



The Oceania Regional Seismic NETwork (ORSNET)

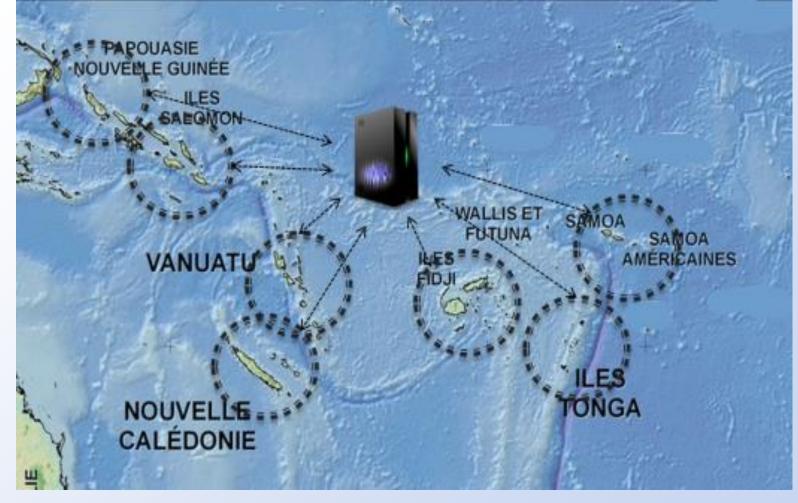
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What is ORSNET and Why ORSNET?

Oceania Regional Seismic NETwork

Regional Seismic Data sharing between South West Pacific Islands Countries coming from <u>regional needs</u> under the IOC/PTWS discussion

- Improve each National Early Warning System on Earthquake and Tsunami hazards mitigation through Regional Organization
- ORSNET support to National Early Warning Center:
 - > Increase of local Earthquake Detection and Analysis Capacity
 - ➤ Better Reaction Time to Tsunami Alerts
 - Technical Support for Seismic National Monitoring Network
 - Seismic Data backup archive







For which results?

- 1) Increasing <u>coverage</u> of Earthquake Monitoring Stations in the region:
 - From < 10 stations to 51 stations</p>
- 2) Decreasing <u>time</u> between earthquake detection/location and effective tsunami alert:
 - > From > 10 min to < 2 min
- 3) Sharing of <u>resources</u> between South West Pacific Countries:
 - > < 10 staffs per country -> Regional Expert Team
 - Common Early Warning System Framework
- 4) Increasing Early Warning System National capacities:
 - > ORSNET does not replace PTWC alert system or USGS web service





How ORSNET is currently implemented?

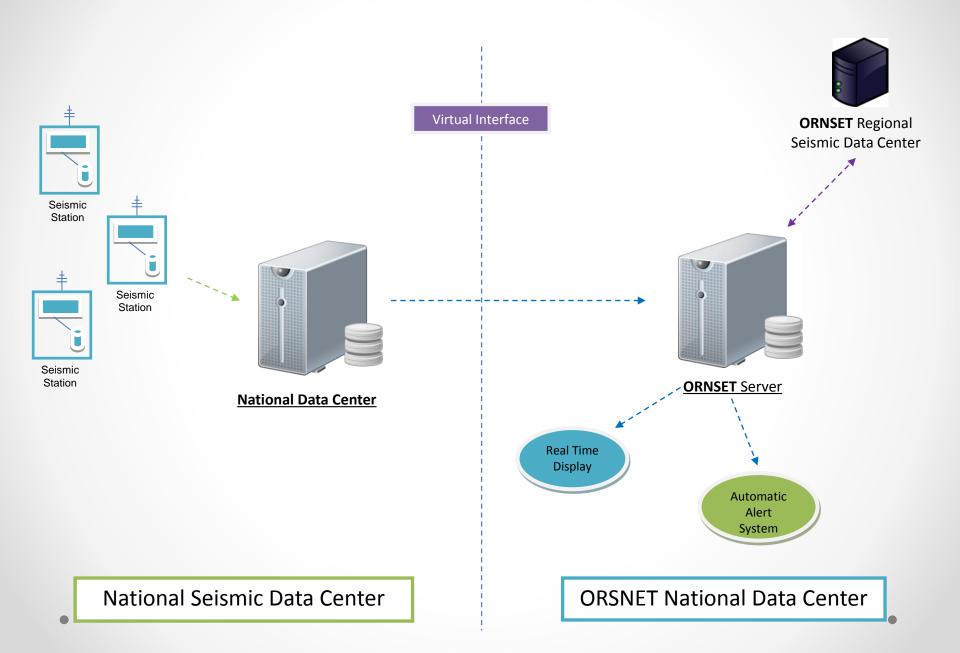
- 1) By all countries agreeing to share their Seismic Data into a <u>Private</u> Regional Network through the IOC/PTWS Seismic Data Sharing WG
- 2) By standardizing each National Data Center with identical and compatible <u>Early Warning</u> <u>System</u> (automatic detection and alert system)



