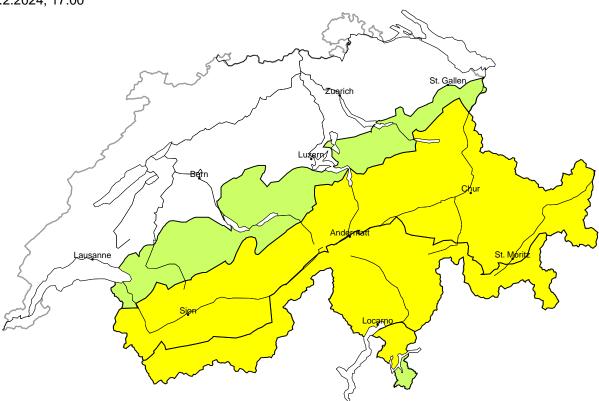
Avalanche danger

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region A

Moderate (2=)

Persistent weak layers

Avalanche prone locations



Danger description

Dry avalanches can in some cases be released in nearsurface layers and reach medium size. These avalanche prone locations are to be found especially in shady places that are protected from the wind. Defensive route selection is appropriate.

Moderate (2)

Wet snow, Gliding snow

Avalanche prone locations



Danger description

On steep grassy slopes individual gliding avalanches are possible. These can reach large size. Areas with glide cracks are to be avoided as far as possible. In addition as the day progresses mostly small moist and wet avalanches are possible.

Danger levels

1 low

2 moderate

3 considerable

4 high

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5 very high

region B

Moderate (2-)



No distinct avalanche problem

Avalanche prone locations

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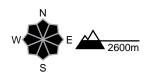
Danger description

Dry avalanches can in some cases be released in nearsurface layers and reach medium size in isolated cases. Backcountry touring and other off-piste activities call for careful route selection. Apart from the danger of being buried, restraint should be exercised as well in view of the danger of avalanches sweeping people along and giving rise to falls.

Moderate (2)

Wet snow, Gliding snow

Avalanche prone locations



Danger description

On steep grassy slopes individual gliding avalanches are possible. These can reach large size. Areas with glide cracks are to be avoided as far as possible. In addition as the day progresses mostly small moist and wet avalanches are possible.

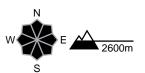
region C

Moderate (2)



Wet snow, Gliding snow

Avalanche prone locations



Danger description

On steep grassy slopes individual gliding avalanches are possible. These can reach large size. Areas with glide cracks are to be avoided as far as possible. In addition as the day progresses mostly small moist and wet avalanches are possible.

Low (1)

No distinct avalanche problem

Individual avalanche prone locations for dry avalanches are to be found in particular in extremely steep terrain. Apart from the danger of being buried, restraint should be exercised in particular in view of the danger of avalanches sweeping people along and giving rise to falls.

Danger levels



region D

Low (1)



No distinct avalanche problem

Individual avalanche prone locations for dry avalanches are to be found in particular in extremely steep terrain. Apart from the danger of being buried, restraint should be exercised in particular in view of the danger of avalanches sweeping people along and giving rise to falls.

Low (1)

Wet snow, Gliding snow

On very steep slopes individual small to medium-sized wet and gliding avalanches are possible. Caution is to be exercised in areas with glide cracks.

region E

Low (1)



Wet snow, Gliding snow

On very steep slopes individual small to medium-sized wet and gliding avalanches are possible. Caution is to be exercised in areas with glide cracks.



Danger levels

1 low

2 moderate

3 considerable

4 high

5 very high

Snowpack and weather

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Snowpack

In the south, the new and drifted snow from last weekend has stabilised nicely. Only a few avalanche-prone locations are still to be found, especially on shady slopes at a distance from ridgelines and protected from the wind. There, some near-surface layers of the snowpack are lying on angular layers in the area of the old snow surface. In addition, this week's mostly small wind slabs are occasionally prone to triggering.

Gliding avalanches are also possible in isolated cases. This applies particularly to east-, south- and west-facing slopes below approximately 2600 m and more rarely to north-facing slopes below approximately 2200 m. These avalanches may be large in some cases in regions with a lot of snow. Occasional moist snow slides and avalanches are also possible due to higher temperatures during the day.

Weather review for Thursday, 15.02.2024

It was a clear night for the most part. Thicker clouds moved in from the west during the day.

New snow

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Temperature

Temperatures were on the up. At midday at 2000 m, they were +8 °C in the west, +6 °C in the east and +5 °C in the south.

Wind

The winds were often moderate in the west and north and mostly weak in the east and south, blowing from the west or southwest.

Weather forecast until Friday, 16.02.2024

It will be a very cloudy night for the most part. During the day, there will be some clear spells, especially in the late morning in the east; otherwise it will be mostly cloudy.

New snow

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Temperature

At midday at 2000 m, around +5 °C.

Wind

Winds will be weak, at times moderate in the high Alpine regions, blowing from the southwest.

Trend until Sunday, 18.02.2024

On Saturday, after a mostly overcast night, it will be sunny at times in the south and mostly cloudy in the north. The clouds will clear during Saturday night into Sunday, leading to a mostly sunny day. Winds will be mostly weak and temperatures at 2000 m will be between +2 and +5 °C. The danger of dry avalanches will continue to gradually decrease. There will be hardly any change in the danger of gliding avalanches or moist snow slides.

