For your Safety

Civil Protection Test Alarm

all over Austria on Saturday, 5th October 2019, between 12:00 a.m. and 12:45 p.m.

It is possible to warn or alert the population in case of emergency with more than 8,000 sirens and the KATWARN Österreich/Austria APP.

To familiarize you with the civil protection signals and at the same time to test operability of the warning and alert system once a year a Civil Protection Test Alarm is carried out all over Austria, operated jointly by the Federal Alarm Centre at the Federal Ministry of the Interior and the offices of the governments of the Federal Provinces.

Meaning of the signals

Testing of operability of sirens

15 seconds

Warning

3 minutes steady continues tone

Approaching danger!
Turn on radio or television (ORF) respectively internet (www.orf.at), follow the rules of conduct.
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Alarm

1 minute ascending and descending wail

Danger!
Look for protective areas or rooms, follow the rules of conduct announced over radio or television (ORF) respectively internet (www.orf.at).
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All-clear

1 minute steady continues tone

End of danger!
Follow further advices via radio or television (ORF) respectively internet (www.orf.at).
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Informationphone on 5th of October between 11:00 a.m. and 01:00 p.m.
Land Salzburg: 0662 8042 5454
Zivilschutzverband: 0662 83999 0
Attention: Do not block emergency telephone codes!
www.salzburg.gv.at/sicherheit

www.katwarn.at