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Figure 1: Map of Assam showing the major Bodo concentrations.

(Designed by Legend Offset)

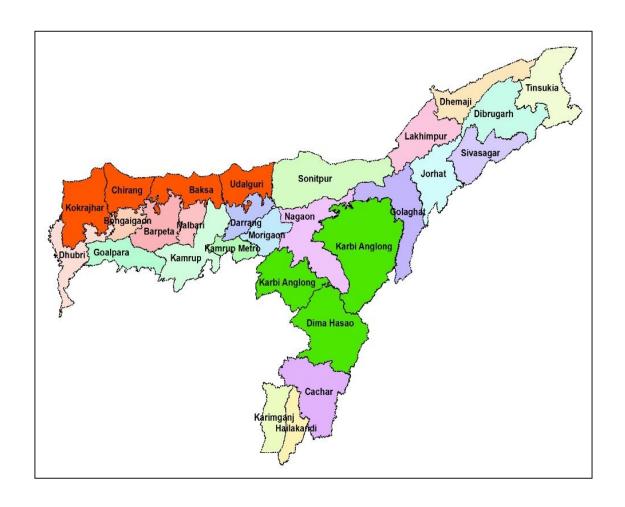
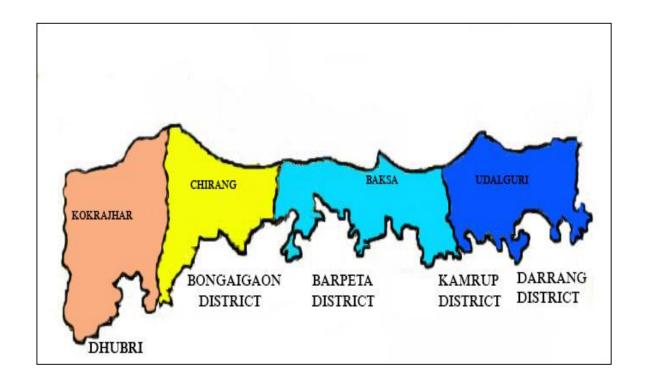


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## ABBREVIATIONS AND SYMBOLS

IPA – International Phonetic Alphabet.
C – Classifier.
NU-Numeral.
NO – Noun.
Q – Quantifier.
S- Singular number.
SU - Suffix.
PR – prefix.
V-Verb.
Pl – Plural number.
CC – Classifier Classifier.
W-Word.
Q Q – Quantifier Quantifier.
// - Enclosed of affix, classifier.
= Equal.
+ - Addition.
_ Subtraction.
X – Multiplication.
: - Division.
() – 1 <sup>st</sup> Bracket.
$\{ \} - 2^{\text{nd}} \text{ bracket.}$
[ ] – 3 <sup>rd</sup> bracket.
Derived from.
$1^{st} - 1^{st}$ person.
P – Person.
PRO - Pronoun.
Re. – Reduplication.
Rhy. – Rhyming.

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