

RAPID-N: Assessing and mapping the risk of natural-hazard impact at industrial installations

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Natural hazard triggered technological accidents

- A **natech** accident is a **chemical accident** caused by a natural hazard.
- Particular characteristics:
 - Simultaneous hazardous-materials releases from multiple sources
 - Damage to prevention and mitigation systems including lifelines (e.g. water, power)
 - Complicated response

Natech Risk

- Natech risks are expected to **increase** due to:
 - **more hazards**
(climate change, industrialization)
 - **higher vulnerability**
(urbanization, interconnectedness)

... in a situation where Natech risk assessment methodologies & tools and guidelines for Natech risk management are missing.

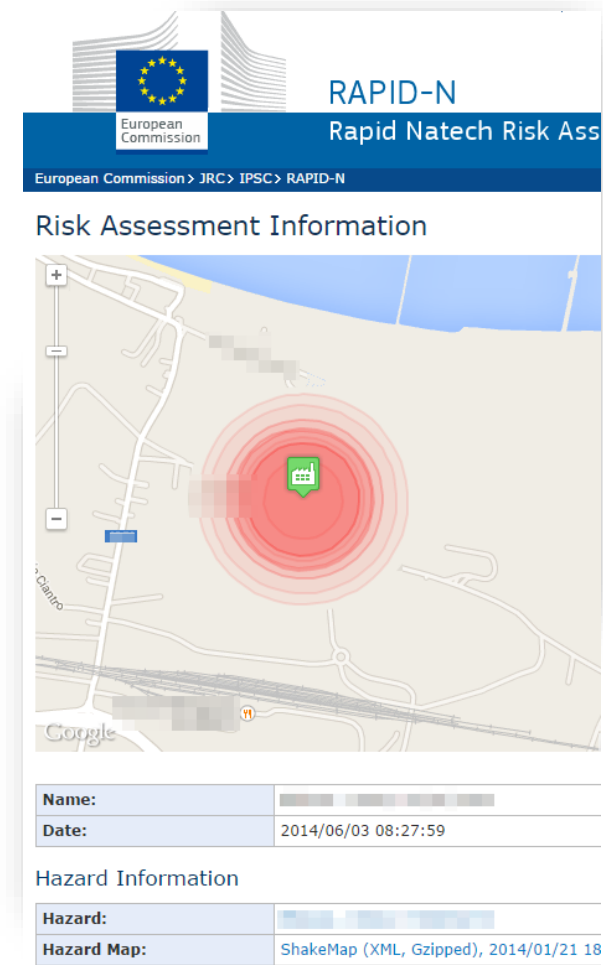
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Priority work areas*:

- Implement and enforce regulations for Natech risk reduction
- **Develop methods, tools and guidance for Natech risk management**
- Develop dedicated Natech emergency management plans
- **Develop Natech risk maps**
- Raise awareness and improve risk communication
- Train stakeholders on Natech risk reduction

JRC Activities

- Accident analysis and guidance
 - Site surveys for damage assessment (China, Japan)
 - Statistical analysis
 - Lessons learned and recommendations
 - Natech database: **eNatech**
<http://enatech.jrc.ec.europa.eu>
- Risk analysis tools
 - Framework for natech risk assessment and mapping: **RAPID-N**
<http://rapidn.jrc.ec.europa.eu>

