

The background of the slide is a photograph of a cityscape, likely Vienna, Austria. The sky is filled with large, dramatic, grey and white clouds, suggesting an overcast or stormy day. In the foreground, there are trees and buildings, including a prominent white building with a red roof. The overall scene is somewhat somber due to the weather.

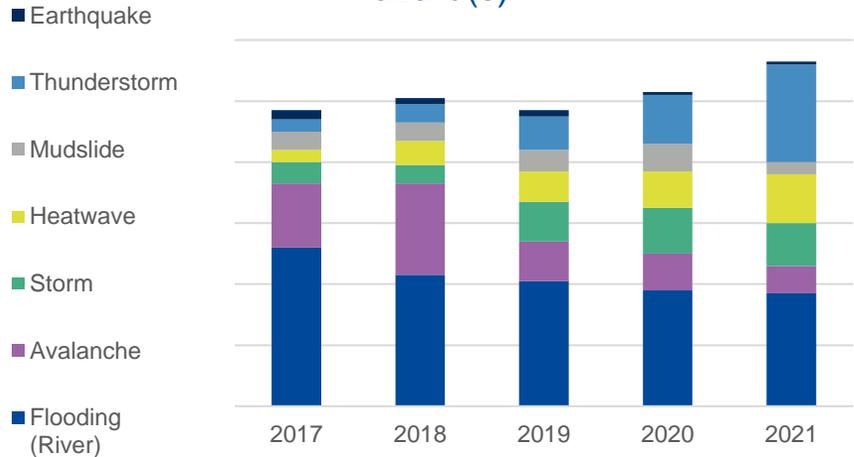
Five consecutive years of natural hazard risk perception in Austria (2017-2021)

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RESULTS (Perceived Danger)

Spontaneous "top of mind" natural hazard(s)

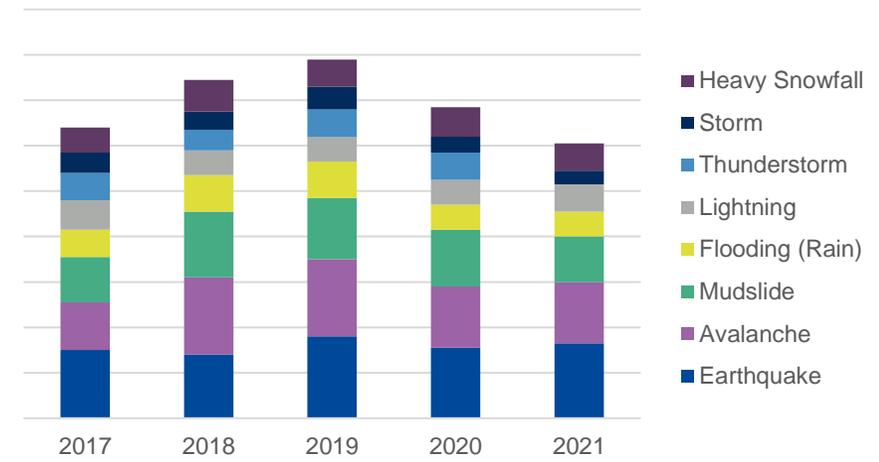


Floodings and storms are the **best remembered** natural hazards

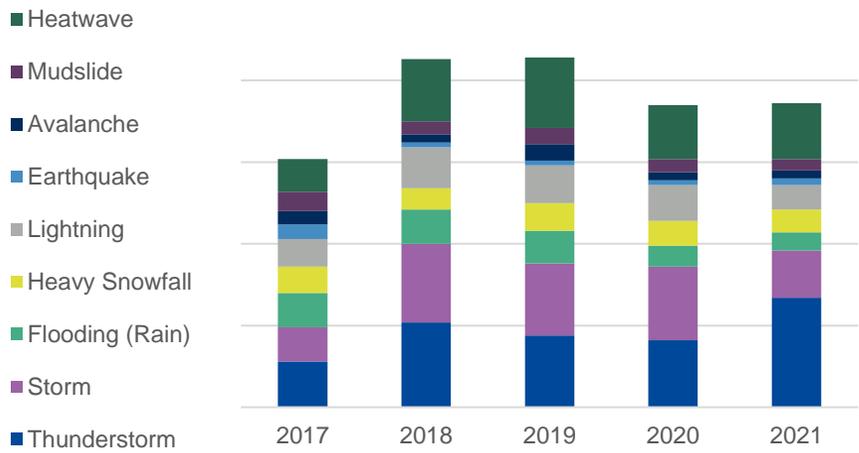
Perceived exposure to heatwaves and storms is highest

