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## ALASKA EARTHQUAKE INFORMATION CENTER

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The Alaska Earthquake Information Center located a minor earthquake that occurred on Saturday, April 26th at 10:29 PM AKDT in the central region of Alaska. This earthquake had a preliminary magnitude of 3.9 and was located at a depth of about 66 miles (105 km). The magnitude and location may change slightly as additional data are received and processed. No reports of this event being felt or causing damage have been received at this time.

### Distance to nearby locations:

- 53 km ( 33 miles) SE of Kantishna
- 72 km ( 45 miles) WSW of Cantwell
- 83 km ( 52 miles) WSW of Denali Park
- 92 km ( 58 miles) N of Talkeetna
- 103 km ( 64 miles) SW of Healy
- 129 km ( 80 miles) SE of Lake Minchumina
- 140 km ( 88 miles) NNE of Skwentna
- 143 km ( 90 miles) SSW of Clear

### Preliminary earthquake parameters:

Origin Time (UT): 04/27/2008 06:29:41  
 Latitude: 63 N 09'  
 Longitude: 150 W 18'  
 Depth: 105 km  
 Magnitude: ML 3.9

### Location of Earthquake



Circles are 111 km (70 miles) apart.

The location and magnitude for this earthquake may be updated as data from additional seismic stations are received. The Alaska Earthquake Information Center will continue to gather data and may issue additional releases as appropriate. With any moderate or large earthquake, aftershocks should be expected to occur.

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