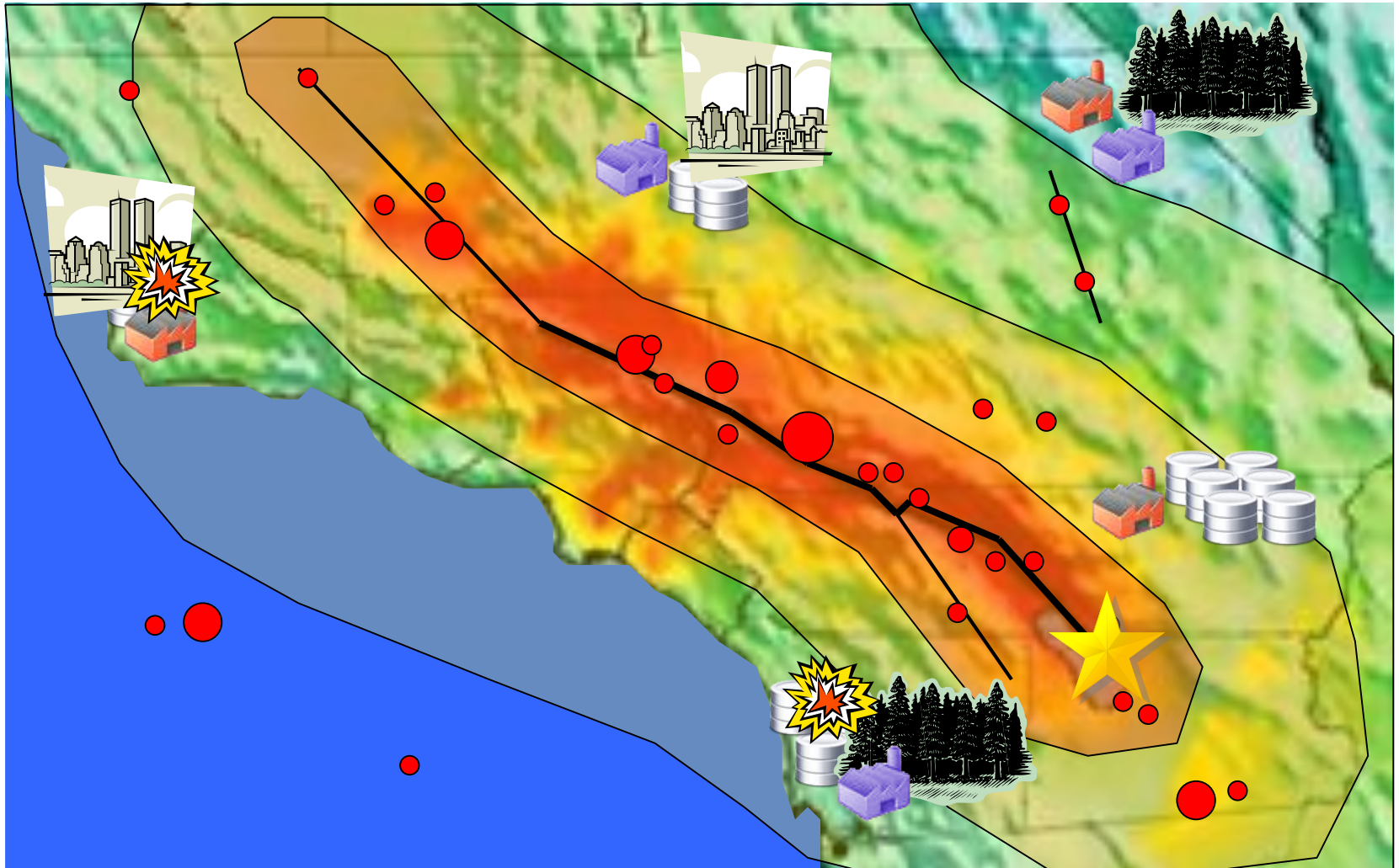


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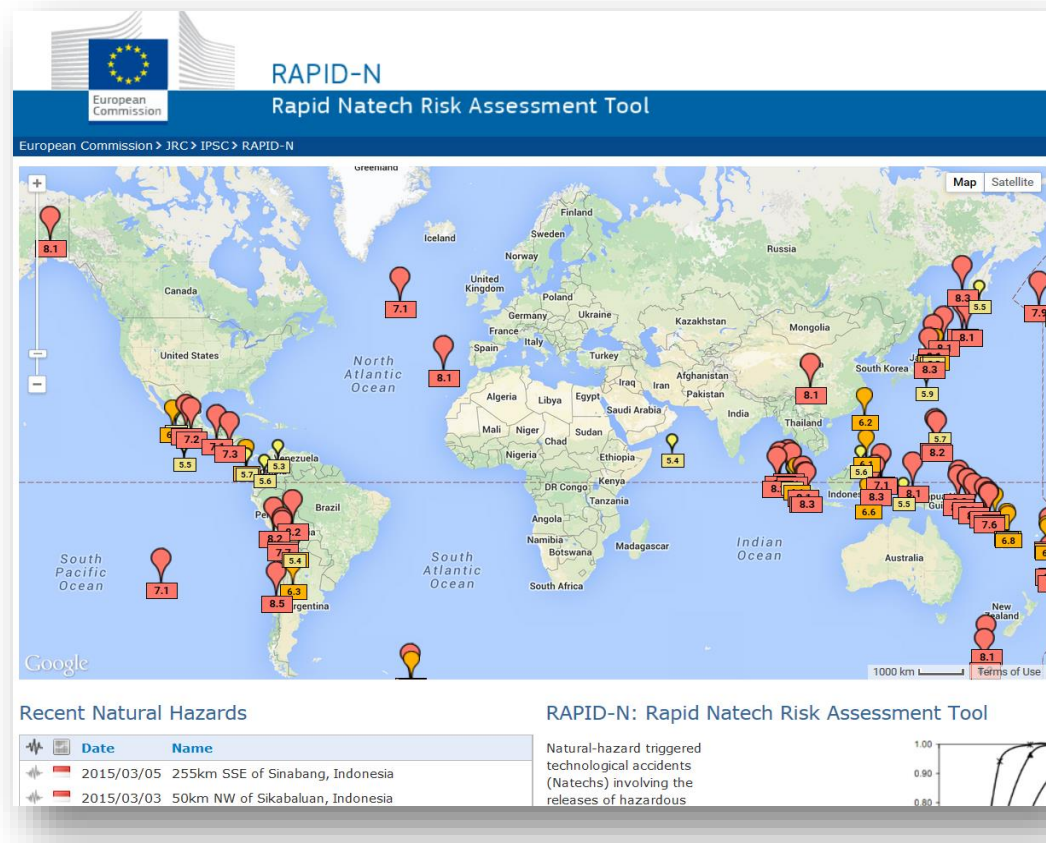
