

[1] IISEE's CMTs, Aftershock Distributions, Fault Planes, and Rupture Processes for recent large earthquakes in the world

The IISEE has started a project to determine the following earthquake information for recent large (Mw>=7.2) earthquakes in the world by the analytical techniques developed by the IISEE staff members and visiting researchers.

- Centroid moment tensor (CMT)
- Aftershock distribution and corresponding fault plane
- Rupture process

We have also developed software to perform strong ground motion simulation for seismic bedrock using stochastic Green's function method.

Our earthquake information together with information issued by other some institutions is available at the followings:

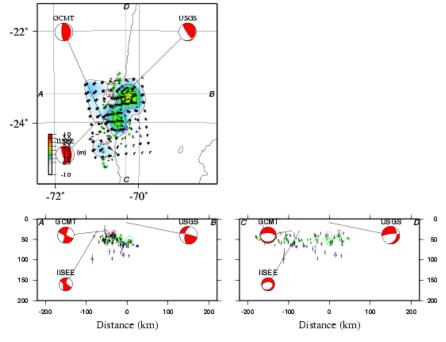
Top page: http://iisee.kenken.go.jp/eqcat/Top_page_en.htm

Search page: http://iisee.kenken.go.jp/cgi-bin/eqcatalog/eqcatalog2_eng.cgi

Please visit the above sites. Your feedbacks will be appreciated. Thank you.

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Example: July 30, 1995 NEAR COAST OF NORTHERN CHILE (Mw 8.0)

Earthquake

[2] FAQs page is available on IISEE website

We've created FAQs (Frequently Asked Questions) page inside the IISEE website, on which you can see some questions that we often receive, and their answers. Please visit this page and review the contents. We wish this page help your understanding of our activities and solving your questions about our policy. If you have further questions, feel free to contact us.

Website: http://iisee.kenken.go.jp/faq.html

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[3] IAEE World List 2008 was issued

International Association for Earthquake Engineering (IAEE) issued the "Regulations for Seismic Design-A World List 2008" and opened it on the website of IAEE with the cooperation of IISEE. It covers the regulations for seismic design of 65 countries or areas in the world. To access the World List, please visit the website: http://www.iaee.or.jp/

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[4] IISEE Alumni Meeting in Tsukuba

As we informed in the last newsletter, we are going to hold the IISEE Alumni Meeting in the evening of the November 26th during the 7th General Assembly of Asian Seismological Commission (ASC). On the 26th, the poster session of the ASC meeting finishes at 18:15pm. We plan to hold the alumni meeting after this poster session at a restaurant or cafe near the conference place.

We would like to learn the number of participants to this alumni meeting. If you join this alumni meeting, please fill the following and send it back to us (iiseenews@kenken.go.jp)?

Name:

Country:

Year(s) of IISEE training participation:

I attend the IISEE Alumni Meeting on the November 26th

during the coming ASC in Tsukuba.

Please understand that the IISEE does not support any fees for your trip, stay, and participations in the ASC and alumni meetings. Thank you very much in advance for your cooperation.

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We send this IISEE Newsletter to ex-participants whose e-mail addresses are known. The IISEE send you new information actively and accept your contribution at any time. In order to enlarge our IISEE network, we'd like to ask you to invite your fellow ex-participants whose e-mail addresses are unknown to us to join us. We welcome your comments about the IISEE Newsletter. Please feel free to send us your comments and opinions.

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