

Response, Recovery, and Resilience



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RESILIENCE

**THE ABILITY OF PHYSICAL SYSTEMS AND
SOCIAL UNITS TO:**

- **Mitigate Hazards**
- **Contain the Effects of Disasters When They Occur**
- **Carry Out Recovery Activities in Ways That Minimize Social Disruption and Mitigate the Effects of Future Disaster Events**

COMPONENTS OF RESILIENCE

- **ROBUSTNESS**
- **REDUNDANCY**
- **RESOURCEFULNESS**
- **RAPIDITY**

RESPONSE, RECOVERY, AND RESILIENCE



MCEER'S ULTIMATE GOAL

- **DEVELOPMENT AND REFINEMENT OF A SUITE OF DECISION-SUPPORT TOOLS FOR RESPONSE AND RECOVERY, EMPLOYING ADVANCED TECHNOLOGIES AND EMPIRICALLY-GROUNDED SIMULATION METHODS**

TOPICS FOR THIS DISCUSSION

- **REMOTE-SENSING TOOLS FOR RESPONSE, RECOVERY, AND RECONNAISSANCE**
 - **RESEARCH-BASED DISASTER RECOVERY DECISION SUPPORT**
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REMOTE-SENSING RESEARCH

- **FOR PRE-DISASTER LOSS-ESTIMATION**
- **FOR POST-IMPACT DAMAGE AND IMPACT ASSESSMENT**
- **FOR POST-DISASTER RECONNAISSANCE, COLLECTION OF PERISHABLE DATA**

POST-DISASTER REMOTE-SENSING RESEARCH

- **VARIOUS TECHNOLOGIES: IFSAR, LIDAR, OPTICAL IMAGERY, GPS**
- **TRIANGULATION OF MEASURES: COMPARISON OF DATA OBTAINED USING DIFFERENT TECHNOLOGIES AND DATA-COLLECTION METHODS**

EXAMPLES OF EVENTS STUDIED

- **1995 KOBE EQ**
 - **1999 TURKEY EQ**
 - **1999 CHI-CHI EQ**
 - **2003 ALGERIA EQ**
 - **2003 BAM, IRAN EQ**
 - **2004 FLORIDA HURRICANES**
 - **2004 INDIAN OCEAN EQ AND TSUNAMI**
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Regional Damage Assessment: Turkey 1999

