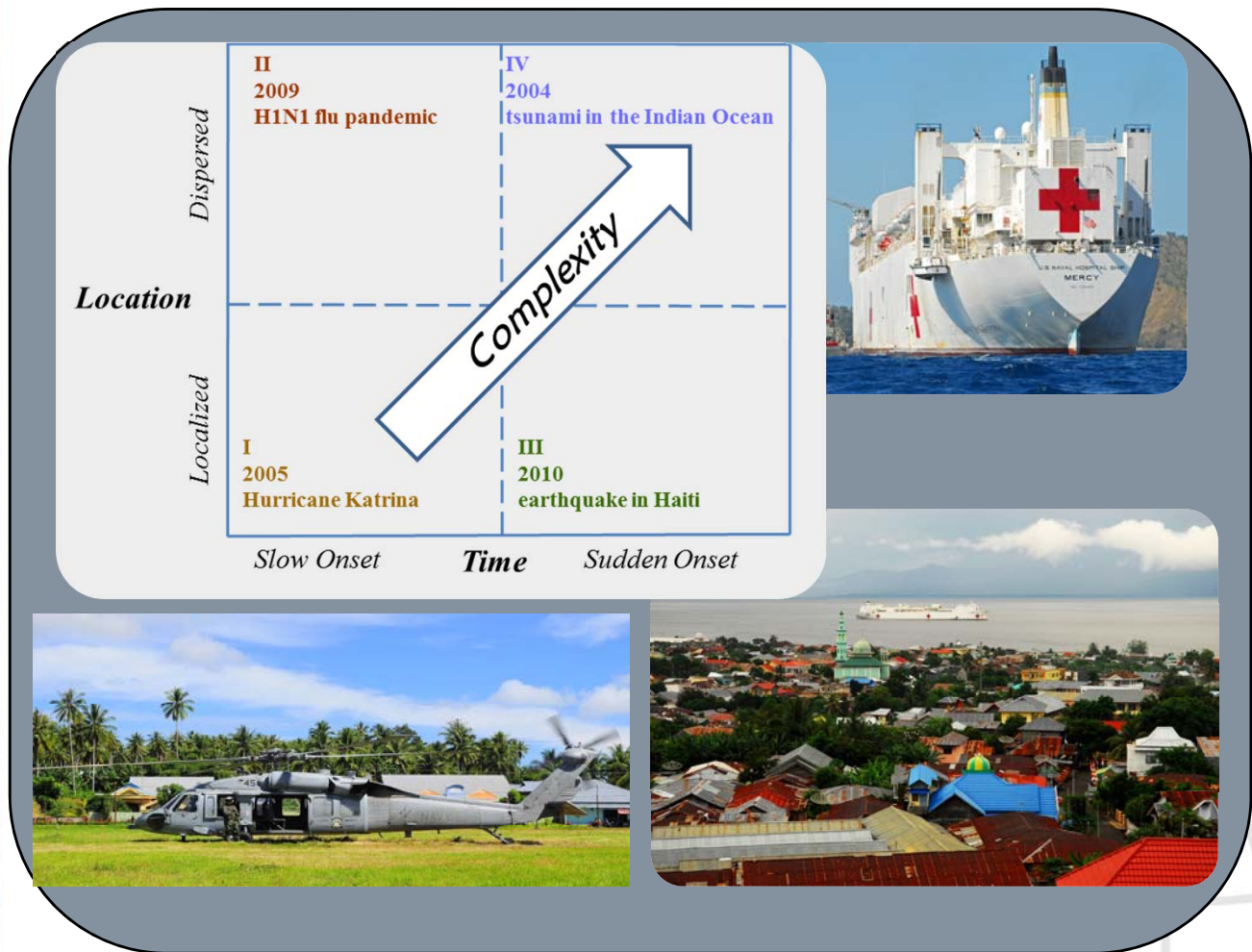


Drivers of Complexity

Recovery efforts of humanitarian relief are very complex due to the inability to predict their location and time. Analyzing past disasters for drivers of complexity in disaster relief can help decision-makers better allocate precious resources toward these efforts.



Findings

There is a relationships between the speed of onset and the dispersion of a disaster when compared against:

- number of personnel affected
- casualties
- cost of damage