100-150 cm)	Clay	Non gravelly (<15%)	Very high (>200 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Bengalgram (Bg)	Not Available	IIs	Graded bunding
Thalabala	198	5.59	KVRmB1	LMU-3	Deep (100-150 cm)	Clay	Non gravelly (<15%)	Very high (>200 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Bengalgram+Jowar (Bg+Jw)	Not Available	IIs	Graded bunding
Thalabala	199	3.43	RNKmB2	LMU-4	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Clay	Non gravelly (<15%)	Medium (101-150 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Currentfallow+Bengalgram (Cf+Bg)	Not Available	IVes	Graded bunding
Thalabala	200	6.47	KVRmB1	LMU-3	Deep (100-150 cm)	Clay	Non gravelly (<15%)	Very high (>200 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Sunflower+Current fallow (Sf+Cf)	Not Available	IIs	Graded bunding
Thalabala	201	3.54	DRLmB2g1	LMU-3	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Clay	Gravelly (15-35%)	Medium (101-150 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Onion+Sunflower (On+Sf)	Not Available	IIs	Graded bunding
Thalabala	202	5.13	HRViB1g2	LMU-7	Shallow (25-50 cm)	Sandy clay	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Sunflower (Sf)	Not Available	IIIs	Trench cum bunding

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Thalabala	203	5.16	HRVc2g2R2	LMU-7	Shallow (25-50 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Gently sloping (3-5%)	Moderate	Fallow land (Fl)	Not Available	Ives	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	204	5.12	HRVc2g2R2	LMU-7	Shallow (25-50 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Gently sloping (3-5%)	Moderate	Bajra+Horsegram (Bj+Hg)	Not Available	Ives	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	205	10.08	LKRcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Neem (Nm)	Not Available	IIes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	206	3.17	HRVc2g2R2	LMU-7	Shallow (25-50 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Gently sloping (3-5%)	Moderate	Groundnut+Bajra (Gn+Bj)	Not Available	Ives	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	207	3.61	HRVcB2g1	LMU-7	Shallow (25-50 cm)	Sandy loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Groundnut (Gn)	Not Available	IIes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	208	4.8	HRVc2g2R2	LMU-7	Shallow (25-50 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Gently sloping (3-5%)	Moderate	Current fallow (Cf)	Not Available	Ives	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	209	6.47	HDHcB2g2	LMU-1	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Groundnut+Bajra (Gn+Bj)	Not Available	Iles	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	210	4.95	HRVcB2g1	LMU-7	Shallow (25-50 cm)	Sandy loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Groundnut (Gn)	Not Available	IIes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	211	5.34	HRVcB2g1	LMU-7	Shallow (25-50 cm)	Sandy loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Groundnut+Horsegram (Gn+Hg)	Not Available	IIes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	212	0.18	LKRcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Not Available (NA)	Not Available	IIes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	213	6.1	LKRcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Current fallow (Cf)	Not Available	IIes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	214	1.22	LKRcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Pomegranate (Pg)	Not Available	IIes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	215	3.44	LKRiB1g1	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy clay	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Maize (Mz)	Not Available	IIIs	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	216	1.69	LKRiB1g1	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy clay	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Bajra (Bj)	1 Borewell	IIIs	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	217	4.28	LKRiB1g1	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy clay	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Sunflower (Sf)	Not Available	IIIs	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	218	10.21	LKRcB2g1	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Sunflower+Current fallow (Sf+Cf)	1 Borewell	IIes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	219	2.55	MKHcB1g1	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Bajra+Fallowland (Bj+Fl)	Not Available	IIIs	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	220	3.77	LKRcB2g1	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Currentfallow+Sunflower (Cf+Sf)	Not Available	IIes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	221	1.79	KVRmB2g1	LMU-3	Deep (100-150 cm)	Clay	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very high (>200 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Not Available (NA)	Not Available	Iles	Graded bunding
Thalabala	222	3.67	LKRcB2g1	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Maize (Mz)	Not Available	IIes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	223	0.79	HDHcB2g2	LMU-1	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Jowar+Horsegram (Jw+Hg)	Not Available	Iles	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	224	0.89	LKRcB2g1	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Jowar (Jw)	Not Available	IIes	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	225	3.93	KVRmB2g1	LMU-3	Deep (100-150 cm)	Clay	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very high (>200 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Jowar+Horsegram (Jw+Hg)	Not Available	Iles	Graded bunding
Thalabala	226	4.4	GDPcB2	LMU-1	Deep (100-150 cm)	Sandy loam	Non gravelly (<15%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Horsegram (Hg)	Not Available	Iles	Trench cum bunding

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Thalabala	227	0.59	KVRmB2g1	LMU-3	Deep (100-150 cm)	Clay	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very high (>200 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Current fallow (Cf)	Not Available	Ies	Graded bunding
Thalabala	228	1.29	KVRmB2g1	LMU-3	Deep (100-150 cm)	Clay	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very high (>200 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Horsegram (Hg)	Not Available	Ies	Graded bunding
Thalabala	229	1.05	BSRbB2g1	LMU-2	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Loamy sand	Gravelly (15-35%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Not Available (NA)	Not Available	Ies	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	230	2.71	MKHcB1g1	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Horsegram (Hg)	2 Borewell	IIIs	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	231	2.68	BSRbB2g1	LMU-2	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Loamy sand	Gravelly (15-35%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Watermelon (Wm)	Not Available	Ies	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	232	1.23	BSRbB2g1	LMU-2	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Loamy sand	Gravelly (15-35%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Grape (Gp)	Not Available	Ies	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	233	1.22	GDPcB2	LMU-1	Deep (100-150 cm)	Sandy loam	Non gravelly (<15%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Horsegram (Hg)	Not Available	Ies	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	234	4.19	GDPcB2	LMU-1	Deep (100-150 cm)	Sandy loam	Non gravelly (<15%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Horsegram+Current fallow (Hg+Cf)	Not Available	Ies	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	235	1.8	GDPcB2	LMU-1	Deep (100-150 cm)	Sandy loam	Non gravelly (<15%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Horsegram (Hg)	Not Available	Ies	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	236	0.89	MKHcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Horsegram (Hg)	Not Available	IIIs	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	237	3.73	MKHcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Horsegram (Hg)	Not Available	IIIs	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	238	4.05	BSRbB2g1	LMU-2	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Loamy sand	Gravelly (15-35%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Horsegram (Hg)	Not Available	Ies	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	239	3.55	BSRbB2g1	LMU-2	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Loamy sand	Gravelly (15-35%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Horsegram (Hg)	Not Available	Ies	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	240	3	BSRbB2g1	LMU-2	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Loamy sand	Gravelly (15-35%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Horsegram+Current fallow (Hg+Cf)	Not Available	Ies	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	241	1.62	BSRbB2g1	LMU-2	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Loamy sand	Gravelly (15-35%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Grazing land (Gl)	Not Available	Ies	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	242	1.13	BSRbB2g1	LMU-2	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Loamy sand	Gravelly (15-35%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Horsegram (Hg)	Not Available	Ies	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	243	2.42	BSRbB2g1	LMU-2	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Loamy sand	Gravelly (15-35%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Current fallow (Cf)	Not Available	Ies	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	244	1.35	BSRbB2g1	LMU-2	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Loamy sand	Gravelly (15-35%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Horsegram (Hg)	Not Available	Ies	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	245	0.92	BSRbB2g1	LMU-2	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Loamy sand	Gravelly (15-35%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Current fallow (Cf)	Not Available	Ies	Trench cum bunding
Thalabala	246	4.34	BSRbB2g1	LMU-2	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Loamy sand	Gravelly (15-35%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Groundnut+Fallowland+Sunflower(Gn+Fl+Gn)	Not Available	Ies	Trench cum bunding
Thalakalla	1	2.36	Habitation	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Not Available (NA)	Not Available	Others	Others
Thalakalla	2	0.28	BSRbB2g1	LMU-2	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Loamy sand	Gravelly (15-35%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Not Available (NA)	Not Available	Ies	Trench cum bunding
Thalakalla	3	3.82	BSRbB2g1	LMU-2	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Loamy sand	Gravelly (15-35%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Horsegram (Hg)	Not Available	Ies	Trench cum bunding
Thalakalla	4	4.15	BSRbB2g1	LMU-2	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Loamy sand	Gravelly (15-35%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Bajra (Bj)	Not Available	Ies	Trench cum bunding



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Thalakalla	5	0.64	Habitation	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Not Available (NA)	Not Available	Others	Others
Thalakalla	6	2.18	Habitation	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Not Available (NA)	Not Available	Others	Others
Thalakalla	7	3.93	BSRbB2g1	LMU-2	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Loamy sand	Gravelly (15-35%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Horsegram (Hg)	Not Available	Iles	Trench cum bunding
Thalakalla	8	1.25	BSRbB2g1	LMU-2	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Loamy sand	Gravelly (15-35%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Current fallow (Cf)	Not Available	Iles	Trench cum bunding
Thalakalla	9	1.28	Habitation	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Not Available (NA)	Not Available	Others	Others
Thalakalla	10	0.97	Habitation	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Not Available (NA)	Not Available	Others	Others
Thalakalla	11	2.41	BSRbB2g1	LMU-2	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Loamy sand	Gravelly (15-35%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Current fallow (Cf)	Not Available	Iles	Trench cum bunding
Thalakalla	12	3.29	BSRbB2g1	LMU-2	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Loamy sand	Gravelly (15-35%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Fallowland+Horsegram (Fl+Hg)	Not Available	Iles	Trench cum bunding
Thalakalla	13	3.11	MKHcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Horsegram+Groundnut (Hg+Gn)	Not Available	IIles	Trench cum bunding
Thalakalla	14	0.84	MKHcB1g1	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Jowar (Jw)	Not Available	IIIs	Trench cum bunding
Thalakalla	15	2.64	MKHcB1g1	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Bajra (Bj)	Not Available	IIIs	Trench cum bunding
Thalakalla	16	1.64	MKHcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Banana+Sunflower (Ba+Sf)	1 Borewell	IIles	Trench cum bunding
Thalakalla	17	1.46	MKHcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Not Available (NA)	2 Borewell	IIles	Trench cum bunding
Thalakalla	18	4.76	LKRcB2g1	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Current fallow+Maize (Cf+Mz)	Not Available	IIles	Trench cum bunding
Thalakalla	19	0.99	LKRcB2g1	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Sunflower (Sf)	Not Available	IIles	Trench cum bunding
Thalakalla	20	1.41	LKRcB2g1	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Horsegram (Hg)	Not Available	IIles	Trench cum bunding
Thalakalla	21	1.38	LKRcB2g1	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Sunflower (Sf)	Not Available	IIles	Trench cum bunding
Thalakalla	23	1.11	LKRcB2g1	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Current fallow (Cf)	Not Available	IIles	Trench cum bunding
Thalakalla	24	1.57	LKRcB2g1	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Sunflower (Sf)	Not Available	IIles	Trench cum bunding
Thalakalla	25	1.24	LKRcB2g1	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Horsegram (Hg)	Not Available	IIles	Trench cum bunding
Thalakalla	26	1.43	BPRcB2g1	LMU-1	Deep (100-150 cm)	Sandy loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Horsegram (Hg)	Not Available	Iles	Trench cum bunding
Thalakalla	27	1.06	BPRcA1g1	LMU-1	Deep (100-150 cm)	Sandy loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Nearly level (0-1%)	Slight	Horsegram (Hg)	Not Available	IIs	Graded bunding
Thalakalla	28	1.34	BPRcA1g1	LMU-1	Deep (100-150 cm)	Sandy loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Nearly level (0-1%)	Slight	Horsegram (Hg)	Not Available	IIs	Graded bunding
Thalakalla	29	1.75	BDGhB2g1	LMU-1	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Sandy clay loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Horsegram (Hg)	Not Available	Iles	Trench cum bunding

