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AVALANCHE BULLETIN n.57 the 20 March 2020



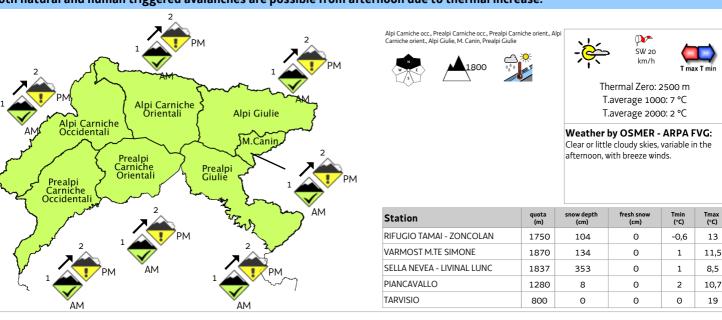
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Situation of 20 March 2020 edition of the hours 14-next update 23-03-2020 hours 14, forecaster: DM

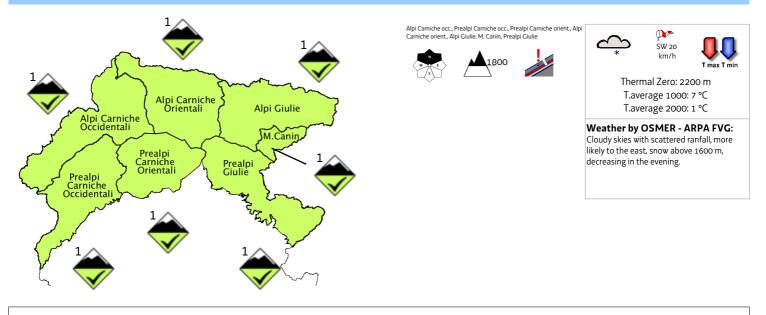
reliability: 90%

Both natural and human triggered avalanches are possible from afternoon due to thermal increase.



Snow cover conditions and avalanche danger: Still good weather, the snowpack now has typical spring characteristics. The melting and freezing cycles have favored a good snowpack bonding in all the exposures. The avalanche danger is 1 (low) in the morning increasing to 2 (moderate) from late morning all over the whole mountain territory. During hottest hours, above 1800 m small natural loose avalanches are possible, especially from the very steep sunny slopes. Always during the hottest hours and from the steep sunny slopes small human triggered avalanches of wet or moist snow can occur when skiing. In very steep sunny slopes to the northern aspects, where the snow is not well transformed yet, small human triggering can occur, generally with high additional load.

Forecast for Saturday 21 March 2020, reliability: 90% Possible new snowfall above 1600 m from the afternoon.



Snow cover conditions and avalanche danger: On Saturday from afternoon to evening there will be light snowfall only over about 1600 m, with a decrease in temperatures and snow altitude during the night. The avalanche danger will be 1 (low) all over the whole mountain area. Despite the light rainfall expected in the evening, the snowpack will be mostly well bonded and stable everywhere. Natural avalanche activity will be almost completely absent. The human triggering will only be possible with high additional load on areas with snow that has not yet been completely transformed and located above 2000 m of extremely shaded aspects on extreme slopes.

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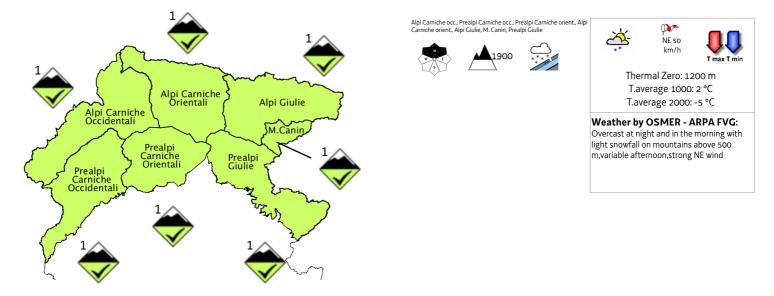


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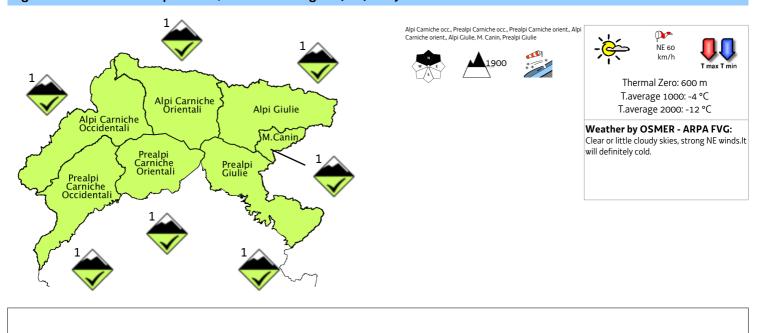
Forecast for Sunday 22 March 2020, reliability: 80%

Significant decrease in temperatures, avalanches danger 1 (low) everywhere.



Snow cover conditions and avalanche danger: The light rainfall expected during the night between Saturday and Sunday, snowy up to about 700 m, accompanied by a significant decrease in temperatures, will not change the avalanche danger situation which will be 1 (low) throughout the mountain area. Only small loose snow discharge will be possible from the rocky crags and steep extreme slopes in all aspects. The strong NE winds expected will favor small wind-drifted snow deposits in all aspects. In areas with larger wind-drifted snow deposits located above 1900-2000 m it will be possible to have limited human triggering generally with high additional load. Beware of possible icy areas almost everywhere.

Forecast for Monday 23 March 2020, reliability: 80% Significant decrease in temperatures, avalanches danger 1 (low) everywhere.



Snow cover conditions and avalanche danger: Monday the weather will be nice but it will be definitely cold for the period. The avalanche danger will be 1 (low) over the whole mountain territory. Only small loose snow discharges will be possible from the rocky crags and steep extreme slopes in all aspects but from the sunny ones in particular. In areas with larger wind-drifted snow deposits located above 1900-2000 m it will be possible to have limited human triggering generally with high additional load. Beware of possible icy areas almost everywhere.

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