



Tsunami Exercise NEAMWave17

A Tsunami Warning and Communication Exercise for the North-eastern Atlantic, the Mediterranean, and Connected Seas Region

31 October – 3 November 2017

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What is NEAMWave?



Regular tsunami exercise in **NEAM** (North-eastern Atlantic, the Mediterranean and Connected Seas) **region** between:

Message Providers (Candidate/Tsunami Service Providers) and

Message Receivers (Tsunami Warning Focal Points (TWFPs), Tsunami National Contacts (TNC), Civil Protection Agencies (CPAs) and Emergency Response Coordination Center (ERCC)

.....within the coordination of UNESCO/IOC Intergovernmental Coordination Group (ICG) in three phases as: **Phase A, Phase B** and **Phase C**.





Scope of NEAMWave17



PHASE A

C/TSPs To maintain a high state of operational readiness, to test their communicational channels among message recipients in NEAM region

PHASE B

PHASE C

National Tsunami Warning Centres (NTWCs) and Civil Protection Agencies (CPAs)to practice their emergency response procedures in order to ensure that (i) vital communication links work seamlessly, and that (ii) agencies and response personnel know the roles that they will need to play during a real event.

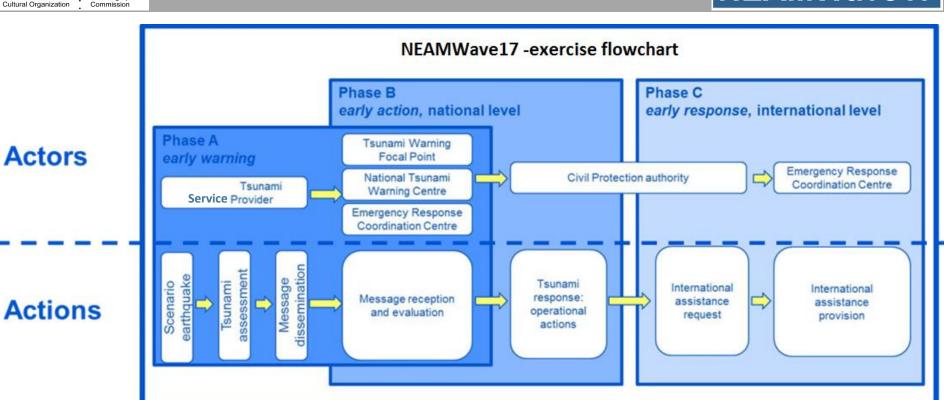
Emergency Response Coordination Center (ERCC)

.... to practice their emergency response procedures in order to provide international assistance upon request.





NEAMWave17 Flowchart







NEAMWave17 Phases



Phase A Phase B Phase C

C/TSPs

Event
detection;
issuing and
disseminatior
of the alert
messages

TWFP/NTWC

Confirmation of the Tsunami Messages' receipt and forwarding to national CPA,

<u>CPA</u>

National
decision making
process about
response
actions and
public warnings
and
evacuations

CPA

Request of international assistance

ERCC

Provision of international assistance upon request of the affected Countries





NEAMWave12 & NEAMWave14 Tsunami Exercises

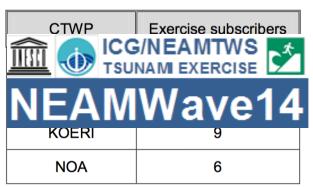


CENALT (France), NOA (Greece), IPMA (Portugal) and KOERI (Turkey)

had disseminated exercise alert messages as Message Providers in NEAMWave12 and NEAMWave14.

4 different earthquake and tsunami scenarios





<u>Table 1</u>. Exercise subscribers to Phase A from the IOC Table (excluding the CTWP responsible for the scenario)