SPOT PAN

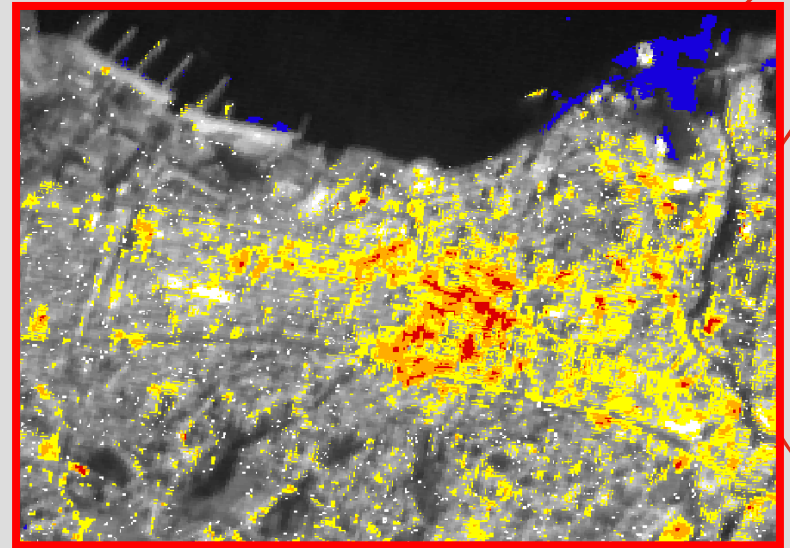
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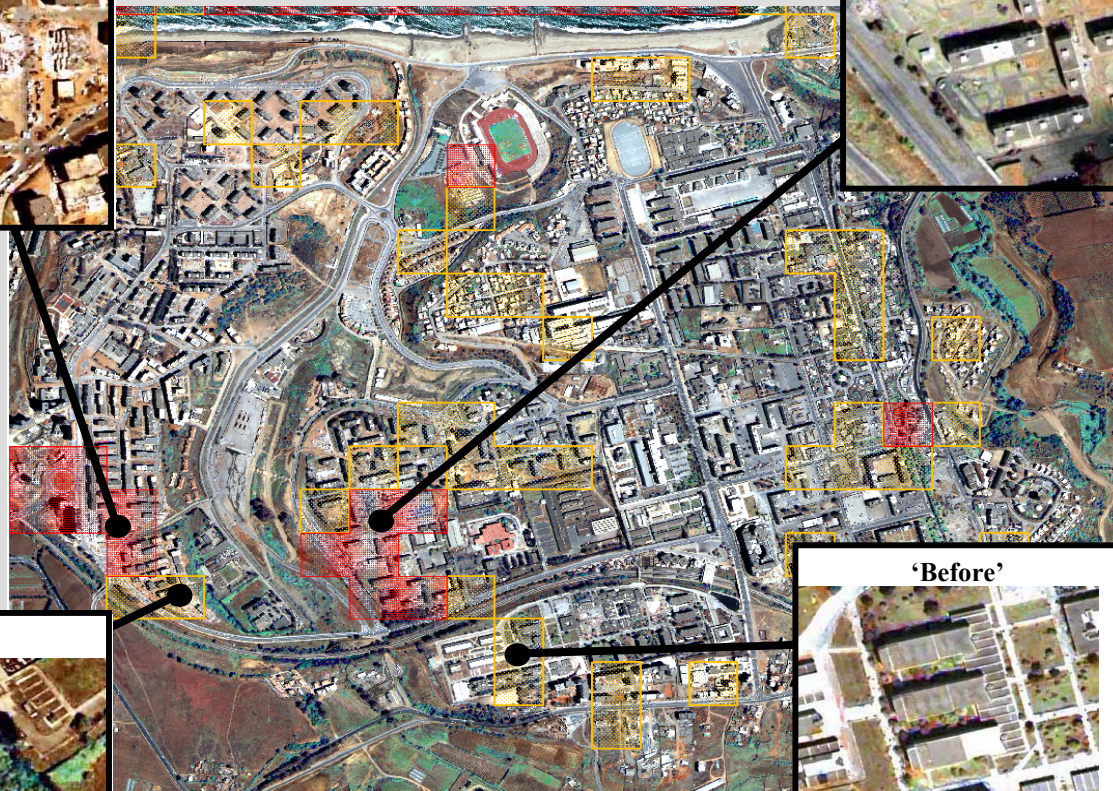
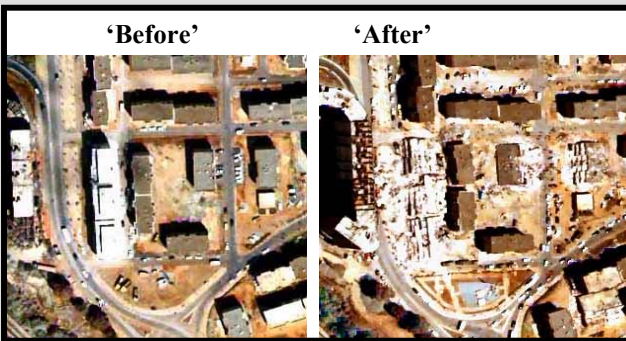
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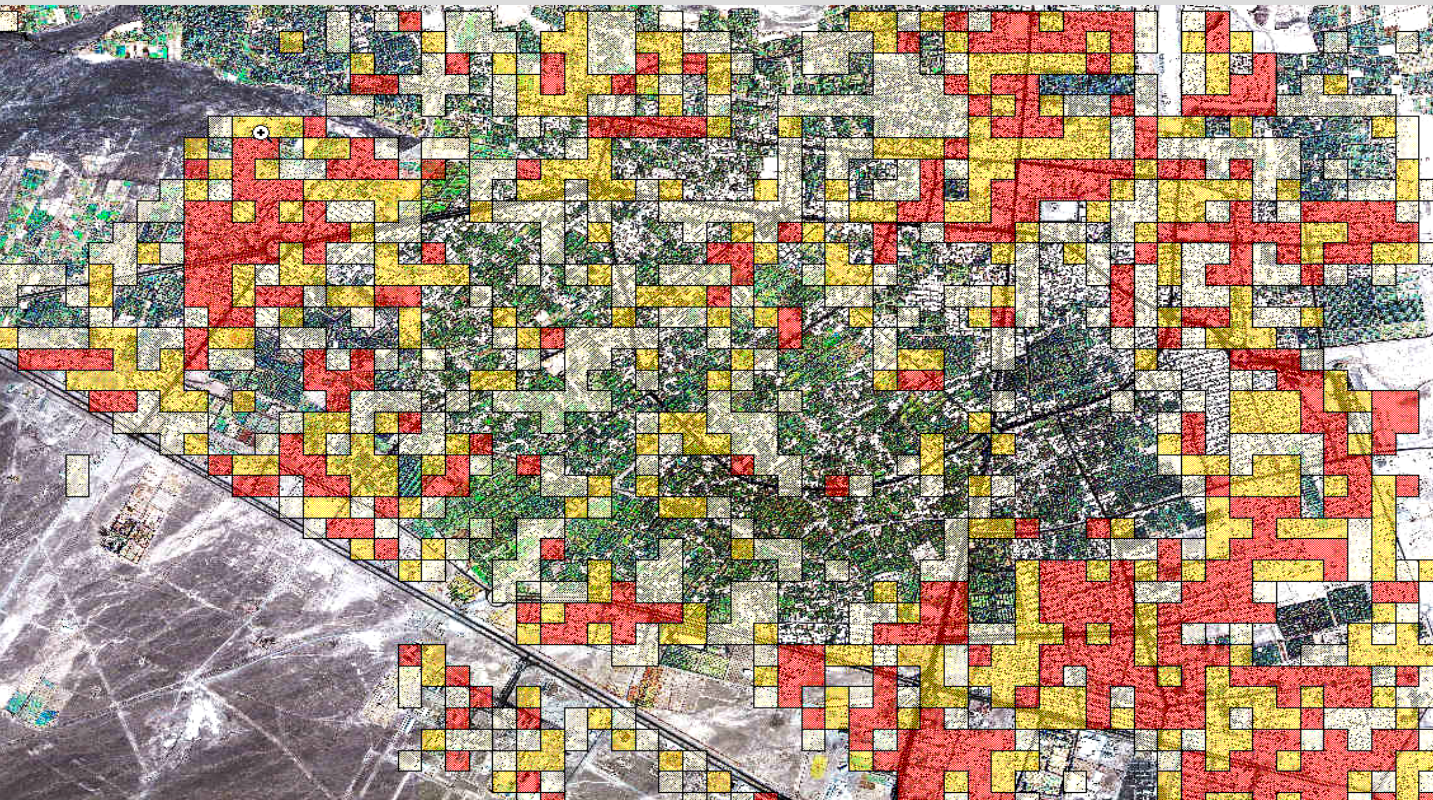
Change Map






