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IMPROVING RESILIENCE CAPACITIES IN A HAZARD-SCAPE OTSUCHI, JAPAN



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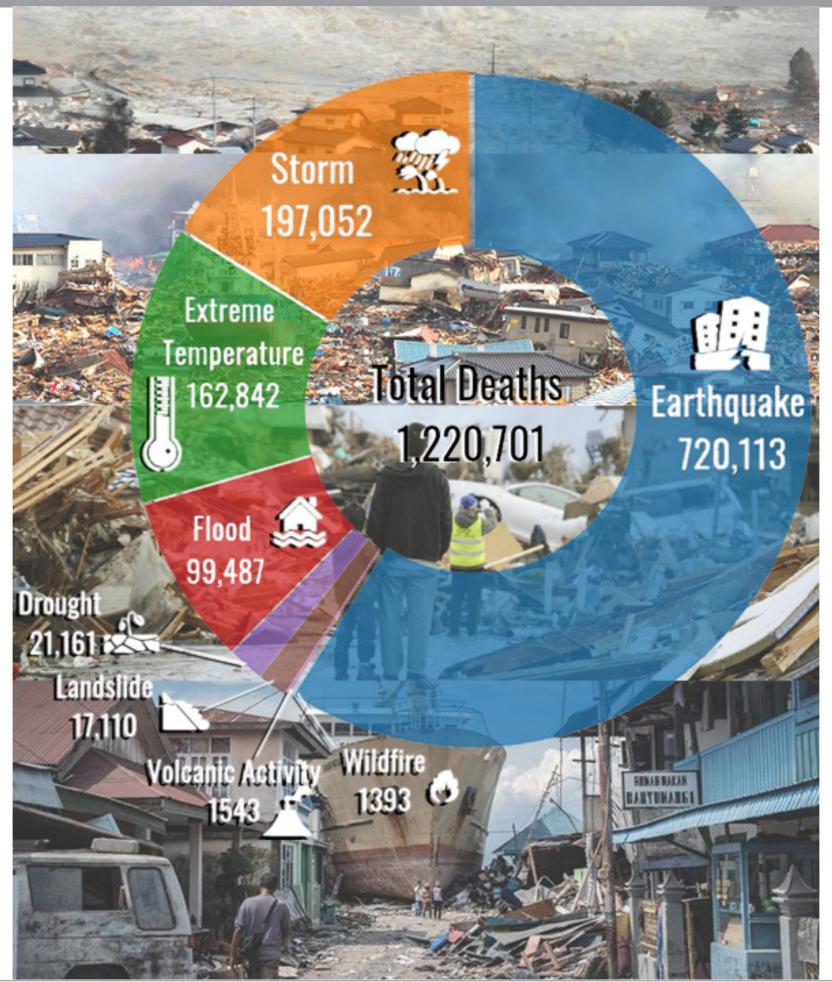






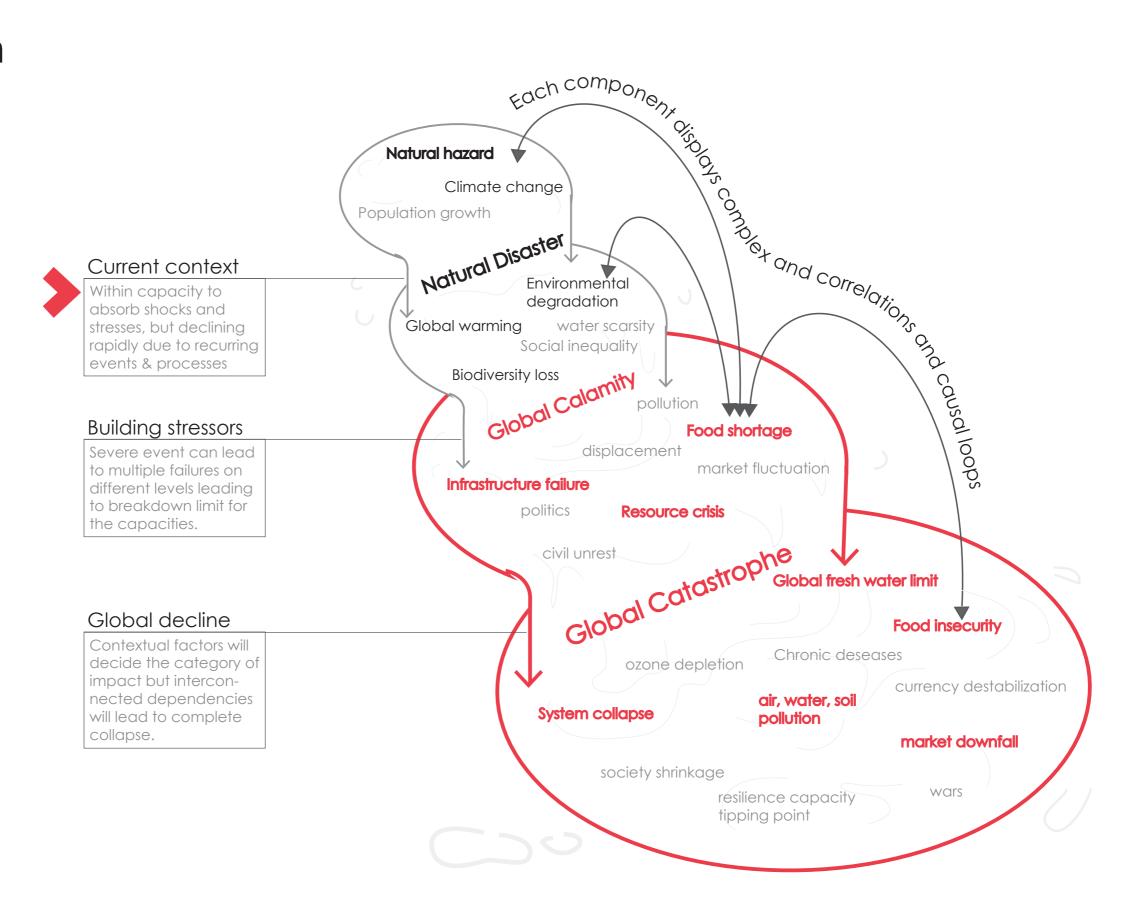
Motivation

- Frequency
- Intensify
- Human loss
- Resource losses
- Chronic illness



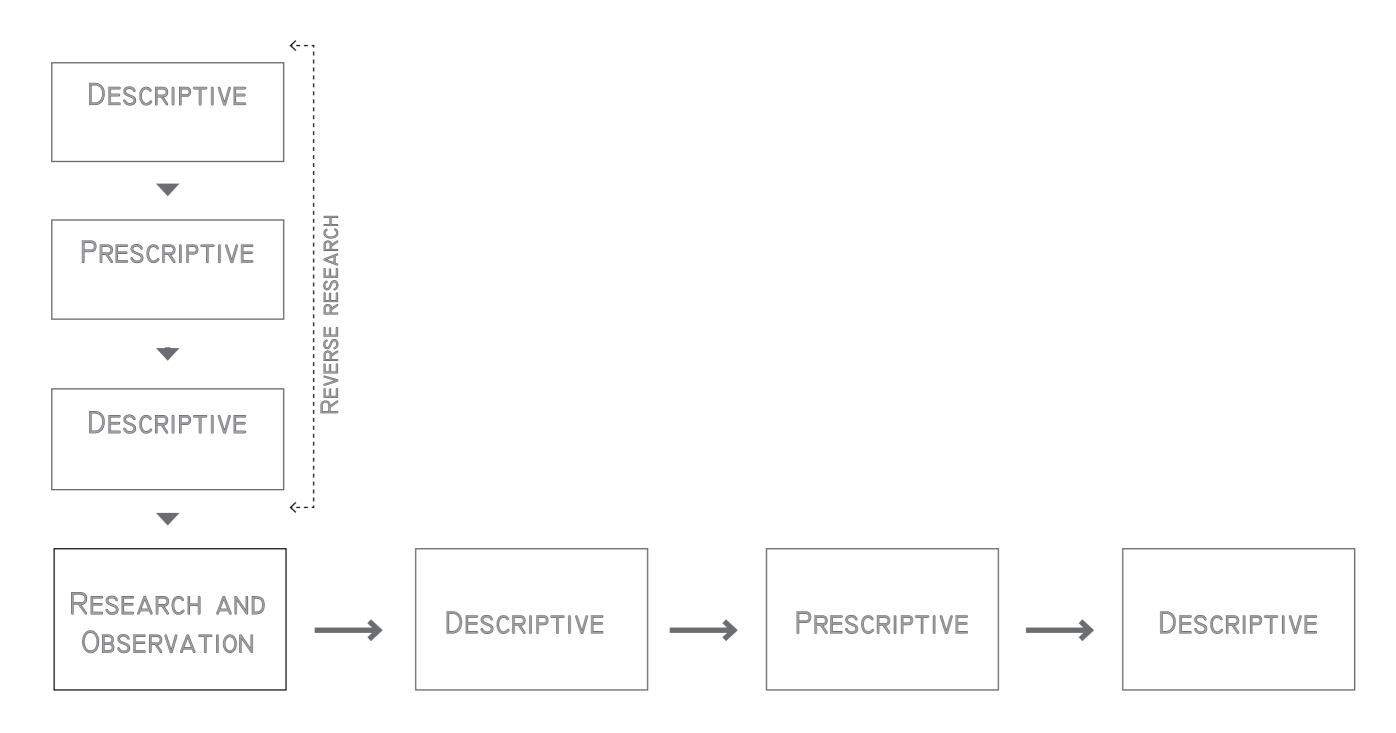
EM-DAT, CRED, 1998-2017 FAOSTAT, 2003-2013

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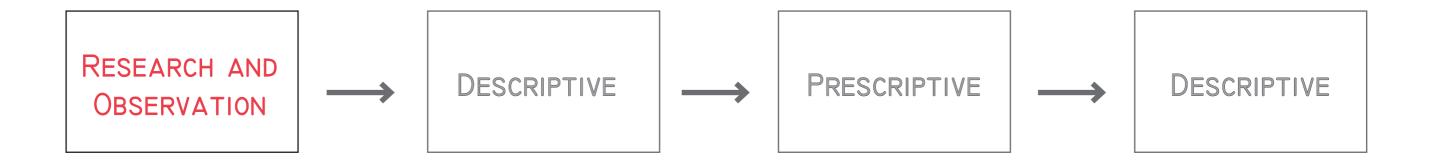


DISASTERS are phenomenon that affect the core principles of SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

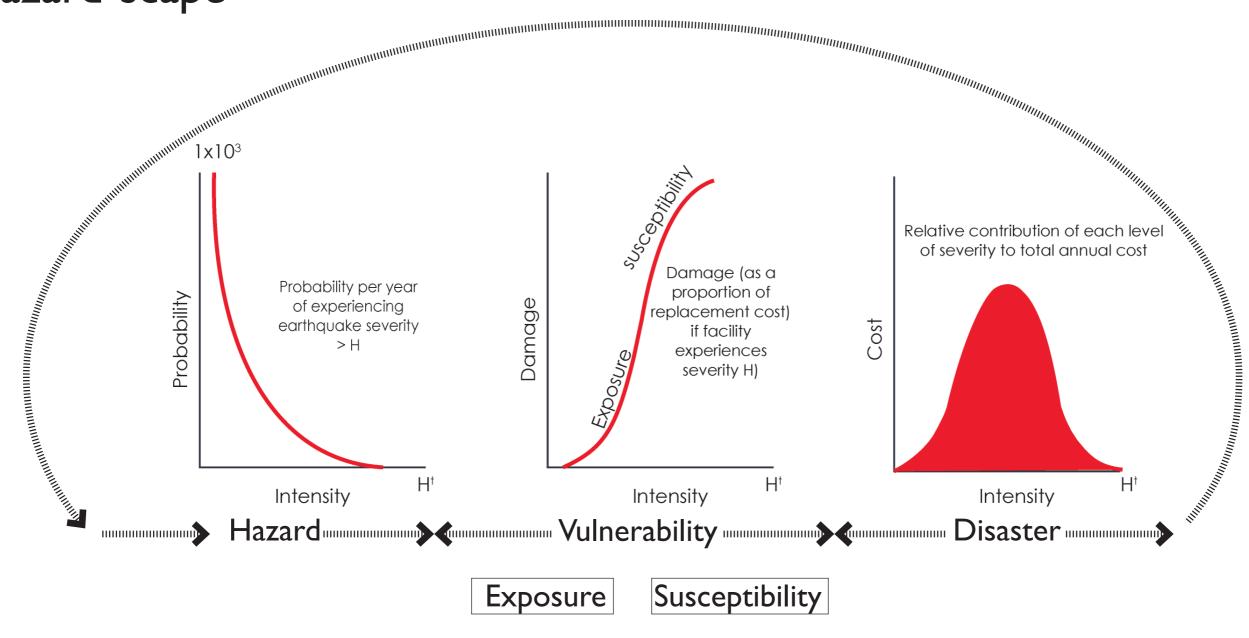
PEOPLE | PLANET | PROSPERITY | PLACE



DRM – a design research methodology (Blessing & Chakrabarti, 2009)

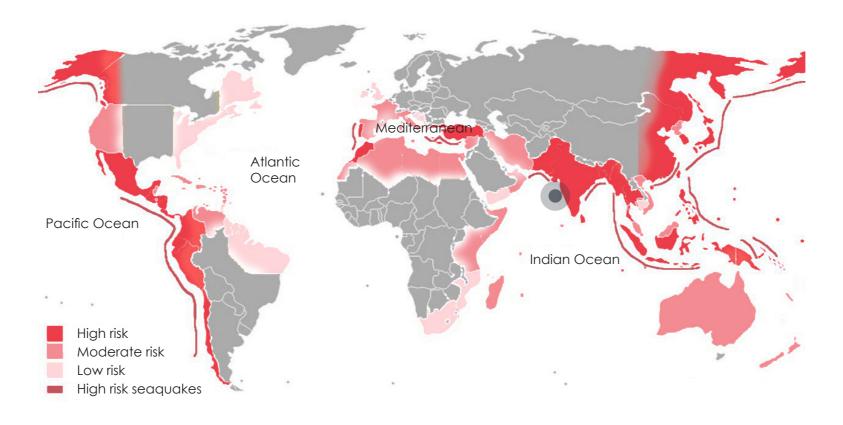


Hazard-scape



"A dynamic scape, which reflects the physical susceptibility of a place and vulnerability of human life and assets to various hazards in a given human ecological system. It portrays the human and environment relationship in an ecosystem, where it operates and changes through time. Process, place and people are three essential elements of hazardscape, which interact and give shape to its three resultant characteristics i.e. hazards, physical susceptibility and human vulnerability. (Khan, 2009)

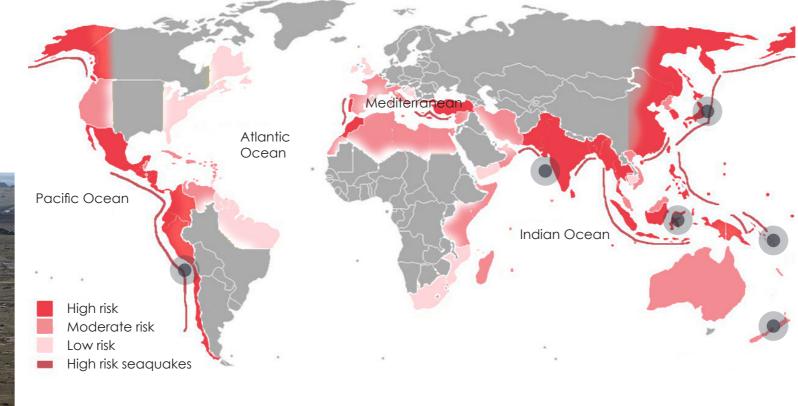
Tsunami-scapes



2004 Indian Ocean Tsunami



Tsunami-scapes



2011 Japan Tsunami

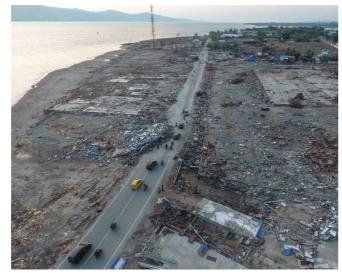


2004 Indian Ocean Tsunami

2010 Chile Tsunami



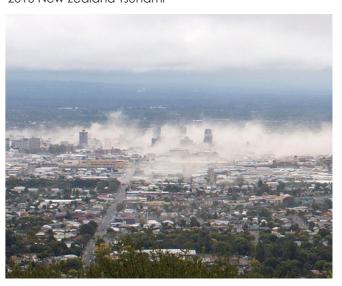
2018 Indonesia Tsunami



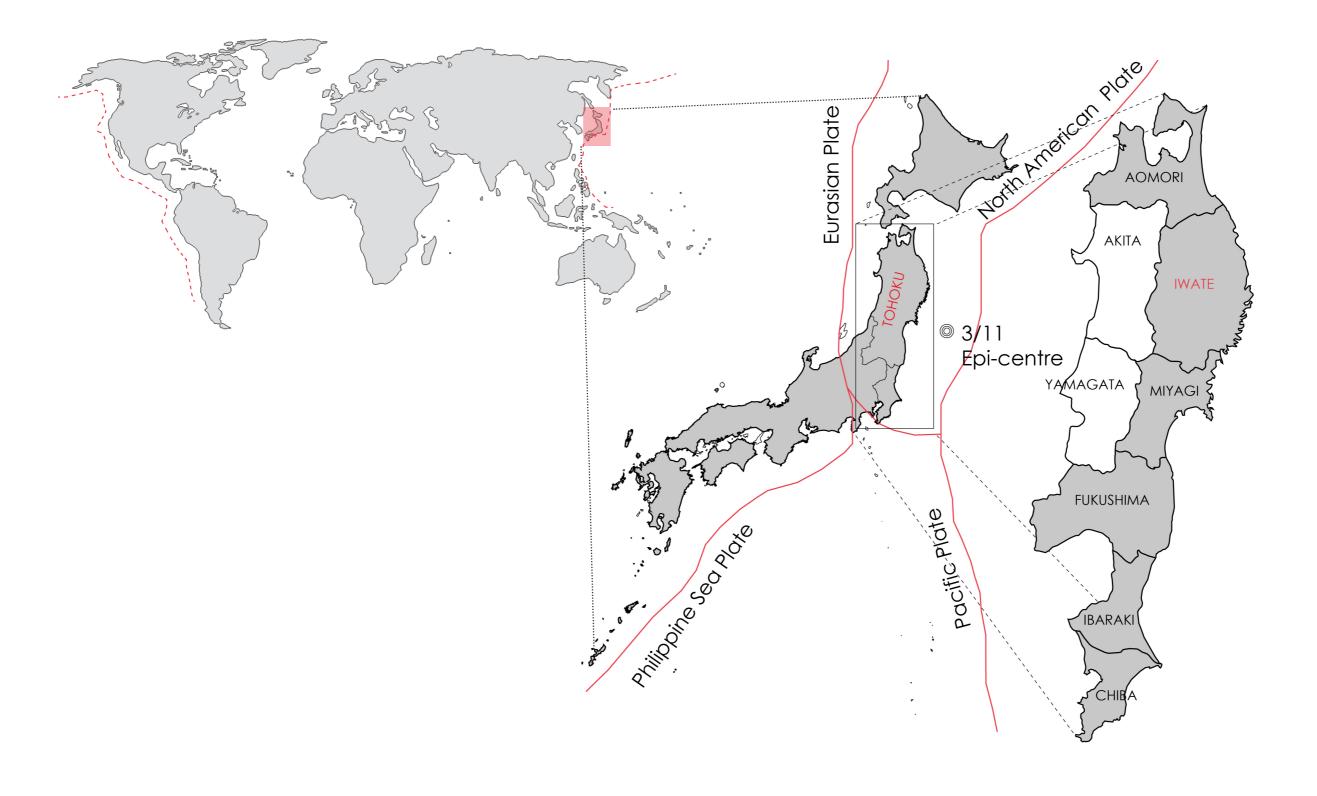
2007 Solomon Island Tsunami



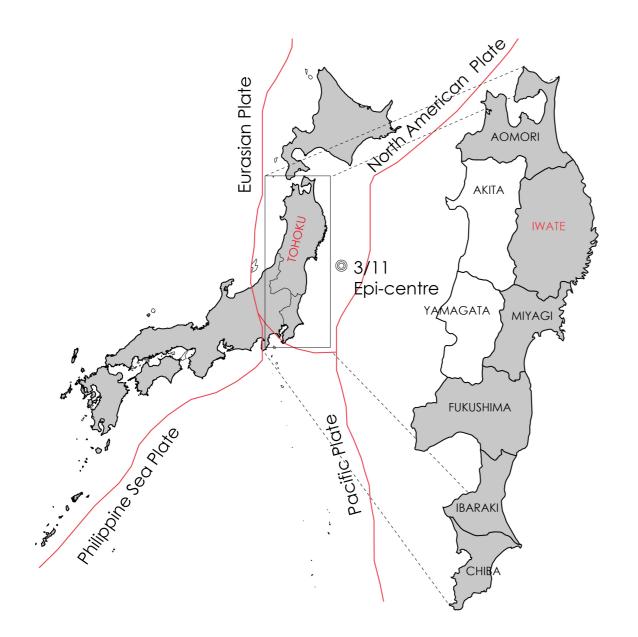
2016 New Zealand Tsunami



Japan hazardscape



Exposure and vulnerability



Broken sea walls



Broken dikes

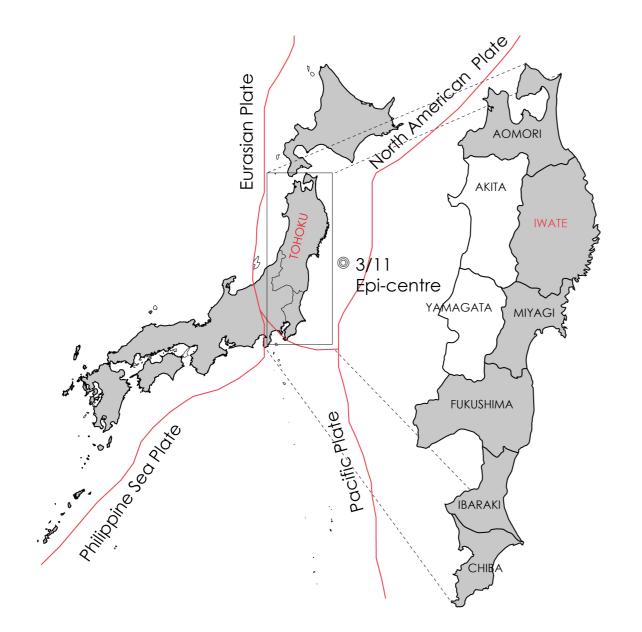


Destroyed coastal forests



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Exposure and vulnerability



Critical Infra paralysed



Cities destroyed



Critical supplies exhausted



Otsuchi workshop

- Multidisciplinary workshop; faculty of architecture and built environment, civil engineering, social sciences
- Scoping exercises based on 4th bottom line principles of sustainability
- Charette methodology



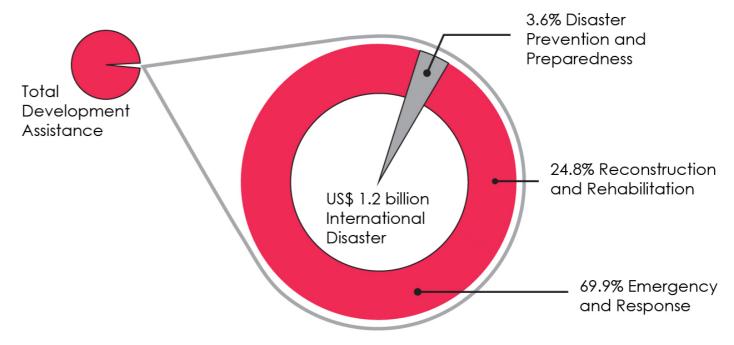
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Is evacuation enough for such tsunami-scapes?