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Thalakalla	30	1.8	BDGhB2g1	LMU-1	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Sandy clay loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Horsegram (Hg)	Not Available	Iles	Trench cum bunding
Thalakalla	31	0.49	BDGhB2g1	LMU-1	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Sandy clay loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Jowar (Jw)	Not Available	Iles	Trench cum bunding
Thalakalla	32	1.5	BDGhB2g1	LMU-1	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Sandy clay loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Jowar (Jw)	Not Available	Iles	Trench cum bunding
Thalakalla	33	1.78	BDGhB2g1	LMU-1	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Sandy clay loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Redgram+Jowar (Rg+Jw)	Not Available	Iles	Trench cum bunding
Thalakalla	34	1.12	BDGhB2g1	LMU-1	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Sandy clay loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Redgram (Rg)	Not Available	Iles	Trench cum bunding
Thalakalla	35	0.58	DRLmB2	LMU-3	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Clay	Non gravelly (<15%)	Medium (101-150 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Redgram (Rg)	Not Available	Iles	Graded bunding
Thalakalla	36	0.43	DRLmB2	LMU-3	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Clay	Non gravelly (<15%)	Medium (101-150 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Redgram (Rg)	Not Available	Iles	Graded bunding
Thalakalla	39	0.12	DRLmB2	LMU-3	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Clay	Non gravelly (<15%)	Medium (101-150 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Redgram (Rg)	Not Available	Iles	Graded bunding
Thalakalla	40	0.28	DRLmB2	LMU-3	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Clay	Non gravelly (<15%)	Medium (101-150 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Groundnut (Gn)	Not Available	Iles	Graded bunding
Thalakalla	41	1.45	DRLmB2	LMU-3	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Clay	Non gravelly (<15%)	Medium (101-150 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Redgram+Groundnut (Rg+Gn)	Not Available	Iles	Graded bunding
Thalakalla	42	3.09	LKRcB2g1	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Redgram+Groundnut (Rg+Gn)	Not Available	IIles	Trench cum bunding
Thalakalla	43	1.43	LKRcB2g1	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Groundnut (Gn)	Not Available	IIles	Trench cum bunding
Thalakalla	44	1.28	BPRcB2g1	LMU-1	Deep (100-150 cm)	Sandy loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Current fallow (Cf)	Not Available	Iles	Trench cum bunding
Thalakalla	45	1.49	BPRcB2g1	LMU-1	Deep (100-150 cm)	Sandy loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Current fallow (Cf)	Not Available	Iles	Trench cum bunding
Thalakalla	46	2.24	BPRcB2g1	LMU-1	Deep (100-150 cm)	Sandy loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Current fallow (Cf)	Not Available	Iles	Trench cum bunding
Thalakalla	47	3.28	LKRcB2g1	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Current fallow (Cf)	Not Available	IIles	Trench cum bunding
Thalakalla	48	3.97	LKRcB2g1	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Groundnut+Sunflower (Gn+Sf)	1 Borewell	IIles	Trench cum bunding
Thalakalla	49	3.28	DRLmB2	LMU-3	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Clay	Non gravelly (<15%)	Medium (101-150 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Current fallow+Bajra (Cf+Bj)	Not Available	Iles	Graded bunding
Thalakalla	50	4.16	KGHhB2	LMU-6	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy clay loam	Non gravelly (<15%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Currentfallow+Horsegram (Cf+Hg)	1 Borewell	Iles	Trench cum bunding
Thalakalla	51	1.74	DRLmB2	LMU-3	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Clay	Non gravelly (<15%)	Medium (101-150 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Maize (Mz)	1 Borewell	Iles	Graded bunding
Thalakalla	52	2.2	DRLmB2	LMU-3	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Clay	Non gravelly (<15%)	Medium (101-150 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Maize (Mz)	Not Available	Iles	Graded bunding
Thalakalla	53	1.4	DRLmB2	LMU-3	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Clay	Non gravelly (<15%)	Medium (101-150 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Current fallow (Cf)	Not Available	Iles	Graded bunding
Thalakalla	54	1.08	DRLmB2	LMU-3	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Clay	Non gravelly (<15%)	Medium (101-150 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Current fallow (Cf)	Not Available	Iles	Graded bunding
Thalakalla	55	1.76	DRLmB2	LMU-3	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Clay	Non gravelly (<15%)	Medium (101-150 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Horsegram+Groundnut (Hg+Gn)	Not Available	Iles	Graded bunding



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Thalakalla	56	1.32	DRLmB2	LMU-3	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Clay	Non gravelly (<15%)	Medium (101-150 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Horsegram+Groundnut (Hg+Gn)	Not Available	Ies	Graded bunding
Thalakalla	57	2.7	DRLmB2	LMU-3	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Clay	Non gravelly (<15%)	Medium (101-150 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Groundnut (Gn)	Not Available	Ies	Graded bunding
Thalakalla	58	2.66	KGHhB2g1	LMU-6	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy clay loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Horsegram+Groundnut (Hg+Gn)	Not Available	Ies	Trench cum bunding
Thalakalla	59	2.83	LKRiB1g1	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy clay	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Bajra (Bj)	Not Available	IIIs	Trench cum bunding
Thalakalla	60	2.14	LKRiB1g1	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy clay	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Current fallow+Maize (Cf+Mz)	1 Borewell	IIIs	Trench cum bunding
Thalakalla	61	1.35	LKRiB1g1	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy clay	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Groundnut (Gn)	Not Available	IIIs	Trench cum bunding
Thalakalla	62	0.96	LKRiB1g1	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy clay	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Current fallow (Cf)	Not Available	IIIs	Trench cum bunding
Thalakalla	63	0.76	LKRiB1g1	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy clay	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Current fallow (Cf)	Not Available	IIIs	Trench cum bunding
Thalakalla	65	1.18	LKRiB1g1	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy clay	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Groundnut+Current fallow (Gn+Cf)	Not Available	IIIs	Trench cum bunding
Thalakalla	66	1.99	KGHhB2g1	LMU-6	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy clay loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Current fallow (Cf)	Not Available	Ies	Trench cum bunding
Thalakalla	67	1.43	DRLmB2	LMU-3	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Clay	Non gravelly (<15%)	Medium (101-150 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Horsegram+Groundnut (Hg+Gn)	Not Available	Ies	Graded bunding
Banapura	1	1.44	LKRiB1g1	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy clay	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Current fallow (Cf)	Not Available	IIIs	Trench cum bunding
Banapura	2	2.52	LKRiB1g1	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy clay	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Horsegram (Hg)	Not Available	IIIs	Trench cum bunding
Banapura	3	0.51	LKRcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Current fallow (Cf)	Not Available	IIIs	Trench cum bunding
Banapura	4	0.74	Habitation	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Not Available (NA)	Not Available	Others	Others
Banapura	6	0.34	LKRcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Current fallow (Cf)	Not Available	IIIs	Trench cum bunding
Banapura	7	1.27	LKRcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Jowar (Jw)	Not Available	IIIs	Trench cum bunding
Banapura	8	0.38	LKRcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Current fallow (Cf)	Not Available	IIIs	Trench cum bunding
Banapura	14	1.18	LKRcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Redgram (Rg)	Not Available	IIIs	Trench cum bunding
Banapura	15	0.32	LKRcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Current fallow (Cf)	Not Available	IIIs	Trench cum bunding
Banapura	16	1.53	LKRcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Horsegram (Hg)	Not Available	IIIs	Trench cum bunding
Banapura	17	2.9	KTPcB1g1	LMU-6	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Groundnut+Current fallow (Gn+Cf)	Not Available	IIs	Trench cum bunding
Banapura	18	0.39	LKRcB2g2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Redgram (Rg)	Not Available	IIIs	Trench cum bunding
Banapura	19	0.67	KTPcB1g1	LMU-6	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Horsegram (Hg)	Not Available	IIs	Trench cum bunding

Village	Survey No	Area (ha)	Soil Phase	LMU	Soil Depth	Surface Soil Texture	Soil Graveliness	Available Water Capacity	Slope	Soil Erosion	Current Land Use	Wells	Land Capability	Conservation Plan
Banapura	20	0.72	KTPcB1g1	LMU-6	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Vegetation (Vg)	Not Available	IIs	Trench cum bunding
Banapura	22	1.91	KTPcB1g1	LMU-6	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Current fallow (Cf)	Not Available	IIs	Trench cum bunding
Banapura	23	2.56	KTPcB1g1	LMU-6	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Maize+Current Fallow (Mz+Cf)	Not Available	IIs	Trench cum bunding
Banapura	25	1.92	GDPcB2	LMU-1	Deep (100-150 cm)	Sandy loam	Non gravelly (<15%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Fallow land (Fl)	Not Available	IIs	Trench cum bunding
Banapura	26	4.58	MKHcB2g 2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Current fallow (Cf)	Not Available	IIIs	Trench cum bunding
Banapura	27	3.24	KTPcB1g1	LMU-6	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Current fallow (Cf)	Not Available	IIs	Trench cum bunding
Banapura	28	6.24	MKHcB2g 2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Sunflower+Groundnut (Sf+Gn)	Not Available	IIIs	Trench cum bunding
Banapura	29	1.35	MKHcB2g 2	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Redgram (Rg)	Not Available	IIIs	Trench cum bunding
Banapura	30	0.38	LKRcB2g1	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Horsegram (Hg)	Not Available	IIIs	Trench cum bunding
Banapura	31	5.79	LKRcB2g1	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Current fallow (Cf)	Not Available	IIIs	Trench cum bunding
Banapura	32	4.6	LKRcB2g1	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Current fallow (Cf)	Not Available	IIIs	Trench cum bunding
Banapura	33	2.62	HRViB1g2	LMU-7	Shallow (25-50 cm)	Sandy clay	Very gravelly (35-60%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Slight	Maize (Mz)	Not Available	IIIs	Trench cum bunding
Banapura	36	0.75	DRLmB2g 1	LMU-3	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Clay	Gravelly (15-35%)	Medium (101-150 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Fallow land (Fl)	Not Available	IIs	Graded bunding
Banapura	37	1.76	DRLmB2g 1	LMU-3	Moderately deep (75-100 cm)	Clay	Gravelly (15-35%)	Medium (101-150 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Fallow land (Fl)	Not Available	IIs	Graded bunding
Banapura	38	1.48	MKHIB2g1	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy clay	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Bajra+Mango (Bj+Mn)	Not Available	IIIs	Trench cum bunding
Banapura	39	0.64	MKHIB2g1	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy clay	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Bengalgram (Bg)	Not Available	IIIs	Trench cum bunding
Banapura	40	2.27	LKRcB2g1	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Sunflower (Sf)	Not Available	IIIs	Trench cum bunding
Banapura	41	1.96	LKRcB2g1	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Horsegram (Hg)	Not Available	IIIs	Trench cum bunding
Banapura	42	2.54	LKRcB2g1	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Horsegram+Groundnut (Hg+Gn)	Not Available	IIIs	Trench cum bunding
Banapura	47	0.05	LKRcB2g1	LMU-5	Moderately shallow (50-75 cm)	Sandy loam	Gravelly (15-35%)	Very Low (<50 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Not Available (NA)	Not Available	IIIs	Trench cum bunding
Banapura	48	1	GDPcB2	LMU-1	Deep (100-150 cm)	Sandy loam	Non gravelly (<15%)	Low (51-100 mm/m)	Very gently sloping (1-3%)	Moderate	Sunflower+Current fallow (Sf+Cf)	Not Available	IIs	Trench cum bunding

























Village	Survey No	Soil Reaction	Salinity	Organic Carbon	Available Phosphorus	Available Potassium	Available Sulphur	Available Boron	Available Iron	Available Manganese	Available Copper	Available Zinc
		7.3)	(<2 dsm )	- 0.75 %)	57 kg/ha)	337 kg/ha)	ppm)	ppm)	(>4.5 ppm)	1.0 ppm)	0.2 ppm)	0.6 ppm)
Banapura	27	Neutral (pH 6.5 - 7.3)	Non saline (<2 dsm )	Medium (0.5 - 0.75 %)	Medium (23 - 57 kg/ha)	Medium (145 - 337 kg/ha)	Low (<10 ppm)	Low (< 0.5 ppm)	Sufficient (>4.5 ppm)	Sufficient (> 1.0 ppm)	Sufficient (> 0.2 ppm)	Deficient (< 0.6 ppm)
Banapura	28	Neutral (pH 6.5 - 7.3)	Non saline (<2 dsm )	Medium (0.5 - 0.75 %)	High (> 57 kg/ha)	Medium (145 - 337 kg/ha)	Low (<10 ppm)	Low (< 0.5 ppm)	Sufficient (>4.5 ppm)	Sufficient (> 1.0 ppm)	Sufficient (> 0.2 ppm)	Deficient (< 0.6 ppm)
Banapura	29	Slightly acid (pH 6.0 - 6.5)	Non saline (<2 dsm )	Medium (0.5 - 0.75 %)	High (> 57 kg/ha)	Medium (145 - 337 kg/ha)	Low (<10 ppm)	Low (< 0.5 ppm)	Sufficient (>4.5 ppm)	Sufficient (> 1.0 ppm)	Sufficient (> 0.2 ppm)	Deficient (< 0.6 ppm)
Banapura	30	Neutral (pH 6.5 - 7.3)	Non saline (<2 dsm )	Medium (0.5 - 0.75 %)	High (> 57 kg/ha)	Medium (145 - 337 kg/ha)	Low (<10 ppm)	Low (< 0.5 ppm)	Sufficient (>4.5 ppm)	Sufficient (> 1.0 ppm)	Sufficient (> 0.2 ppm)	Deficient (< 0.6 ppm)
Banapura	31	Slightly acid (pH 6.0 - 6.5)	Non saline (<2 dsm )	Medium (0.5 - 0.75 %)	High (> 57 kg/ha)	Medium (145 - 337 kg/ha)	Low (<10 ppm)	Low (< 0.5 ppm)	Sufficient (>4.5 ppm)	Sufficient (> 1.0 ppm)	Sufficient (> 0.2 ppm)	Deficient (< 0.6 ppm)
Banapura	32	Neutral (pH 6.5 - 7.3)	Non saline (<2 dsm )	Medium (0.5 - 0.75 %)	High (> 57 kg/ha)	High (> 337 kg/ha)	Low (<10 ppm)	Low (< 0.5 ppm)	Sufficient (>4.5 ppm)	Sufficient (> 1.0 ppm)	Sufficient (> 0.2 ppm)	Deficient (< 0.6 ppm)
Banapura	33	Slightly alkaline (pH 7.3 - 7.8)	Non saline (<2 dsm )	Medium (0.5 - 0.75 %)	High (> 57 kg/ha)	High (> 337 kg/ha)	Low (<10 ppm)	Low (< 0.5 ppm)	Deficient (< 4.5 ppm)	Sufficient (> 1.0 ppm)	Sufficient (> 0.2 ppm)	Deficient (< 0.6 ppm)
Banapura	36	Slightly alkaline (pH 7.3 - 7.8)	Non saline (<2 dsm )	Medium (0.5 - 0.75 %)	High (> 57 kg/ha)	High (> 337 kg/ha)	Low (<10 ppm)	Low (< 0.5 ppm)	Deficient (< 4.5 ppm)	Sufficient (> 1.0 ppm)	Sufficient (> 0.2 ppm)	Deficient (< 0.6 ppm)
Banapura	37	Slightly alkaline (pH 7.3 - 7.8)	Non saline (<2 dsm )	Medium (0.5 - 0.75 %)	High (> 57 kg/ha)	High (> 337 kg/ha)	Low (<10 ppm)	Low (< 0.5 ppm)	Deficient (< 4.5 ppm)	Sufficient (> 1.0 ppm)	Sufficient (> 0.2 ppm)	Deficient (< 0.6 ppm)
Banapura	38	Slightly alkaline (pH 7.3 - 7.8)	Non saline (<2 dsm )	Medium (0.5 - 0.75 %)	High (> 57 kg/ha)	High (> 337 kg/ha)	Low (<10 ppm)	Low (< 0.5 ppm)	Deficient (< 4.5 ppm)	Sufficient (> 1.0 ppm)	Sufficient (> 0.2 ppm)	Deficient (< 0.6 ppm)
Banapura	39	Neutral (pH 6.5 - 7.3)	Non saline (<2 dsm )	Medium (0.5 - 0.75 %)	High (> 57 kg/ha)	High (> 337 kg/ha)	Low (<10 ppm)	Low (< 0.5 ppm)	Deficient (< 4.5 ppm)	Sufficient (> 1.0 ppm)	Sufficient (> 0.2 ppm)	Deficient (< 0.6 ppm)
Banapura	40	Neutral (pH 6.5 - 7.3)	Non saline (<2 dsm )	Medium (0.5 - 0.75 %)	High (> 57 kg/ha)	High (> 337 kg/ha)	Low (<10 ppm)	Low (< 0.5 ppm)	Deficient (< 4.5 ppm)	Sufficient (> 1.0 ppm)	Sufficient (> 0.2 ppm)	Deficient (< 0.6 ppm)
Banapura	41	Neutral (pH 6.5 - 7.3)	Non saline (<2 dsm )	Medium (0.5 - 0.75 %)	High (> 57 kg/ha)	Medium (145 - 337 kg/ha)	Low (<10 ppm)	Low (< 0.5 ppm)	Deficient (< 4.5 ppm)	Sufficient (> 1.0 ppm)	Sufficient (> 0.2 ppm)	Deficient (< 0.6 ppm)
Banapura	42	Neutral (pH 6.5 - 7.3)	Non saline (<2 dsm )	Medium (0.5 - 0.75 %)	Medium (23 - 57 kg/ha)	Medium (145 - 337 kg/ha)	Low (<10 ppm)	Low (< 0.5 ppm)	Sufficient (>4.5 ppm)	Sufficient (> 1.0 ppm)	Sufficient (> 0.2 ppm)	Deficient (< 0.6 ppm)
Banapura	47	Neutral (pH 6.5 - 7.3)	Non saline (<2 dsm )	Medium (0.5 - 0.75 %)	Medium (23 - 57 kg/ha)	Medium (145 - 337 kg/ha)	Low (<10 ppm)	Low (< 0.5 ppm)	Deficient (< 4.5 ppm)	Sufficient (> 1.0 ppm)	Sufficient (> 0.2 ppm)	Deficient (< 0.6 ppm)
Banapura	48	Neutral (pH 6.5 - 7.3)	Non saline (<2 dsm )	Medium (0.5 - 0.75 %)	Medium (23 - 57 kg/ha)	Medium (145 - 337 kg/ha)	Low (<10 ppm)	Low (< 0.5 ppm)	Sufficient (>4.5 ppm)	Sufficient (> 1.0 ppm)	Sufficient (> 0.2 ppm)	Deficient (< 0.6 ppm)





