

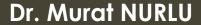






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AFAD

AFAD is the sole governmental authority responsible from disaster and emergency management topics established under Ministry of Interior. In addition to central organisation, AFAD has 81 provincial units and 11 SAR units. Total number of staff is approximately 6.000.

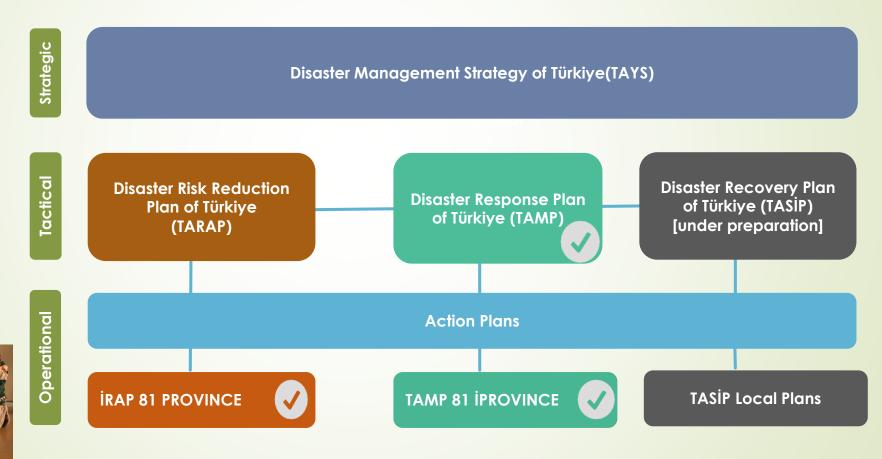


AFAD has responsibilities at every stage of disaster management cycle (including planning, risk reduction, preparation, response and recovery) and administrative scheme has been designed accordingly.



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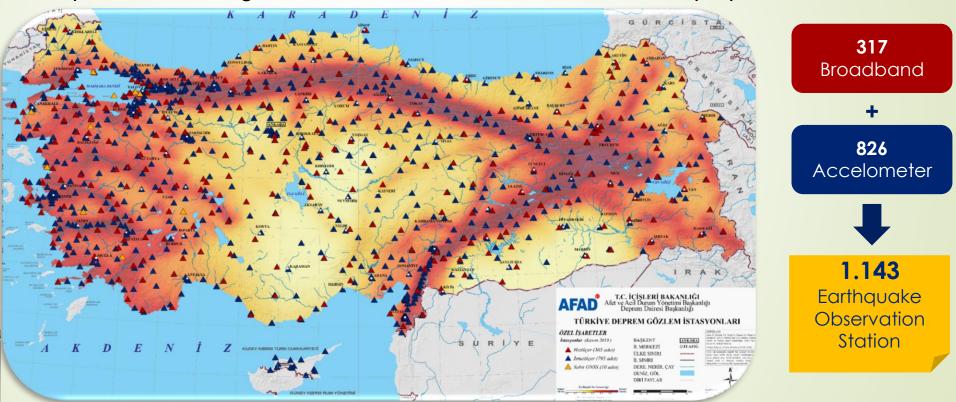
AFAD prepared several national level strategies and plans in order to better co-ordinate and implement disaster and emergency management topics.



In addition to above plans, National Earthquake Strategy and Action plan (UDSEP-2023) have been operational since 2011.

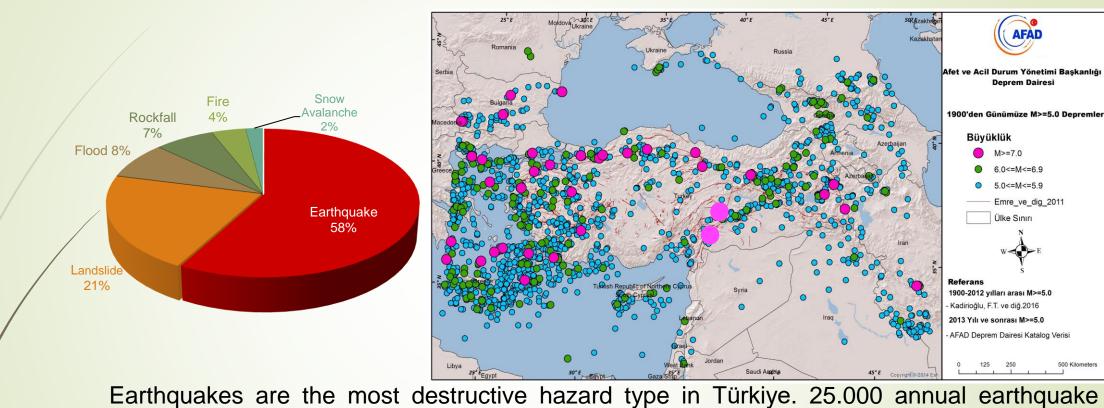
AFAD (Earthquake Department)

AFAD Earthquake Department is the sole national authority to operate national level earthquake observation network in Türkiye. In addition national level earthquake hazard maps and building codes are prepared by AFAD Earthquake Department. The Department conducts several nationally and internationally owned projects in the field of earthquake risk management like risk reduction, awareness and preparation.

