

The Modeling of Tsunami Wave Run-Up and Vulnerability Zone Analysis In Cipatujah, Tasikmalaya District

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Abstract

Cipatujah is a sub-district in Tasikmalaya Regency, West Java Province, Indonesia, which is one of the areas affected by significant damage due to tectonic activity in the southern region of Java, namely an earthquake with a magnitude of 7.7 magnitude and West Java tsunami in 2006 after Nusa Kambangan and Pangandaran. The purpose of this study is to estimate the tsunami travel time, wave heights distribution, coverage areas, and vulnerability zone based on the Java 17 July 2006 earthquake scenario in Cipatujah, Tasikmalaya Regency. The method used in this study is quantitative and requires bathymetry data, high points, earthquake parameters of July 17, 2006, tidal data, RBI maps, and land use data. Tsunami modeling with numerical simulations using COMCOT v 1.7 and MATLAB software, also Arc Map for mapping tsunami coverage and vulnerability zone areas. Based on data processing, it was found that the maximum wave speed of 3.92 m/s. In the 27th minute, the waves had reached the Cipatujah region, with a maximum run-up height of 6.115 meters and a maximum tsunami range on the land of 1.891 meters. The area affected by the tsunami based on the processing of tsunami coverage data in Cipatujah totals 11.64 km². Whereas for tsunami vulnerability zone in Cipatujah, it is divided into 3 categories, namely low hazard zone, medium hazard zone, and high hazard zone. This indicates that the Cipatujah region is included in a high tsunami-prone zone. Based on the results of verification and validation with an RSR value of 0,073, then it is assumed that the height of the run-up model is sufficient by the run-up data that occurred during the event.

Keywords : COMCOT, Tsunami, vulnerability zone, cipatujah, run-up

INTRODUCTION

Tsunami is one of the natural phenomena where ocean waves propagate in all directions due to impulsive disturbance on the seabed²¹. Impulsive disturbances are caused by changes in the shape of geological structures on the seabed mainly in a short period, which is usually caused by tectonic plate movements, volcanoes erupting on the seabed, and also landslides on the seabed. Tsunamis are also natural phenomena including catastrophic disasters because they cause significant damage and damage in coastal and coastal areas to the mainland especially in countries that have active tectonic plates¹⁶.

Indonesia is one of the countries located at the confluence of 3 active tectonic plates namely the Eurasian Plate, the Australian Plate, the Pacific Plate³. Based on data from the Climatology and Geophysics Meteorology Agency (BMKG), the territory of Indonesia has an earthquake history of up to 244 events since the years 416 - 2018 that was able to cause a tsunami wave. At least eleven tsunami disasters have occurred in Indonesia that have caused more than 100 lives, namely the tsunami in Banda Banda (1674); P. Bali (1815); Lampung and Banten (1883); P. Banda (1899); Flores (1992); Banyuwangi, East Java (1994); Aceh (2004); West Java (2006); Mentawai (2010); Palu/Donggala (2018); Lampung and Banten (2018). Areas with a high tsunami threat can be seen scattered in almost all regions of Indonesia²².

Cipatujah is a sub-district in Tasikmalaya Regency, West Java Province, Indonesia, which is one of the areas that are prone to tsunamis. The location of the coast of Cipatujah in the southern part of the island of Java results in this area facing the Indian Ocean where there is a subduction zone or zone subduction zone between continental plates and oceanic plates which can cause earthquakes. Based on previous research, it was noted that Cipatujah was a region that was affected by significant damage due to

tectonic activity in the southern region of Java, namely an earthquake with a magnitude of 7.7 magnitude and West Java tsunami in 2006 after Nusa Kambangan and Pangandaran with each run-up height. 20 m and 3-8 m¹⁹.

Earthquake and tsunami events that have occurred are very potential to occur again in the future. Therefore, research on tsunami modeling uses numerical simulations as well as the making of a range map and tsunami vulnerability zone map on the Cipatujah Tasikmalaya Coastal based on the West Java Earthquake scenario on July 17, 2006, which can later be used as a supply of supporting information data for disaster mitigation.

