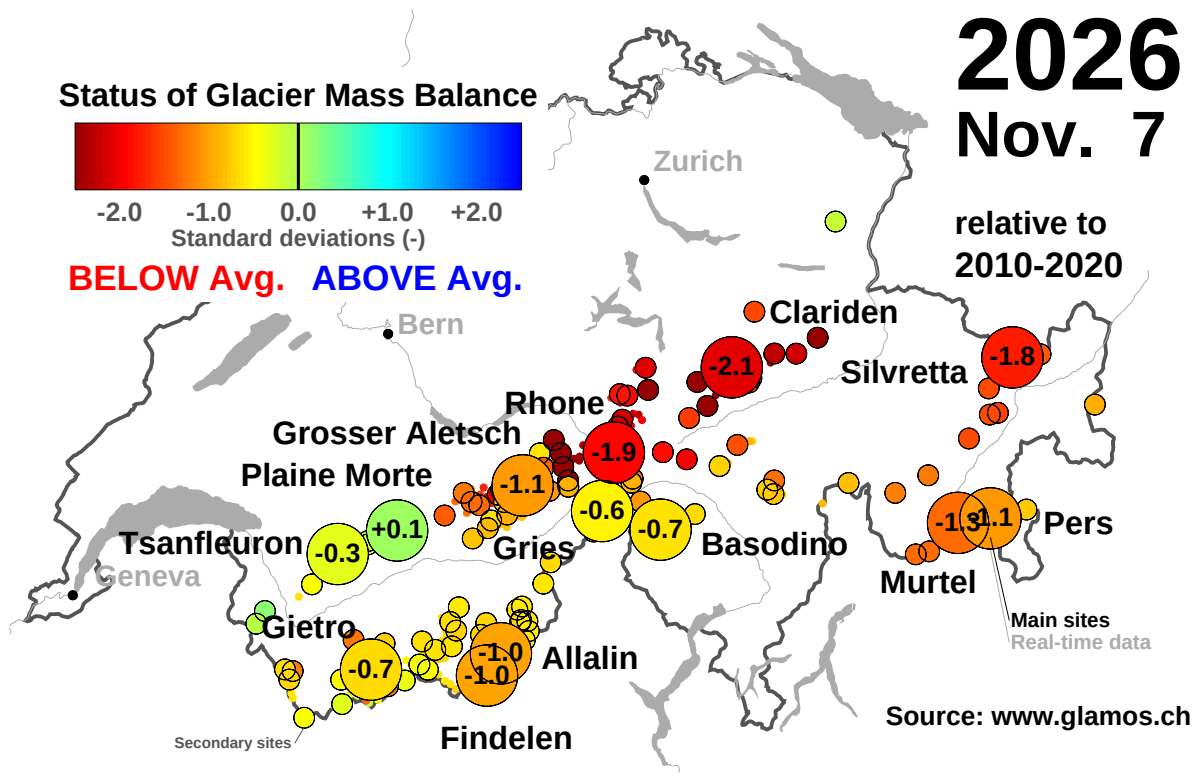
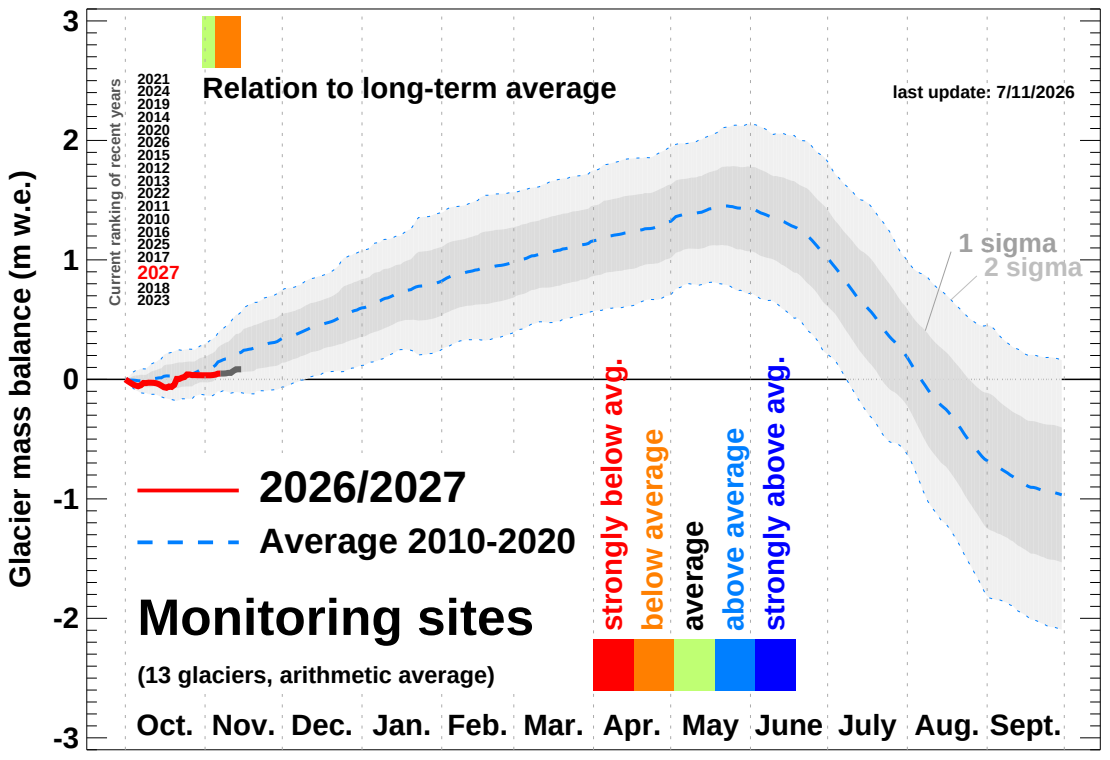

2026
Nov. 7
Status of Glacier Mass Balance
-2.0 -1.0 0.0 +1.0 +2.0
Standard deviations (-)
BELOW Avg. ABOVE Avg.
relative to
2010-2020
Zurich
Bern
Geneva
Clariden
-2.1
Silvretta
-1.8
Rhone
Grosser Aletsch
-1.9
Plaine Morte
-1.1
-0.6
-0.7
Basodino
Gries
Tsanfleuron
+0.1
-0.3
-1.3
-1.1
Pers
Murtel
Main sites
Real-time data
Gietro
-0.7
-1.0
-1.0
Allalin
Findelen
Secondary sites
Source: www.glamos.ch


Relation to long-term average
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Current ranking of recent years
2021
2024
2019
2014
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2026
