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ALASKA EARTHQUAKE INFORMATION CENTER

June 21, 1999
10:02 am

The Alaska Earthquake Information Center located a light earthquake that occurred on Saturday at 08:40 pm ADT in the Kodiak Island region of Alaska. This earthquake had a preliminary magnitude of 4.1 and was located at a depth of about 38 miles (61 km).

This earthquake was felt in Kodiak. However, no reports of this event having caused damage and/or injury have been received at this time.

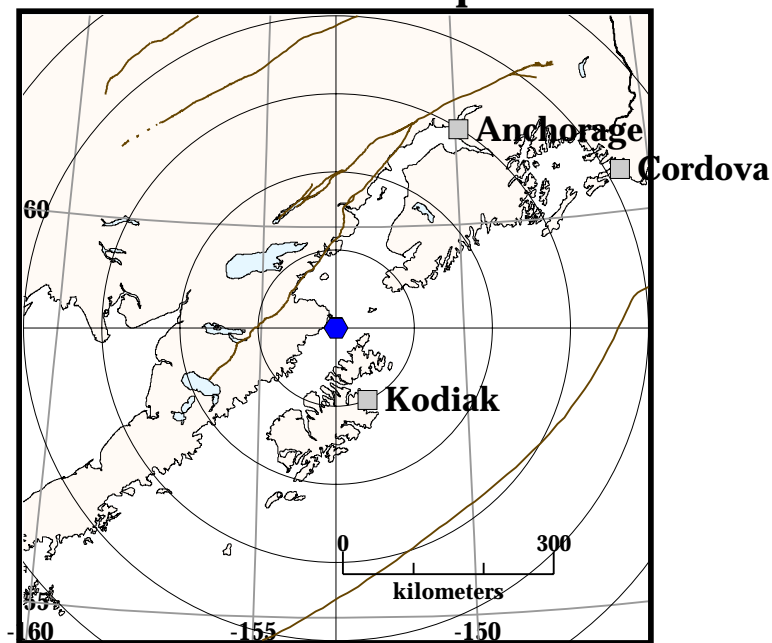
Distance to nearby locations:

59 mi (95 km) N of Port Lions
60 mi (96 km) NNW of Ouzinkie
63 mi (101 km) SW of English Bay
69 mi (112 km) NNW of Kodiak
72 mi (116 km) SW of Seldovia
82 mi (132 km) SSE of Pedro Bay
86 mi (139 km) SW of Homer

Preliminary earthquake parameters:

Origin Time (UT): 990620 04:40:01
Latitude: 58 N 42'
Longitude: 153 W 9'
Depth: 61 km
Magnitude: ML 4.1

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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