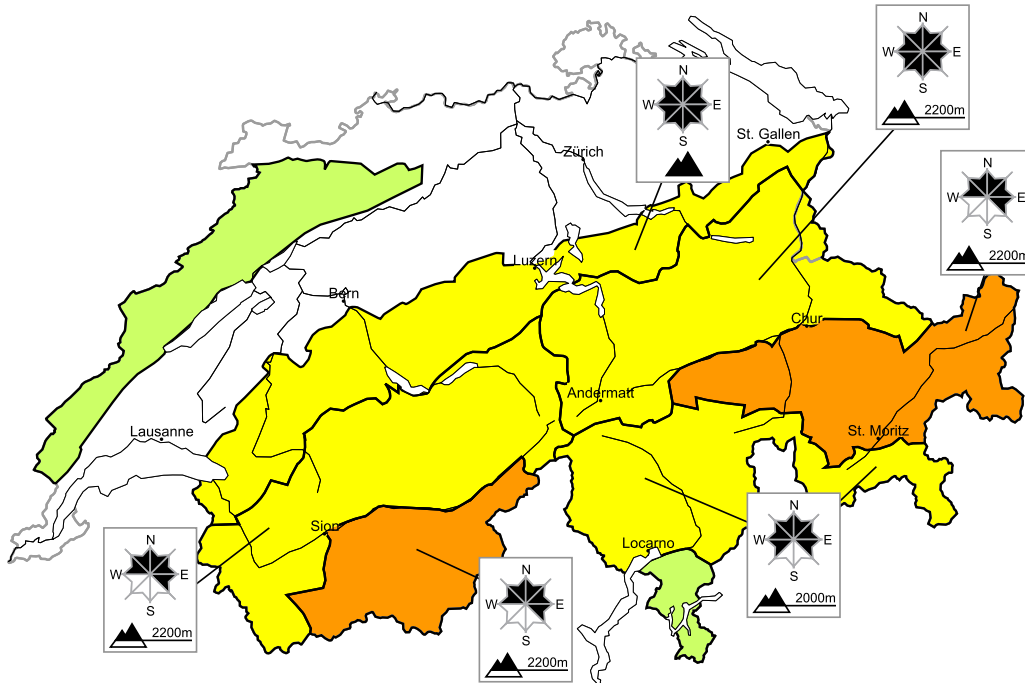


Considerable avalanche danger will be encountered in some regions

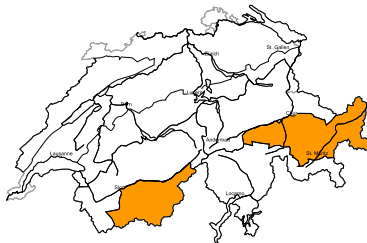
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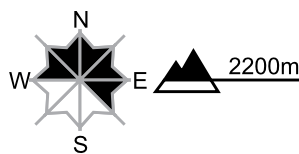
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Level 3, considerable



Old snow, snow drifts

Avalanche prone locations



Danger description

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

Somewhat older snow drift accumulations can still be released in some cases. This also applies in high Alpine regions in all aspects. They are to be evaluated with care and prudence.

Experience in the assessment of avalanche danger is required.

Danger levels

1 low

2 moderate

3 consider.

4 high

5 very high



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