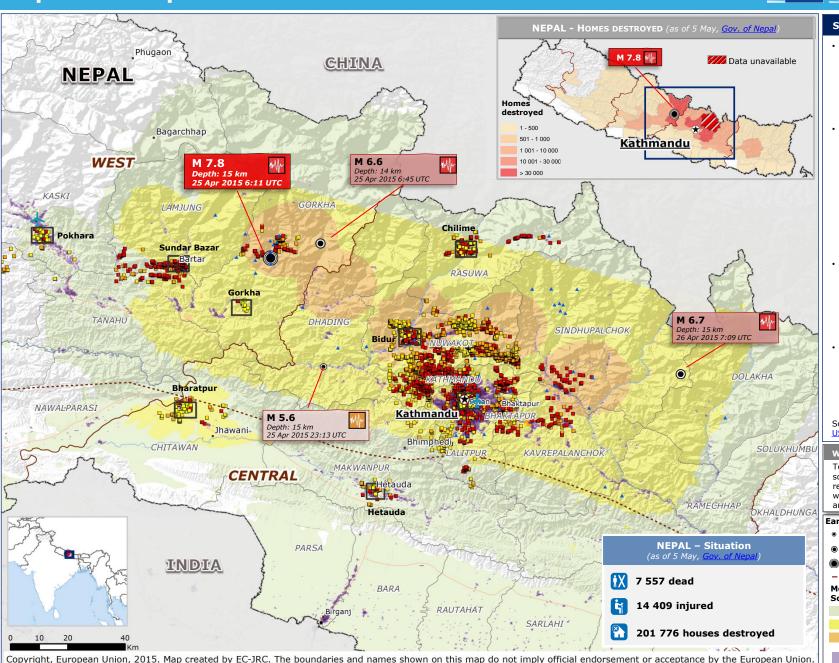
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SITUATION

- The death toll has now increased to 7 557, with 14 409 people injured, according to the Government of Nepal. Most of the deaths are in the district of Sindhupalchowk (2 911), where over 80% of houses are reported to have been destroyed (confirmed by ECHO experts on the ground).
- The Government of Nepal has announced the end of the search and rescue phase. The emergency humanitarian response is now scaling up, with the arrival of international air assets. However, the relief effort is still struggling to reach beyond district centres, with large areas still to be accessed. To support relief efforts in more remote areas, humanitarian hubs have been established in Sindulpalchowk and Gorkha districts, with further hubs to be set up in Kavre and Tanahu districts.
- ECHO experts have conducted rapid field assessments in Gorkha, Lamjang, Sindhupalchok and Dhading districts. Immediate priority needs are identified as emergency shelter, emergency health care, and logistics. Where markets are functioning, cash transfers are recommended over in-kind distributions.
- On 4 May, following the visit by Commissioner Stylianides to Nepal, the European Commission announced a second humanitarian response allocation of EUR 3 million, hence doubling the initial allocated amount to EUR 6 million in total.

Sources: ECHO, <u>GDACS</u>, <u>COPERNICUS-EMS</u>, <u>USGS</u>, UN OCHA, <u>Nepalese Government</u>.

Weather Forecast

Temporary thunderstorms may locally affect some areas of the western and eastern hilly region during the afternoon of 5 and 6 May, as well as light snowfall in some mountainous areas of the Western Region. Sources: NOAA, MFD

arth	nquake magnitude	COPERNICUS EMS
۲	5.5 - 6.0	Areas of interest
۲	6.0- 7.0	of Grading maps
	7.0 - 8.0	Damage Assessments
	Plate boundaries	(<u>Copernicus EMS</u> , <u>NGA</u> , UNOSAT, <u>HDX</u>)
Modified Mercalli		Destroyed
Scale (MMI)		Major Damage
	VI (Strong)	Minor Damage
	VII (Very Strong)	
	VIII (Severe)	 Locations reported affected in the Media
	GHSL - JRC Settlement Areas	