Visual Inspection: Algeria 2003



Regional Damage Assessment: Iran 2003



LEGEND

-  **Extreme change** – complete building collapse
-  **Widespread change** – building collapse widespread
-  **Some damage** – localized pockets of collapse

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Widespread Devastation

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Visual Inspection: Iran Citadel

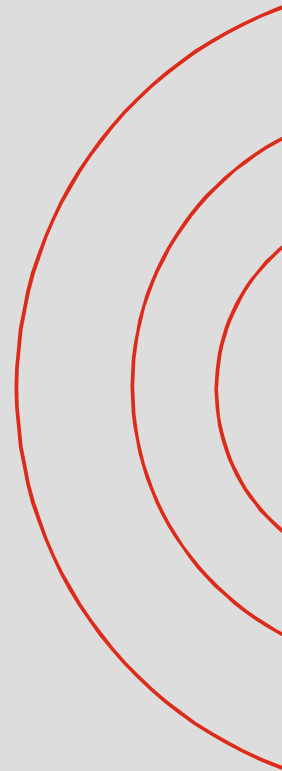
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After



SATELLITE IMAGE OF TSUNAMI FLOODING



VIEWS: Visualizing Impacts of Earthquakes with Satellite Imagery




RECOVERY MODELING AND SIMULATION

- **COMPREHENSIVE COMMUNITY
RECOVERY MODEL:**

**ENHANCING RESILIENCE
THROUGH IMPROVED RECOVERY
DECISION-MAKING**

MCEER'S RECOVERY MODEL

- **“CROSS-DOMAIN” ANALYTIC APPROACH**
 - **EXTENSIVELY GROUNDED IN EMPIRICAL RESEARCH**
 - **CONSIDERS BOTH PRE-EVENT AND POST-EVENT INFLUENCES ON RECOVERY TRAJECTORIES**
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Objectives of the Model