**Appendix III**  
**Bhanapur (4D4A1U1a) Microwatershed**  
**Soil Suitability Information**

Village	Survey Number	Mango	Maize	Sapota	Sorghum	Guava	Cotton	Tamarind	Lime	Bengal gram	Sunflower	Red gram	Amla	Jackfruit	Custard-apple	Cashew	Jamun	Musambi	Groundnut	Chilly	Tomato	Marigold	Chrysanthemum	Pomegranate	Bajra	Jasmine	Bhendi	Brinjal	Crossandra	Drumstick	Mulberry	Onion
Thalabala	8	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3gt	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
Thalabala	9	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3gt	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
Thalabala	40	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2z	S3z	S2z	S2z	S2z	S2tz	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3z	S2z	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz	
Thalabala	42	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2z	S3z	S2z	S2z	S2z	S2tz	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3z	S2z	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz	
Thalabala	43	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2z	S3z	S2z	S2z	S2z	S2tz	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3z	S2z	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz	
Thalabala	44	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2z	S3z	S2z	S2z	S2z	S2tz	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3z	S2z	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz	
Thalabala	103	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2z	S3z	S2z	S2z	S2z	S2tz	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3z	S2z	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz	
Thalabala	104	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2z	S3z	S2z	S2z	S2z	S2tz	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3z	S2z	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz	
Thalabala	105	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2z	S3z	S2z	S2z	S2z	S2tz	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3z	S2z	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz	
Thalabala	106	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2z	S3z	S2z	S2z	S2z	S2tz	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3z	S2z	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz	
Thalabala	107	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
Thalabala	108	N1rg	N1g	N1g	N1g	N1g	N1g	N1rg	N1g	N1g	N1g	N1g	S3g	N1g	S3g	N1g	N1g	N1g	S3rg	N1g	N1g	N1g	N1g	S3rg	S3g	N1g	N1g	N1g	N1g	S3rg	S3rg	N1g
Thalabala	109	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
Thalabala	110	N1rg	N1g	N1g	N1g	N1g	N1g	N1rg	N1g	N1g	N1g	N1g	S3g	N1g	S3g	N1g	N1g	N1g	S3rg	N1g	N1g	N1g	N1g	S3rg	S3g	N1g	N1g	N1g	N1g	S3rg	S3rg	N1g
Thalabala	111	N1r n	S3n	N1n	S3n	N1n	S3n	N1r n	N1n	S3n	N1n	S3rn	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1tn	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	S3n	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n
Thalabala	112	N1r n	S3n	N1n	S3n	N1n	S3n	N1r n	N1n	S3n	N1n	S3rn	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1tn	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	S3n	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n
Thalabala	113	N1rg	N1g	N1g	N1g	N1g	N1g	N1rg	N1g	N1g	N1g	N1g	S3g	N1g	S3g	N1g	N1g	N1g	S3rg	N1g	N1g	N1g	N1g	S3rg	S3g	N1g	N1g	N1g	N1g	S3rg	S3rg	N1g
Thalabala	114	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
Thalabala	115	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
Thalabala	116	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
Thalabala	117	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
Thalabala	118	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
Thalabala	119	N1rg	N1g	N1g	N1g	N1g	N1g	N1rg	N1g	N1g	N1g	N1g	S3g	N1g	S3g	N1g	N1g	N1g	S3rg	N1g	N1g	N1g	N1g	S3rg	S3g	N1g	N1g	N1g	N1g	S3rg	S3rg	N1g
Thalabala	120	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2z	S3z	S2z	S2z	S2z	S2tz	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3z	S2z	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2tz	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz

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Thalabala	121	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
Thalabala	122	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
Thalabala	123	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
Thalabala	124	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
Thalabala	125	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2z	S3z	S2z	S2z	S2z	S2tz	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3z	S2z	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2tz	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz	
Thalabala	126	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
Thalabala	127	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
Thalabala	128	S3rg	S3g	S2rg	S3g	S2rg	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3gt	S3g	S3g	S2g	S2rg	S2g	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S2gt	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S2rg	S2g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S2rg	S2rg	S3g	
Thalabala	129	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
Thalabala	130	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
Thalabala	131	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2z	S3z	S2z	S2z	S2z	S2tz	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3z	S2z	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2tz	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz	
Thalabala	132	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3gt	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
Thalabala	133	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2z	S3z	S2z	S2z	S2z	S2tz	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3z	S2z	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2tz	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz	
Thalabala	134	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
Thalabala	135	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
Thalabala	136	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3gt	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
Thalabala	137	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2z	S3z	S2z	S2z	S2z	S2tz	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3z	S2z	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2tz	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz	
Thalabala	138	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
Thalabala	139	N1r	S3rg	N1r	S3rg	N1r	S3rt	N1r	N1r	S3rt	N1r	N1r	S3rg	N1r	S3rg	N1r	N1r	N1r	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	N1r	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	N1r	N1r	S3rg
Thalabala	140	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
Thalabala	141	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
Thalabala	142	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
Thalabala	143	N1r n	S3n	N1n	S3n	N1n	S3n	N1r n	N1n	S3n	N1n	S3rn	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1tn	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	S3n	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n
Thalabala	144	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2z	S3z	S2z	S2z	S2z	S2tz	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3z	S2z	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2tz	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz	
Thalabala	145	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
Thalabala	146	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
Thalabala	147	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g

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Thalabala	148	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2z	S3z	S2z	S2z	S2z	S2tz	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3z	S2z	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz		
Thalabala	149	N1rn	S3n	N1n	S3n	N1n	S3n	N1rn	N1n	S3n	N1n	S3rn	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1tn	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	S3n	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	
Thalabala	150	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2z	S3z	S2z	S2z	S2z	S2tz	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3z	S2z	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz		
Thalabala	152	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2z	S3z	S2z	S2z	S2z	S2tz	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3z	S2z	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz		
Thalabala	189	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2z	S3z	S2z	S2z	S2z	S2tz	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3z	S2z	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz		
Thalabala	191	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2z	S3z	S2z	S2z	S2z	S2tz	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3z	S2z	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz		
Thalabala	192	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2z	S3z	S2z	S2z	S2z	S2tz	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3z	S2z	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz		
Thalabala	193	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2z	S3z	S2z	S2z	S2z	S2tz	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3z	S2z	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz		
Thalabala	195	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2z	S3z	S2z	S2z	S2z	S2tz	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3z	S2z	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz		
Thalabala	196	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2z	S3z	S2z	S2z	S2z	S2tz	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3z	S2z	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz		
Thalabala	197	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2z	S3z	S2z	S2z	S2z	S2tz	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3z	S2z	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz		
Thalabala	198	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2z	S3z	S2z	S2z	S2z	S2tz	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3z	S2z	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz		
Thalabala	199	N1rn	S3n	N1n	S3n	N1n	S3n	N1rn	N1n	S3n	N1n	S3rn	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1tn	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	S3n	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	N1n	
Thalabala	200	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2z	S3z	S2z	S2z	S2z	S2tz	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3z	S2z	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz		
Thalabala	201	S3rt	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2rz	S3rz	S2rz	S2z	S2rz	S2rt	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3rz	S2rz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2rt	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz	
Thalabala	202	N1r	S3rg	N1r	S3rg	N1r	S3rt	N1r	N1r	S3rt	N1r	N1r	S3rg	N1r	S3rg	N1r	N1r	N1r	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	N1r	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	N1r	N1r	S3rg
Thalabala	203	N1r	S3rg	N1r	S3rg	N1r	S3rt	N1r	N1r	S3rt	N1r	N1r	S3rg	N1r	S3rg	N1r	N1r	N1r	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	N1r	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	N1r	N1r	S3rg
Thalabala	204	N1r	S3rg	N1r	S3rg	N1r	S3rt	N1r	N1r	S3rt	N1r	N1r	S3rg	N1r	S3rg	N1r	N1r	N1r	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	N1r	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	N1r	N1r	S3rg	
Thalabala	205	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g	
Thalabala	206	N1r	S3rg	N1r	S3rg	N1r	S3rt	N1r	N1r	S3rt	N1r	N1r	S3rg	N1r	S3rg	N1r	N1r	N1r	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	N1r	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	N1r	N1r	S3rg	
Thalabala	207	N1r	S3rg	N1r	S3rg	N1r	S3rt	N1r	N1r	S3rt	N1r	N1r	S3rg	N1r	S3rg	N1r	N1r	N1r	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	N1r	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	N1r	N1r	S3rg	
Thalabala	208	N1r	S3rg	N1r	S3rg	N1r	S3rt	N1r	N1r	S3rt	N1r	N1r	S3rg	N1r	S3rg	N1r	N1r	N1r	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	N1r	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	N1r	N1r	S3rg	
Thalabala	209	S3rg	S3g	S2rg	S3g	S2rg	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3gt	S3g	S3g	S2g	S2rg	S2g	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S2gt	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S2rg	S2g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S2rg	S2rg	S3g	
Thalabala	210	N1r	S3rg	N1r	S3rg	N1r	S3rt	N1r	N1r	S3rt	N1r	N1r	S3rg	N1r	S3rg	N1r	N1r	N1r	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	N1r	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	N1r	N1r	S3rg		
Thalabala	211	N1r	S3rg	N1r	S3rg	N1r	S3rt	N1r	N1r	S3rt	N1r	N1r	S3rg	N1r	S3rg	N1r	N1r	N1r	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	N1r	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	N1r	N1r	S3rg		
Thalabala	212	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g	

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Thalabala	213	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
Thalabala	214	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
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Thalabala	217	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
Thalabala	218	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
Thalabala	219	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3gt	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
Thalabala	220	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
Thalabala	221	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2z	S3z	S2z	S2z	S2z	S2tz	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3z	S2z	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2tz	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz	
Thalabala	222	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g	
Thalabala	223	S3rg	S3g	S2rg	S3g	S2rg	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3gt	S3g	S3g	S2g	S2rg	S2g	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S2gt	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S2rg	S2g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S2rg	S2rg	S3g	
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Thalabala	225	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2z	S3z	S2z	S2z	S2z	S2tz	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3z	S2z	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2tz	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz	
Thalabala	226	S2r	S1	S1	S1	S1	S2t	S2r	S1	S3t	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S2r	S1	S2t	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1
Thalabala	227	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2z	S3z	S2z	S2z	S2z	S2tz	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3z	S2z	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2tz	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz	
Thalabala	228	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2z	S3z	S2z	S2z	S2z	S2tz	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3z	S2z	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2tz	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz	
Thalabala	229	S3r	S2g	S2rg	S2g	S2rg	S2rg	S3r	S2rg	S3t	S2rg	S2rg	S1	S2rg	S1	S2rg	S3r	S2rg	S2t	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2rg	S1	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2r	S2r	S2g	
Thalabala	230	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3gt	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g	
Thalabala	231	S3r	S2g	S2rg	S2g	S2rg	S2rg	S3r	S2rg	S3t	S2rg	S2rg	S1	S2rg	S1	S2rg	S3r	S2rg	S2t	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2rg	S1	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2r	S2r	S2g	
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Thalabala	233	S2r	S1	S1	S1	S1	S2t	S2r	S1	S3t	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S2r	S1	S2t	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1
Thalabala	234	S2r	S1	S1	S1	S1	S2t	S2r	S1	S3t	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S2r	S1	S2t	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1
Thalabala	235	S2r	S1	S1	S1	S1	S2t	S2r	S1	S3t	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S2r	S1	S2t	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1
Thalabala	236	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3gt	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g	
Thalabala	237	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3gt	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g	
Thalabala	238	S3r	S2g	S2rg	S2g	S2rg	S2rg	S3r	S2rg	S3t	S2rg	S2rg	S1	S2rg	S1	S2rg	S3r	S2rg	S2t	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2rg	S1	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2r	S2r	S2g	
Thalabala	239	S3r	S2g	S2rg	S2g	S2rg	S2rg	S3r	S2rg	S3t	S2rg	S2rg	S1	S2rg	S1	S2rg	S3r	S2rg	S2t	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2rg	S1	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2r	S2r	S2g	