MATERIAL AND METHODS

The research material needed in this study is primary and secondary data which is used as input in modeling the tsunami propagation. Primary data and is the main data in a study, while secondary data is supporting data in a study¹¹. The primary data used is the beach slope data in units of degrees which is the result of direct measurement in the field. While secondary data used as land use classifications include 1) Rupa Bumi Indonesia Map of Tasikmalaya Regency scale of 1: 25,000 in 2018 BIG publication; 2) Bathymetry data of GEBCO 30 arc-second scale BODC publication; 3) BATNAS waters data in Tasikmalaya Regency scale of 6 arc-second BIG publication; 4) DEMNAS data of Tasikmalaya Regency area scale of 0.27 arc second BIG; 5) BIG digital tidal data at Pamayangsari Tidal Station in January - October 2019; 6) Historical earthquake data and earthquake parameters south of Java Island by USGS; 7) Land use classification data from BAPPEDA of Tasikmalaya Regency in 2019.

The method used in this research is a quantitative method. The quantitative method is a data collection technique that is presented in the form of numbers and can be calculated qualitatively¹⁸. In this study, tsunami modeling uses numerical simulations using COMCOT v 1.7 software, then the results are analyzed to find out the tsunami vulnerability zone area that has occurred along the coast of Cipatujah Beach, Tasikmalaya Regency, West Java.

Measurement of field data in the form of slope data using GPS, geological compass and scale sticks, and water pass hose. Determination of the location of field measurements using a purposive sampling method that is at 12 points that are considered to have represented the study area, where these 12 points have covered the area of cliffs, ramps, river mouths, and also a mixture of cliffs and ramps. The beach slope data is measured with the distance of each measurement 10 meters horizontally with 3 times the measurement at each point.

Data processing carried out in this study consisted of several stages that began data preparation, the process of tsunami modeling and bathymetry processing as well as the zoning area of vulnerability from the tsunami range. Data preparation is carried out through the verification process of field beach slope values and models using Observation Standard Deviation (RSR). After that bathymetry data, high point data, earthquake parameter data, tidal data, measurement location points. Bathymetry data and high points are exported in .xyz format. In this study, using 2 layers with different grid sizes, 01 and 02 as input code.

Table 1. Boundary Model Limits and Grid Sizes

No	Latitude	Longitude	Grid Size (km ²)
1	6,6479° - 12,0479°	105,3605° - 111,6645°	415.145,41
2	7,6141° - 8,0471°	107,8940° - 108,4585°	2.539,87

Earthquake parameter data used as input to COMCOT v 1.7 is Java 17 July 2006 earthquake data. The earthquake parameter data is the USGS Harvard University earthquake data which has been modeled for earthquake parameters as a single fault¹¹. The following are data on the July 17, 2006, earthquake of USGS publication.

Table 2. West Java Earthquake Parameter July 17, 2006

Segment	Mw	Epicenter		Depth (km)	Strike (°)	Dip (°)	Slip (°)	L (km)	W (km)	D (m)
		Long	Lat							
Single	7.8	107.419	-9.284	10.0	289	10	95	200	80	10

Tidal data to be inputted is the Mean Sea Level (MSL) value of the digital tidal data of the Pamayangsari Tidal Station, TPI Pamayangsari, Cipatujah, Tasikmalaya by BIG in January - October 2019 for the Java 17 July 2006 tsunami tidal scenario. retroactively processed using the Least Square method. The Least Square method is a method used for tidal calculations that use the principle of minimizing the tidal elevation equation, so that a simultaneous equation is obtained which is then solved by a numerical method to obtain the tidal component⁵. The Least Square method used consists of ERGTIDE, ERGRAM, and gERGELV.

In this study to determine the tsunami propagation time required measurement points consisting of longitude and latitude coordinate data as a tide station. The tide station is then stored in the name *ts_location.dat* in the COMCOT v 1.7 folder.

