



NEPAL – Situation

(as of 5 May, Gov. of Nepal)

- 7 557 dead**
- 14 409 injured**
- 201 776 houses destroyed**

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 **Sindupalchowk** and **Gorkha** districts, with further hubs to be set up in **Kavre** and **Tanahu** districts.
- ECHO experts have conducted rapid field assessments in Gorkha, Lamjung, Sindhupalchowk 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, [GDACS](#), [COPERNICUS-EMS](#), [USGS](#), UN OCHA, [Nepalese Government](#).

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](#)

Earthquake magnitude

- 5.5 - 6.0
- 6.0 - 7.0
- 7.0 - 8.0

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Modified Mercalli Scale (MMI)

- VI (Strong)
- VII (Very Strong)
- VIII (Severe)

COPERNICUS EMS Areas of interest of Grading maps

- Destroyed
- Major Damage
- Minor Damage

Damage Assessments (Copernicus EMS, NGA, UNOSAT, HDX)

- Locations reported affected in the Media

GHSL - JRC Settlement Areas