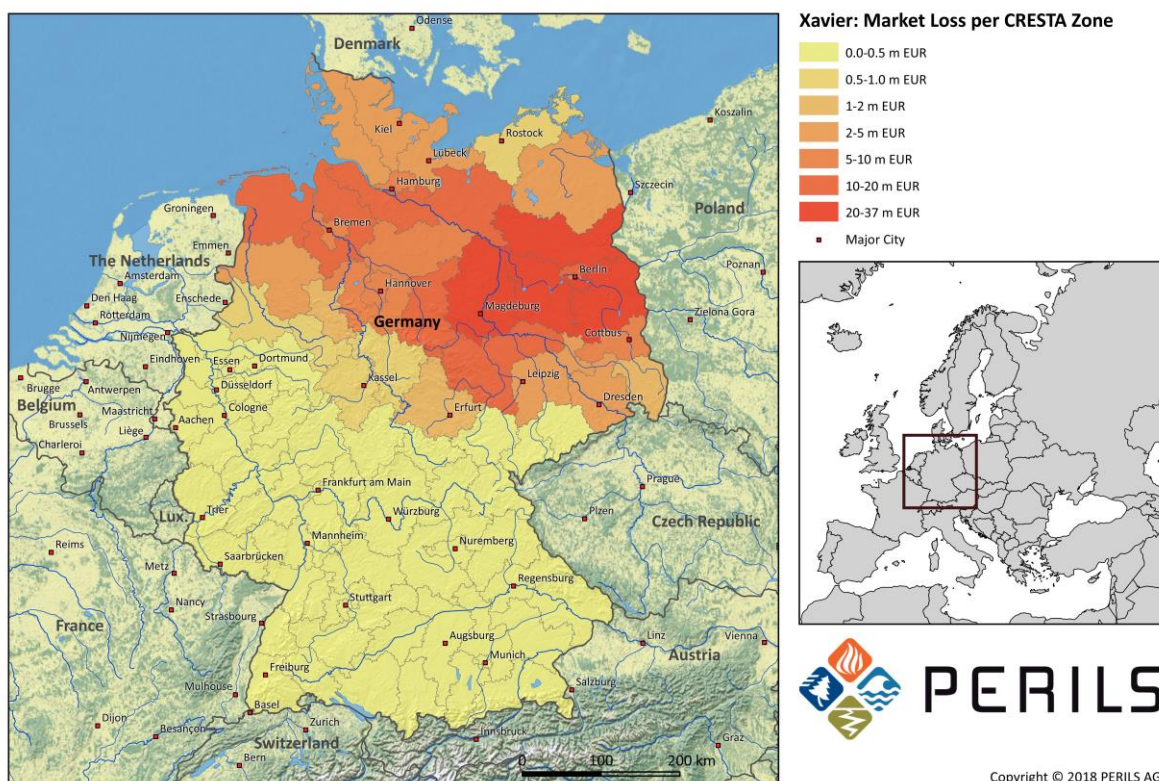


PERILS DISCLOSES FINAL LOSS ESTIMATE FOR EXTRATROPICAL CYCLONE XAVIER OF EUR 324M

Zurich, 5 October 2018 – PERILS, the independent Zurich-based organisation providing industry-wide catastrophe insurance data, has today disclosed its final loss estimate for Extratropical Cyclone Xavier, which primarily affected Germany on 5 October 2017.

PERILS' estimate of the insured property market loss for Xavier, based on loss data collected from affected insurers, is EUR 324 million. This compares to the third loss estimate of EUR 325 million which was issued by PERILS on 5 April 2018, six months after the event. This final loss number has been issued twelve months after the event, in line with the PERILS reporting schedule.

In this final report for Xavier, the market loss data are available by CRESTA zone and property line of business. This loss footprint information is complemented by gust speed values and loss ratios which show the incurred loss from Xavier as a percentage of the sums insured.



Extratropical Cyclone Xavier, market loss footprint: PERILS final loss estimate for the property market loss of Xavier stands at EUR 324m.

Xavier was a fast-moving and violent storm which caused the deaths of seven people in Germany. It occurred very early in the European winter storm season which meant that many trees were still heavy with leaves and therefore more prone to being blown over than had the same winds occurred during the winter months.

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Damaging gusts occurred along a narrow corridor approximately 250 km wide which ran ENE-WSW from Hamburg to Berlin and affected the states of Hamburg, Lower Saxony, Saxony-Anhalt, Brandenburg and Berlin.

About PERILS

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