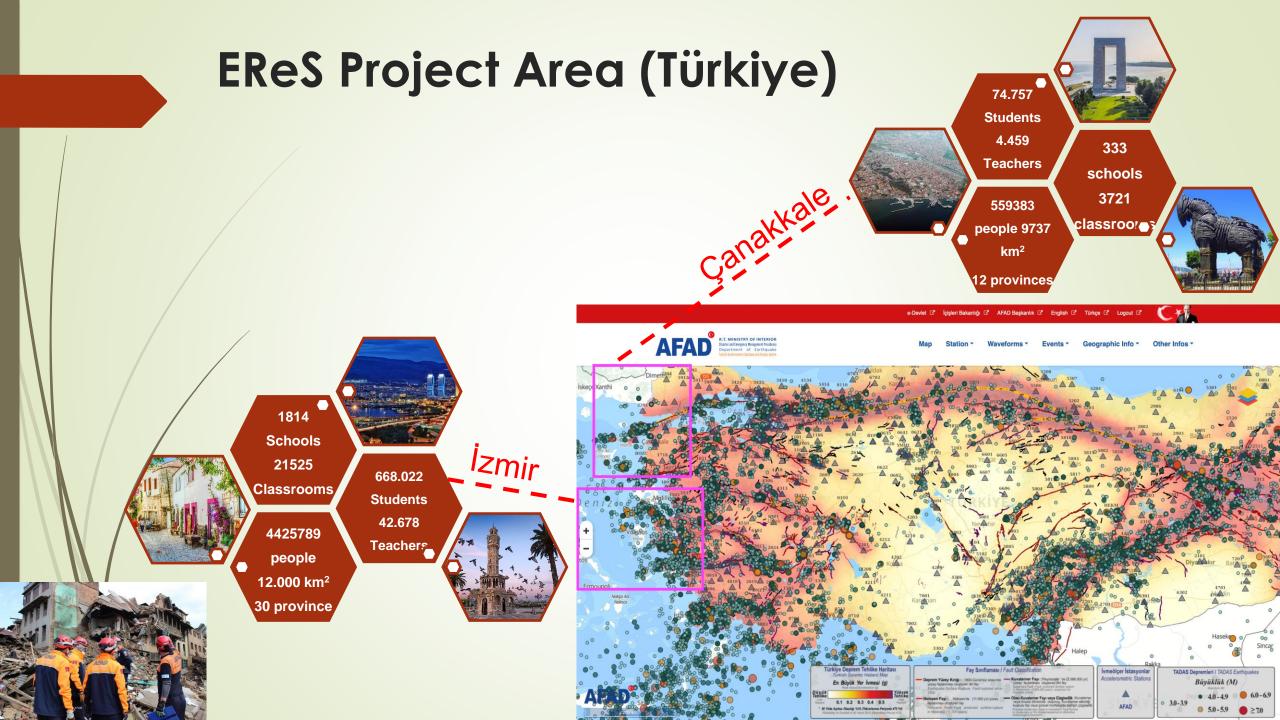


AFAD operates the second biggest seismic network in Europe including seismometers, GNSS, etc.

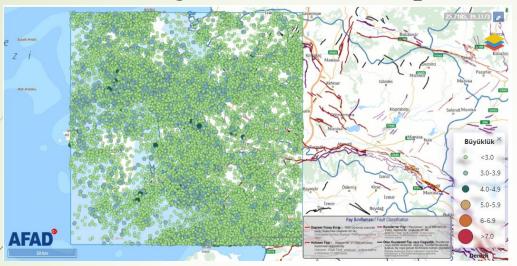
Seismicity of Türkiye



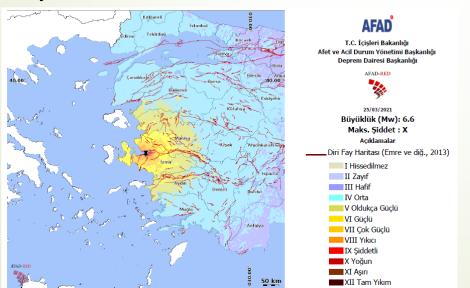
Earthquakes are the most destructive hazard type in Türkiye. 25.000 annual earthquake calculated in Türkiye. Between 6 February – 01 May 2023 approximately 32.000 aftershock calculated following the earthquake doublet (Kahramanmaras Earthquakes, 06 February 2023). From 1900, 248 destructive earthquakes occured in Türkiye with 138.000 loss of lives and almost 1.000.000 destruction.



