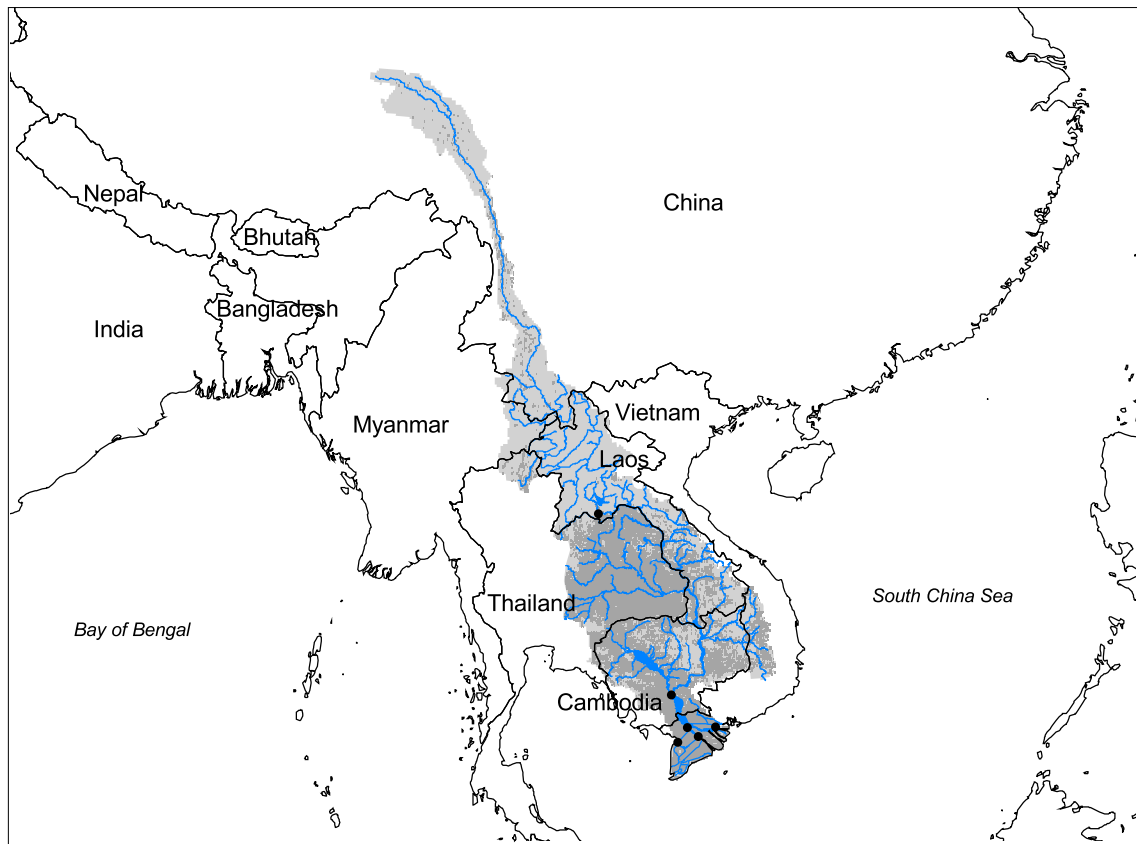


Mekong Watershed



- Watershed
- Cities (population > 100,000)
- Ramsar Sites
- Political Boundaries (Intl.)
- Political Boundaries (Natl.)
- Rivers
- Modified Landscape

200 0 200 400 600 800 Kilometers

Basin area:	805,627 km ²	Forest:	41%
Population density:	78 people per km ²	Cropland:	38%
Urban growth rate:	-	Cropland irrigated:	76%
Large cities:	6	Developed:	2%
Total fish species:	244	Shrub:	4%
Fish endemics:	62	Grassland:	13%
Threatened fish species:	7	Barren:	0%
Endemic bird areas:	7	Loss of original forest:	69%
Ramsar sites:	0	Deforestation rate:	16%
Protected areas:	5%	Eroded area:	21%
Wetlands:	9%	Large dams:	4
Arid:	0%	Planned major dams:	2

