

# ST. LUCIA

### NDPBA SUBNATIONAL PROFILE



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Area: 77.70 km2



#### **RISK AND VULNERABILITY** COMPONENT SCORE

**RESILIENCE (R)** 

- Moderate

- Very Low

- Moderate



#### **MULTI-HAZARD RISK (MHR)**

- Low Score: 0.382 • Rank: 8/10

Score: 0.464 • Rank: 6/10

Score: 0.073 • Rank: 9/10

**VULNERABILITY (V)** 

**MULTI-HAZARD EXPOSURE (MHE)** 



Population (2010 Census) 17,169



Net Primary Enrollment 68.5%



Prevalence of Chronic Illness (per 100 persons) 23.1



Poverty Rate 31.2%



Population with No Internet Access 59.3%



#### COPING CAPACITY (CC) - Moderate Score: 0.441 • Rank: 6/10

Score: 0.514 • Rank: 5/10

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RANK: 9 / 10 DISTRICTS ASSESSED SCORE: 0.073



Relative MHE 0.013

#### **ESTIMATED EXPOSURE TO EACH HAZARD:**



Coastal Flooding

**4** 61

Buildings Exposed: **1%** Critical Infrastructure Exposed: **10%** 



Earthquake

**å** 13,600

Buildings Exposed: **100%** Critical Infrastructure Exposed: **100%** 



Hurricane Winds **100% 4** 13,600

Buildings Exposed: **100%** Critical Infrastructure Exposed: **100%** 

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Landslide

1,200
 Buildings Exposed: 11%
 Critical Infrastructure Exposed: 23%



Extreme Heat **63%** 

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Buildings Exposed: **79%** Critical Infrastructure Exposed: **73%** 



Flash Flood



Buildings Exposed: **0%** Critical Infrastructure Exposed: **3%** 



Sea Level Rise



Buildings Exposed: **1%** Critical Infrastructure Exposed: **10%** 



Tsunami **6% 4** 773

Buildings Exposed: **12%** Critical Infrastructure Exposed: **22%** 

NOTE: Population exposure values for Saint Lucia are estimated using PDC's AIM model. Values may differ from Census population.

# MULTI-HAZARD EXPOSURE (MHE)

RANK: 9 / 10 DISTRICTS ASSESSED SCORE: 0.073

#### ESTIMATED EXPOSURE TO EACH HAZARD (CONTINUED):



Volcanic Ashfall

**4** 13,600

Buildings Exposed: **100%** Critical Infrastructure Exposed: **100%** 



Buildings Exposed: **0%** Critical Infrastructure Exposed: **0%** 



Wildfire 5%



Buildings Exposed: **3%** Critical Infrastructure Exposed: **<1%** 



#### **RANK: 5 / 10 DISTRICTS ASSESSED SCORE: 0.514**

RANK: 7/10 DISTRICTS ASSESSED

Vulnerability in Micoud is primarily driven by Gender Inequality and Clean Water Access Vulnerability. The bar charts indicate the socioeconomic themes contributing to the overall Vulnerability score.

SCORE: 0.520

78.3%

with TV



#### **Information Access Vulnerability**

68.5% Net Primary Enrollment

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47.1% Highest Education Level Primary School

19.3% Households with Desktop Computer

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59.3% Households Population with No Internet Access



#### Economic Constraints

Rate

SCORE: 0.511

RANK: 7/10 DISTRICTS ASSESSED

**RANK: 5/10 DISTRICTS ASSESSED** 

54.3 Economic Dependency Ratio

31.2% Poverty Rate Unemployment



#### **Gender Inequality**

36.51 Adolescent Birth Rate

0.02 Female to Male Literacy 0.33 Female to Male Secondary Enrollment

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0.29 Female to Male Labor Ratio

SCORE: 0.573



#### Housing and Transportation Vulnerability

1 SCORE: 0.500 RANK: 4/10 DISTRICTS ASSESSED

60.0% Housing Built Prior to 2000

73.5% Households without a Private Vehicle

10.5% Household Occupancy Squatting

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23.9%
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**RANK: 5 / 10 DISTRICTS ASSESSED SCORE: 0.514** 

#### Household Composition and Vulnerable Health 0 1 SCORE: 0.457 RANK: 5/10 DISTRICTS ASSESSED

9.4%

Over

Population

4.8 Infant Mortality Rate (per 1,000 live births)

23.1 18.9 Prevalence of Chronic Illness (per 100 persons)

Prevalence of Disability (per 100 persons)

