



# RAPID-N

## Rapid Natech Risk Assessment and Mapping Framework

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# JRC Natech Activities

- **Identification of vulnerable equipment, scenarios and consequences**
- Site **surveys** for Natech damage assessment (e.g. Japan, China)
- Statistical **analysis** of accident data
- **Lessons learned and recommendations**
- Natech **trainings** (e.g. Natech Workshops)
- **Natech database: eNatech**
- **Natech risk assessment and mapping framework: RAPID-N**

The screenshot shows the eNATECH - Natural hazard-database interface. At the top, there are logos for the European Commission and the Joint Research Centre (JRC). The title "JOINT RESEARCH CE" and "eNATECH - Natural hazard" are displayed. Below the title, there are sections for "Natech In" and "RAPID-N". A navigation bar indicates "European Commission > JRC > IPSC > RAPID-N". The main area is titled "Risk Assessment Information" and contains a map of a facility. On the map, a red circle indicates a hazard zone around a green building icon. The map includes street names like "Centro" and "Google". To the left of the map, there is a list of industrial sites with fields for Name, Type, Date, and Description. Below the map, there is a section for "Event Sequences" and a table for "Hazard Information" with fields for Hazard, Hazard Map, Name, and Date.

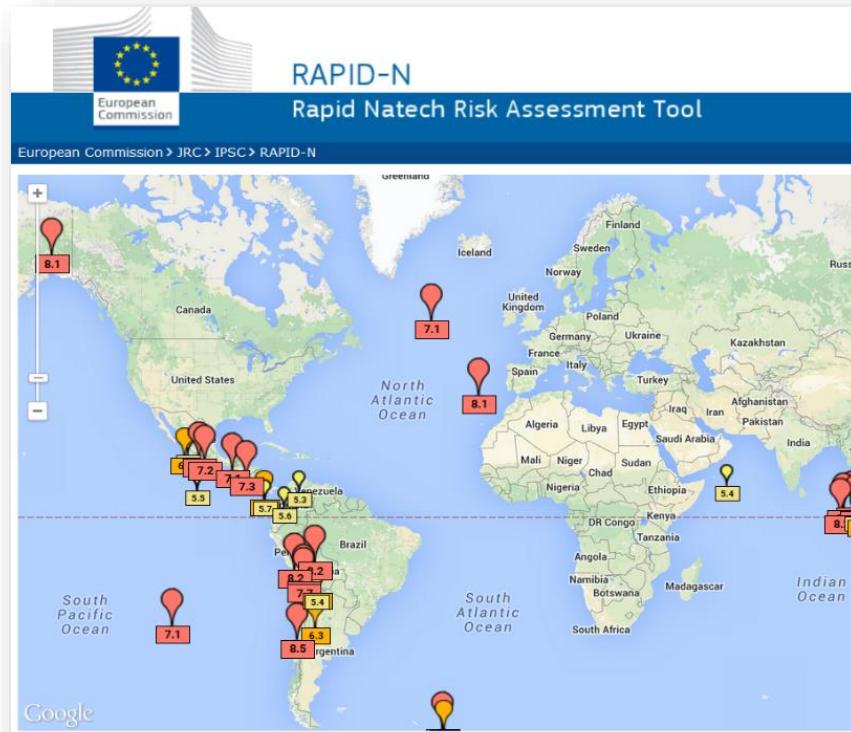
# RAPID-N

- Web-based, publicly available **decision-support** tool for Natech risk assessment and mapping

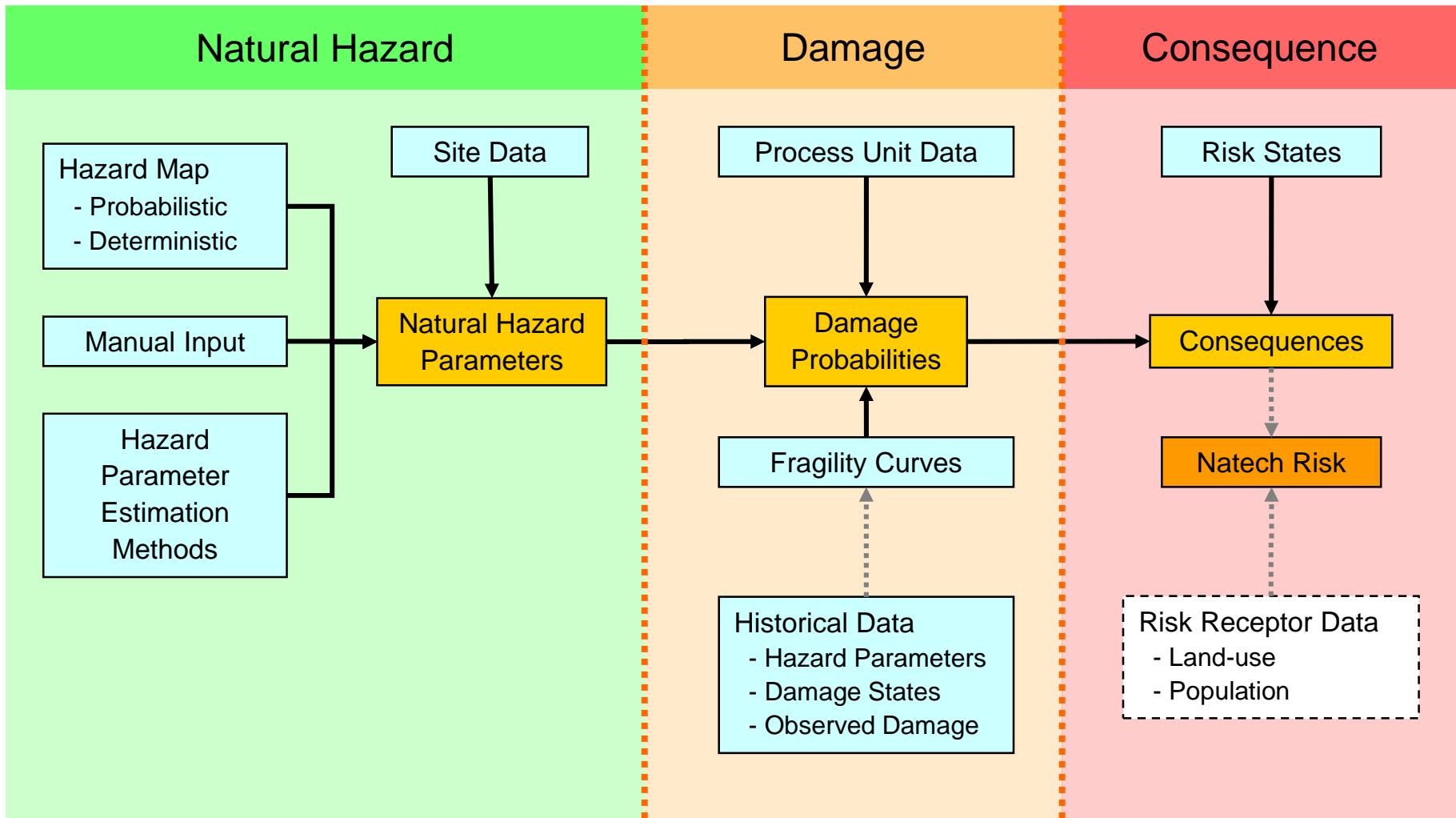
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- **Unites** natural-hazard damage estimation and consequence analysis **in one tool!**

