

PACES: Preparedness for Appropriate Accommodation in Emergency Shelters

Seismic planning and response at the regional level

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Crete, general data

- Permanent population (2011): 623,065

- Household number: 381,737

Larger cities, population:

- Heraklion: 192,000 - Chania: 65,000







Departments and Authorities involved

Civil Protection :

- Decentralised Administration of Crete General Secretary
 - CP, technical and administrative departments
- Region of Crete with four regional entities Governor and 4 vice Governors
 - CP, technical, administrative, social care and health departments
- 24 Municipalities Mayors
 - CP, technical, administrative, social care, municipality police, water supply departments

- Other engaged bodies

- Fire service
- Police
- Coastal Guard
- Medical Emergency Response Center
- Armed Forces
- Schools

- Volunteer organizations
- Electricity provider
- Telecommunication provider
- Sanitary structures
- Other Competent Organizations





Seismic planning and response at the regional level

- Preparedness
- Immediate response
- Emergency needs management
- Confrontation of induced consequences





Preparedness

- Public information and education based on the national guidelines and material
- Technical inspection of Public Buildings
- Definition of the building infrastructure to be used during emergency situations
- Recording of the relative human and technical resources of the entities involved and of the volunteer organisations
- Elaboration and update of actions memorandum





Preparedness

- ✓ Convene of CP regional and municipal co-ordinating bodies
- ✓ Maintenance of the emergency shelter equipment
- ✓ Definition of the population temporary hosting areas
- ✓ Definition of the emergency shelter areas
- ✓ Exercises training EC projects
- ✓ Keep in touch cooperate











- Initial notification
 - Initial information of the CP mechanism on the areas affected: Police and Fire Service
 - Information collection and exchange at the local, regional and national level
 - Use of communication alternatives the TETRA system, UHF, VHF
- Preliminary impacts assessment formal earthquake notification
 - Collection and exchange of information on the impacts at the local, regional and national level (victims, building and infrastructure damages or collapses, people entrapment etc.)
 - Corresponding notification of the operational bodies responsible
 - Preparedness for action, check of resources availability





Activation

- Characterization of the disaster, declaration of emergency situation
- Measures for the uninterrupted operation of the public departments involved
- Establishment of coordination centers at the municipal and regional level
- Search and rescue operations
- Confrontation of induced phenomena (fire, landslide etc.)
- Inspection of buildings and the technical infrastructure restoration measures





- Activation
 - Organized civilian removal, if needed
 - Information and guide to civilians to reach the predetermined temporary hosting areas, evaluation of their number, assessment of their immediate needs
 - Disposal of drinkable water and snack food, installation of chemical toilets
 - Sanitary inspection of the water supply system





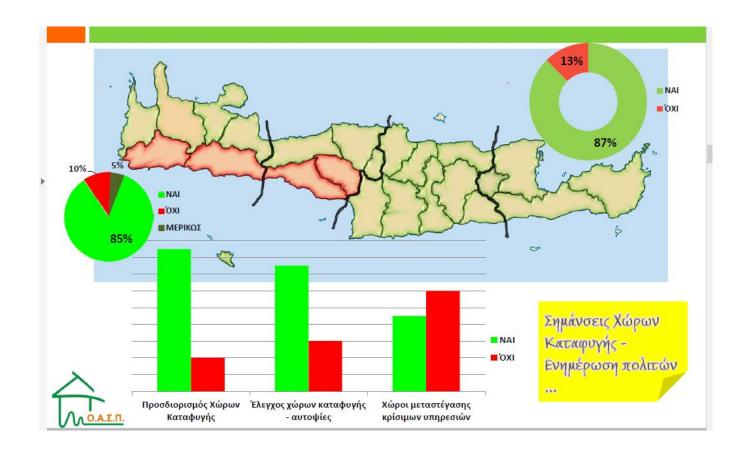
Activation

- Estimation of the number of civilians that will need temporary housing
- Emergency shelters activation
- Financial aid to the damaged households
- Post-earthquake inspection of buildings
- De-escalation of resources
- Restoration (subsides, repair loans, house construction)





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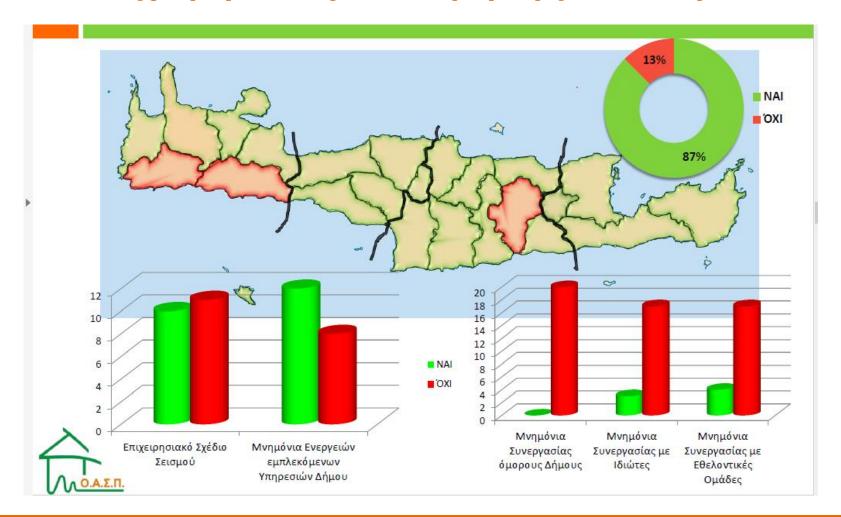
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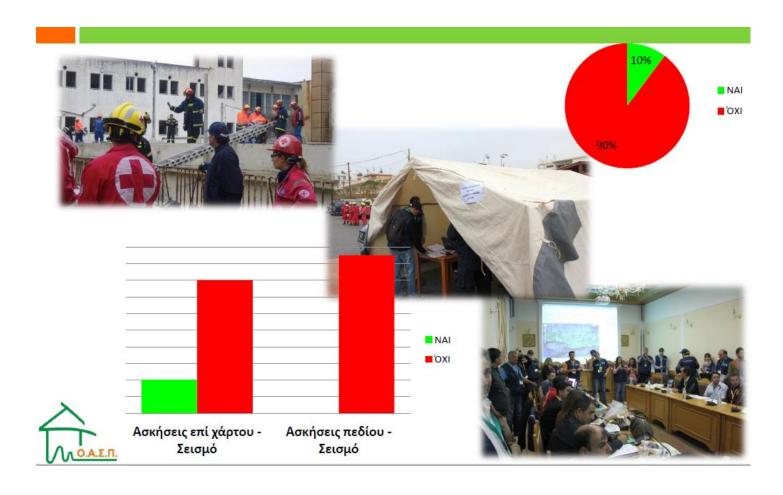
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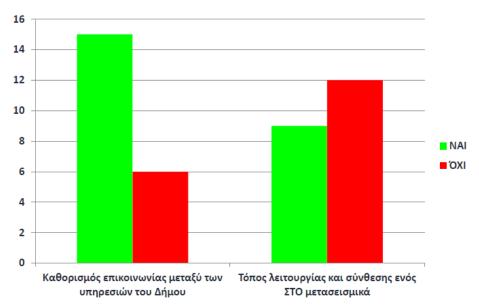
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