Avalanche bulletin for Saturday, 20 January 2018

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Considerable avalanche danger will be encountered over a wide area

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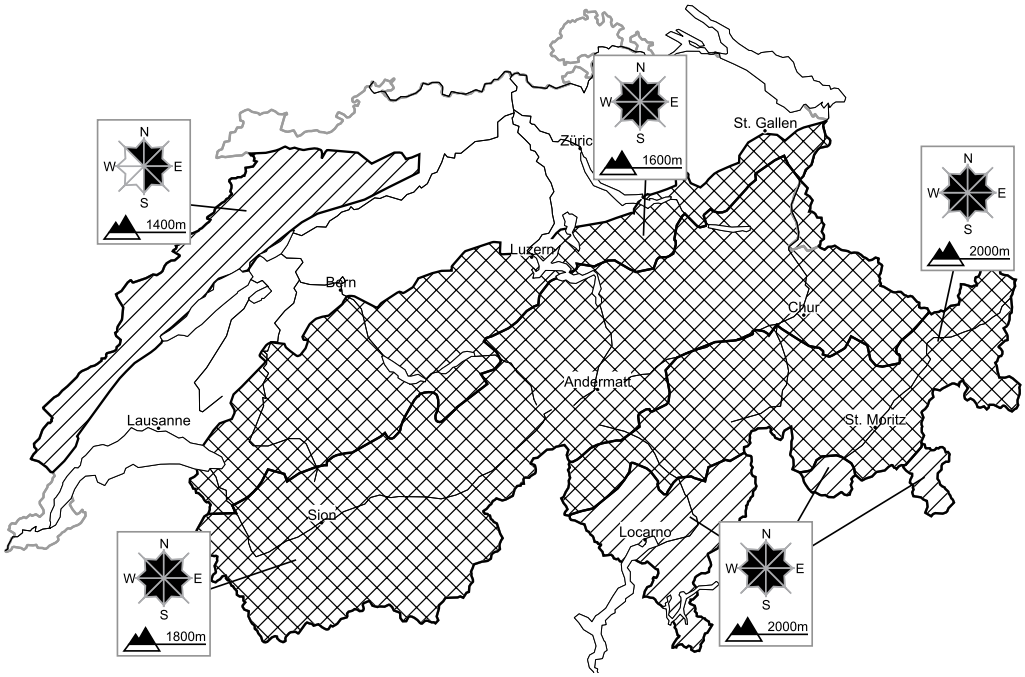
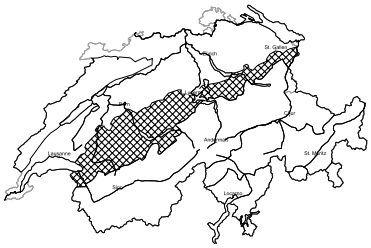
Avalanche danger

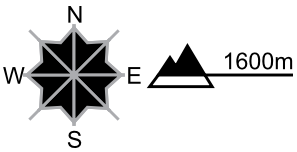


region B | **Level 3, considerable**



Fresh snow and snow drifts

Avalanche prone locations



Danger description

The fresh snow and snow drift accumulations of the last few days are prone to triggering. Avalanches can be released, even by a single winter sport participant. In the afternoon as a consequence of fresh snow and stormy weather there will be an increase in the avalanche danger. Snow sport activities outside marked and open pistes call for experience in the assessment of avalanche danger.

Full-depth avalanches

Individual full-depth avalanches are possible. This applies in all aspects below approximately 2200 m. Caution is to be exercised in areas with glide cracks.

Danger levels 1 low 2 moderate 3 consider. 4 high 5 very high

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