Why is physical infrastructure considered foremost in the phases of the disaster cycle i.e. preparation, protection, mitigation and reduction from disasters?



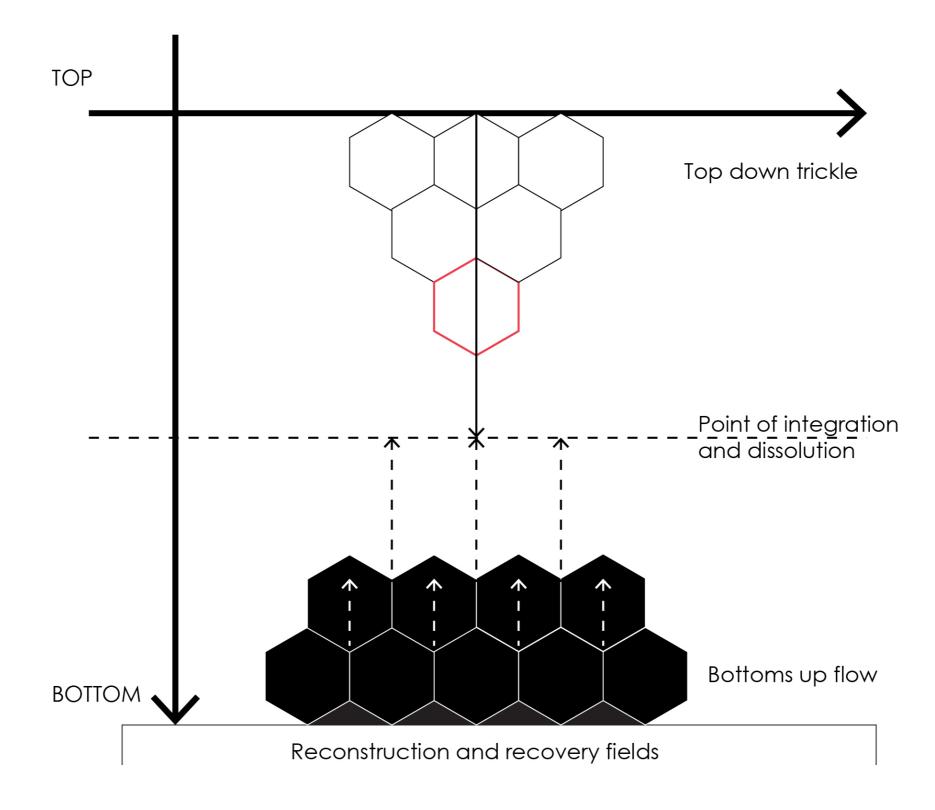
Share of development aid allocated to disaster prevention and preparedness, GFDRR, 2012b

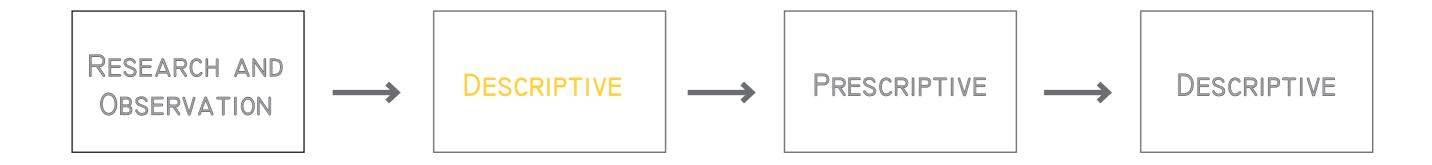
What kind and level of reconstruction is required for a complete recovery from the disasters?

Climate change Engineering resilience **Vulnerability** RECOVER Multi-equilibria Urbanisation resilience **ADAPT** Technological, Innovation TRANSFORM Market failure Socio-ecological resilience Is this the way?

Source: - sustainability, mdpi

Problem Field

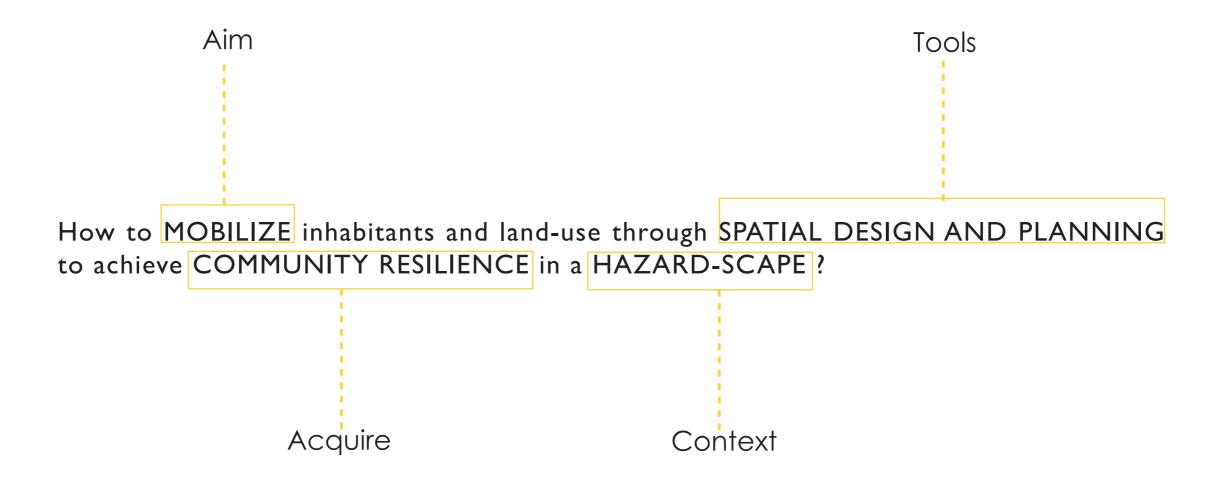




The project aims to address a **typology of spatial planning** for the disaster prone regions that focuses on building a **framework for the emergency response** which is **multilevel, multi sectoral** and caters to **long term risk reduction strategies** that are relative of the **hazard-scape**.



Research Question



Sub-research Questions

Community resilience

- 1. How is it possible to reduce disaster impact while creating awareness and preparedness and consequently contribute to improvement of community resilience in the hazard-scape?
- 2. What role does context play in the domain of community resilience? How significant is it?
- 3. How can the study of community resilience contribute to disaster risk reduction governance elsewhere?

Governance

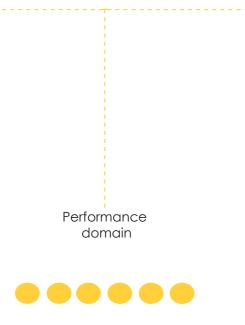
- 1. How is the approach to mobilization of landuse made enough in a disaster vulnerable region?
- 2. In what ways can the study of governance measures for urban renewal improve resilience in the reconstruction of the disaster-scape?
- 3. Can resilience of critical capital and critical infrastructures be undertaken by community-based disaster risk reduction systems and to what extent?

Planning and design

- 1. How can spatial design and planning strategies generate preparedness within the community in a disaster-scape?
- 2. In what ways spatial strategies influencing mobilization of critical capital and infrastructures protect, mitigate and cause recovery in the event of disaster?
- 3. How does long-term crisis management of resources affect the reconstruction process?
- 4. How can design and planning after the

disaster event support the governance of spatial decision making?

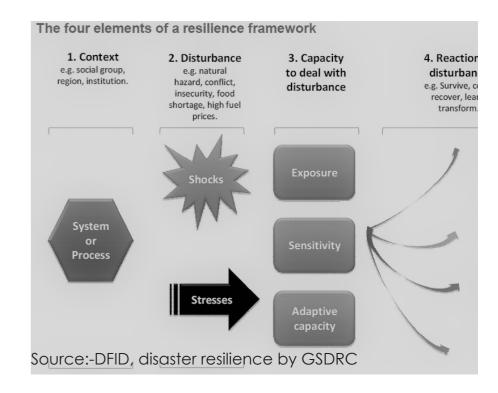
5. How is emergency spatial planning different from the contemporary spatial planning? And in what ways it influences the reconstruction process?

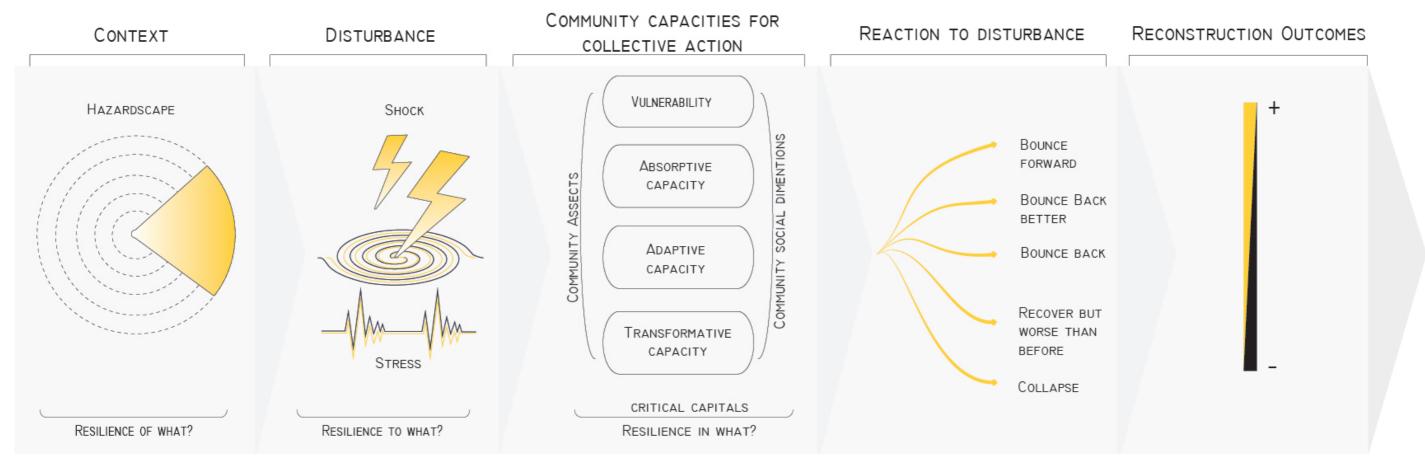






Theoretical framework

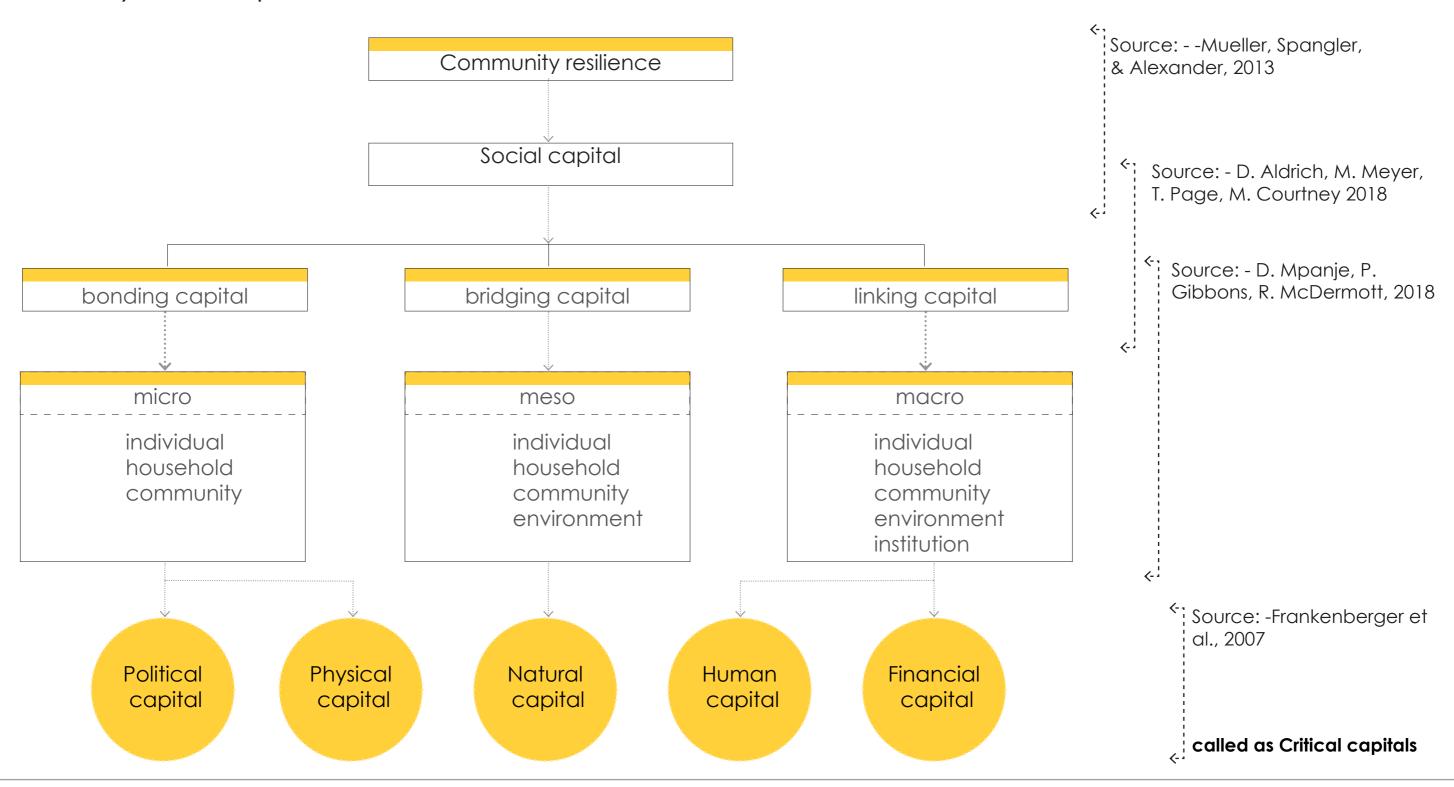




Source: - Adapted from Frankenberger et al. (2012), DFID (2011a), TANGO (2008), and CARE (2002) and authors illustration

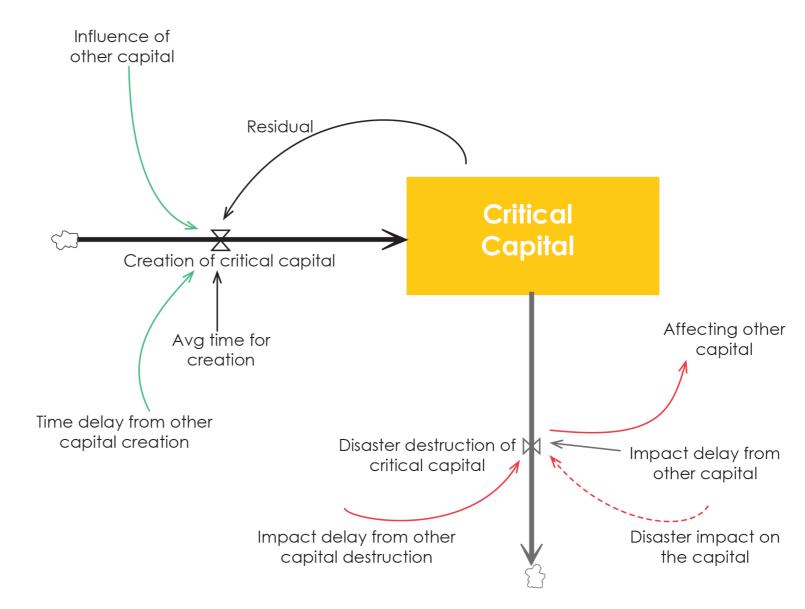
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Community collective capacities



Concept critical Capital model to assess capital dependencies

- Manifestation of how preparedness phase works
- Considers resilience is the ability to recover capital effectively and efficiently
- Based on critical capitals, it shows how one form of capital influences other form of capital in creation and destruction phase
- Provides spatio- temporal understanding by exploring the recovery measures.



