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Earthquake Shaking **Green Alert**

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M 4.6, 24.0 miles SW of Girdwood

Origin Time: Mon 2014-05-05 04:59:44 UTC (20:59:44 local)
Location: 60.65°N 149.56°W Depth: 38 km

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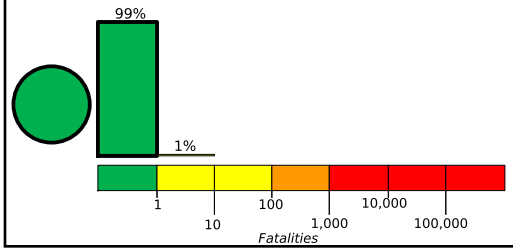
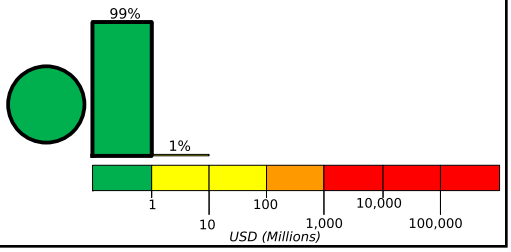
Created: 1 week, 2 days after earthquake

Estimated Fatalities



Green alert for shaking-related fatalities and economic losses. There is a low likelihood of casualties and damage.

Estimated Economic Losses



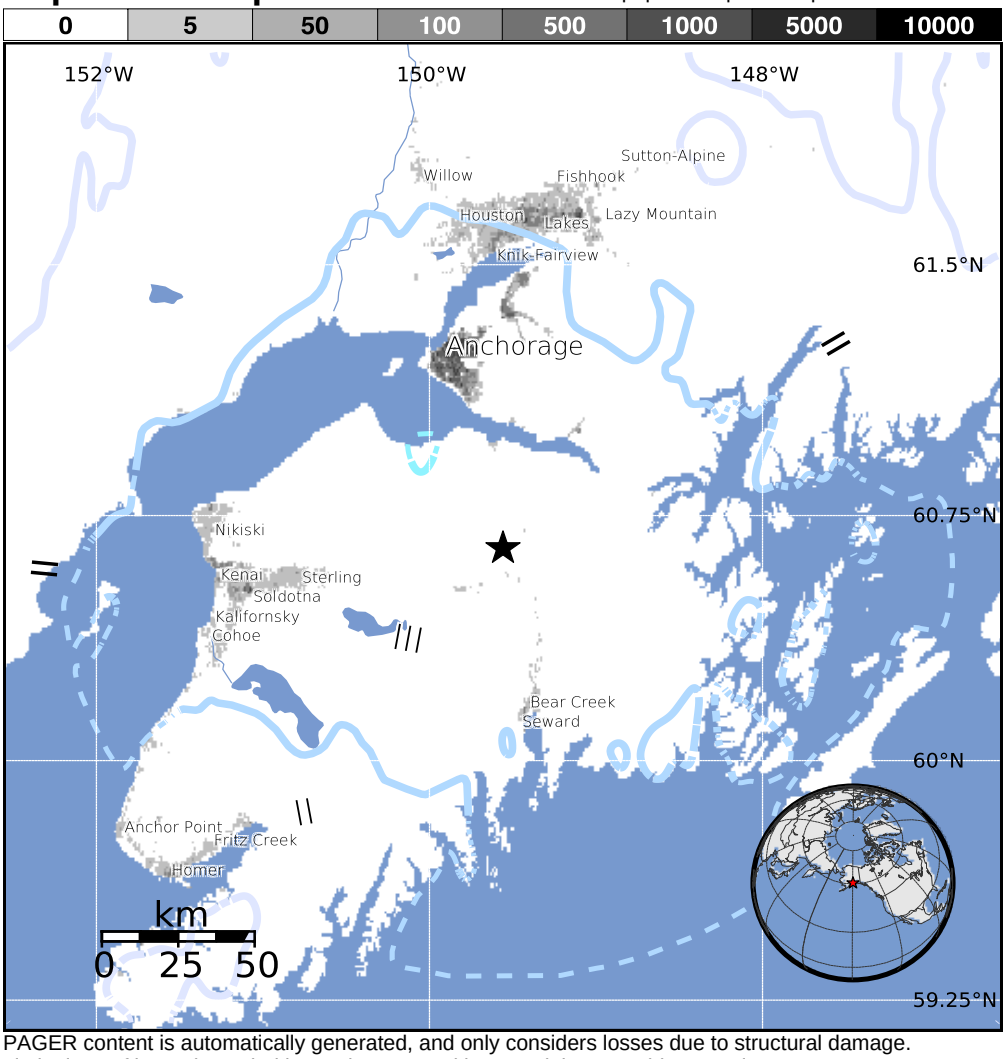
Estimated Population Exposed to Earthquake Shaking

ESTIMATED POPULATION EXPOSURE (k = x1000)		1k*	449k	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ESTIMATED MODIFIED MERCALLI INTENSITY		I	II-III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X+
PERCEIVED SHAKING		Not felt	Weak	Light	Moderate	Strong	Very Strong	Severe	Violent	Extreme
POTENTIAL DAMAGE	Resistant Structures	none	none	none	V. Light	Light	Moderate	Moderate/Heavy	Heavy	V. Heavy
	Vulnerable Structures	none	none	none	Light	Moderate	Moderate/Heavy	Heavy	V. Heavy	V. Heavy

*Estimated exposure only includes population within the map area.

Population Exposure

population per ~1 sq. km from Landscan



Structures:
Overall, the population in this region resides in structures that are resistant to earthquake shaking, though some vulnerable structures exist.

Historical Earthquakes (with MMI levels):

Date (UTC)	Dist. (km)	Mag.	Max MMI(#)	Shaking Deaths
2002-10-23	328	6.6	V(432)	0
1984-08-14	130	5.8	VI(5k)	0
2002-11-03	334	7.9	IX(88)	0

Recent earthquakes in this area have caused secondary hazards such as landslides and liquefaction that might have contributed to losses.

Selected City Exposure

from GeoNames.org

MMI	City	Population
III	**Anchorage**	**292k**
III	**Nikiski**	**4k**
III	**Sterling**	**6k**
III	**Seward**	**3k**
III	**Bear Creek**	**2k**
III	**Soldotna**	**4k**
III	**Kalifornsky**	**8k**
III	**Knik-Fairview**	**15k**
III	Wasilla	8k
III	**Lakes**	**8k**
II	Tanaina	8k

bold cities appear on map (k = x1000)

PAGER content is automatically generated, and only considers losses due to structural damage. Limitations of input data, shaking estimates, and loss models may add uncertainty.

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