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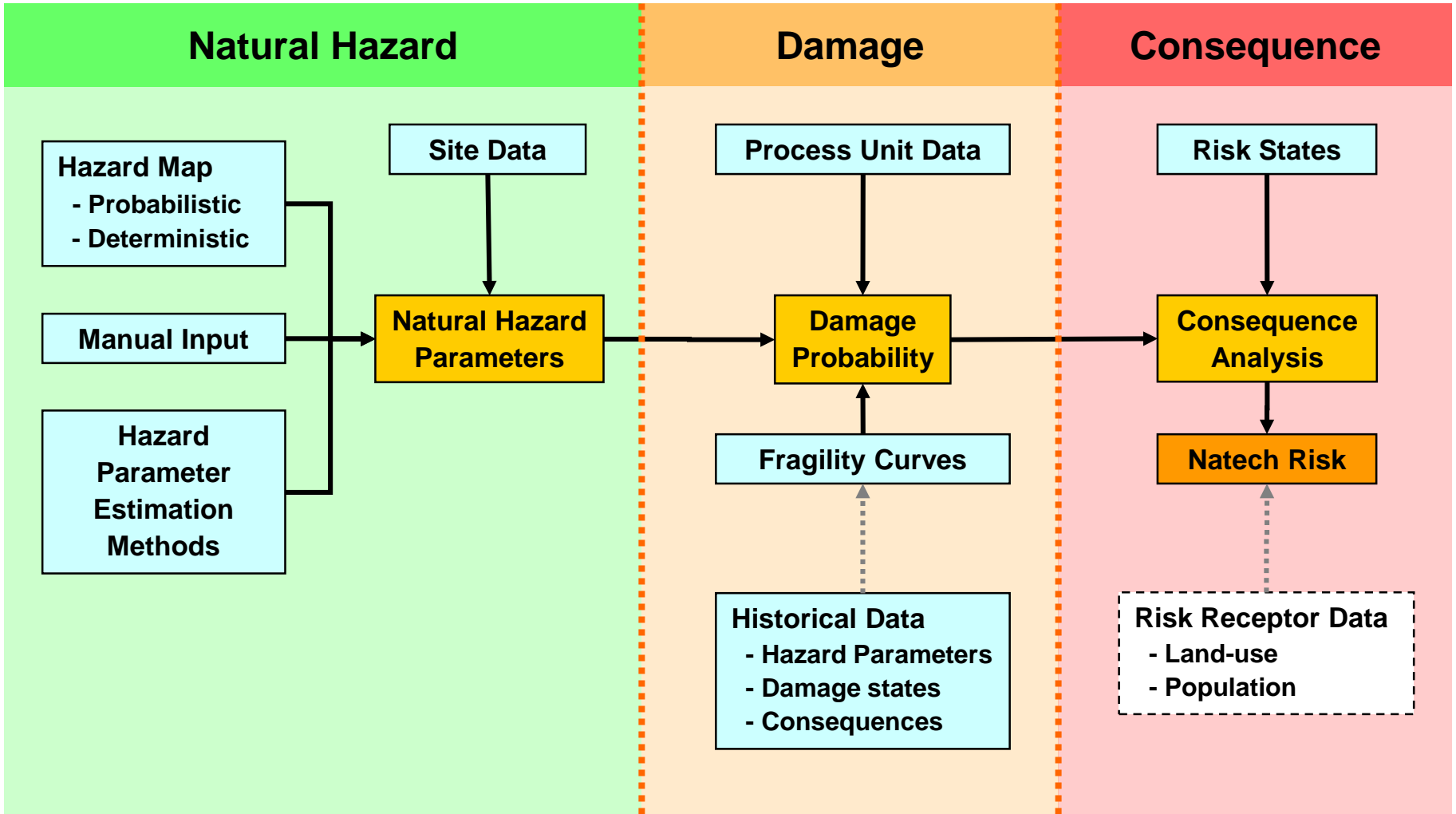