Source: - capital model for disaster resilience by (Sakurai, Gonzalez, Watson, & Kokuryo, 2016)

Capital being influenced in creation stage

Capital being influenced / destroyed in the destruction stage

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Global

Geophysical changes Future projections based on SLR Urbanisation trends

National/ territorial- Japan

Risk levels Social, political, economic vulnerabilities Risk Governance, Policy and framework

Prefectural/ State Scale- Iwate

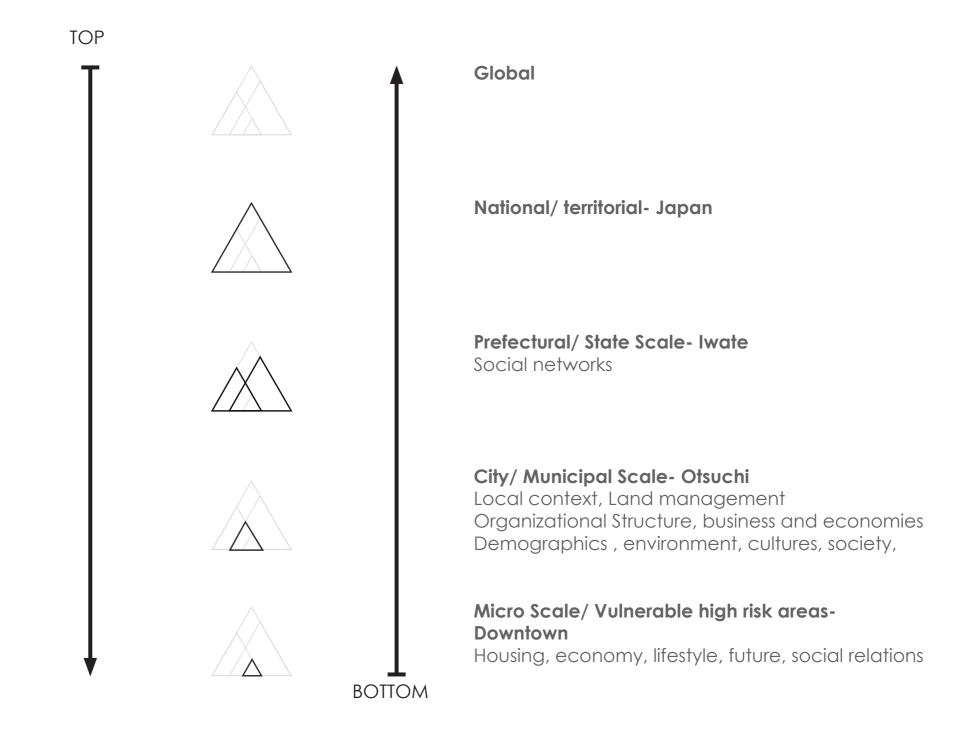
Critical infrastructure dependencies Reconstruction plans and strategies Implementation strategies

City/ Municipal Scale- Otsuchi

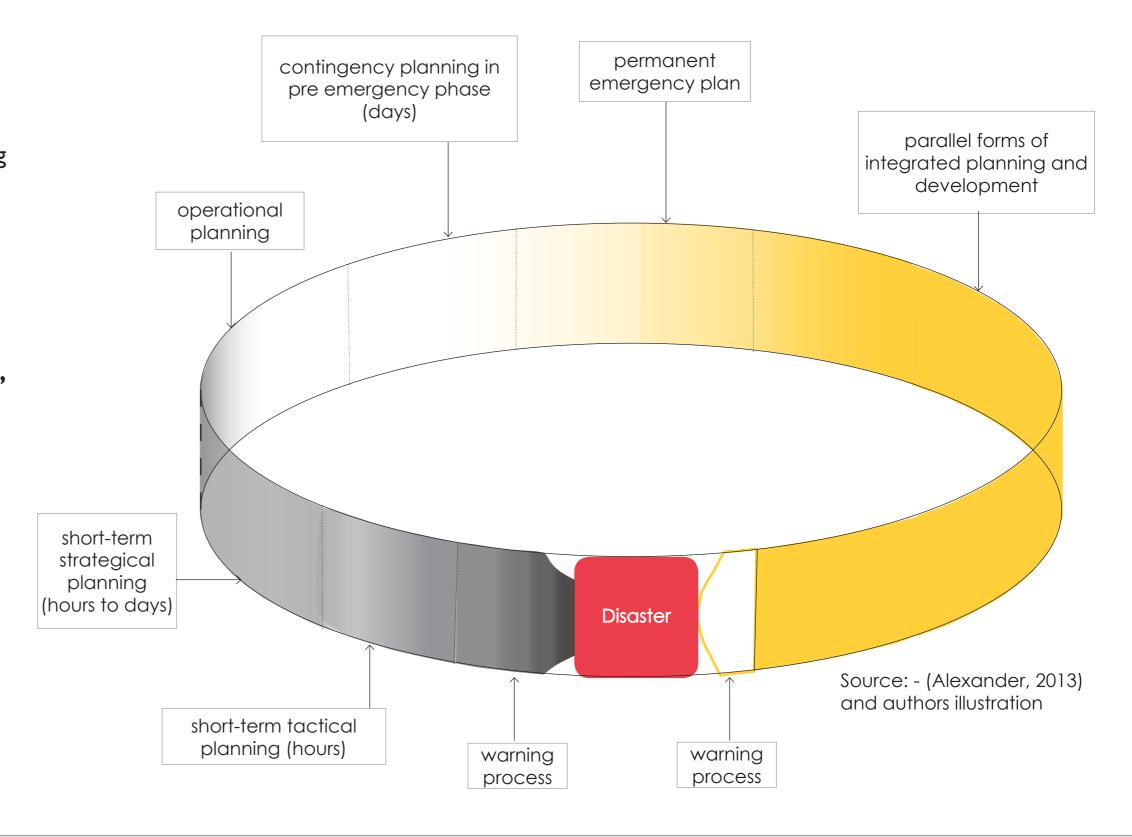
Local context Organizational Structure Demographics

Micro Scale/ Vulnerable high risk areas-Downtown

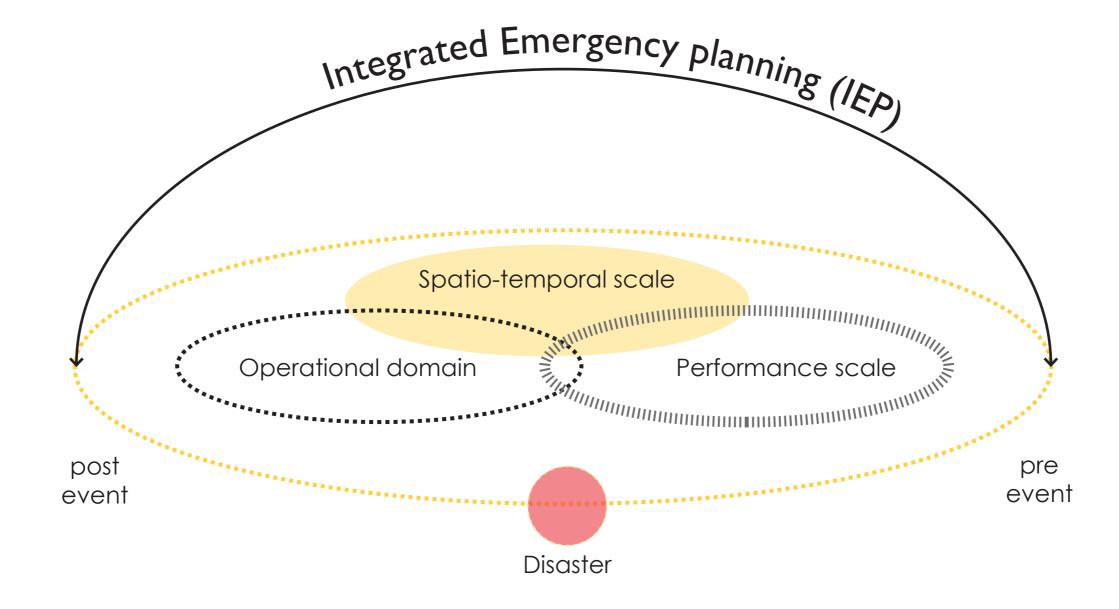
Housing, economy, lifestyle, future



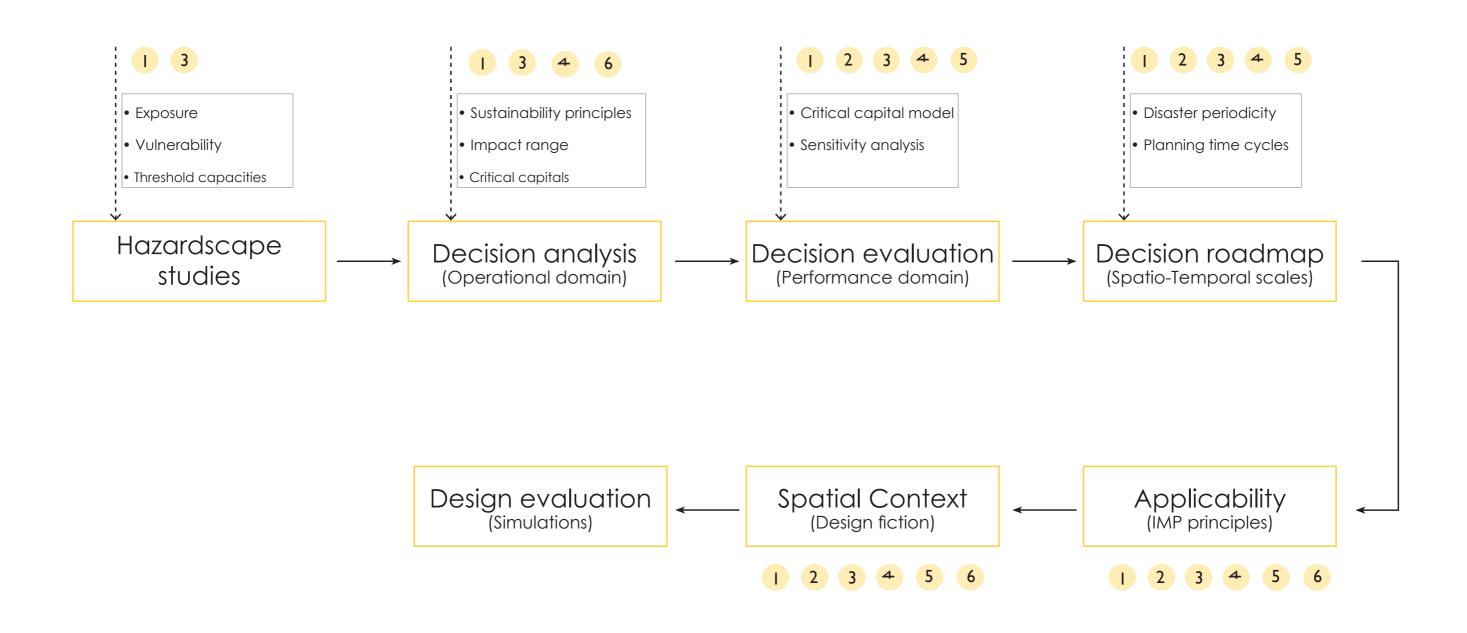
- Changing hazardscape need changing planning structure.
- Conceptualizing emergency planning (short-term) with contemporary planning forms (lomg term).
- Preparedness is continuous, so should be planning
- Developing typology of planning 'Integrated Emergency Planning' for the hazardscape



Conceptual Framework



Analytical Framework



Literature reviews



Mapping and documentation

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Empirical studies and field studies

3

Policy and planning documents

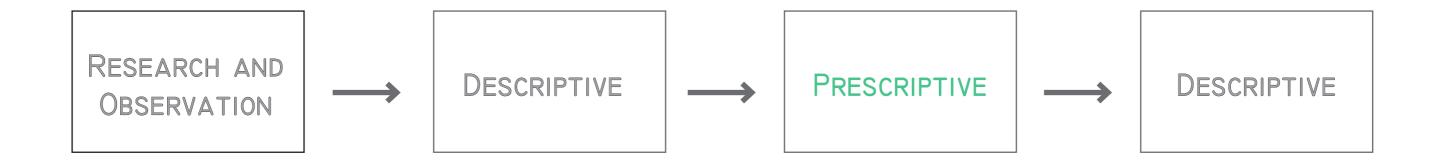
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Ethnographic review studies

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System dynamics simulation studies



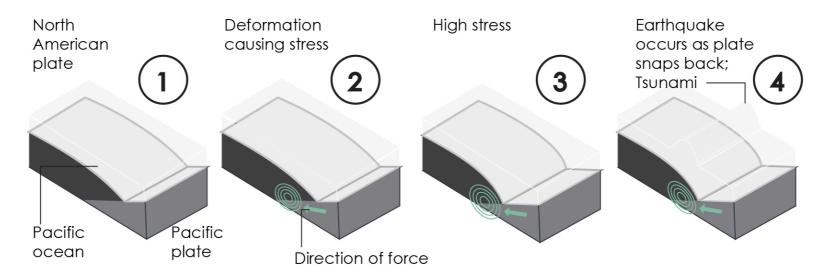


Otsuchi hazardscape

- Earthquake registered
- Shaking felt
- Earthquake NOT registered
- Shaking felt

- Earthquake registered
- Shaking felt

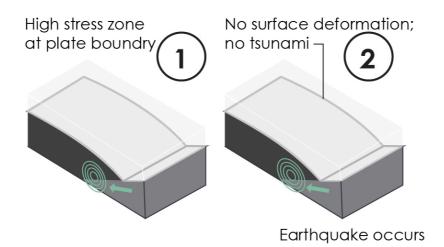
Earthquake Deformation



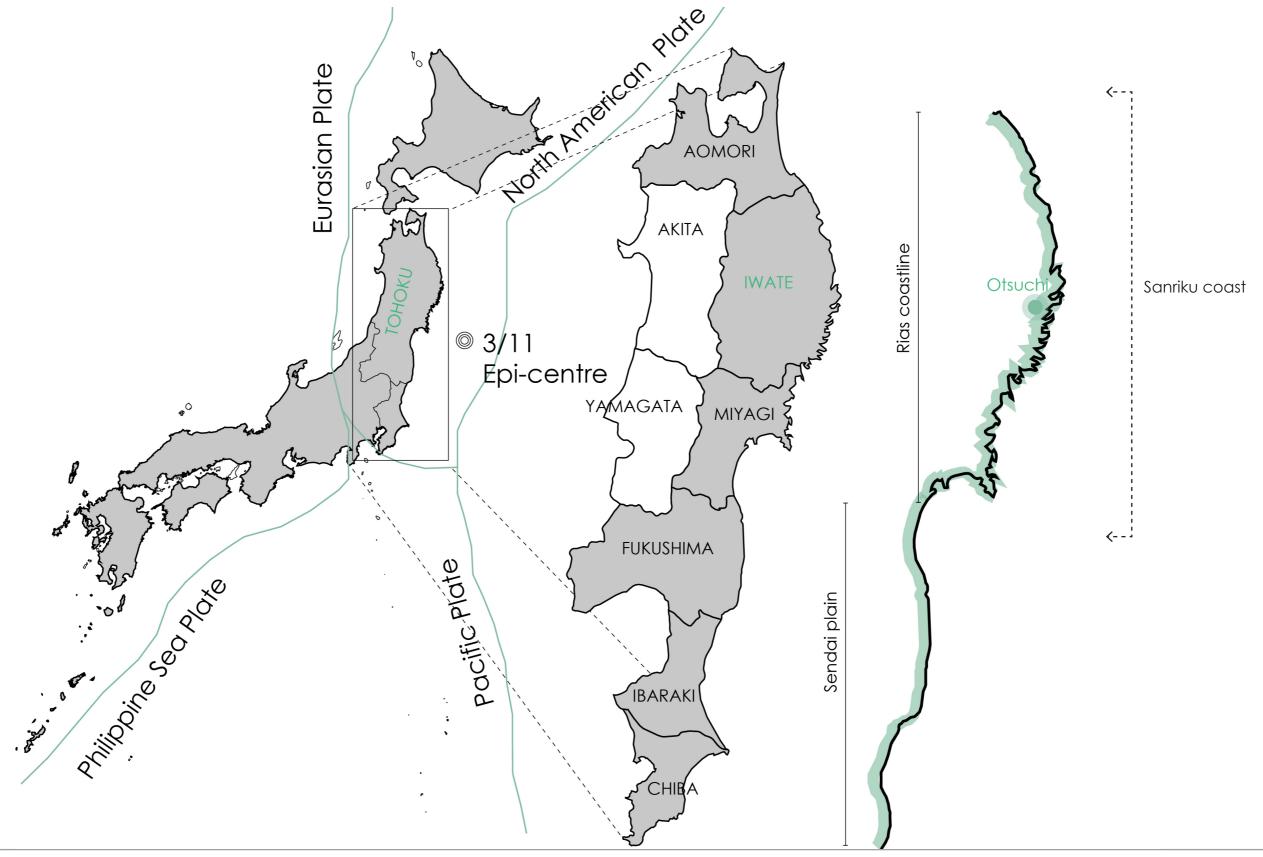
Tsunami occurs



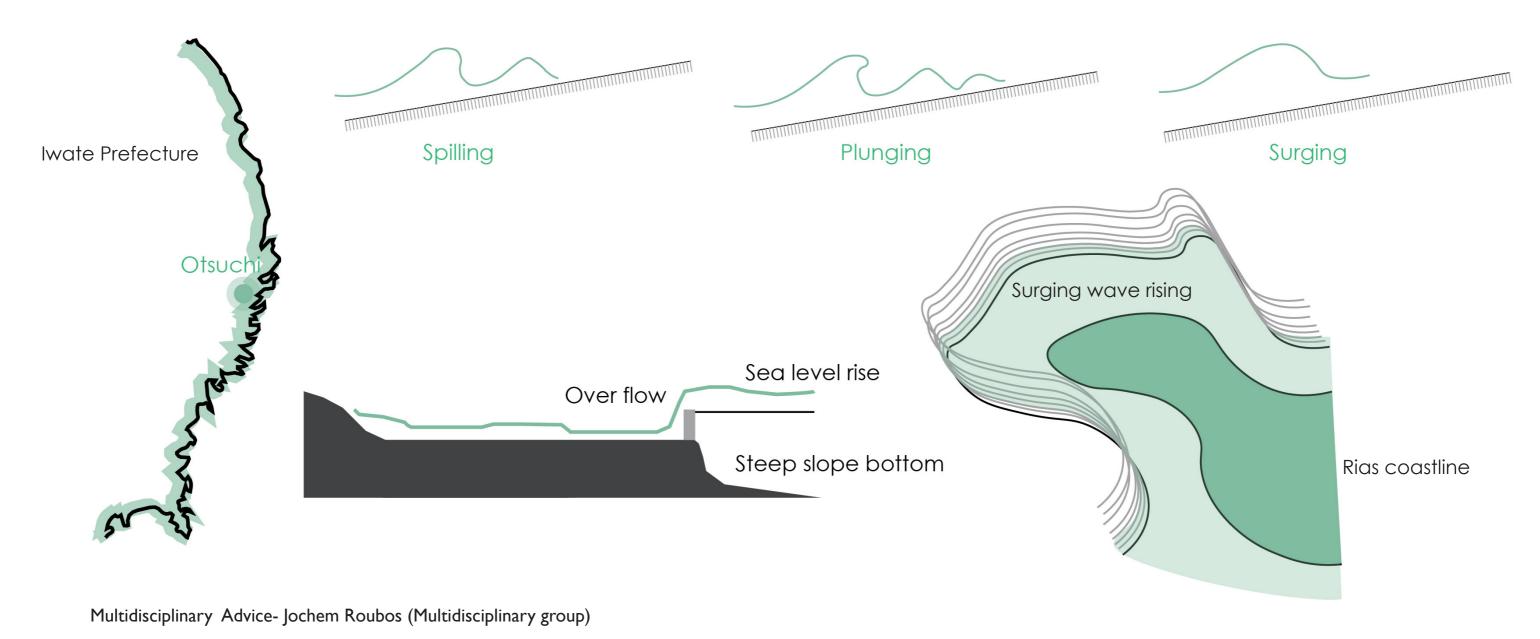
No Tsunami



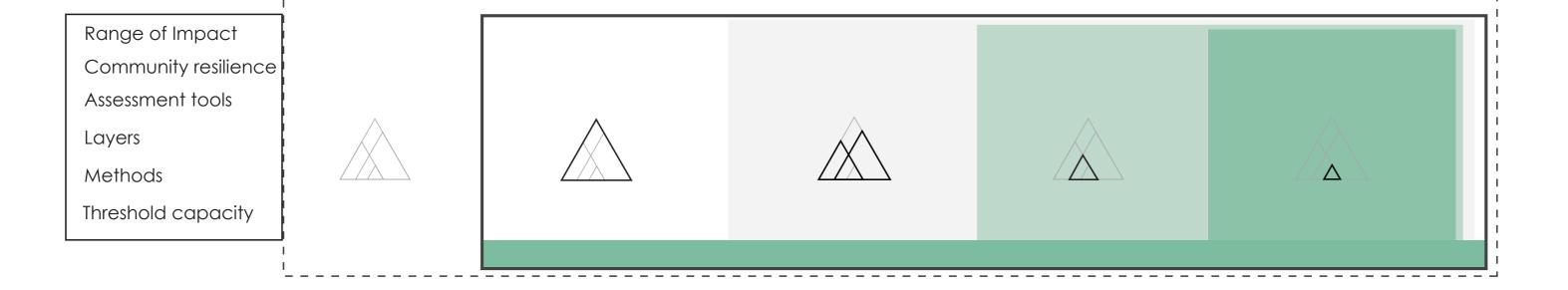
Otsuchi hazardscape



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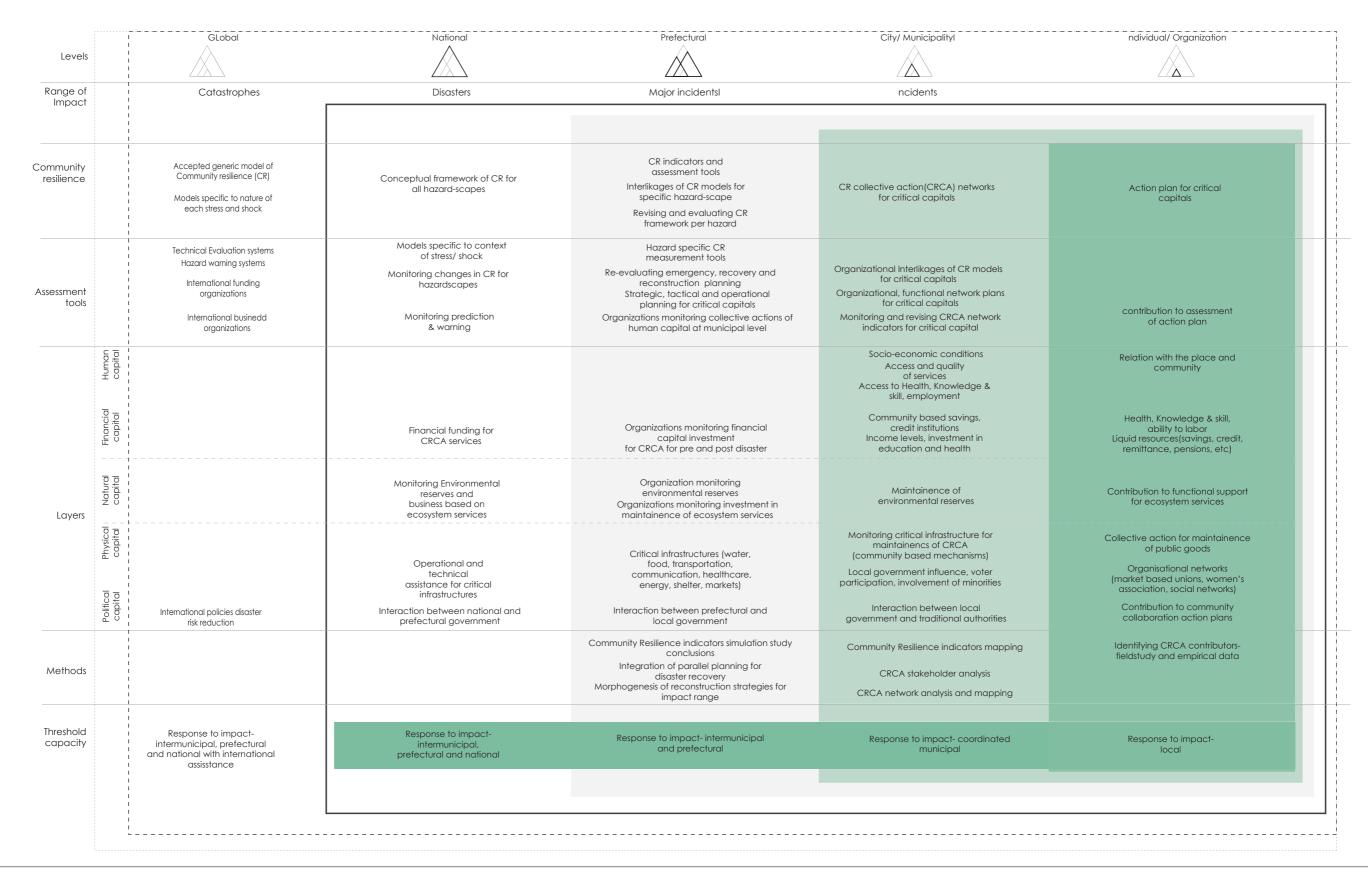


