

Basic information

The Geological Survey provides:

- geological map sheets 1:50,000
- geological maps of the provinces 1:200,000
- geological thematic and regional maps (various scales)
- expert opinions, reports and scientific publications

The Geological Survey offers:

- information on geologically conditioned hazard zones
- (aero-)geophysical surveys and interpretation
- geochemical analyses and their interpretation
- hydrogeological investigations
- information on mineral resources, natural monuments, geoparks, geological excursions,...
- scientific collections and archives

Geology online: www.geologie.ac.at

- browse the largest geoscientific library of Austria
- shop at "Geomarkt" (publications, geological maps, digital data sets etc.)
- geological maps online

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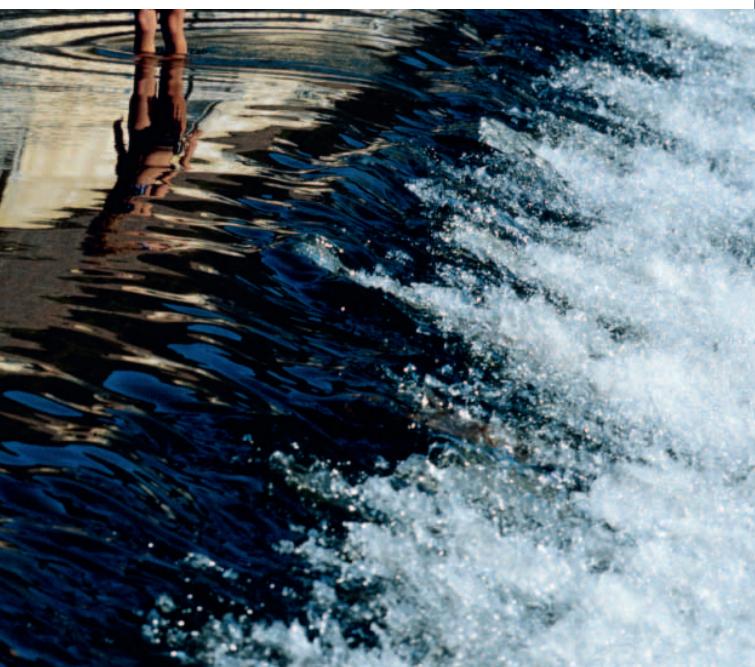
The Geological Survey is a research institution belonging to the Federal Ministry for Education, Science and Culture.

Founded in 1849 and originally called the Imperial Geological Institute, it develops and compiles data on the geology of Austria, mainly geological maps.

Additional emphasis is put on investigations and research in the fields of mineral resources, water and natural hazards.

The Geological Survey provides central services and fulfils research tasks concerning many aspects of the geosciences. It maintains the largest geoscientific library in Austria and hosts extensive scientific collections and archives.

We work on the basis for today and tomorrow



"Reichtum Erde" (Richness Earth), part of the design for a mosaic by Christian Ludwig Attersee.

The mosaic by Christian Ludwig Attersee is displayed in the foyer of the Geological Survey and illustrates the diversity of life on our planet.

Qualified experts

The approximately 120 staff members of the Geological Survey work in the fields of "Geological Mapping", "Applied Geosciences", "Information Services" and "Administration". The director is supported by the staff unit for "International Cooperation and Public Relations".

Geology in an international context

To competently fulfil its extensive range of tasks, the Geological Survey cooperates with numerous institutions in Austria and abroad. These include universities as well as other research institutes, the Academy of Sciences and museums.

Contacts to neighbouring countries and membership of international organisations such as EuroGeoSurveys guarantee the high standard which we feel obliged to achieve.

We work in a team

