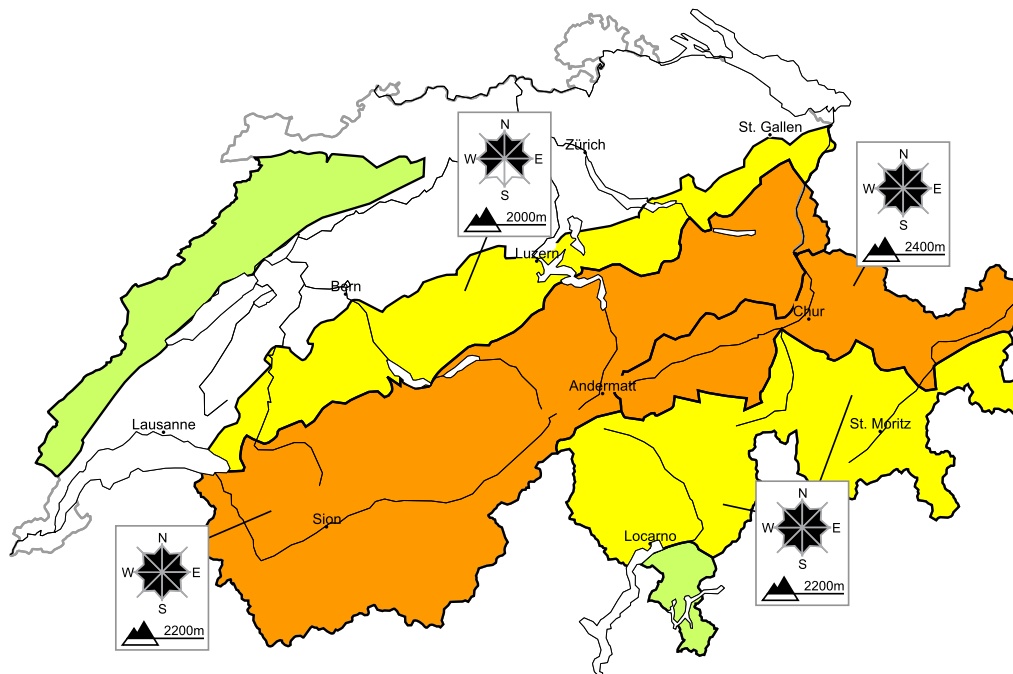


Outside marked and open pistes a considerable avalanche danger will be encountered over a wide area

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Avalanche danger



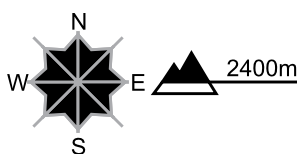
region B

Level 3, considerable



Fresh snow and snow drifts

Avalanche prone locations



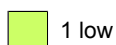
Danger description

Fresh and somewhat older snow drift accumulations are in some cases prone to triggering. Single winter sport participants can release avalanches. The avalanche prone locations are sometimes covered with fresh snow and difficult to recognise. Whumpung sounds and the formation of shooting cracks when stepping on the snowpack can indicate the danger. Off-piste activities call for experience in the assessment of avalanche danger and careful route selection.

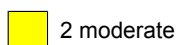
Full-depth avalanches

Full-depth avalanches are possible, especially on east, south and west facing slopes below approximately 2400 m as well as on north facing slopes below approximately 2000 m. Caution is to be exercised in areas with glide cracks.

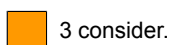
Danger levels



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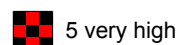
2 moderate



3 consider.



4 high



5 very high



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