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2022
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2010
2016
2025
2017
2027
2018
2023
1 sigma
2 sigma
Glacier mass balance (m w.e.)
3
2
1
0
-1
-2
-3
2026/2027
Average 2010-2020
Monitoring sites
(13 glaciers, arithmetic average)
strongly below avg.
below average
average
above average
strongly above avg.
Oct.
Nov.
Dec.
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Apr.
May
June
July
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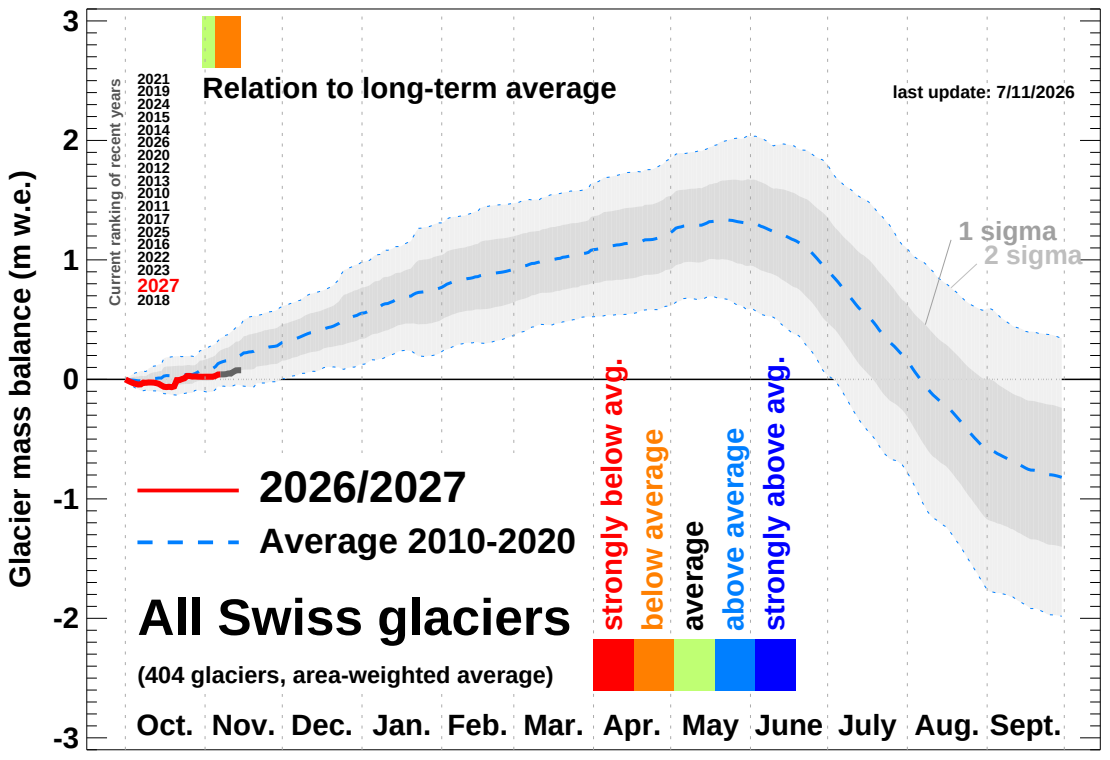
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2027
2018
1 sigma
2 sigma
Glacier mass balance (m w.e.)
