

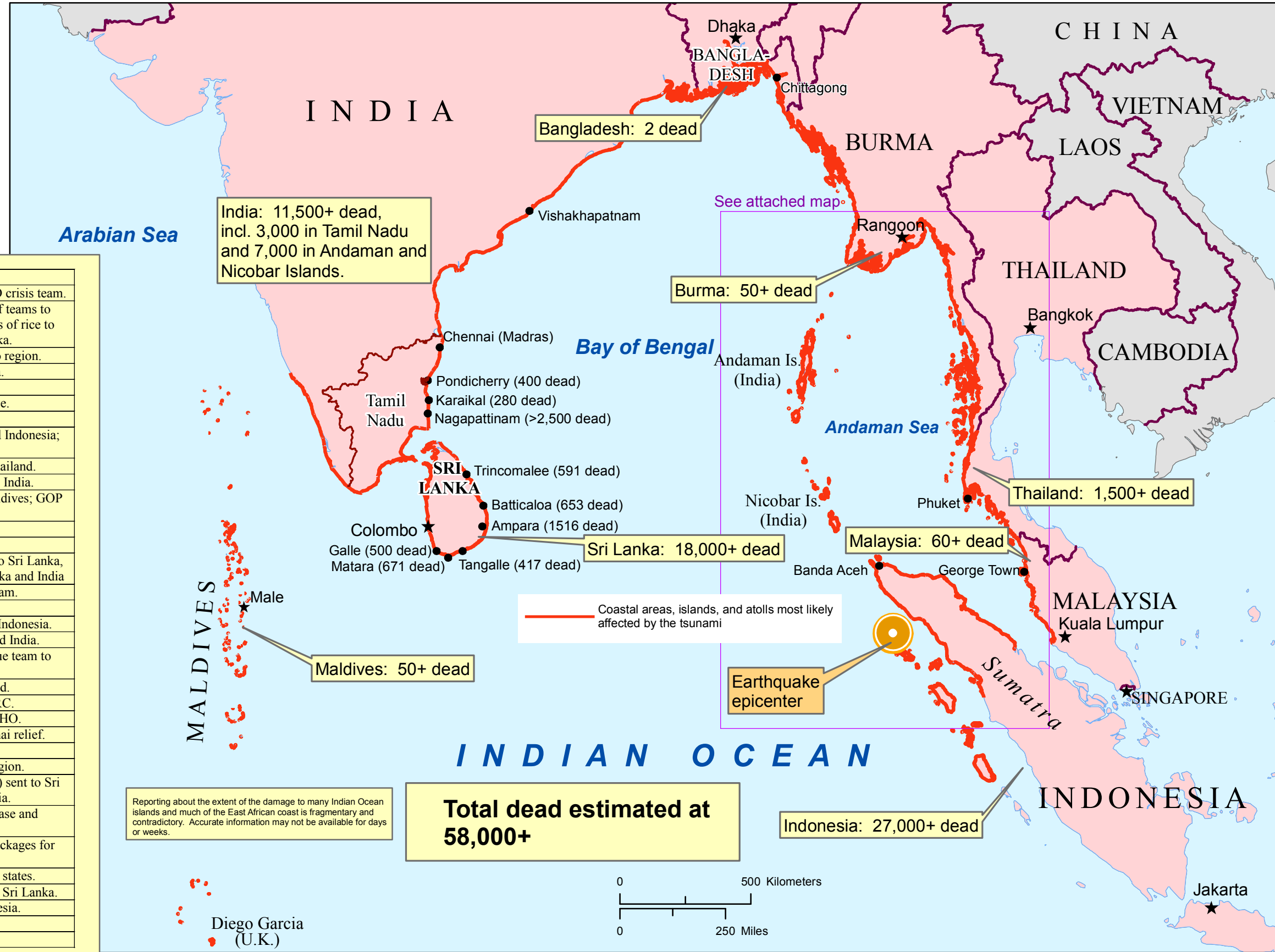
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Earthquake/Tsunami Disaster

Information as of 1200, December 28



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India: 11,500+ dead, incl. 3,000 in Tamil Nadu and 7,000 in Andaman and Nicobar Islands.

Bangladesh: 2 dead

Burma: 50+ dead

Thailand: 1,500+ dead

Malaysia: 60+ dead

Sri Lanka: 18,000+ dead

Maldives: 50+ dead

Indonesia: 27,000+ dead

Total dead estimated at 58,000+

Reporting about the extent of the damage to many Indian Ocean islands and much of the East African coast is fragmentary and contradictory. Accurate information may not be available for days or weeks.

Country/Organization	Selected Offers of Humanitarian Assistance
United Kingdom	Tents/plastic sheeting to Sri Lanka; \$100K for WHO crisis team.
Japan	Survey team to Indonesia; disaster and medical relief teams to Sri Lanka and Indonesia. \$30 million and 2,400 tons of rice to the region; Japanese Red Cross \$965,250 to Sri Lanka.
Austria	MSF/Austria sending 32 tons of emergency goods to region.
China	\$2.7 million to the region and \$610,000 to Sri Lanka.
Philippines	Aid workers to region
Australia	\$7.6 million and several aircraft for regional response.
Israel	Medical and search and rescue teams to Thailand.
Malaysia	Malaysian private charities assisting in Malaysia and Indonesia; Government of Malaysia to assist Indonesia.
India	Military is assisting Sri Lanka, the Maldives, and Thailand.
Taiwan	\$300,000 donated to Indonesia, Sri Lanka, Thailand, India.
Pakistan	Pakistan's Navy is assisting in Malaysia and the Maldives; GOP sending tents, medicine and water to Sri Lanka.
France	100 aid workers to Sri Lanka
Sweden	Two rescue teams to Thailand
Greece	Medical personnel and 12 tons of medical supplies to Sri Lanka, India, Maldives, Thailand; \$200,000 each to Sri Lanka and India
Ireland	\$1.35 million to region; \$100K to WHO response team.
Kuwait	\$1 million donated to the region
Singapore	\$1.2 million and med. teams to region; \$306,000 to Indonesia.
Switzerland	\$882,000 to region; relief specialists to Sri Lanka and India.
Russia	25 tons of humanitarian aid, a helicopter, and a rescue team to Sri Lanka; also promised assistance to Indonesia.
Indonesia	Cease-fire negotiated with ACEH rebels to enable aid.
Canada	\$1 million in general assistance to the region via IFRC.
Germany	Providing \$2.7 million in aid to region; \$100K to WHO.
Thailand	King of Thailand donated \$769,000 plus food for Thai relief.
Republic of Korea	\$600,000 plus teams to Indonesia.
European Commission	\$4.08 million to IFRC; up to \$41 million total for region.
UN/OCHA	Disaster assistance and coordination team (UNDAC) sent to Sri Lanka; other teams sent to Indonesia, Sri Lanka, India.
UNDP	UNDP has relaxed regulations to enable rapid purchase and distribution of aid in India.
UNHCR	Plastic sheeting, plastic mats, \$200,000 and relief packages for 2,000 families in Sri Lanka
WHO	Mobilizing funds for emergency supplies in affected states.
IFRC	\$6.7 million appeal; medical supplies for 100,000 to Sri Lanka.
MSF/Belgium	32 tons of medical and sanitation materials to Indonesia.
CARE	Has sent assessment teams to Indonesia
German Caritas	\$408,000 to both India and Sri Lanka