ERes Project Area (Türkiye)

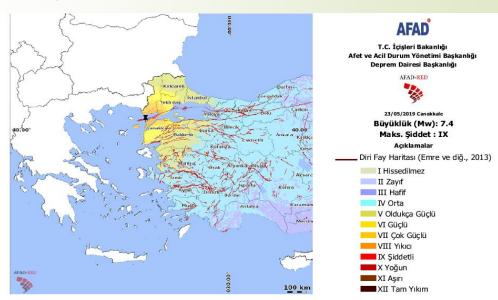


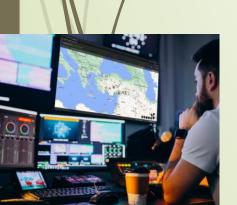
Total number of earthquakes in the extended study area is: 85.088





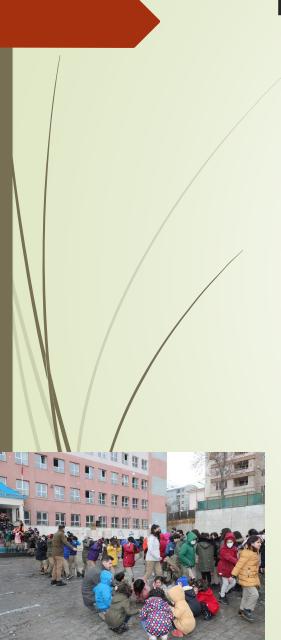
Total number of earthquakes in the extended study area is: 15.297



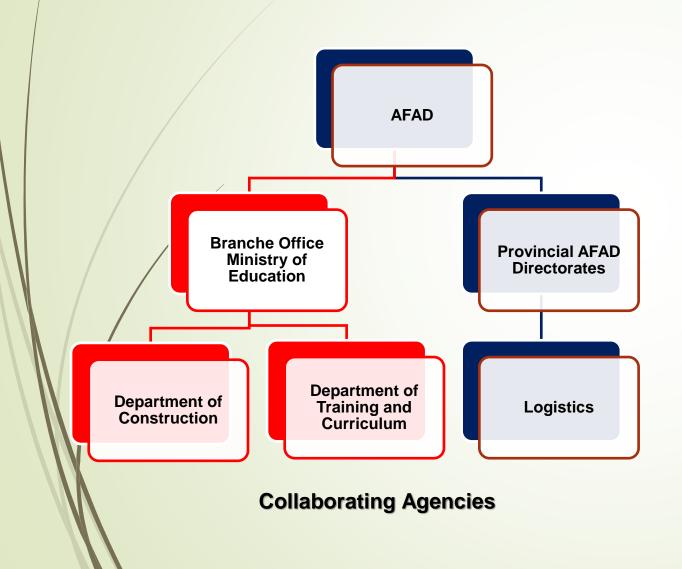


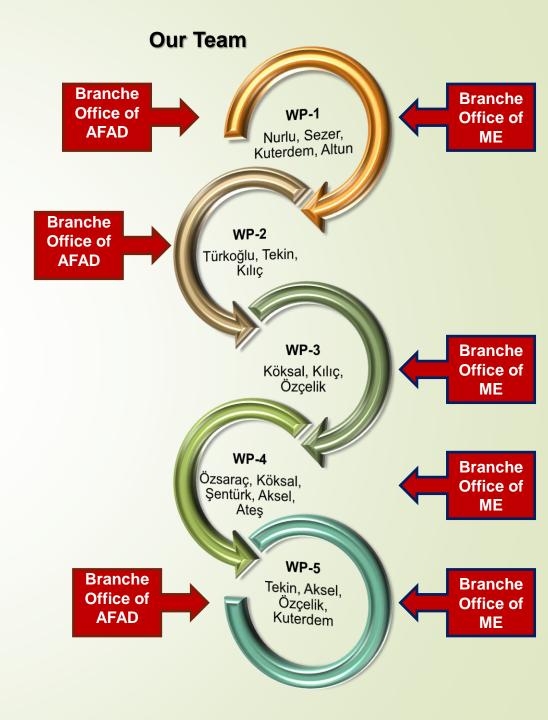


- Databases of geology, active faults, demography, transportation, buildings, critical facilities have been started.,
- Preparations for the earthquake catalogues have started. Existing strong motion database preparations have started,
- Evaluations for test schools;
 - Determiantion of schools to be affected by using scenario outputs of AFAD-RED,
 - ✓ Selection of schools on three different soil conditions (alluvial, sedimentary, volcanic ??),
 - Construction year, type of construction, height, consistency with the Project?
 - ✓ First communication with local partners started (Provincial AFAD Directorates, Provincial Directorates of Education),
- Realtime earthquake data transfer to GTU from pilot stations started,



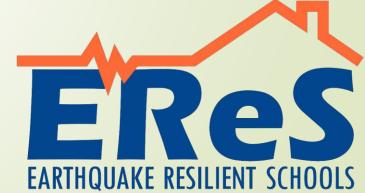
Project Organisation





Planned Studies

- ☐ Conclusion of planned activities until September 2023,
- □ On-line and/or in-situ meetings with local authorities until September 2023 (confirmation of local support, information dissemination on project goals),
- ☐ Investigation of test schools with GTU until September 2023,
- ☐ Establishment of low cost sensors (if procured) to test schools, planning of field activities with GTU until the end of 2023,
- □ Planning of training and educational activities for school based education activities in coordination with local authorities until September 2023,
- □ Organisational activities for the project presentation at local level until 2023.







Thanks for your kind interest

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