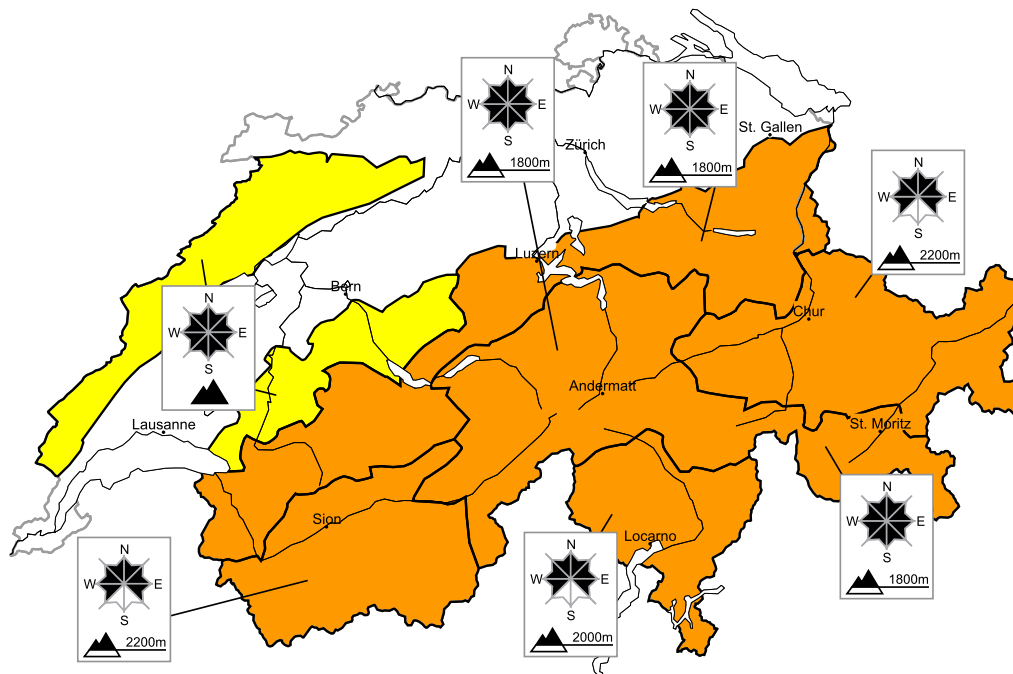


# In the north significant warming. A precarious avalanche situation will prevail

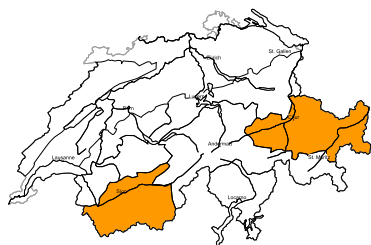
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## Avalanche danger



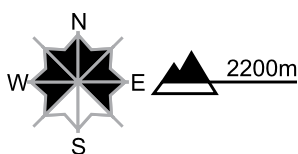
**region C**

**Level 3, considerable**



### Fresh snow and snow drifts, old snow

#### Avalanche prone locations



#### Danger description

The fresh snow and snow drift accumulations of the last few days are in some cases prone to triggering. As a consequence of the southerly wind further snow drift accumulations will form. Avalanches can additionally in isolated cases be released in deeper layers. This applies in particular on very steep north facing slopes in little used backcountry terrain. Such avalanche prone locations are barely recognisable. Avalanches can be released by a single winter sport participant. They can in some cases reach medium size. As the day progresses the likelihood of dry avalanches being released will increase. Natural avalanches are possible in isolated cases. Experience in the assessment of avalanche danger is required.

### Wet avalanches as day progresses, Full-depth avalanches

On steep sunny slopes numerous moist avalanches are to be expected. Below approximately 2400 m full-depth avalanches are possible. Avalanches can reach medium size. Backcountry tours should be concluded timely.

**Danger levels**



1 low



2 moderate



3 consider.



4 high



5 very high



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