					CO	UNTRY PA	RTICIPATIO	N IN NEA	MWAVE 1	4			
		SCENARIO											
	INSTITUTION	BLACK SEA		NORTH EAST ATLANTIC		WESTERN MEDITERRANEAN		EASTERN MEDITERRANEAN					
		Phase A	Phase B	Phase A	Phase B	Phase A	Phase B	Phase A	Phase B	Country requires international assistance	Phase C Country offering international assistance	No participation	
CROATIA	NPRD	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES	NO			X	
CYPRUS	CD	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES	YES	X			
EGYPT	NIOF	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES	YES				
FINLAND	MET	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO			X	
FRANCE	COGIC	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES	YES	NO	NO			Х	
GERMANY	BSH	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	YES			X	
	MET	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO			X	
GREECE	NOA	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	YES			X	
IRELAND	GS	NO	NO	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO			X	
ISRAEL	GI	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES	YES	X		X	
ITALY	DPC	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES	YES	X			
LEBANON	CNRS	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES	NO	YES	YES			X	
MALTA	CP	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES	NO	YES	YES	X			
MONACO	SA/POM	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES	YES	NO	NO			X	
PORTUGAL	ANPC	NO	NO	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO			Х	
	IPMA	YES	NO	Х	Х	YES	NO	YES	NO			Х	
ROMANIA	NIEP	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO			Х	
RUSSIA	RPA	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO			X	
SPAIN	DGPCE	YES	NO	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	NO		Х		
SWEDEN		YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO			X	
TURKEY	KOERI	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO			X	
	AFAD	NO	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES	NO			Х	
UK	CC	NO	NO	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO			X	

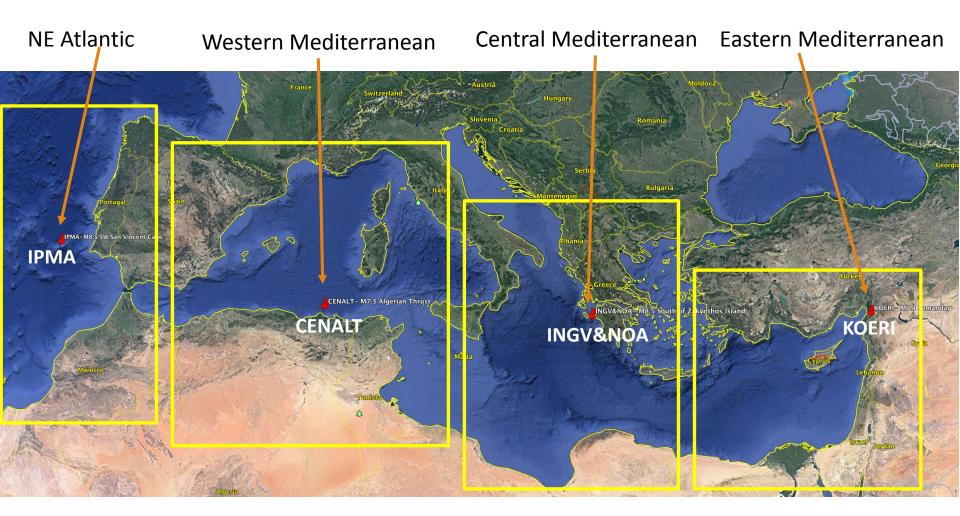
Table III-1. Country participation in Exercise NEAMWave 14





NEAMWave17 Scenarios





4 Earthquake Scenarios ----- 5 Message Providers





IPMA SCENARIO



North-eastern Atlantic Scenario



SW of San Vincent Cape

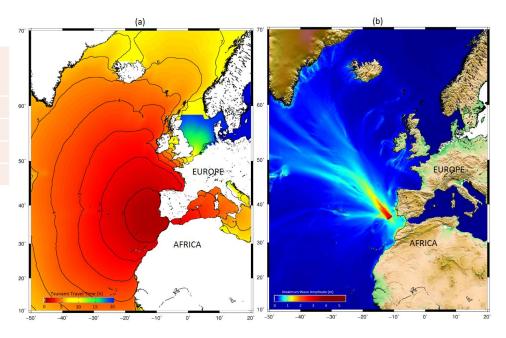
Origin Time of the exercise 09:00:00 UTC, 3-November-2017