Operational domain action planning



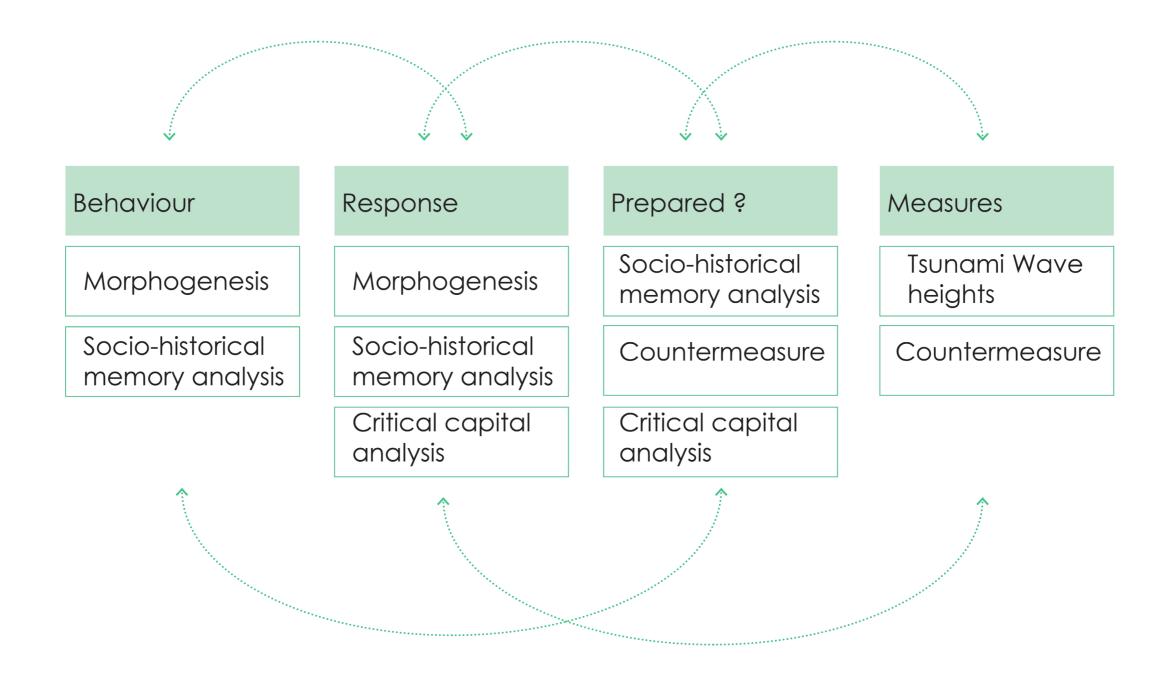
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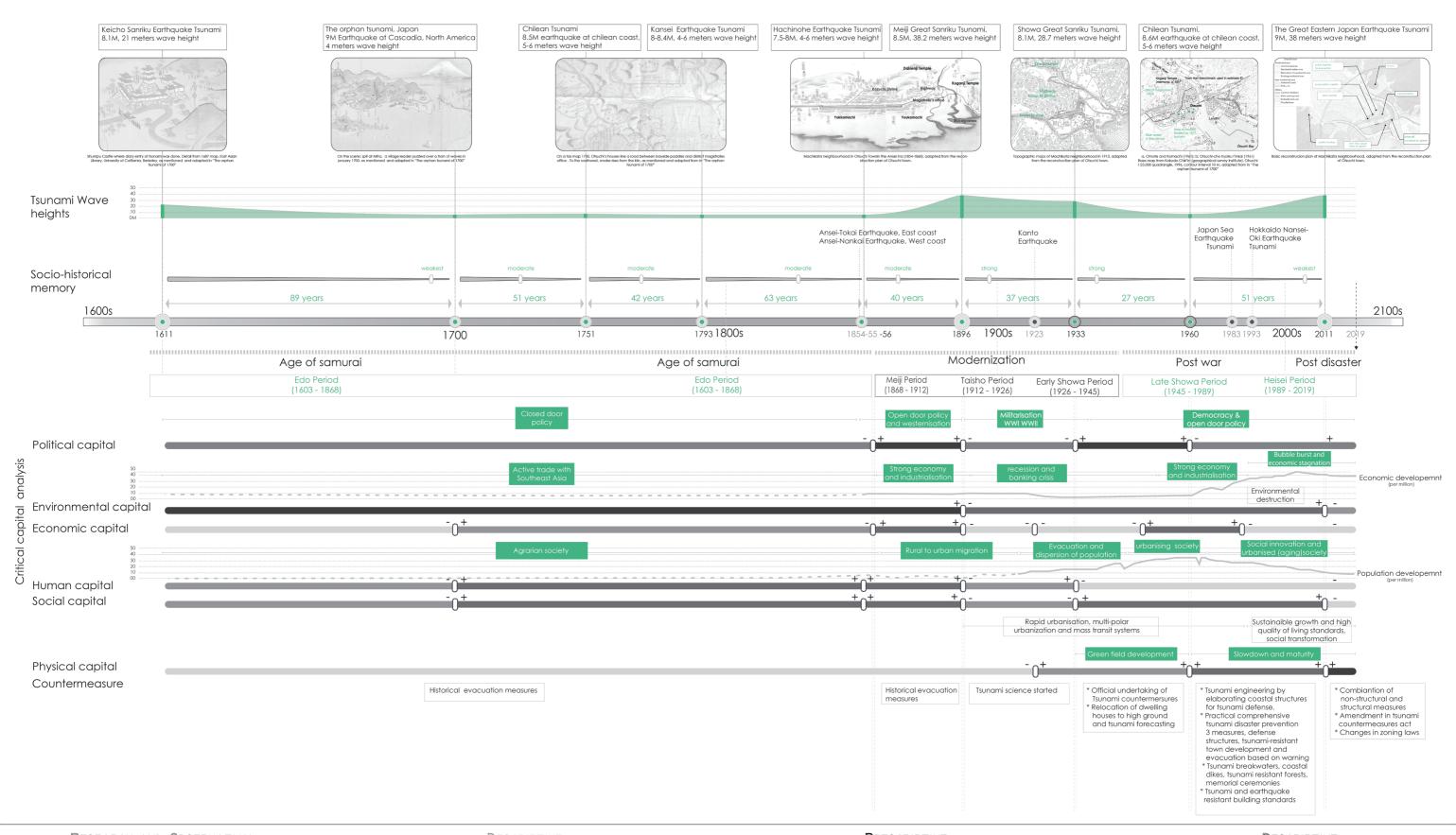
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Decision evaluation of performance domain



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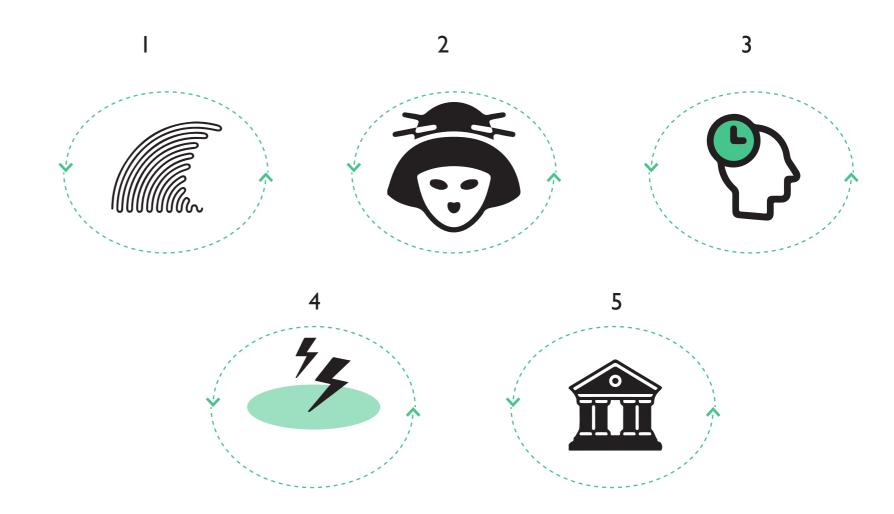
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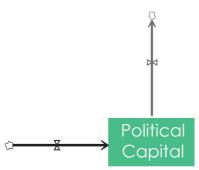
Analysis results

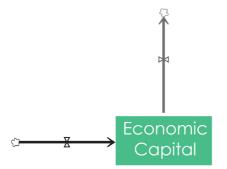
- I. Japan has been a tsunami hazardscape since ancient times
- 2. Japanese people have inherent resilient capacities
- 3. Social memory of previous disasters increases resilience
- 4. A turnkey tsunami event changes the dynamics of the resilient capacities and countermeasures
- 5. The political capital is the key for system change

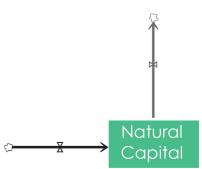


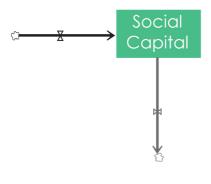
Reconstruction decisions evaluated based on system dynamics

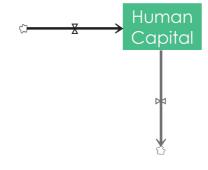
- economic- financial, industrial, market, local economy
- physical- infrastructure,
 communication, buildings, transport
- social- individual or organization empowered by social connections
- political- mayor, municipality officials, decision makers
- human- skills, knowledge and abilities that individuals use to generate income or other useful outputs
- natural- environment, biodiversity, ecosystems

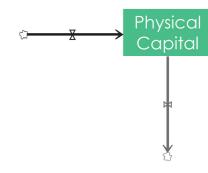










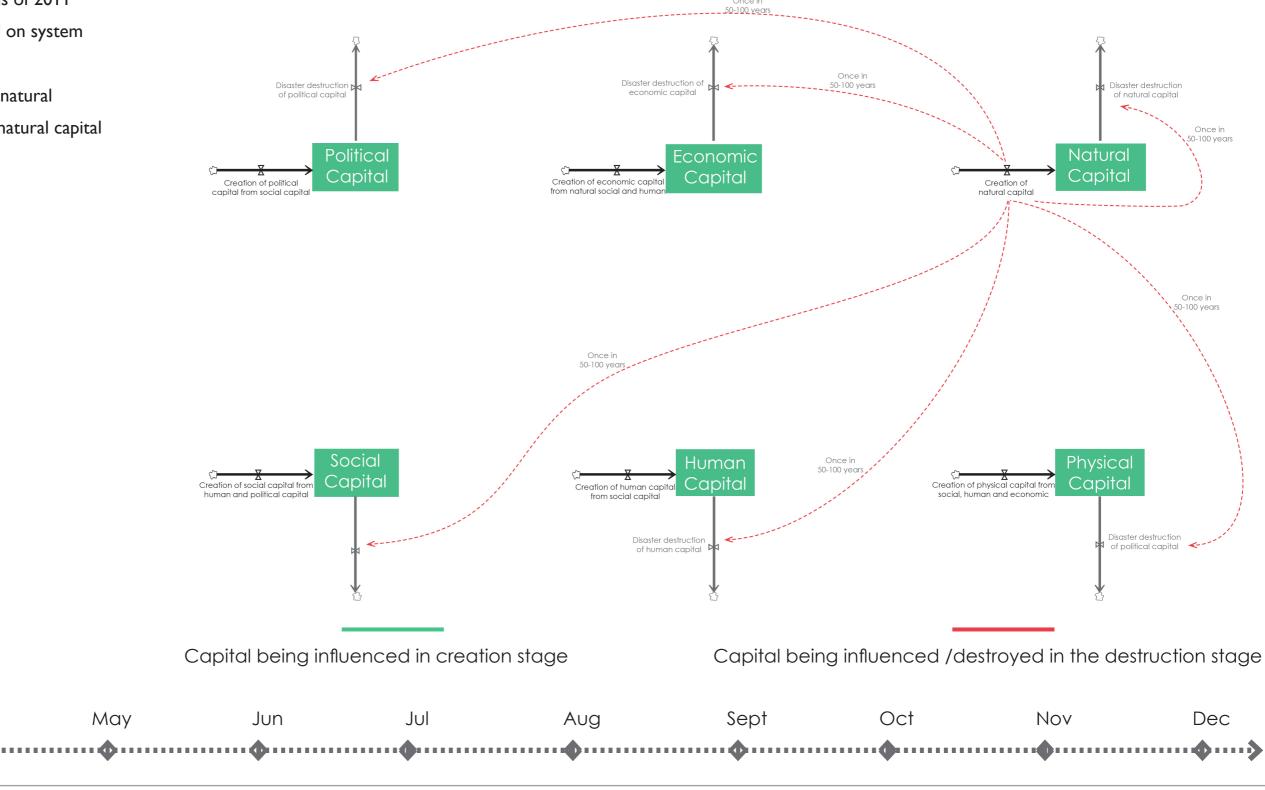


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Capital being influenced /destroyed in the destruction stage

Reconstruction decisions of 2011 tsunami evaluated based on system dynamics

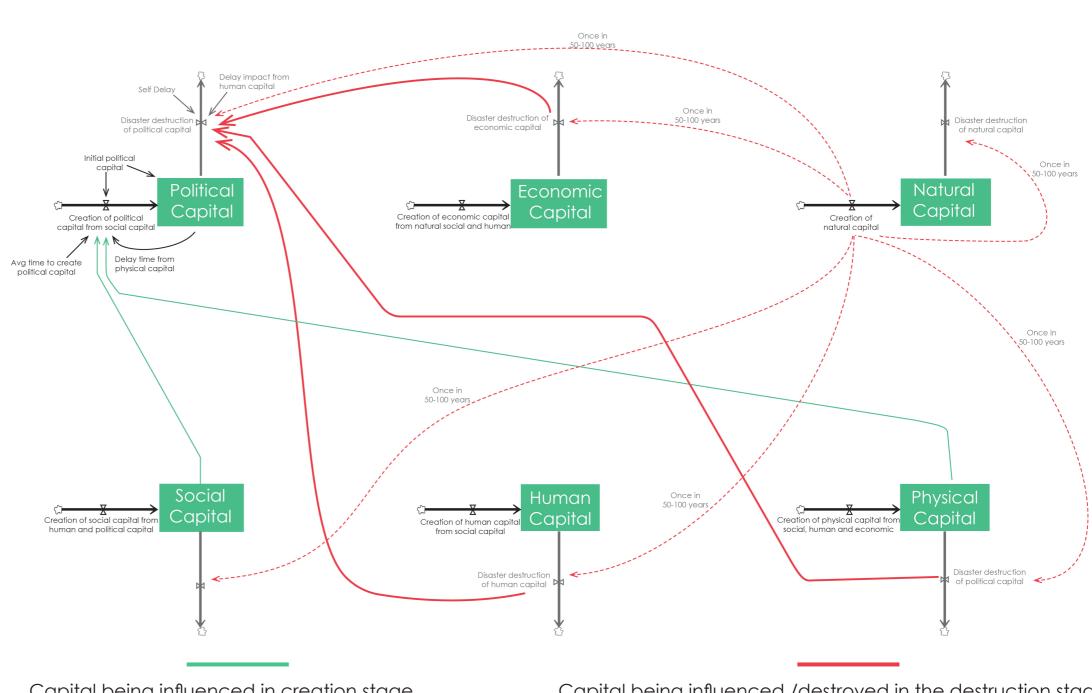
• Tsunami occurred, a natural phenomenon of the natural capital





Reconstruction decisions of 2011 tsunami evaluated based on system dynamics

- · Town mayor died in tsunami and deputy nearing his term end
- Many governmental official lost their lives
- Town concentrated on election of new mayor



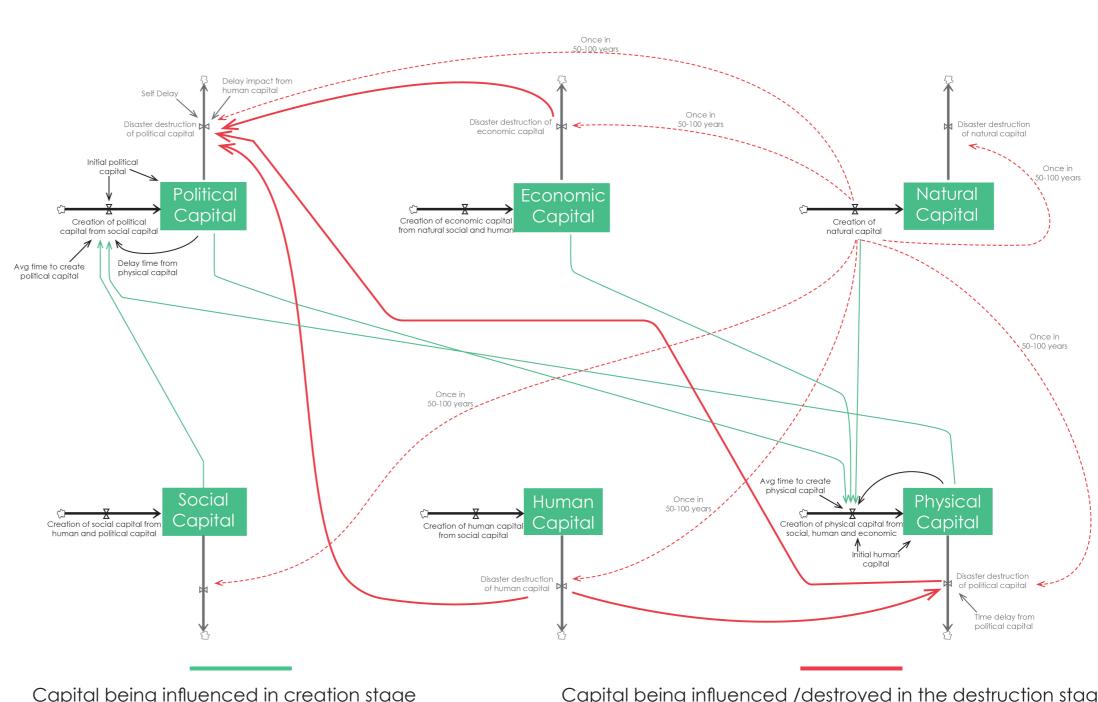
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Reconstruction decisions of 2011 tsunami evaluated based on system dynamics