Table 3. Coordinate Point for Measurement of Tsunami Wave Height

Point	Latitude	Longitude
1	-9.0719	107.5686
2	-8.8167	107.6891
3	-8.5793	107.7792
4	-8.3326	107.8533
5	-8.0531	107.9338
6	-7.8151	107.0001

After inputting the model is complete, proceed with a tsunami generation simulation with COMCOT v 1.7 software so that the *zmax* value is generated as input in the MATLAB software. After obtaining the coverage area by using the *plot_flowdepth* feature in MATLAB, proceed with making a map of the coverage area and vulnerability zone map using the Arc Map tool.

The method used in this verification and validation stage is the Observation Standard Deviation (RSR). RSR is an indicator that is generally used to determine the value of the model error in a static manner⁹. The equation used in expressing RSR values is as follows:

$$RSR = \frac{RMSE}{STDEV_{obs}} = \frac{[\sqrt{\frac{\sum(D-M)^2}{n}}]}{[\sqrt{\frac{\sum((D-\sum D)^2)}{n}}]} \tag{1}$$

Keterangan :

D = *Run up* in the field

M = *Run up* model results

n = The amount of data

The criteria¹⁴ used are:

- 0 < RSR < 0,5 very good
- 0,5 < RSR < 0,6 good
- 0,6 < RSR < 0,7 bad
- RSR > 0,7 very bad

RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

Initial Tsunami Conditions

In the initial conditions of the tsunami (fig 1), the highest surface elevation value of zmax was 4.1270 meters, the lowest surface elevation of zmin was -2.18 meters, and the wave velocity of cmax was 3.9206 m/s. Sea lever rise variation in the initial condition depends on the earthquake strength and epicenter depth.

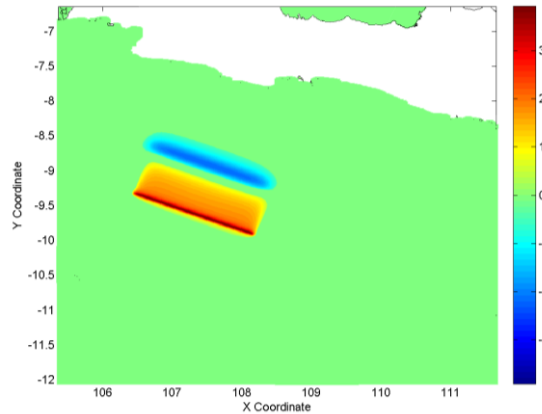


Fig. 1 : Initial Condition of the Java Earthquake Tsunami July 17, 2006

Tsunami Travel Time

Based on the results of processing ts_recordxx, shows the amplitude and time of propagation of tsunami waves that occur at each observation point (ts_location). It can be seen that the initial occurrence of tsunami wave propagation starts from ts_location 1 which is near the source of the earthquake to ts_location 6 located near the study site. The ts_location 6 point is the point that has the highest wave amplitude propagation record compared to the other points (Fig 2). That is because the location of the ts_location point in the waters of the sea bottom shall cause a tsunami wave that will reach the mainland to change shape. Tsunami waves at homogeneous depth change shape both wavelength and height, this is due to the nonlinear nature of the tsunami wave, and if the tsunami wave enters a shallow area, the height will be enlarged due to the shoaling effect and shrink when it breaks²⁰. Also, another effect of the superficial effect on waves is to cause the wave velocity to decrease along with the decrease in sea depth so that it affects the peak of the waves in shallow water moving more slowly than the wave peaks in deeper water². This can be seen in the travel time and maximum height of the tsunami (Table 4), where at ts_location 6 the maximum wave height occurs in the 65th minute, slower than other ts_location.

Table 4. Tsunami Travel Time and Maximum Tsunami Altitude

Ts_location	Coordinate		ts_location depth (meter)	Z max (meter)	Zmaxperiod(hour:minutes:second)
	Longitude	Latitude			
1	107.568569	-9.071963	-6005,79	2.1122	00:05:56
2	107.689216	-8.816796	-6584,39	2.0976	00:09:18
3	107.779227	-8.579399	-5889,35	1.7603	00:12:05
4	107.853039	-8.332682	-4632,4	1.4574	00:14:37
5	107.933869	-8.053190	-2977,32	1.7149	00:17:53
6	108.000140	-7.815159	-915,11	2.7745	01:05:32