Earthquake Scenario parameters

Location (Epicenter) Lat 36.66°N, Lon 11.33°W

Magnitude 8.5 Mw Depth (Hypocenter) 27 km

9 messages from T0 to T0+7hours







CENALT SCENARIO

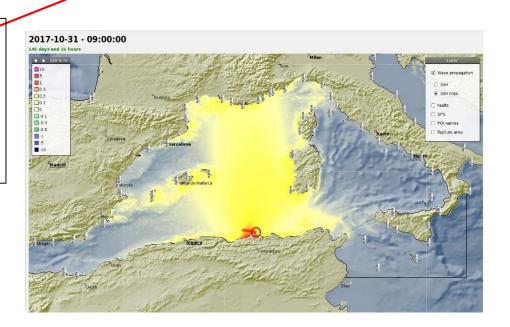


Western Mediterranean Scenario



Algerian Thrust

ORIGIN TIME - 0900Z 31 OCT 2017
COORDINATES - 37.14 NORTH 6.56 EAST
DEPTH - 15 KM
LOCATION - WESTERN
MEDITERRANEAN SEA
MAGNITUDE - 7.3







INGV & NOA SCENARIO



A joint scenario for the first time!!

Central Mediterranean Scenario

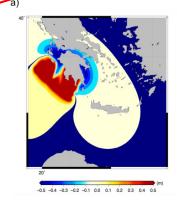




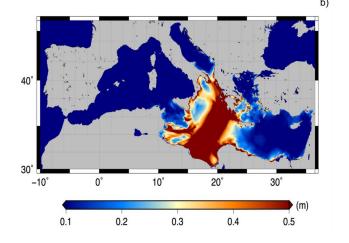
South of Zakynthos Island



Earthquake parameters 💝								
Mw	8.5							
Longitude	21.0 °E							
Latitude	37.5 °N							
Depth (km)	12.0							
Rupture Area (km^2)	~40000							
Slip (m)	6.5 (uniform)							
Rigidity (GPa)	~26							
Rake	90°							



PHASE C scenario!





KOERI SCENARIO



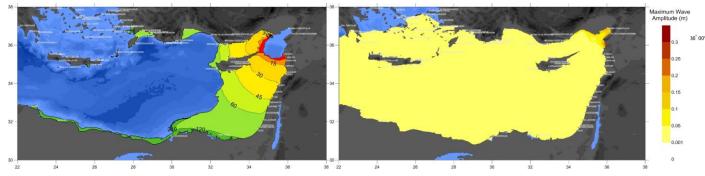


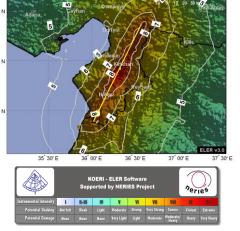




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Mw	Lat	Lon	Depth	Fault Length	Fault Width	Average Slip	Strike	Dip	Rake	
7.4	36.375°	36.283°	10 km	77 km	20 km	3.2 m	30°	80°	320°	









Timetable of the exercise NEAMWave17



	31/10/2017 9:00 – 10:20UTC	01/11/2017 9:00 – 12:00UTC	02/11/2017 9:00 – 12:30UTC	03/11/2017 9:00 – 16:00UTC
Western Mediterranean scenario (CENALT)	Phase A, B and C			
Eastern Mediterranean scenario (KOERI)		Phase A and B		
Central Mediterranean scenario (INGV-NOA)			Phase A and B	
North East Atlantic scenario (IPMA)				Phase A and B

Phase C will be implemented afternoon!



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Phase A: Tsunami Alert Message Dissemination