3
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1
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-1
-2
-3
2026/2027
Average 2010-2020
All Swiss glaciers
(404 glaciers, area-weighted average)
strongly below avg.
below average
average
above average
strongly above avg.
Oct.
Nov.
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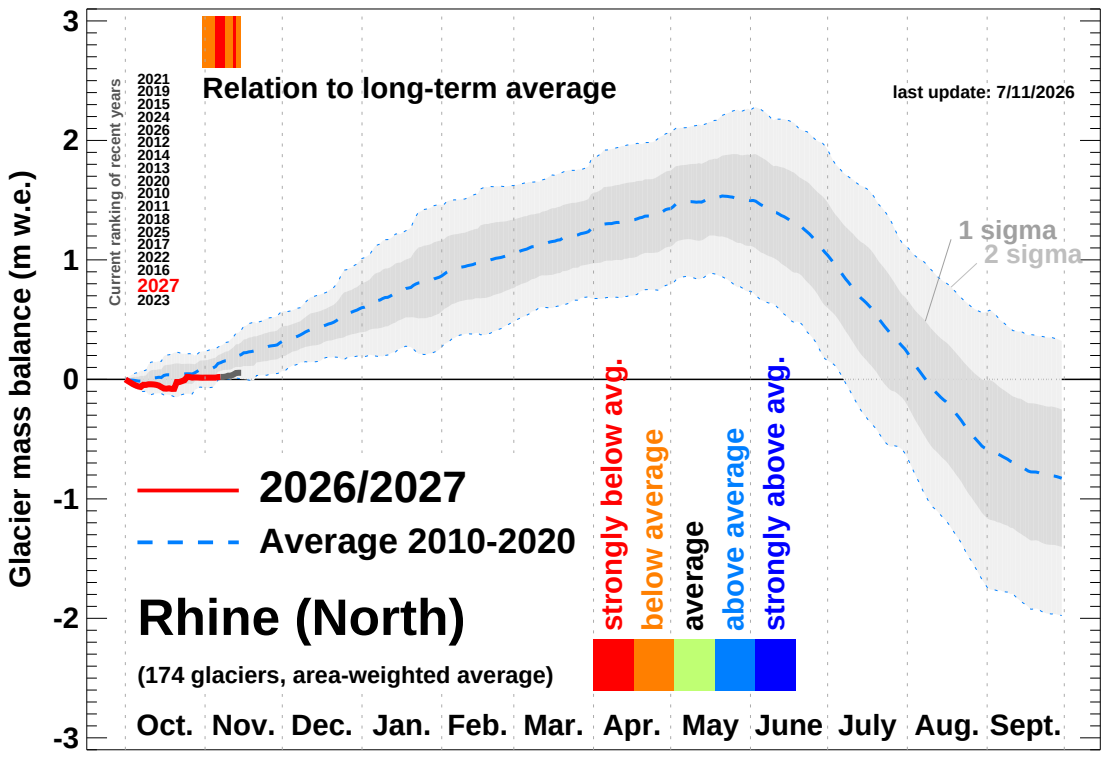
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1 sigma
2 sigma
Glacier mass balance (m w.e.)
3
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-2
-3
2026/2027
Average 2010-2020
strongly below avg.
below average
average
above average
strongly above avg.
Rhine (North)
(174 glaciers, area-weighted average)
Oct.
