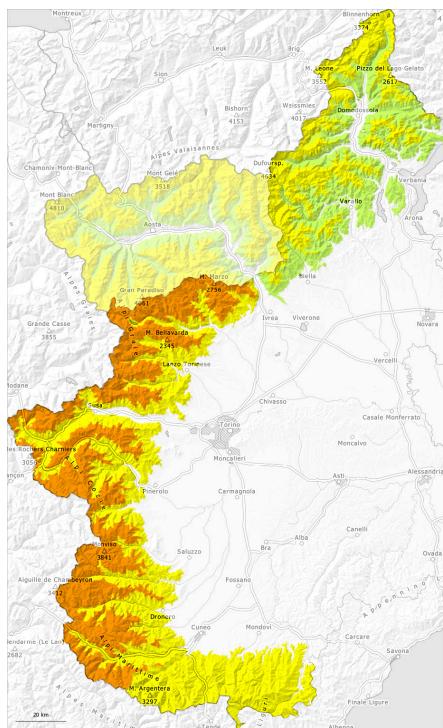
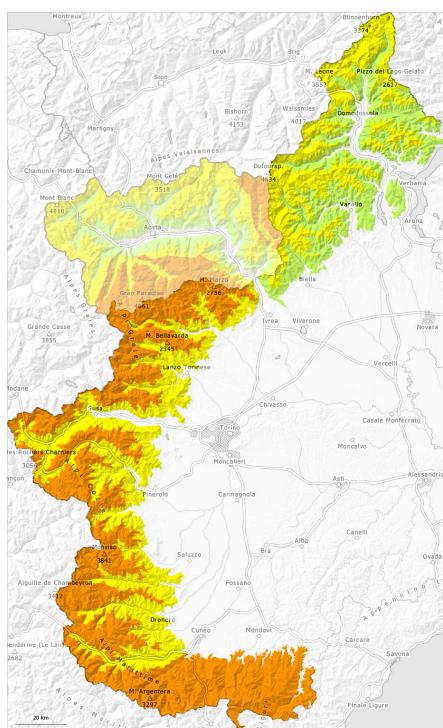
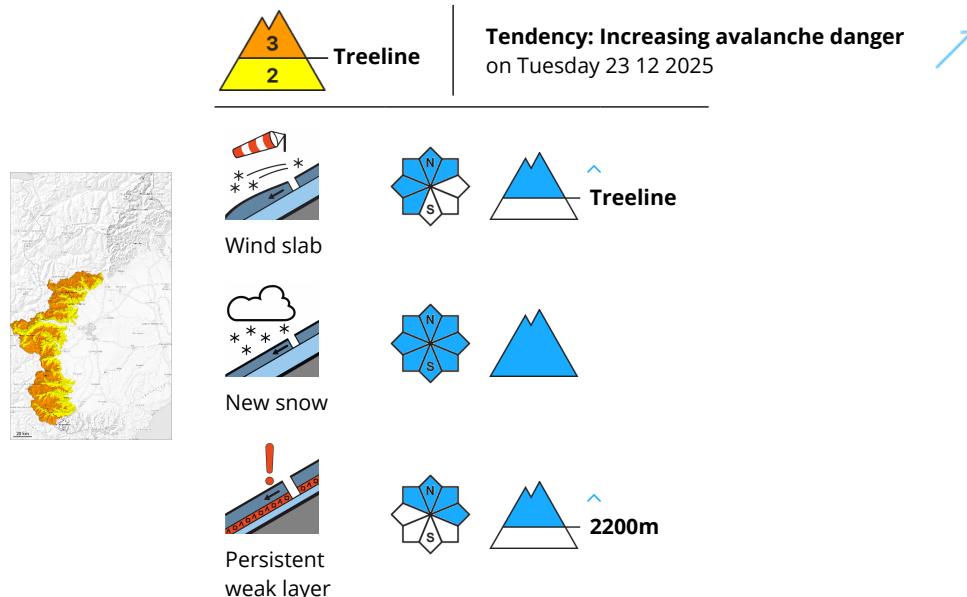


AM**PM**

Danger Level 3 - Considerable



The large quantity of fresh snow of the last two days and the wind slabs represent the main danger.

10 to 20 cm of snow, and even more in some localities, fell yesterday above approximately 1400 m. Over a wide area 25 to 40 cm of snow will fall until late in the night above approximately 1200 m.

The fresh snow and the wind slabs that are forming at high altitudes and in high Alpine regions can be released easily, even by a single winter sport participant,. As a consequence of new snow and wind they will increase in size during the night.

