

### **ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AREA**

### The City and Bourgeoisie of Sierre present their new economic development area!

The Daval site covers an area of 200,000 m<sup>2</sup> and is fully equipped, situated at the heart of Valais and equidistant from Milan, Geneva and Zürich.

The site offers exceptional development potential thanks to the dynamic regional economy, high quality framework conditions and presence of reputable research and training institutes.

The first companies are due to set up here at the start of 2015.





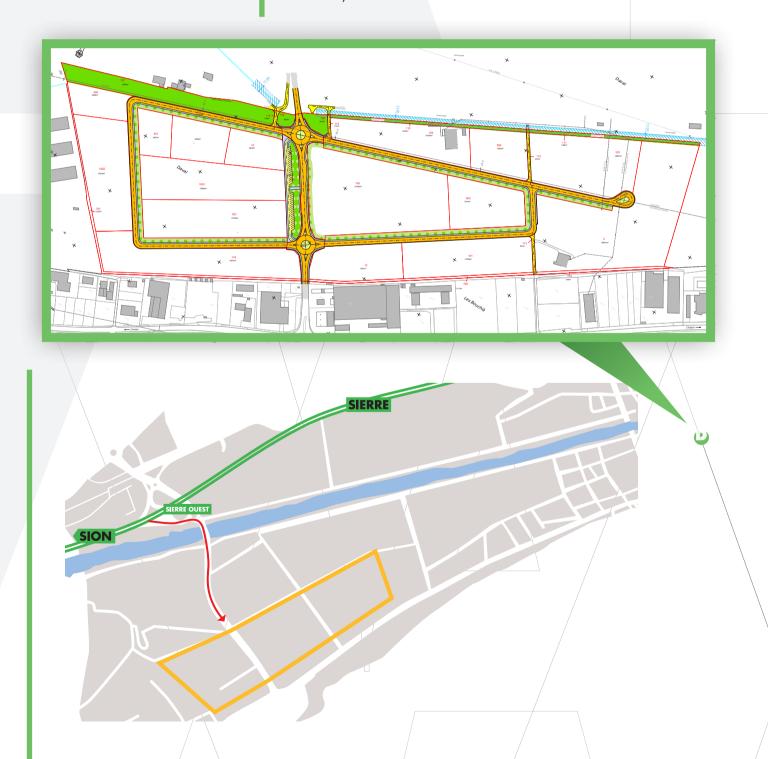
## A strategic location and environment based on excellence!

The Daval site is located right alongside the motorway exit. Situated on the Simplon axis, Sierre benefits from good rail, road and airport links.

Entrepreneurial minds will find the ideal setting to develop and prosper in the best possible conditions here thanks to the close proximity of some major industrial groups, a long-standing familiarly with cutting-edge production and various centres of competence and research.

Sierre is also home to some higher education institutes in the fields of economics, tourism, social work, art and IT, creating a real breeding ground for young talent.

The city of Sierre is undergoing a period of rapid growth and is attracting some key public and private investments. The Daval zone benefits from the comprehensive commercial offer and the welcoming and dynamic city centre just a few minutes away.



#### Facilities and conditions

The Daval zone is primarily aimed at industrial or craft-based companies which focus on innovation and generate jobs and added value.

The land is state-owned and is subject to surface rights (leasing) at competitive tariffs. A certain number of private plots are also for sale.

The site will offer a comprehensive range of modern infrastructure including gas and optical fiber.

Public transport connections are planned in addition to a restaurant area and other services to benefit users of the zone.



# Services to facilitate your processes

The city of Sierre operates an economic development office to facilitate the municipal administration processes and contact with the relevant players in the regional economy.

A close collaboration with the cantonal services also ensures to have useful answers and the necessary support in your establishment in Sierre.

Another of the city's preferred partners when it comes to developing business opportunities, especially in the ICT sector (information and communication technologies), is the 'Techno-Pôle' technology park and has been based in Sierre for over 20 years. Some 60 SMEs, research institutes and start-ups are based here. Over 400 people contribute to the dynamism of this unique site in Switzerland on a daily basis.

There are also numerous services available to companies such as office hire, conference rooms etc.

'The Ark' foundation promotes innovation and specialises in the 'internet of things' and mobile communications. The foundation is based at the Techno-Pôle site in Sierre and includes an IT business incubator as well as various research institutes.

The Techno-Pôle is situated a few minutes from the Daval zone.





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## Be our partner!

We will do everything we can to help you become established in the 'City of Sunshine' and to welcome your staff to the Sierre region.

We are convinced that you will find the optimal conditions for developing your activities in Switzerland here.

We look forward to meeting you!