Global Distribution of Highest Risk Disaster Hotspots by Hazard Type

Total Economic Loss Risks

High Total Economic Loss Risk
Top 3 Deciles at Risk from:
- Drought Only
- Geophysical Only
- Hydro Only
- Drought and Hydro
- Geophysical and Hydro
- Drought and Geophysical
- Drought, Hydro and Geophysical

Note: Geophysical hazards include earthquakes and volcanoes; hydrological hazards include floods, cyclones, and landslides.

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