

2007

disasters* in numbers

Top 10

Natural disasters by number of deaths - 2007

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| Cyclone Sidr, November | Bangladesh | 4 234 |
| Flood, July-August | Bangladesh | 1 110 |
| Flood, July - September | India | 1 103 |
| Flood, August | Korea, Dem P Rep | 610 |
| Flood, June-July | China, P Rep | 535 |
| Earthquake, August | Peru | 519 |
| Heat Wave, July | Hungary | 500 |
| Cyclone Yemyin, June | Pakistan | 242 |
| Flood and landslides, June | Pakistan | 230 |
| Flood, July | India | 225 |

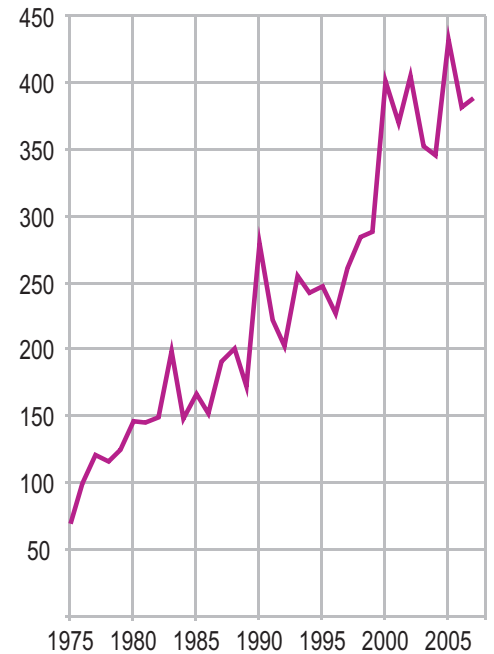
Number of reported natural disasters by country - 2007

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| United States | 22 |
| China, P Rep | 20 |
| India | 18 |
| Philippines | 16 |
| Indonesia | 15 |
| Pakistan | 9 |
| Japan | 8 |
| Mexico, Haiti, Algeria, Afganistan | 7 |
| Bulgaria, Romania, Colombia | 6 |
| Mozambique, Brazil, Bangladesh, Dominican Rep, Viet Nam, Thailand | 5 |

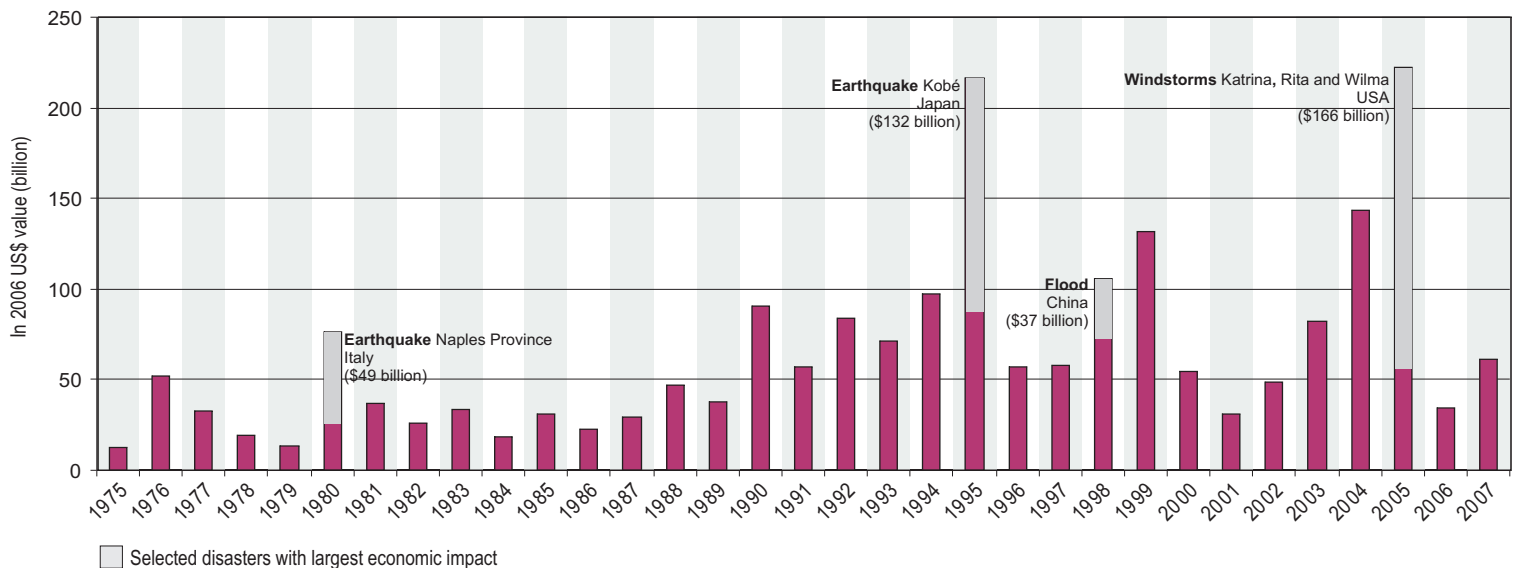
Total killed and affected people of natural disasters per 100,000 inhabitants - 2007

