## Earthquakes & Volcanoes, Lecture 3 **Steve Marshak**

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## What can we do to mitigate earthquake hazard? • Earthquake hazard maps (e.g., identify places with higher probability of earthquakes). • Earthquake zoning (e.g., avoid locations subject to landslides or liquefaction). • Emergency action plans (e.g., evacuation routes; fire-fighting strategy; etc.) • Earthquake early warning systems (i.e., alarms trigger gas-line shut off; train stoppage; etc.) • Earthquake-resistant design (i.e., for buildings; bridges; slopes; etc.) • Earthquake-resistant retrofitting (i.e., reinforce existing buildings)

Individual precautions



































































50 km

Recent sediment <0.7 Ma volcanic rock 0.7–3.1 Ma volcanic rock >3.1 Ma volcanic rock

44



















