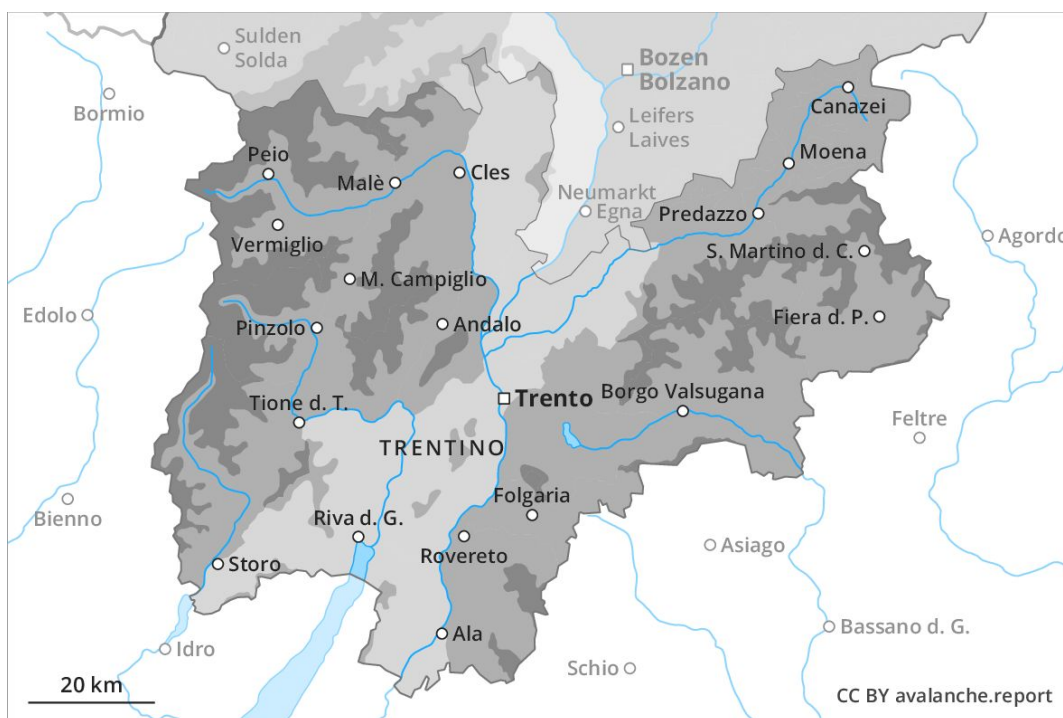




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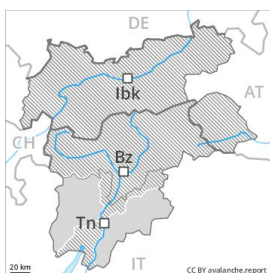


PM



Danger Level 4 - High

AM:



Tendency: Increasing avalanche danger
 on Friday 05 04 2019

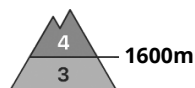
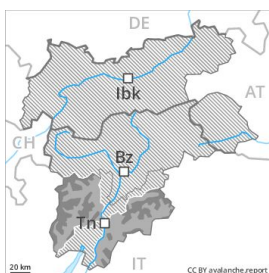


Wind-drifted
 snow



2200m

PM:



1600m

Tendency: Increasing avalanche danger
 on Friday 05 04 2019



New snow



1500m



Wind-drifted
 snow



Treeline

The avalanche conditions in the morning are mostly favourable. As the snowfall becomes more intense the prevalence and size of the avalanche prone locations will increase in the afternoon. Much of the fresh and wind-drifted snow represent the main danger.

40 to 70 cm of snow, and up to 100 cm in some localities, will fall from late morning above approximately 1500 m. As the precipitation becomes more intense more frequent natural dry avalanches are possible as the day progresses, in particular medium-sized ones. The fresh wind slabs are in some cases quite large and can be released easily. Additionally in some places dry avalanches can also penetrate down to the ground and reach large size.

Snowpack

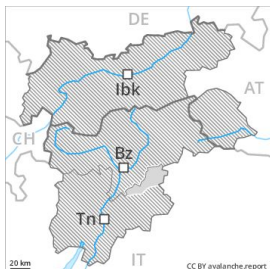
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Tendency

Further increase in danger as a consequence of fresh snow and wind.

Danger Level 3 - Considerable

AM:



Tendency: Increasing avalanche danger
 on Friday 05 04 2019

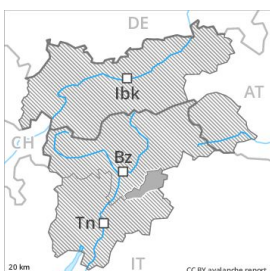


Wind-drifted
 snow



2200m

PM:



Tendency: Increasing avalanche danger
 on Friday 05 04 2019



New snow



1500m



Wind-drifted
 snow



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Snowpack

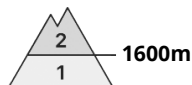
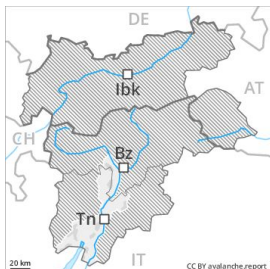
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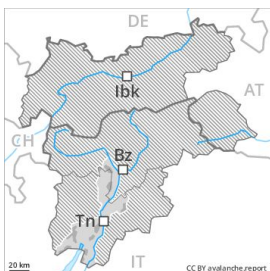
Tendency: Increasing avalanche danger
 on Friday 05 04 2019



Persistent weak layer



PM:



Tendency: Increasing avalanche danger
 on Friday 05 04 2019



New snow



Wind-drifted snow



Treeline

The fresh snow represents the main danger. As the snowfall becomes more intense the prevalence and size of the avalanche prone locations will increase as the day progresses.

In the Etschtal, in the Cembra Valley and in neighbouring regions thus far only a little snow is lying on north and northeast facing slopes. In steep terrain there is a danger of falling on the hard snow surface. 30 to 60 cm of snow, and even more in some localities, will fall from early morning above approximately 1500 m. As a consequence of the fresh snow more frequent natural avalanches are possible towards the evening, even large ones in isolated cases. In addition the easily released wind slabs must be taken into account.

Snowpack

The surface of the snowpack will only just freeze and will already be soft in the early morning. Much of the fresh and wind-drifted snow will become increasingly prone to triggering in all aspects. At low altitude thus far only a little snow is lying.

Tendency

Further increase in avalanche danger as the precipitation becomes more intense. As the day progresses over a wide area danger level 4 (high) will be reached.