- For elections efforts put on restoring **ICT**
- Damaged ICT due to wrongly located
- Delay due to demographic information lost



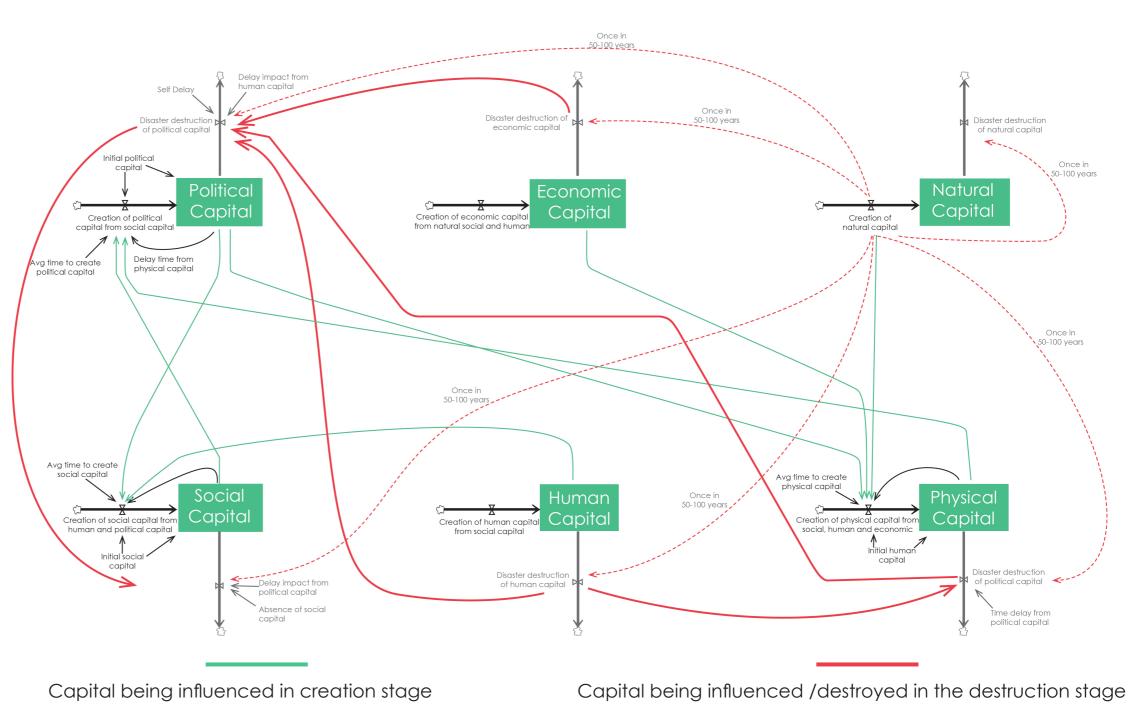
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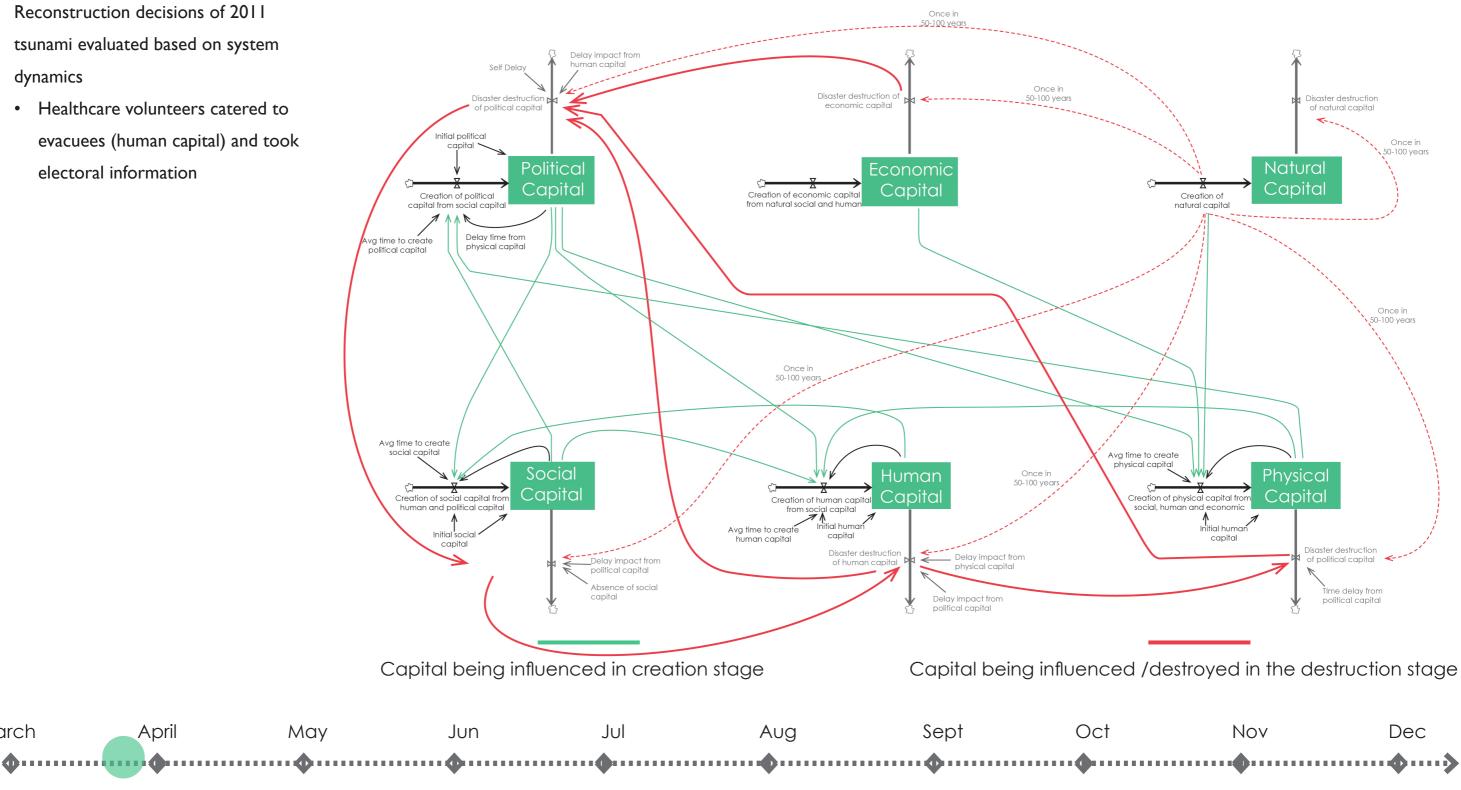
- Transport external input from prefecture government (social capital)
- Emergency services provided





Reconstruction decisions of 2011 tsunami evaluated based on system dynamics

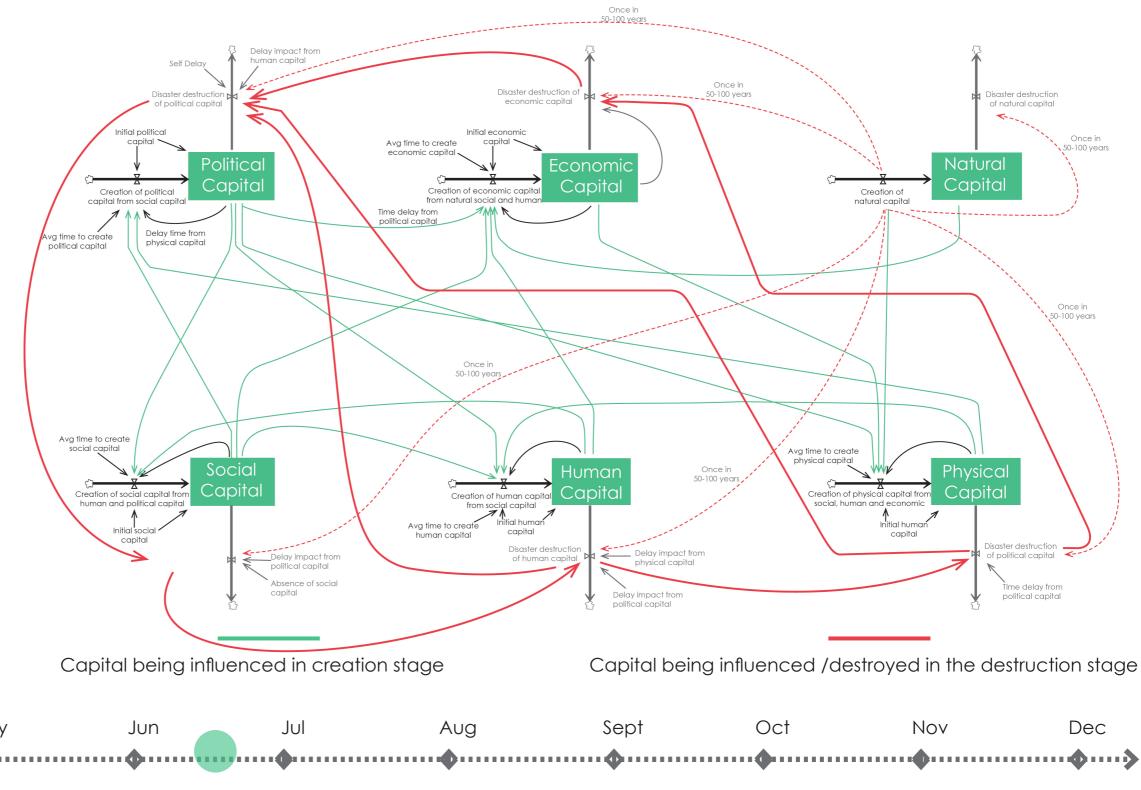
 Healthcare volunteers catered to evacuees (human capital) and took electoral information



April March May

Reconstruction decisions of 2011 tsunami evaluated based on system dynamics

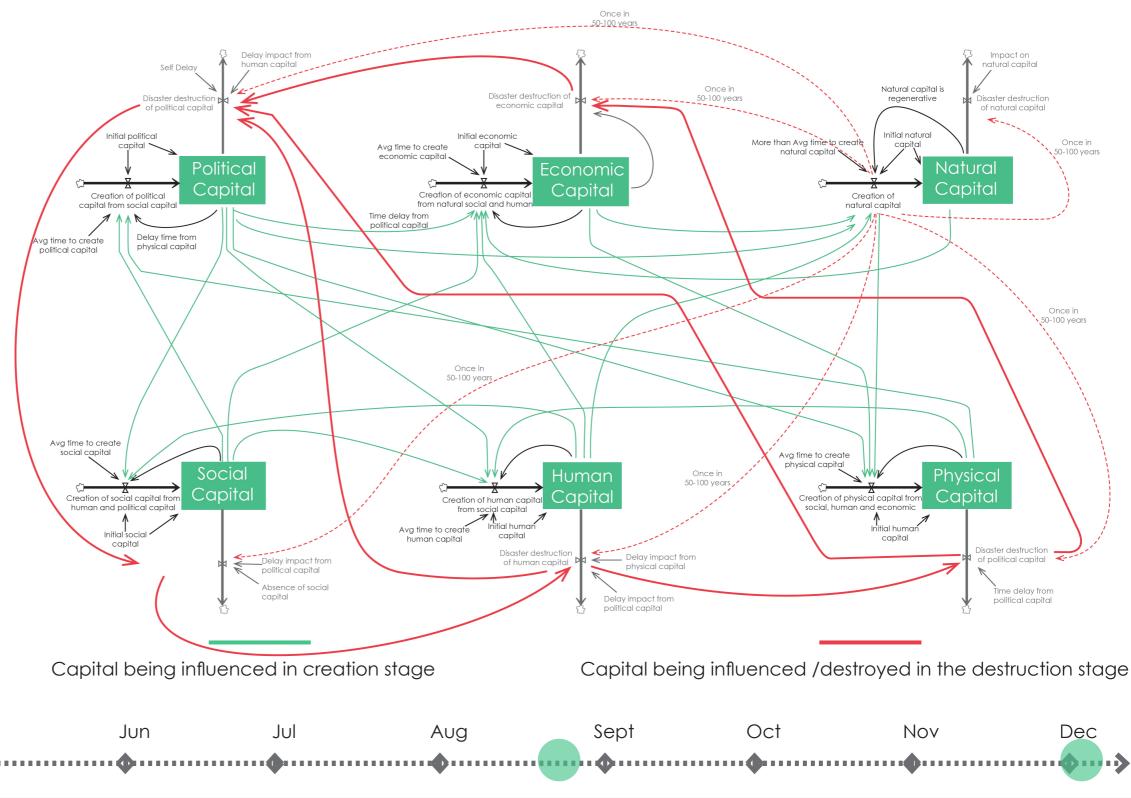
- Communication restored
- New mayor took charge
- · Funding and aid was used for recovery



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Reconstruction decisions of 2011 tsunami evaluated based on system dynamics

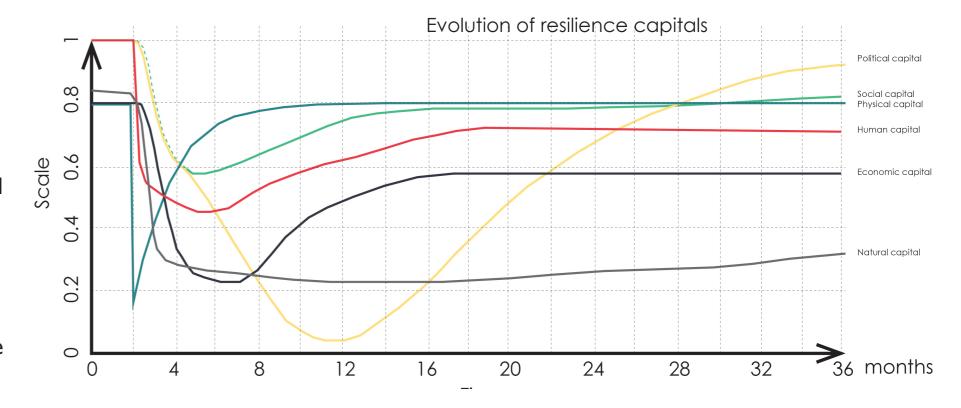
- New mayor through collaboration and participating with other leaders started relief and reconstruction work
- Human efforts to restore the
- 1st recovery plan made in Dec 2011
- Actual reconstruction started in 2014



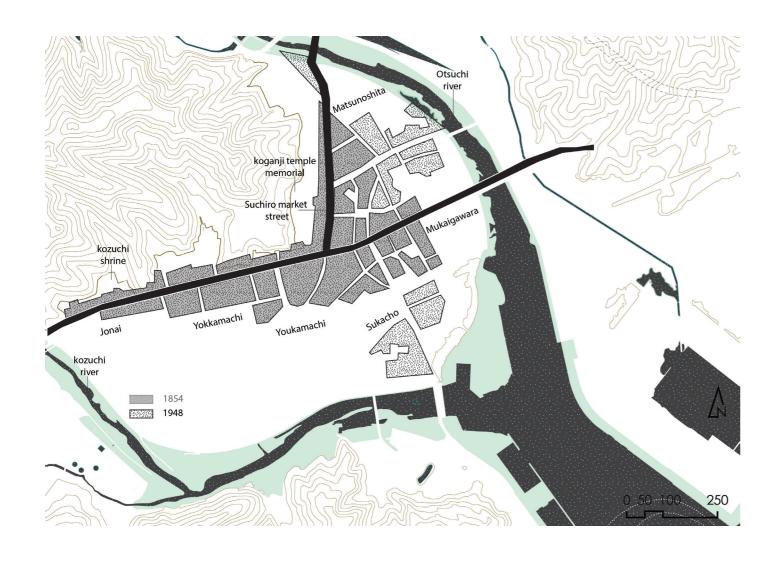
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Analysis results

- I. Decision delay causes, displacement, psychological trauma, reduced resilience, uncertainty and mistrust in the government
- 2. Decision making should be decentralised
- 3. Emergency decision making should be exercised
- 4. Alternatives to be planned for emergency
- 5. Social connections should be enhanced
- 6. Critical services should be located in non-hazard area
- 7. Business contingency plans should be well researched
- 8. Tsunami awareness should be enhanced
- 9. Hazards maps and coastal regulations need to be incorporated



Otsuchi in history

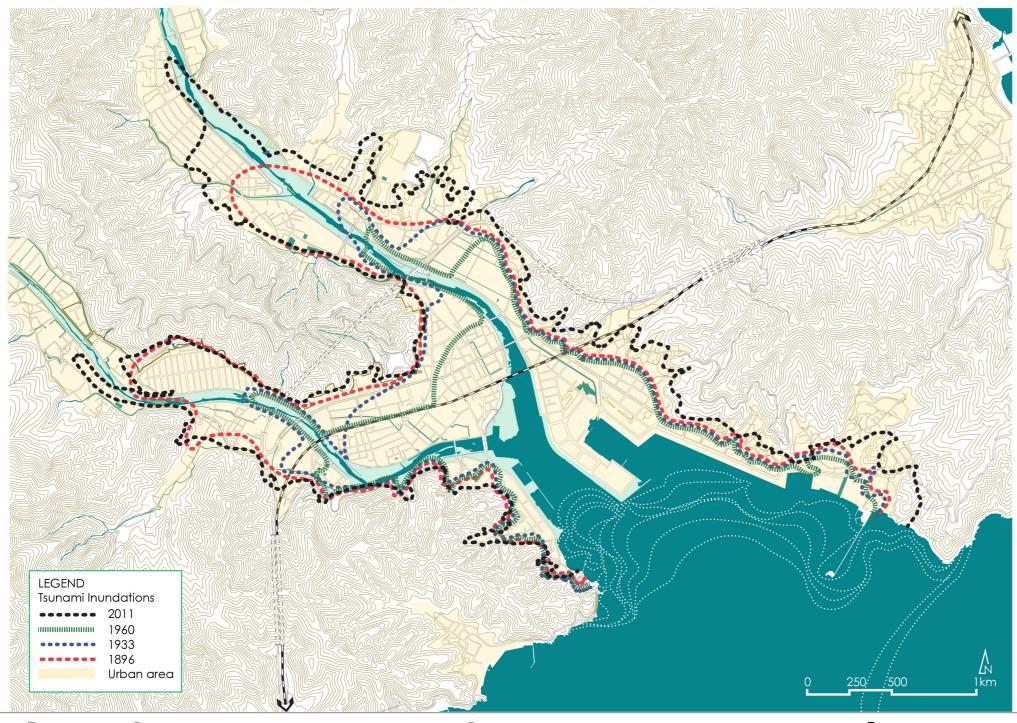




Otsuchi in the Ansei Era 1854-1860

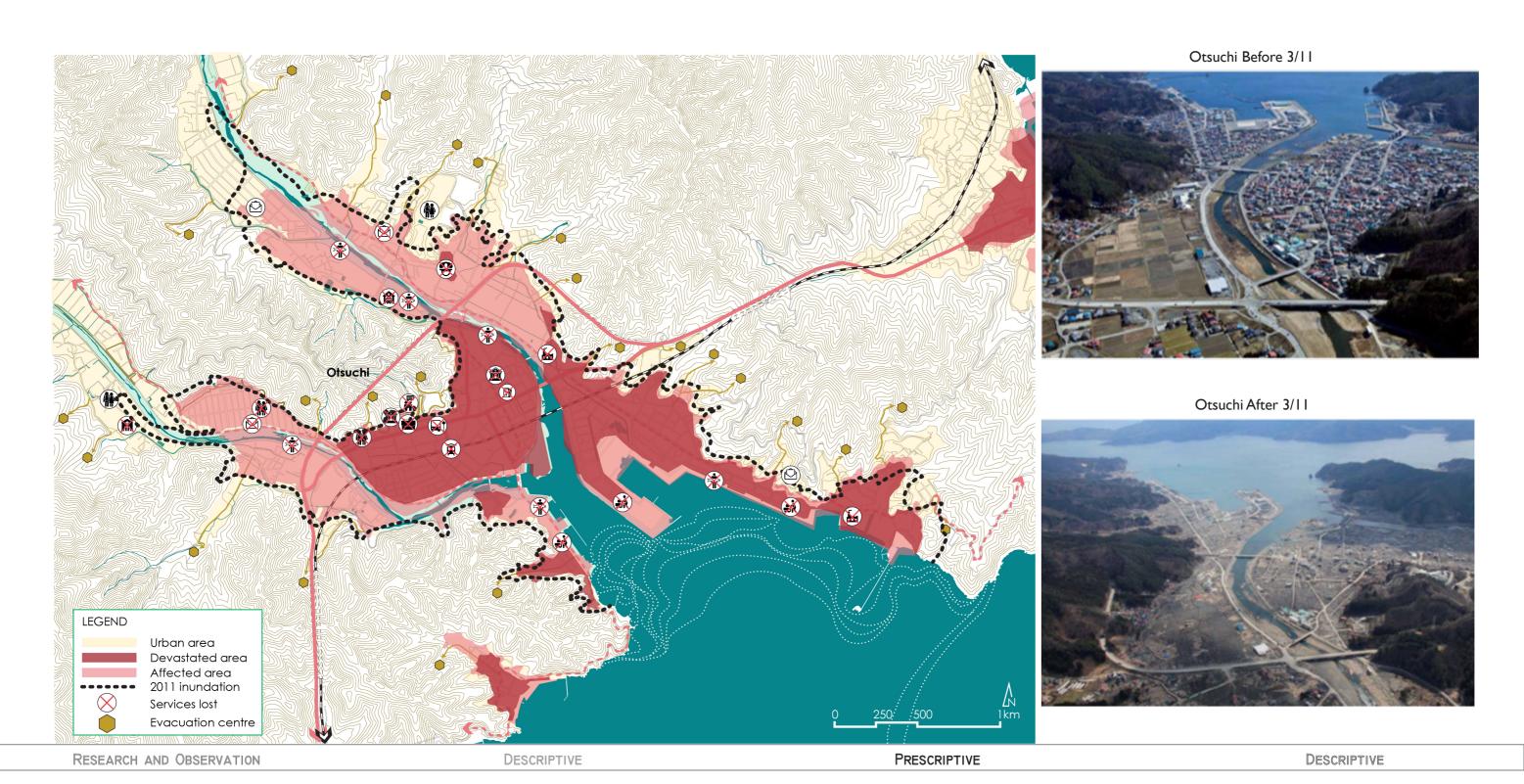
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Inundations levels in Otsuchi

