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Disasters in 2017 caused losses of \$306bn, according to estimates from insurance giant Swiss Re(瑞士再保險公司). The figure represents a 63% jump from last year and is well above the average of the past decade. The Americas was hardest hit, with hurricanes in the Caribbean and southern US, earthquakes in Mexico and wildfires in California. Despite the rise in the financial cost of disasters, there was no significant increase in the loss of lives. Swiss Re said more than 11,000 people died or went missing in disaster events in 2017, which is similar to 2016's figure.

bn 十億 (billion 的縮寫)

estimate 估算

figure 數字

jump 暴增

significant 顯著的