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Country Presentation Türkiye







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Role

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Risk Profile of Türkiye



- Earthquake
- Flood
- Landslide
- Wildfire
- Hurricane
- Avalanche



- 1999 Marmara Earthquake
- 2021 Black Sea Floods
- 2023 Kahramanmaraş Earthquake



- Expanding insurance coverage
- Extending the scope of mandatory insurance scheme to include additional natural disasters beyond earthquakes, such as floods, landslides, hurricane, wildfire, avalanche and hail

Risk Financing and Insurance in Türkiye

How it started

- Following the devastating 1999
 Marmara Earthquake, the
 Turkish government established
 the Turkish Catastrophe
 Insurance Pool (TCIP/DASK) in
 2000.
- The aim was to create a compulsory earthquake insurance system to transfer seismic risk from households to capital markets.

Key impacts of the program

- Over 11.2 million policies in force, representing more than 56% penetration rate across Türkiye
- Over 39 billion TRY paid in claims after the 2023 Kahramanmaraş Earthquakes.
- Created a culture of insurance awareness and financial resilience among homeowners.

Key challenges

- Limited coverage scope currently only earthquake disaster.
- The insurance penetration rate has stabilized at around 50–60%

Ambition for the future and objectives for this week

- Learn from international practices to strengthen Türkiye's disaster insurance model.
- Deepen understanding of Public-Private Insurance Partnerships (PPIPs) and their role in increasing resilience and financial protection.
- Exchange ideas with experts from other countries.