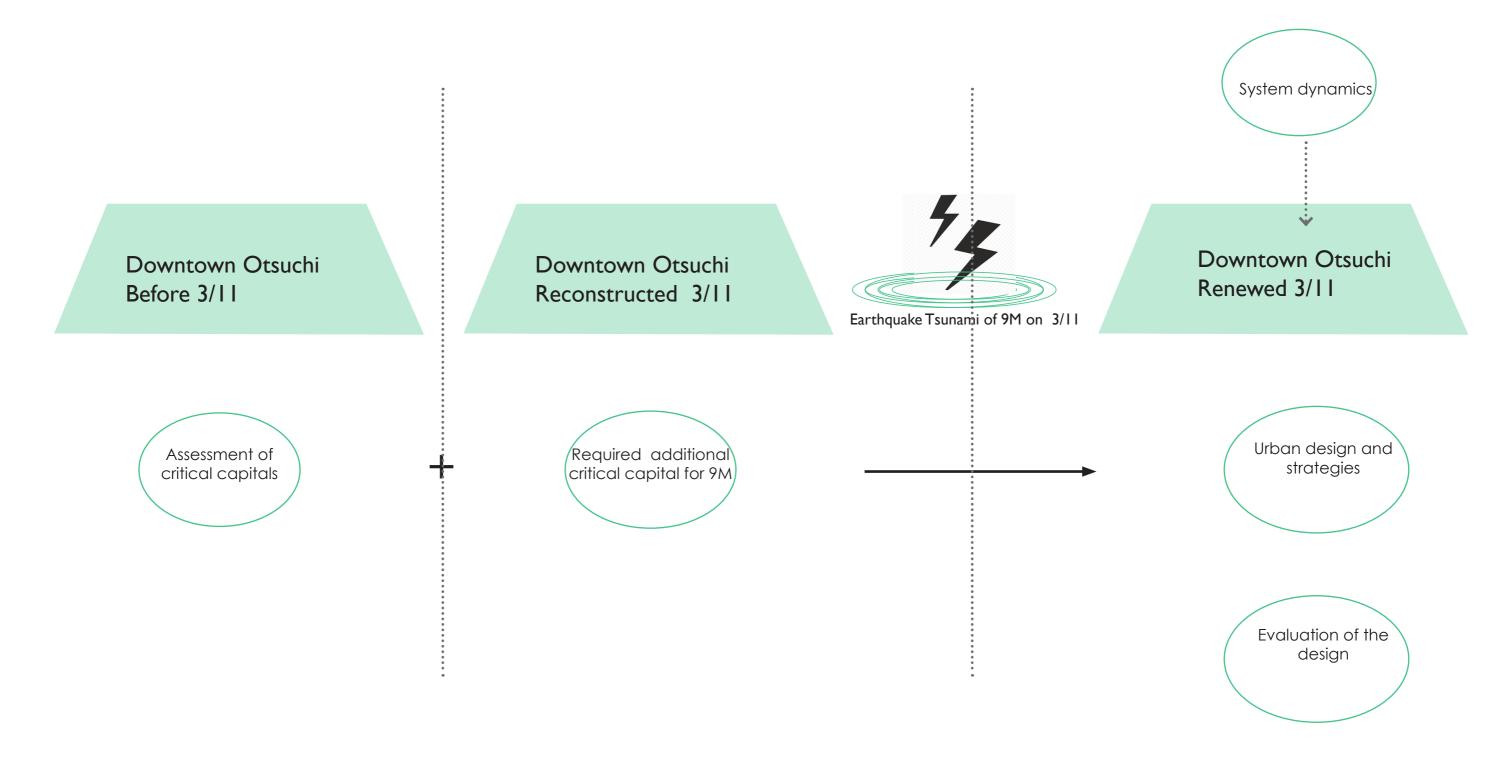


Otsuchi in history

Damage due to 2011 Otsuchi



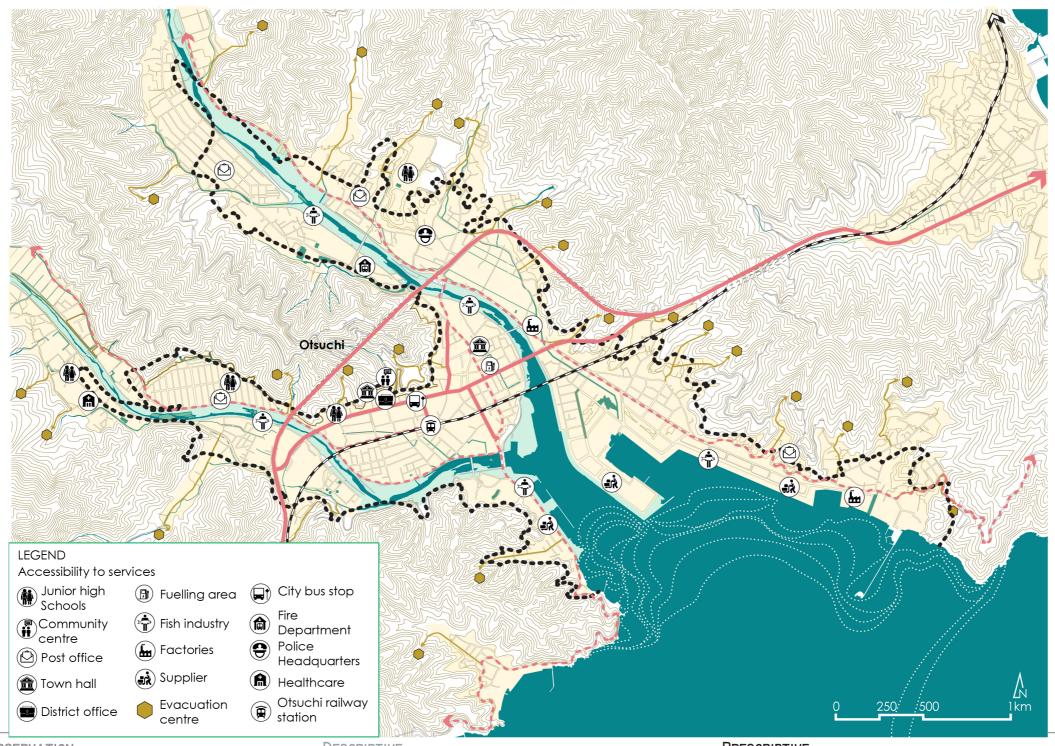
Spatial analysis



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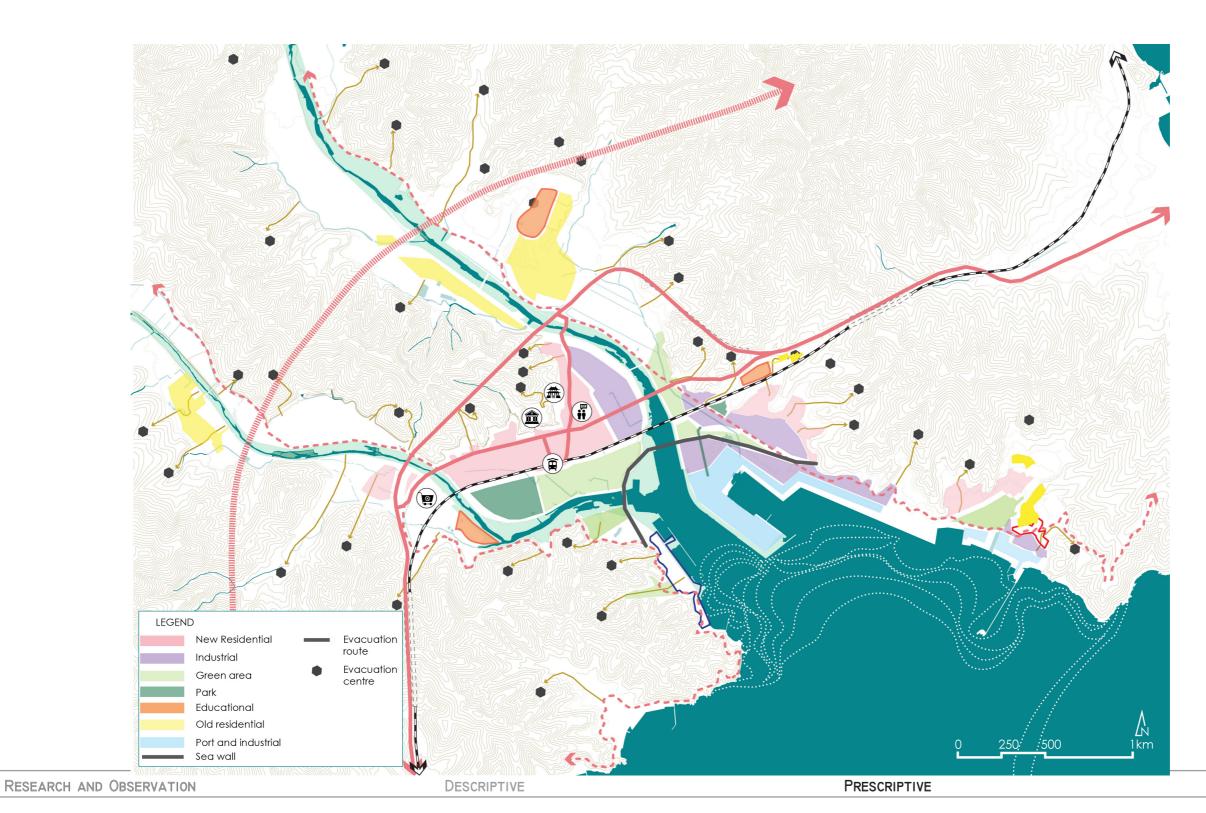
Otsuchi Before 3/11



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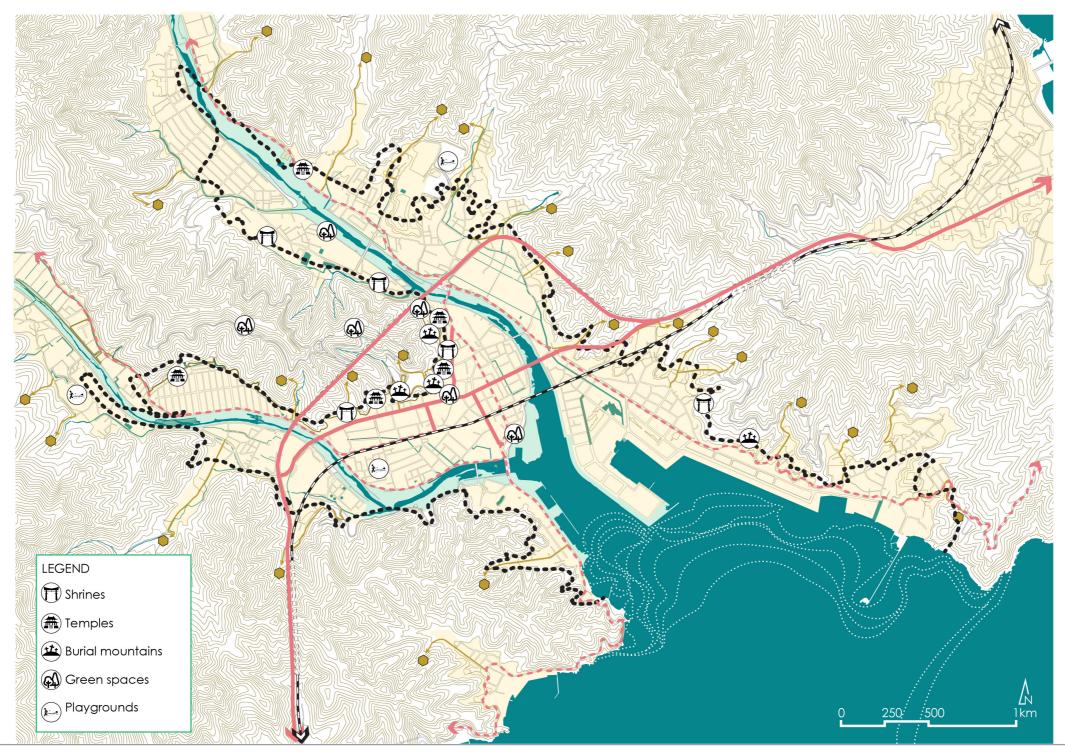
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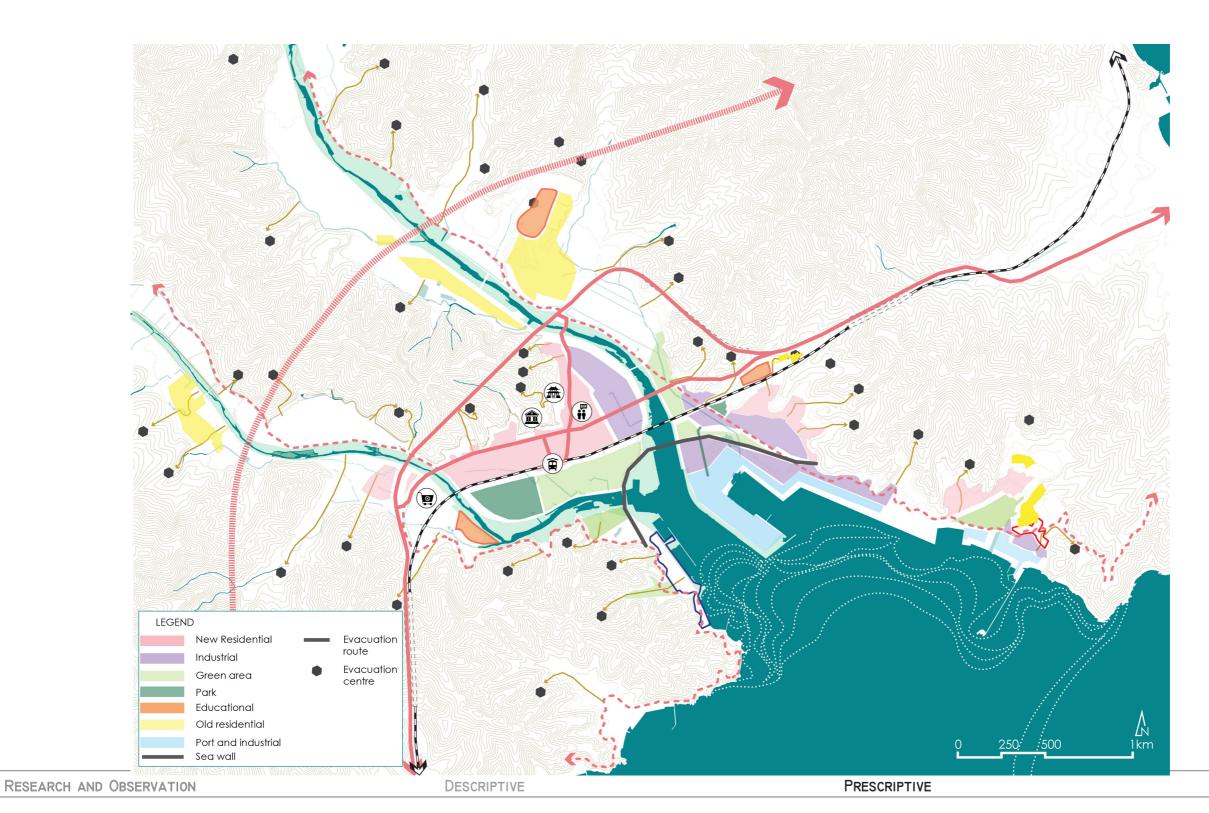
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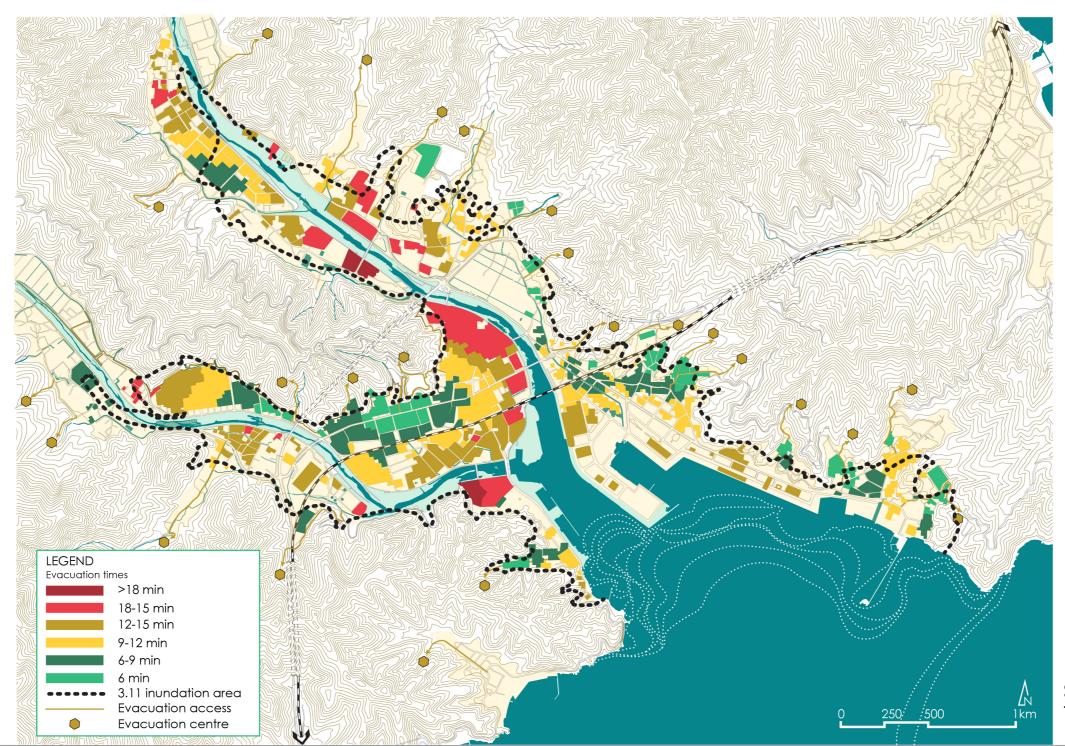
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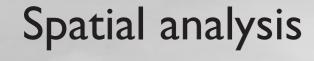
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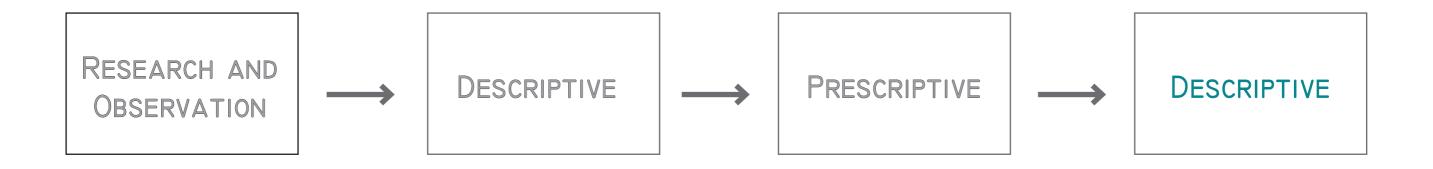