People are **not prepared** for **gravitational hazards**

Not prepared for natural hazards



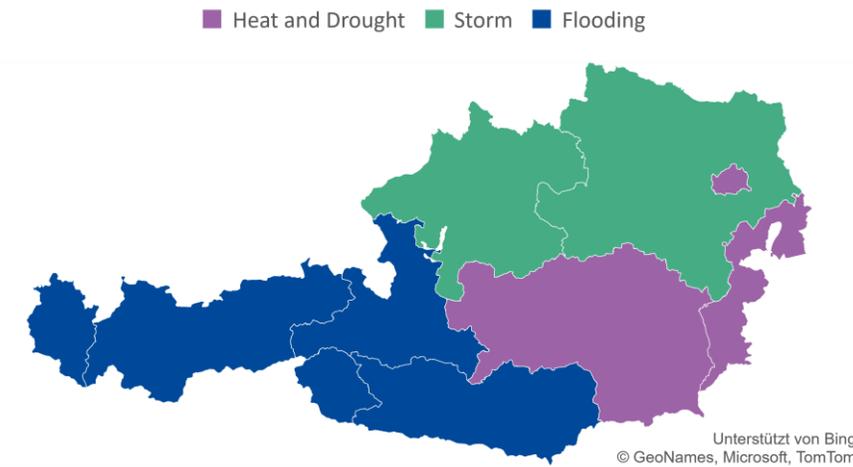
Perceived exposure to natural hazards



“Typical” regional **natural hazards** in remembrance **depict topography and urbanization**

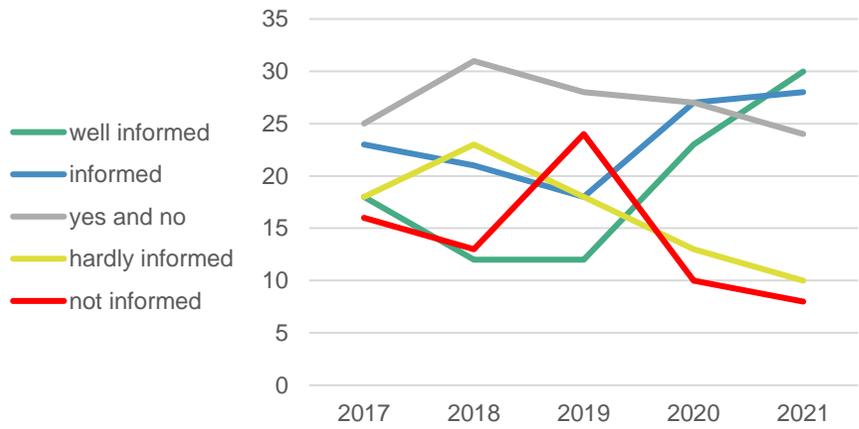
Perceived exposure to and danger from heat waves in Austria is increasing since 2019

Natural hazards in remembrance 2017-2021



RESULTS (Knowledge)

Meaning of the different civil warning signals

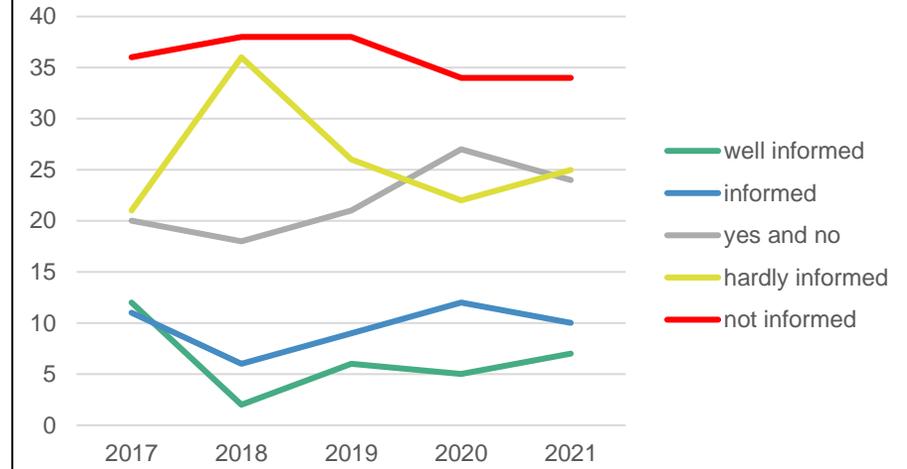


Knowledge of the **meaning of different civil warning signals** is increasing

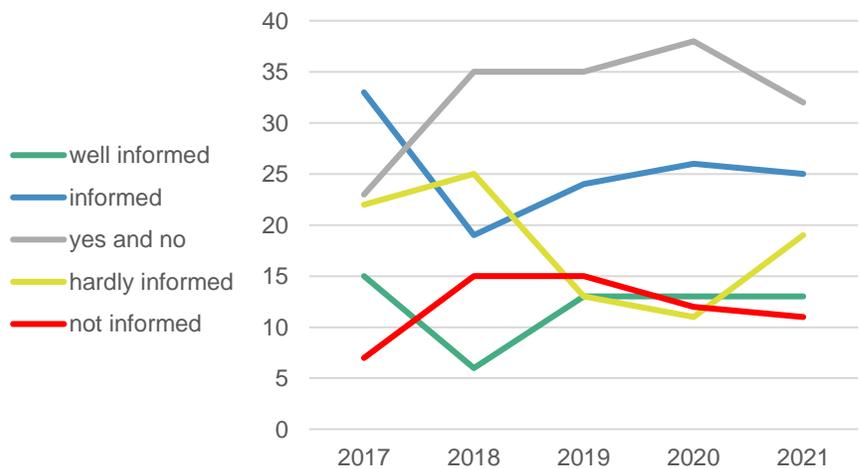
People are **badly informed about what to do in case of an emergency**

There is a **lack of knowledge about evacuation routes and safe places** in local communities

Evacuation routes in the local community



What to do in case of an emergency



Knowledge about **individual opportunities for natural hazard protection** is scarce

Better information policies are the key action for a higher societal resilience

Opportunities for natural hazard protection