To develop an interactive simulation of **how cities recover** from earthquake disasters

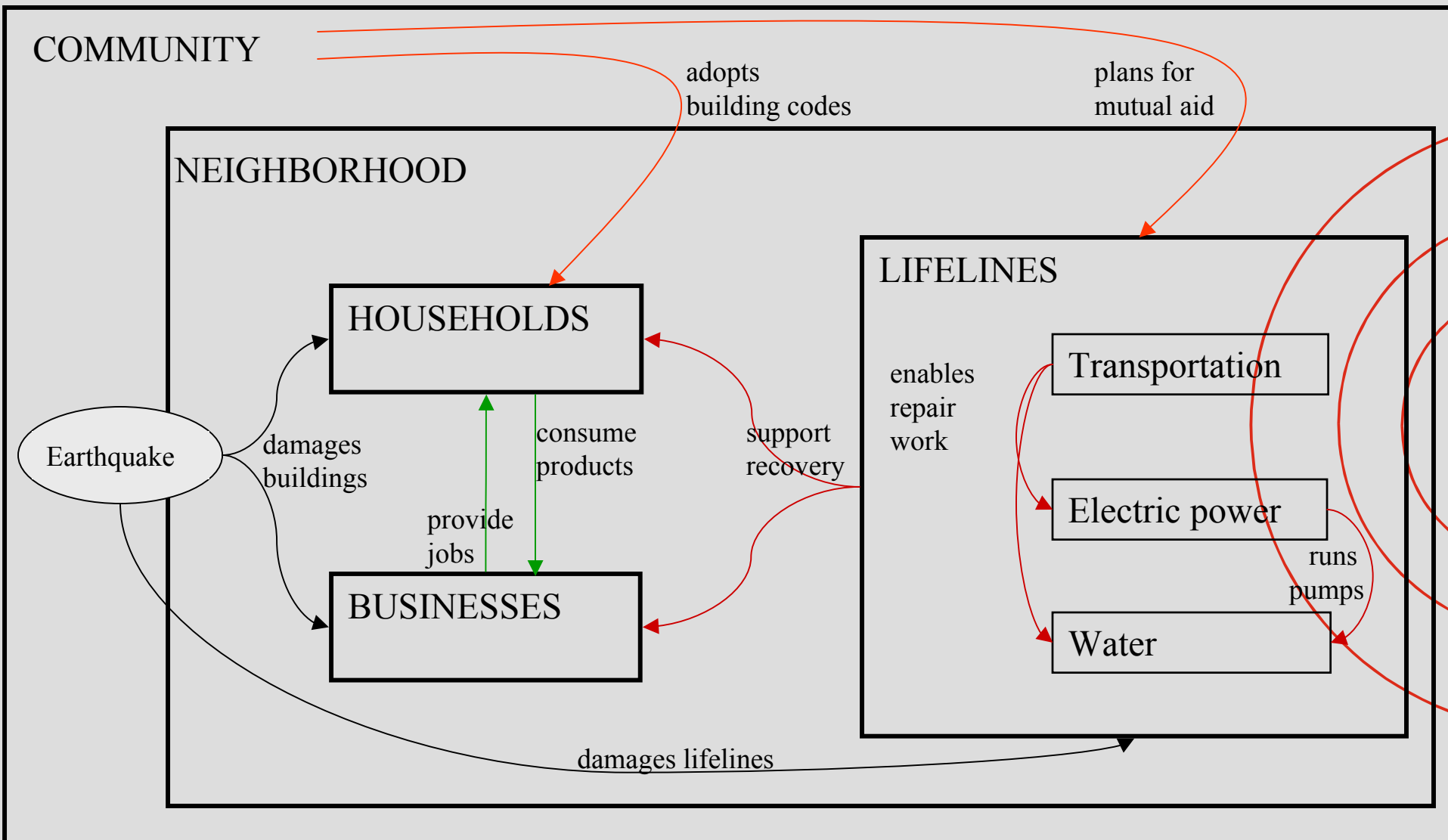
To extend loss estimation to recovery analysis

