

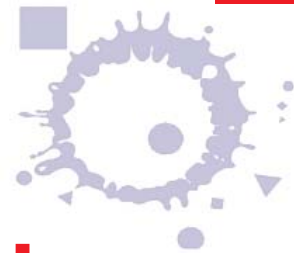
# 2015 disasters<sup>(1)</sup> in numbers

346 reported disasters

22 773 people dead

98.6 million people affected

us\$66.5 billion economic damage



## Top 10

Natural disasters by number of **deaths**

|                          |           |       |
|--------------------------|-----------|-------|
| Earthquake, April        | Nepal     | 8 831 |
| Heat wave, June-August   | France    | 3 275 |
| Heat wave, May           | India     | 2 248 |
| Heat wave, June          | Pakistan  | 1 229 |
| Landslide, October       | Guatemala | 627   |
| Heat wave, June-July     | Belgium   | 410   |
| Flood, November-December | India     | 325   |
| Flood, July-August       | India     | 293   |
| Earthquake, October      | Pakistan  | 280   |
| Flood, January           | Malawi    | 278   |

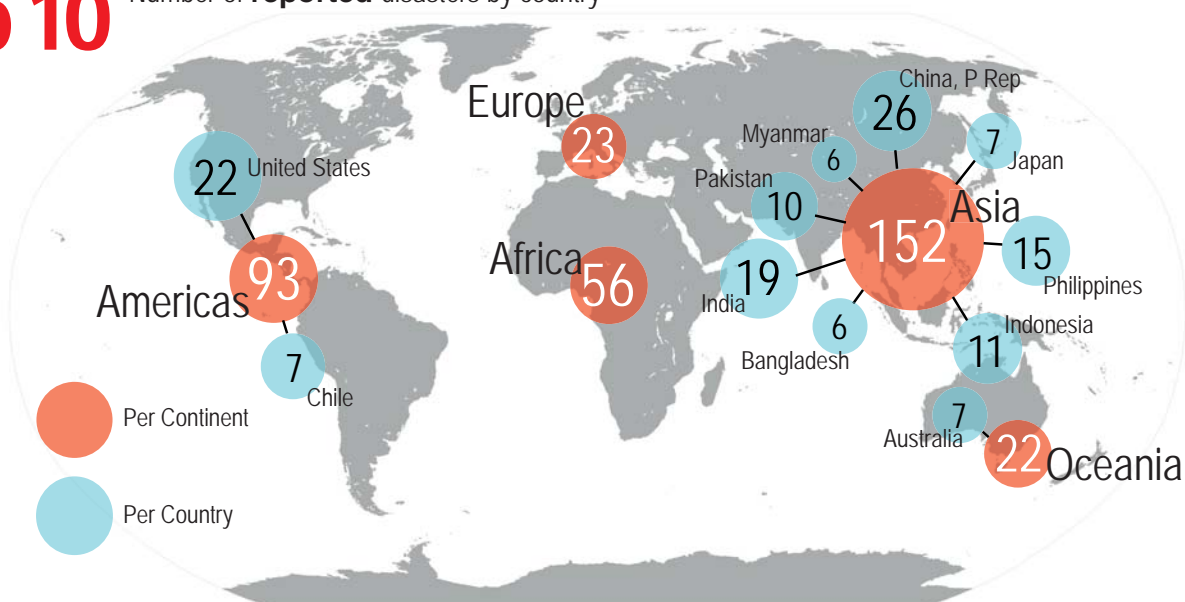
Total of **affected people** reported by country

|                    |            |
|--------------------|------------|
| Dem. Rep. of Korea | 18 003 541 |
| India              | 16 558 354 |
| Ethiopia           | 10 210 600 |
| Nepal              | 5 640 301  |
| Bangladesh         | 4 452 553  |
| Philippines        | 3 834 514  |
| Malawi             | 3 438 995  |
| China, P Rep       | 3 006 093  |
| Guatemala          | 2 809 910  |
| South Africa       | 2 700 000  |