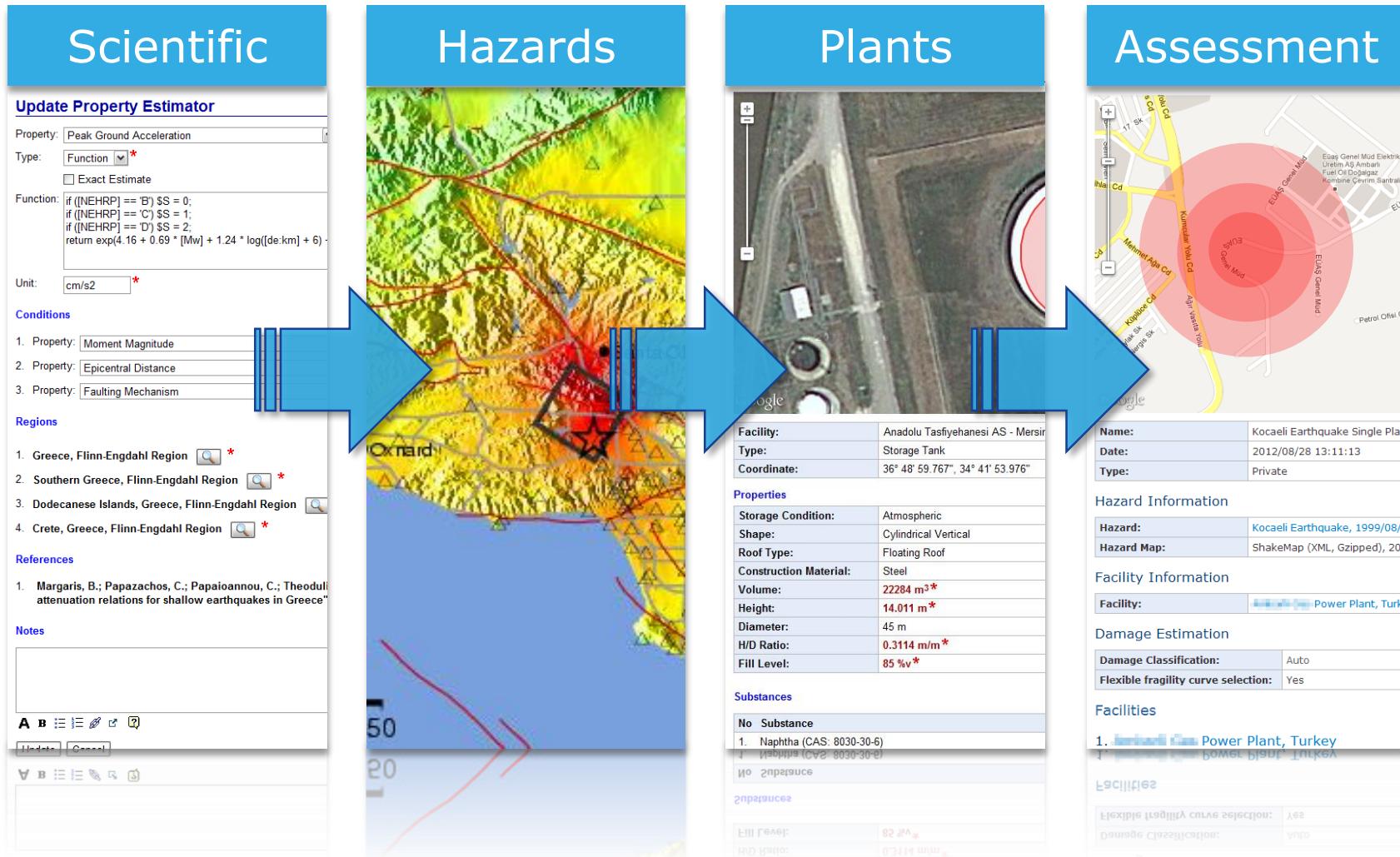
- Features
  - **Easy** and **quick** data entry
  - Automated **data estimation**
  - **Rapid** and **scalable** analysis
  - **Visualization**



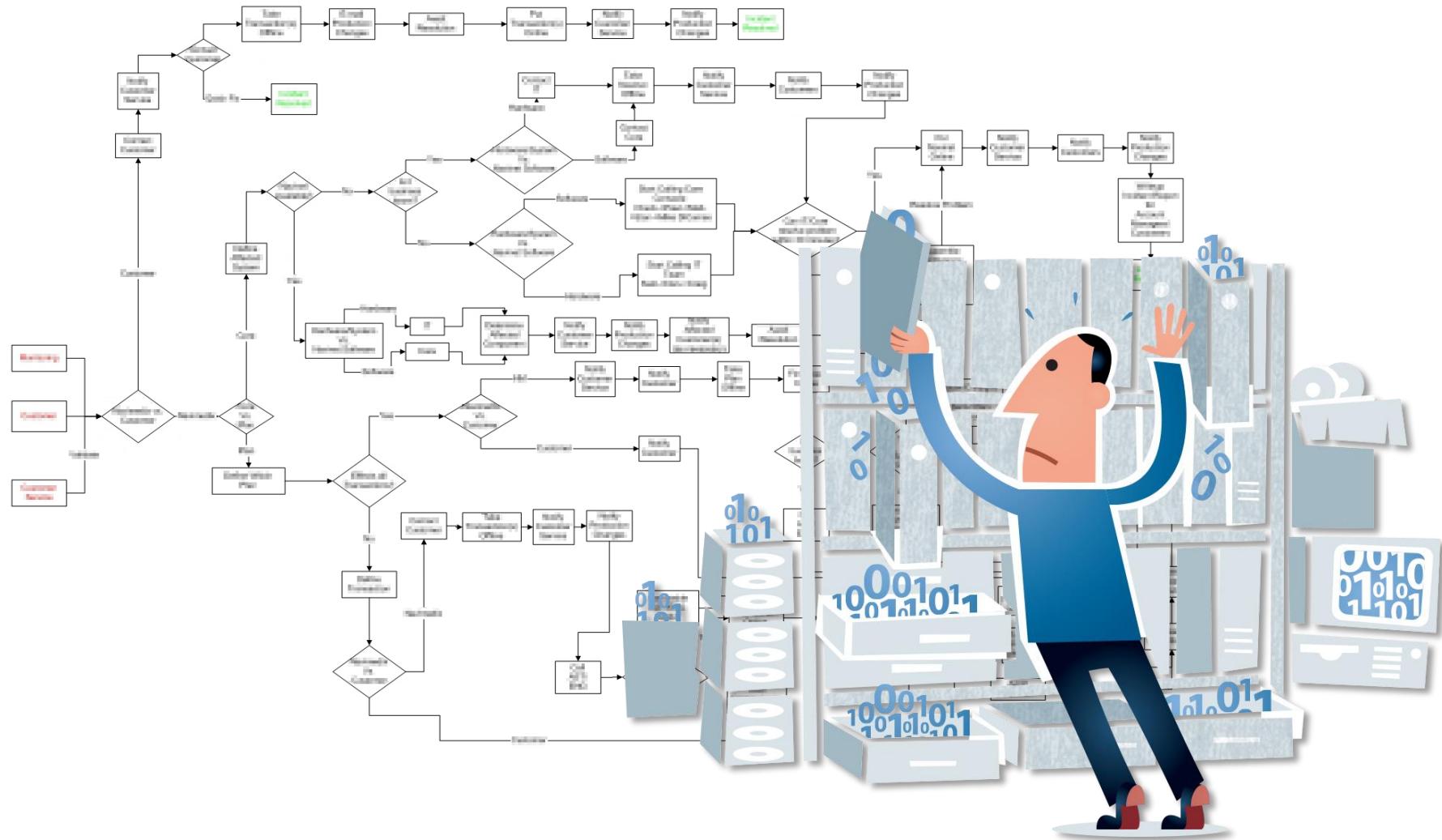
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# Modular Structure