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TSUNAMI MESSAGE NUMBER 001
                                                                                            LOCATION FORECAST POINT COORDINATES ARRIVAL TIME LEVEL (ADVISORY,
NEAM CENALT TSUNAMI SERVICE PROVIDER
ISSUED AT 0912Z 31 OCT 2017
                                                                                            ALGERIA - JIJEL 36.82N 5.79E 0916Z 31 OCT WATCH
... TSUNAMI WATCH ...
                                                                                            ALGERIA - ALGER 36.77N 3.08E 0939Z 31 OCT WATCH
                                                                                            TUNISIA - TABARKA 36.96N 8.75E 0939Z 31 OCT WATCH
THIS ALERT APPLIES TO ALGERIA ... FRANCE ... ITALY ... MONACO ...
MOROCCO ... SPAIN ... TUNISIA ... UNITED KINGDOM
                                                                                            TUNISIA - TUNIS 36.81N 10.31E 1103Z 31 OCT WATCH
                                                                                            SPAIN - MAHON 39.89N 4.26E 0948Z 31 OCT WATCH
                                                                                            SPAIN - IBIZA 38.91N 1.43E 1014Z 31 OCT WATCH
                                                                                            SPAIN - PALMADEMALLORCA 39.57N 2.65E 1014Z 31 OCT WATCH
... TSUNAMI INFORMATION ...
                                                                                            SPAIN - BARCELONA 41.39N 2.17E 1015Z 31 OCT WATCH
THIS ALERT APPLIES TO ALBANIA ... BELGIUM ... BULGARIA ... CAPE VERDE
                                                                                            SPAIN - CARTAGENA 37.61N 0.94W 1019Z 31 OCT WATCH
... CROATIA ... CYPRUS ... DENMARK ... EGYPT ... ESTONIA ... FINLAND
                                                                                            SPAIN - TARRAGONA 41.12N 1.24E 1027Z 31 OCT WATCH
... GEORGIA ... GERMANY ... GREECE ... ICELAND ... IRELAND ... ISRAEL
                                                                                            SPAIN - ALICANTE 38.35N 0.48W 1034Z 31 OCT WATCH
... LEBANON ... LIBYA ... MALTA ... MAURITANIA ... NETHERLANDS ...
                                                                                            SPAIN - ALMERIA 36.84N 2.47W 1039Z 31 OCT WATCH
NORWAY ... POLAND ... PORTUGAL ... ROMANIA ... RUSSIAN FEDERATION ...
                                                                                            SPAIN - VALENCIA 39.47N 0.38W 1055Z 31 OCT WATCH
SLOVENIA ... SWEDEN ... SYRIA ... TURKEY ... UKRAINE
                                                                                            SPAIN - MELILLA 35.29N 2.94W 1056Z 31 OCT WATCH
                                                                                            SPAIN - CASTELLONDELAPLANA 39.98N 0.03W 1056Z 31 OCT WATCH
THIS MESSAGE IS ISSUED AS ADVICE TO GOVERNMENT AGENCIES. ONLY NATIONAL
                                                                                            SPAIN - MALAGA 36.72N 4.42W 1106Z 31 OCT WATCH
AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT AGENCIES HAVE THE AUTHORITY TO MAKE DECISIONS
                                                                                            SPAIN - CEUTA 35.89N 5.32W 1110Z 31 OCT WATCH
REGARDING THE OFFICIAL STATE OF ALERT IN THEIR AREA AND ANY ACTIONS
                                                                                            SPAIN - ALGECIRAS 36.18N 5.40W 1112Z 31 OCT WATCH
TO BE TAKEN IN RESPONSE.
                                                                                            SPAIN - CADIZ 36.53N 6.29W 1211Z 31 OCT WATCH
                                                                                            SPAIN - HUELVA 37.26N 6.95W 1239Z 31 OCT WATCH
AN EARTHQUAKE HAS OCCURRED WITH THESE PRELIMINARY PARAMETERS
                                                                                            ITALY - QUARTO SANT ELENA 39.21N 9.27E 0949Z 31 OCT WATCH
ORIGIN TIME - 0900Z 31 OCT 2017
                                                                                            ITALY - ALGHERO 40.54N 8.31E 0958Z 31 OCT WATCH
COORDINATES - 37.14 NORTH 6.56 EAST
                                                                                            ITALY - CARLOFORTE 39.15N 8.31E 1000Z 31 OCT WATCH
DEPTH - 15 KM
                                                                                            ITALY - ORISTANO 39.86N 8.44E 1005Z 31 OCT WATCH
LOCATION - WESTERN MEDITERRANEAN SEA
                                                                                            ITALY - CAGLIARI 39.21N 9.11E 1006Z 31 OCT WATCH
MAGNITUDE - 7.3
