## 7) Comparison of tsunami water levels

Figure 2.6.171 shows the results of the comparison of the Max tsunami water levels at representative locations on Tongatapu and Eua Island by each of the target volcanoes. On Tongatapu Island, the tsunami water level is the highest when the wave source is located at the Unnamed2 volcano, and on Eua Island, the tsunami water level is the highest when the wave source is located at the Unnamed3 and Unnamed4 volcanoes. In the case of volcanoes, the location and distance to the volcanoes is an important factor.



Source: JICA Study Team

Figure 2.6.171 Comparative results of Max Tsunami Levels at Representative Sites(H=30m)

### 2.6.2 Analysis for seawalls

### (1) Layout of the existing seawall

On Tongatapu Island, along the road north of the capital Nukualofa, a seawall, mainly made of masonry and partly reinforced with concrete, has been constructed to protect against storm surges and tsunamis entering beyond the offshore coral reef.

The total length is approximately 8.2 km and is divided into three sections as shown below (Figure 2.6.172).

- The masonry seawall section, constructed in two phases in 1988-89 with Japanese grant aid, covers
  2.7 km to the west and 2.5 km to the east, excluding the urban area in the centre.
- <sup>(2)</sup> The construction date is unknown, but the German grant aid seawall existed before the Japanese grant aid project was implemented, and although it is not known if it was designed from the beginning, it is currently constructed with a concrete lining over masonry. The length is 1 km from east to west across Beech Wharf in the city centre, with a total length of approximately 2 km.
- ③ Apart from the two seawalls mentioned above, there is an area of approximately 1 km located to the rear of the existing port facilities, where no seawalls need to be installed along the road.



Source: JICA Study Team



The following table shows the execution categories and standard cross-sections of the seawall by the Japanese grant aid. As the construction area is divided into five sections according to the different heights of the design top edge of the seawall, standard cross-sectional drawings for A to E are attached. The height standard is considered to be D.L.



Source: Basic Design Study Report for the Nuku'alofa Seawall Expansion Project, Kingdom of Tonga (February 1988).





Source: Basic Design Study Report for the Nuku'alofa Seawall Expansion Project, Kingdom of Tonga (February 1988).

Figure 2.6.174 Standard Cross-Sections of Japanese Aid Seawall (Sections A and B).



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### Figure 2.6.175 Standard cross-sections of Japanese Aid Seawall (Sections C, D and E).

#### (2) Establishment of seawall layout

The seawall layout and height were set up for the tsunami analysis of a seawall for a level 1 scale volcanic tsunami. Figure 2.6.176 to Figure 2.6.178 show the seawall normal and top height. The layout was set in the same position as the existing seawall. The embankment height was set at 3.0 m, which is approximately 1 m higher than the current embankment height. For volcanic tsunamis, a height of 4.0 m was also considered, as no significant inundation prevention effect could be confirmed even with a 1 m increase in height.



Source: JICA Study Team

Figure 2.6.176 Seawall Layout (1)



Map: Copyright OpenStreetMap contributors 200

400 m

100

Source: JICA Study Team







Map: Copyright OpenStreetMap contributors



Source: JICA Study Team



# (3) Calculation results with seawall

Tsunami analysis is carried out for volcanic tsunamis when seawalls are deployed. The Max tsunami Water Level Distribution for the case where seawalls are deployed is shown on the following page.

## 1) Height of seawall to be addressed (M.S.L. + 3.0 m)

a. Max Water Level Distribution







Figure 2.6.179 Max Water Level Distribution (Hunga Tonga-Hunga Ha'pai, H=30m Raised Seawall M.S.L.+3.0m)

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CASE: Volc1-1-4
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Source: JICA Study Team

Figure 2.6.180 Max Water Level Distribution (Unnamed1, H=30m Raised Seawall M.S.L.+3.0m)

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CASE: Volc2-1-4
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Source: JICA Study Team



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CASE: Volc3-1-4
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Source: JICA Study Team

Figure 2.6.182 Max Water Level Distribution (Lateiki, H=30m Raised Seawall M.S.L.+3.0m)





Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc5-1-4



Source: JICA Study Team

Figure 2.6.184 Max Water Level Distribution (Unamed2, H=30m Raised Seawall M.S.L.+3.0m)





