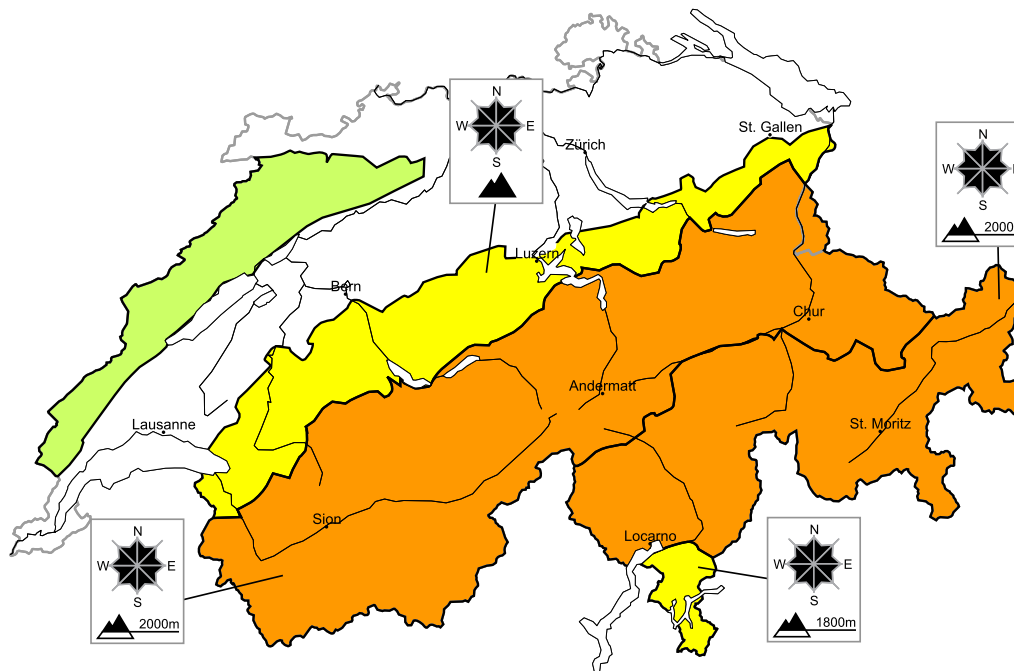


Considerable avalanche danger will be encountered over a wide area

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Avalanche danger



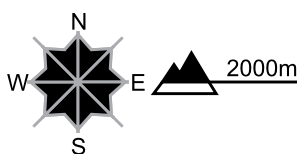
region A

Level 3, considerable



Fresh snow and snow drifts, old snow

Avalanche prone locations



Danger description

The fresh snow and snow drift accumulations are prone to triggering. Whumpung sounds and the formation of shooting cracks when stepping on the snowpack can indicate the danger. Avalanches can be released, even by a single winter sport participant. They can penetrate deep layers and reach dangerously large size. Snow sport activities outside marked and open pistes call for extensive experience in the assessment of avalanche danger and great restraint.

Full-depth avalanches

Below approximately 2200 m full-depth avalanches are to be expected. This applies in all aspects. They can be released at any time of day or night. Areas with glide cracks are to be avoided as far as possible.

Danger levels

1 low

2 moderate

3 consider.

4 high

5 very high