Keterangan :

Zmax = Maximum tsunami wave height from MSL

Zmax time= The time when the maximum wave occurs

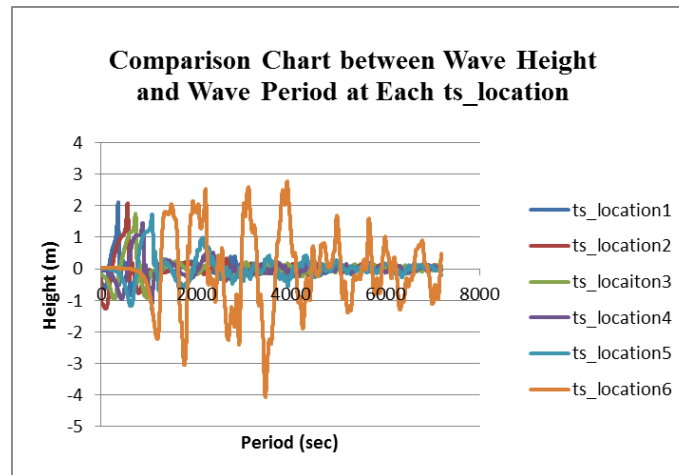


Fig. 2 : Graph Comparison of Periods and Amplitudes of Tsunami Waves at Each ts_location Point

The maximum tsunami height distribution resulting from the plot_zmax.m feature shows that the maximum tsunami wave reaches 5 m. On layer 1, we can see maximum tsunami distribution in the entire south coast of Java in the Pameungpeuk, Pangandaran, Cilacap and Kebumen regions which produce higher maximum waves than other regions^{1,7}, which need to be seen before in the Pangandaran area of high distribution the maximum reaches 4 m and in the Kebumen region, it reaches 5 m. On layer 2, we can see the Tasikmalaya Regency on the west side including the Cipatujah region and the east side have a maximum wave height higher than the type of the middle Tasikmalaya Regency area. This is influenced by the sloping form of the seabed on the west and east sides of Tasikmalaya Regency. In the form of the seafloor, sloping waves will experience shoaling effects and also the presence of refraction or changes in wave direction, this causes the energy and height of the tsunami waves to experience enlargement and change in direction following the coastline⁴.

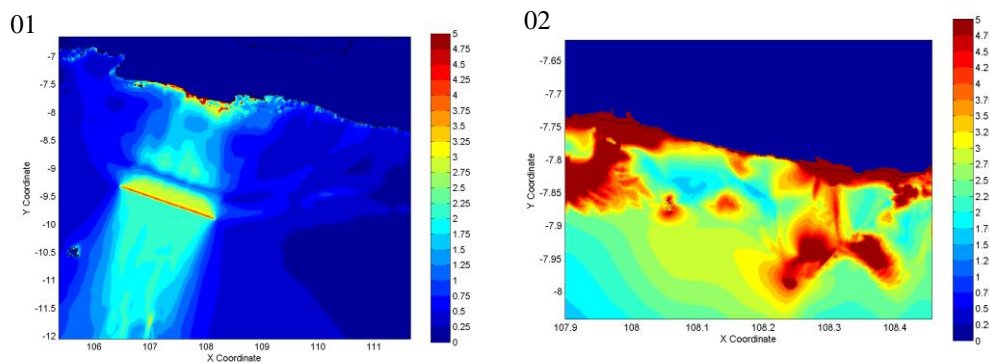


Fig. 3 : Zmax Distribution on Layer 01 and Layer 02

Tsunami Inundation and Vulnerability Zone

Tsunami run-up map divided into 3 categories of inundation height (Fig4), obtained in Tasikmalaya District experiencing a tsunami inundation with a total area of 22.37 km². In the area of Cipatujah experienced a tsunami inundation with a total area of 11.64km². The value of the tsunami range is obtained through the plot_flowdepth.m feature, which is a high value of tsunami run-up, then processed into a tsunami range map so that a maximum inundation height of 6.115 meters is obtained and the maximum distance of the tsunami range is 1.891 kilometers. The wave run-up in the Cipatujah region is affected by the height of the region and the slope of the coast. The height of the area significantly influences the extent of the tsunami coverage area. The lower the position of an area, the greater the

potential of the region affected by the tsunami, while the slope affects the distance of the tsunami wave range.

