

M 5.5, SOUTHERN IRAN

Origin Time: Sun 2013-05-12 10:54:48 UTC (14:54:48 local)

Location: 26.72°N 57.77°E Depth: 14 km

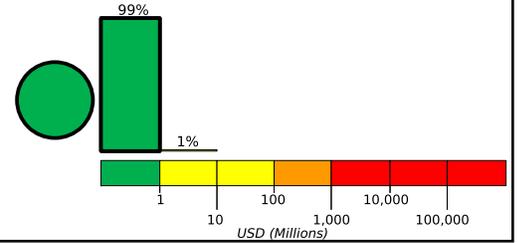
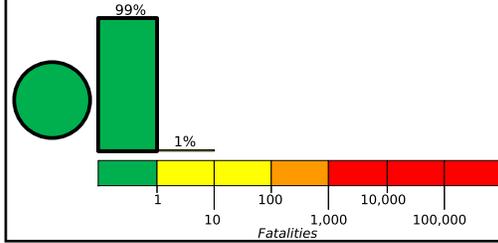
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Created: 3 weeks, 3 days after earthquake

Estimated Fatalities

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

Estimated Economic Losses



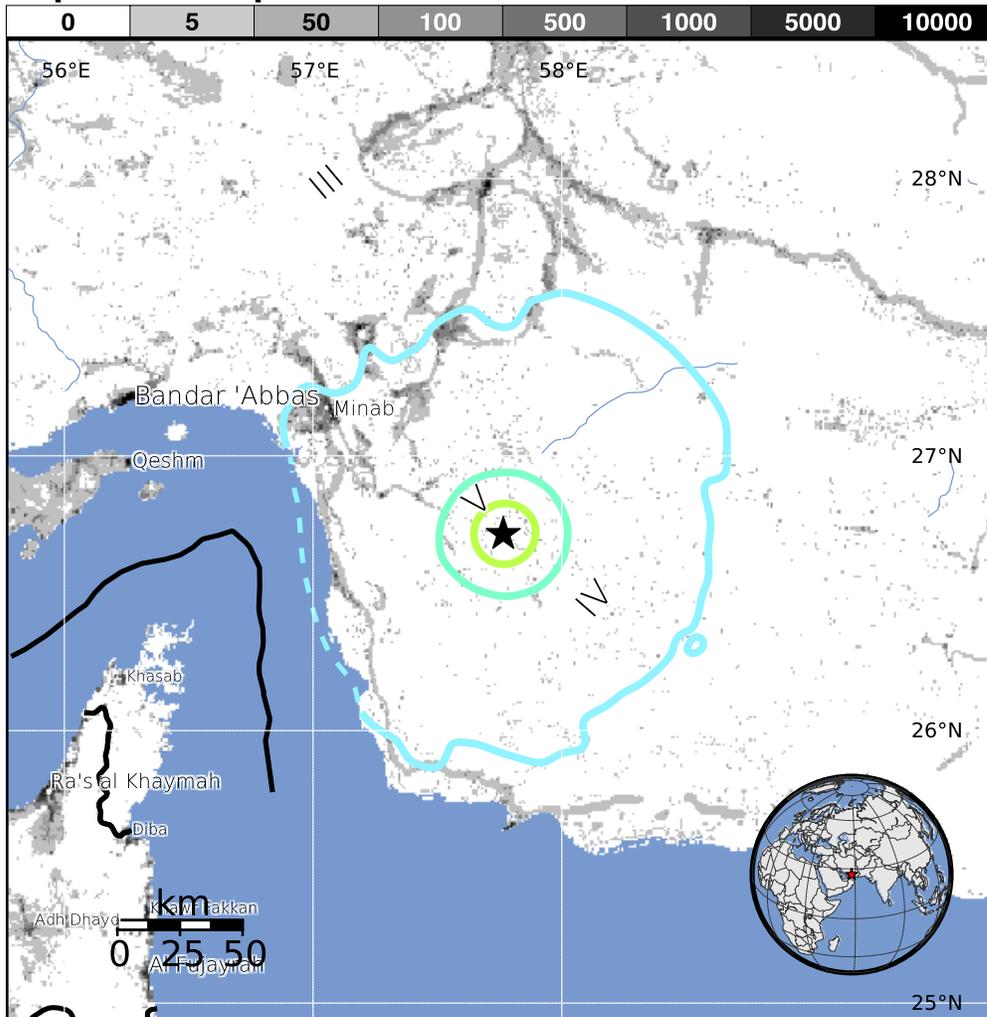
Estimated Population Exposed to Earthquake Shaking

ESTIMATED POPULATION EXPOSURE (k = x1000)		- -*	1,940k	451k	4k	2k	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 Landsat



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
2007-08-25	194	5.0	VI(836)	0
1977-12-10	159	5.6	VII(182)	3
2003-12-26	253	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	Bandar 'Abbas	352k
III	Qeshm	95k
III	Diba	26k
III	Dib Dibba	5k
III	Khasab	18k
III	Ra's al Khaymah	116k
III	Khawr Fakkan	34k
III	Al Fujayrah	62k
III	Adh Dhayd	25k

bold cities appear on map

(k = x1000)

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