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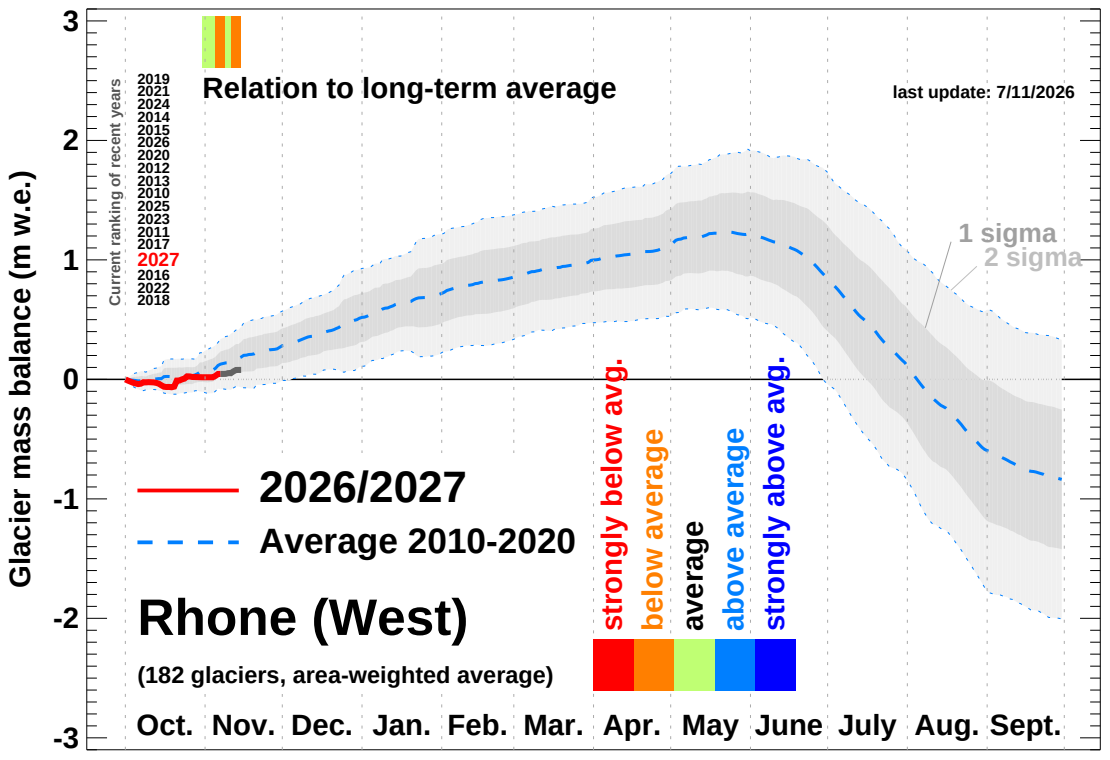
Aug.
Sept.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2022
2018
1 sigma
2 sigma
Glacier mass balance (m w.e.)
3
2
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0
-1
-2
-3
2026/2027
Average 2010-2020
strongly below avg.
below average
average
above average
strongly above avg.
Rhone (West)
(182 glaciers, area-weighted average)
Oct.
Nov.
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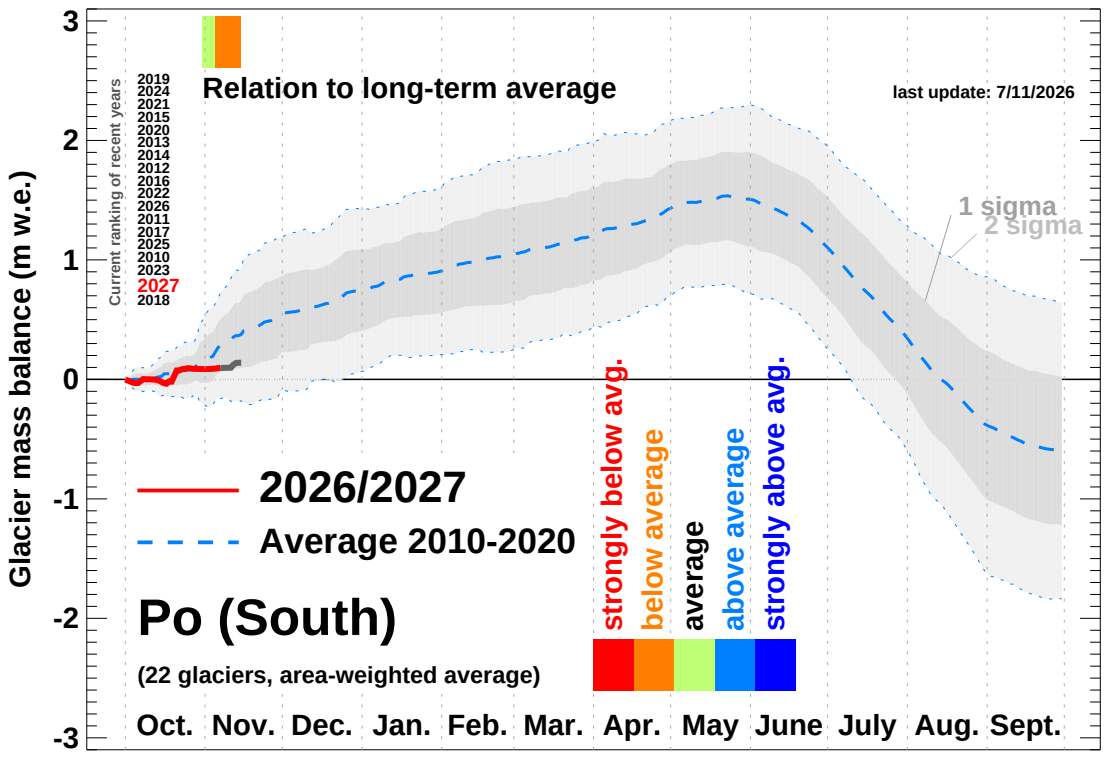
Aug.
