

InaSAFE is **free software** that produces realistic natural hazard impact scenarios for better planning, preparedness and response activities



## Better Planning Saves Lives

### What is InaSAFE?

InaSAFE is **free software** that was developed jointly by Indonesia, Australia and the World Bank. It uses innovative science and crowd sourcing techniques (OpenStreetMap, OSM) to create realistic disaster and hazard impact scenarios for better planning, preparedness and response activities. It is in demand by disaster managers across Indonesia and around the world.

### How does it work?

InaSAFE provides a simple but rigorous way to combine data from communities, local governments and scientists to help assess the possible impact of future disaster events on communities, assets and infrastructure. It also calculates the resources required to support affected populations.

### Where does the data come from?

InaSAFE is designed to use and combine existing and new data from communities, local governments and science agencies. Where spatial data doesn't exist, external tools such as OpenStreetMap ([www.openstreetmap.org](http://www.openstreetmap.org)) are available for communities and disaster managers to map assets that are important to them.

### Who can use it?

Anyone with basic computer skills can learn to use InaSAFE. The software leads the user through the process of locating their data, choosing an impact function and assessing the likely impact that a disaster will have on a selected community.

### Where do I get more information?

Visit the InaSAFE website  
[www.inasafe.org](http://www.inasafe.org)

