

M 5.5, SOUTHERN IRAN

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Location: 26.61°N 57.78°E Depth: 15 km

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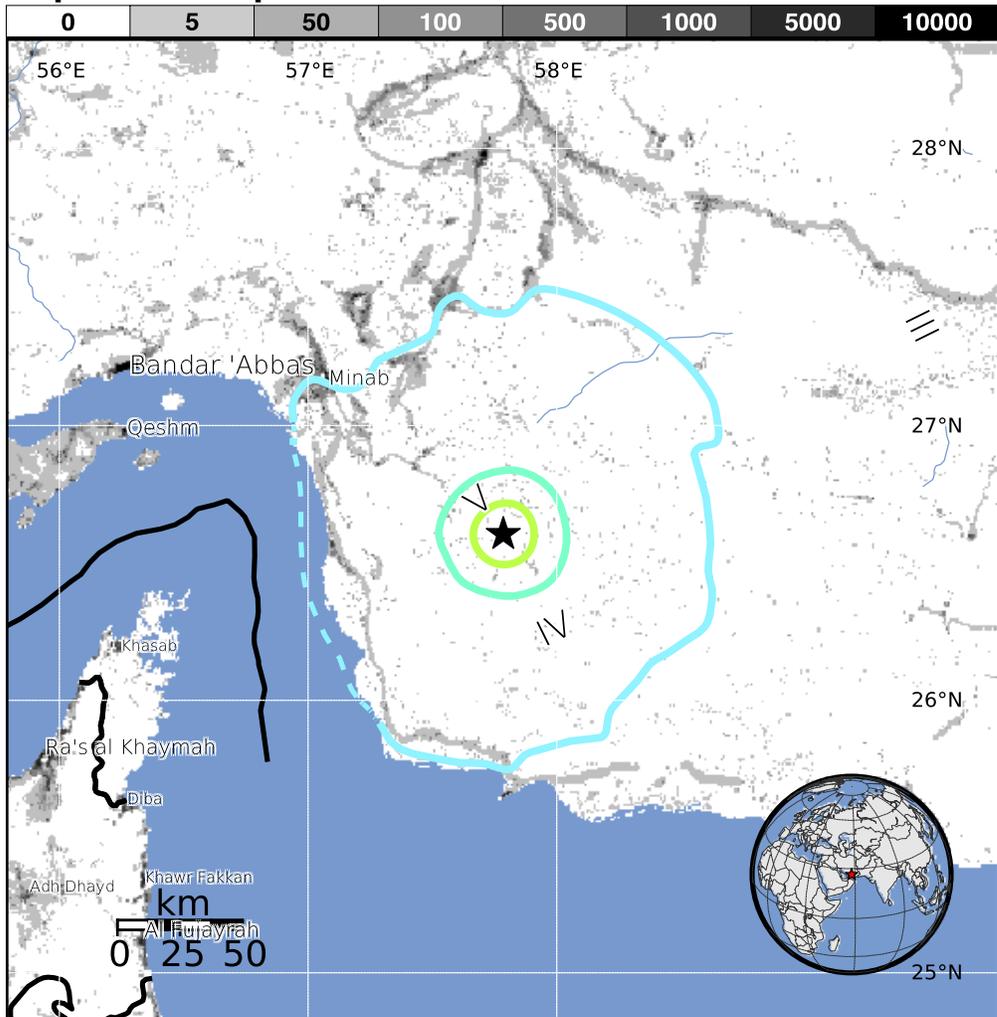


Estimated Population Exposed to Earthquake Shaking

ESTIMATED POPULATION EXPOSURE (k = x1000)		--*	2,005k	345k	5k	1k	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 vulnerable to earthquake shaking, though some resistant structures exist.

Historical Earthquakes (with MMI levels):

Date (UTC)	Dist. (km)	Mag.	Max MMI(#)	Shaking Deaths
1997-10-03	330	5.3	VII(465)	0
1977-12-10	165	5.6	VII(182)	3
2003-12-26	255	6.6	IX(70k)	26k

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

Selected City Exposure

from GeoNames.org

MMI City	Population
IV Minab	71k
III Dib Dibba	5k
III Bandar 'Abbas	352k
III Diba	26k
III Qeshm	95k
III Khasab	18k
III Ra's al Khaymah	116k
III Al Fujayrah	62k
III Adh Dhayd	25k
III Khawr Fakkan	34k

bold cities appear on map

(k = x1000)

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