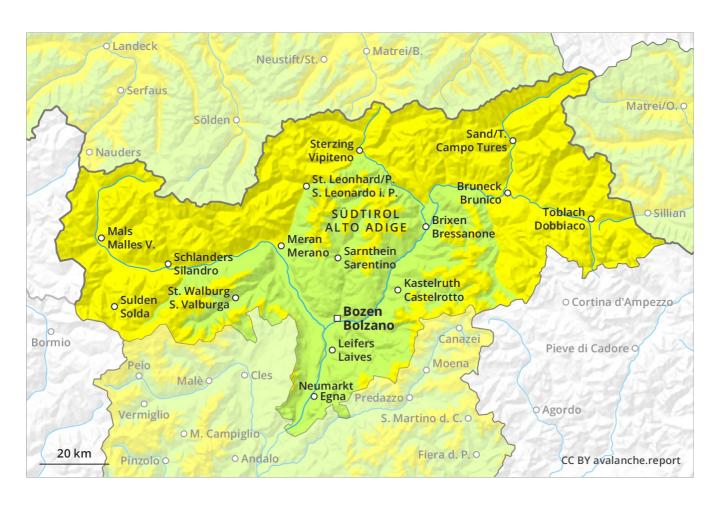
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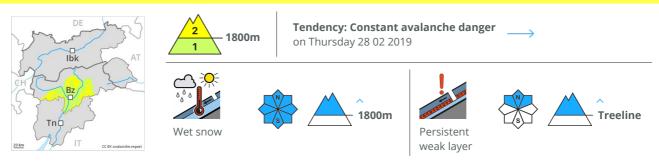


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Danger Level 2 - Moderate



Increase in avalanche danger as a consequence of warming during the day.

As a consequence of warming moist and wet avalanches are possible by the early morning. The older wind slabs are to be bypassed in particular in very steep terrain. Wet avalanches can be released, in particular by large loads and reach medium size.
br/> Weakly bonded old snow: Individual avalanche prone locations for dry avalanches are to be found in particular on very steep shady slopes above the tree line. In steep terrain there is a danger of falling on the icy crust.

Snowpack

Only a little snow is lying. The surface of the snowpack will only just freeze and will already be soft in the early morning. Faceted weak layers exist in the bottom section of the snowpack in particular in shady places that are protected from the wind.

Tendency

The avalanche danger after a clear night will be low (level 1).

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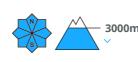




Tendency: Constant avalanche danger on Thursday 28 02 2019













Moist and wet avalanches are possible already in the early morning.

As a consequence of warming a moderate danger of moist and wet avalanches will prevail. The avalanche prone locations are to be found in all aspects below approximately 3000 m. In addition an appreciable danger of gliding avalanches exists. Areas with glide cracks are to be avoided as far as possible. Weakly bonded old snow: Dry avalanches can in isolated cases be released in the old snowpack by large loads. This applies in particular on steep shady slopes above approximately 2000 m at transitions from a shallow to a deep snowpack. In isolated cases avalanches can penetrate down to the ground and reach large size in some cases.

Snowpack

Over a wide area a partly overcast night: For this reason the snowpack will only just freeze. The weather will be sunny. As a consequence of warming during the day and the solar radiation, the likelihood of moist slab avalanches being released will increase gradually also on shady slopes below approximately 3000 m. Isolated avalanche prone weak layers exist in the bottom section of the snowpack, in particular on steep shady slopes.

Tendency

The danger of moist and wet avalanches will already increase in the late morning.