Iran-Armenia-Azerbaijan Border Region

On /11/082012/ 12:23:17 38.32N 46.89E a strong earthquake struck this region the earthquake measured 6.4 on the Richter scale, and the depth was 9.9, 11 minutes after this first event a second earthquake struck the region at12:34:35 38.32N 46.76E measuring 6.3 magnitude at a depth of 9.8

Here in Cheddleton UK our seismic instrument recorder picked up the strong earthquakes it is difficult to distinguish between the two in the helicorder, if you play the sound file you can hear very clearly both of these events occurring, unfortunately there have been many people injured and some loss of life.

Our prayers go out to the community of the people in this tragic event

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