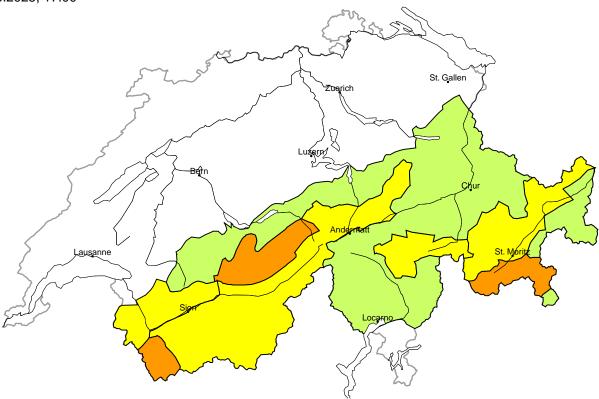
# Avalanche danger

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# region A

Wind slab



# **Avalanche prone locations**

Considerable (3-)



# **Danger description**

As a consequence of new snow and a strong to storm force southwesterly wind, avalanche prone wind slabs will form in high Alpine regions. These are to be evaluated with care and prudence in steep terrain. Single persons can release avalanches in some places, including medium-sized ones. Experience in the assessment of avalanche danger is required. The Avalanche Warning Service currently has only a small amount of information that has been collected in the field, so that the avalanche danger should be investigated especially thoroughly in the relevant locality.

# Low (1)

# Wet snow

The snowpack will be wet all the way through at high altitude. In particular on very steep north facing slopes individual medium-sized wet avalanches are possible as a consequence of the rain.



**Danger levels** 





2 moderate



3 considerable



4 high

# region B

# Considerable (3-)



New snow

# Avalanche prone locations



#### **Danger description**

The fresh snow and in particular the wind slabs that are being formed by the strong to storm force southwesterly wind are to be evaluated with care and prudence in high Alpine regions. Single persons can release avalanches in some places, including medium-sized ones. Experience in the assessment of avalanche danger is required.

The Avalanche Warning Service currently has only a small amount of information that has been collected in the field, so that the avalanche danger should be investigated especially thoroughly in the relevant locality.

# Low (1)

#### Wet snow

The snowpack will be wet all the way through at high altitude. In particular on very steep north facing slopes individual medium-sized wet avalanches are possible as a consequence of the rain.

# region C

# Considerable (3-)



# New snow

#### Avalanche prone locations



#### **Danger description**

A lot of snow fell in the last few days. The fresh snow and the wind slabs formed by the strong southwesterly wind are to be evaluated with care and prudence in high Alpine regions. Single winter sport participants can release avalanches in some places, including dangerously large ones. Backcountry touring calls for experience in the assessment of avalanche danger. The Avalanche Warning Service currently has only a small amount of information that has been collected in the field, so that the avalanche danger should be investigated especially thoroughly in the relevant locality.

# Low (1)

#### Wet snow

The snowpack will be wet all the way through at high altitude. In particular on very steep north facing slopes individual medium-sized wet avalanches are possible as a consequence of the rain.



Danger levels

1 low

2 moderate

3 considerable

4 high

5 very high

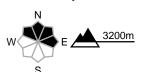
# region D

# Moderate (2=)



#### Wind slab

#### Avalanche prone locations



# **Danger description**

Fresh and older wind slabs are to be found in particular adjacent to ridgelines and in gullies and bowls. They can be released by a single winter sport participant, but they will be small in most cases. The wind slabs are to be evaluated with care and prudence in particular in very steep terrain. Apart from the danger of being buried, restraint should be exercised as well in view of the danger of avalanches sweeping people along and giving rise to falls.

The Avalanche Warning Service currently has only a small amount of information that has been collected in the field, so that the avalanche danger should be investigated especially thoroughly in the relevant locality.

# Low (1)

#### Wet snow

The snowpack will be wet all the way through at high altitude. In particular on very steep north facing slopes individual medium-sized wet avalanches are possible as a consequence of the rain.

