

# Earthquake Information

## Amazing Fact

Six Italian scientists were arrested for failing to predict the 2009 L'Aquila earthquake in which 309 people died. They appealed their cases successfully and were not sent to prison.

## Challenge

What can you find out about earthquakes?

Using the table below, try to answer the questions and find out some information about earthquakes.

Questions	Facts and Information
What is an earthquake?	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>
What causes an earthquake?	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>
What damage can an earthquake do?	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>

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Which countries have the most earthquakes?	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>
Other interesting information	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>



You could also try to find out:

- how earthquakes are measured;
- how easy they are to predict;
- about other cases where prison sentences have been handed out in unusual circumstances;
- what the biggest earthquake ever recorded is.