Source: JICA Study Team

Figure 2.6.185 Max Water Level Distribution (Unamed3, H=30m Raised Seawall M.S.L.+3.0m)

CASE: Volc7-1-4



Source: JICA Study Team

Figure 2.6.186 Max Water Level Distribution (Unamed4, H=30m Raised Seawall M.S.L.+3.0m)

CASE: Volc0-2-4



Source: JICA Study Team

Figure 2.6.187 Max Water Level Distribution (Hunga Tonga-Hunga Ha'pai, H=60m Raised Seawall M.S.L.+3.0m)

CASE: Volc1-2-4



Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc2-2-4



Source: JICA Study Team

Figure 2.6.189 Max Water Level Distribution (HomeReef, H=60m Raised Seawall M.S.L.+3.0m)





Source: JICA Study Team

Figure 2.6.190 Max Water Level Distribution (Lateiki, H=60m Raised Seawall M.S.L.+3.0m)

CASE: Volc4-2-4



Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc5-2-4



Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc6-2-4



Source: JICA Study Team

Figure 2.6.193 Max Water Level Distribution (Unamed3, H=60m Raised Seawall M.S.L.+3.0m)

CASE: Volc7-2-4



Source: JICA Study Team

Figure 2.6.194 Max Water Level Distribution (Unamed4, H=60m Raised Seawall M.S.L.+3.0m)

CASE: Volc0-3-4



Source: JICA Study Team

Figure 2.6.195 Max Water Level Distribution (Hunga Tonga-Hunga Ha'pai, H=90m Raised Seawall M.S.L.+3.0m)

CASE: Volc1-3-4



Source: JICA Study Team

Figure 2.6.196 Max Water Level Distribution (Unnamed1, H=90m Raised Seawall M.S.L.+3.0m)

CASE: Volc2-3-4



Source: JICA Study Team







Source: JICA Study Team

Figure 2.6.198 Max Water Level Distribution (Lateiki, H=90m Raised Seawall M.S.L.+3.0m)





Source: JICA Study Team

Figure 2.6.199 Max Water Level Distribution (Fonuafo'ou, H=90m Raised Seawall M.S.L.+3.0m)

CASE: Volc5-3-4



Source: JICA Study Team

Figure 2.6.200 Max Water Level Distribution (Unamed2, H=90m Raised Seawall M.S.L.+3.0m)

CASE: Volc6-3-4



Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc7-3-4



Source: JICA Study Team

Figure 2.6.202 Max Water Level Distribution (Unamed4, H=90m Raised Seawall M.S.L.+3.0m)

b. B.Max inundation depth distribution diagram





Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc1-1-4



Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc2-1-4



Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc3-1-4



Source: JICA Study Team

Figure 2.6.206 Max inundation depth distribution (Lateiki, H=30m Raised Seawall M.S.L.+3.0m)





Source: JICA Study Team


CASE: Volc5-1-4



Source: JICA Study Team







Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc7-1-4





CASE: Volc0-2-4



Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc1-2-4



Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc2-2-4



Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc3-2-4



Source: JICA Study Team







Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc5-2-4



Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc6-2-4



Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc7-2-4



Source: JICA Study Team







Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc1-3-4



Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc2-3-4



Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc3-3-4



Source: JICA Study Team







Source: JICA Study Team







Source: JICA Study Team

Figure 2.6.224 Max inundation depth distribution (Unamed2, H=90m Raised Seawall M.S.L.+3.0m)





Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc7-3-4





## c. Tsunami Arraival Time Distribution

CASE: Volc0-1-4











CASE: Volc2-1-4









Source: JICA Study Team

Figure 2.6.230 Tsunami Arraival Time Distribution (Lateiki, H=30m Raised Seawall M.S.L.+3.0m)





Source: JICA Study Team

















CASE: Volc7-1-4



Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc0-2-4



Source: JICA Study Team

Figure 2.6.235 Tsunami Arraival Time Distribution (Hunga Tonga-Hunga Ha'pai, H=60m Raised Seawall M.S.L.+3.0m)

CASE: Volc1-2-4



Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc2-2-4



Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc3-2-4





CASE: Volc4-2-4



Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc5-2-4



Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc6-2-4



Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc7-2-4









Source: JICA Study Team

Figure 2.6.243 Tsunami Arraival Time Distribution (Hunga Tonga-Hunga Ha'pai, H=90m Raised Seawall M.S.L.+3.0m)
CASE: Volc1-3-4



Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc2-3-4















Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc5-3-4











CASE: Volc7-3-4





Figure 2.6.250 Tsunami Arraival Time Distribution (Unamed4, H=90m Raised Seawall M.S.L.+3.0m)

## 2) Height of seawall to be addressed (M.S.L. + 4.0 m).

## a. Max Water Level Distribution

## CASE: Volc0-1-3



Figure 2.6.251 Max Water Level Distribution (Hunga Tonga-Hunga Ha'pai, H=30m Raised Seawall M.S.L.+4.0m)

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CASE: Volc1-1-3
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Source: JICA Study Team



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CASE: Volc2-1-3
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Source: JICA Study Team

Figure 2.6.253 Max Water Level Distribution (HomeReef, H=30m Raised Seawall M.S.L.+4.0m)

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CASE: Volc3-1-3
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Source: JICA Study Team

Figure 2.6.254 Max Water Level Distribution (Lateiki, H=30m Raised Seawall M.S.L.+4.0m)







CASE: Volc5-1-3



Source: JICA Study Team

Figure 2.6.256 Max Water Level Distribution (Unamed2, H=30m Raised Seawall M.S.L.+4.0m)





Source: JICA Study Team

Figure 2.6.257 Max Water Level Distribution (Unamed3, H=30m Raised Seawall M.S.L.+4.0m)

CASE: Volc7-1-3



Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc0-2-3



Source: JICA Study Team

Figure 2.6.259 Max Water Level Distribution (Hunga Tonga-Hunga Ha'pai, H=60m Raised Seawall M.S.L.+4.0m)

CASE: Volc1-2-3





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CASE: Volc2-2-3
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Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc3-2-3



Source: JICA Study Team

Figure 2.6.262 Max Water Level Distribution (Lateiki, H=60m Raised Seawall M.S.L.+4.0m)

CASE: Volc4-2-3



Source: JICA Study Team

Figure 2.6.263 Max Water Level Distribution (Fonuafo'ou, H=60m Raised Seawall M.S.L.+4.0m)

CASE: Volc5-2-3



Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc6-2-3



Source: JICA Study Team

Figure 2.6.265 Max Water Level Distribution (Unamed3, H=60m Raised Seawall M.S.L.+4.0m)

CASE: Volc7-2-3



Source: JICA Study Team

Figure 2.6.266 Max Water Level Distribution (Unamed4, H=60m Raised Seawall M.S.L.+4.0m)

CASE: Volc0-3-3



Source: JICA Study Team

Figure 2.6.267 Max Water Level Distribution (Hunga Tonga-Hunga Ha'pai, H=90m Raised Seawall M.S.L.+4.0m)

CASE: Volc1-3-3



Source: JICA Study Team



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CASE: Volc2-3-3
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Source: JICA Study Team







Source: JICA Study Team

Figure 2.6.270 Max Water Level Distribution (Lateiki, H=90m Raised Seawall M.S.L.+4.0m)

CASE: Volc4-3-3



Source: JICA Study Team

Figure 2.6.271 Max Water Level Distribution (Fonuafo'ou, H=90m Raised Seawall M.S.L.+4.0m)

CASE: Volc5-3-3



Source: JICA Study Team

Figure 2.6.272 Max Water Level Distribution (Unamed2, H=90m Raised Seawall M.S.L.+4.0m)

CASE: Volc6-3-3





CASE: Volc7-3-3





b. Max inundation depth distribution diagram

CASE: Volc0-1-3



Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc1-1-3









Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc3-1-3



Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc4-1-3



Source: JICA Study Team






Source: JICA Study Team







Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc7-1-3



Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc0-2-3



Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc1-2-3



Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc2-2-3



Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc3-2-3



Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc4-2-3



Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc5-2-3



Source: JICA Study Team







Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc7-2-3



Source: JICA Study Team







Source: JICA Study Team

Figure 2.6.291 Max inundation depth distribution (Hunga Tonga-Hunga Ha'pai, H=90m Raised Seawall M.S.L.+4.0m)

CASE: Volc1-3-3



Source: JICA Study Team



CASE: Volc2-3-3



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CASE: Volc7-3-3



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