To support planning and decision-making

To facilitate interactive exploration of alternatives



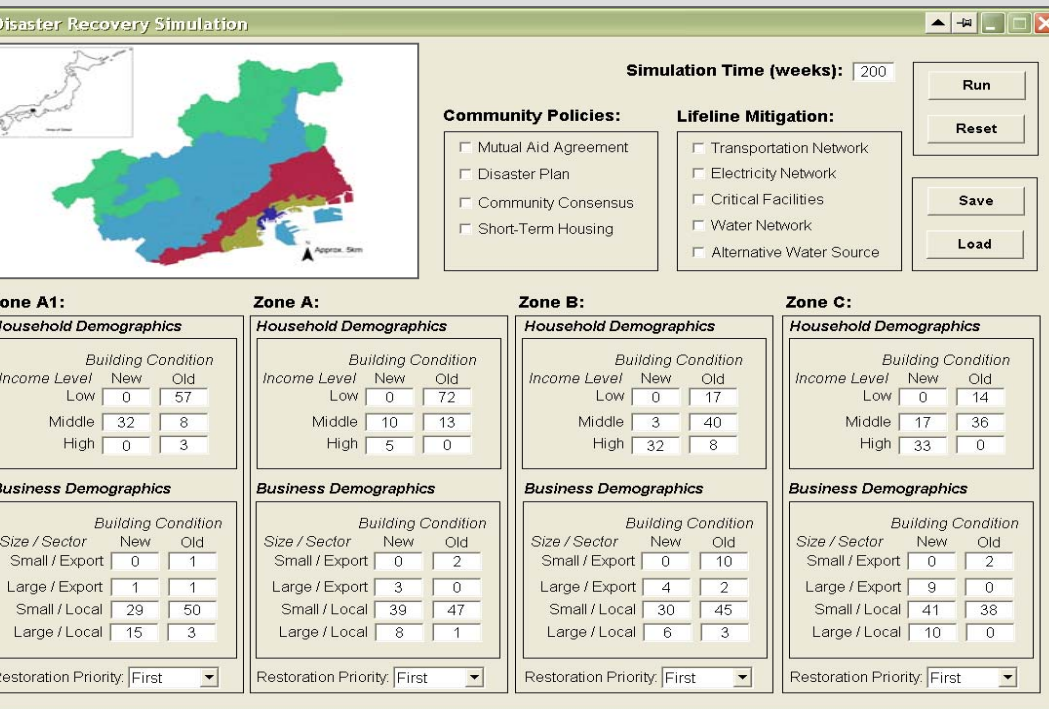
Conceptual Model of Disaster Recovery



Questions the Model Can Address

- **What policies (e.g., mutual aid, disaster plan) can best speed recovery?**

Graphical User Interface for Software



Disaster Recovery Simulation

Simulation Time (weeks): 200

Community Policies:

- ☐ Mutual Aid Agreement
- ☐ Disaster Plan
- ☐ Community Consensus
- ☐ Short-Term Housing

Lifeline Mitigation:

- ☐ Transportation Network
- ☐ Electricity Network
- ☐ Critical Facilities
- ☐ Water Network
- ☐ Alternative Water Source

Run
Reset
Save
Load

Zone A1:

Household Demographics

Income Level	New	Old
Low	0	57
Middle	32	8
High	0	3

Business Demographics

Size / Sector	New	Old
Small / Export	0	1
Large / Export	1	1
Small / Local	29	50
Large / Local	15	3

Restoration Priority: First

Zone A:

Household Demographics

Income Level	New	Old
Low	0	72
Middle	10	13
High	5	0

Business Demographics

Size / Sector	New	Old
Small / Export	0	2
Large / Export	3	0
Small / Local	39	47
Large / Local	8	1

Restoration Priority: First

Zone B:

Household Demographics

Income Level	New	Old
Low	0	17
Middle	3	40
High	32	8

Business Demographics

Size / Sector	New	Old
Small / Export	0	10
Large / Export	4	2
Small / Local	30	45
Large / Local	6	3

Restoration Priority: First

Zone C:

