

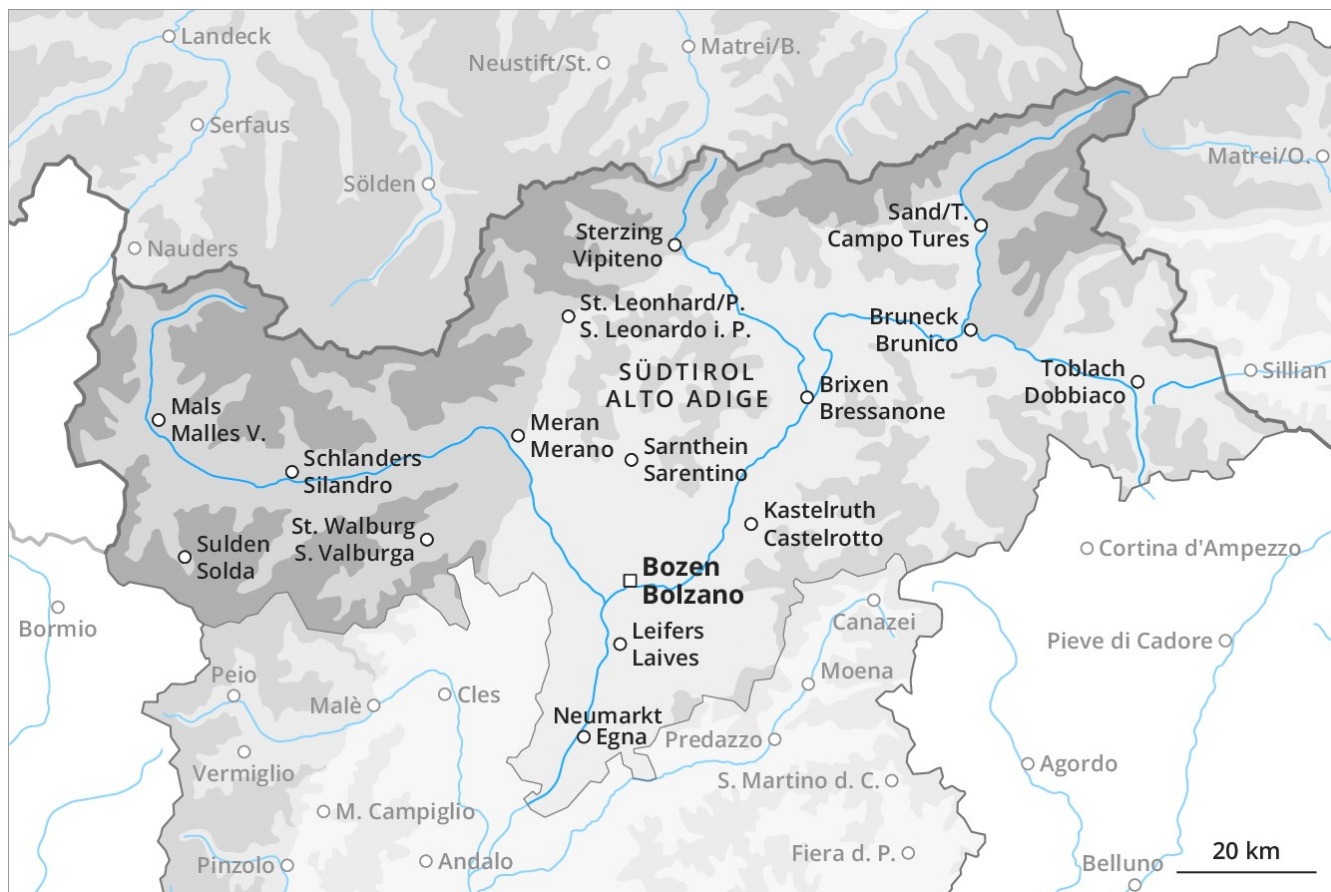
Avalanche Forecast

Saturday 08 12 2018

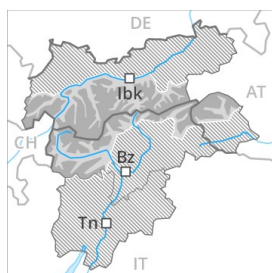
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Danger Level 3 - Considerable



Tendency: Increasing avalanche danger
on Sunday 09 12 2018



Wind-drifted
snow



Gradual increase in avalanche danger as a consequence of fresh snow and stormy weather.

By the evening the wind slabs will increase in size substantially. As a consequence of fresh snow and stormy weather natural avalanches are possible as the day progresses, but they can reach medium size. In addition the sometimes fresh snow-covered wind slabs in particular adjacent to ridgelines in all aspects and generally at high altitudes are easily triggered. Backcountry touring and other off-piste activities call for experience in the assessment of avalanche danger and careful route selection.

Snowpack

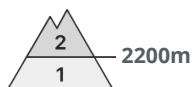
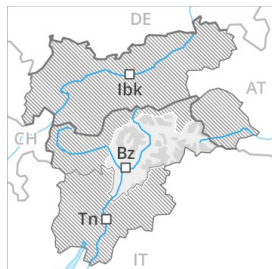
Danger patterns

dp 6: cold, loose snow and wind

In particular along the border with Tirol stormy weather and fresh snow to intermediate altitudes. The backcountry touring conditions are to some extent unfavourable.



Danger Level 2 - Moderate



Tendency: Constant avalanche danger →
on Sunday 09 12 2018



Wind-drifted
snow



Fresh wind slabs require caution.

In the last few days mostly small wind slabs formed in particular adjacent to ridgelines as well as at high altitude. These avalanche prone locations are to be found especially in places that are protected from the wind above approximately 2200 m. Winter sport participants can release avalanches in some places, including medium-sized ones. The Avalanche Warning Service currently has only a small amount of information that has been collected in the field, so that the avalanche danger should be investigated especially thoroughly in the relevant locality.

Snowpack

The old snowpack will be generally well bonded. Wind slabs are lying on soft layers. Below approximately 2200 m only a little snow is lying.

Tendency

As a consequence of the fresh snow the prevalence of avalanche prone locations will increase during the course of the night.