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Solomon Islands National Tsunami Ready Stakeholder Workshop

1.3 Workshop Overview

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Workshop Goals and Outline

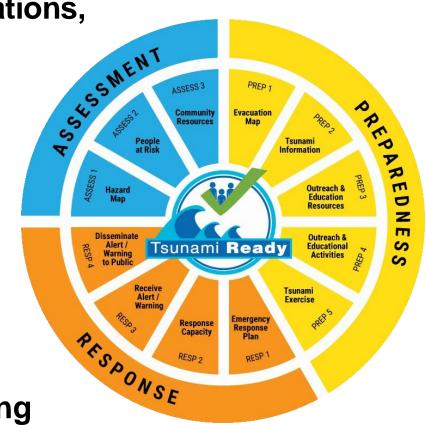






 Bring together Solomon Islands government stakeholders, including Community and Non-government Organizations, to inform on the Tsunami Ready Programme

- The Workshop will
 - Announce SI Tsunami Ready Programme
 - Provide information on SI Tsunami Hazard, Warning, and Response Arrangements
 - Introduce the UNESCO Tsunami Ready Recognition Programme
 - Identify stakeholders interested in supporting the Programme
 - Develop Tsunami Ready Action Plan for recognizing Solomon Islands' Tsunami Ready Communities in 2025



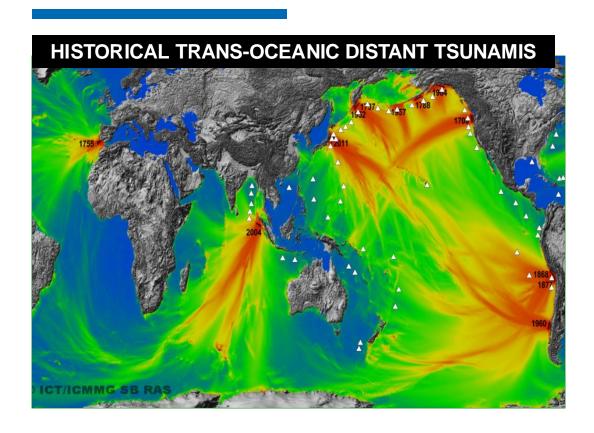


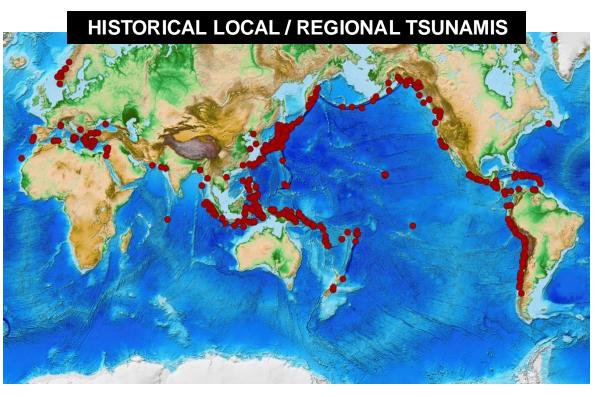
Why Tsunami Ready?











- Most tsunamis are local (< 1 hr) or regional (1-3 hrs)</p>
- In the Pacific, 99% of deaths from local or regional tsunamis (Global, 90% of deaths)

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THE OCEAN DECADE WILL PROVIDE A 'ONCE-IN-A-LIFETIME' **OPPORTUNITY FOR NATIONS TO WORK TOGETHER TO GENERATE** THE GLOBAL OCEAN SCIENCE **NEEDED TO SUPPORT THE** SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT OF **OUR SHARED OCEAN.**

NEWLY ENDORSED DECADE ACTION THE OCEAN DECADE TSUNAMI PROGRAMME



Lead Institution: Intergovernmental Oceanographic Commission - IOC-UNESCO

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The Ocean Decade Tsunami Programme

Intergovernmental Oceanographic Commission of UNESCO, IOC-UNESCO -

Increase community resilience to ocean hazards, Indian Ocean, North Atlantic Ocean, North Pacific Ocean, Programme, South Atlantic Ocean,

Progress actions is envisioned particularly in the fields of rapid tsunami detection, measurement and forecasting capabilities, implementation of Tsunami Ready communities and related capacity development efforts.