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Thalabala	242	S3r	S2g	S2rg	S2g	S2rg	S2rg	S3r	S2rg	S3t	S2rg	S2rg	S1	S2rg	S1	S2rg	S3r	S2rg	S2t	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2rg	S1	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2r	S2r	S2g
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Thalabala	245	S3r	S2g	S2rg	S2g	S2rg	S2rg	S3r	S2rg	S3t	S2rg	S2rg	S1	S2rg	S1	S2rg	S3r	S2rg	S2t	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2rg	S1	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2r	S2r	S2g
Thalabala	246	S3r	S2g	S2rg	S2g	S2rg	S2rg	S3r	S2rg	S3t	S2rg	S2rg	S1	S2rg	S1	S2rg	S3r	S2rg	S2t	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2rg	S1	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2r	S2r	S2g
Thalakalla	1	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others
Thalakalla	2	S3r	S2g	S2rg	S2g	S2rg	S2rg	S3r	S2rg	S3t	S2rg	S2rg	S1	S2rg	S1	S2rg	S3r	S2rg	S2t	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2rg	S1	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2r	S2r	S2g
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Thalakalla	9	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others
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Thalakalla	11	S3r	S2g	S2rg	S2g	S2rg	S2rg	S3r	S2rg	S3t	S2rg	S2rg	S1	S2rg	S1	S2rg	S3r	S2rg	S2t	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2rg	S1	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2r	S2r	S2g
Thalakalla	12	S3r	S2g	S2rg	S2g	S2rg	S2rg	S3r	S2rg	S3t	S2rg	S2rg	S1	S2rg	S1	S2rg	S3r	S2rg	S2t	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2rg	S1	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2r	S2r	S2g
Thalakalla	13	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3gt	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g	S3g
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Thalakalla	19	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g
Thalakalla	20	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g



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Thalakalla	28	S2rg	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2gt	S2rg	S2g	S3t	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2rg	S2g	S2gt	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	
Thalakalla	29	S3r	S2gt	S2rg	S2g	S2rg	S2rg	S3r	S2rg	S3t	S2rg	S2rg	S2g	S2rg	S2g	S2rg	S3r	S2rg	S3t	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2rg	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2rg	S2rg	S2g	
Thalakalla	30	S3r	S2gt	S2rg	S2g	S2rg	S2rg	S3r	S2rg	S3t	S2rg	S2rg	S2g	S2rg	S2g	S2rg	S3r	S2rg	S3t	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2rg	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2rg	S2rg	S2g	
Thalakalla	31	S3r	S2gt	S2rg	S2g	S2rg	S2rg	S3r	S2rg	S3t	S2rg	S2rg	S2g	S2rg	S2g	S2rg	S3r	S2rg	S3t	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2rg	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2rg	S2rg	S2g	
Thalakalla	32	S3r	S2gt	S2rg	S2g	S2rg	S2rg	S3r	S2rg	S3t	S2rg	S2rg	S2g	S2rg	S2g	S2rg	S3r	S2rg	S3t	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2rg	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2rg	S2rg	S2g	
Thalakalla	33	S3r	S2gt	S2rg	S2g	S2rg	S2rg	S3r	S2rg	S3t	S2rg	S2rg	S2g	S2rg	S2g	S2rg	S3r	S2rg	S3t	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2rg	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2rg	S2rg	S2g	
Thalakalla	34	S3r	S2gt	S2rg	S2g	S2rg	S2rg	S3r	S2rg	S3t	S2rg	S2rg	S2g	S2rg	S2g	S2rg	S3r	S2rg	S3t	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2rg	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2rg	S2rg	S2g	
Thalakalla	35	S3rt	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2rz	S3rz	S2rz	S2z	S2rz	S2rt	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3rz	S2rz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2rt	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz
Thalakalla	36	S3rt	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2rz	S3rz	S2rz	S2z	S2rz	S2rt	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3rz	S2rz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2rt	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz
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Thalakalla	41	S3rt	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2rz	S3rz	S2rz	S2z	S2rz	S2rt	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3rz	S2rz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2rt	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz
Thalakalla	42	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3rg
Thalakalla	43	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3rg
Thalakalla	44	S2rg	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2gt	S2rg	S2g	S3t	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2rg	S2g	S2gt	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g
Thalakalla	45	S2rg	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2gt	S2rg	S2g	S3t	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2rg	S2g	S2gt	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g	S2g
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Thalakalla	47	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3rg
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Thalakalla	49	S3rt	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2rz	S3rz	S2rz	S2z	S2rz	S2rt	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3rz	S2rz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2rt	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz
Thalakalla	50	N1r	S2r	S3r	S2rt	S3r	S3t	N1r	S3r	S3t	S3r	S3r	S2r	S3r	S2r	S3r	S3r	S3r	S2r	S2r	S2r	S2r	S2r	S3r	S2r	S2r	S2r	S2r	S2r	S2r	S3r	S3r	S2r	

Village	Survey Number	Mango	Maize	Sapota	Sorghum	Guava	Cotton	Tamarind	Lime	Bengal gram	Sunflower	Red gram	Amla	Jackfruit	Custard-apple	Cashew	Jamun	Musambi	Groundnut	Chilly	Tomato	Marigold	Chrysanthemum	Pomegranate	Bajra	Jasmine	Bhendi	Brinjal	Crossandra	Drumstick	Mulberry	Onion	
Thalakalla	51	S3rt	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2rz	S3rz	S2rz	S2z	S2rz	S2rt	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3rz	S2rz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2rt	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz	
Thalakalla	52	S3rt	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2rz	S3rz	S2rz	S2z	S2rz	S2rt	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3rz	S2rz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2rt	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz	
Thalakalla	53	S3rt	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2rz	S3rz	S2rz	S2z	S2rz	S2rt	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3rz	S2rz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2rt	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz	
Thalakalla	54	S3rt	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2rz	S3rz	S2rz	S2z	S2rz	S2rt	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3rz	S2rz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2rt	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz	
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Thalakalla	57	S3rt	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2rz	S3rz	S2rz	S2z	S2rz	S2rt	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3rz	S2rz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2rt	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz	
Thalakalla	58	N1r	S2r	S3r	S2rt	S3r	S3t	N1r	S3r	S3t	S3r	S3r	S2r	S3r	S2r	S3r	S3r	S3r	S2r	S2r	S2r	S2r	S2r	S3r	S2r	S2r	S2r	S2r	S2r	S2r	S2r	S2r	
Thalakalla	59	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
Thalakalla	60	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
Thalakalla	61	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
Thalakalla	62	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
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Thalakalla	65	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
Thalakalla	66	N1r	S2r	S3r	S2rt	S3r	S3t	N1r	S3r	S3t	S3r	S3r	S2r	S3r	S2r	S3r	S3r	S3r	S2r	S2r	S2r	S2r	S2r	S3r	S2r	S2r	S2r	S2r	S2r	S2r	S3r	S3r	S2r
Thalakalla	67	S3rt	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2rz	S3rz	S2rz	S2z	S2rz	S2rt	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3rz	S2rz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2rt	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz	
Banapura	1	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
Banapura	2	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
Banapura	3	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
Banapura	4	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others	Others
Banapura	6	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
Banapura	7	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
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Banapura	14	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
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Banapura	16	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g
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Banapura	18	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g	
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Banapura	22	N1r	S2rg	S3r	S2rt	S3r	S3t	N1r	S3r	S3t	S3r	S3r	S2r	S3r	S2r	S3r	S3r	S3r	S2r	S2rg	S2rg	S2rg	S2rg	S3r	S2r	S2rg	S2rg	S2rg	S2rg	S2rg	S3r	S3r	S2rg
Banapura	23	N1r	S2rg	S3r	S2rt	S3r	S3t	N1r	S3r	S3t	S3r	S3r	S2r	S3r	S2r	S3r	S3r	S3r	S2r	S2rg	S2rg	S2rg	S2rg	S3r	S2r	S2rg	S2rg	S2rg	S2rg	S2rg	S3r	S3r	S2rg
Banapura	25	S2r	S1	S1	S1	S1	S2t	S2r	S1	S3t	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S2r	S1	S2t	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1
Banapura	26	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3gt	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g	
Banapura	27	N1r	S2rg	S3r	S2rt	S3r	S3t	N1r	S3r	S3t	S3r	S3r	S2r	S3r	S2r	S3r	S3r	S3r	S2r	S2rg	S2rg	S2rg	S2rg	S3r	S2r	S2rg	S2rg	S2rg	S2rg	S2rg	S3r	S3r	S2rg
Banapura	28	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3gt	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g	
Banapura	29	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3gt	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g	
Banapura	30	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g	
Banapura	31	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g	
Banapura	32	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g	
Banapura	33	N1r	S3rg	N1r	S3rg	N1r	S3rt	N1r	N1r	S3rt	N1r	N1r	S3rg	N1r	S3rg	N1r	N1r	N1r	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	N1r	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	N1r	N1r	S3rg
Banapura	36	S3rt	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2rz	S3rz	S2rz	S2z	S2rz	S2rt	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3rz	S2rz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2rt	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz	
Banapura	37	S3rt	S2tz	S3t	S2z	S3tz	S2rz	S3rz	S2rz	S2z	S2rz	S2rt	S3z	S3tz	S2z	N1tz	S3rz	S2rz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S2tz	S2rt	S2tz	S3t	S2tz	S3t	S3t	S3z	S3tz	S3tz	
Banapura	38	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3gt	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g	
Banapura	39	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3gt	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g	
Banapura	40	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g	
Banapura	41	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g	
Banapura	42	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g	
Banapura	47	N1r	S3g	S3rg	S3g	S3rg	S3g	N1r	S3rg	S3gt	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3rg	S3rg	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S2rg	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3g	S3rg	S3rg	S3g	
Banapura	48	S2r	S1	S1	S1	S1	S2t	S2r	S1	S3t	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S2r	S1	S2t	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	

# **PART-B**

**SOCIO-ECONOMIC STATUS OF FARM HOUSEHOLDS**



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**FINDINGS OF THE SOCIO-ECONOMIC SURVEY**

- ❖ *The survey was conducted in Bhanapur is located at North latitude 15<sup>0</sup> 24' 24.027" and 15<sup>0</sup> 22' 44.233" and East longitude 76<sup>0</sup> 2' 18.333" and 76<sup>0</sup> 0' 48.567" covering an area of about 588.83 ha coming under Bhanapur and Talabal Villages of Koppal taluk.*
- ❖ *Socio-economic analysis of Bhanapur micro watersheds of Bhanapur sub-watershed, Koppala taluk & District indicated that, out of the total sample of 35 farmers were sampled in Bhanapur micro-watershed among households surveyed 9 (25.71%) were marginal, 9 (25.71%) were small and 12 (34.29 %) were semi medium farmers. 5 landless farmers were also interviewed for the survey.*
- ❖ *The population characteristics of households indicated that, there were 77 (57.04%) men and 58 (42.96 %) were women. The average population of landless was 4, marginal farmers were 3 and semi medium farmers were 4.*
- ❖ *Majority of the respondents (28.15%) were in the age group of 16-35 years.*
- ❖ *Education level of the sample households indicated that, there were 29.63 per cent illiterates, 71.86 per cent pre university education and 5.93 per cent attained graduation.*
- ❖ *About, 80.00 per cent of household heads practicing agriculture and 8.57 per cent of the household heads were engaged as agricultural labourers.*
- ❖ *Agriculture was the major occupation for 62.22 per cent of the household members.*
- ❖ *In the study area, 100.00 per cent of the households possess katcha house.*
- ❖ *The durable assets owned by the households showed that, 100.00 per cent possess TV, 97.14 per cent possess mobile phones and 14.29 per cent possess motor cycles.*
- ❖ *Farm implements owned by the households indicated that, 2.86 per cent possess tractor, 8.57 per cent possess bullock cart.*
- ❖ *Regarding livestock possession by the households, 8.57 per cent possess local cow and 2.86 per cent possess buffalo.*
- ❖ *The average labour availability in the study area showed that, own labour men available in the micro watershed was 1.52, women available in the micro watershed was 1.03, hired labour (men) available was 8.55 and hired labour (women) available was 8.55.*
- ❖ *Out of the total land holding of the sample respondents 100.00 per cent (52.31 ha) of the area is under dry condition.*
- ❖ *The major crops grown by sample farmers are Bengala gram, Sorghum, Red gram, Maize and Groundnut and cropping intensity was recorded as 79.78 per cent.*