25.0% Population Age 65 and Under Age 15



#### **Clean Water Access Vulnerability** 0

63% Households with Piped Drinking Water

60% Households with Flush Toilet

1 SCORE: 0.524

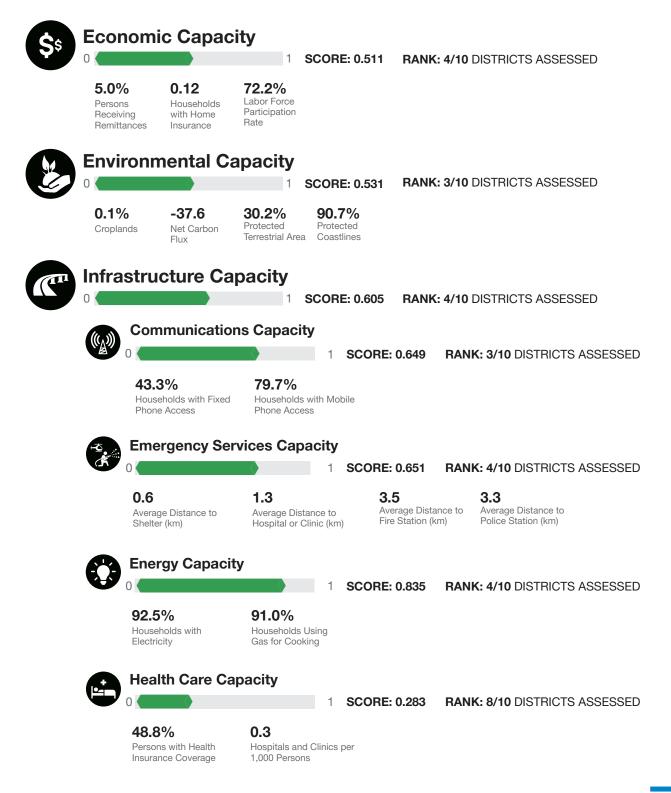
RANK: 4/10 DISTRICTS ASSESSED



# **ISLAND CAPACITY (IC)**

RANK: 6 / 10 DISTRICTS ASSESSED SCORE: 0.441

Micoud exhibits weaker Island Capacity in the areas of Health Care Capacity and Communications Capacity. The bar charts indicate the socioeconomic themes contributing to the overall Island Capacity score.





# **LOGISTICS CAPACITY (LC)**

#### **RANK: 2 / 10 DISTRICTS ASSESSED SCORE: 0.665**

RANK: 10/10 DISTRICTS ASSESSED

Micoud exhibits weaker Logistics Capacity in the areas of Maritime Logistics and Air Support. The bar charts indicate the socioeconomic themes contributing to the overall Logistics Capacity score.

SCORE: 0.054



#### **Maritime Logistics**

4.3 Average Distance to Seaport (km)

79.9 0.02 Port Density Distance (ports per km to External of coastline) Medium or Large Seaport (km)

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71.5 Distance to External C130 Airport (km)

10.9 Average Distance to Airport or Heliport (km) SCORE: 0.171 RANK: 9/10 DISTRICTS ASSESSED



0.3 Gas Stations per 1,000 Persons

2.1 Road Density (km of roads per sq km)



Distance to Warehouse (km)

CDEMA Sub-Regional Focal Point (km)

SCORE: 0.621 RANK: 3/10 DISTRICTS ASSESSED

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Coping Capacity measures the systems, means, and abilities of people and societies to absorb and respond to disruptions in normal function. Coping Capacity of St. Lucia was calculated by using a combination of Island Capacity and Logistics Capacity.

# RANK: 6 / 10 DISTRICTS ASSESSED SCORE: 0.441



Resilience in St. Lucia was calculated by using a combination of Vulnerability and Coping Capacity (including both Island Capacity and Logistics Capacity).

# RANK: 6 / 10 DISTRICTS ASSESSED SCORE: 0.464

## **KEY FACTORS INFLUENCING RESILIENCE**

Micoud's score and ranking are due to Moderate Vulnerability combined with Moderate Coping Capacity scores.

#### Below are the four thematic areas with the weakest relative scores:



#### **Gender Inequality**

Marginalized populations are less likely to have their needs met under pre-disaster conditions, and therefore become even more susceptible to harm during times of disaster. Increase genderbased inclusion in all phases of DM, ensuring the implementation at subnational and local levels. Courses of action must recognize the role of women in society and support changes to policies and programs to promote gender-equal access.



#### **Clean Water Access Vulnerability**

Those without easy or adequate access to water distribution and containment systems face significant demands on daily routines that effectively limit their response and recovery capacity and the ability to maintain livelihoods. Increasing access to improved water and sanitation improves health outcomes and frees up resources to decrease further susceptibility to impacts.



#### **Maritime Logistics**

Diverse maritime transport options, within and outside the country, offer crucial support for humanitarian efforts and the transit and delivery of disaster relief supplies. Protecting and maintaining port infrastructure and equipment can help safeguard these key assets and sustain functional operations during a disaster.



#### **Air Support**

Air transport is a key component of timely response operations, supporting search and rescue, damage assessment efforts, and the delivery of relief supplies. Increasing air support capacity to accommodate C130 aircraft strengthens the ability to quickly deliver and disseminate emergency relief supplies to where they are most needed.

HAZ	ARD-SPECIFIC	RISK (HSR)
	Coastal Flooding	RANK: 10 / 10 DISTRICTS ASSESSED SCORE: 0.143
-Mp	Earthquake	RANK: 4 / 10 DISTRICTS ASSESSED SCORE: 0.564
	Extreme Heat	RANK: 4 / 10 DISTRICTS ASSESSED SCORE: 0.494
	Flash Flood	RANK: 8 / 10 DISTRICTS ASSESSED SCORE: 0.052
Q	Hurricane Winds	RANK: 4 / 10 DISTRICTS ASSESSED SCORE: 0.564
MÈ	Landslide	RANK: 8 / 10 DISTRICTS ASSESSED SCORE: 0.290
	Sea Level Rise	RANK: 10 / 10 DISTRICTS ASSESSED SCORE: 0.145
(čá	Tsunami	RANK: 8 / 10 DISTRICTS ASSESSED SCORE: 0.265
₹	Volcanic Ashfall	RANK: 4 / 10 DISTRICTS ASSESSED SCORE: 0.564
₹ ?	Volcano	RANK: 6 / 10 DISTRICTS ASSESSED SCORE: 0.000
B	Wildfire	RANK: 2 / 10 DISTRICTS ASSESSED SCORE: 0.350



# **MULTI-HAZARD RISK (MHR)**

8 / 10 RANK AMONG DISTRICTS Score: 0.382

Micoud's score and ranking are due to Very Low Multi-Hazard Exposure combined with Moderate Vulnerability and Moderate Coping Capacity scores.

Multi-Hazard Risk component scores compared to overall average country scores: Multi-Hazard Exposure 0.073 0.310 Vulnerability 0.514 0.479 Coping Capacity 0.441 0.495



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