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課程講義 (3~4) : 天然災害與巨災  
Natural Hazards/Disasters and Catastrophes

- S.: Smith, K., *Environmental Hazards – Accessing Risk and Reducing Disaster*, 6th Edition, Routledge, London, 2013.
- D.: Dilley, M., R.S. Chen, U. Deichmann, A.L. Lerner-Lam, and M. Arnold, [\*Natural Disaster Hotspots: A Global Risk Analysis\*](#), World Bank, Washington, D.C., 2005.
- G.: Grossi, P. and H. Kunreuther (Eds.), *Catastrophe Modeling -- A New Approach to Managing Risk*, Springer, Boston, M.A., 2005.

● ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS AND RISK ASSESSMENT

- Risk = Hazard × Elements at Risk × Vulnerability (S. p.71)

$$\Rightarrow \text{Risk} = \frac{\text{Hazard (probability)} \times \text{Loss (expected)}}{\text{Preparedness (loss mitigation)}}$$

- Exposure and Vulnerability

⇒ 'End-Points' (Receptors) vs. Scales (Temporal, Spatial, etc.): Chronic vs. Acute

● NATURAL DISASTER HOTSPOTS: A GLOBAL RISK ANALYSIS (D.)

- Natural Disasters

⇒ Geophysical hazards: earthquakes and volcanoes

⇒ Hazards driven by hydro-meteorological processes: floods, cyclones, and landslides

⇒ Drought

- Indexes of Disaster Risk:

1. Mortality risks, assessed for global gridded population

2. Risks of total economic losses, assessed for global gridded GDP per unit area

3. Risks of economic losses expressed as a proportion of the GDP per unit area for each grid cell

- Three components that contribute to the overall risk of natural hazards:

1. The *probability of occurrence* of different kinds and intensities of hazards

2. The *elements exposed* to these hazards

3. The *vulnerability* of the elements exposed to specific hazards.

- [國家災害防救科技中心](#)

⇒ 氣象災害、洪旱災害、坡地災害、地震災害、人為災害

⇒ [2012 年報](#)、[2012 天然災害紀實](#)

● SEISMIC (TECTONIC) HAZARDS (S. Chp.6&7)

- Earthquake and Tsunami

⇒ Ground shaking

⇒ Soil liquefaction, Landslides, Tsunamis, etc.

- Volcanoes

⇒ Pyroclastic flows and Volcanic gases

⇒ Ground deformation, Lahars, etc.

- **MASS MOVEMENT HAZARDS (S. Chp.8)**
  - Rock Falls, Landslides and Debris Flows
  - Snow Avalanches => *c.f.* Land Subsidence
- **SEVERE STORM HAZARDS / ATMOSPHERIC HAZARDS (S. Chp.9)**
  - Tropical Cyclones
  - Severe Summer Storms
  - Severe Winter Storms
- **WEATHER EXTREMES, DISEASE EPIDEMICS AND WILDFIRE (S. Chp.10)**
  - Extreme Temperature
  - Disease Epidemics => Infectious Diseases and Climate
  - Wildfire
- **HYDROLOGIC HAZARDS (S. Chp.11&12)**
  - Floods
    - ⇒ River floods vs. Coastal floods => *c.f.* Forecasting vs. Warning
  - Droughts
    - ⇒ Meteorological, Hydrological, Agricultural, and Famine droughts
- **CATASTROPHE AND CATASTROPHE MODELING (G.)**
  - Definition of Catastrophe
    - ⇒ An unexpected or unanticipated natural or man-made event that has wide ranging negative socioeconomic impacts; also known as a disaster.
  - Stakeholders

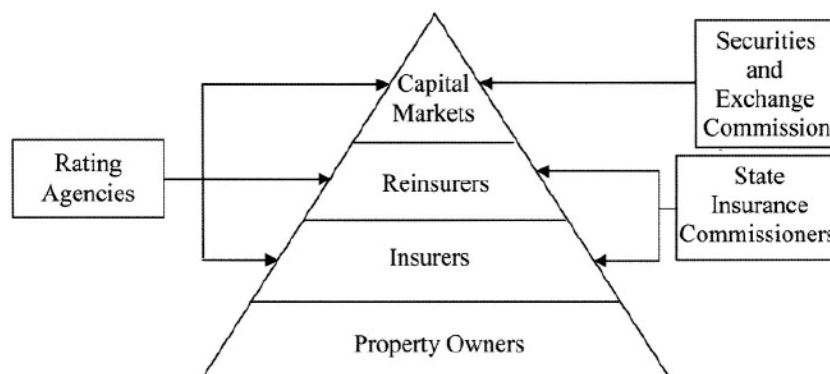


Figure 1.3. Key private sector stakeholders in the management of risk

- Catastrophe Model
  - ⇒ A computer-based model that estimates losses from natural or man-made hazards, such as earthquakes, floods, hurricanes and acts of terrorism.
  - ⇒ Components: Hazard, Inventory => Vulnerability, Loss
- Homework Assignment #2 (2014/03/21 Due)

請定義並比較「再保 Re-Insurance」、「存款保險基金 Deposit Insurance Fund」、「保險安定基金 Insurance Guaranty Fund」、「巨災債券 Catastrophe Bond」之差異。