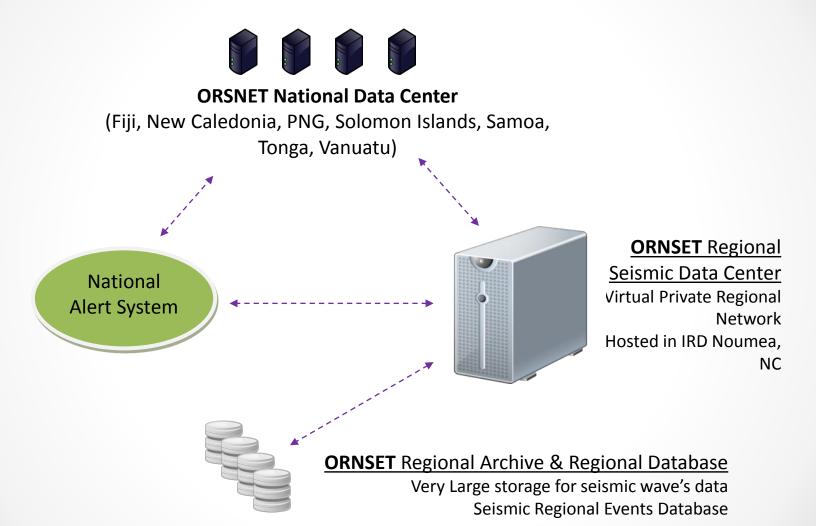
3) By supporting a <u>Regional Seismic Data Center</u> to manage Regional Data Sharing



How works ORSNET locally (in National Warning Center)?



What is the ORSNET Regional Seismic Data Center?



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ORSNET Updates

ORSNET Regional Server:

- Funded and Supported by French government through Pacific Funds in 2013, 2014 and 2015
- Installed and supported by ICT Technical Team at IRD Noumea
- Fully functional since 2013, 99% of running time, 1% defect

ORSNET National Data Center:

- Funded and Supported by French government through Pacific Funds in 2013, 2014 and 2015
- Vanuatu and New Caledonia Network connected in 2012-13
- Solomon Islands Seismological station and Western Samoa Seismological Network connected in 2014
- Fiji Seismological Network connected in 2015
- Tonga Network connected yet in 2015
- PNG planned for 2016







ORSNET Updates

ORSNET National Seismological Network:

- > TONGA:
 - > 4 stations
 - > Existing National Data Center
 - ➤ Not onnected to the Regional Data Center, in 2015
- > WESTERN SAMOA:
 - > 6 stations
 - Existing National Data Center
 - > Connected to the Regional Data Center
- > FIJI:
 - > 5 stations
 - Existing National Data Center
 - Connected to the Regional Data Center







ORSNET Updates

> New CALEDONIA:

- **>**9 stations
- **➤ Existing National Data Center**
- **➤** Connected to the Regional Data Center
- ➤ Host of the ORSNET Regional Data Center

> VANUATU:

- ≥9 stations, 6 more planned for 2016
- > Existing National Data Center
- Connected to the Regional Data Center

> SOLOMON ISLANDS:

- > 7 stations, 7 more planned for 2016
- ➤ No National Data Center







ORSNET Updates

63 Seismic Stations to be connected to the ORSNET Regional Seismological Network in 2016 !!!





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ORSNET Updates

ORSNET Technical Support:

- Decrease of the Earthquakes Detection from 10-12 min in 2010 to less than 2 min in 2015 for the National Data Center connected
- Technical Support for the setting up of the Solomon Islands Seismological Monitoring Network
- Technical Support for the setting up of the Fiji Seismological SMS EQs Alert System
- National Data Center and Data analysis training held in Fiji in Nov. 2015
- Regional Data Center Archive System







ORSNET Next Steps

ORSNET Development Perspective:

- Strengthening of Regional Seismological Observatories Partnerships
- Need support from Regional Institutes for Training, Workshop, Network Maintenance, Standardization Process, Procurement, National funding needs ...
- Increase of Technical National Seismological Observatories Capacities through the development of a complete Earthquake Early Warning system:
 - > Evolution of the current EEW system based on Seiscomp3
 - Regional Warning Dissemination system
 - > Focal Mechanism automatic detection system
 - Intensity and Shake maps
 - Increase of ICT and engineering local capacities