                                                                                            ITALY - PONZA 40.88N 12.95E 1014Z 31 OCT WATCH
                                                                                            ITALY - OROSEI 40.44N 9.78E 1016Z 31 OCT WATCH
                                                                                            ITALY - CALA LIBEROTTO 40.44N 9.79E 1016Z 31 OCT WATCH
EVALUATION OF TSUNAMI WATCH
IT IS NOT KNOWN THAT A TSUNAMI WAS GENERATED.
                                                                                            ITALY - SANTA TERESA DI GALLURA 41.25N 9.19E 1019Z 31 OCT WATCH
THIS WARNING IS BASED ONLY ON THE EARTHQUAKE EVALUATION.
                                                                                            ITALY - PALERMO 38.22N 13.34E 1020Z 31 OCT WATCH
AN EARTHQUAKE OF THIS SIZE HAS THE POTENTIAL TO GENERATE A TSUNAMI
                                                                                            ITALY - IMPERIA 43.88N 8.02E 1021Z 31 OCT WATCH
THAT CAN STRIKE COASTLINES WITH A WAVE HEIGHT GREATER THAN 0.5M
                                                                                            ITALY - GINOSTRA 38.78N 15.19E 1024Z 31 OCT WATCH
AND/OR CAUSE A TSUNAMI RUN-UP GREATER THAN 1M.
                                                                                            ITALY - PORTO TORRES 40.84N 8.40E 1024Z 31 OCT WATCH
AUTHORITIES SHOULD TAKE APPROPRIATE ACTION IN RESPONSE TO THIS
                                                                                            ITALY - MARINA DI ANDORA 43.95N 8.15E 1026Z 31 OCT WATCH
                                                                                            ITALY - GENOVA 44.41N 8.93E 1030Z 31 OCT WATCH
POSSIBILITY. THIS CENTER WILL MONITOR SEA LEVEL DATA FROM GAUGES NEAR
THE EARTHQUAKE TO DETERMINE IF A TSUNAMI WAS GENERATED AND ESTIMATE
                                                                                            ITALY - GORGONA 43.57N 9.96E 1030Z 31 OCT WATCH
                                                                                            ITALY - ANZIO 41.45N 12.63E 1031Z 31 OCT WATCH
THE SEVERITY OF THE THREAT.
A TSUNAMI IS A SERIES OF WAVES AND THE FIRST WAVE MAY NOT BE THE
                                                                                            ITALY - PALINURO 40.03N 15.28E 1032Z 31 OCT WATCH
LARGEST. TSUNAMI WAVE HEIGHTS CANNOT BE PREDICTED AND CAN VARY
                                                                                            ITALY - CIVITAVECCHIA 42.06N 11.81E 1033Z 31 OCT WATCH
SIGNIFICANTLY ALONG A COAST DUE TO LOCAL EFFECTS. THE TIME FROM ONE
                                                                                            ITALY - GAETA 41.21N 13.59E 1034Z 31 OCT WATCH
TSUNAMI WAVE TO THE NEXT CAN BE FIVE MINUTES TO AN HOUR, AND THE
                                                                                            ITALY - NAPOLI 40.84N 14.27E 1035Z 31 OCT WATCH
                                                                        E-MAIL
THREAT CAN CONTINUE FOR MANY HOURS AS MULTIPLE WAVES ARRIVE.
                                                                                            ITALY - MILAZZO 38.21N 15.27E 1036Z 31 OCT WATCH
                                                                                            ITALY - CETRARO 39.49N 15.94E 1036Z 31 OCT WATCH
                                                                                            ITALY - SALERNO 40.68N 14.75E 1037Z 31 OCT WATCH
EVALUATION OF TSUNAMI INFORMATION
                                                                                            ITALY - FIUMICINO 41
BASED ON HISTORICAL
                                             DELLING THERE IS NO
THREAT THAT A TSU
                                               CAN CAUSE DAMAGE OR
                                                                                            ITALY - VIBO MARINA
                                                                            FAX
                                                                                                                          TWFP,
MAJOR EFFECT IN T
                                               INFORMATION ONLY.
                                                                                            ITALY - MAZARA DEL VA
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                                                                                            ITALY - MESSINA 38.20
ESTIMATED INITIAL
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THE WATCH AREA AF
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THE INITIAL WAVE
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NEAMWave17 Exercise



