

## Danger Level 2 - Moderate



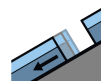
**Tendency: Constant avalanche danger** →  
 on Saturday 23 11 2019



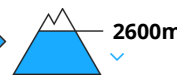
Wind-drifted  
 snow



2400m



Gliding snow



2600m

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On steep grassy slopes more gliding avalanches are possible, especially in the regions exposed to heavier precipitation. Caution is to be exercised in areas with glide cracks. The danger of gliding avalanches will increase a little during the day.

### Snowpack

**Danger patterns**

dp 2: gliding snow

dp 6: cold, loose snow and wind

The snowpack will be moist at low and intermediate altitudes. The fresh wind slabs are lying on soft layers in particular on shady slopes above approximately 2400 m. The somewhat older wind slabs have bonded well with the old snowpack in all aspects. Faceted weak layers exist deep in the old snowpack above approximately 3000 m.

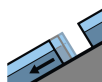
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