- ❖ *The per hectare cost of cultivation for Bengala gram, Sorghum, Red gram, Maize and Groundnut was Rs.33769.42 , 28457.09, 22768.30, 24934.98 and 44621.34 with benefit cost ratio of 1:3.50, 1: 2.00, 1: 1.30, 1: 1.60 and 1:2.10 respectively.*
- ❖ *The average annual gross income of the farmers was Rs. 79325.71 in micro-watershed, of which Rs. 71011.43 comes from agriculture.*
- ❖ *Sampled households have grown 28 horticulture trees and 121 forestry trees together in the fields and back yards.*
- ❖ *Households have an average investment capacity of Rs. 4342.86 for land development.*
- ❖ *Source of funds for additional investment is concerned, 45.71 per cent depends on bank loan for land development activities.*
- ❖ *Regarding marketing channels, 100.00 per cent of the households have sold agricultural produce to the local/village merchants.*
- ❖ *Further, 100.00 per cent of the households have used tractor for the transport of agriculture commodity.*
- ❖ *Majority of the farmers (74.29%) have experienced soil and water erosion problems in the watershed and 82.86 per cent of the households were interested towards soil testing.*
- ❖ *Fire was the major source of fuel for domestic use for 94.29 per cent of the households and 2.86 per cent households has LPG connection.*
- ❖ *Piped supply was the major source for drinking water for 100.00 per cent of the households.*
- ❖ *Electricity was the major source of light for 97.14 per cent of the households.*
- ❖ *In the study area, 97.14 per cent of the households possess toilet facility.*
- ❖ *Regarding possession of PDS card, 97.14 per cent of the households possessed BPL card.*
- ❖ *Households opined that, the requirement of cereals (100.00%), pulses (94.29%) and oilseeds (2.86%) are adequate for consumption.*
- ❖ *Farming constraints experienced by households in the micro watersheds were lower fertility status of the soil (85.71%) wild animal menace on farm field (2.86%), frequent incidence of pest and diseases (77.14%), inadequacy of irrigation water (5.71%), high cost of fertilizers and plant protection chemicals (82.86%), high rate of interest on credit (5.71%), low price for the agricultural commodities (77.14%), lack of marketing facilities in the area (82.86%), inadequate extension services (2.86%), lack of transport for safe transport of the agricultural produce to the market (80.00%).*

## **INTRODUCTION**

Soil and water are the two precious natural resources which are essential for crop production and existence of life on earth. Rainfed agriculture is under severe stress due to various constraints related to agriculture like uneven and erratic distribution of rainfall, indiscriminate use of fertilizers, chemicals and pesticides, adoption of improper land management practices, soil erosion, decline in soil fertility, decline in ground water resources leading to low crop productivity. The area under rainfed agriculture has to be managed effectively using the best available practices to enhance the production of food, fodder and fuel. This is possible if the land resources are characterized at each parcel of land through detailed land resource inventory using the best available techniques of remote sensing, GPS and GIS. The watershed development programs are aimed at the sustainable distribution of its resources and the process of creating and implementing plans, programs, and projects to sustain and enhance watershed functions that affect the plant, animal and human communities within a watershed boundary.

World Bank funded KWDP II, SUJALA III project was implemented in with Broad objective of demonstrating more effective watershed management through greater integration of programmes related to rain-fed agriculture, innovative and science based approaches and strengthen institutional capacities and If successful, it is expected that the systems and tools could be mainstreamed into the overall IWMP in the State of Karnataka and in time, throughout other IWMP operations in India. With this background the socio-economic survey has been carried out with following specific objectives:

1. To understand the demographic features of the households in the micro-watershed
2. To understand the extent of family labour available and additional employment opportunities available within the village.
3. To know the status of assets of households in the micro-watershed for suggesting possible improvements.
4. To study the cropping pattern, cropped area and productivity levels of different households in micro-watershed.
5. To determine the type and extent of livestock owned by different categories of HHs
6. Availability of fodder and level of livestock management.

### **Scope and importance of survey**

Survey helps in identification of different socio-economic and resource use-patterns of farmers at the Micro watershed. Household survey provides demographic



features, labour force, and levels of education; land ownership and asset position (including livestock and other household assets) of surveyed households; and cropping patterns, input intensities, and average crop yields from farmers' fields. It also discusses crop utilization and the degree of commercialization of production in the areas; farmers' access to and utilization of credit from formal and informal sources; and the level of adoption and use of soil, water, and pest management technologies.

## **METHODOLOGY**

The description of the methods, components selected for the survey and procedures followed in conducting the baseline survey are furnished under the following heads.

### **1. Description of the study area**

Koppal district is an administrative district in the state of Karnataka in India. In the past Koppal was referred to as 'Kopana Nagara'. Koppal, now a district headquarters is ancient Kopana a major holy place of the Jainas. The district occupies an area of 7,190 km<sup>2</sup> and has a population of 1,196,089, which 16.58% were urban as of 2001. The Koppal district was formed after split of Raichur district.

Geographers are very particular about the physiography or relief of a region. It plays a very important role in the spatial analysis of agricultural situation of the study area. The undulating topography with black cotton soil shrips, cut across by numerous nalas or streams is the major characteristic feature of the study region. Three physiographic divisions have made considering the local conditions of landforms and crops grown in the district. On the basis of physiography, Koppal district can be divided into three major divisions. They are (a) Koppal & Yelburga plateau, (b) Maidan division, (c) Tungabhadra valley. The district is part of Krishna basin the main streams draining the area are Maskinala, Ilkal-nadi and Hirenala. These are Ephemeral in nature, these come under Tungabhadra sub-basin. The drainage exhibit dentritic to subdentritic with drainage density varies from 1.4 to 7.0kms/sq.km.

According to the 2011 census Koppal district has a population of 1,391,292, roughly equal to the nation of Swaziland or the US state of Hawaii. This gives it a ranking of 350th in India (out of a total of 640). The district has a population density of 250 inhabitants per square kilometre (650/sq mi). Its population growth rate over the decade 2001-2011 was 16.32%. Koppal has a sex ratio of 983 females for every 1000 males, and a literacy rate of 67.28%.

### **2. Locale of the survey and description of the micro-watershed and**

The study was conducted in Bhanapur micro-watershed (Bhanapur sub-watershed, Koppala taluk & District) is located at North latitude 15° 24' 24.027" and 15° 22' 44.233" and East longitude 76° 0' 18.333" and 76° 0' 48.567" covering an area of about 588.83 ha bounded by under Bhanapur and Talabal Villages.

### **3. Selection of the respondents for the study**

The micro-watershed is marked with 320 square meters grids. One farmer from every alternate grid in the micro-watershed was selected for the study and interviewed for socio-economic data. Totally 35 households were interviewed for the survey.

#### **4. The parameters considered for socio-economic survey of households**

Two forms of data were collected from the micro-watershed which includes primary data from the farm households and secondary data about the villages under the micro-watershed jurisdiction.

The following parameters were considered for the primary data collection about the socio-economic data of the households, (1) Demographic information, (2) Farm and durable assets owned by households, (3) Livestock possession, (4) Labour availability, (5) Level of migration in the village, Land holding, (7) Cropping pattern, (8) Source of irrigation, (9) Borrowing status, (10) Cost of cultivation of major crops, (11) Economics of subsidiary activities, (12) Fodder availability, (13) Family annual income from different sources, (14) Horticulture and forestry species grown, (15) Additional investment capacity, (16) Marketing practices, (17) Status of soil and water conservation structure, (18) Access to basic needs and (19) Constraints and suggestion.

The following parameters were considered for the secondary data regarding the villages under the micro-watershed jurisdiction, (1) Number of villages in each micro-watershed jurisdiction, (2) Village wise number of households, (3) Geographical area of the villages, (4) Cultivable area including rainfed and irrigated, (5) Number and type of house in each village, (6) Human and livestock population, (7) Facilities in the village such as roads, transport facility for conveyance, drinking water supply, street light and (8) Community based organizations in the villages.

#### **5. Development of interview schedule and data collection**

Taking into the consideration the objectives of the survey, an interview schedule was prepared after thorough consultation with the experts in the field of social sciences. A comprehensive interview schedule covering all the major parameters for measuring the socio-economic situation was developed.

#### **6. Tools used to analyze the data**

The statistical components such as frequency and percentage were used to analyze the data.

#### **Abbreviations used in the report**

LL=Landless

MF=Marginal Farmers

SF=Small farmers

SMF=Semi medium farmers

MDF=Medium farmers

LF=Large Farmers

### FINDINGS OF THE SURVEY

This chapter deals with systematic presentation of results of the survey. Keeping in view the objectives, the salient features of the survey are presented under the following headings.

**Households sampled for socio-economic survey:** The data on households sampled for socio economic survey in Bhanapur Micro watershed is presented in Table 1 and it indicated that 35 farmers were sampled in Bhanapur micro-watershed among households surveyed 9 (25.71%) were marginal, 9 (25.71%) were small and 12 (34.29 %) were semi medium farmers. 5 landless farmers were also interviewed for the survey.

**Table 1. Households sampled for socio economic survey in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl.No.	Particulars	LL (5)		MF (9)		SF (9)		SMF (12)		All (35)	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
1	Farmers	5	14.3	9	25.7	9	25.7	12	34.3	35	100

**Population characteristics:** The population characteristics of households sampled for socio-economic survey in Bhanapur Micro watershed is presented in Table 2. The data indicated that, there were 77 (57.04%) men and 58 (42.96%) were women. The average population of landless was 4, marginal farmers were 3 and semi medium farmers were 4.

**Table 2. Population characteristics in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl.No.	Particulars	LL (20)		MF (27)		SF (36)		SMF (52)		All (135)	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
1	Men	11	55	15	56	17	47	34	65.4	77	57
2	Women	9	45	12	44	19	53	18	34.6	58	43
Total		20	100	27	100	36	100	52	100	135	100
Average		4.0		3.0		4.0		4.3		3.9	

**Age wise classification of population:** The age wise classification of household members in Bhanapur Micro watershed is presented in Table 3. The indicated that, 26 (19.26%) of population were 0-15 years of age, 38 (28.15%) were 16-35 years of age, 55(40.74%) were 36-60 years of age and 16 (11.85 %) were above 61 years of age.

**Table 3: Age wise classification of members of the household in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl.No.	Particulars	LL (20)		MF (27)		SF (36)		SMF (52)		All (135)	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
1	0-15 years of age	5	25	2	7.41	10	27.8	9	17.31	26	19.26
2	16-35 years of age	8	40	8	29.6	7	19.4	15	28.85	38	28.15
3	36-60 years of age	5	25	15	55.6	14	38.9	21	40.38	55	40.74
4	> 61 years	2	10	2	7.41	5	13.9	7	13.46	16	11.85
Total		20	100	27	100	36	100	52	100	135	100

**Education level of household members:** Education level of household members in Bhanapur Micro watershed is presented in Table 4. The results indicated that, there were 29.63 per cent of illiterates, 17.78 per cent of them had primary school education, 4.44 per cent middle school education, 18.52 per cent high school education, 15.56 per cent of them had PUC education, 0.74 per cent of them had Diploma, 5.93 per cent attained graduation and 6.67 them had other education.

**Table 4. Education level of members of the household in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl.No.	Particulars	LL (20)		MF (27)		SF (36)		SMF (52)		All (135)	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
1	Illiterate	7	35	16	59.3	9	25	8	15.4	40	29.6
2	Primary School	2	10	3	11.1	9	25	10	19.2	24	17.8
3	Middle School	0	0	1	3.7	3	8.33	2	3.85	6	4.44
4	High School	3	15	5	18.5	6	16.7	11	21.2	25	18.5
5	PUC	3	15	0	0	7	19.4	11	21.2	21	15.6
6	Diploma	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1.92	1	0.74
7	ITI	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.74
8	Degree	0	0	2	7.41	1	2.78	5	9.62	8	5.93
9	Others	4	20	0	0	1	2.78	4	7.69	9	6.67
Total		20	100	27	100	36	100	52	100	135	100

**Occupation of head of households:** The data regarding the occupation of the household heads in Bhanapur Micro watershed is presented in Table 5. The results indicate that, 80.00 per cent of households heads were practicing agriculture and 8.57 per cent of the household heads were agricultural Labour.

**Table 5: Occupation of heads of households in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl.No.	Particulars	LL (5)		MF (9)		SF (9)		SMF (12)		All (35)	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
1	Agriculture	2	40	8	89	7	77.78	11	92	28	80
2	Agricultural Labour	3	60	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	8.57
3	Private Service	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	8.3	1	2.86
4	Student	0	0	1	11	1	11.11	0	0	2	5.71
Total		5	100	9	100	8	100	12	100	34	100

**Table 6: Occupation of members of the household in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl. No.	Particulars	LL (20)		MF (27)		SF (36)		SMF (52)		All (135)	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
1	Agriculture	5	25	24	88.9	23	63.89	32	61.54	84	62.2
2	Agricultural Labour	7	35	0	0	0	0	2	3.85	9	6.67
3	Government Service	1	5	0	0	0	0	2	3.85	3	2.22
4	Private Service	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	5.77	3	2.22
5	Student	2	10	3	11.1	11	30.56	9	17.31	25	18.5
6	Others	1	5	0	0	1	2.78	0	0	2	1.48
7	Children	4	20	0	0	1	2.78	4	7.69	9	6.67
Total		20	100	27	100	36	100	52	100	135	100

**Occupation of the members of the household:** The data regarding the occupation of the household members in Bhanapur Micro watershed is presented in Table 6. The results indicate that, agriculture was the major occupation for 62.22 per cent of the household members, 6.67 per cent were agricultural labour, 2.22 per cent were working in government sector, 18.52 per cent were working in pursuing education and 6.67 per cent were children.

**Institutional Participation of household members:** The data regarding the institutional participation of the household members in Bhanapur Micro watershed is presented in Table 7. The results show that, out of the total family members in the households 100 per cent of them were not participating in any of the institutions.

**Table 7: Institutional Participation of household member in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl.No.	Particulars	LL (20)		MF (27)		SF (36)		SMF (52)		All (135)	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
1	No Participation	20	100	27	100	36	100	52	100	135	100
	Total	20	100	27	100	36	100	52	100	135	100

**Type of house owned:** The data regarding the type of house owned by the households in Bhanapur Micro watershed is presented in Table 8. The results indicate that, 100.00 per cent of the households possess katcha house.

