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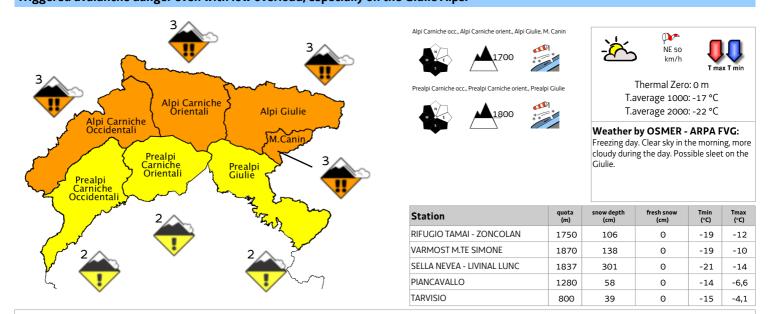


AVALANCHE BULLETIN n.46 the 26 February 2018



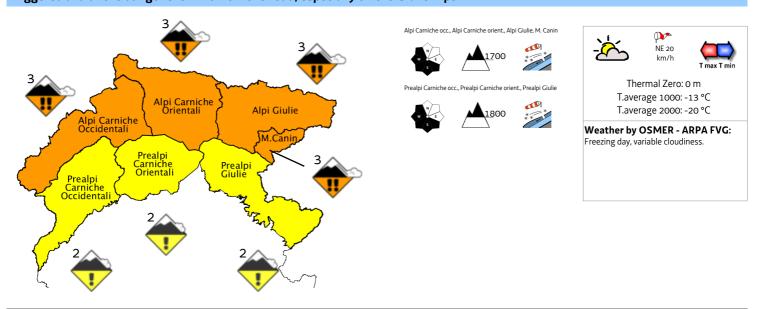
Situation of 26 February 2018 edition of the hours 14-next update 26-02-2018 hours 14, forecaster: DM_MM Triggered avalanche danger even with low overload, especially on the Giulie Alps.

reliability: 80%



Snow cover conditions and avalanche danger: Very cold winter air currents from the NE across the region. Possible slight snowfall from the evening, which will not affect the danger level. The strong wind is reshaping the snowcover and eroding the mountaintops across the whole territory, forming snow slabs on all aspects, but especially on the ones from the SE to the NW, across the S. Moreover the low temperatures favour the formation of weak layers in the inner snowcover and below wind slabs, which facilitate the possibility of triggered release. Considerable danger level (3) on the Giulie and Carnic Alps, above 1700 m the triggered release may occur even with low overload, where there are slabs and wind drift accumulations. There are more dangerous locations on the Giulie than on the Carnic Alps. Moderate danger level (2) on the Prealps, anyway be very careful to the accumulation zones above 1800 m, where the release may occur even here with low overload.

Forecast for Tuesday 27 February 2018, reliability: 70% Triggered avalanche danger even with low overload, especially on the Giulie Alps.



Snow cover conditions and avalanche danger: On Tuesday the temperatures will still be extremely low. Considerable avalanche danger (3) on the Giulie and Carnic Alps, due to possible triggered release of snow drift slabs of small or medium size, even with low overload. Accumulations and slabs will still mostly affect the aspects from the SE to the NW, across the S. The weak layers forming in the inner snowcover and below slabs will emphasize the instability, because of the low temperatures. Moderate danger level (2) on the Prealps, because the snowcover is more stable. Here again avalanches may be triggered even by a low overload in the accumulation zones above 1800 m.

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1 Low

2 Moderate

No snow

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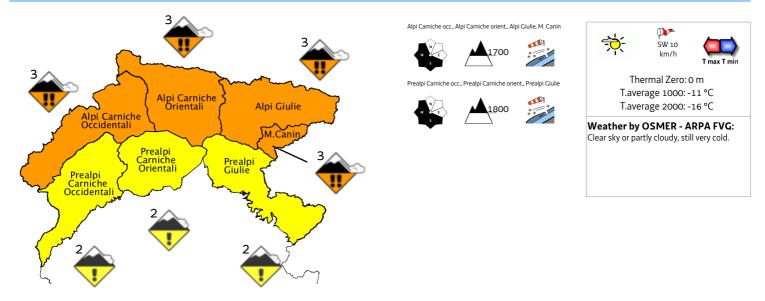
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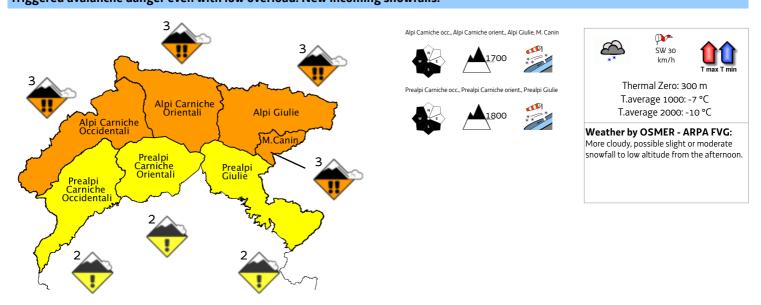
Forecast for Wednesday 28 February 2018, reliability: 70%

Triggered avalanche danger even with low overload, especially on the Giulie Alps.



Snow cover conditions and avalanche danger: Expected still very low temperatures across the whole territory on Wednesday. Still considerable avalanche danger (3) on the Giulie and Carnic Alps due to possible triggered release of snow drift slabs of small or medium size, even with low overload above 1700 m. Accumulations and slabs will mostly affect the aspects from the SE to the NW, across the S. The weak layers in the inner snowcover and below slabs will favour the instability, because of the low temperatures. Moderate danger level (2) on the Prealps, because the snowcover is more stable. Here again avalanches may be triggered even by a low overload in the accumulation zones above 1800 m.

Forecast for Thursday 01 March 2018, reliability: 70% Triggered avalanche danger even with low overload. New incoming snowfalls.



Snow cover conditions and avalanche danger: New snowfalls (generally moderate) to low altitude on Thursday. The avalanche danger level will lightly and gradually increase, because the new snow will lay down on the old snowcover, which was strongly reshaped by the wind and which contains some weak layers. Considerable avalanche danger (3) on the Giulie and Carnic Alps due to possible triggered release of medium or small-sized avalanches, even with low overload above 1700 m. The most dangerous aspects are the ones from the SE to the NW, across the S. Still moderate danger level (2) on the Prealps. Here again avalanches may be triggered even by a low overload in the accumulation zones above 1800 m.

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