


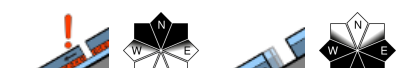



Caution: small snowdrift patches, gliding snow on sunny slopes. On shady slopes, still weak layers in old snow.

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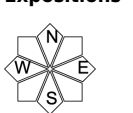
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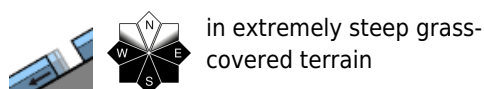
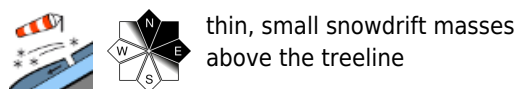
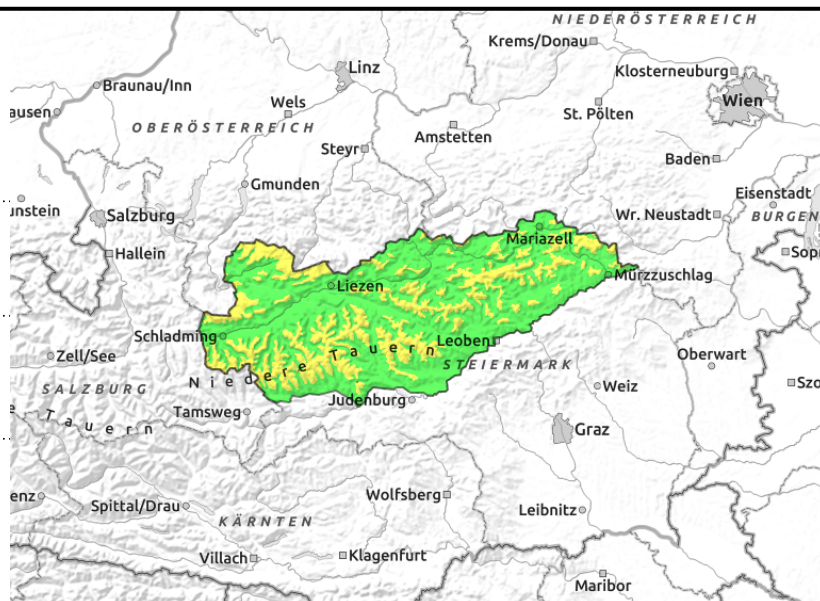
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Moderate avalanche danger at high altitude. Persistent weak layer on shady slopes. Heed small, fresh snowdrift patches.

Above the treeline, moderate danger prevails. Avalanche prone locations occur on shady slopes in transitions from shallow to deep snow (persistent weak layer), and on east-facing slopes and behind protruberances. In isolated cases, the weak layers in the old snow can trigger a medium-to-large sized avalanche. Atop this, fresh snow and winds have generated new snowdrift patches which can be triggered even by minimum additional loading. On sunny slopes, steep grass-covered terrain can expect naturally triggered glide-snow avalanches. Glide cracks ('fishbones') should be seen as red flags. In steep rough and rocky terrain, small moist loose-snow avalanches are possible during the course of the day.

Snowpack structure

A cold front on Friday brought 5-10 cm of fresh snow with strong NW winds. On sunny slopes the freshly generated snowdrift patches were deposited atop a melt-freeze crust. On shady slopes the snowpack surface was still soft, often even powdery. Bonding of snowdrifts to the old snowpack is poor on shady slopes. Thin snowdrift patches can be triggered. In addition, the weak layers deeper down inside the snowpack are a threat. On sunny slopes, glide cracks have formed on steep grass-covered slopes.

Weather

The precipitation will taper off and terminate on Friday night. Early morning on Saturday in Upper Styria there will still be residual cloud, the summits will be shrouded, but these will soon disperse on Saturday and the sun come out. Above the higher summits there will be outstanding visibility. At 2000 m: -6 degrees at midday; in the afternoon it will become milder in northern regions in particular. Winds will be light to start with, but intensify during the daytime, shift to southerly. Windspeeds: 20 - 50 km/hr.

Outlook

On Sunday, slightly rising temperatures, largely sunny. Avalanche danger is not expected to change.

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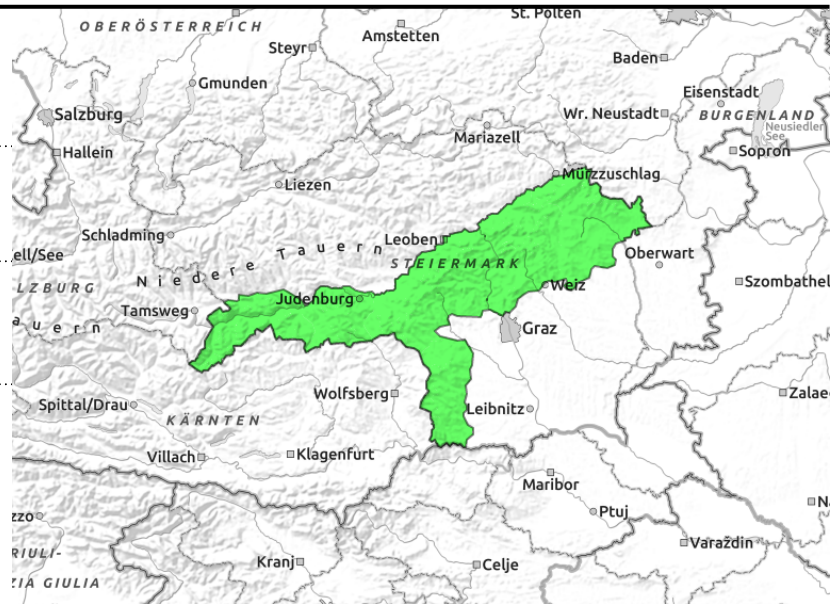
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north-facing slopes, isolated



seldom, in extremely steep terrain



Low avalanche danger, but isolated danger zones on shady high-altitude slopes. Glide-snow activity on south-facing slopes.

Low avalanche danger prevails. Isolated avalanche prone locations occur especially on shady slopes in transitions from shallow to deep snow (persistent weak layer), and on east-facing slopes and behind protruberances. . In isolated cases, the weak layers in the old snow can trigger a medium-to-large sized avalanche. On sunny slopes, steep grass-covered terrain can expect naturally triggered glide-snow avalanches. Glide cracks ('fishbones') should be seen as red flags.

Snowpack structure

On sunny slopes the snowpack is covered by a melt-freeze crust. On shady slopes the weak layers deeper down inside the snowpack are a threat. On sunny slopes, glide cracks have formed on steep grass-covered slopes.

Weather

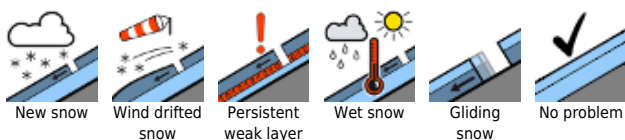
Sunshine over widespread areas from the start. Harmless clouds will soon disperse. Good visibility above the highest summits. At 2000 m: -8 degrees at midday. Winds will be light to start with, intensify during the daytime and shift to southerly, reaching 60 km/hr.

Outlook

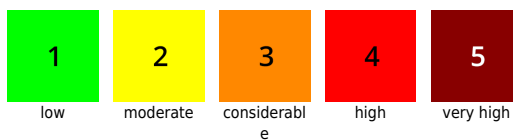
On Sunday, slightly higher temperatures, sunny by and large. Avalanche danger will remain low.

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