# Scientific Module



# Scientific Module

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2.	Magnitude	M0	M <sub>0</sub>	Seismic Mo
3.	Mechanism	FM	FM	Faulting Me
4.	Storage	SC	-	Storage Con
5.	Chemical	TC	-	Type of Che
6.	Distance	FD	-	Focal Depth
7.	Construction	CYF	-	Year of Cons
8.	Dimensional	S	-	Shape
9.	Distance	de	de	Epicentral D
10.	Chemical	SM	-	State of Mat
11.	Construction	UYF	-	Year of Upgr
12.	Structural	RT	-	Roof Type
13.	Distance	dh	d <sub>h</sub>	Hypocentral
14.	Chemical	MW	MW	Molecular W
15.	Distance	dq	d <sub>q</sub>	Equivalent H
16.	Chemical	d	p	Density
17.	Structural	RST	-	Roof Support
18.	Distance	dE	d <sub>E</sub>	Distance to
19.	Chemical	Tb	T <sub>b</sub>	Boiling Point
20.	Structural	BT	-	Base Type

**Property Information**

Type:	Dimensional (Process Unit)
Code:	D
Name:	Diameter
Description:	Diameter of the
Data Type:	Numeric
Unit:	m
Unit Type:	Common Units
View Order:	35

Parameter: European Macroseismic Value: Damaging

Parameter: Peak Ground Acceleration Value: 0.5 f Unit: %G

Parameter: Peak Ground Displacement Value: 40-60 f Unit: cm

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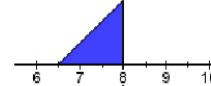
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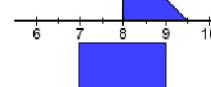
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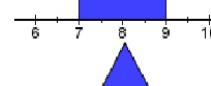
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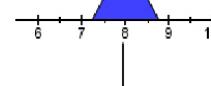
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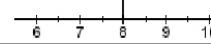
Peak Ground Displacement: 40–60 cm

< 8 Less than 10  


> 8 Greater than 8  


7 – 9 Between 8 and 10  


~ 8 About eight  


8 Exactly eight  


# Scientific Module



## Update Property Estimator

Property: Peak Ground Acceleration \*

Type: Function \*

Description	Estimator	Unit	Validity conditions																		
Default ambient temperature	25	°C	—																		
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Storage condition from roof type	—	Roof Type = Floating Roof Roof Type = Internal Floating Roof Roof Type = Open Roof																			
Diameter from volume	m	Shape = Spherical																			
Energy magnitude from radiated seismic	—	—																			
Peak ground acceleration	%g	Region = Western U.S.A.																			
U.S. EPA RMP Liquid Factor Boiling	s	Fire/Explosion Event = BLEVE																			
Duration of fireball																					

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    } else {
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    }
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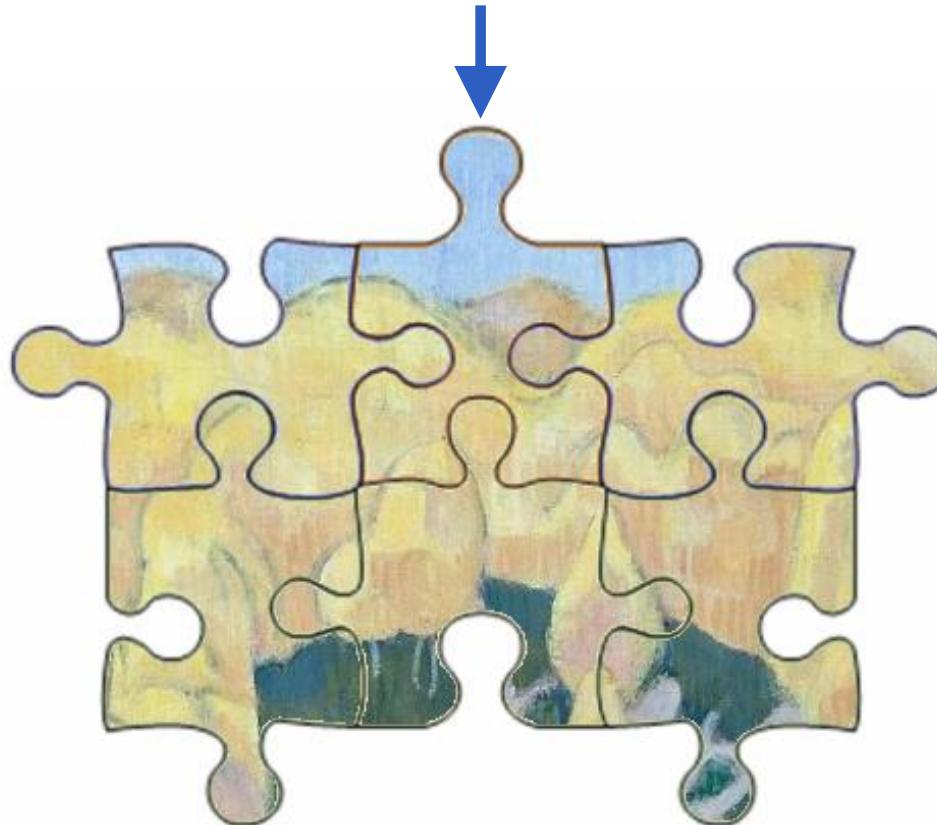


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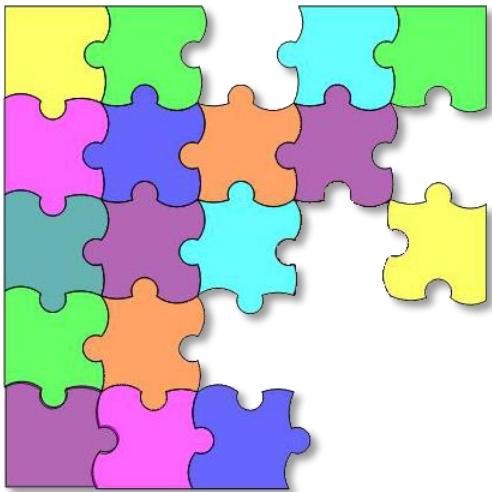
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# Property Estimation Framework

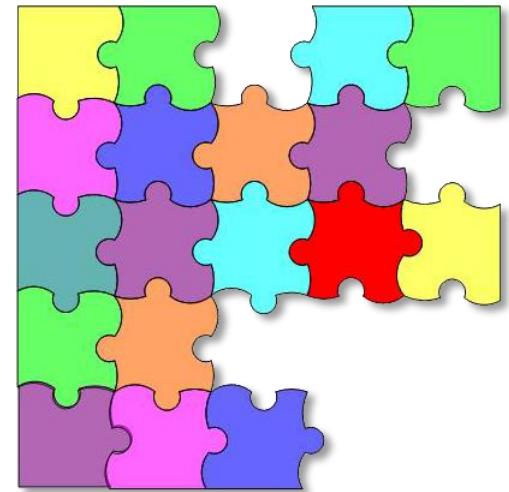
Estimated property



# Property Estimation Framework



$$+ \quad \text{Red puzzle piece} =$$



Building Blocks



Tool Kit



Model

# Property Estimation Framework

- Minimizes data input
  - **Estimates missing data**
- Provides extensibility
  - **Custom properties**
  - **Custom estimators**
- Increases flexibility
  - **Dynamic model building**
    - Uses most suitable estimators
    - Recursively
    - Exhaustively

