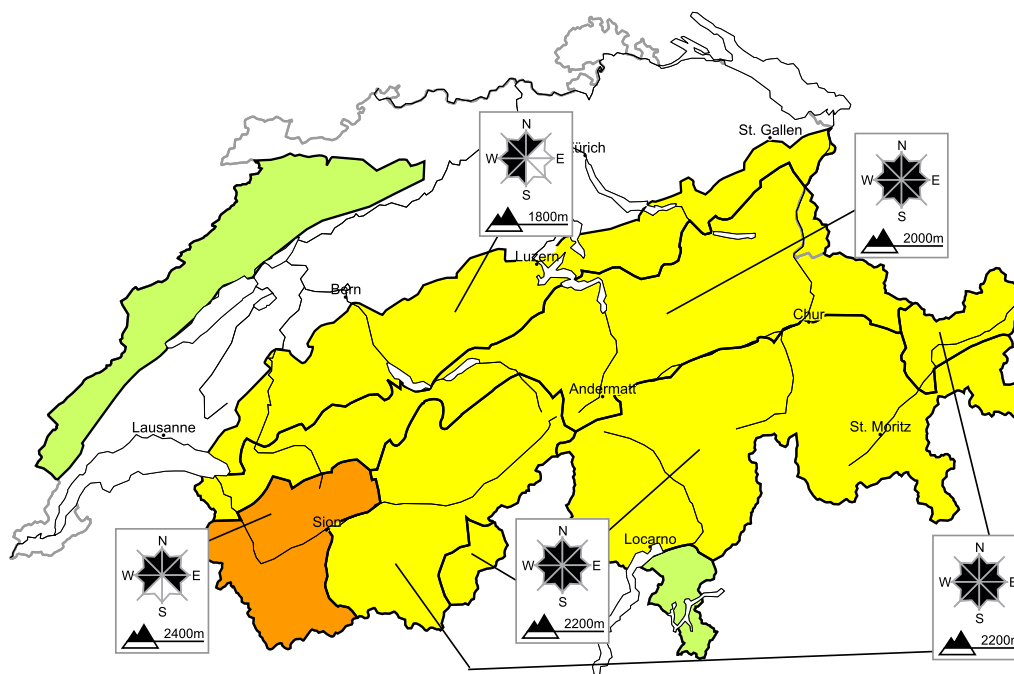


In the west a considerable avalanche danger will be encountered in some regions

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Avalanche danger



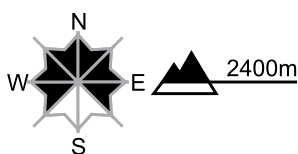
region A

Level 3, considerable



Old snow, snow drifts

Avalanche prone locations



Danger description

Avalanches can be released in near-surface layers, even by a single winter sport participant. The avalanche prone locations are covered with fresh snow and difficult to recognise. Isolated whumpfung sounds can indicate the danger. The conditions at elevated altitudes are treacherous.

As a consequence of the northeasterly wind clearly visible snow drift accumulations will form. These are in many cases small but prone to triggering. They can be released easily, even by a single winter sport participant. Off-piste activities call for experience in the assessment of avalanche danger.

Full-depth avalanches

Individual 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.

Danger levels

1 low

2 moderate

3 consider.

4 high

5 very high