

Data description sheet for CH2014-Impacts, Chapter 5: Snow, ice, and ski tourism: permafrost

Variable

Name	Ground temperature
Units	°C
Description	Ground temperatures from 1991 to 2099 at different depths

Climate data input

Data set

CH2011 DAILY-LOCAL scenario for Mürren station with elevation correction.

CH2011 scenario cube coverage

time period: 2035, 2060, 2085

GHG scenario: A1B, A2, RCP3PD

climate uncertainty: not considered

Reference period

1980-2009 (standard)

Climate variables considered

Temperature and Precipitation

Domain

spatial

coverage/resolution	Schilthorn reference site Point level, at the borehole site.
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time

coverage	time periods 2035, 2060, 2085 (interpolated)
resolution	daily

Impact Model

Name	COUP model (Jansson, 2012)
Description	Coupled heat and mass transfer ground model.

Impact uncertainty coverage

Uncertainty provided	no
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Data structure

First column is date (DD.MM.YYYY) and first row is depth (in m).

How to cite

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Jansson, P. E. (2012). CoupModel: model use, calibration, and validation. Transactions of the ASABE 55: 1335–1344.

Various information

Data obtained after a calibration based on a 20-years borehole data set and after a 30 years spin up.