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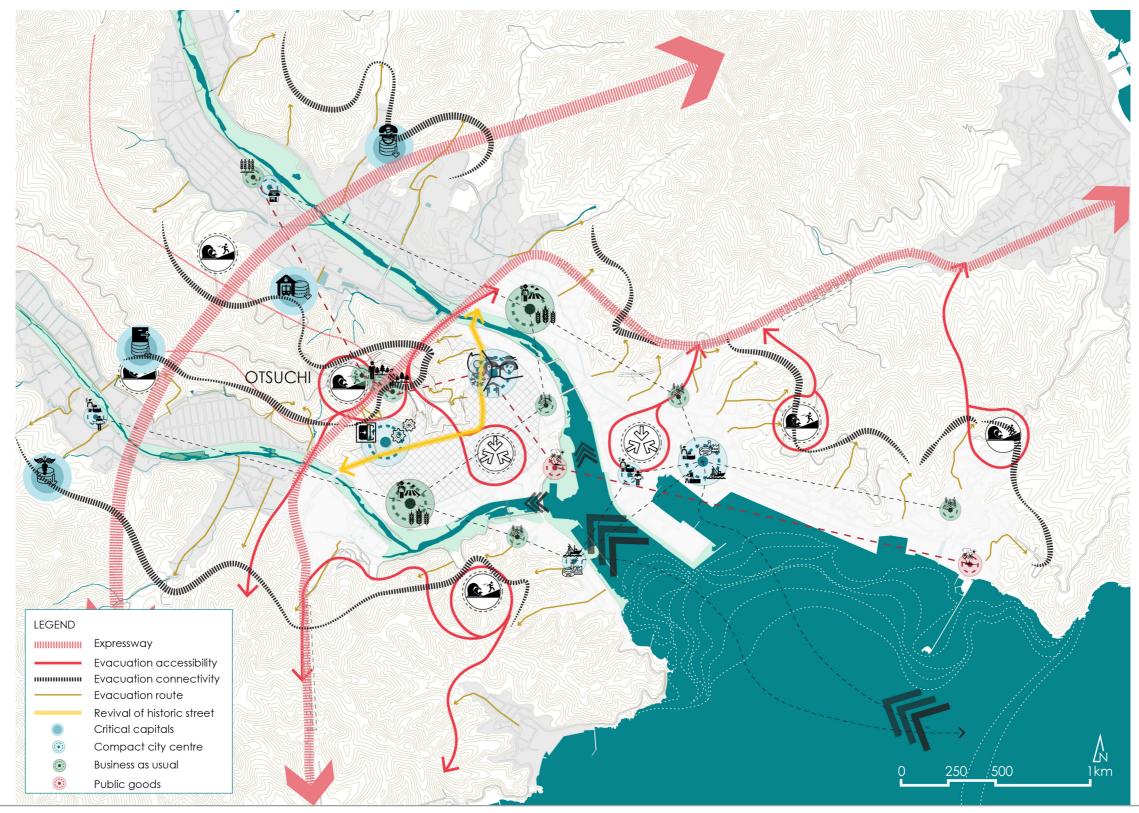
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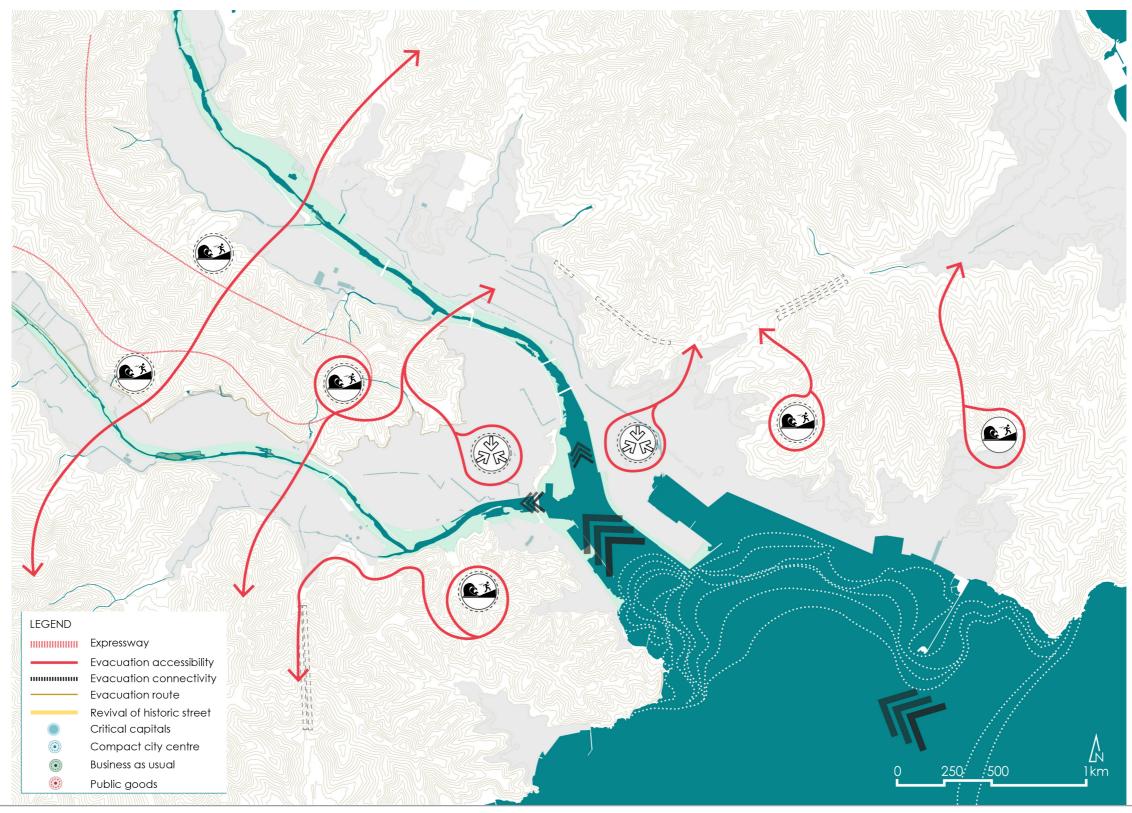
- I.Clustering (residential and amenities) near the mountain
- 2. No coastal regulation but hazard zone present as green space
- 3. Evacuation not enhanced
- 4. Elements for cascading disasters still present, like use of gas cylinder
- 5. Landuse and demographics disproportionate
- 6. Down town area looked ghost town (field visit)
- 7. Use of expensive infrastructure like tsunami wall but
- 8. Identity and local connection of land and sea lost



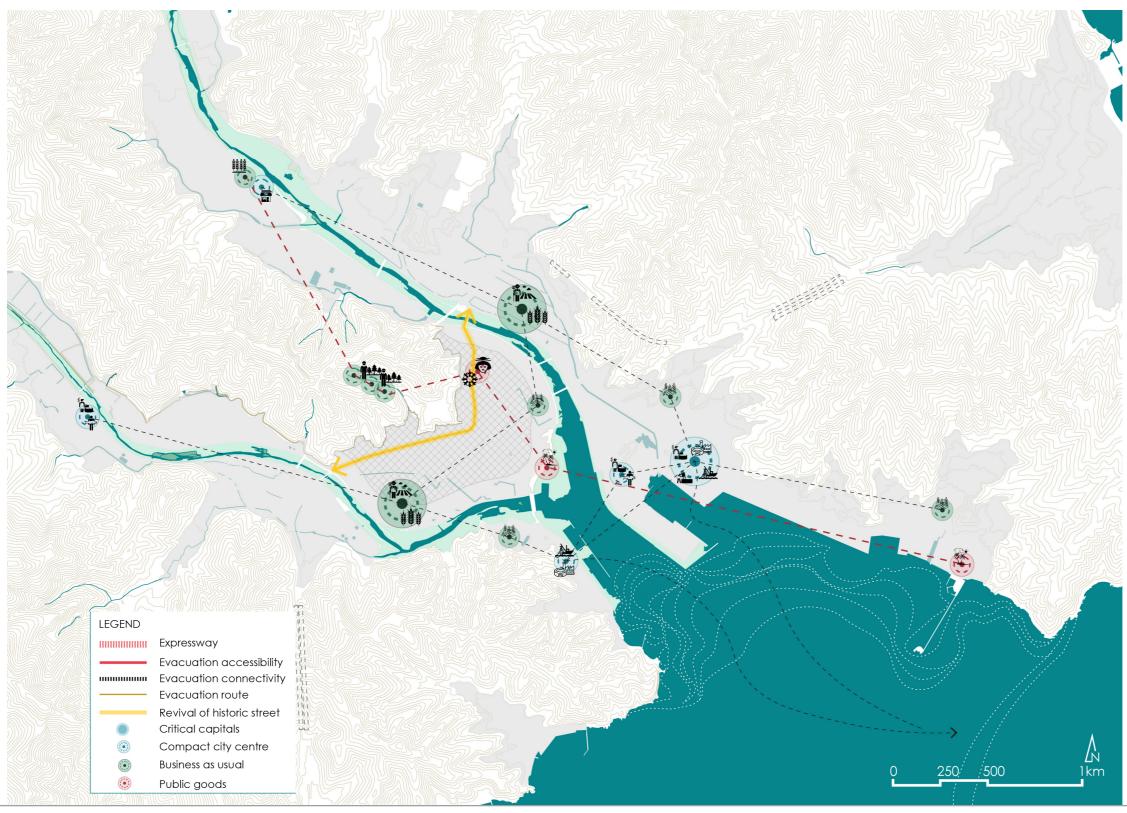
Design Vision | "KAIZEN OTSUCHI"



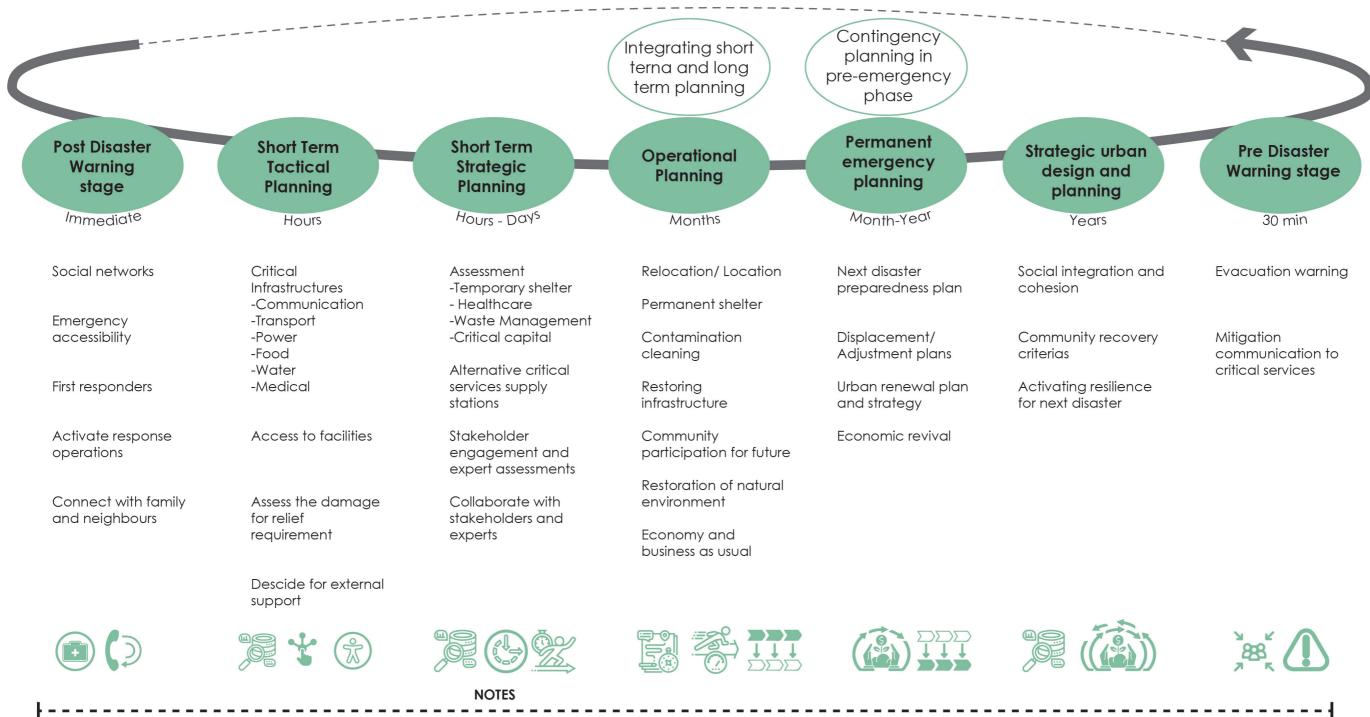
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Design Strategy through IEP

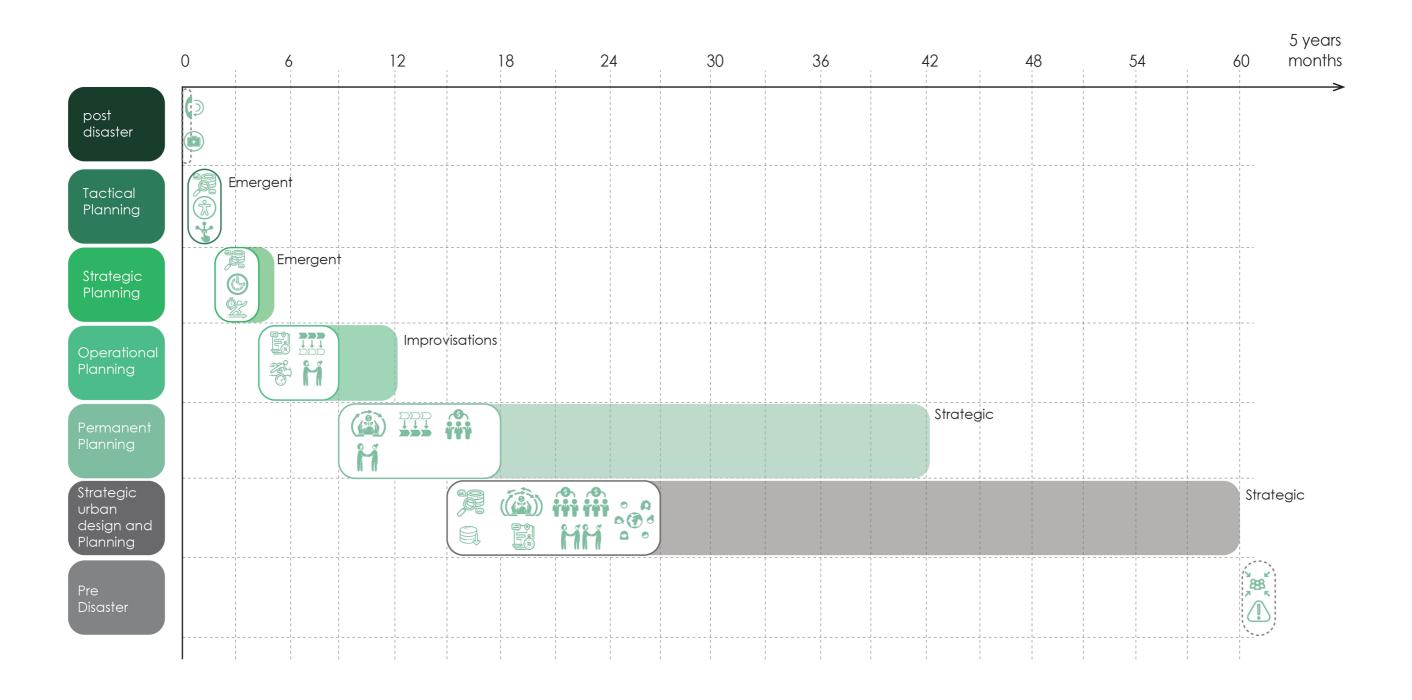


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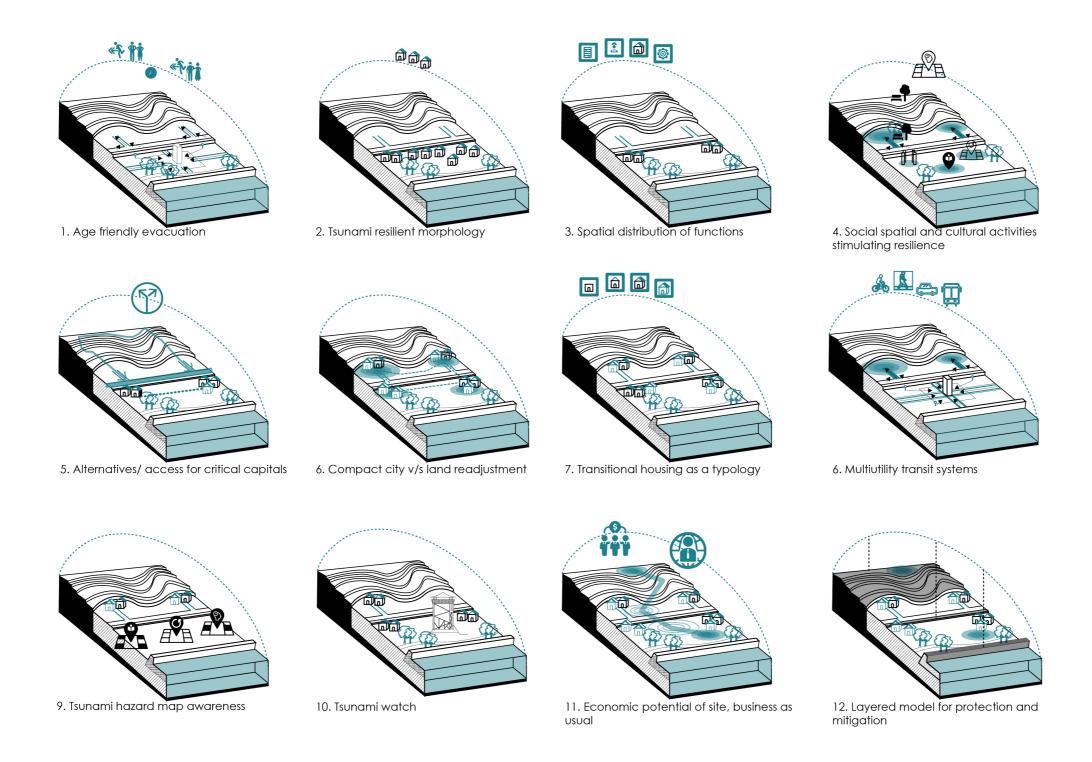
2. Exercising emergency decision making across operational domains

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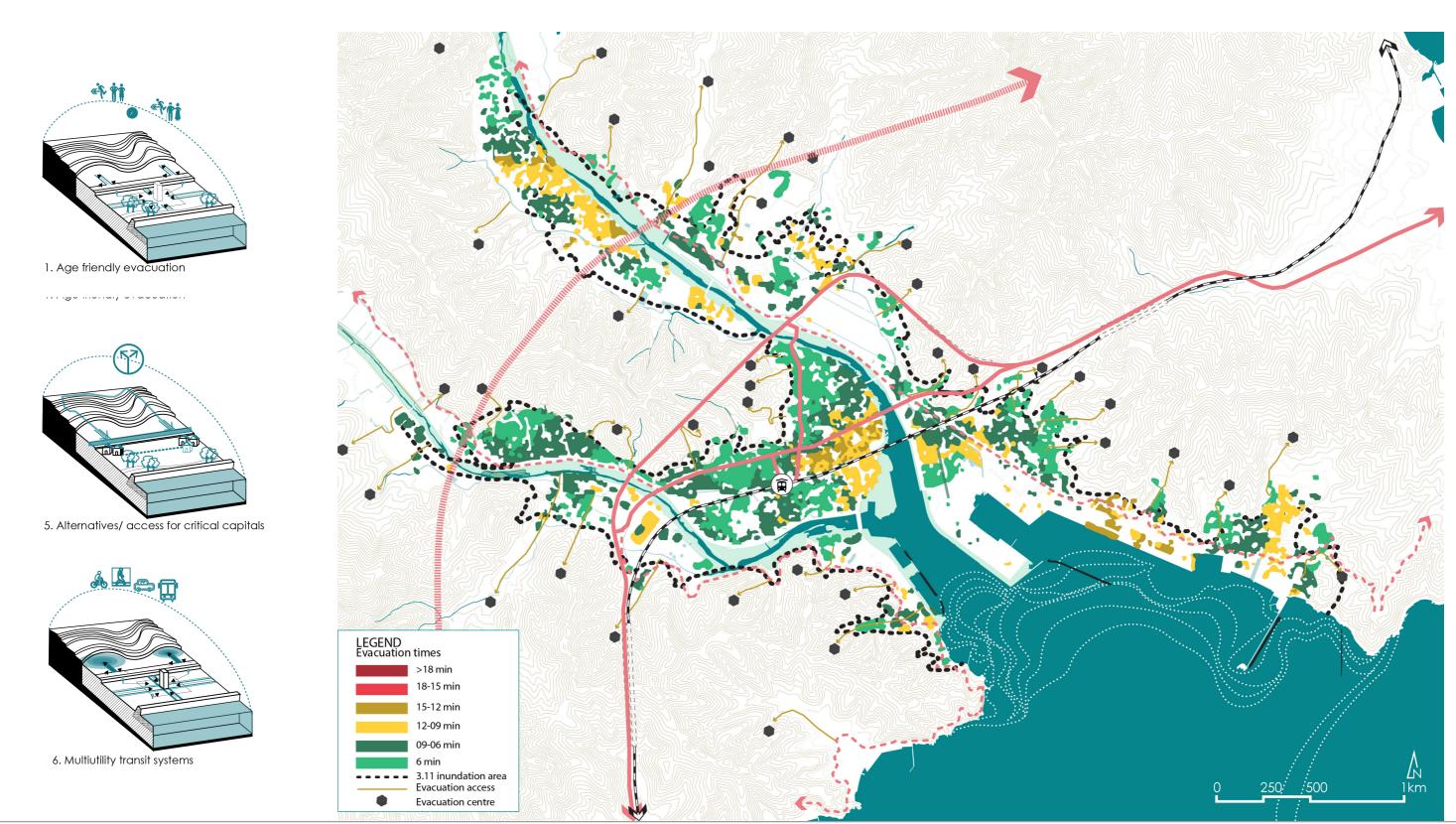
Strategy roadmap