Individual weak layers exist deep in the old snowpack in particular on steep northwest, north and east facing slopes. Avalanches can in isolated cases be released in deep layers and reach large size in isolated cases.

Snowpack

Danger patterns

dp.1: deep persistent weak layer

The high humidity gave rise on Saturday to moistening of the snowpack over a wide area at low and intermediate altitudes. 10 to 20 cm of snow, and even more in some localities, fell yesterday above approximately 1400 m. Over a wide area 25 to 40 cm of snow will fall until late in the night above approximately 1200 m.

The new snow is bonding quite well with the old snowpack on west to north to east facing aspects at low and intermediate altitudes. Northwest, north and northeast facing slopes high altitudes and the high Alpine regions: Faceted weak layers exist in the bottom section of the snowpack.



Tendency

As a consequence of the snowfall the prevalence and size of the avalanche prone locations will increase on Tuesday.



Danger Level 3 - Considerable

AM:

Tendency: Increasing avalanche danger
on Tuesday 23 12 2025



New snow

PM:

Tendency: Increasing avalanche danger
on Tuesday 23 12 2025



New snow

A lot of snow will fall today. Gradual increase in avalanche danger as a consequence of the new snow. The peak danger point will be reached in the evening.

In some localities up to 70 cm of snow will fall above approximately 1000 m. Gradual increase in avalanche danger. The peak danger point will be reached in the evening.

Although the new snow will bond quite well with the moist old snowpack above approximately 2500 m, the large amounts of fresh snow may easily be released either naturally or by triggering on steep slopes. These can as before be released, even by a single winter sport participant and reach medium size. In some places the avalanches can release the moist old snow as well and reach quite a large size.

On very steep slopes medium-sized natural avalanches must be expected.

Snowpack

Danger patterns

dp.4: cold following warm / warm following cold

Above approximately 900 m snow will fall today. In some localities up to 70 cm of snow will fall above approximately 1000 m.

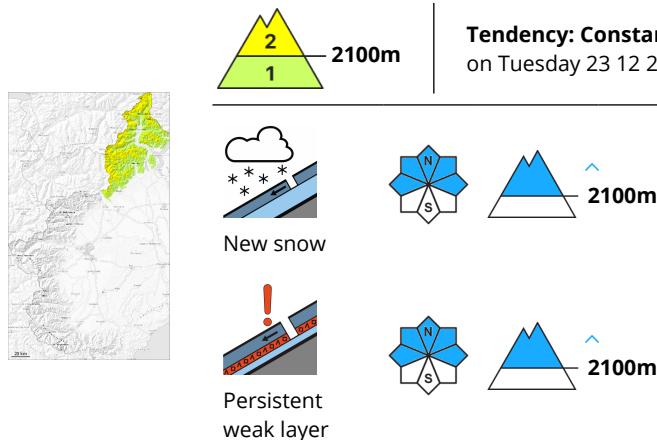
Although the new snow will bond quite well with the moist old snowpack above approximately 2500 m, the large amounts of fresh snow may easily be released either naturally or by triggering on steep slopes.

Tendency

Above approximately 1000 m snow will fall until Thursday. The avalanche danger will increase.



Danger Level 2 - Moderate



The somewhat older wind slabs will be covered with new snow and therefore difficult to recognise.

Some snow will fall today. The new snow and wind slabs are lying on the unfavourable surface of an old snowpack on northwest to north to east facing aspects above approximately 2200 m. The somewhat older wind slabs will be covered with new snow and therefore difficult to recognise.

The avalanche prone locations are to be found in particular on steep shady slopes at high altitudes and in high Alpine regions and adjacent to ridgelines and in gullies and bowls. Whumping sounds and the formation of shooting cracks when stepping on the snowpack are a clear indication.

Mostly the avalanches are medium-sized but can be released in isolated cases even by a single winter sport participant.

The numerous rocks hidden by the recent snow are the main danger.

Snowpack

Danger patterns

dp.6: cold, loose snow and wind

dp.1: deep persistent weak layer

Above approximately 1200 m snow will fall today. The new snow and wind slabs of last week are lying on the unfavourable surface of an old snowpack in particular on shady slopes at intermediate and high altitudes. The somewhat older wind slabs will be covered with new snow and therefore difficult to recognise.

At high altitudes and in high Alpine regions snow depths vary greatly, depending on the influence of the wind. Below approximately 2000 m from a snow sport perspective, in most cases insufficient snow is lying.

Tendency

Slight increase in avalanche danger as a consequence of new snow and wind.

