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Regional Overview

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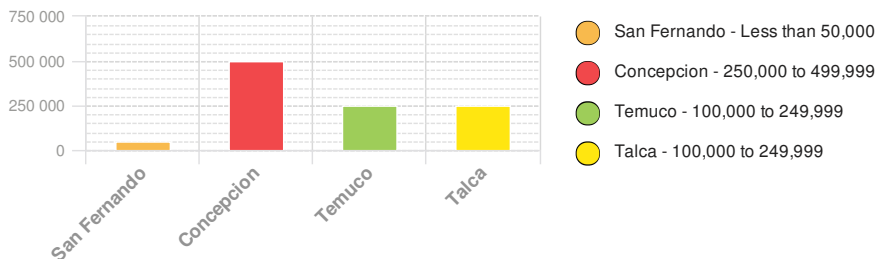
Population Data:

2011

Total: 5,348,000

Max Density: 52,743 (ppl/km²)

Populated Areas:



Source: [iSciences](#)

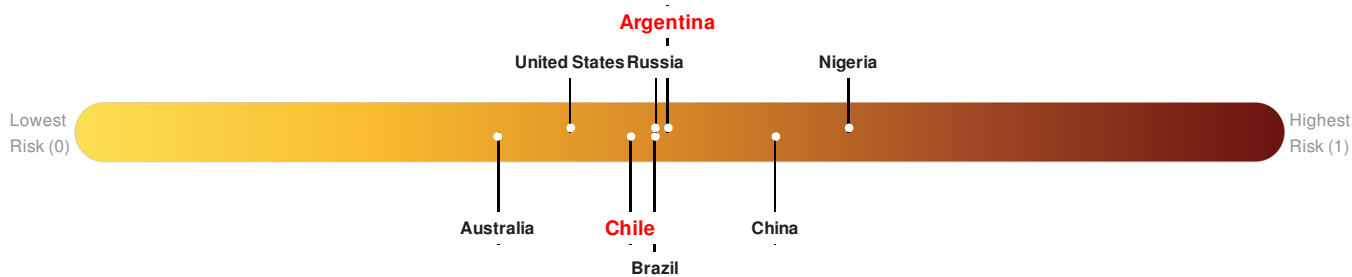
Risk & Vulnerability

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Multi Hazard Risk Index:

Argentina ranks **81** out of **165** on the Multi-Hazard Risk Index with a score of 0.49. Argentina is estimated to have relatively high overall exposure, low vulnerability, and medium coping capacity.

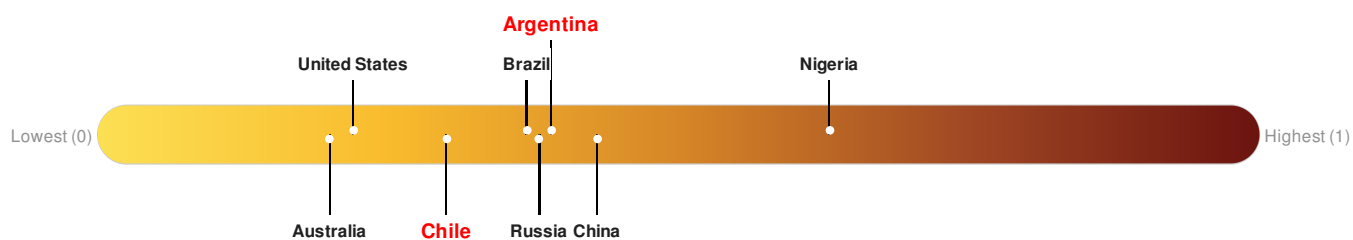
Chile ranks **103** out of **165** on the Multi-Hazard Risk Index with a score of 0.46. Chile is estimated to have relatively high overall exposure, low vulnerability, and high coping capacity.



Source: [PDC](#)

Lack of Resilience Index:

Lack of Resilience represents the combination of susceptibility to impact and the relative inability to absorb, respond to, and recover from negative impacts that do occur over the short term. **Argentina** ranks **92** out of **165** on the Lack of Resilience index with a score of 0.39. **Chile** ranks **127** out of **165** on the Lack of Resilience index with a score of 0.3.



