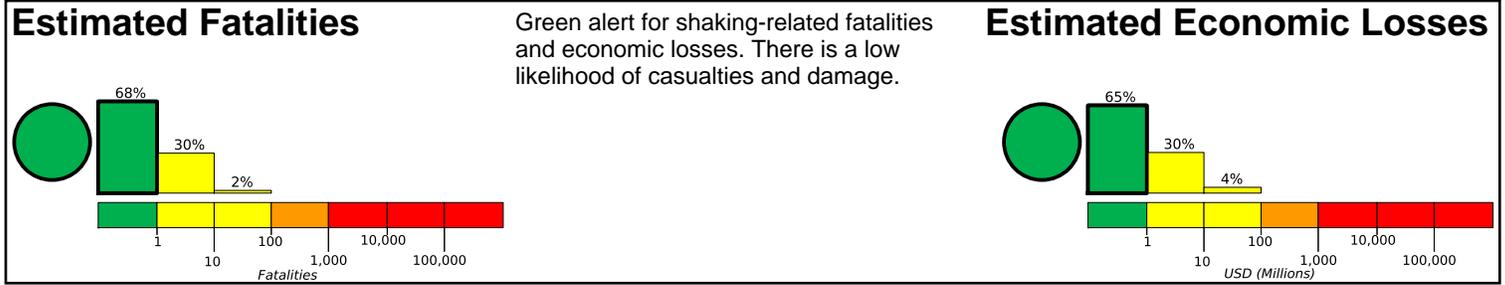


M 5.5, HOKKAIDO, JAPAN REGION

Origin Time: Tue 2014-07-08 09:05:22 UTC (18:05:22 local)

Location: 42.67°N 141.35°E Depth: 10 km

Created: 6 weeks, 0 days after earthquake

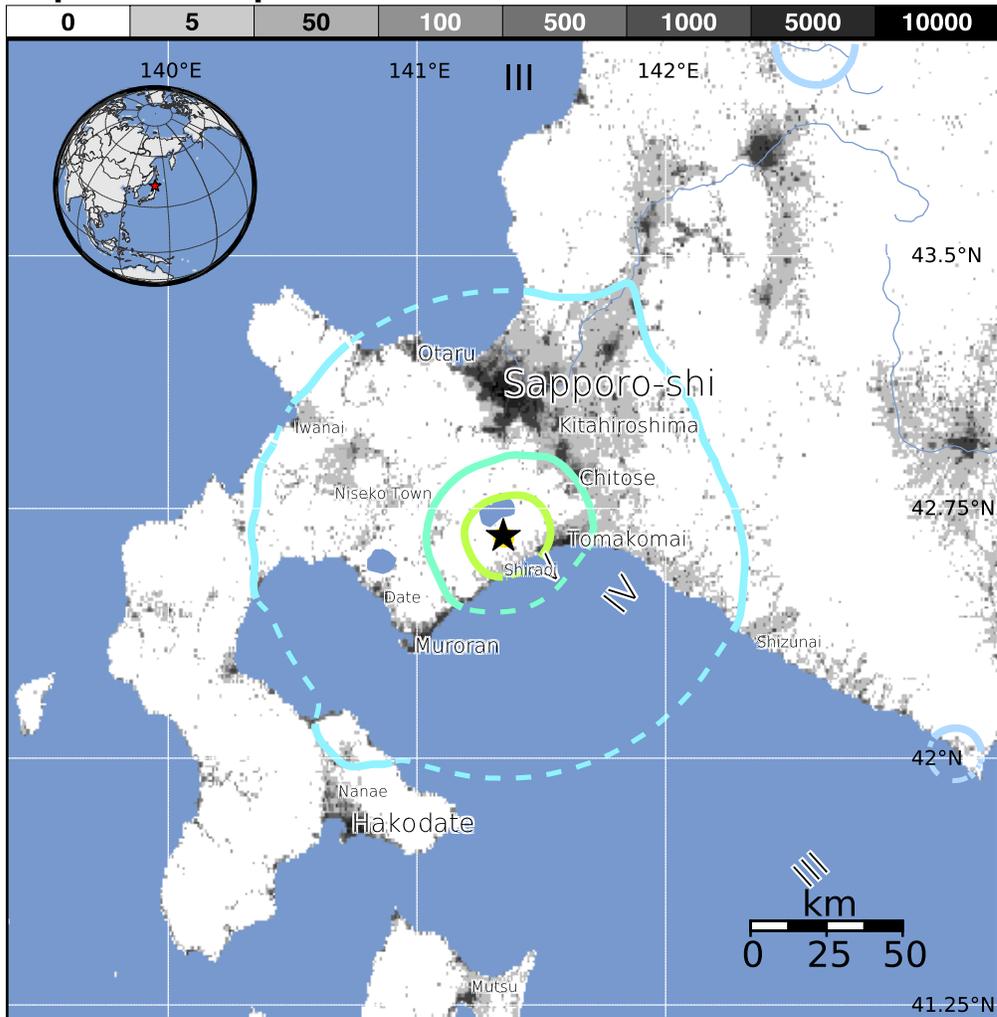


Estimated Population Exposed to Earthquake Shaking

ESTIMATED POPULATION EXPOSURE (k = x1000)		--*	1,514k*	2,972k	201k	23k	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 resistant to earthquake shaking, though some vulnerable structures exist.

Historical Earthquakes (with MMI levels):

Date (UTC)	Dist. (km)	Mag.	Max MMI(#)	Shaking Deaths
2004-12-21	328	5.6	V(58k)	0
1994-12-28	290	7.7	VII(132k)	3
1993-07-12	179	7.7	VIII(4k)	200

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

Selected City Exposure

from GeoNames.org

MMI	City	Population
VI	Shiraoi	21k
V	Tomakomai	175k
IV	Chitose	93k
IV	Kitahiroshima	62k
IV	Date	35k
IV	Muroran	96k
IV	Otaru	144k
IV	Sapporo-shi	1,883k
III	Hakodate	276k
III	Asahikawa	357k
III	Obihiro	174k

bold cities appear on map

(k = x1000)

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