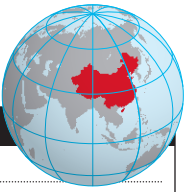
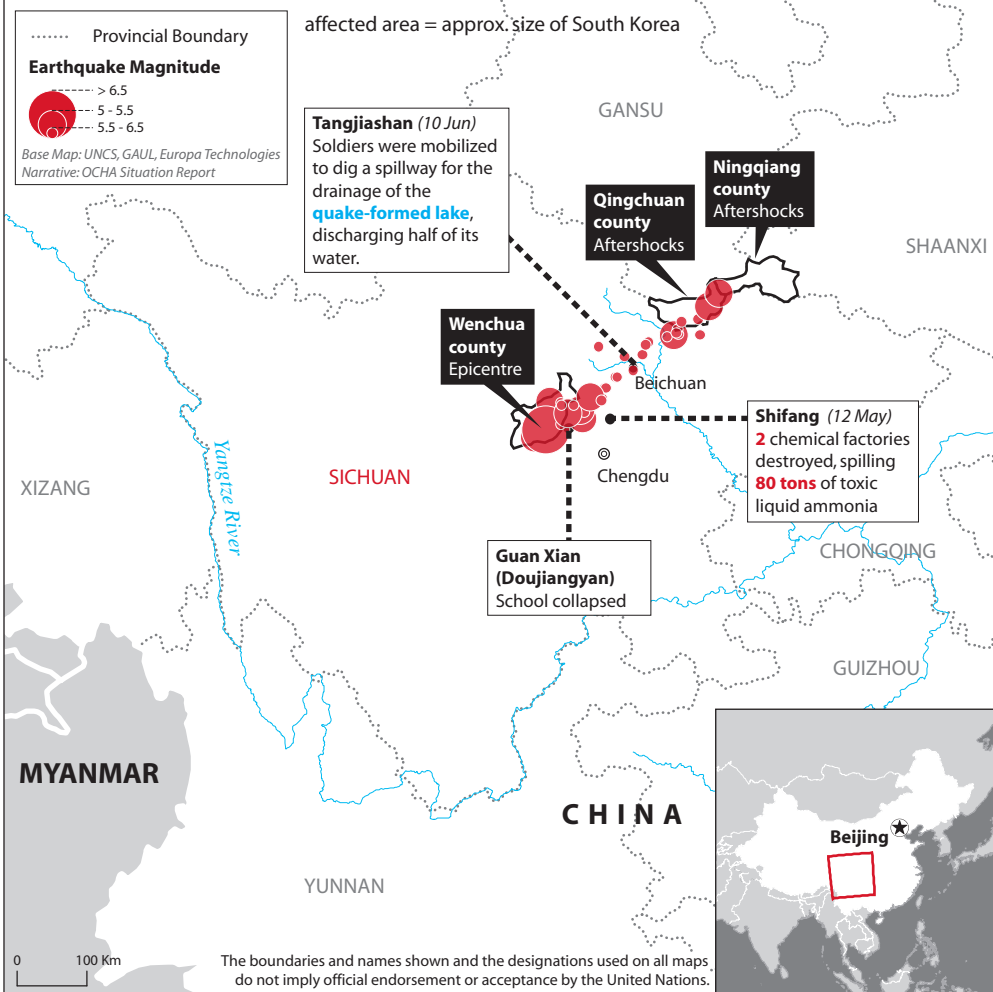


China: Earthquake (as of 17 Jun 2008)



Earthquake Epicentre and Aftershocks



- On **12 May 2008** a major earthquake measuring **8** on the Richter scale (RS) struck **Wenchuan** county, Aبا prefecture. The earthquake took place at 14.48 Beijing time and tremors were felt as far as Wuhan, Shanghai and Beijing.
- Aftershocks have resulted in landslides and the creation of quake lakes.

- As of **17 June**, **12,611** aftershocks have been recorded, including an aftershock on **25 May** measuring **5.4** RS in **Qingchuan** county which resulted in the death of **8** people, **927** people injured and **400,000** homes destroyed.

Population



Total

- 46,200,000** affected⁵
- 15,000,000** evacuated⁷
- 10,000,000** living below the poverty line (est.)²
- 5,000,000** homeless⁷
- 374,159** injured⁵
- 69,172** dead⁵
- 17,420** missing⁵
- 9,000** dead in collapsed schools⁷
- 2,000** orphans⁷



Relief Supplies



Makeshift Houses

- 1,500,000** mandated to be built³
- 171,600** built⁵
- 40,500** under construction⁵



14,100,000 garments⁵



4,820,000 quilts⁵



1,430,000 tents⁵



2,460,000 tons of coal⁵



1,150,000 tons of fuel oil⁵

Damages



Buildings

- 21,000,000** buildings damaged⁷
- 5,000,000** buildings collapsed⁷
- 8,426** water plants damaged⁴ of which **6,033** repaired⁴

Roads

- 7,000** schools destroyed⁶
- 53,294** km of roads destroyed⁵ of which **52,152** km restored⁵

Power Supply

- 125** power supply cut-off⁵ of which **116** restored⁵

Economy (USD)

- 86,000,000,000** economic lost (est.)⁷
- \$ 3,370,000,000** China's Disaster Relief Fund⁷
- 8,000,000** CERF grant¹
- 8** years to rebuild⁶
- 29,000,000,000** to
- 43,000,000,000** needed for the local economy to recover⁶