



Danger Level 3 - Considerable



Treeline

Tendency: Constant avalanche danger →

on Monday 24 04 2023



Wet snow



Treeline

Snowpack stability: **very poor**

Frequency: **some**

Avalanche size: **medium**



Wind slab



2000m

Snowpack stability: **poor**

Frequency: **some**

Avalanche size: **medium**

Increase in danger of moist and wet avalanches as a consequence of warming. The wind slabs of the last few days are to be evaluated with care and prudence.

Increase in danger of moist and wet avalanches as a consequence of warming during the day and solar radiation. In particular on steep sunny slopes avalanches can in many cases reach medium size.

Backcountry tours and off-piste skiing should be concluded timely.

The wind slabs of the last few days can be released by a single winter sport participant. Avalanche prone locations are to be found in gullies and bowls, and behind abrupt changes in the terrain. In high Alpine regions the avalanche prone locations are more prevalent. The wind slabs are to be bypassed as far as possible.

In very isolated cases weak layers exist in the old snowpack in particular on shady slopes. These avalanche prone locations are rather rare and are therefore difficult to recognise.

Snowpack

Danger patterns

dp.10: springtime scenario

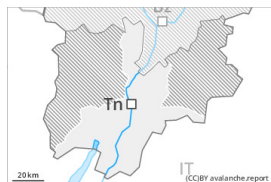
Over a wide area 15 to 30 cm of snow, and even more in some localities, has fallen since Thursday. Sunshine and high temperatures will give rise as the day progresses to increasing moistening of the snowpack in particular on steep sunny slopes. The sometimes new snow-covered wind slabs of the last few days remain for the foreseeable future prone to triggering at intermediate and high altitudes. In very isolated cases weak layers exist in the old snowpack in particular on shady slopes.

Tendency

5 to 10 cm of snow, and even more in some localities, will fall on Monday above approximately 1800 m.



Danger Level 1 - Low



Tendency: Constant avalanche danger →
on Monday 24 04 2023



Wet snow



Snowpack stability: **fair**

Frequency: **few**

Avalanche size: **medium**

Increase in danger of moist and wet avalanches as a consequence of warming.

As a consequence of warming during the day and solar radiation wet snow slides and avalanches are to be expected from the late morning, in particular on steep slopes.

Backcountry touring and other off-piste activities call for careful route selection.

Snowpack

Sunshine and high temperatures will give rise as the day progresses to increasing moistening of the snowpack in particular on steep slopes. In all regions at low and intermediate altitudes only a little snow is lying.

Tendency

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