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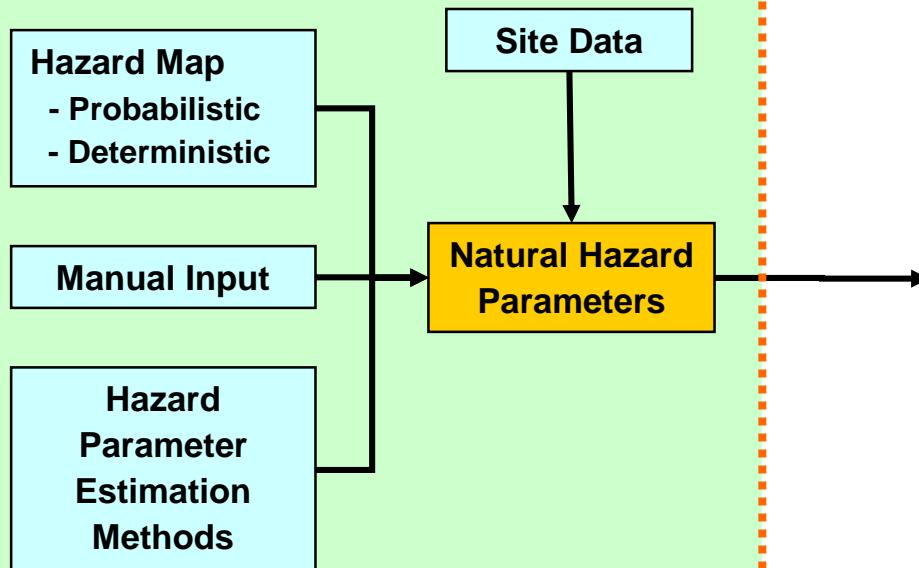
RAPID-N: Rapid Natech Risk Mapping Framework