Household Demographics

Income Level	New	Old
Low	0	14
Middle	17	36
High	33	0

Business Demographics

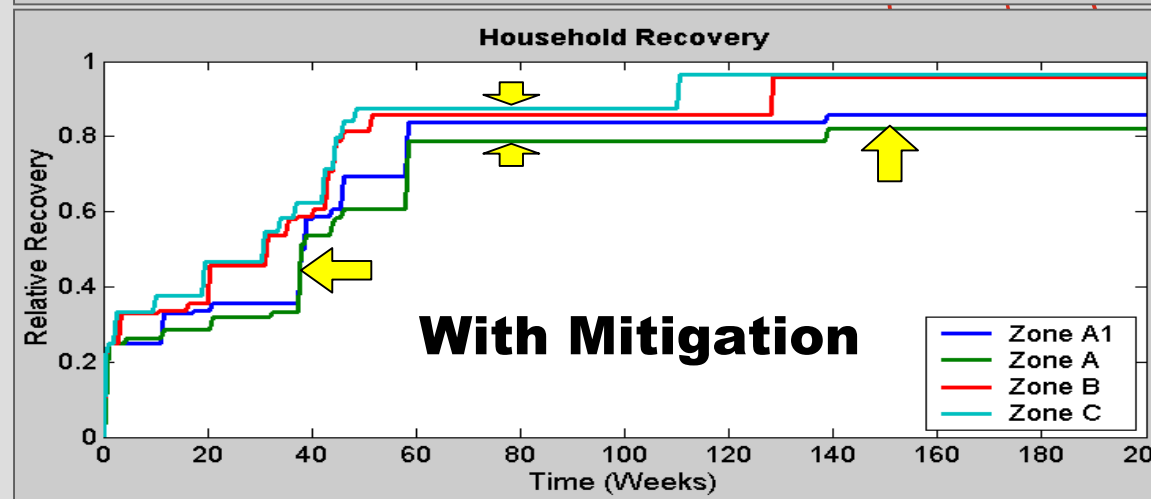
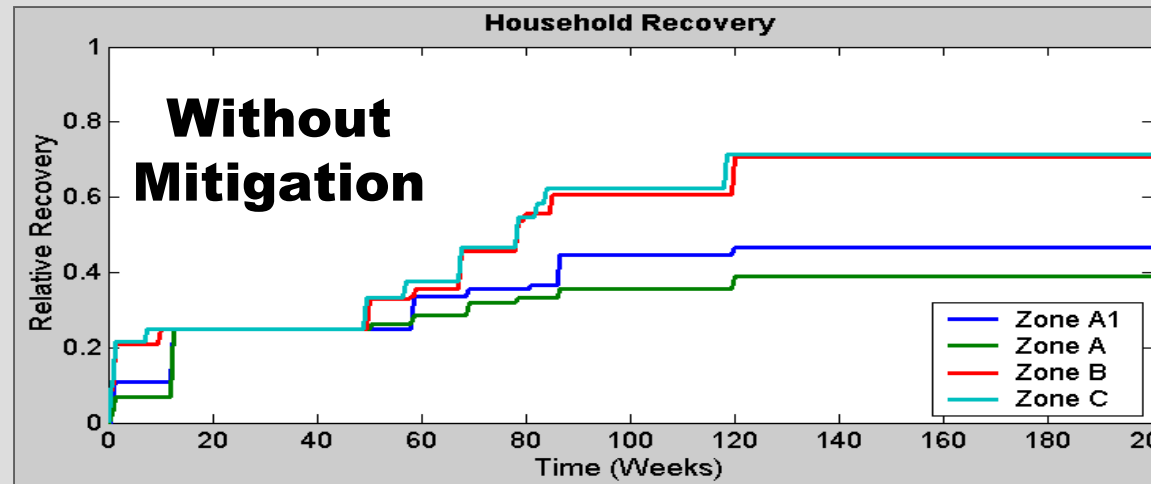
Size / Sector	New	Old
Small / Export	0	2
Large / Export	9	0
Small / Local	41	38
Large / Local	10	0

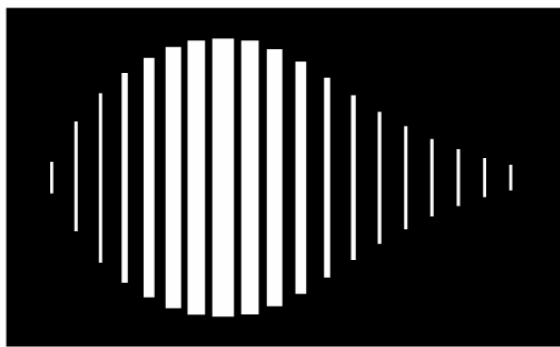
Restoration Priority: First

- **How will mitigation measures affect community recovery?**
- **Which neighborhood may lag in recovery?**
- **How do characteristics of households (e.g., income) or businesses (e.g., sector) affect neighborhood recovery?**

ASSESSING THE IMPACT OF PRE-DISASTER MITIGATION

RECOVERY TRAJECTORIES WITH AND WITHOUT MITIGATION





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