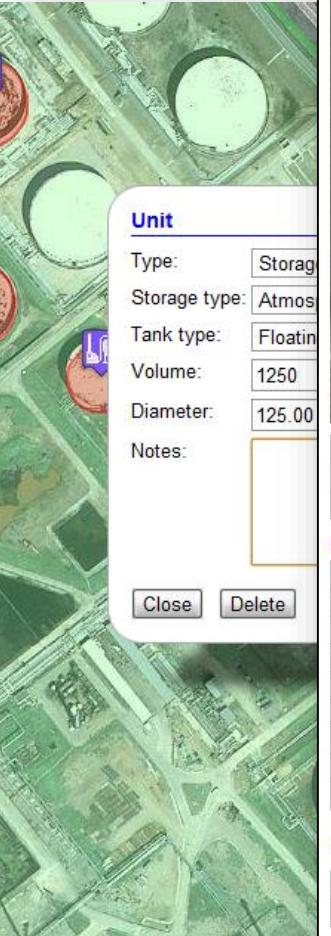


# Plants Module

### Facility Information

Google

Name: Turkis...  
Activity: Petrol...  
**Location**  
Country: Turkey  
Province: Izmir  
City: Aliaga  
Coordinate: 38° 48' 59.767", 29° 41' 53.976"



**Unit**

Type:	Storage
Storage type:	Atmospheric
Tank type:	Floating
Volume:	1250
Diameter:	125.00
Notes:	(empty)

**Properties**

Facility:	Anadolu Tasfiyehanesi AS - Merkez
Type:	Storage Tank
Coordinate:	36° 48' 59.767", 29° 41' 53.976"
Storage Condition:	Atmospheric
Shape:	Cylindrical Vertical
Roof Type:	Floating Roof
Construction Material:	Steel
Volume:	22284 m³*
Height:	14.011 m*
Diameter:	45 m
H/D Ratio:	0.3114 m/m*
Fill Level:	85 %*

**Substances**

No	Substance
1.	Naphtha (CAS: 8030-30-6)

### Substance Information

Name:	Acrylonitrile
CAS No:	107-13-1
EC No:	203-466-5
EC Index No:	608-003-00-4

#### Identifiers

Formula:	C <sub>3</sub> H <sub>3</sub> N
SMILES:	N#CC=C
InChI:	InChI=1/C3H3N/c1-2-3-4/h2H,1H2

#### Properties

Type of Chemical:	Toxic
State of Matter:	Liquid
Molecular Weight:	53.06 g/mol
Density:	49.677 lb/ft³* (0.7958 g/cm³)
Boiling Point:	77.35°C
Vapour Pressure:	108 mmHg (14399 Pa)
RMP Reference Table:	Dense
RMP Toxic Endpoint:	0.076 mg/L
RMP Density Factor:	0.61 ft²/lb
RMP Liquid Factor Ambient:	0.018
RMP Liquid Factor Boiling:	0.11
RMP Liquid Leak Factor:	39

Created: System

#### Aliases

acrylonitrile	EN
akrilonitril	TR

# Hazards Module

**Update Hazard**

Type:  \*  
Status:  \*

Name: New Britain Region, Papua

Date: 2012/03/14  \* YY  
Time: 21:13:11  HH:mm

Locked

**Catalog Data**

Catalog:  Country:

122615 records found

No	Date	Earthquake
581.	2011/11/01	Minahasa, Sulawesi, Indonesia
582.	2011/11/01	Minahasa, Sulawesi, Indonesia
583.	2011/11/01	Northern Xinjiang, China
584.	2011/11/01	Northern Xinjiang, China
585.	2011/10/31	Sichuan-Gansu Border, China
586.	2011/10/31	Sichuan-Gansu Border, China
587.	2011/10/31	Rat Islands, Aleutian Islands, USA
588.	2011/10/31	Rat Islands, Aleutian Islands, USA
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592.	2011/10/31	Rat Islands, Aleutian Islands, USA
593.	2011/10/31	Southern East Pacific
594.	2011/10/31	Southern East Pacific
595.	2011/10/31	Southern East Pacific
596.	2011/10/31	Gulf of Aden
597.	2011/10/31	Gulf of Aden
598.	2011/10/30	Antofagasta, Chile
599.	2011/10/30	Southern Sumatra, Indonesia
600.	2011/10/30	Southern Sumatra, Indonesia



**Natech Information**

Hazard:	Kocaeli Earthquake, Turkey, 1999/08/17
Facility:	Turkish Petroleum Refineries Corp. (TUPRAS)

**On-site Hazard Parameters**

European Macroseismic:	Destructive
Horizontal peak ground acceleration:	0.25 g
Vertical peak ground acceleration:	0.2 g
Peak Ground Displacement:	40–60 cm

**References**

No	Reference
1.	Girgin, S., "The natech events during the August 17, 1999 Kocaeli Earthquake," 2000.
2.	Durukal, E.; Erdik, M., "Physical and economic losses sustained by the industrial facilities during the 1999 Kocaeli Earthquake," 2000.
3.	Steinberg, L. J. and Cruz, A. M., "When natural and technological disasters converge: The 1999 Kocaeli Earthquake and the TUPRAŞ fire," 2005.
4.	Danış, H.; Görgün, M., "Marmara earthquake and TÜPRAŞ fire", 2005.
5.	Suzuki, K., "Report on damage to industrial facilities in the 1999 Kocaeli Earthquake," 2000.

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**Natech Damages**

No	Process Unit Type	Process Unit Properties	Damages
1.	Storage Tank	Storage Condition: Atmospheric Roof Type: Floating Roof Construction Material: Steel Base Support Type: Unanchored	Seligman et al., 2000.

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# Risk Assessment Module

## Fragility Curve Information

Name: HAZUS (2010) - Unanchored Tank  
 Abbreviation: HAZUS-JA  
 Plant Unit Type: Storage Tank  
 Damage Classification: Unanchored Tank

## Damage Classification Information

Name: HAZUS (2010) - Storage Tank

## Risk State Information

Damage Classification: HAZUS (2010) - Storage Tank  
 Damage State: DS3 (Moderate)  
 Precedence: Auto

### 1. Scenario Parameters

Involved Volume Percent: 2 %v

### 3. Validity Conditions

Hole Area: 0

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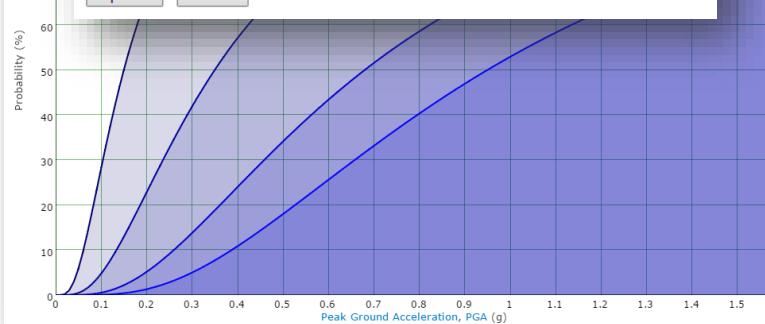
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## Create Risk Assessment

Name: Near the East Coast of Honshu, Japan, 2012/01/28 \*

## Hazard Information

Hazard: Near the East Coast of Honshu, Japan, 2012/01/28 [Search](#) \*

Hazard Map: ShakeMap (XML, Gzipped), 2012/01/28 00:42:19 ▾

## Industrial Plant Information

Industrial Plant: Plants within the cutoff distance [Search](#)

Cutoff Distance: 200 \* km

Exclude plants without units

## Risk Assessment

Damage Classification: - Auto -

Flexible fragility curve selection

Use private property estimators

## Risk Assessment Parameters

1. Parameter: Ambient Temperature \* Value: 20 f \* Unit: oc \* [-](#) [+](#)

2. Parameter: Topography \* Value: Urban \* [-](#) [+](#)

3. Parameter: RMP Scenario \* Value: Worst-case \* [-](#) [+](#)

## Notes

Automated natech risk assessment for Near the East Cost of Honshu, Japan Earthquake occurred on 2012/01/28.