**Table 8. Type of house owned by households in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl.No.	Particulars	LL (5)		MF (9)		SF (9)		SMF (12)		All (35)	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
1	Katcha	5	100	9	100	9	100	12	100	35	100
	Total	5	100	9	100	9	100	12	100	35	100

**Durable assets owned by the households:** The data regarding the Durable Assets owned by the households in Bhanapur Micro watershed is presented in Table 9. The result shows that, 100.00 per cent possess TV, 14.29 per cent possess motor cycle and 97.14 per cent possess mobile phones.

**Table 9. Durable assets owned by households in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl.No.	Particulars	LL (5)		MF (9)		SF (9)		SMF (12)		All (35)	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
1	Television	5	100	9	100	9	100	12	100	35	100
2	Motor Cycle	0	0	2	22	1	11.1	2	17	5	14.29
3	Mobile Phone	5	100	9	100	8	88.9	12	100	34	97.14

**Table 10. Average value of durable assets owned in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Average Value (Rs.)

Sl.No.	Particulars	LL (5)	MF (9)	SF (9)	SMF (12)	All (35)
1	Television	9000	9000	9000	9250	9085
2	Motor Cycle	0	45000	30000	40000	40000
3	Mobile Phone	12200	3055	4375	2833	4632

**Average value of durable assets:** The result (Table 10) shows that, the average value of television was Rs.9085.00, motor cycle was Rs. 40000.00 and mobile phone was Rs.4632.00.

**Farm implements owned:** The data regarding the farm implements owned by the households in Bhanapur Micro watershed is presented in Table 11. About 8.57 per cent of the households possess Bullock Cart, 5.71 per cent possess Weeder and 2.86 per cent possess tractor.

**Table 11. Farm implements owned in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl.No.	Particulars	LL (5)		MF (9)		SF (9)		SMF (12)		All (35)	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
1	Bullock Cart	0	0	0	0	1	11.11	2	16.7	3	8.57
2	Tractor	0	0	0	0	1	11.11	0	0	1	2.86
3	Weeder	0	0	1	11.1	1	11.11	0	0	2	5.71
4	Blank	5	100	8	88.9	6	66.67	10	83.3	29	82.86

**Average value of farm implements:** The data regarding the average value of farm Implements owned by the households in Bhanapur Micro watershed is presented in Table 12. The results show that the average value of bullock Cart was Rs.11500.00, weeder was Rs.50.00 and tractor was Rs. 300000.

**Table 12. Average value of farm implements in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl.No.	Particulars	Average Value (Rs.)				
		LL (5)	MF (9)	SF (9)	SMF (12)	All (35)
1	Bullock Cart	0	0	1500	16500	11500
2	Tractor	0	0	300000	0	300000
3	Weeder	0	50	50	0	50

**Livestock possession by the households:** The results (Table 13) indicate that, 2.86 per cent of the households possess bullocks, 8.57 per cent possess local cow, 2.86 per cent possess buffalo.

**Table 13. Livestock possession by households in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl.No.	Particulars	LL (5)		MF (9)		SF (9)		SMF (12)		All (35)	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
1	Bullock	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	8.3	1	2.86
2	Local cow	0	0	0	0	1	11.11	2	17	3	8.57
3	Buffalo	0	0	1	11	0	0	0	0	1	2.86
4	blank	5	100	7	78	8	88.89	10	83	30	85.71

**Table 14. Average labour availability in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl.No.	Particulars	LL (5)	MF (9)	SF (9)	SMF (12)	All (35)
		N	N	N	N	N
1	Hired labour Female	8.33	6.56	11.11	8.17	8.55
2	Own Labour Female	1.33	1.11	1	0.92	1.03
3	Own labour Male	1	1.56	1.56	1.58	1.52
4	Hired labour Male	8.33	6.56	11.11	8.17	8.55

**Average Labour availability:** The indicated (Table 14) that, own labour men available in the micro watershed was 1.52, women available in the micro watershed



was 1.03, hired labour (men) available was 8.55 and hired labour (women) available was 8.55.

**Adequacy of hired labour:** The data regarding the adequacy of hired labour in Bhanapur Micro watershed is presented in Table 15. The results indicate that, 94.29 per cent of the household opined that hired labour was adequate.

**Table 15. Adequacy of hired labour in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl.No.	Particulars	LL (5)		MF (9)		SF (9)		SMF (12)		All (35)	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
1	Adequate	3	60	9	100	9	100	12	100	33	94.3

**Distribution of land (ha):** The data regarding the distribution of land (ha) in Bhanapur Micro watershed is presented in Table 16. The results indicate that, 52.31 ha (100.00%) of dry land.

**Table 16. Distribution of land (ha) in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl.No.	Particulars	LL (5)		MF (9)		SF (9)		SMF (12)		All (35)	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
1	Dry	0	0	6.51	100	13.56	100	32.24	100	52.31	100

**Average value of land (ha):** The data regarding the average land value (Rs./ha) in Bhanapur Micro watershed is presented in Table 17. The results show that the average value of dry land was Rs.282809.84.

**Table 17. Average value of land (ha) in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl.No.	Particulars	LL (5)	MF (9)	SF (9)	SMF (12)	All (35)
		N	N	N	N	N
1	Dry	0	307023	294837.4	272859.7	282809.8

**Cropping pattern:** The results (Table 18) indicate that, farmers have grown Bengal gram (21.89 ha), Sorghum (21.89 ha), Maize (1.74 ha), Red gram (0.81 ha) and Groundnut (0.47 ha).

**Table 18. Cropping pattern in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl.No.	Particulars	LL (5)	MF (9)	SF (9)	SMF (12)	All (35)
1	Kharif - Bengal gram	0	3	5.51	18.54	27.05
2	Kharif - Sorghum	0	2.12	6.17	13.6	21.89
3	Kharif - Maize	0	0	1.74	0	1.74
4	Kharif - Red gram (togari)	0	0.81	0	0	0.81
5	Kharif - Groundnut	0	0.47	0	0	0.47
Total		0	6.39	13.42	32.15	51.96

**Cropping intensity:** The data regarding the cropping intensity in Bhanapur Micro watershed is presented in Table 19. The results indicate that, the cropping intensity was 79.78 per cent.

**Table 19. Cropping intensity (%) in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl.No.	Particulars	LL (5)	MF (9)	SF (9)	SMF (12)	All (35)
1	Cropping Intensity	0	98.14	98.93	71.36	79.78

**Cost of Cultivation of Bengala gram:** The data regarding the cost of cultivation (Rs/ha) of Bengala gram in Bhanapur micro watershed is presented in Table 20.a. The results indicate that, the total cost of cultivation (Rs/ha) for Bengala gram was Rs. 33769.42. The gross income realized by the farmers was Rs. 119210.21. The net income from Bengala gram cultivation was Rs.85440.80, thus the benefit cost ratio was found to be 1:3.50.

**Table 20(a). Cost of Cultivation of Bengala gram in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl.No	Particulars	Units	Phy Units	Value(Rs.)	% to C3
<b>I</b>	<b>Cost A1</b>				
1	Hired Human Labour	Man days	31.27	5355.94	15.86
2	Bullock	Pairs/day	1.57	939.96	2.78
3	Tractor	Hours	3.15	2520.1	7.46
5	Seed Main Crop (Establishment and Maintenance)	Kgs (Rs.)	49.57	7528.6	22.29
6	Seed Inter Crop	Kgs.	0	0	0
7	FYM	Quintal	2.09	417.32	1.24
8	Fertilizer + micronutrients	Quintal	7.95	6503.93	19.26
9	Pesticides (PPC)	Kgs/liters	0.82	817.1	2.42
10	Irrigation	Number	0	0	0
13	Depreciation charges		0	9.56	0.03
14	Land revenue and Taxes		0	3.48	0.01
<b>II</b>	<b>Cost B1</b>				
16	Interest on working capital			1832.15	5.43
17	<b>Cost B1 = (Cost A1 + sum of 15 and 16)</b>			25928.15	76.78
<b>III</b>	<b>Cost B2</b>				
18	Rental Value of Land			298.28	0.88
19	<b>Cost B2 = (Cost B1 + Rental value)</b>			26226.43	77.66
<b>IV</b>	<b>Cost C1</b>				
20	Family Human Labour		19.03	4472.04	13.24
21	<b>Cost C1 = (Cost B2 + Family Labour)</b>			30698.47	90.91
<b>V</b>	<b>Cost C2</b>				
22	Risk Premium			1	0
23	<b>Cost C2 = (Cost C1 + Risk Premium)</b>			30699.47	90.91
<b>VI</b>	<b>Cost C3</b>				
24	Managerial Cost			3069.95	9.09
25	<b>Cost C3 = (Cost C2 + Managerial Cost)</b>			33769.42	100
<b>VII</b>	<b>Economics of the Crop</b>				
a.	Main Product	a) Main Product (q)		38.97	117777.68
		b) Main Crop Sales Price (Rs.)			3022.22
	By Product	e) Main Product (q)		9.55	1432.54
		f) Main Crop Sales Price (Rs.)			150
b.	Gross Income (Rs.)			119210.21	
c.	Net Income (Rs.)			85440.8	
d.	Cost per Quintal (Rs./q.)			866.54	
e.	Benefit Cost Ratio (BC Ratio)			1:3.5	

**Cost of Cultivation of Sorghum:** The data regarding the cost of cultivation (Rs/ha) of Sorghum in Bhanapur micro watershed is presented in Table 20.b. The results indicate that, the total cost of cultivation (Rs/ha) for Sorghum was Rs. 28457.09. The gross income realized by the farmers was Rs. 58097.96. The net income from Sorghum cultivation was Rs.29640.87, thus the benefit cost ratio was found to be 1:2.00.

**Table 20(b). Cost of Cultivation of Sorghum in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl.No	Particulars	Units	Phy Units	Value(Rs.)	% to C3
<b>I</b>	<b>Cost A1</b>				
1	Hired Human Labour	Man days	33.3	5611.14	19.72
2	Bullock	Pairs/day	1.59	955.67	3.36
3	Tractor	Hours	3.45	2761.14	9.7
4	Machinery	Hours	0	0	0
5	Seed Main Crop (Establishment and Maintenance)	Kgs (Rs.)	18.72	2646.18	9.3
6	Seed Inter Crop	Kgs.	0	0	0
7	FYM	Quintal	1.81	361.14	1.27
8	Fertilizer + micronutrients	Quintal	7.54	6254.3	21.98
9	Pesticides (PPC)	Kgs / liters	0.88	879.57	3.09
13	Depreciation charges		0	254.43	0.89
14	Land revenue and Taxes		0	3.29	0.01
<b>II</b>	<b>Cost B1</b>				
16	Interest on working capital			1217.06	4.28
17	<b>Cost B1 = (Cost A1 + sum of 15 and 16)</b>			20943.92	73.6
<b>III</b>	<b>Cost B2</b>				
18	Rental Value of Land			311.11	1.09
19	<b>Cost B2 = (Cost B1 + Rental value)</b>			21255.03	74.69
<b>IV</b>	<b>Cost C1</b>				
20	Family Human Labour		19.36	4614.05	16.21
21	<b>Cost C1 = (Cost B2 + Family Labour)</b>			25869.08	90.91
<b>V</b>	<b>Cost C2</b>				
22	Risk Premium			1	0
23	<b>Cost C2 = (Cost C1 + Risk Premium)</b>			25870.08	90.91
<b>VI</b>	<b>Cost C3</b>				
24	Managerial Cost			2587.01	9.09
25	<b>Cost C3 = (Cost C2 + Managerial Cost)</b>			28457.09	100
<b>VII</b>	<b>Economics of the Crop</b>				
a.	Main Product	a) Main Product (q)		35.85	53062.43
		b) Main Crop Sales Price (Rs.)			1480
	By Product	e) Main Product (q)		13.99	5035.53
		f) Main Crop Sales Price (Rs.)			360
b.	Gross Income (Rs.)			58097.96	
c.	Net Income (Rs.)			29640.87	
d.	Cost per Quintal (Rs./q.)			793.72	
e.	Benefit Cost Ratio (BC Ratio)			1:2	

**Cost of Cultivation of Red gram:** The data regarding the cost of cultivation (Rs/ha) of Red gram in Bhanapur micro watershed is presented in Table 20.c. The results indicate, the total cost of cultivation (Rs/ha) for Red gram was Rs.22768.30. The gross income realized by the farmers was Rs. 29640.00. The net income from Red gram cultivation was Rs. 6871.70, thus the benefit cost ratio was found to be 1:1.30.

