## **Evaluation of Major Active Faults**

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This map shows the estimated magnitude and long-term possibilities of the largest earthquakes (characteristic earthquakes) within 30 years on major active faults based on Jan. 1, 2008. 110 major active fault zones, that have a high level of activity and great social and economical influence, were selected and have been evaluated as the targets of fundamental surveys and observations.