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## New footage of tsunami obliterating Japanese city

New video of the moment the sea surged into the port of Kesenuma, Japan, after the country was struck by an earthquake has been posted online.

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The footage shows the devastation wrought to the fishing community of Kesenuma by a 33ft tsunami triggered by Japan's strongest ever earthquake.

The port, around 300 miles north-east of Tokyo and formerly home to 74,000 people, was left in ruins after the 9.0-magnitude earthquake and tsunami struck on on 11 March 2011.

According to the latest police death toll, the catastrophe killed 7,197 with almost 11,000 still officially listed as missing.

[How the disaster unfolded: Japan's worst natural disaster in video](#)

(<http://www.telegraph.co.uk/news/worldnews/asia/japan/japan-earthquake-and-tsunami-in/>)

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[Japan tsunami: latest \(http://www.telegraph.co.uk/news/picturegalleries/worldnews/8419438/Japan-earthquake-and-tsunami-latest-pictures.html\)](http://www.telegraph.co.uk/news/picturegalleries/worldnews/8419438/Japan-earthquake-and-tsunami-latest-pictures.html)

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