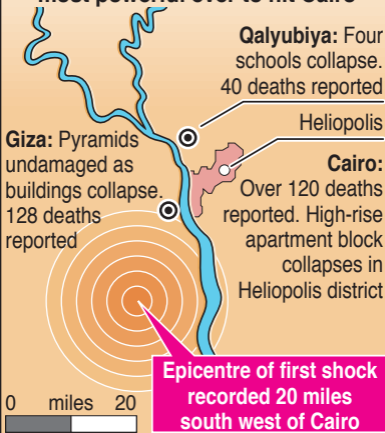


Cairo earthquake

Monday's earthquake, measuring 5.9 on the Richter scale, was the most powerful ever to hit Cairo



Major earthquakes in last ten years

Date	Country	Scale*	Deaths
March 13, 1992	Turkey	6.8	1,000
October 20, 1991	India	6.1	750
February 1, 1991	Pakistan	6.8	1,200
July 16, 1990	Philippines	7.7	1,621
June 21, 1990	Iran	7.7	50,000
December 7, 1988	Armenia	6.9	25,000
September 19, 1985	Mexico	8.1	9,500
October 30, 1983	Turkey	7.1	1,300
December 13, 1982	N. Yemen	6.0	2,800

* Richter scale magnitude

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