**Table 20(c). Cost of Cultivation of Red gram in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl.No	Particulars	Units	Phy Units	Value(Rs.)	% to C3
<b>I</b>	<b>Cost A1</b>				
1	Hired Human Labour	Man days	23.47	4446	19.53
2	Bullock	Pairs/day	2.47	1482	6.51
3	Tractor	Hours	2.47	1976	8.68
4	Machinery	Hours	0	0	0
5	Seed Main Crop (Establishment and Maintenance)	Kgs (Rs.)	4.94	691.6	3.04
6	Seed Inter Crop	Kgs.	0	0	0
7	FYM	Quintal	0	0	0
8	Fertilizer + micronutrients	Quintal	7.41	6125.6	26.9
13	Depreciation charges		0	4.94	0.02
14	Land revenue and Taxes		0	3.29	0.01
<b>II</b>	<b>Cost B1</b>				
16	Interest on working capital			818.18	3.59
17	<b>Cost B1 = (Cost A1 + sum of 15 and 16)</b>			15547.62	68.29
<b>III</b>	<b>Cost B2</b>				
18	Rental Value of Land			333.33	1.46
19	<b>Cost B2 = (Cost B1 + Rental value)</b>			15880.95	69.75
<b>IV</b>	<b>Cost C1</b>				
20	Family Human Labour		23.47	4816.5	21.15
21	<b>Cost C1 = (Cost B2 + Family Labour)</b>			20697.45	90.9
<b>V</b>	<b>Cost C2</b>				
22	Risk Premium			1	0
23	<b>Cost C2 = (Cost C1 + Risk Premium)</b>			20698.45	90.91
<b>VI</b>	<b>Cost C3</b>				
24	Managerial Cost			2069.85	9.09
25	<b>Cost C3 = (Cost C2 + Managerial Cost)</b>			22768.3	100
<b>VII</b>	<b>Economics of the Crop</b>				
a.	Main Product	a) Main Product (q)	7.41	29640	
		b) Main Crop Sales Price (Rs.)		4000	
b.	Gross Income (Rs.)			29640	
c.	Net Income (Rs.)			6871.7	
d.	Cost per Quintal (Rs./q.)			3072.64	
e.	Benefit Cost Ratio (BC Ratio)			1:1.3	

**Cost of Cultivation of Maize:** The data regarding the cost of cultivation (Rs/ha) of Maize in Bhanapur micro watershed is presented in Table 20.d. The results indicate that, the total cost of cultivation (Rs/ha) for Maize was Rs. 24934.98. The gross income realized by the farmers was Rs.39060.46. The net income from Maize cultivation was Rs. 14125.48, thus the benefit cost ratio was found to be 1:1.60.

**Table 20(d). Cost of Cultivation of Maize in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl.No	Particulars	Units	Phy Units	Value(Rs.)	% to C3
<b>I</b>	<b>Cost A1</b>				
1	Hired Human Labour	Man days	16.08	3618.84	14.51
2	Bullock	Pairs/day	2.3	1378.6	5.53
3	Tractor	Hours	0	0	0
4	Machinery	Hours	0	0	0
5	Seed Main Crop (Establishment and Maintenance)	Kgs (Rs.)	25.85	3101.86	12.44
6	Seed Inter Crop	Kgs.	0	0	0
7	FYM	Quintal	0	0	0
8	Fertilizer + micronutrients	Quintal	9.19	7260.65	29.12
9	Pesticides (PPC)	Kgs / liters	0.57	574.42	2.3
13	Depreciation charges		0	0.01	0
14	Land revenue and Taxes		0	3.29	0.01
<b>II</b>	<b>Cost B1</b>				
16	Interest on working capital			1312.55	5.26
17	<b>Cost B1 = (Cost A1 + sum of 15 and 16)</b>			17250.23	69.18
<b>III</b>	<b>Cost B2</b>				
18	Rental Value of Land			333.33	1.34
19	<b>Cost B2 = (Cost B1 + Rental value)</b>			17583.56	70.52
<b>IV</b>	<b>Cost C1</b>				
20	Family Human Labour		21.25	5083.6	20.39
21	<b>Cost C1 = (Cost B2 + Family Labour)</b>			22667.17	90.91
<b>V</b>	<b>Cost C2</b>				
22	Risk Premium			1	0
23	<b>Cost C2 = (Cost C1 + Risk Premium)</b>			22668.17	90.91
<b>VI</b>	<b>Cost C3</b>				
24	Managerial Cost			2266.82	9.09
25	<b>Cost C3 = (Cost C2 + Managerial Cost)</b>			24934.98	100
<b>VII</b>	<b>Economics of the Crop</b>				
a.	Main Product	a) Main Product (q)	28.72	34465.11	
		b) Main Crop Sales Price (Rs.)		1200	
	By Product	e) Main Product (q)	5.74	4595.35	
		f) Main Crop Sales Price (Rs.)		800	
b.	Gross Income (Rs.)			39060.46	
c.	Net Income (Rs.)			14125.48	
d.	Cost per Quintal (Rs./q.)			868.18	
e.	Benefit Cost Ratio (BC Ratio)			1:1.6	

**Cost of Cultivation of Groundnut:** The data regarding the cost of cultivation (Rs/ha) of Groundnut in Bhanapur micro watershed is presented in Table 20.e. The results indicate that, the total cost of cultivation (Rs/ha) for Groundnut was Rs.44621.34. The gross income realized by the farmers was Rs. 94504.35. The net income from Groundnut cultivation was Rs. 49883.01, thus the benefit cost ratio was found to be 1:2.10.

**Table 20(e). Cost of Cultivation of Groundnut in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl.No	Particulars	Units	Phy Units	Value(Rs.)	% to C3
<b>I</b>	<b>Cost A1</b>				
1	Hired Human Labour	Man days	47.25	10631.74	23.83
2	Bullock	Pairs/day	4.3	2577.39	5.78
3	Tractor	Hours	0	0	0
4	Machinery	Hours	0	0	0
5	Seed Main Crop (Establishment and Maintenance)	Kgs (Rs.)	32.22	4832.61	10.83
6	Seed Inter Crop	Kgs.	0	0	0
7	FYM	Quintal	0	0	0
8	Fertilizer + micronutrients	Quintal	8.59	6787.13	15.21
9	Pesticides (PPC)	Kgs / liters	2.15	2147.83	4.81
10	Irrigation	Number	0	0	0
12	Msc. Charges (Marketing costs etc)		0	0	0
13	Depreciation charges		0	0.04	0
14	Land revenue and Taxes		0	3.29	0.01
<b>II</b>	<b>Cost B1</b>				
16	Interest on working capital			1652.23	3.7
17	<b>Cost B1 = (Cost A1 + sum of 15 and 16)</b>			28632.26	64.17
<b>III</b>	<b>Cost B2</b>				
18	Rental Value of Land			333.33	0.75
19	<b>Cost B2 = (Cost B1 + Rental value)</b>			28965.59	64.91
<b>IV</b>	<b>Cost C1</b>				
20	Family Human Labour		51.55	11598.26	25.99
21	<b>Cost C1 = (Cost B2 + Family Labour)</b>			40563.85	90.91
<b>V</b>	<b>Cost C2</b>				
22	Risk Premium			1	0
23	<b>Cost C2 = (Cost C1 + Risk Premium)</b>			40564.85	90.91
<b>VI</b>	<b>Cost C3</b>				
24	Managerial Cost			4056.49	9.09
25	<b>Cost C3 = (Cost C2 + Managerial Cost)</b>			44621.34	100
<b>VII</b>	<b>Economics of the Crop</b>				
a.	Main Product	a) Main Product (q)		21.48	94504.35
		b) Main Crop Sales Price (Rs.)			4400
b.	Gross Income (Rs.)				94504.35
c.	Net Income (Rs.)				49883.01
d.	Cost per Quintal (Rs./q.)				2077.51
e.	Benefit Cost Ratio (BC Ratio)				1:2.1

**Average annual gross income:** The data regarding the annual gross income in Bhanapur Micro watershed is presented in Table 21. The results indicate that, the farmers have annual gross income of Rs. 79325.71 in micro-watershed, of which Rs. 71011.43 is from agriculture itself.

**Table 21. Average annual gross income in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl.No.	Particulars	LL (5)	MF (9)	SF (9)	SMF (12)	All (35)
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1	Wage	50200	2222.22	2222.22	0	8314.29
2	Agriculture	0	49977.8	84844.4	106000	71011.4
Income(Rs.)		50200	52200	87066.7	106000	79325.7

**Average annual Expenditure:** The data regarding the average annual expenditure in Bhanapur Micro watershed is presented in Table 22. The results indicate that, the farmers have annual gross expenditure of Rs. 166772.22 in micro-watershed, of which Rs. 36600.00 is from agriculture itself.

**Table 22. Average annual Expenditure in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl.No.	Particulars	LL (5)	MF (9)	SF (9)	SMF (12)	All (35)
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1	Wage	29800	6500	5500	0	4942.86
2	Agriculture	0	25333.3	47555.6	52083.3	36600
Total		29800	31833.3	53055.6	52083.3	166772

**Horticulture species grown:** The data regarding horticulture species grown in Bhanapur Micro watershed is presented in Table 23. The results indicate that, the total number of horticultural trees grown (both field and backyard) by the sampled households were coconut (8), Mango (20).

**Table 23. Horticulture species grown in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl.No.	Particulars	LL (5)		MF (9)		SF (9)		SMF (12)		All (35)	
		F	B	F	B	F	B	F	B	F	B
1	Coconut	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	8
2	Mango	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	0	20

\*F= Field B=Back Yard

**Forest species grown:** The data regarding forest species grown in Bhanapur Micro watershed is presented in Table 24. The results indicate that, households have planted 116 neem trees together in both field and backyard.

**Table 24. Forest species grown in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl.No.	Particulars	LL (5)		MF (9)		SF (9)		SMF (12)		All (35)	
		F	B	F	B	F	B	F	B	F	B
1	Neem	0	0	7	0	2	0	67	40	76	40

\*F= Field B=Back Yard

**Average additional investment capacity:** The data regarding average additional investment capacity in Bhanapur Micro watershed is presented in Table 25. The results indicate that, households have an average investment capacity of Rs. 4342.86



for land development, Rs.2514.29 for adoption of improved livestock breeds and Rs. 85.71 for adoption of subsidiaries enterprises.

**Table 25. Average additional investment capacity of households in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl.No.	Particulars	LL (5)	MF (9)	SF (9)	SMF (12)	All (35)
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1	Land development	0	2000	11444.4	2583.33	4342.86
2	Improved crop production	0	1555.56	4666.67	2666.67	2514.29
3	Subsidiary enterprises	0	333.33	0	0	85.71

**Source of funds for additional investment:** The data regarding source of funds for additional investment in Bhanapur Micro watershed is presented in Table 26. The results indicate that, the sources of finance raised from bank as a loan and from own sources for land development were 45.71.

**Table 26. Source of funds for additional investment in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl.No	Item	Land development		Improved crop production		Subsidiary enterprises	
		N	%	N	%	N	%
1	Loan from bank	16	45.71	16	45.71	1	2.86

**Marketing of agricultural produce:** The data regarding marketing of the agricultural produce in Bhanapur Micro watershed is presented in Table 27. The results indicated that, 90.45 percent of output of Bengal gram was sold in the market with average price of Rs. 3200.00; 100.00 percent of output of Groundnut was sold in the market with average price of Rs. 4400.00; 100.00 percent of output of Maize was sold in the market with average price of Rs. 1200.00; 100.00 percent of output of Red gram was sold in the market with average price of Rs. 4000.00 and 100.00 percent of output of Sorghum was sold in the market with average price of Rs. 1480.00.

**Table 27. Marketing of agricultural produce in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl.No	Crops	Output obtained (q)	Output retained (q)	Output sold (q)	Output sold (%)	Avg. Price obtained (Rs/q)
1	Bengal gram	942	90	852	90	3200
2	Groundnut	10	0	10	100	4400
3	Maize	50	0	50	100	1200
4	Red gram	6	0	6	100	4000
5	Sorghum	703	0	703	100	1480

**Table 28. Marketing channels used for sale of agricultural produce in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl.No.	Particulars	LL (5)		MF (9)		SF (9)		SMF (12)		All (35)	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
1	Local/village Merchant	0	0	9	100	9	100	17	142	35	100

**Marketing channels used for sale of agricultural produce:** The data regarding marketing channels used for sale of agricultural produce in Bhanapur Micro

watershed is presented in Table 28. The results indicated that, 100.00 cent of the households have sold agricultural produce to the local village merchants.

**Mode of transport of agricultural produce:** The data regarding mode of transport of agricultural produce in Bhanapur Micro watershed is presented in Table 29. The results indicated that, 100.00 cent of the households have used tractor for the transport of agriculture commodity.

**Table 29. Mode of transport of agricultural produce in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl.No.	Particulars	LL (5)		MF (9)		SF (9)		SMF (12)		All (35)	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
1	Tractor	0	0	9	100	9	100	17	142	35	100

**Incidence of soil and water erosion problems:** The data regarding incidence of incidence of soil and water erosion problems in Bhanapur Micro watershed is presented in Table 30. The results indicate that, 74.29 per cent of the households have experienced soil and water erosion problems.

**Table 30. Incidence of soil and water erosion problems in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl. No.	Particulars	LL (5)		MF (9)		SF (9)		SMF (12)		All (35)	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
1	Soil and water erosion problems in the farm	0	0	7	78	8	88.9	11	92	26	74.29

**Interest towards soil testing:** The data regarding Interest shown towards soil testing in Bhanapur Micro watershed is presented in Table 31. The results indicated that, 82.86 per cent of the households were interested towards soil testing.

**Table 31. Interest regarding soil testing in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl.No.	Particulars	LL (5)		MF (9)		SF (9)		SMF (12)		All (35)	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
1	Interest in soil test	0	0	9	100	9	100	11	92	29	82.86

**Usage pattern of fuel for domestic use:** The data on usage pattern of fuel for domestic use in Bhanapur Micro watershed is presented in Table 32. The results indicated that, firewood was the major source of fuel for domestic use for 94.29 per cent of the households followed by LPG (2.86%), Kerosene (0.00 %), Dung cake (2.86 %).

**Table 32. Usage pattern of fuel for domestic use in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl.No.	Particulars	LL (5)		MF (9)		SF (9)		SMF (12)		All (35)	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
1	Dung Cake	0	0	1	11.1	0	0	0	0	1	2.86
2	Fire Wood	4	80	8	88.9	9	100	12	100	33	94.29
3	LPG	1	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2.86

**Source of drinking water:** The data on source of drinking water in Bhanapur Micro watershed is presented in Table 33. The results indicated that, piped waters supply was the major source for drinking water for 100 per cent of the households.

**Table 33. Source of drinking water in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl.No.	Particulars	LL (5)		MF (9)		SF (9)		SMF (12)		All (35)	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
1	Piped supply	5	100	9	100	9	100	12	100	35	100

**Source of light:** The data on source of light in Bhanapur Micro watershed is presented in Table 34. The results indicated that, electricity was the major source of light for 97.14 per cent of the households followed.

