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The risk evaluation of individual hazards and stresses may be carried out e. g. with the help of the matrix according to Nohl*. Dependent on the result safeguard measures have to be determined.

Evaluation Matrix

		Likelihood the hazard is going materialise			
		Very low	Low	Medium	High
Possible severity of damage	Minor injuries or illnesses				
	Moderate injuries or illnesses				
	Severe injuries or illnesses				
	Possible death, catastrophe				

Risk	Need for Action
	→ No need for action at the moment. Measures to reduce the risk are not required.
	→ Need for action exists. Measures to reduce the risk are required.
	→ Need for urgent action exists. Measures to reduce the risk have to be implemented promptly.

* There are numerous risk assessment methods in addition to the risk matrix according to Nohl.