Phase B

Phase C

management activities performed at national level

International assistance request and provision





Focusing on Phase B...



Why it is important to implement Phase B?

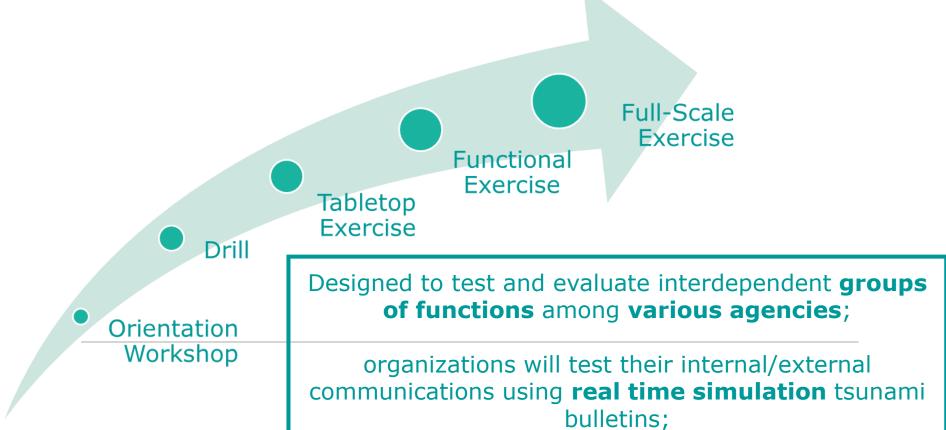
- To move from an early warning approach towards an early action and response one
- To develop an end-to-end management system of tsunami events (regional, national, local level)
- To raise awareness of launching and contributing to the development of a national policy to tackle the tsunami risk.





Focusing on Phase B...





tests **command and control activities** at locations

such as emergency command centers, command posts,...





Phase B - Turkish CPA @ NEAMWave12









The city of Antalya in the Mediterranean coast of Turkey was selected for the purposes of the table-top exercise to also benefit from another exercise "HOPEFOR" organized at the same date.

During the drafting of the exercise scenario at the national level, a chemical accident (fire) event was also included in the scenario with the involvement of the Provincial Search and Rescue Team.







Phase B - Turkish CPA @ NEAMWave14





- Tsunami exercise in Bartin and Amasra by following tsunami exercise messages sent by KOERI
- Use of IKAS and CANKUŞ high-tech alert Systems for the first time





FAYDALI BİLGİLER / Tsunamiden Korunma

Deniz kıyısına yakın bir yerleşim yeri seçilirken tsunami riski de diğer afetler gibi dikkate alınmalıdır. Çoğunlukla tsunaminin yaklaştığının ilk işareti büyük bir su duvarı değil, denizin ani olarak geri çekilmesidir. Bu nedenle, denizde ve deniz kıyısındayken bir deprem hissedildiğinde ve/veya deniz çekilmesi gözlendiğinde tsunami tehlikesini hatırlamalıyız.



Tsunamiden korunmak için şunları yapın:

Tehlikeyi hissettiğinizde hemen ve hızla yüksek yerlere doğru gidip deniz kıyısından uzaklaşın.

Depremden sonra olası bir tsunami uyarısı için radyo dinleyin ve uyarı yapıldığında deniz kıyısından yüksek yerlere doğru uzaklaşın.

Tsunami sırasında denizde ve kıyıya dönemeyecek durumdaysanız kıyıdan uzaklaşarak derinliği 50 m ve üzerinde olan yerlere gidin.





Focusing on Phase C...



Why it is important to implement Phase C?

- To test procedures for international assistance between the European Commission and participating Member States

Phase C of the NEAMWave17 exercise will be performed only for the Western Mediterranean scenario (launched by CENALT).

The ERCC will receive one or more requests for international assistance from one or more affected countries according to the scenario. The request for assistance will activate the Union Civil Protection Mechanism (UCPM).

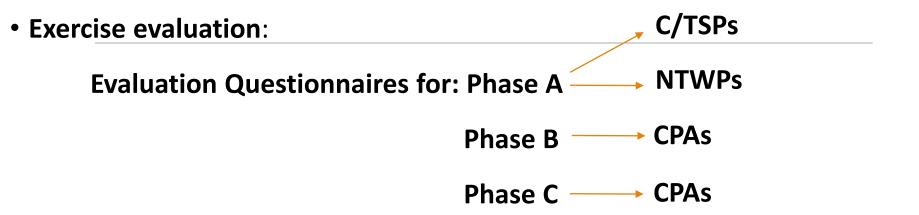




NEAMWave17: HOW TO PARTICIPATE NEAMWave17



- Second Circular Letter will be sent by UNESCO-IOC together with the exercise manual including exercise scenario documents soon!
- Application form to be sent on 30/09/2017
- Preparatory actions to participate: exercise manual
- During NEAMWave17 exercise: helpdesk available (email; landline)







NEAMWave17 Manual



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