**Table 34. Source of light in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl.No.	Particulars	LL (5)		MF (9)		SF (9)		SMF (12)		All (35)	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
1	Electricity	5	100	8	89	9	100	12	100	34	97.1

**Existence of sanitary toilet facility:** The data on availability of toilet facility in Bhanapur Micro watershed is presented in Table 35. The results indicated that, 97.14 per cent of the households possess toilets.

**Table 35. Existence of sanitary toilet facility in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl.No.	Particulars	LL (5)		MF (9)		SF (9)		SMF (12)		All (35)	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
1	Sanitary toilet facility	5	100	8	89	9	100	12	100	34	97.1

**Possession of PDS card:** The data regarding possession of PDS card in Bhanapur Micro watershed is presented in Table 36. The results indicated that, 97.14 per cent of the households possessed BPL card.

**Table 36. Possession of PDS card in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl.No.	Particulars	LL (5)		MF (9)		SF (9)		SMF (12)		All (35)	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
1	BPL	5	100	8	88.9	9	100	12	100	34	97.14

**Participation in NREGA programme:** The data regarding Participation in NREGA programme in Bhanapur Micro watershed is presented in Table 37. The results indicated that, only 8.57 percent of the households have participated in NREGA programme.

**Table 37. Participation in NREGA programme in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl.No.	Particulars	LL (5)		MF (9)		SF (9)		SMF (12)		All (35)	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
1	Participation in NREGA programme	2	40	1	11.1	0	0	0	0	3	8.57

**Adequacy of food items:** The data regarding in adequacy of food items in Bhanapur Micro watershed is presented in Table 38. The results indicated that, the extent of in adequacy of food items for cereals, pulses, oilseeds and vegetables were 100, 94.29, 2.86, 97.14 per cent respectively, similarly for milk, egg and fruits (100.00%).

**Table 38. Adequacy of food items in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl.No.	Particulars	LL (5)		MF (9)		SF (9)		SMF (12)		All (35)	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
1	Cereals	5	100	9	100	10	100	12	100	35	100
2	Pulses	5	100	9	100	9	100	10	83.3	33	94.29
3	Oilseed	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	8.33	1	2.86
4	Vegetables	5	100	8	88.9	9	100	12	100	34	97.14
5	Milk	5	100	9	100	9	100	12	100	35	100
6	Egg	5	100	9	100	9	100	12	100	35	100
7	Meat	5	100	9	100	9	100	12	100	35	100

**Inadequacy of food items:** The data regarding in adequacy of food items in Bhanapur Micro watershed is presented in Table 39. The results indicated that, the extent of in adequacy of food items for pulses, Oilseeds and vegetables were 5.71, 97.14, 2.86 per cent respectively, similarly for fruits (100.00%).

**Table 39. Inadequacy of food items in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

Sl.No.	Particulars	LL (5)		MF (9)		SF (9)		SMF (12)		All (35)	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
1	Pulses	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	16.7	2	5.71
2	Oilseed	5	100	9	100	9	100	11	91.7	34	97.14
3	Vegetables	0	0	1	11.1	0	0	0	0	1	2.86
4	Fruits	5	100	9	100	9	100	12	100	35	100

**Table 40. Farming constraints experienced in Bhanapur micro-watershed**

SN	Particulars	MF (9)		SF (9)		SMF (12)		All (35)	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
1	Lower fertility status of the soil	9	100	9	100	12	100	30	85.71
2	Wild animal menace on farm field	1	11.11	0	0	0	0	1	2.86
3	Frequent incidence of pest and diseases	7	77.78	8	88.89	12	100	27	77.14
4	Inadequacy of irrigation water	0	0	1	11.11	1	8.33	2	5.71
5	High cost of Fertilizers and plant protection chemicals	8	88.89	9	100	12	100	29	82.86
6	High rate of interest on credit	1	11.11	1	11.11	0	0	2	5.71
7	Low price for the agricultural commodities	9	100	7	77.78	11	91.67	27	77.14
8	Lack of marketing facilities in the area	9	100	9	100	11	91.67	29	82.86
9	Inadequate extension services	0	0	0	0	1	8.33	1	2.86
10	Lack of transport for safe transport of the Agril produce to the market.	8	88.89	9	100	11	91.67	28	80

**Farming constraints:** The data regarding farming constraints experienced by households in Bhanapur Micro watershed is presented in Table 40. The results indicated that, lower fertility status of the soil was the constraint experienced by (85.71 %) per cent of the households, wild animal menace on farm field (2.86%), frequent incidence of pest and diseases (77.14%), inadequacy of irrigation water (5.71%), high cost of fertilizers and plant protection chemicals (82.86%), high rate of interest on credit (5.71%), low price for the agricultural commodities (77.14 %), lack

of marketing facilities in the area (82.86%), inadequate extension services (2.86 %), lack of transport for safe transport of the agricultural produce to the market (80.00%).

**SUMMARY AND IMPLICATIONS**

In order to assess the socio-economic condition of the farmers in the watershed 35 households located in the micro watershed were interviewed for the survey. The study was conducted in Bhanapur micro-watershed (Bhanapur sub-watershed, Koppala taluk & District) is located at North latitude 15<sup>0</sup> 24' 24.027" and 15<sup>0</sup> 22' 44.233" and East longitude 76<sup>0</sup> 2' 18.333" and 76<sup>0</sup> 0' 48.567" covering an area of about 588.83 ha bounded by under Bhanapur and Talabal Villages.

Socio-economic analysis of Bhanapur micro watersheds of Bhanapur sub-watershed, Koppala taluk & District indicated that, out of the total sample of 35 farmers were sampled in Bhanapur micro-watershed among households surveyed 9 (25.71%) were marginal, 9 (25.71%) were small and 12 (34.29 %) were semi medium farmers. 5 landless farmers were also interviewed for the survey. The population characteristics of households indicated that, there were 77 (57.04%) men and 58 (42.96 %) were women. The average population of landless was 4, marginal farmers were 3 and semi medium farmers were 4. Majority of the respondents (28.15%) were in the age group of 16-35 years.

Education level of the sample households indicated that, there were 29.63 per cent illiterates, 71.86 per cent pre university education and 5.93 per cent attained graduation. About, 80.00 per cent of household heads practicing agriculture and 8.57 per cent of the household heads were engaged as agricultural labourers. Agriculture was the major occupation for 62.22 per cent of the household members.

In the study area, 100.00 per cent of the households possess katcha house. The durable assets owned by the households showed that, 100.00 per cent possess TV, 97.14 per cent possess mobile phones and 14.29 per cent possess motor cycles. Farm implements owned by the households indicated that, 2.86 per cent possess tractor, 8.57 per cent possess bullock cart.

Regarding livestock possession by the households, 8.57 per cent possess local cow and 2.86 per cent possess buffalo. The average labour availability in the study area showed that, own labour men available in the micro watershed was 1.52, women available in the micro watershed was 1.03, hired labour (men) available was 8.55 and hired labour (women) available was 8.55.

Out of the total land holding of the sample respondents 100.00 per cent (52.31 ha) of the area is under dry condition. The major crops grown by sample farmers are Bengala gram, Sorghum, Red gram, Maize and Groundnut and cropping intensity was recorded as 79.78 per cent.

The per hectare cost of cultivation for Bengala gram, Sorghum, Red gram, Maize and Groundnut was Rs.33769.42 , 28457.09, 22768.30, 24934.98 and 44621.34 with benefit cost ratio of 1:3.50, 1: 2.00, 1: 1.30, 1: 1.60 and 1:2.10 respectively. The average annual gross income of the farmers was Rs. 79325.71 in micro-watershed, of which Rs. 71011.43 comes from agriculture. Sampled households have grown 28 horticulture trees and 121 forestry trees together in the fields and back yards.

Households have an average investment capacity of Rs. 4342.86 for land development. Source of funds for additional investment is concerned, 45.71 per cent depends on bank loan for land development activities. Regarding marketing channels, 100.00 per cent of the households have sold agricultural produce to the local/village merchants. Further, 100.00 per cent of the households have used tractor for the transport of agriculture commodity.

Majority of the farmers (74.29%) have experienced soil and water erosion problems in the watershed and 82.86 per cent of the households were interested towards soil testing. Fire was the major source of fuel for domestic use for 94.29 per cent of the households and 2.86 per cent households has LPG connection. Piped supply was the major source for drinking water for 100.00 per cent of the households. Electricity was the major source of light for 97.14 per cent of the households.

In the study area, 97.14 per cent of the households possess toilet facility. Regarding possession of PDS card, 97.14 per cent of the households possessed BPL card. Households opined that, the requirement of cereals (100.00%), pulses (94.29%) and oilseeds (2.86%) are adequate for consumption.

Farming constraints experienced by households in the micro watersheds were lower fertility status of the soil (85.71%) wild animal menace on farm field (2.86%), frequent incidence of pest and diseases (77.14%), inadequacy of irrigation water (5.71%), high cost of fertilizers and plant protection chemicals (82.86%), high rate of interest on credit (5.71%), low price for the agricultural commodities (77.14%), lack of marketing facilities in the area (82.86%), inadequate extension services (2.86%), lack of transport for safe transport of the agricultural produce to the market (80.00%).

### **Implications of the survey**

- ✓ Result indicated that, there were 29.63 per cent were illiterate hence, extension methodologies such as demonstration, street play, drama, video shows will be effective in dissemination of the technologies in the micro watershed.
- ✓ The data indicate that, 100.00 per cent of the households possess katcha house. Hence, the development department while implementing the watershed plan should focus on agriculture to enhance the productivity of major crops in the area to increase the income of the farmers.



- ✓ Results indicated that the local institutional participation of the household members in the micro watershed is minimal hence, activities like membership campaign, awareness creation about the benefits of membership in local institutions and strengths of organized groups must be conveyed.
- ✓ Majority of the households in the watershed have experience in use of mobile phones, and television hence, these mass media can be effectively utilized for transfer of technology as well as for information dissemination.
- ✓ The farm machinery/implement possession in the micro watershed was found to be minimum the reasons may lack of knowledge or lack of financial ability which can be addressed through training on use of different farm implements, providing information on different sources of finance for purchase of farm implements.
- ✓ The possession of livestock such as crossbred cow found is less hence, farmers must be made aware of the benefits of crossbred cow in increased milk production.
- ✓ The possession of livestock such as sheep, goat and poultry was found to be low hence, farmers may be informed the role of subsidiary enterprises in enhancing the income and information on financial support for subsidiary activities.
- ✓ The data indicate that, job/work was the reason for all the migrants hence, farmers may be trained on profitable agriculture or self employment such as animal husbandry, plate making, sheep rearing, goat rearing, rabbit rearing with suitable information on sources of financial support.
- ✓ The results indicate that there was a change in quality of life due to migration hence, the developmental departments should take actions to arrest migration and to improve the quality of the life in rural areas.
- ✓ Households possess 52.31ha (100.00 %) of dry land and 0.00ha (0.00 %) of irrigated land hence, the availability of the dry land agricultural technologies such as short duration crops, high yielding drought resistance crop varieties, drip irrigation technology and subsidy information will be helpful for the farmers to enhance the productivity of land and as well as farmers income.
- ✓ Few of the bore well in micro watershed found non functional hence, farmers may be trained on possibility of bore well rejuvenation.
- ✓ Bore well was major source of irrigation for 0.00 per cent of the households. hence, in order to increase the area under irrigation as well as to increase the water use efficiency farmers may trained on drip irrigation and provide the information on subsidy for drip irrigation equipment's along with the information on different agencies which provides the financial assistance for drip irrigation.
- ✓ The cropping intensity in the micro watershed was found to be (79.78 %) hence, care must be taken by the implementing agency to bring uncultivated land into cultivation through suitable measures.

- ✓ Many of the household members have borrowed loan from cooperative banks which has higher rate of interest hence, farmers may be sensitized on the different sources of credit with lesser interest rate such SHGs etc.
- ✓ The results indicated the non availability of both green and dry fodder throughout the year hence, fodder development activities can be taken up in the micro watershed.
- ✓ The average annual gross income of the households Rs.71011.43 from agriculture, and Rs. 8314.29 from wages. Agriculture was found to be the major source of income for households hence; the development activities should focus on productivity enhancement, marketing arrangements and agricultural technology dissemination to have a direct impact on the farmers.
- ✓ The cultivation of forest species is found minimal hence, information and production technology related to agro-forestry and integrated farming system.
- ✓ The data indicated that, 74.29 per cent of the households have experienced soil and water erosion problems. Hence, those farmers who reported the soil and water erosion problems may be given attention while implementation of the watershed development plan.
- ✓ The data indicated that, 82.86 per cent of the households have interest in soil testing hence, farmers must be provided with the information on various institutions which are involved in soil testing for the benefit of the farmers.
- ✓ Except summer ploughing the adoption of other soil and water conservation structures is minimum hence, the farmers in the micro watershed should be sensitized on the use of different conservation structures for soil water conservation.
- ✓ Cereals and pulses found be adequate for per cent of the households respectively hence, farm households and the farm women must be trained on importance of balanced nutrition and role of vegetable, milk, egg, meat in balanced diet.
- ✓ Lower fertility status of the soil (85.71%), wild animal menace on farm field (2.86%), frequent incidence of pest and diseases (77.14%), high cost of fertilizers and plant protection chemicals (82.86%), high rate of interest on credit (5.71%), low price for the agricultural commodities (77.14%), lack of marketing facilities in the area (82.86%), inadequate extension services (2.86%), lack of transport for safe transport of the agricultural produce to the market (80.00%) were the major farming constraints experienced hence, these constraints must be addressed immediately for the welfare of the farmers. Awareness to be created among the farmers to approach nearest KVKs/RSKs and other developmental departments for technical and for subsidized inputs and utilize the well established regulated markets, approaching the contract firms, direct markets to avoid the involvement of middlemen.