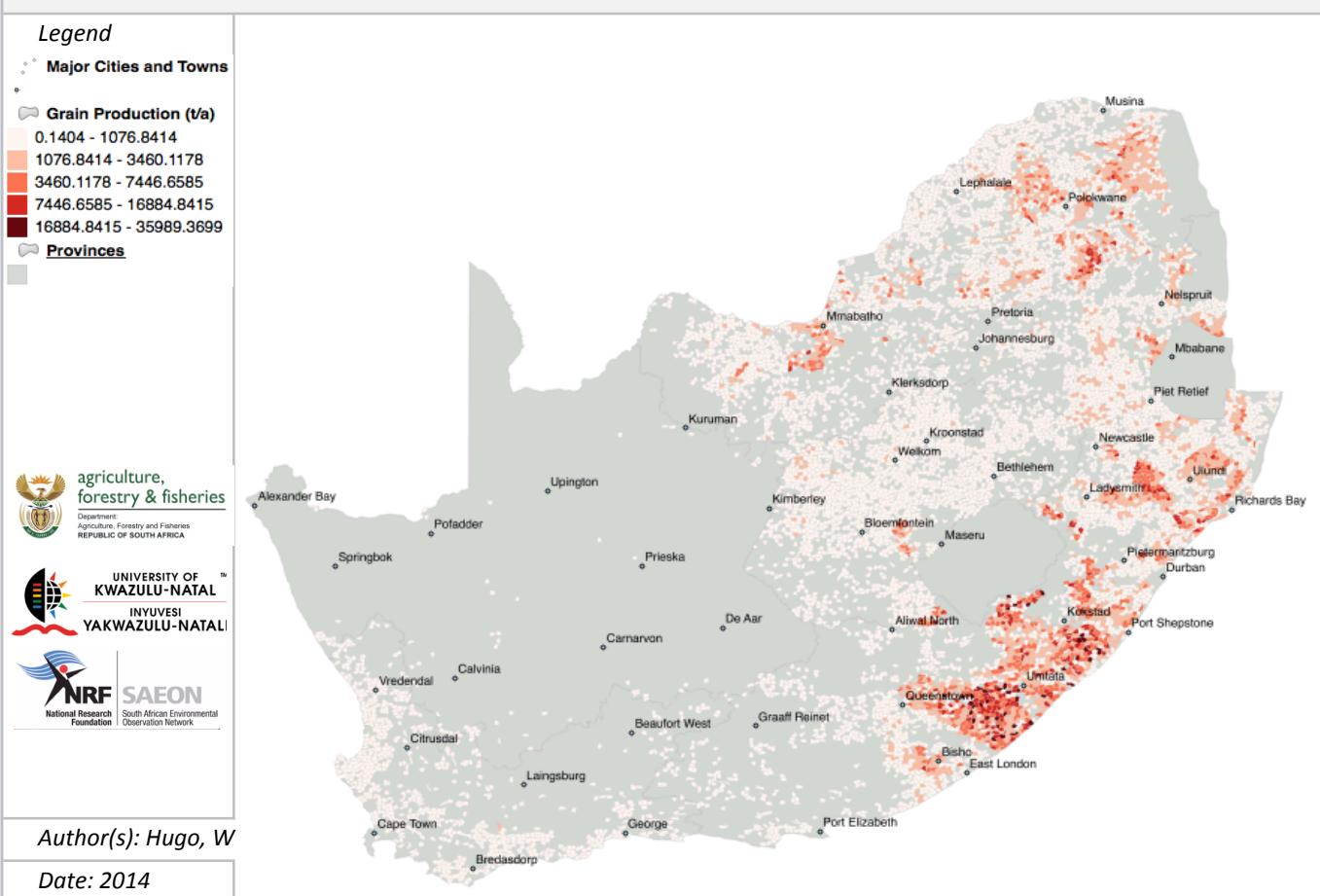


Production of Maize on Subsistence and Underutilised Farmland



Meta-Data

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Abstract	<p>Data was derived from the following sources:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Extent of underutilised and subsistence farmland, data obtained from Department of Agriculture, Forestry, and Fisheries. * On such land, maize potential was calculated from data published by Schulze (2007) on maize-growing potential. * Grain, Oil, and Residue (Stover) production was calculated based on grain yields, and aggregated to meso-zones for planning and feasibility analysis. * Grain, Oil and Residue ratios were derived from literature. * Exploitable fraction of residue was reported based on assessment of yields and published literature.

Keywords	biomass, potential, agriculture, maize, stover, grain, oil, residue, straw
Caveats	
Web Meta-Data	
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Methodology/ Protocol

Processing/ Provenance	As described above.
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Important Attributes

MESO_ID	Meso-zone ID
INF_HA	Subsistence and Underutilised farmland in mesozone, ha
MAI	Biomass production in zone per annum, tons
OIL	Oil production in zone per annum, tons
GRAIN	Grain production in zone per annum, tons
LIGNO	Ligno-Cellulose (Residue) production in zone per annum, tons

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