Wildfires in the European Alpine region
- Fire behaviour – heterogeneity of landscapes and cultures
- Fire weather – different meteorological gradients (continental, vertical – altitudinal zones, winter / spring)
- Role of tourism and anthropogenic factors will increase
- Frequency of lightning-induced fires might increase
- Changed forest management has effects on fuel (extensive, near to nature; natural hazards windthrown/bark beetles)
- Lack of ‘Fire management culture’
- Difficult terrain for fire suppression activities
- No common framework for fire danger assessment