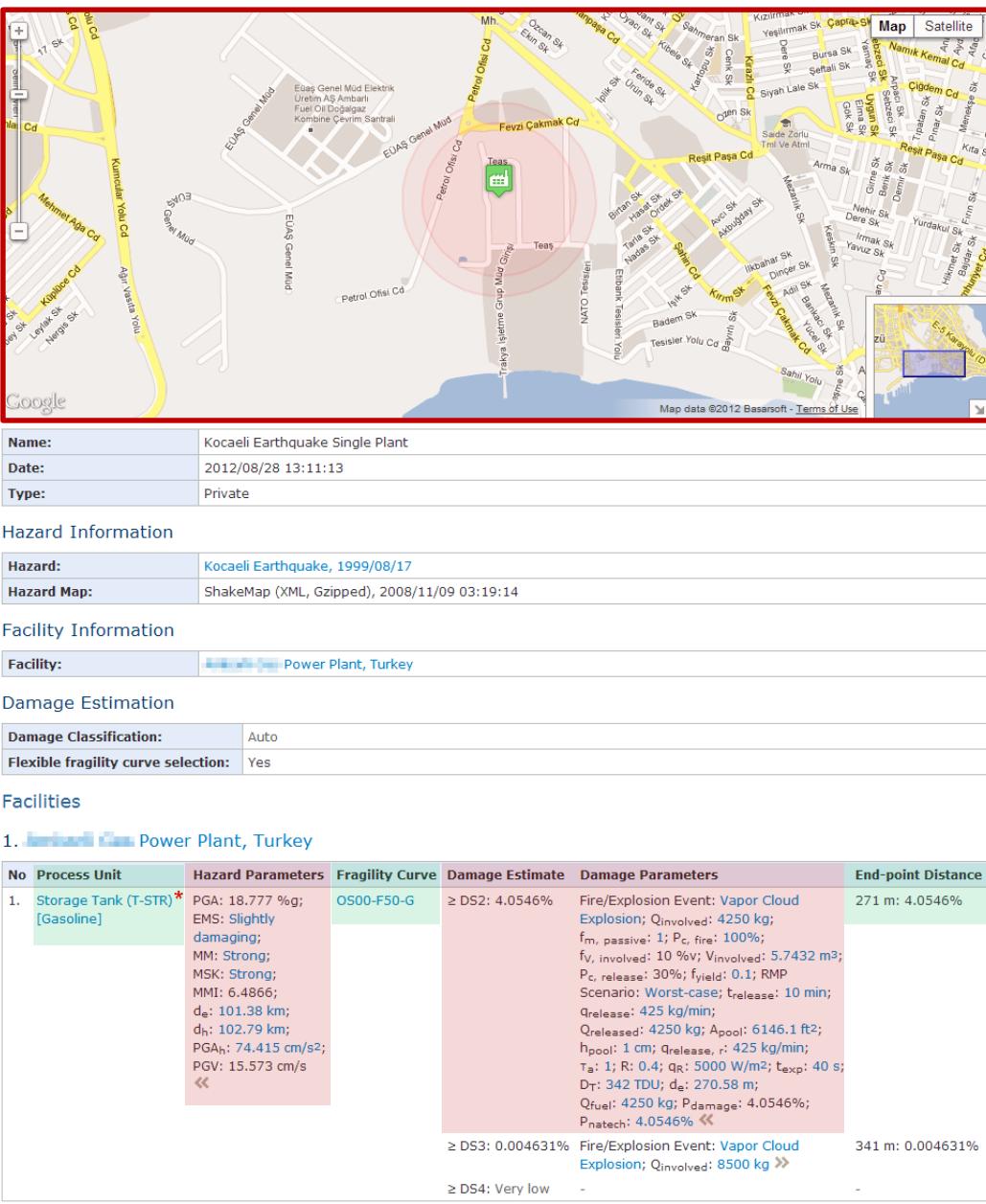
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## Data Protection

Access: Private

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# Risk Assessment



# Data Availability

- Global coverage
- > 21,000 earthquakes (> M 5.5)
- > 56,700 earthquake catalog data
- > 12,000 ShakeMaps
- > 5,500 industrial facilities\*
  - **Refineries**
  - **Power plants**
- > 64,500 plant units\*
  - **Storage tanks**

\* Not publicly available

# Data Availability

- > 375 properties
- > 590 property estimators
- Implemented methodologies
  - **U.S. EPA RMP Offsite Consequence Analysis**  
(U.S. EPA, 1999)
  - **Preliminary Natach Risk Assessment in Urban Areas**  
(Cruz and Okada, 2008)

# Consequence models

- Source term
  - Instantaneous release
  - Release from a hole
  - Pool Evaporation
- Atmospheric dispersion
  - Based on U.S. EPA ALOHA model
  - Bouyant / Dense
  - Rural / Urban
  - D stability, 3.0 m/s wind / F stability, 1.5 m/s wind
  - Chemical-specific: Ammonia, Chlorine, Sulfur Dioxide
- Fire/Explosion
  - Vapor Cloud Fire
  - Pool Fire (Point source, Solid-surface)
  - BLEVE
  - Vapor Cloud Explosion (TNT-equivalent, Multi-energy)

# Resources



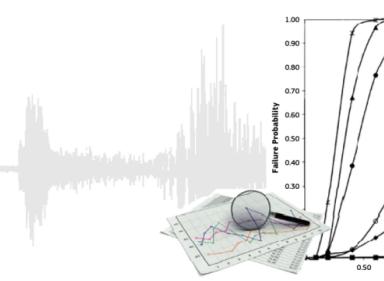
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### Rapid Natach Risk Assessment Tool

User Manual  
Version 1.0

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2012



In the graph, the Y-axis is labeled "Failure Probability" ranging from 0.00 to 1.00. The X-axis represents time. There are four curves starting at (0,0): a solid black curve reaching ~0.95 at 1000 seconds; a dashed black curve reaching ~0.85 at 1000 seconds; a solid grey curve reaching ~0.75 at 1000 seconds; and a dashed grey curve reaching ~0.65 at 1000 seconds.

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**RAPID-N: Rapid natach risk assessment and mapping framework**

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**ABSTRACT**

Natach accidents at industrial plants are an emerging risk with possibly serious consequences. For the mitigation of such risk, information needed to identify natach-prone areas in a timely manner is required. In order to facilitate natach risk management, a methodology was developed that can be used for the estimation of on-site natach hazard parameters, determination of damage probabilities of plant units, and assessment of probability and severity of possibly triggered natach events. The methodology was implemented in a software framework called RAPID-N, which allows rapid local and regional natach risk assessment and mapping with minimal data input. RAPID-N features an innovative data estimation framework to complete missing input data, such as site-specific data, by using data from similar sites. The software also provides a user interface for data analysis, damage assessment and natach consequence analysis, and allows easy modification of input parameters, dynamic generation of consequence models according to data availability, and extension of models by adding new hazard types. The software also generates natach maps, natach risk maps, natach consequence maps and interactive risk maps, which can be used for land-use and emergency planning purposes by using scenario hazards, or for rapid natach consequence assessment following actual disasters. As proof of concept, the methodology was applied to a case study of a chemical plant located in Turkey. The proposed Consequence Analysis methodology to perform natach consequence analysis and includes comprehensive data for earthquakes. It is readily extensible to other natural hazards and more comprehensive risk assessment methods.