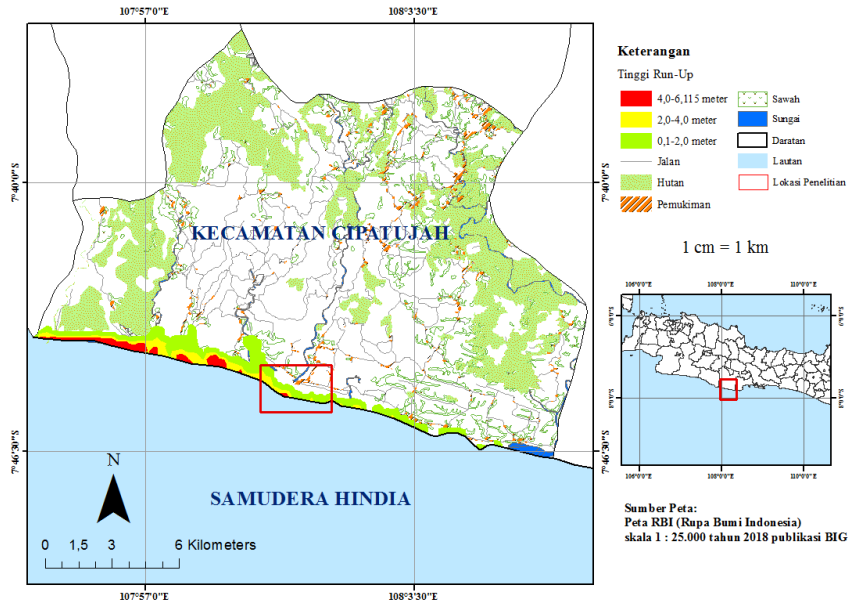


Fig. 4. Tsunami Run-Up Map in Cipatujah, Tasikmalaya District

Table 5. Area and Maximum Distance of Tsunami Run-Up in Cipatujah

Run-Up Heights (m)	Area (km ²)	Maximum Reach Range (km)
0,1 – 2,0	7,4112	1,891
2,0 – 4,0	2,5695	0,770
4,0 – 6,115	1,6635	0,512
Total	11,6442	3,173

Based on the simulation of the tsunami model and the known high run-up values as well as the extent of tsunami coverage, a vulnerability zone can be formed which is divided into 3 classes (Fig5). Vulnerability zone consisting of three disaster-prone areas¹² based on high inundation namely: low disaster-prone areas, medium disaster-prone areas, and high disaster-prone areas¹⁰. Based on the results obtained, a low disaster-prone area is an area with a pool of less than 1 meter, including an area quite far from the coastline, with an area of 10.007 km² in Tasikmalaya Regency, and 5.473 km² in Cipatujah. A medium disaster-prone area where there are inundations between 1 and 3 meters, including areas that are close to the coastline, with an area of 6,621 km² in Tasikmalaya Regency and 3,362 in Cipatujah. Whereas high disaster-prone areas were areas that have a pool of more than 3 meters, including the area closest to the coastline, with an area of 5,893 km² in Tasikmalaya Regency and 2,883 in Cipatujah. In high disaster-prone areas, this is the area that has the greatest impact of tsunami waves compared to other hazard-prone areas. In high disaster-prone areas is an area that has the greatest impact of tsunami waves compared to other vulnerable areas and is an area with low elevation. This happens because the level of vulnerability of an area to a tsunami wave is influenced by surface elevation, the lower the elevation of an area, the higher the level of vulnerability⁸. Based on the mapping of coverage areas and also tsunami vulnerability zone, it can be seen that the majority of tsunami-affected areas include residential areas, rice fields, plantations, forests, roads, vacant land in the area of Cipatujah, Tasikmalaya Regency.

