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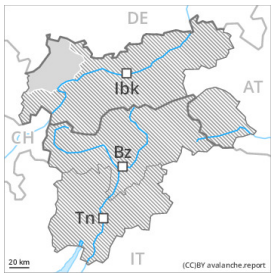
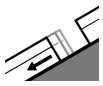
Danger Level 2 - Moderate



Tendency: Decreasing avalanche danger
on Tuesday 26 03 2024

Wind slab

Snowpack stability: poor
Frequency: some
Avalanche size: medium



Gliding snow

Snowpack stability: very poor
Frequency: some
Avalanche size: large

Fresh wind slabs at high altitude. Gliding avalanches and loose snow avalanches require caution.

As a consequence of new snow and a strong wind from westerly directions, avalanche prone wind slabs formed in some places. Caution is to be exercised in particular on very steep shady slopes above approximately 2400 m, as well as adjacent to ridgelines at elevated altitudes. The prevalence of avalanche prone locations and likelihood of triggering will increase with altitude. Mostly avalanches are medium-sized and can be released even by a single winter sport participant.

A latent danger of gliding avalanches exists. This applies on steep grassy slopes below approximately 2600 m. In isolated cases gliding avalanches are large. Areas with glide cracks are to be avoided.

In addition as the day progresses further small and medium-sized loose snow avalanches are possible. This applies on extremely steep sunny slopes.

Snowpack

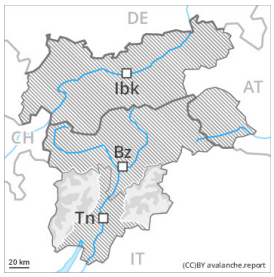
Danger patterns dp.6: cold, loose snow and wind | dp.2: gliding snow

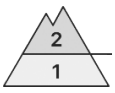
Over a wide area 20 to 40 cm of snow has fallen since Saturday above approximately 1500 m. The wind was strong in some cases.
Fresh wind slabs are lying on soft layers in particular on shady slopes at elevated altitudes.
The solar radiation will give rise as the day progresses to moistening of the snowpack on steep sunny slopes. The old snowpack will be moist below approximately 2400 m.

Tendency

The weather conditions will foster a gradual strengthening of the snow drift accumulations. Gliding snow requires caution.

Danger Level 2 - Moderate





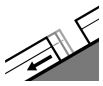
2400m

Tendency: Constant avalanche danger
on Tuesday 26 03 2024

Wind slab

2400m

Snowpack stability: poor
Frequency: some
Avalanche size: small



Gliding snow

2600m

Snowpack stability: very poor
Frequency: few
Avalanche size: medium

Fresh wind slabs require caution. Gliding avalanches and loose snow avalanches require caution.

As a consequence of new snow and a strong wind from westerly directions, avalanche prone wind slabs formed in some places. Caution is to be exercised in particular on very steep shady slopes above approximately 2400 m, as well as adjacent to ridgelines in all aspects in high Alpine regions. Avalanches are only small but can be released even by a single winter sport participant.

A latent danger of gliding avalanches exists. This applies on steep grassy slopes below approximately 2600 m. Avalanches can reach medium size. Areas with glide cracks are to be avoided.

In addition further mostly small loose snow avalanches are possible. This applies on extremely steep sunny slopes.

Snowpack

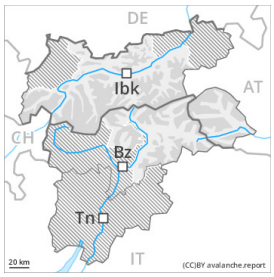
Danger patterns dp.6: cold, loose snow and wind | dp.2: gliding snow

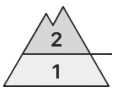
Over a wide area 2 to 5 cm of snow has fallen since Saturday above approximately 1500 m. The wind was strong in some cases.
Fresh wind slabs are lying on soft layers in particular on shady slopes at elevated altitudes.
The solar radiation will give rise as the day progresses to moistening of the snowpack especially on steep sunny slopes.

Tendency

The weather conditions will foster a gradual strengthening of the snow drift accumulations. Gliding snow requires caution.

Danger Level 2 - Moderate





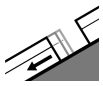
2400m

Tendency: Constant avalanche danger
on Tuesday 26 03 2024

Wind slab

2400m

Snowpack stability: poor
Frequency: some
Avalanche size: small



Gliding snow

2600m

Snowpack stability: very poor
Frequency: few
Avalanche size: medium

Fresh wind slabs require caution. Gliding avalanches and loose snow avalanches require caution.

As a consequence of new snow and a strong wind from westerly directions, avalanche prone wind slabs formed in some places. Caution is to be exercised in particular on very steep shady slopes above approximately 2400 m, as well as adjacent to ridgelines in all aspects in high Alpine regions. Avalanches are only small but can be released even by a single winter sport participant.