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**1. Introduction**

In the past, several authors developed natach risk assessment methodologies of varying levels of resolution. Gürbüz and Ünal (2008) proposed a qualitative natach risk screening methodology at the district level while Sabatini et al. (2008) developed an index method aimed mainly at ranking natach hazards at the regional level. In addition, Kocaeli and Duzce earthquakes in 1999 were used as a qualitative screening tool using a multi-criteria decision model. Antonioni, Spadoni, and Cazzani (2007) and Campedel, Cazzani, and Antonioni (2008) proposed a methodology to describe the development and application of a procedure for the systematic assessment of natach risk due to earthquake impact. Antonioni, Bonvicini, Spadoni, and Cazzani (2010) generalized this procedure to other potential hazards and hazard maps. These hazard maps and case study natach risk maps display individual and societal risk around an industrial facility, which were obtained using an expert-based approach and the RAPID-N software. However, a detailed methodology for natach risk assessment and mapping is currently not available. Recent studies also showed that hardly any natach risk maps exist for the EU and OECD member states. Where available, these maps are often generated for major geological hazards without considering site-specific features or the interaction of hazards (Krausmann & Baranov, 2009, 2012). The

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## Case-Study Application I: RAPID-N

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In this chapter, the rapid Natach risk analysis and mapping framework RAPID-N introduced in Chapter 8 is used to carry out a simplified Natach risk analysis for an industrial facility in İmıt Bay in Turkey that was subjected to a predicted Istanbul earthquake scenario. The results demonstrate RAPID-N's capability to assess the earthquake impact on an industrial plant, including the simultaneous analysis of the Natach risk at several plant units.

### 10.1 EARTHQUAKE SCENARIO

The Marmara region is one of the most tectonically active regions in Eurasia. Over the last century, seismic activity with nine earthquakes with  $M_w \geq 7$  was registered. The Kocaeli and Duzce earthquakes in 1999 were two extremely destructive events that occurred in the eastern part of the region along the North Anatolian Fault (NAF). The NAF is a strike-slip fault system that crosses the north of Turkey for over 1200 km and accommodates about 25 mm right lateral slip per year between the Anatolian and the Eurasian plates (McClusky et al., 2000; Straub et al., 1997).

The large earthquakes generated by the NAF are in a sequence that appears to propagate westward (Stein et al., 1997; Burke, 1992; Ambroseys, 1970). The 1999 Kocaeli earthquake occurred in the southern part of the eastern border of Istanbul province. The westward motion of the earthquakes suggests that Istanbul is at high risk of being hit by strong future seismic activity. Studies estimate that the occurrence probability of  $M_w \geq 7$  earthquakes in the Marmara region which could impact the Istanbul Metropolitan area is  $41 \pm 14\%$  for the time period of 2004–34 (Parsons, 2004). The Yalova fault segment in the south of Istanbul and the Northern Boundary fault in the southeast have the potential to rupture and are therefore of the biggest concern in this context (Parsons et al., 2000; Huben-Ferrari et al., 2000).

The high level of seismic risk warrants an in-depth assessment of the regional earthquake hazard to understand potential impacts to the urban area and the hazardous industry it includes. The Istanbul disaster prevention and mitigation plan completed in 2002 considers four different scenario earthquakes for the assessment of potential seismic damage (JICA, 2002). These four scenarios differ in the assumed location and length of NAF rupture. For this RAPID-N case study we have selected

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## CHAPTER 10

# Application Areas

- Rapid local and regional natech risk analysis
- Land-use and emergency planning
- Identification of infrastructures at risk
- Preliminary damage and consequence assessment
- Early warning

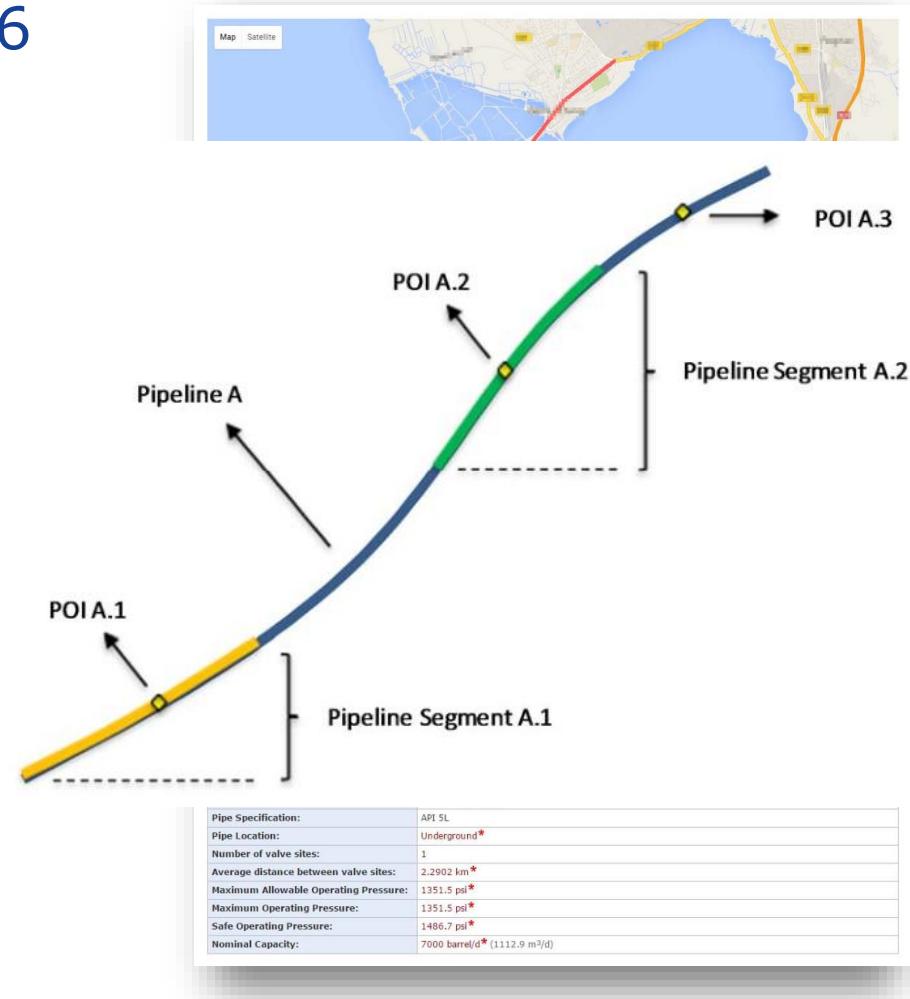


# Ongoing and Future Research

- Extension to other natural hazards (**Floods, Lightning**)
- Extension to other industrial facilities (**Pipelines**)
- Automated Natech damage and consequence assessment (**Natech Alert**)
- Multiple-scenario analysis
- Integration with ADAM
- Domino effects
- Consideration of risk receptors
- Statistical analysis of natech data (**Fragility Functions**)

# Pipeline Natech Risk Assessment

- Prototype completed in 2016  
(JRC Technical Report JRC101463)
- Pipeline-specific entities
  - **Pipeline**
  - **Pipeline Segment**
  - **Point of interest (POI)**
- Pipeline-specific data
  - **Damage states**
  - **Fragility functions**
  - **Properties**
  - **Property estimators**

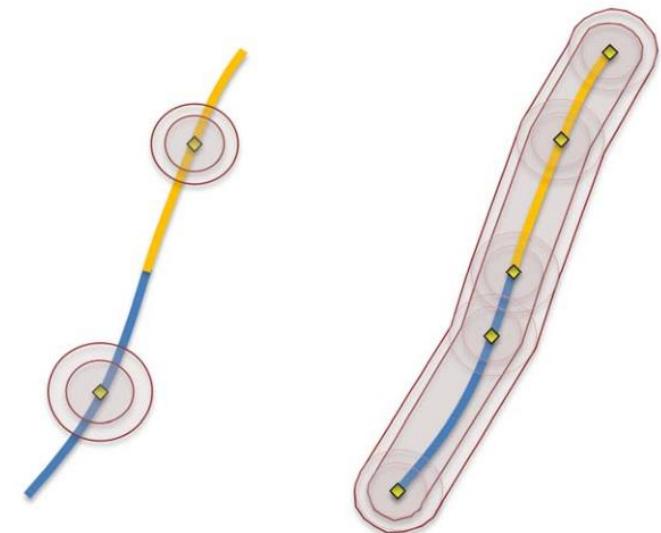


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- Pipeline-specific features
  - Overlapping segments
  - Auto-segmentation
  - Automated POI generation
  - Impact zone consolidation

