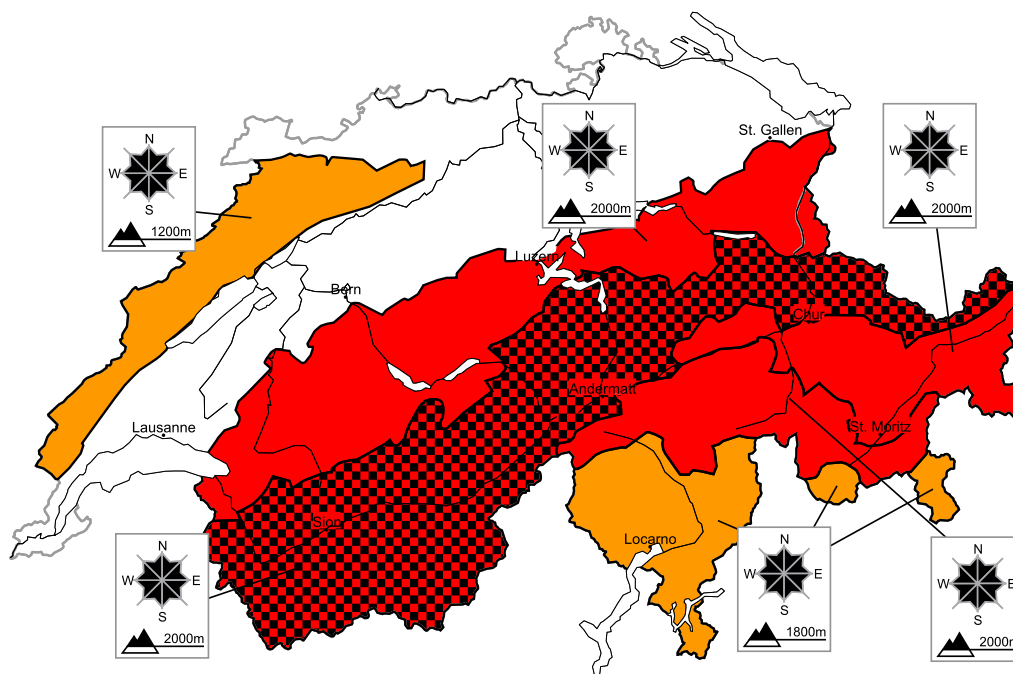


As a consequence of fresh snow and stormy weather a very high avalanche danger will be encountered over a wide area

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Avalanche danger



region D

Level 4, high



Fresh snow and snow drifts, old snow

Avalanche prone locations



Danger description

The danger exists primarily in alpine snow sports terrain. The fresh snow and snow drift accumulations are prone to triggering. Avalanches can be released very easily. Small and medium-sized natural avalanches are to be expected. They can penetrate deep layers and reach large size in isolated cases. Exposed parts of transportation routes can be endangered. Snow sport activities outside marked and open pistes call for extensive experience in the assessment of avalanche danger and great restraint.

Full-depth avalanches

Full-depth avalanches are to be expected. This applies in all aspects below approximately 2200 m. Caution is to be exercised in areas with glide cracks. Slides are to be expected on cut slopes.

Danger levels

1 low

2 moderate

3 consider.

4 high

5 very high



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