Total of **economic damage** reported by country (in billion US\$)

|                |       |
|----------------|-------|
| United States  | 24,88 |
| China, P Rep   | 13,66 |
| Nepal          | 5,17  |
| United Kingdom | 3,60  |
| India          | 3,30  |
| Chile          | 3,10  |
| Australia      | 2,40  |
| South Africa   | 2,00  |
| Philippines    | 1,90  |
| France         | 1,00  |

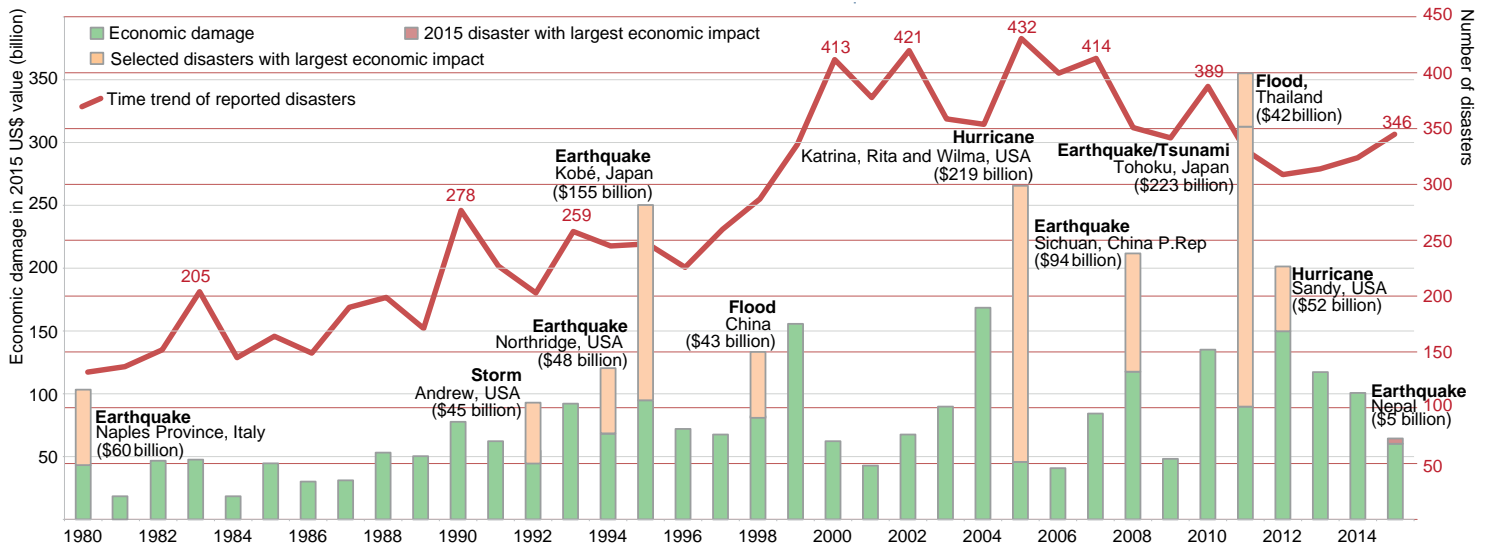
## Top 10 Number of **reported** disasters by country