- Easy and quick data entry
- Rapid analysis
- Visualization
- Collaboration
- Cloud-based
- Modular architecture
 - Scientific Tools
 - Natural Hazards and Natechs
 - Facilities and Process Units
 - Risk Assessment





Natural Hazard



Natech Information

Hazard:	Kocaeli Earthquake, Turkey, 1999/08/17
Facility:	Turkish Petroleum Refineries Corp. (TUPRAS) Izmit Refinery, Turkey

On-site Hazard Parameters

European Macroseismic:	Destructive
Horizontal peak ground acceleration:	0.25 g
Vertical peak ground acceleration:	0.2 g
Peak Ground Displacement:	40–60 cm

References

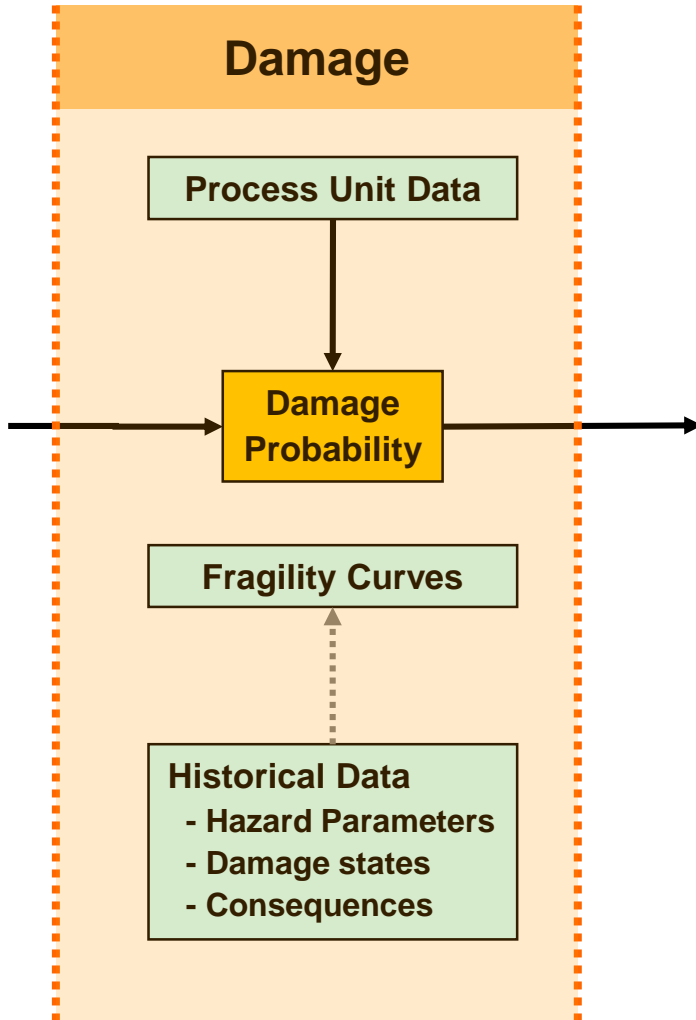
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Natech Damages

No	Process Unit Type	Process Unit Properties	Damage Classification
1.	Storage Tank	Storage Condition: Atmospheric Roof Type: Floating Roof Construction Material: Steel Base Support Type: Unanchored	Seligson et al. (1996)



Fragility Curve Information

Name:	HAZUS, On-ground anchored steel tank
Process Unit Type:	Storage Tank
Damage Classification:	HAZUS (Water Storage Tanks)
Hazard Parameter:	Peak ground acceleration (PGA)
Unit:	%g
Type:	Pre-defined
Functional Form:	Log-normal (median)

Conditions

Base Type:	On-ground
Base Support Type:	Anchored
Construction Material:	Steel

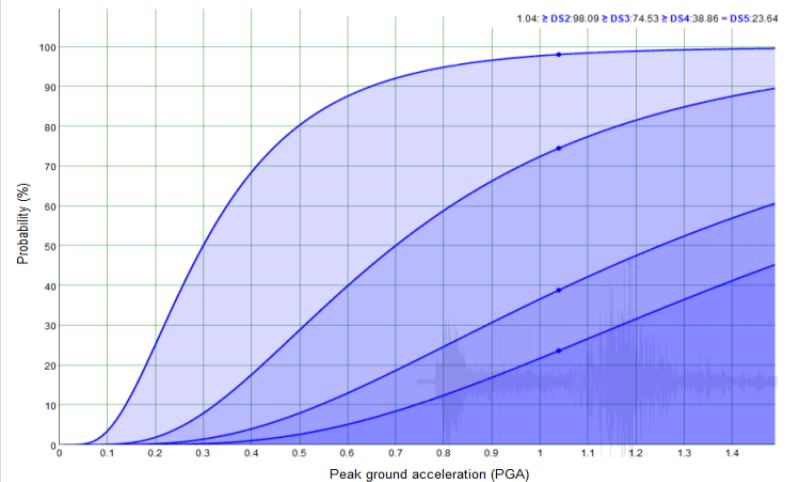
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No	Damage State	Median	Standard Deviation
1.	≥ DS2	0.3	0.6
2.	≥ DS3	0.7	0.6
3.	≥ DS4	1.25	0.65
4.	= DS5	1.6	0.6

