The Alaska Earthquake Information Center located a light earthquake that occurred on Saturday, October 28th at 9:03 PM AKDT in the Fox Islands region of Alaska. This earthquake had a preliminary magnitude of 4.2 and was located at a depth of about 38 miles (61 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:

36 km ( 22 miles) SE of Unalaska
36 km ( 23 miles) SE of Dutch Harbor
56 km ( 35 miles) SSW of Akutan
201 km (125 miles) ENE of Nikolski
219 km (137 miles) SW of False Pass
276 km (173 miles) SW of Cold Bay
291 km (182 miles) WSW of King Cove
407 km (254 miles) SW of Nelson Lagoon

Preliminary earthquake parameters:

Latitude: 53 N 40’
Longitude: 166 W 07’
Depth: 61 km
Magnitude: ML 4.2

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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