# region E

# Moderate (2=)



# Wind slab

# Avalanche prone locations



# **Danger description**

Fresh and older wind slabs are to be found in particular adjacent to ridgelines and in gullies and bowls. They can be released by a single winter sport participant, but they will be small in most cases. The wind slabs are to be evaluated with care and prudence in particular in very steep terrain. Apart from the danger of being buried, restraint should be exercised as well in view of the danger of avalanches sweeping people along and giving rise to falls.

The Avalanche Warning Service currently has only a small amount of information that has been collected in the field, so that the avalanche danger should be investigated especially thoroughly in the relevant locality.

# **Moderate (2)**

#### Wet snow

The snowpack will be wet all the way through at high altitude. In particular on very steep north facing slopes medium-sized to large wet avalanches are possible as a consequence of the rain.



Danger levels



2 moderate

erable

4 high

5 very high

# region F

# Moderate (2)

Wet snow



# The snowpack will be wet all the way through at high altitude. In particular on very steep north facing slopes medium-sized to large wet avalanches are possible as a consequence of the rain.

The Avalanche Warning Service currently has only a small amount of information that has been collected in the field, so that the avalanche danger should be investigated especially thoroughly in the relevant locality.

# region G

# Low (1)



## Wet snow

The snowpack will be wet all the way through at high altitude. In particular on very steep north facing slopes individual medium-sized wet avalanches are possible as a consequence of the rain.

The Avalanche Warning Service currently has only a small amount of information that has been collected in the field, so that the avalanche danger should be investigated especially thoroughly in the relevant locality.



# Snowpack and weather

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# **Snowpack**

With the rain that fell up until Thursday, the snowpack below approximately 3000 m became saturated in all regions. In the high Alpine regions, a widespread 10 to 40 cm of snow fell during this period and around 1 m from the Adula to the Bernina region.

In the high Alpine regions, the fresh snow from Saturday will be heavily transported by the southwesterly wind. Below this, isolated wet avalanches originating in the old snowpack are possible with the rain.

# Weather review for Friday

Friday morning was temporarily brighter, otherwise mostly cloudy with showers in some localities. The snowfall level was between 2800 m in the northwest and 3300 m in the southeast.

#### Fresh snow

From Thursday to Friday afternoon, the following amounts fell in the high Alpine regions:

- Main Alpine Ridge from the Nufenen Pass to Val Bregaglia: about 10 cm
- Less elsewhere

#### **Temperature**

At midday at 2000 m, + 11 °C

#### Wind

Moderate from the southwest.

# Weather forecast to Saturday

It will be very cloudy with bright spells in Valais and the Engadine. Snow will fall above 3200 m and as rain below this.

#### Fresh snow

From Friday to Saturday afternoon, snow will fall in the high Alpine regions:

- Northern Alpine Ridge from the Trient region to the Wildstrubel and central part of the Main Alpine Ridge: 20 to 40 cm
- Otherwise a widespread 10 to 20 cm; less in the Visp valleys and Lower Engadine

The precipitation will fall in the form of showers and thunderstorms, which means that appreciably higher amounts are possible in some localities.

# **Temperature**

At midday at 2000 m, + 10 °C

#### Wind

Strong to stormy from the southwest in the high Alpine regions



#### Outlook

#### **Whit Sunday**

Some precipitation will fall in the east during the night. During the day, it will remain very cloudy on the central and eastern parts of the northern flank of the Alps, otherwise it will become increasingly sunny. There will be a stormy westerly wind in the high Alpine regions. It will be slightly cooler in the north.

The avalanche danger will not change significantly. Wind slabs in the high Alpine regions must be assessed with caution. With the sun, wet avalanches are possible. Touring skiing should be completed in good time.

#### Whit Monday

After a mostly clear night, it will be sunny on Whit Monday. The westerly wind will ease.

The danger of dry avalanches will decrease, but only slowly on steep north-facing slopes in the high Alpine regions. Wet avalanches are to be expected during the course of the day. Touring skiing should be completed in good time.