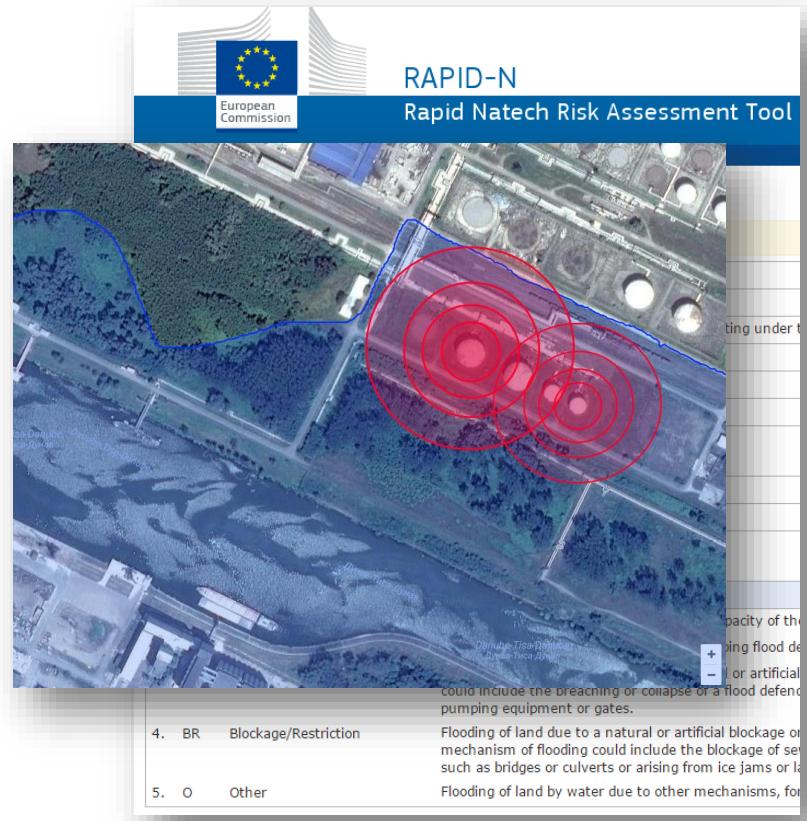
Hazard Parameter	POI 1	POI 2	
Epicentral distance	33.7 km	42.8 km	
Hypocentral distance	95.2 km	98.8 km	
Modifie	Damage and Consequence Parameter	POI 1	POI 2
Europe	Damage probability, = RS1 (limited loss)	$1.7 \cdot 10^{-4}$	$1.3 \cdot 10^{-4}$
Instru	Damage probability, = RS2 (significant loss)	$8.1 \cdot 10^{-11}$	$2.1 \cdot 10^{-11}$
Peak g	Release rate	5.3 kg/s	5.3 kg/s
Horizo	Maximum pool diameter	11 m	11 m
Peak g	End-point distance (5 kW/m <sup>2</sup> )	27 m	27 m

Pipeline A	Segment A.1	Segment A.2	Final Pipeline Segmentation
Diameter: 14"			14", 2 m cover, Rural, NEHRP Class C
Topography: Urban			14", 2 m cover, Urban, NEHRP Class D
NEHRP Site Class: D		Cover depth: 3 m	14", 3 m cover, Urban, NEHRP Class D
NEHRP Site Class: C			14", 3 m cover, Rural, NEHRP Class C
			14", 2 m cover, Rural, NEHRP Class C



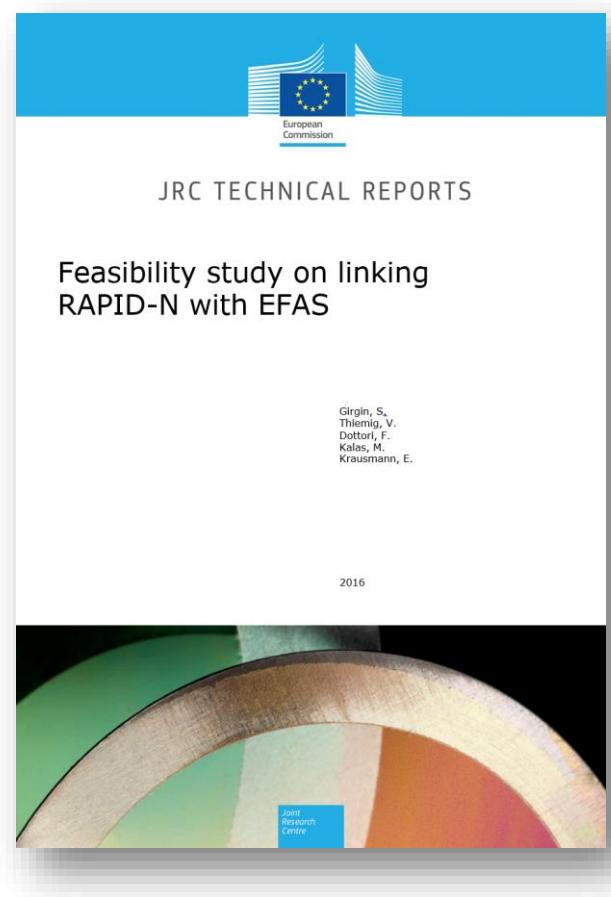
# Flood Natech Risk Assessment

- 1<sup>st</sup> phase completed in 2016  
(MAHB-ECHO AA 2015-2016)
- Collection of scientific and technical knowledge
  - **Methodologies**
  - **Hazard data sources**
  - **Equipment vulnerability**
  - **Consequence analysis**
- Gap analysis
  - **Modifications**
  - **Further development**



# Flood Natech Risk Assessment

- EFAS/RAPID-N interoperability  
(JRC Technical Report JRC105055)
- Benefits
  - **Flood hazard data for natech risk assessment**
  - **Natech risk data for emergency management**
  - **Flood forecasts → Natech Alert**
  - **Data sharing between JRC systems**



# Today

**eNatech**

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eNATECH - Natural hazard analysis and tools for Europe

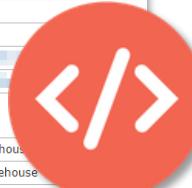
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**Natech Information**

Type:	Natech
Date:	1999/08/17
Natural hazard:	
Industrial site:	

**Units Involved**

- 1.** Name: Chemical warehouse  
Type: Storage – Warehouse
- 2.** Name: Crude oil unit stack  
Type: Process – Stack  
Description: Stack of the new crude oil unit
- 3.** Name: Plant 25 (Crude oil)  
Type: Process – Other  
Year of construction: 1982  
Description: Crude-oil processing plant

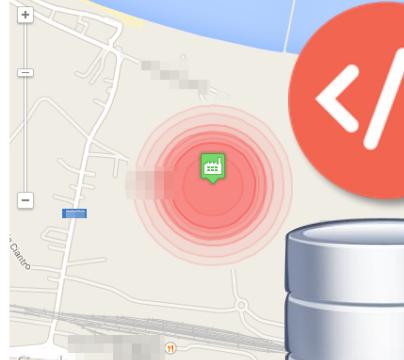


**RAPID-N**

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Rapid Natech Risk Assessment

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**Risk Assessment Information**



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Natech Incident Data Analysis Tools