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| Macedonia FRY | 49 057 |
| Swaziland | 36 052 |
| Lesotho | 23 657 |
| Zimbabwe | 15 784 |
| Bangladesh | 14 456 |
| Zambia | 12 764 |
| Dominica | 11 177 |
| China, P Rep | 9 040 |
| Belize | 6 952 |
| Djibouti | 5 132 |

Time trend of reported natural disasters⁽¹⁾, 1975-2007



Annual reported economic damages from natural disasters: 1975-2007

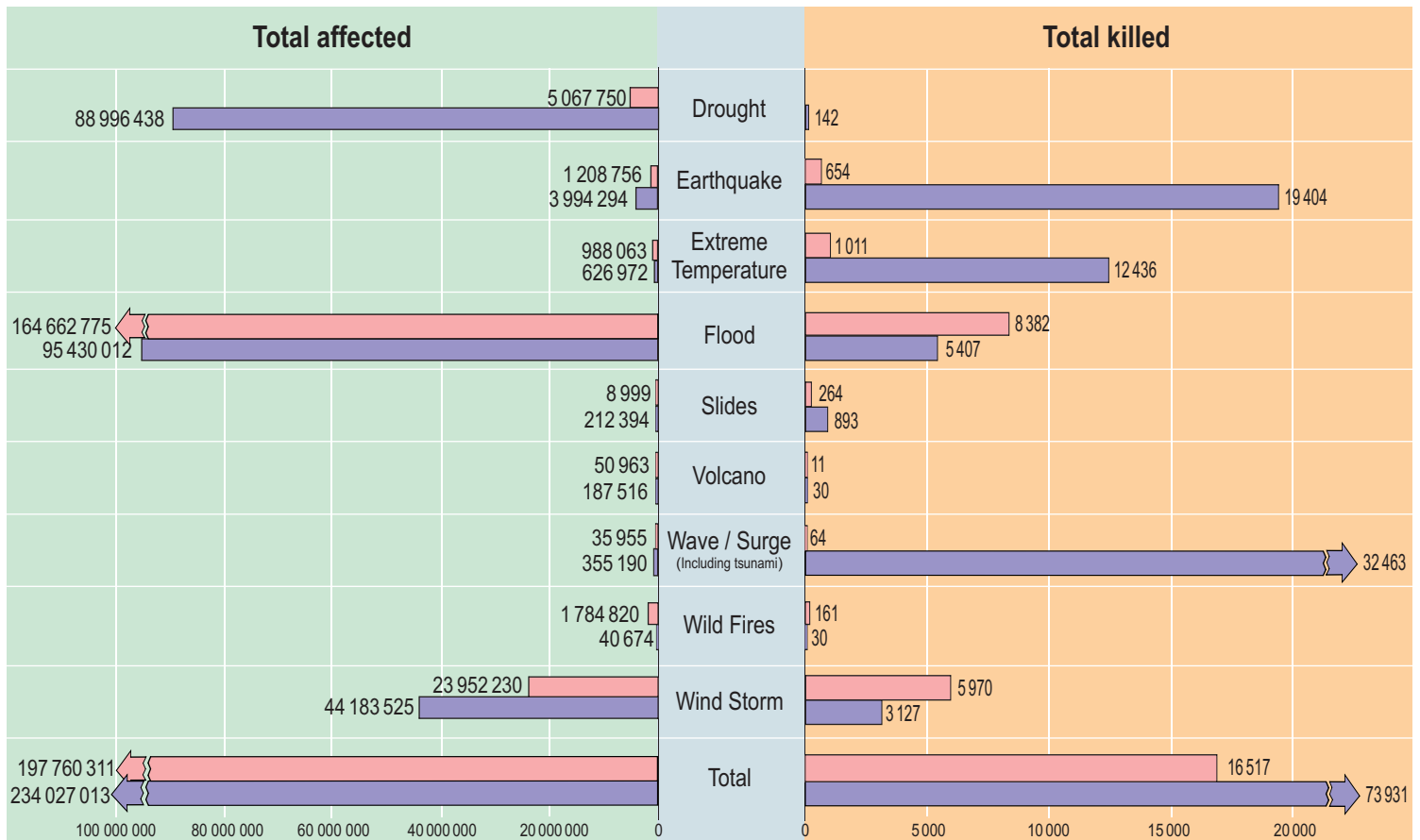


*: Epidemics and Insect Infestations not included

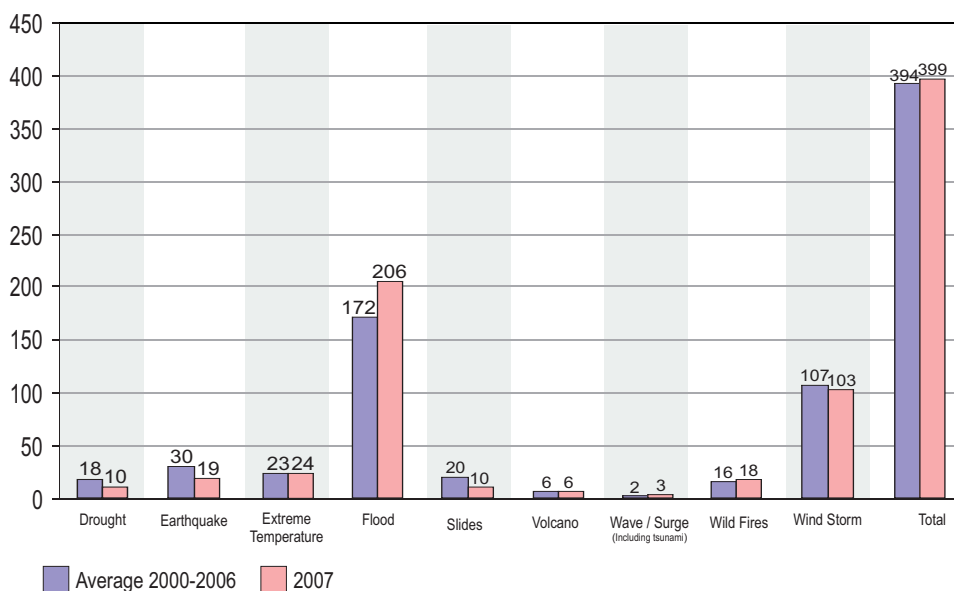
Comparing present to past

Human impact by disaster types

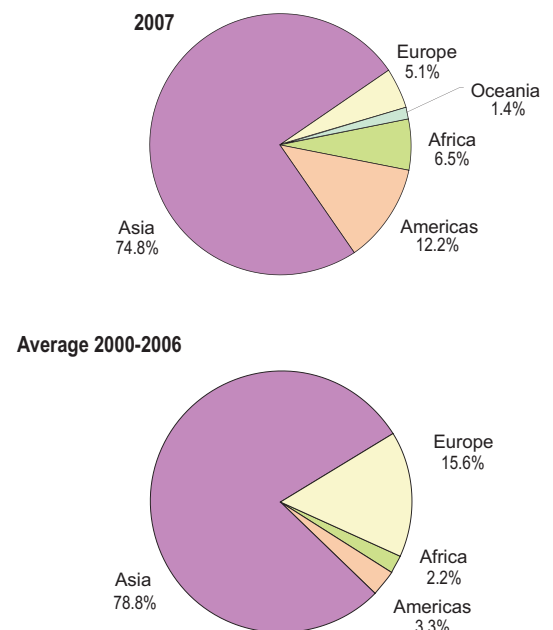
■ Average 2000-2006 ■ 2007



Natural disaster occurrence by disaster type



Percentage of people killed by natural disasters by region



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