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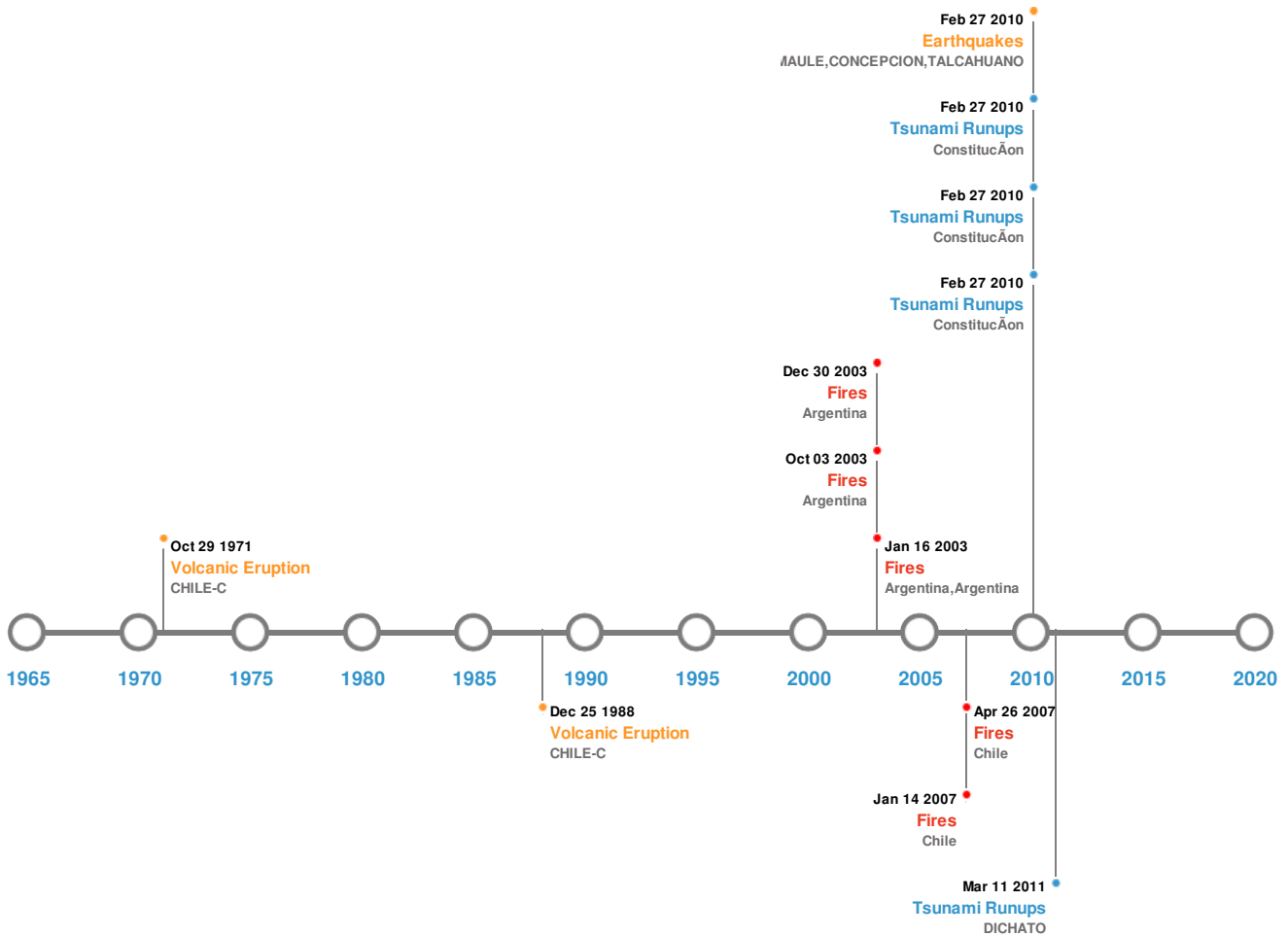
Chile ranks **127** out of **165** on the Lack of Resilience Index. Based on the sub-component scores related to Vulnerability and Coping Capacity, the three thematic areas with the weakest relative scores are Recent Disaster Impacts, Infrastructure and Marginalization.

