

# Dams in the Irrawaddy River Basin

Commissioned, Under Construction and Planned Dams  
in April 2016

**Map Description:**  
The map shows every known commissioned, under construction, and planned dam in the basin. Only hydropower dams of 15 megawatts installed capacity and above are indicated; only irrigation reservoirs of 0.5 km<sup>2</sup> and above are indicated. 'Unknown' dams are dams for which the name has not yet been identified.

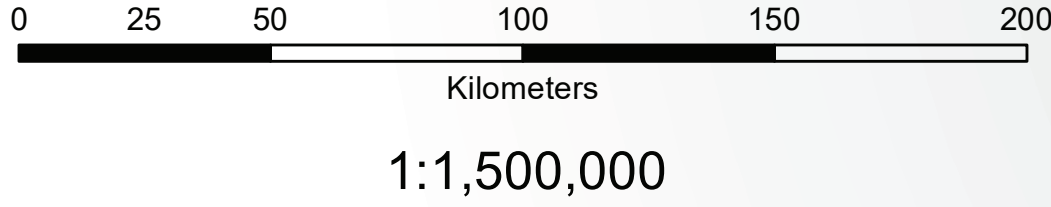
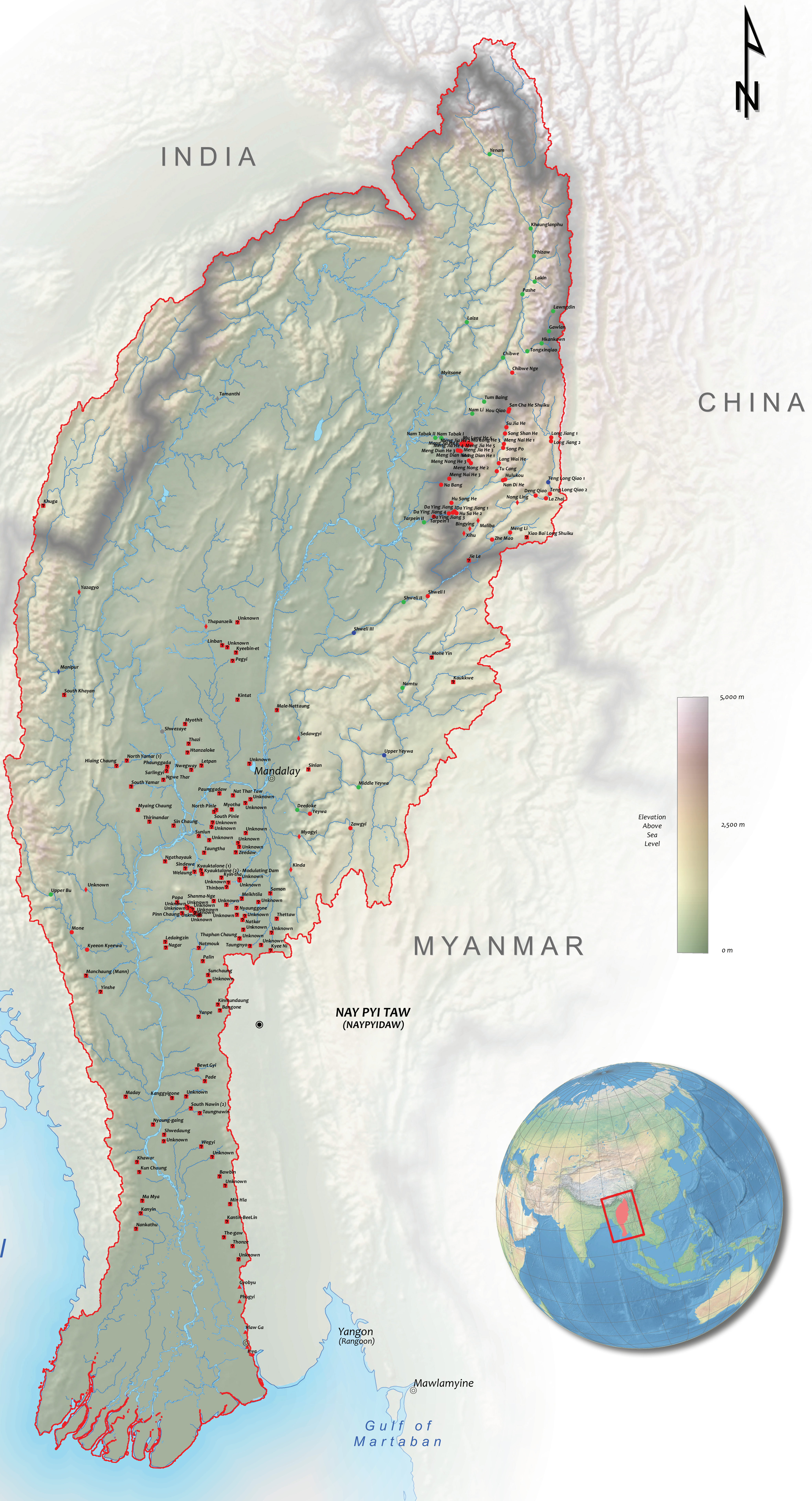
**Data Sources:**  
The locations for the dams displayed on this map are derived from the WLE Greater Mekong Dams Database, available here: <https://wle-mekong.cgiar.org/maps/>. Background relief data is courtesy of Natural Earth and SRTM data from the JPL of NASA. River basin boundary and river vector data is courtesy of the IWMI. All other administrative and physiographic data courtesy of NOAA's National Geophysical Data Center's Global Self-consistent, Hierarchical, High-resolution Geography Database.

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Coordinate System : Universal Transverse Mercator Zone 48 North