

Global Assessment Report

on Disaster Risk Reduction

2013

Revealing Risk, Redefining Development

2011

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Lessons from the GAR to support implementation of the Sendai Framework and the SDGs

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Risk and poverty in a changing climate

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25 years of international commitment to disaster risk reduction



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Escalating losses



Reported damage to education facilities



Reported damage to health facilities



Reported damage to agriculture in ha

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Reported damage from extensive disasters, 1990-2013 (65 countries, 2 states)

Risk and probability



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Probabilistic risk model: Loss assessment



Risk metrics obtained with a probabilistic risk assessment



AVERAGE ANNUAL LOSS (AAL)

A risky world



Expected future disaster losses annualized over the long term

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The resilience challenge



Return period in years

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Fiscal vulnerability of Honduras to disaster loss



Global fiscal resilience





Potential financing gaps for a 1 in 100 year loss

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An opportunity cost for development



The risk to social progress, stability and economic development



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SIDS: an existential threat



Average annual loss as a proportion of social expenditure, capital

investment and capital stock: top 15 countries

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And..... hits small countries hardest.

Cumulative net capital formation (NKF) from 1970 to 2006, in millions of 2,000 US\$, with and without effect of economic disaster loss



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Risk - the future. Synchronic failures and sequential crisis ?



Populations and economies exposed to tsunamis





Extensive risk: eroding resilience



Most disaster impacts in infrastructure are associated with extensive risk





The impact on small and medium enterprises



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Hazard-related business disruptions: of major concern and that actually had been experienced during the last five years



Proportion of infrastructure damaged in extensive disasters in 56 countries and 2 Indian states, between 1970 and 2011

Global risk drivers: poverty and weak governance

Exposure to earthquakes Number of people per year



Modelled fatalities from earthquakes Average number of people killed per year, percentage





Uneven distribution of global risk





Mortality risk for tropical cyclones in 2 countries with similar exposure



Underlying causes: growing inequality

Annual local government expenditure per person (US\$ ppp)



ppp = puchasing power parity with data from 2010

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Global risk drivers: climate change

Current sea level



Feet

Inundation footprint for sea level rise of 2 feet



Estimated impact of sea level rise in Miami Beach by 2060





Climate change magnifies risk



The increase in annual average loss due to wind damage in the Caribbean by 2050 as a result of climate change



Global risk drivers: badly planned and managed urban development

Delhi 1992, 8.7 million

Delhi 2000, 13.7 million

Delhi 2011, 16.3 million



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Expansion of Delhi, India from 1992 to 2011



New patterns of extensive risk in cities



Floods in Cali, Colombia since the 1950's mirroring the expansion of informal settlements in the city

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Underlying risk drivers: Overconsumption overwhelming bio-capacity



1961 1963 1965 1967 1969 1971 1973 1975 1977 1979 1981 1983 1985 1987 1989 1991 1993 1995 1997 1999 2001 2003 2005 2007 2009 2010

About 1.5 planets are now required to sustain current levels of

consumption



Land degradation



Land-degradation in South and Central America: 2000-2012





Declining ecosystem services



Landslide risk in Peru before and since the mid 1980s

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Risk governance: improvements in disaster management

2007 - 2009 2009 - 2011 2011 - 2013



Progress in HFA implementation 2007-2013





Less progress in managing risks



Strong policy, technical and institutional capacities Disaster preparedness and contingency plans, and mechanisms training drills



Managing risk in urban environments

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Assessing disaster risk impacts of major development projects

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Low investment in risk reduction



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Developing sustainably is possible

2 metric tons per capita

Human Development Index (HDI) 2013







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Sendai Framework: Seven Global Targets

Mortality/

Reduce

global population 2020-2030 Average << 2005-2015 Average

Affected people/

global population 2020-2030 Average << 2005-2015 Average

Economic loss/

global GDP 2030 Ratio << 2015 Ratio

Damage to critical infrastructure & disruption of basic services 2030 Values << 2015 Values

Increase

Countries with national & local DRR strategies 2020 Value >> 2015 Value

International cooperation to developing countries 2030 Value >> 2015 Value

Availability and access to multi-hazard early warning systems & disaster risk information and assessments 2030 Values >> 2015 Values



GLOBAL TARGETS

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Systematically account for disaster losses



Disaggregated impact of disasters on housing in Latin America 1990-2013

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Reveal risk



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Identify risk strata



Contribution of cyclone severity, exposure and vulnerability parameters to tropical cyclone risk



Transfer catastrophic risk



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Avoid the construction of new risks

Cost-benefit ratio







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