

EXTREME EVENTS

SOUTH PACIFIC

SEA LEVEL AND CLIMATE MONITORING PROJECT



THE FORCES OF NATURE

The South Pacific region is subject to many unusual meteorological and oceanographic events which can have serious social and economic impacts on coastal and island communities.

Storm surges, tsunamis, "king" tides, swell waves and tropical cyclones are all Extreme Events experienced by countries participating in the South Pacific Sea Level and Climate Monitoring project.

The project is providing data and information to assist PIC decision makers to better plan for and respond to such events.

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