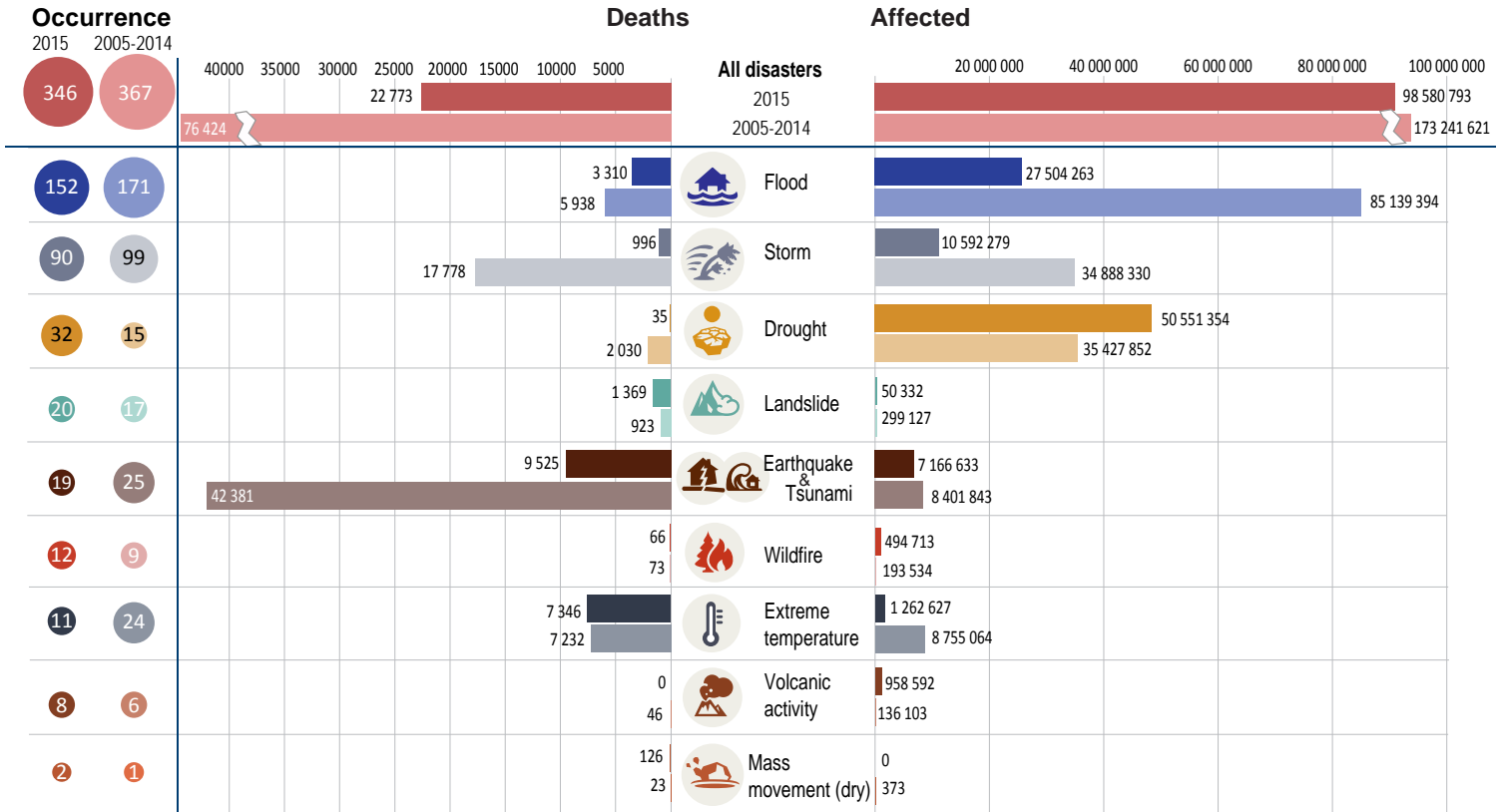
(1): Natural disasters: Epidemic and insect infestations not included

# Comparing present to past

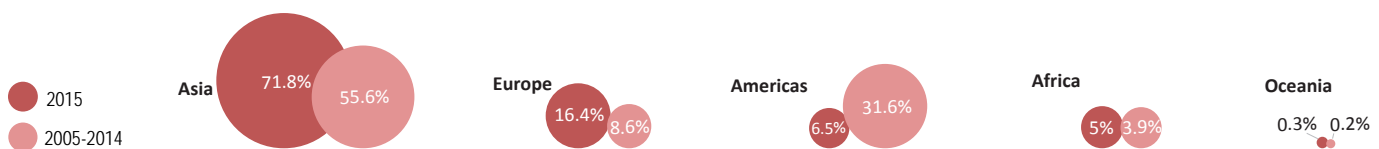
## Annual reported economic damages and time trend from disasters: 1980-2015



## Human impact by disaster types (2015 versus average 2005-2014)



## Percentage of deaths by continent



Source: EM-DAT (25th January 2016) : The OFDA/CRED - International Disaster Database [www.emdat.be](http://www.emdat.be) Université catholique de Louvain Brussels - Belgium