

M 4.1, 34.3 km (21.3 mi) ESE of Ridgemark, CA

Origin Time: Thu 2014-08-21 04:33:50 UTC (21:33:50 local)

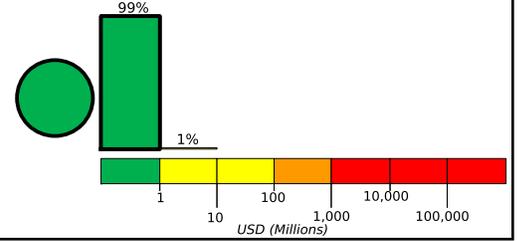
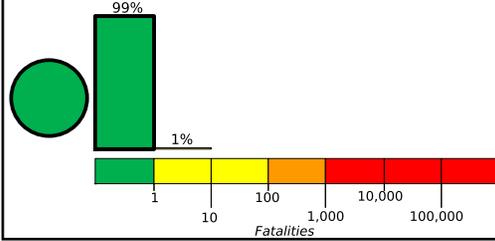
Location: 36.68°N 121.02°W Depth: 10 km

Created: 34 minutes, 29 seconds 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

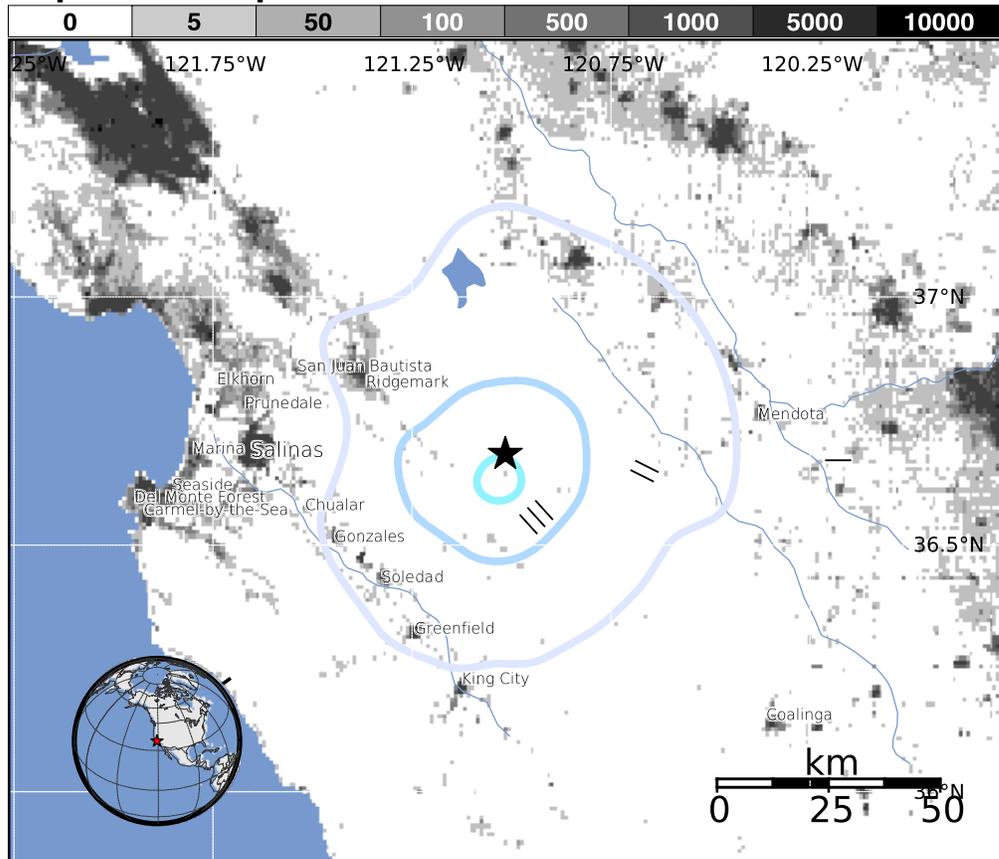


Estimated Population Exposed to Earthquake Shaking

ESTIMATED POPULATION EXPOSURE (k = x1000)		3,632k	218k	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



Structures:

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

Historical Earthquakes (with MMI levels):

Date (UTC)	Dist. (km)	Mag.	Max MMI(#)	Shaking Deaths
1984-11-26	212	5.1	V(17k)	0
2003-12-22	118	6.6	VII(213)	2
1989-10-18	82	6.9	IX(3k)	62

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
II	Soledad	26k
II	Los Banos	36k
II	South Dos Palos	2k
II	Hollister	35k
II	Ridgemark	3k
II	Greenfield	16k
I	Salinas	150k
I	San Jose	946k
I	Fresno	495k
I	Sunnyvale	140k
I	Santa Clara	116k

bold cities appear on map

(k = x1000)

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