

# HAITI


## Disaster Declaration - Earthquake



CUBA

AT LEAST

# 1,297




DEATHS

Source: Government of Haiti

AT LEAST

# 5,700




PEOPLE INJURED

Source: Government of Haiti

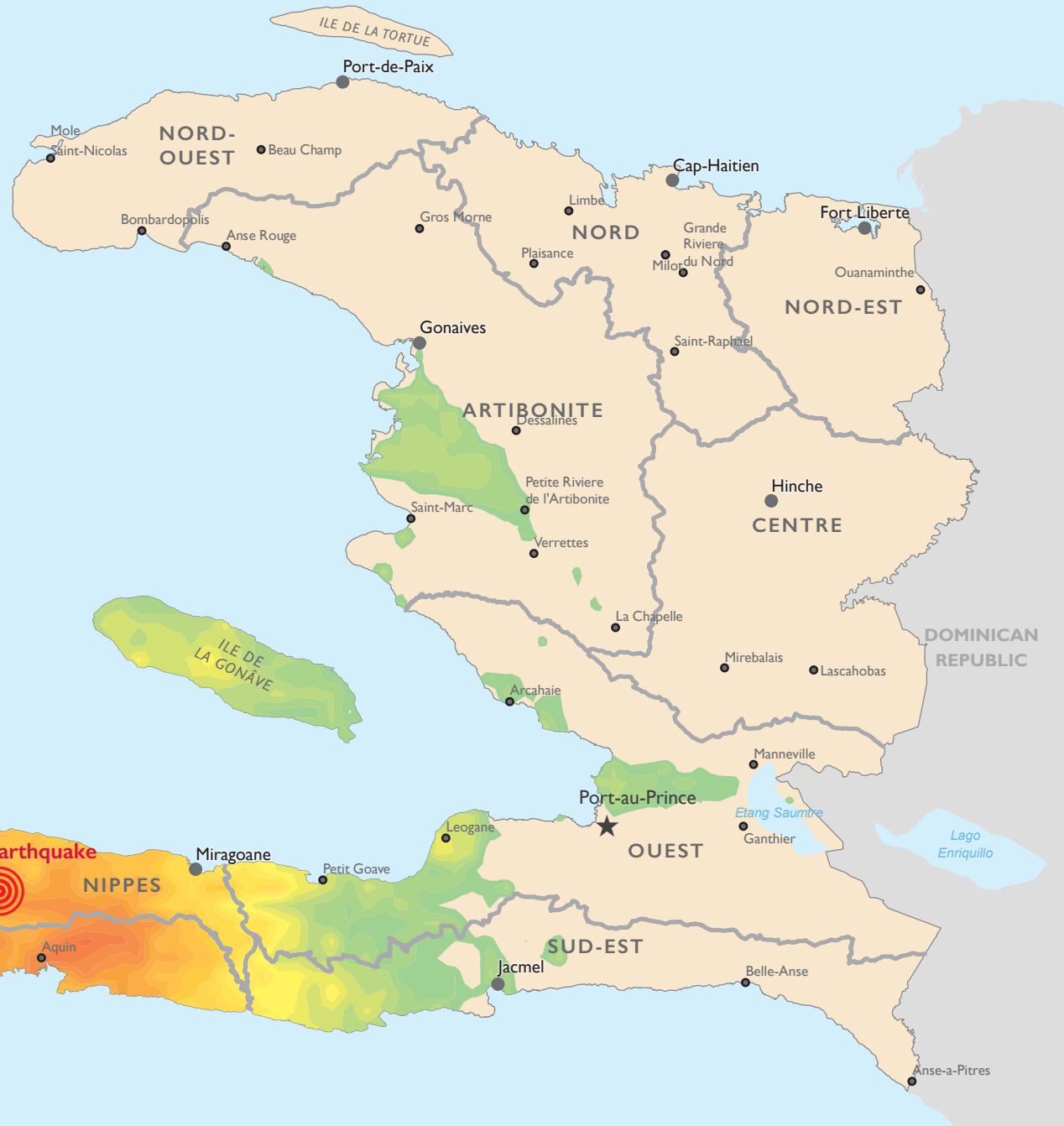
AT LEAST

# 651,000



PEOPLE EXPOSED TO SEVERE OR VIOLENT SHAKING

Source: USGS



**5** Felt by nearly everyone; many awakened. Some dishes, windows broken. Unstable objects overturned. Pendulum clocks may stop.

**6** Felt by all; many frightened. Some heavy furniture moved; a few instances of fallen plaster. Damage slight.

**7** Damage negligible in buildings of good design and construction; slight to moderate in well-built ordinary structures; considerable damage in poorly built or badly designed structures; some chimneys broken.

**8** Damage slight in specially designed structures; considerable damage in ordinary substantial buildings with partial collapse. Damage great in poorly built structures. Fall of chimneys, factory stacks, columns, monuments, walls. Heavy furniture overturned.

**9** Damage considerable in specially designed structures; well-designed frame structures thrown out of plumb. Damage great in substantial buildings, with partial collapse. Buildings shifted off foundations.

Source: USGS

\* MMI is a measure of ground shaking and is different from overall earthquake magnitude as measured by the Richter Scale. The MMI is based on a 12 class scale.

