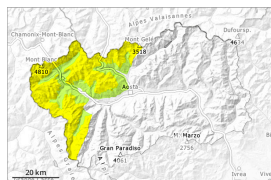


Danger Level 2 - Moderate



Tendency: Constant avalanche danger →

on Sunday 02 03 2025



Wind slab



2300m

Snowpack stability: **poor**

Frequency: **some**

Avalanche size: **medium**

Wind slabs represent the main danger, caution is to be exercised in particular along the border with France and along the border between Valais and Italy. In these regions the likelihood of avalanches being released is greater.

As a consequence of a moderate to strong wind from northwesterly directions, sometimes deep wind slabs formed by Thursday. The small quantity of fresh snow of Tuesday and very particularly the wind slabs to be found above all in gullies and bowls and behind abrupt changes in the terrain can be released by a single winter sport participant above approximately 2300 m. The wind slabs must be evaluated with care and prudence, in particular on very steep shady slopes in little used backcountry terrain. This applies especially above approximately 2500 m along the border with France and along the border between Valais and Italy. Here the avalanche prone locations are more prevalent and larger.

Snowpack

Danger patterns

dp.5: snowfall after a long period of cold

15 to 30 cm of snow, and even more in some localities, fell in the last few days above approximately 2000 m, especially along the border with France.

In shady places that are protected from the wind: Towards its surface, the snowpack is dry and has a loosely bonded surface.

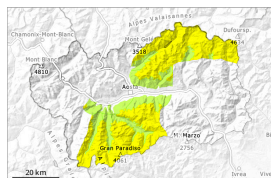
Snow depths vary greatly above approximately 2200 m, depending on the influence of the wind. Adjacent to ridgelines and in pass areas and at high altitude a little snow is lying. At low altitude less snow than usual is lying.

Tendency

The wind will be light. The weather conditions will facilitate a slight decrease in the avalanche danger.



Danger Level 2 - Moderate



Tendency: Decreasing avalanche danger
on Sunday 02 03 2025



Wind slab



Snowpack stability: **poor**

Frequency: **few**

Avalanche size: **medium**

Wind slabs represent the main danger. The more recent wind slabs are clearly recognisable to the trained eye.

The mostly small wind slabs of the last few days can be released by a single winter sport participant in some cases above approximately 2500 m. Such avalanche prone locations are to be found on extremely steep slopes and in gullies and bowls, and behind abrupt changes in the terrain, in particular on very steep shady slopes in little used backcountry terrain.

Restraint should be exercised because avalanches can sweep people along and give rise to falls.

Snowpack

Little snow will fall. The wind will be light. 5 to 10 cm of snow fell on Tuesday above approximately 2200 m. In shady places that are protected from the wind: Towards its surface, the snowpack is dry and has a loosely bonded surface.

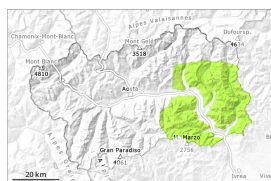
Snow depths vary greatly above approximately 2200 m, depending on the influence of the wind. Adjacent to ridgelines and in pass areas and at high altitude a little snow is lying. At low altitude less snow than usual is lying. Below approximately 2200 m no snow is lying on south facing slopes.

Tendency

The weather conditions will facilitate a gradual strengthening of the snow drift accumulations.



Danger Level 1 - Low



Tendency: Constant avalanche danger →
on Sunday 02 03 2025

Very isolated avalanche prone locations are to be found on extremely steep northwest, north and northeast facing slopes in high Alpine regions.

Avalanches can be released in the old snowpack by large loads.

There is a danger of falling on the hard snow surface, in particular on very steep sunny slopes. Very isolated avalanche prone locations are to be found on extremely steep northwest, north and northeast facing slopes in high Alpine regions.

In localities where more snow falls danger level 2 (moderate) will be reached in the afternoon.

Snowpack

Some snow will fall on Saturday. The wind will be light. In all aspects only a small amount of snow is lying for the time of year. On sunny slopes below approximately 2600 m no snow is lying.

Tendency

The avalanche danger will persist.

