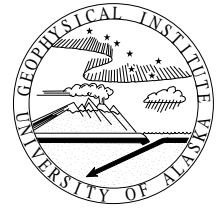




INFORMATION RELEASE



ALASKA EARTHQUAKE INFORMATION CENTER

November 4, 1998
11:33 am

The Alaska Earthquake Information Center located a minor earthquake that occurred on Tuesday at 10:03 pm AST in the Cook Inlet region of Alaska. This earthquake had a preliminary magnitude of 3.3 and was located at a depth of about 23 miles (38 km). The magnitude and location may change slightly as additional data are received and processed.

The earthquake was felt in Anchorage. However, no reports of damage have been reported at this time.
Distance to nearby locations:

13 mi (21 km) NNW of Elmendorf AFB
14 mi (23 km) N of Anchorage
15 mi (24 km) NW of Fort Richardson
15 mi (25 km) WNW of Eagle River
17 mi (27 km) W of Chugiak
21 mi (34 km) WSW of Wasilla
22 mi (36 km) S of Willow
31 mi (50 km) WSW of Palmer
Preliminary earthquake parameters:

Origin Time (UT): 981104 07:03:17
Latitude: 61 N 25'
Longitude: 149 W 58'
Depth: 38 km
Magnitude: ML 3.3

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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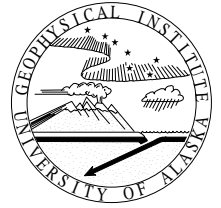
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