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**Edit Incident**

**Source**: PHMSA Hazardous Liquid Incident Data

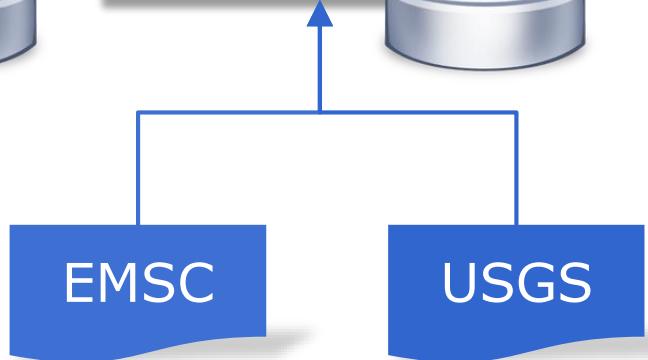
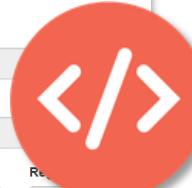
**Date**: 1985/04/05

**Country**: United States

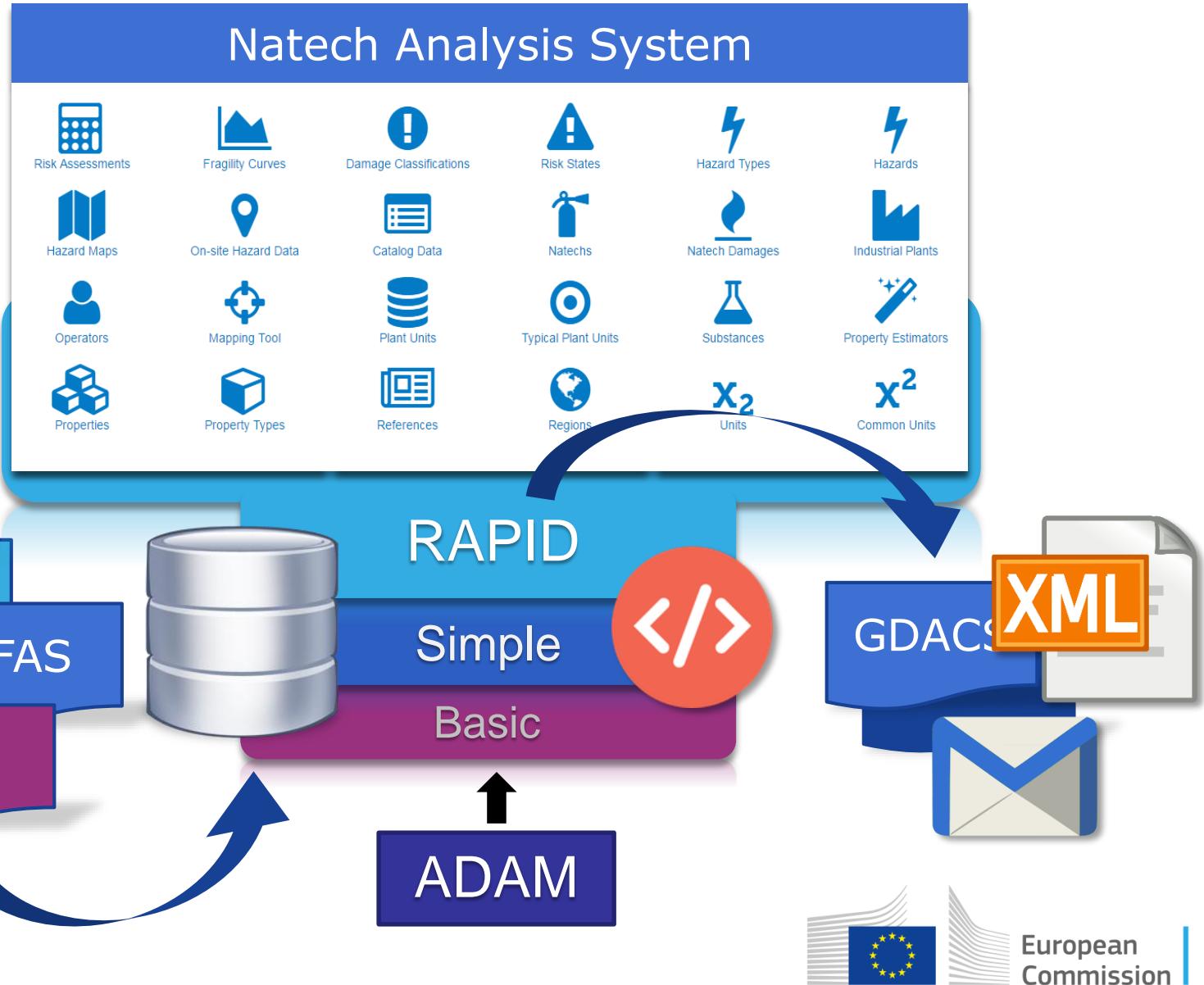
**Location**: Highway 55 and Highway 280 (nearest)

**Map**: Alabama

**Operator**: Colonial Pipeline



# Outlook



# New Version

- Prototype is completed (NATECH WPK 984)
- Features
  - **Object-oriented code base**
    - Fully documented
  - **Modern architecture**
    - Stand-alone data definition/estimation framework
    - Data abstraction layer (advance query, DB-independent)
    - Simplified record definition syntax
  - **Improved user interface**
    - Responsive
    - Mobile friendly
  - **Advance data estimation/analysis**

# New Version



**Private**

**Name:** Skarlatoudis et al.

**Property:** Peak Ground Accel

**Type:** Function

**Function:**

```
def func(d):
    if d <= 0.86:
        return 0.86
    elif d <= 0.45:
        return 0.45
    else:
        return 1.27 * (d - 0.45)^(1.7) + 0.45
```

**Unit:** cm/s<sup>2</sup>

**Exact Estimate:** No

**Precedence:** Auto

**Disabled:** No

**Notes:** See Douglas (2011)  
Validation: M = 5.0  
NEHRP = 'B', FM = km : PGA = 4.647;

**Validity Conditions**

<b>Moment Magnitude:</b>	4.5-7
<b>Focal Depth:</b>	0-30.1 km
<b>Faulting Mechanism:</b>	Normal, Thrust, St
<b>Epicentral Distance:</b>	1.5-150 km

**Validity Regions**

<b>No Region</b>
1. Greece-Bulgaria Border Region (363)
2. Greece (364)
3. Aegean Sea (365)
4. Southern Greece (366)
5. Dodecanese Islands, Greece (369)
6. Crete, Greece (370)
7. Greece-Albania Border Region (392)
8. Ionian Sea (399)

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**Name:** American Lifelines Alliance (2001)- Storage Tank

**Hazard Type:** Earthquake

**Plant Unit Type:** Storage Tank

**Description:** Design states according to American Lifelines Alliance's "Seismic Fragility Formulations for Meter Systems" guideline (2001).

**Status:**

- Code: OS1
- Name: No damage
- Description:

**Code:**

- OS1
- OS2

**M:** 6.0, **d:** 10 km, **NEHRP:** 'B', **FM:** 'S', **hf:** 10 km, **PGA:** 100.009 cm/s<sup>2</sup>

**M:** 5.0, **d:** 100 km, **NEHRP:** 'B', **FM:** 'S', **hf:** 10 km, **PGA:** 4.648 cm/s<sup>2</sup>

**Access:** Public

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# RAPID-N

- Integrated natech risk assessment framework
- User-friendly interface
- Publicly available (**web application**)
- Rapid regional and local analysis
- Ready-to-use data
- Data estimation (**minimum data input**)
- Extensible structure (**easily customizable**)
- Dynamic model building
- Regularly updated



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