Source: [PDC](#)

Historical Hazards

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Earthquakes:

5 Largest Earthquakes (Resulting in significant damage or deaths)

Event	Date (UTC)	Magnitude	Depth (Km)	Location	Lat/Long
	27-Feb-2010 00:06:00	8.80	23	CHILE: MAULE, CONCEPCION, TALCAHUANO	36.12° S / 72.9° W
	25-May-1751 00:05:00	8.50	-	CHILE: CONCEPCION, CHILLAN, TALCA, TUTUBEN, CURICO	36.83° S / 71.63° W
	25-Mar-1751 00:00:00	8.50	-	CHILE: CONCEPCION	36.9° S / 73° W
	16-Dec-1575 00:18:00	8.50	-	CHILE: VALDIVIA	39.8° S / 73.2° W
	25-Jan-1939 00:03:00	8.30	60	CHILE: CHILLAN	36.25° S / 72.25° W

Source: [Earthquakes](#)

Volcanic Eruptions:

5 Largest Volcanic Eruptions (Last updated in 2000)

Event	Name	Date (UTC)	Volcanic Explosivity Index	Location	Lat/Long
	AZUL, CERRO [QUIZAPU]	10-Apr-1932 00:00:00	5.00	CHILE-C	35.65° S / 70.76° W
	PLANCHON-PETEROA	03-Dec-1762 00:00:00	4.00	CHILE-C	35.24° S / 70.57° W
	LLAIMA	01-Feb-1640 00:00:00	4.00	CHILE-C	38.7° S / 71.7° W
	LONQUIMAY	25-Dec-1988 00:00:00	3.00	CHILE-C	38.37° S / 71.58° W
	VILLARRICA	29-Oct-1971 00:00:00	3.00	CHILE-C	39.42° S / 71.95° W

Source: [Volcanoes](#)

Tsunami Runups:

5 Largest Tsunami Runups

Event	Date (UTC)	Country	Runup (m)	Deaths	Location	Lat/Long
	11-Mar-2011 00:00:00	CHILE	-	-	DICHATO	- / -
	27-Feb-2010 00:00:00	CHILE	29	-	Constituc�on	35.33° S / 72.43° W
	27-Feb-2010 00:00:00	CHILE	28	-	Constituc�on	35.33° S / 72.43° W
	27-Feb-2010 00:00:00	CHILE	26.2	-	Constituc�on	35.33° S / 72.43° W
	22-May-1960 00:00:00	CHILE	25	-	MOCHA, ISLA	38.37° S / 73.93° W

Source: [Tsunamis](#)

Wildfires:

5 Largest Wildfires

Event	Start/End Date(UTC)	Size (sq. km.)	Location	Mean Lat/Long
	13-Jan-2007 00:00:00 - 26-Apr-2007 00:00:00	24.70	Chile	37.11° S / 72.86° W
	26-Apr-2006 00:00:00 - 14-Jan-2007 00:00:00	23.60	Chile	37.11° S / 72.86° W
	01-Oct-2003 00:00:00 - 03-Oct-2003 00:00:00	21.30	Argentina	35.88° S / 68.32° W
	02-Mar-2003 00:00:00 - 30-Dec-2003 00:00:00	11.90	Argentina	35.45° S / 68.52° W
	14-Jan-2003 00:00:00 - 16-Jan-2003 00:00:00	11.70	Argentina,Argentina	36.39° S / 68.83° W

Source: [Wildfires](#)

Disclosures

* As defined by the source ([Dartmouth Flood Observatory](#), University of Colorado), Flood Magnitude = $\text{LOG}(\text{Duration} \times \text{Severity} \times \text{Affected Area})$. Severity classes are based on estimated recurrence intervals and other criteria.

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