A latent danger of gliding avalanches exists. This applies on steep grassy slopes below approximately 2600 m. Avalanches can reach medium size. Areas with glide cracks are to be avoided.

In addition further mostly small loose snow avalanches are possible. This applies on extremely steep sunny slopes.

Snowpack

Danger patterns dp.6: cold, loose snow and wind | dp.2: gliding snow

Over a wide area 5 to 10 cm of snow, and even more in some localities, has fallen since Saturday above approximately 1500 m. The wind was strong in some cases.
Fresh wind slabs are lying on soft layers in particular on shady slopes at elevated altitudes.
The solar radiation will give rise as the day progresses to moistening of the snowpack especially on steep sunny slopes.

Tendency

The weather conditions will foster a gradual strengthening of the snow drift accumulations. Gliding snow requires caution.

Danger Level 1 - Low

Tendency: Constant avalanche danger
on Tuesday 26 03 2024

Low avalanche danger will prevail.

Individual avalanche prone locations for dry avalanches are to be found on extremely steep shady slopes at elevated altitudes. Avalanches are small and can mostly only be released by large loads.

In steep terrain there is a danger of falling on the hard snow surface.

Snowpack

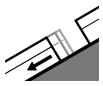
Only a little snow is now lying. The snowpack will be generally stable. The snowpack is moist and its surface has a crust. The solar radiation will give rise to moistening of the snowpack especially on steep sunny slopes.

Tendency

Low avalanche danger will prevail.

Danger Level 1 - Low

Tendency: Constant avalanche danger
on Tuesday 26 03 2024



Gliding snow

Snowpack stability: very poor
Frequency: few
Avalanche size: medium

Wind slab

Snowpack stability: poor
Frequency: few
Avalanche size: small

Gliding snow requires caution. Wind slabs at elevated altitudes.

A latent danger of gliding avalanches exists. This applies on steep grassy slopes below approximately 2600 m. Avalanches can reach medium size. Areas with glide cracks are to be avoided.

As a consequence of a strong wind from westerly directions, mostly small wind slabs formed in isolated cases. Such avalanche prone locations are to be found in particular on very steep shady slopes above approximately 2400 m. These places are rather rare and are clearly recognisable to the trained eye. Restraint should be exercised because avalanches can sweep people along and give rise to falls.

In addition individual small loose snow avalanches are possible. This applies on extremely steep sunny slopes.

Snowpack

Danger patterns dp.2: gliding snow | dp.6: cold, loose snow and wind

Some snow has fallen since Saturday in some regions. The wind was strong in some cases.
Fresh wind slabs are lying on soft layers in particular on shady slopes at elevated altitudes.
The solar radiation will give rise as the day progresses to moistening of the snowpack especially on steep sunny slopes.

Tendency

Gliding snow requires caution.

Danger Level 1 - Low

Tendency: Constant avalanche danger
on Tuesday 26 03 2024

Gliding avalanches and loose snow avalanches require caution.

A latent danger of gliding avalanches exists. This applies on steep grassy slopes. In some cases gliding avalanches are medium-sized. Areas with glide cracks are to be avoided.
In addition as the day progresses further mostly small loose snow avalanches are possible. This applies on extremely steep sunny slopes.

The wind slabs of the last two days can be released in isolated cases in particular on very steep shady slopes above approximately 2400 m. Caution is to be exercised in particular adjacent to ridgelines. Avalanches are only small.

Snowpack

Danger patterns dp.2: gliding snow

Over a wide area 10 cm of snow, and even more in some localities, has fallen since Saturday above approximately 1500 m. The wind was strong in some cases.
Fresh wind slabs are lying on soft layers in particular on shady slopes at elevated altitudes.
The solar radiation will give rise as the day progresses to moistening of the snowpack especially on steep sunny slopes. The old snowpack will be moist below approximately 2400 m.

Tendency

A latent danger of gliding avalanches exists.

Danger Level 1 - Low

Tendency: Constant avalanche danger
on Tuesday 26 03 2024

Low avalanche danger will prevail.

Individual avalanche prone locations for dry avalanches are to be found on extremely steep shady slopes at elevated altitudes. Avalanches are small and can mostly only be released by large loads.
In steep terrain there is a danger of falling on the hard snow surface.

Snowpack

The snowpack will be stable over a wide area.
The wind was strong at times. The wind slabs are lying on soft layers in particular on very steep shady slopes at elevated altitudes.
The snowpack is moist and its surface has a crust. The solar radiation will give rise to moistening of the snowpack especially on steep sunny slopes.

Tendency

Low avalanche danger will prevail.