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Danger Level 2 - Moderate



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on Sunday 23 01 2022

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Snowpack

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Tendency

The avalanche danger will persist. Fresh wind slabs require caution. Here the danger is higher.

Danger Level 1 - Low



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