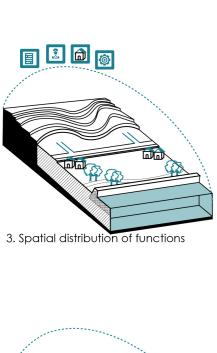
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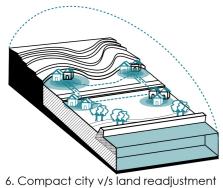


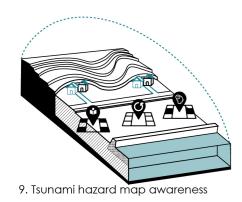
Design strategy | Safety

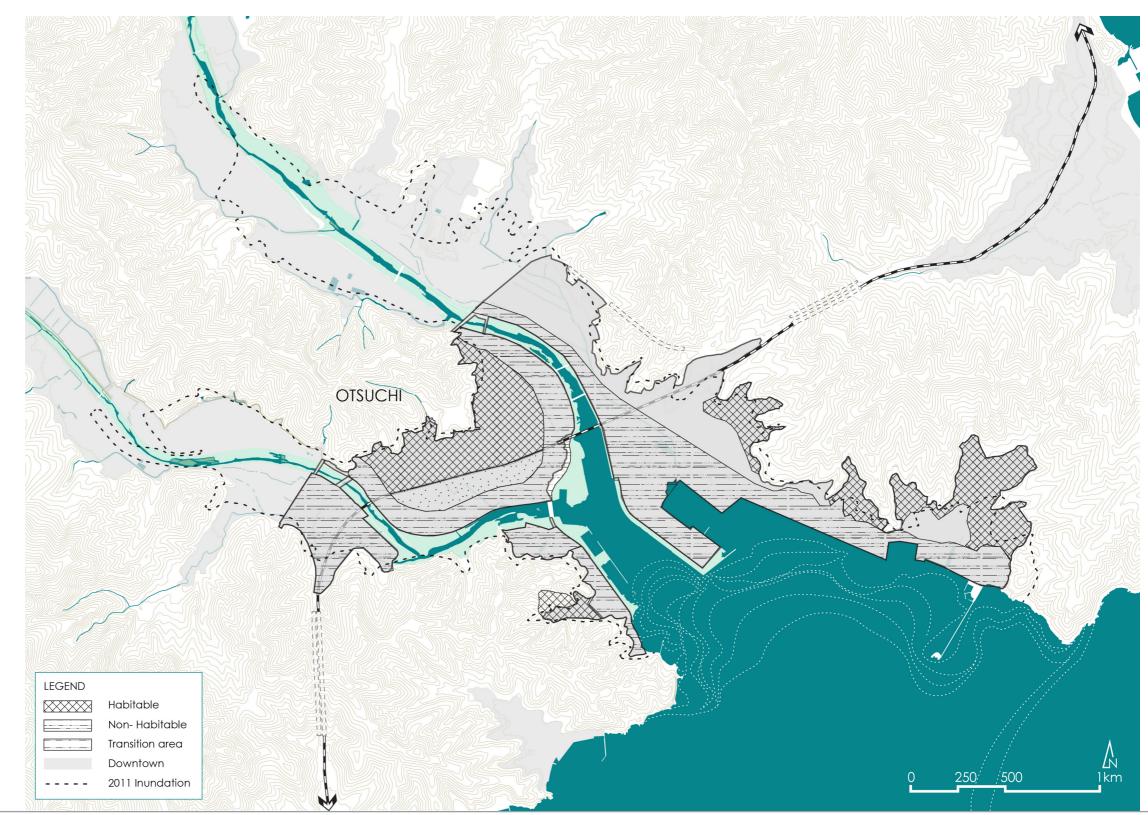


Design strategy | Protection

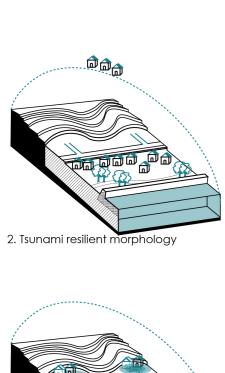


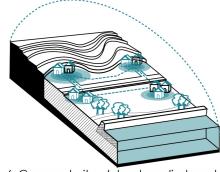




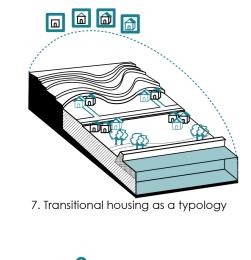


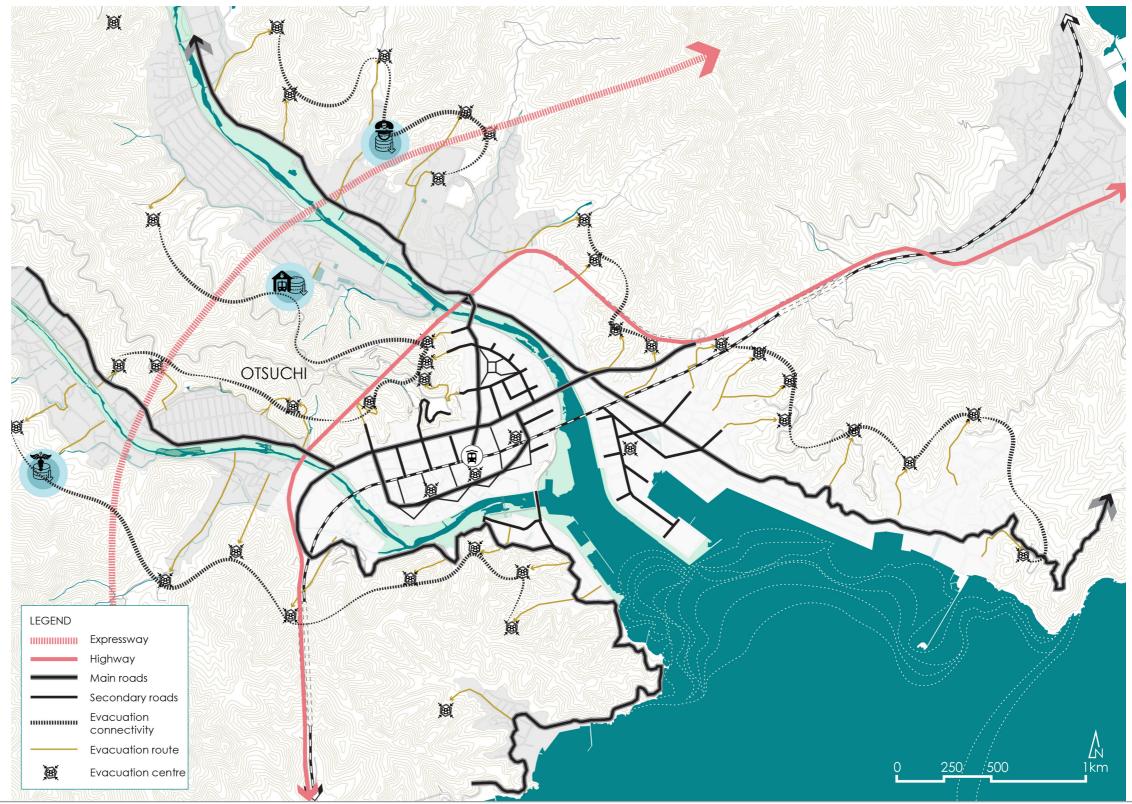
Design strategy | Connectivity





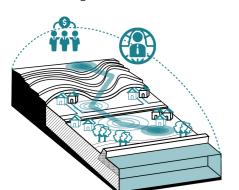
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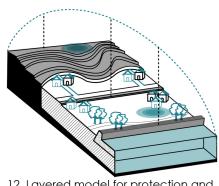


Design strategy | Longetivity

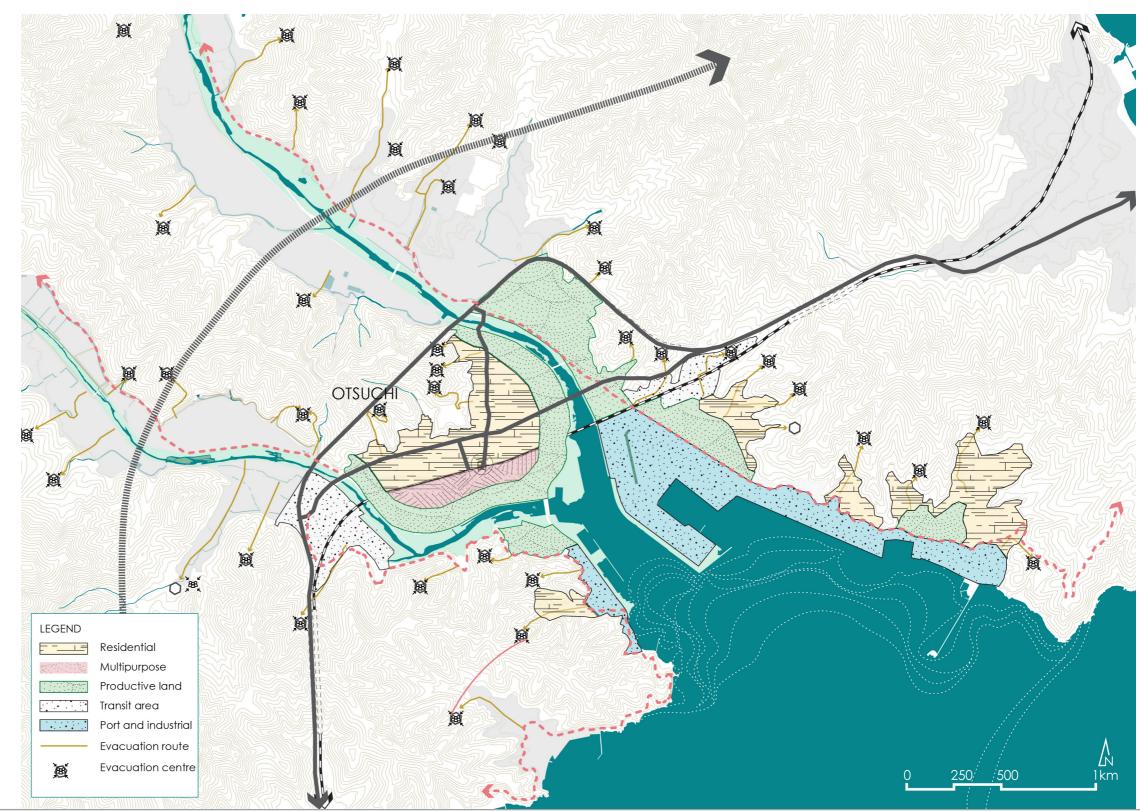




11. Economic potential of site, business as

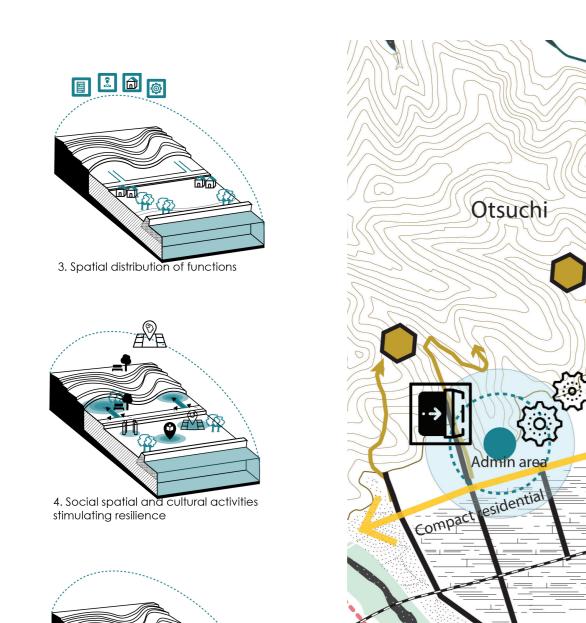


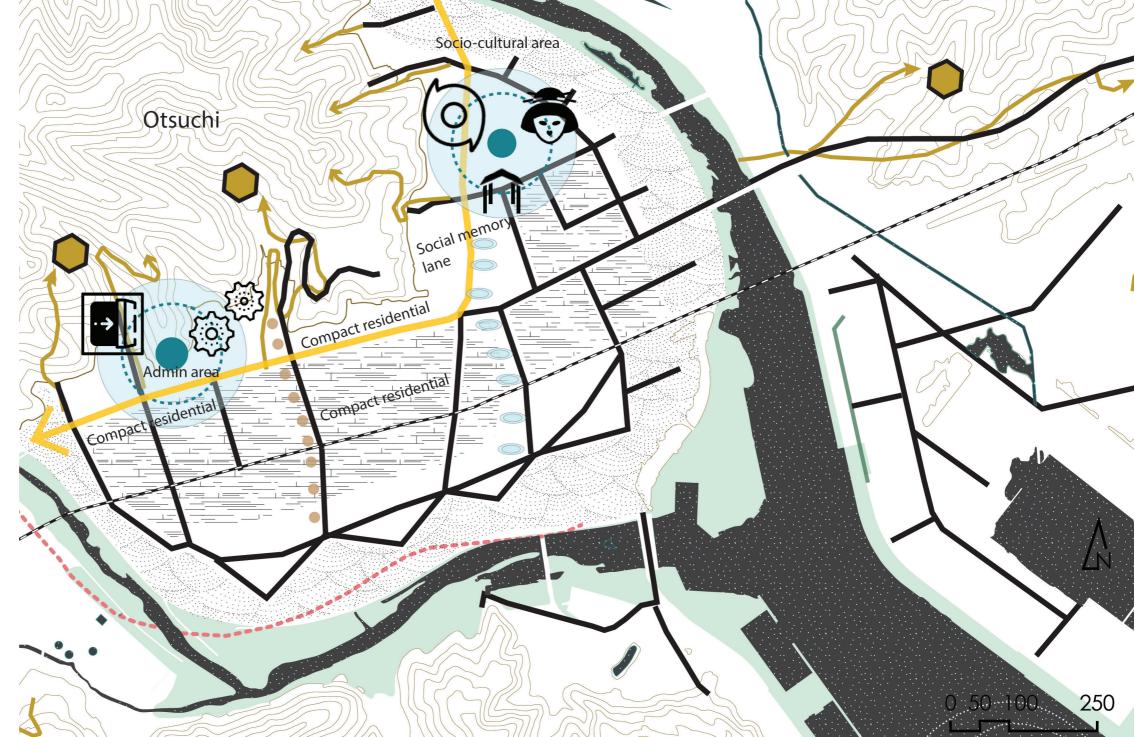
12. Layered model for protection and mitigation



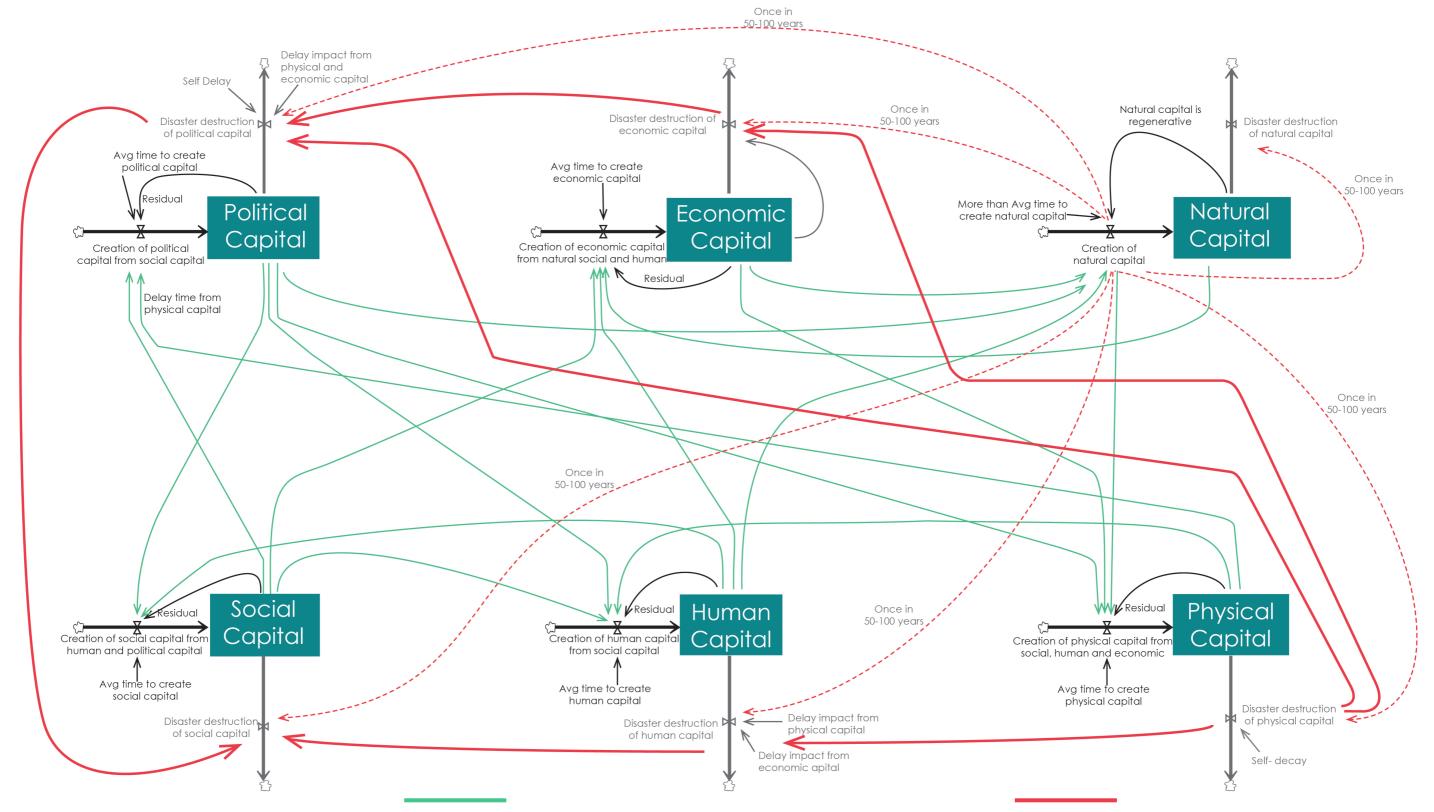
10. Tsunami watch

Design strategy | Revival





Design decision analysis



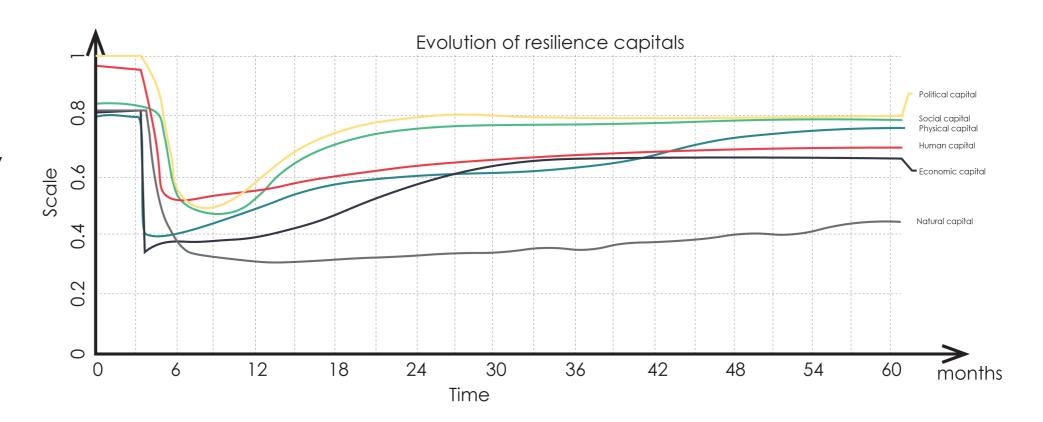
Capital being influenced in creation stage

Capital being influenced /destroyed in the destruction stage

Design evaluation

Principles

- Though the recovery will be faster and effective
- Even after another tsunami
 Otsuchi will survive and
 thrive in the area with the
 culture, heritage and identity
 intact



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