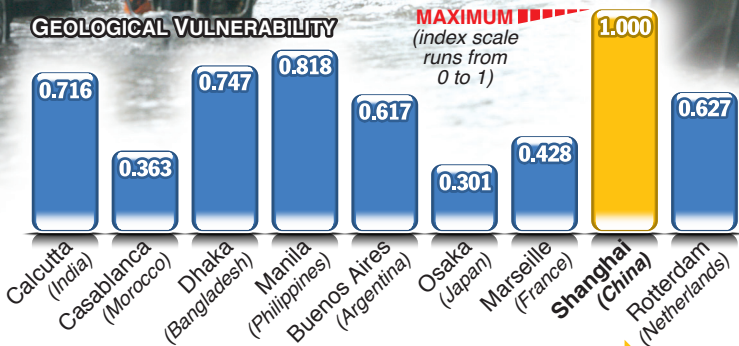


Shanghai: Major city most at risk of flooding

A new study that calculates a coastal city's flood vulnerability index – or CCFVI – has named Shanghai as the location most at risk of serious inundation

Flooded street in Shanghai, August 25, 2008

GEOLOGICAL VULNERABILITY



Shanghai is most exposed to coastal floods due to its long coastline and high amount of river discharge. All these cities have experienced significant floods