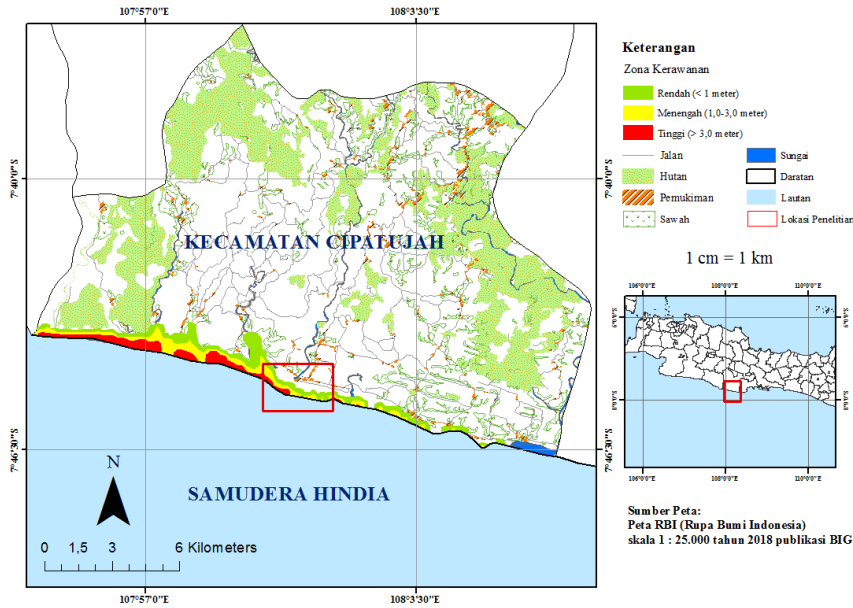


Fig. 5. Tsunami Hazard Map in Cipatujah, Tasikmalaya District

Table 6. Total Zoning Area of Tsunami Hazard in Cipatujah

Hazard zone	Area(km ²)
Low	5,473
Medium	3,362
High	2,883
Total	11,644

Model Validation

The results of the model data are then verified and validated by the results of research^{6,13} combined with the Meteorological, Climatology, and Geophysics Agency data as well as field observational data¹¹ conducted by from BPBD, BPPT, and ITS. Run-up calculations using Field Survey Data are shown in Table 6 as follows:

Table 7. Calculation of Run-Up Verification

Coordinate		R	RM	(R - Rm) ²	(R - ΣR) ²
Longitude	Latitude				
107,91	-7,728	3,331	3	0,1095	69,0062
107,979	-7,74	5,822	5	0,6756	33,8258
108,164	-7,788	2,485	2	0,2352	83,7774
Total			10	1,0204	186,6095
σD				7,8868	
Σ((D - M) ² / _n)				1,1787	
RMSE				0,5832	
RSR				0,0739	

The values in Table 6, are described for the calculation of verification and validation by the RSR method as follows:

$$\sigma D = \sqrt{\frac{(R-\Sigma R)^2}{n}} = \sqrt{\frac{186,6095}{3}} = 7,8868$$

$$\text{RMSE} = \sqrt{\frac{(R-M)^2}{n}} = \sqrt{\frac{1,02047}{3}} = 0,5832$$

$$\text{RSR} = \frac{\text{RMSE}}{\sigma D} = \frac{0,5832}{7,8868} = 0,0739$$

CONCLUSION

Based on research that has been done, the following conclusions are obtained:

1. The Java Tsunami of July 17, 2006, had an initial wave velocity of 3.92 m / s, the propagation of the tsunami began with receding conditions along the coast which occurred at the 19th minute and followed by the tsunami waves at the 27th minute. In the 65th minute, a maximum amplitude of 2.77 meters occurred towards the Cipatujah Coastal District, Tasikmalaya Regency.
2. The maximum run-up height is 6,115 meters and the maximum tsunami range is 1,891 kilometers from the coastline. The extent of wave run-ups that occurred in the Tasikmalaya Regency area was 22.37 km² and the Cipatujah area was 11.64 km². Whereas the zoning of vulnerability in the areas of Tasikmalaya and Cipatujah regencies is divided into 3 categories: Low Hazard Zone, Medium Hazard Zone, and High Hazard Zone.

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