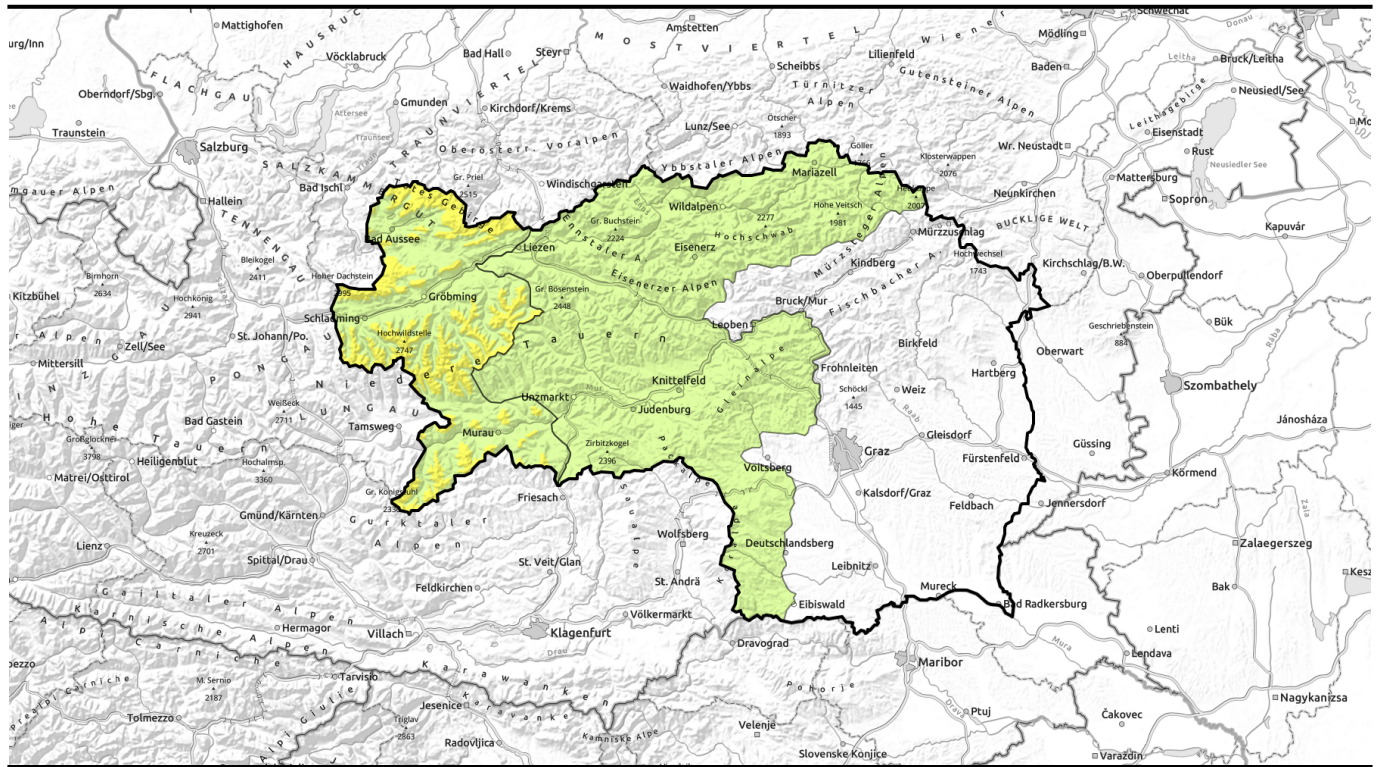



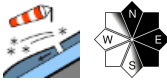

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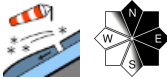
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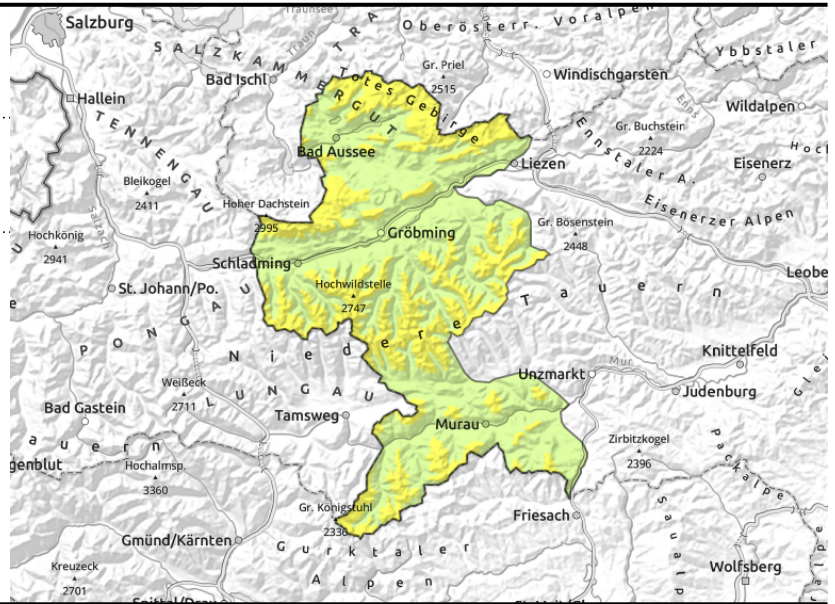


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ridgeline snowdrift patches, behind abrupt drops in the terrain



Moderate avalanche danger at high altitudes - Caution: snowdrifts

Avalanche danger above 2000 m is moderate, below that altitude danger is low. At high altitudes esp. in N/SE aspects, snowdrifts have accumulated near ridgelines, triggereable by large additional loading as medium-sized slab avalanches. Danger zone occur behind abrupt drops in the terrain and at entries into gullies and bowls. At low altitudes the moist snowpack was able to settle and consolidated in the lower temperatures.

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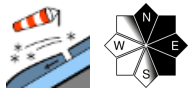


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thin ridgeline snowdrift patches



Low avalanche danger, but fresh snowdrifts require attentiveness

Avalanche danger is low. The moist snowpack was able to consolidated well and stabilize. At high altitudes, particularly on N/SE facing slopes, small snowdrift accumulations have been generated which can be triggered by large additional loading as slab avalanches. Dropping temperatures enhance the stabilization of the old snowpack fundament.

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