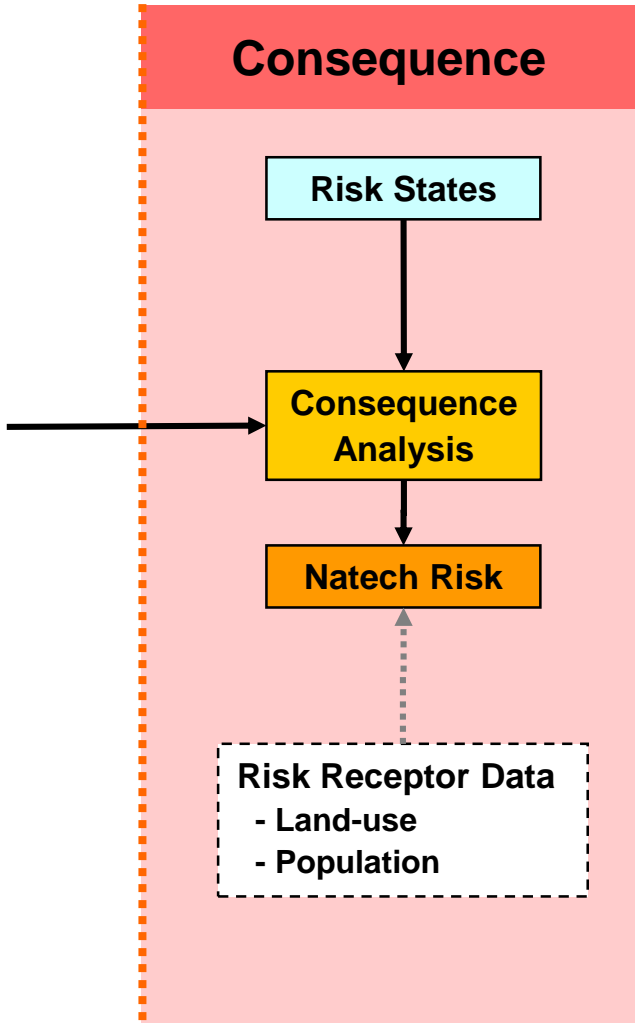
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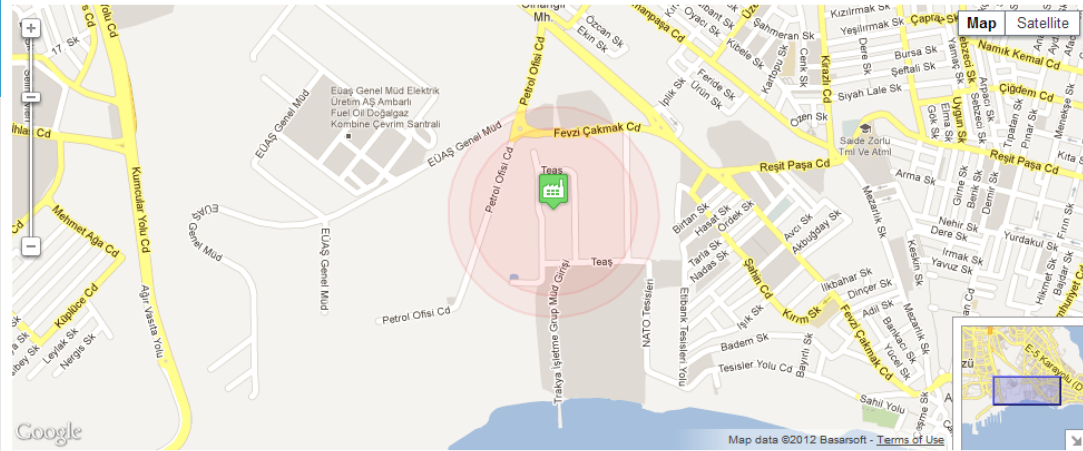
Fragility Curve



Consequence



Risk Assessment Information



Name:	Kocaeli Earthquake Single Plant
Date:	2012/08/28 13:11:13
Type:	Private

Hazard Information

Hazard:	Kocaeli Earthquake, 1999/08/17
Hazard Map:	ShakeMap (XML, Gzipped), 2008/11/09 03:19:14

