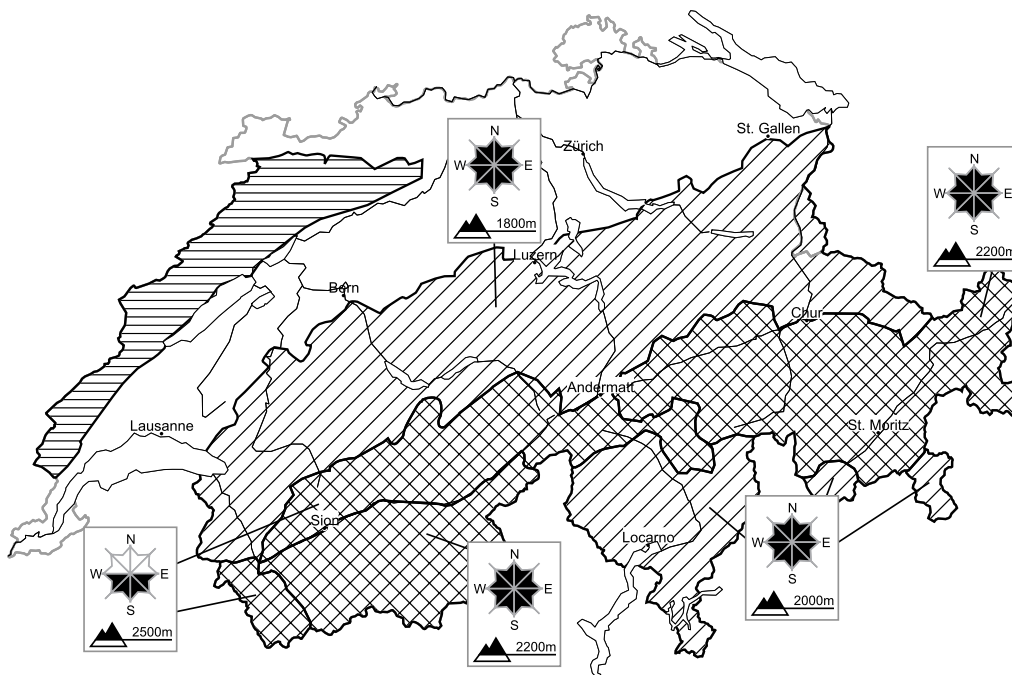


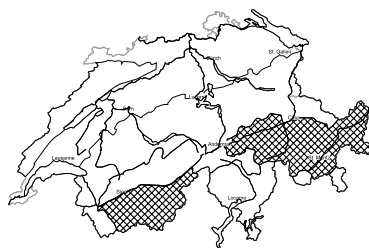
**At intermediate altitudes a mostly favourable avalanche situation will prevail. Caution is to be exercised on wind-loaded slopes at elevated altitudes**

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**Avalanche danger**

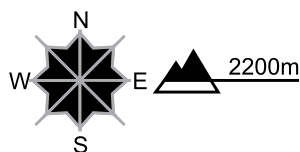


**region A** **Level 3, considerable**



**Old snow, snow drifts**

**Avalanche prone locations**



**Danger description**

Single winter sport participants can release avalanches as before. These can be triggered in the old snowpack and reach dangerously large size. Caution is to be exercised at transitions from a shallow to a deep snowpack, when entering gullies and bowls for example. Whumpfung sounds and the formation of shooting cracks when stepping on the snowpack can indicate the danger.

As a consequence of the northerly wind clearly visible snow drift accumulations have formed. This applies in particular on south facing slopes at elevated altitudes. The fresh snow drift accumulations can be released by a single winter sport participant in some cases. They are to be evaluated with care and prudence in steep terrain. Experience in the assessment of avalanche danger is required.

**Danger levels**