Sept.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2027
2018
1 sigma
2 sigma
Glacier mass balance (m w.e.)
3
2
1
0
-1
-2
-3
2026/2027
Average 2010-2020
Po (South)
(22 glaciers, area-weighted average)
strongly below avg.
below average
average
above average
strongly above avg.
Oct.
Nov.
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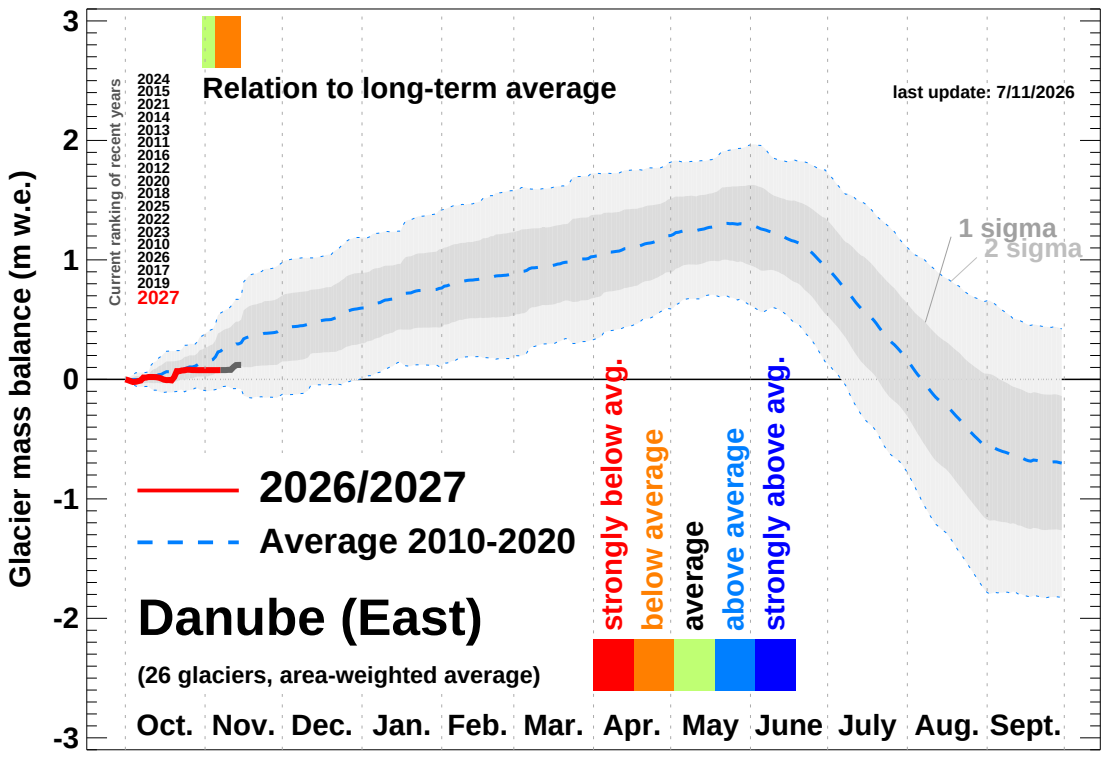
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1 sigma
2 sigma
Glacier mass balance (m w.e.)
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2
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-3
2026/2027
Average 2010-2020
strongly below avg.
below average
average
above average
strongly above avg.
Danube (East)
(26 glaciers, area-weighted average)
Oct.
Nov.
Dec.
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Feb.
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Aug.
Sept.