Facility Information

Facility:	Power Plant, Turkey
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Damage Estimation

Damage Classification:	Auto
Flexible fragility curve selection:	Yes

Facilities

1. ~~Kocaeli~~ Power Plant, Turkey

No	Process Unit	Hazard Parameters	Fragility Curve	Damage Estimate	Damage Parameters	End-point Distance
1.	Storage Tank (T-STR)* [Gasoline]	PGA: 18.777 %g; EMS: Slightly damaging; MM: Strong; MSK: Strong; MMI: 6.4866; d _a : 101.38 km; d _h : 102.79 km; PGA _h : 74.415 cm/s ² ; PGV: 15.573 cm/s	OS00-F50-G	≥ DS2: 4.0546%	Fire/Explosion Event: Vapor Cloud Explosion; Q _{involved} : 4250 kg; f _m , passive: 1; P _c , fire: 100%; f _v , involved: 10 %G; V _{involved} : 5.7432 m ³ ; P _c , release: 30%; f _{yield} : 0.1; RMP Scenario: Worst-case; t _{release} : 10 min; Q _{release} : 425 kg/min; Q _{released} : 4250 kg; A _{pool} : 6146.1 ft ² ; h _{pool} : 1 cm; Q _{release} , r: 425 kg/min; T _a : 1; R: 0.4; Q _r : 5000 W/m ² ; t _{exp} : 40 s; D _T : 342 TDU; d _e : 270.58 m; Q _{fuel} : 4250 kg; P _{damage} : 4.0546%; P _{natech} : 4.0546% <<	271 m: 4.0546%
				≥ DS3: 0.004631%	Fire/Explosion Event: Vapor Cloud Explosion; Q _{involved} : 8500 kg >>	341 m: 0.004631%
				≥ DS4: Very low	-	-

Property Estimation Framework

Description	Estimator	Unit	Validity conditions
Default ambient temperature	25	°C	–
Wind speed	1.5	m/s	RMP Scenario = <i>Worst-case</i>
H/D ratio from diameter		m/m	Shape = <i>Spherical</i>
Storage condition from roof type		–	Roof Type = <i>Floating Roof</i> Roof Type = <i>Internal Floating Roof</i> Roof Type = <i>Open Roof</i>
Diameter from volume		m	Shape = <i>Spherical</i>
Energy magnitude from radiated seismic energy		–	
Peak ground acceleration		%g	Region = <i>Western U.S.A.</i>
U.S. EPA RMP Liquid Factor Boiling			
Duration of fireball		s	Fire/Explosion Event = <i>BLEVE</i>

Properties	
Storage Condition:	Atmospheric
Shape:	Cylindrical Vertical
Roof Type:	Floating Roof
Construction Material:	Steel
Volume:	22285 m ³ *
Height:	14.00 m*
Diameter:	147.64 ft (45.00 m)
H/D Ratio:	0.3114 m/m*
Fill Level:	85 %v*

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} else {
return 2.6*pow([QFL:kg],1/6);
}

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Status and Data Availability

- Currently implemented for earthquakes and fixed installations
- ~ 20,000 earthquakes (> M 5.5)
- > 52,500 earthquake catalog data
- ~ 10,000 shakemaps
- > 5,500 industrial facilities
 - Refineries
 - Power plants
- > 64,000 plant units
 - Storage tanks
- Complete implementation of U.S. EPA RMP Offsite Consequence Analysis methodology
- > 200 properties
- > 400 property estimators

Application Areas

- **Rapid local and regional natech risk assessment**
- Land-use and emergency planning
- Identification of neighboring infrastructures at risk
- **Early warning**
- **Preliminary damage assessment**

Example: Earthquake Case Study

- Istanbul Earthquake
- JICA (2002) Model A
- Mw 7.5
- Fault length 120 km
- Strike-slip





Kerosene



Acrylonitrile

Release of toxic substance

Impact area for 1-hr exposure without irreversible health effects



Ongoing and Future Research

- Extension to other natural hazards and infrastructures
 - Pipelines (2014-2015), Floods (2015)
- Automated natech damage and consequence estimation (Alert)
 - Reporting to interested parties and authorities
- Cascading (domino) effects
- Consideration of risk receptors
- Fragility curve creation tool
 - Statistical analysis of natech damage data

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