



Pollen monitoring report Obergurgl

May 15th 2026

Grass pollen season starting in the lowlands – allergenic burden remains low in Obergurgl!

Innsbruck (615 m a.s.l.)

Birch ● Grasses ●

Beech ● Plantain ●

Oak ● Dock/Sorrel ●

Obergurgl (1940 m a.s.l.)

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Beech ● Plantain ●

Oak ● Dock/Sorrel ●

Risk classes ● absent/very low ● low ● moderate ● high

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For now, Obergurgl remains a favourable location for individuals with grass pollen allergies, while birch pollen burdens continue to gradually decrease.

Spring is progressing at different speeds across Tyrol, and pollen conditions are now also evolving in Obergurgl as the season gradually shifts from birch towards grasses.

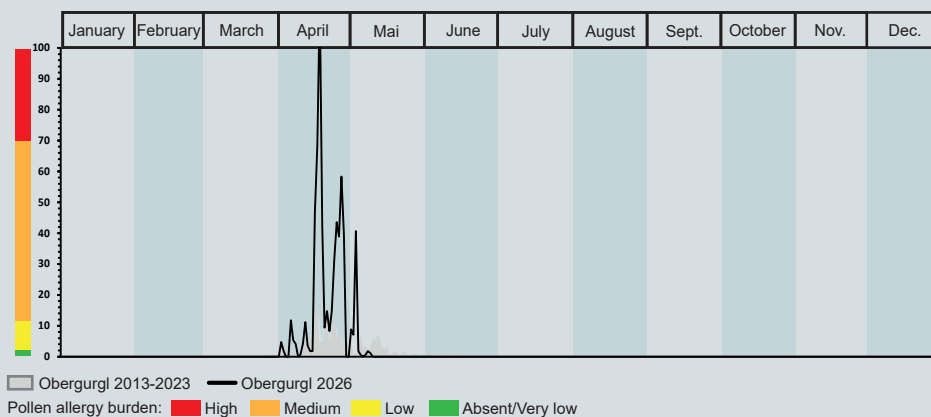
Tyrol overview: Over the past days, unstable weather conditions and periods of precipitation have significantly reduced airborne pollen concentrations and the associated allergenic burden across Tyrol. From Sunday onwards and during the coming week, warmer, sunnier, and drier weather conditions are expected to return. This will strongly favour pollen production and dispersal and lead to increasing

allergenic burdens across the region. Grass pollen is now becoming the dominant allergenic factor in Tyrol, with concentrations expected to rise rapidly and potentially reach moderate to locally high levels in valley bottoms and lower elevations. Birch pollen concentrations have now substantially decreased across most of the region, while oak and beech pollen are also continuing to decline.

Obergurgl situation: In Obergurgl, birch pollen concentrations are now decreasing and the allergenic burden from birch has become noticeably lower. At the altitude of Obergurgl, birch pollen generally

reaches only low allergenic levels, although locally moderate concentrations may still occasionally occur. Compared to previous weeks, the situation for individuals with birch pollen allergies is therefore gradually improving. Around Obergurgl, grass pollen concentrations are slowly increasing, but the allergenic burden from grasses currently remains low. Compared to valley bottoms, where moderate to locally high allergenic burdens may occur, Obergurgl remains a favourable place for individuals with grass pollen allergies.

Birch pollen concentration (pollen/m³ of air)



Picture. Catkins of birch trees.