Field Survey in The Disaster Affected Area of The Great East Japan Earthquake 2011

- Surveyed between 21 - 23 April, 2011 -





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Route Map of Field Survey

Map Source: Google Map

Field Survey Schedule

I	Day	Prefecture	Field Survey Area	
1 st Day	21 April	Miyagi	① Natori (Sendai Airport) ⇒ ② Sendai	
			(Wakabayashi-Ward)⇒③Shichigahama	
2 nd Day	22 April	Miyagi, Iwate	Kesennuma ⇒ ④ Rikuzentakata ⇒ Ofunato ⇒ ⑤	
			Kamaishi ⇒ ⑥ Otsuchi ⇒ ⑦ Yamada ⇒ ⑧ Miyako	
			(Taro)	
3 rd Day	23 April	Iwate, Aomori		
			Misawa	



1. Miyagi Prefecture

①Natori



Population		73,140
Casualty	Death	887
	Missing	230
	Death+Missing	1,117
	Casualty Ratio (%)	1.5



Sendai Airport and surrounding area, the Airport started their operation in 13 April, 2011, with minimum facilities.



Residential area along the Airport. Located near to coastal line and residential buildings were totally washed away.



Collapsed Sea Wall. Tsunami Control Forest was mostly destroyed.



Debris of Sea Wall, located behind the original position.



②Sendai (Wakabayashi-ward, Miyagino-ward)



Population		322,676
Casualty	Death	662
	Missing	1
	Death+Missing	662
	Casualty Ratio (%)	0.2





Residential area and surrounding agricultural field

Tsunami Control Forest did not work well with this massive force of Tsunami.





Pumping Vehicle located near the coastal line owned by Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, Transport and Tourism(MLIT)

Sea water remained in the agricultural field by Tsunami inundation

Source: Inundation Area, Geospatial Information Agency of Japan, 2011 Population, Population Census 2010, pre-released on 25 Feb. 2011 Death and Missing, Miyagi Prefecture, as of 23 April, 2011

Note: Population of Sendai is 1,045,903, however, only Wakabayashi-ward, and Miyagino-ward where Tsunami damages observed were taken into account, therefore, 322,676 is the sum of population of Wakabayashi-ward and Miyagino-ward



3Shichigahama



Popul	ation	20,419
Casualty	Death	62
	Missing	10
	Death+Missing	72
	Casualty Ratio (%)	0.4



Interview to Disaster Management Officials of Shichigahama-town for their preparedness and response



Retrofitted Municipal Building and no damages were observed, and the building is located at the highest point of the town



Residental buildings were washed away in the flat residential area



Temporary shelters under construction (to be completed in a few days), however still lack of number compared with needs



2. Iwate Prefecture

4 Rikuzentakata



Population		23,302
Casualty	Death	1,356
	Missing	817
	Death+Missing	2,173
	Casualty Ratio (%)	9.3



One of the settlements in Rikuzentakata, residential buildings are totally washed away. There are shrine along the hilly area and people evacuated to this shrine



Municipal building was also inundated totally and can not be utilized for emergency response activities



Designated evacuation facility was also inundated totally, and many people killed



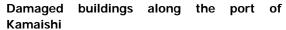
⑤Kamaishi



Sea wall was collapsed and residential area was washed away before entering city center

Pushed away large ship along the Port of Kamaishi







Sign Board of Tsunami and High Tide evacuation route by Iwate Prefecture



6Otsuchi

estimated



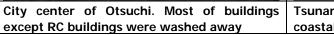
Popu	lation	15,277
Casualty	Death	694
	Missing	980
	Death+Missing	1,674
	Casualty Ratio (%)	11.0



Sign Board of "Estimation of Tsunami Inundation Area", however, it is over









Tsunami inundated along rivers far from coastal line



7Yamada



Population		18,625
Casualty	Death	547
	Missing	380
	Death+Missing	927
	Casualty Ratio (%)	5.0



Residential Buildings were washed away in the flat area

Gymnasium are utilized as "Evacuation Center"



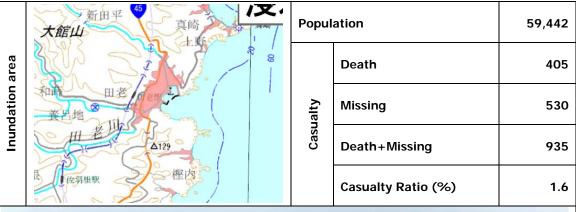


Movable Mobile Phone Station and new antenna installation

"Public Bath" operated by Self Defense Force



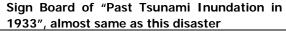
®Miyako (Taro)





Sea Wall with height of 10 m was collapsed



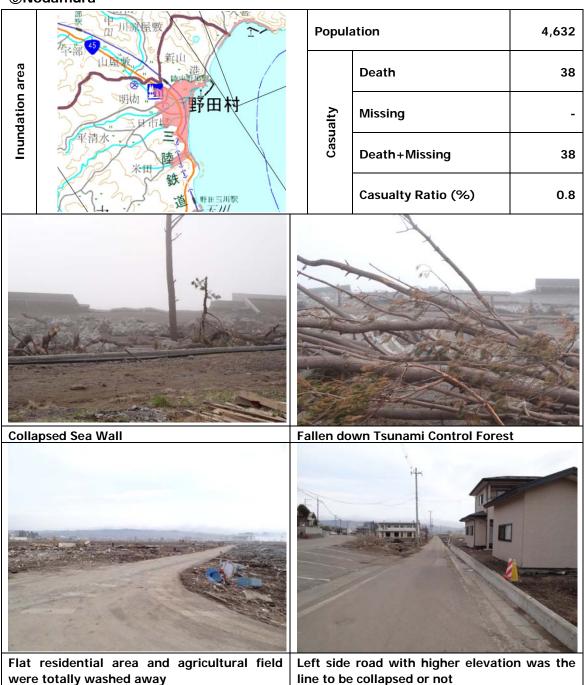




Buildings inside sea walls were totally collapsed



9Nodamura

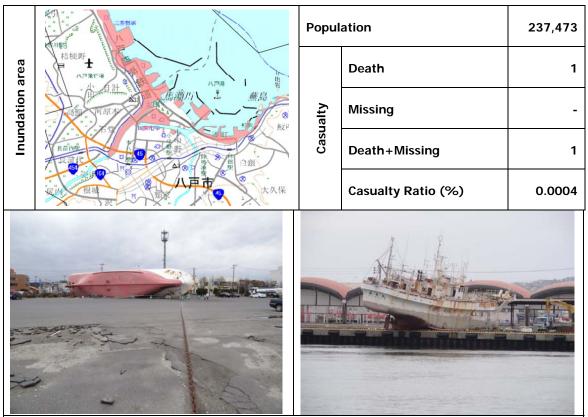


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3. Aomori Prefecture



10Hachinohe



Many large ships were pushed away inland by Tsunami, structural damages are limited compared to other location, however, fishery activities can not be operated in this area