

Lecture 27: Impacts of Space Objects

Meteors and Asteroids

Asteroids

Meteorites



Comets



Barringer Crater

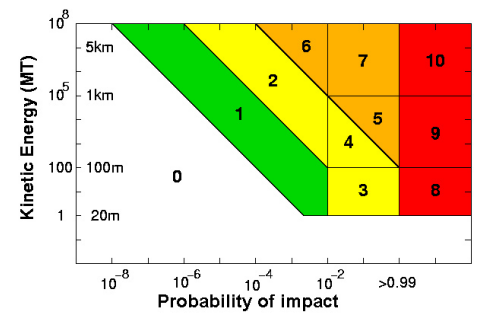


The Tunguska Event



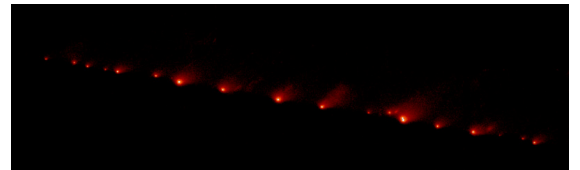
Very Large Impacts - Chicxulub

The Torino Scale



Near Earth Objects

The Shoemaker-Levy Comet



Jared Diamond and Easter Island

