Earthquake Shaking Green Alert

M 5.5, southern Mid-Atlantic Ridge

Origin Time: 2020-08-17 11:45:39 UTC (Mon 10:45:39 local)
Location: 17.5614° S 12.9427° W Depth: 10.0 km

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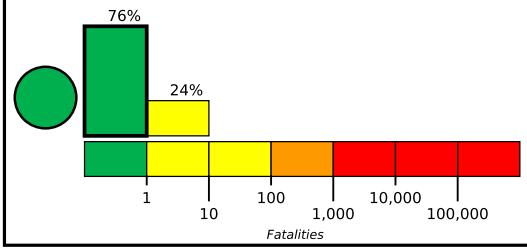
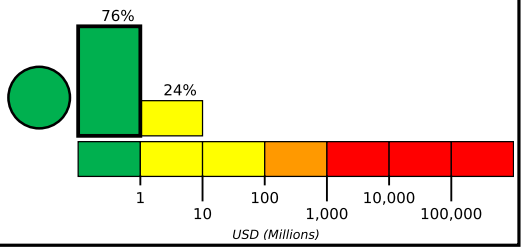
Created: 2 hours, 1 minute after earthquake

Estimated Fatalities



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

Estimated Economic Losses



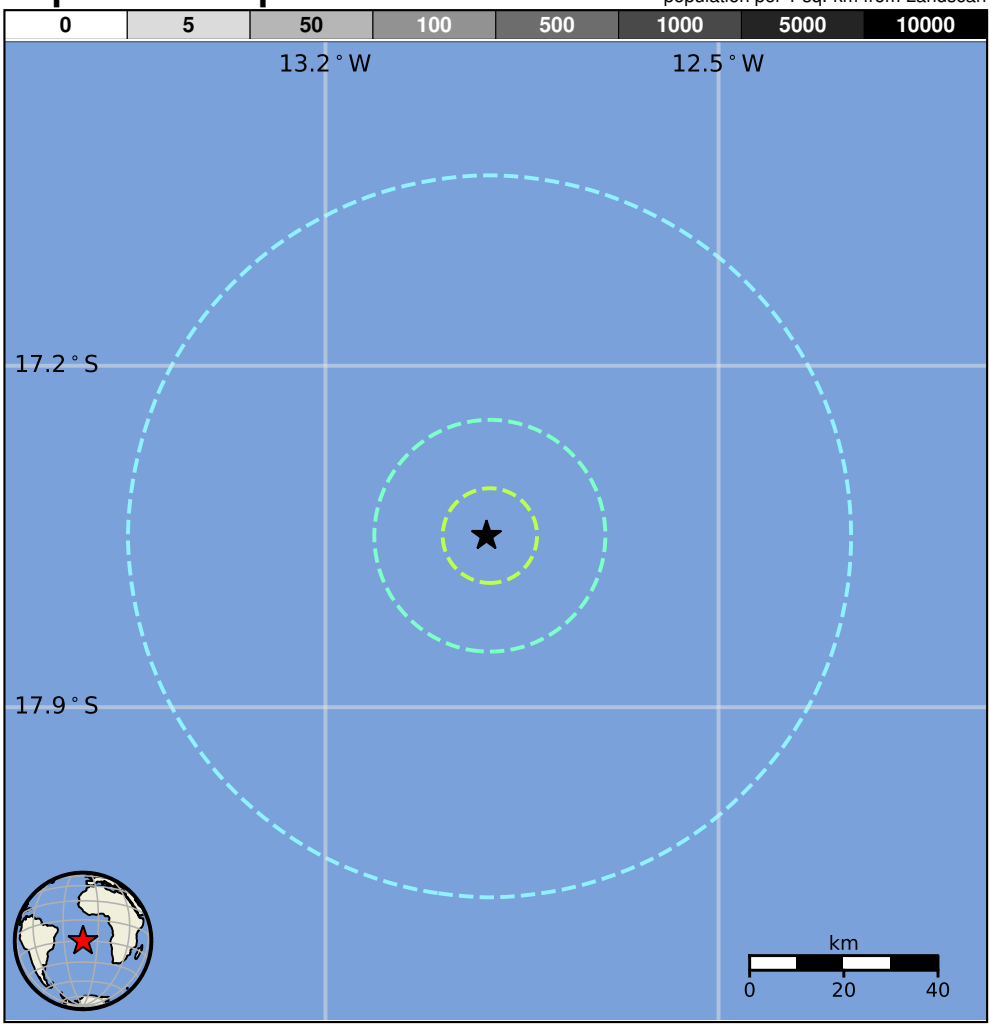
Estimated Population Exposed to Earthquake Shaking

ESTIMATED POPULATION EXPOSURE (k=x1000)		–*	–*	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	Mod./Heavy	Heavy	V. Heavy
	Vulnerable Structures	None	None	None	Light	Moderate	Mod./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

There are likely to be no affected structures in this region.

Historical Earthquakes

There were no earthquakes with significant population exposure to shaking within a 400 km radius of this event.

Selected City Exposure

from GeoNames.org

MMI	City	Population

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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