

Melting ice Glaciers in the Alps - before and after

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The Bossons Glacier on the northern slope of the Mont Blanc in 1880 and in 2010



The Trient Glacier in canton Valais has retreated dramatically between 1891 and 2010. It now measures only 4.5km long



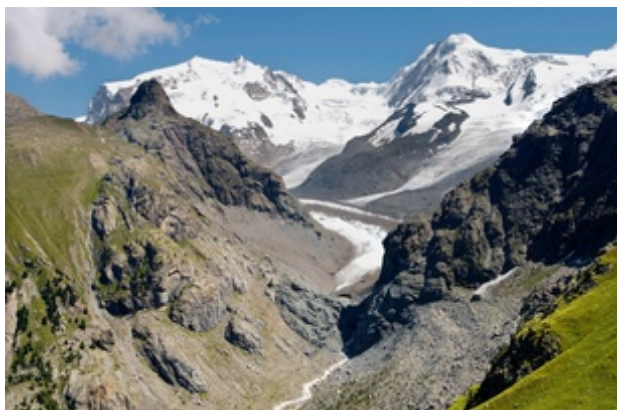
View of the Dent Blanche from the Ferpècle Glacier in 1900 and 2010



The Aletsch Glacier in 1865 and 2010



The Rhône Glacier in 1855 and in 2010



The Gorner Glacier in the Monte Rosa Massif in 1880 and in 2010



The Villa Cassel (home to the Pro Natura Aletsch Centre) with the Aletsch Glacier in the background (1912 and 2016)

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