

South Pacific: Tsunami



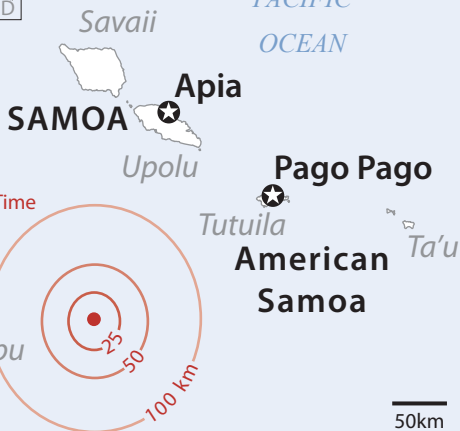
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Earthquake

Magnitude: 8.0

Date: 29 Sep 2009

Time: 6:48:11 Local Time



50km
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29 Sep 2009 - Sixty eight confirmed dead with numbers expecting to rise after a series of tsunamis triggered by an earthquake hit Samoa, American Samoa and northern Tonga. A state of emergency was declared in Niuatoputapu, a state of disaster declared in Samoa and a major disaster declared in American Samoa.

Map Sources: Europa Technologies, Gov't. of USA, UNCS, USGS.

Reference: OCHA. *Samoa Tsunami Situation Report #2*. 30 Sep 2009.

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