Additionally, the ambition is to identify and advance specific actions that align including:

1. Risk Knowledge

- . [i] Improve our understanding of the tsunami hazard by expanding our knowledge of past or potential tsunami sources
- . [ii] Fully understand the impacts to critical infrastructure and marine assets

2. Monitoring and Warning

- (i) More quickly detect and measure tsunamis directly, through ocean
- observations to include instrumentation of undersea cables [ii] Ensure critical tsunami generation parameters are identified through the optimal use and real-time sharing of new and existing sensors and data
- . (iii) Leverage the Nippon Foundation-GEBCO Seabed 2030 hydrographic survey initiative to ensure nearshore coastal zones have complete bathymetric/topographic data coverage at the required resolution

3. Warning Dissemination and Communication

- . (il Ensure full integration of tsunami services within a multi-hazard early warning framework
- . (ii) Facilitate development of warning dissemination and communication options that are appropriate to geographic, demographic, and infrastructure conditions for the timely dissemination of warnings

- (i) Tsunami evacuation maps must be available for all coastal communities
 (ii) Ensure that 100% of communities at risk of tsunami around the world
- meet the indicators outlined in the IOC-UNESCO Tsunami Ready programme . (iii) Ensure plans to minimize impacts to critical infrastructure and marine
- ssets are in place to enable quicker post-tsunami restoration of services

5. Capacity Development and attention to SIDS and LDCs

- . Iil Enhanced capacity development is necessary for the understanding of the tsunami hazard to enhance timely warning, response and resilience

(ii) Ensure that SIDS and LDCs are fully integrated into all development phases of the global Tsunami Warning and Mitigation System

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Ocean Decade Goals: Societal Outcomes





4. A Predicted Ocean

Society understands and can respond to changing ocean conditions.



5. A Safe Ocean

Life and livelihoods are protected from ocean-related hazards.



6. An Accessible Ocean

Open and equitable access to data, information and technology and innovation.

Capacity Development

Cross-cutting. No one left behind.























IOC OCEAN DECADE TSUNAMI PROGRAMME SAFE OCEAN

THE MAIN SOCIETAL OUTCOME

TO MAKE 100%

OF COMMUNITIES AT RISK OF TSUNAMI PREPARED FOR AND RESILIENT TO TSUNAMIS

2030

- Tsunami Coalition: collaborative with critical UN stakeholders, civil protection, others ==> Raise profile. Facilitate resourcing
- Capacity Development: augmented through IOC Ocean Teacher Global Academy (OTGA) ==> Global reach, deep curricula

Action Plan for recognizing Tsunami Ready Communities in 2025







- On Day 2 afternoon, break into groups to discuss and complete
- Programme Support Matrix (to be sent by email

and hard copy)

- For each TR indicator
 - Activities to achieve Indicator
 - Who will be involved
 - How long it will take

TSUNAMI READY PROGRAMME SUPPORT MATRIX (Indicator, Activities, Who, Time)

	TSUNAMI READY INDICATORS	Activities	Who (Agency/Office)	Time to do
I	ASSESSMENT (ASSESS)			
1	ASSESS-1. Tsunami hazard zones are mapped and designated			
2	ASSESS-2. The number of people at risk in the tsunami hazard zone is estimated			
3	ASSESS-3. Economic, infrastructural, political, and social resources are identified			
II	PREPAREDNESS (PREP)			İ
4	PREP-1. Easily understood tsunami evacuation maps are approved			
5	PREP-2. Tsunami information including signage is publicly displayed			
6	PREP-3. Outreach and public awareness and education resources are available and distributed			
7	PREP-4. Outreach or educational activities are held at least 3 times a year			
8	PREP-5: A community tsunami exercise is conducted at least every two years			
Ш	RESPONSE (RESP)			İ
9	RESP-1. A community tsunami emergency response plan is approved			
10	RESP-2. The capacity to manage emergency response operations during a tsunami is in place			
11	RESP-3. Redundant and reliable means to timely receive 24-hour official tsunami alerts are in place			
12	RESP-4. Redundant and reliable means to timely disseminate 24-hour official tsunami alerts to the public are in place			





THANK YOU

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