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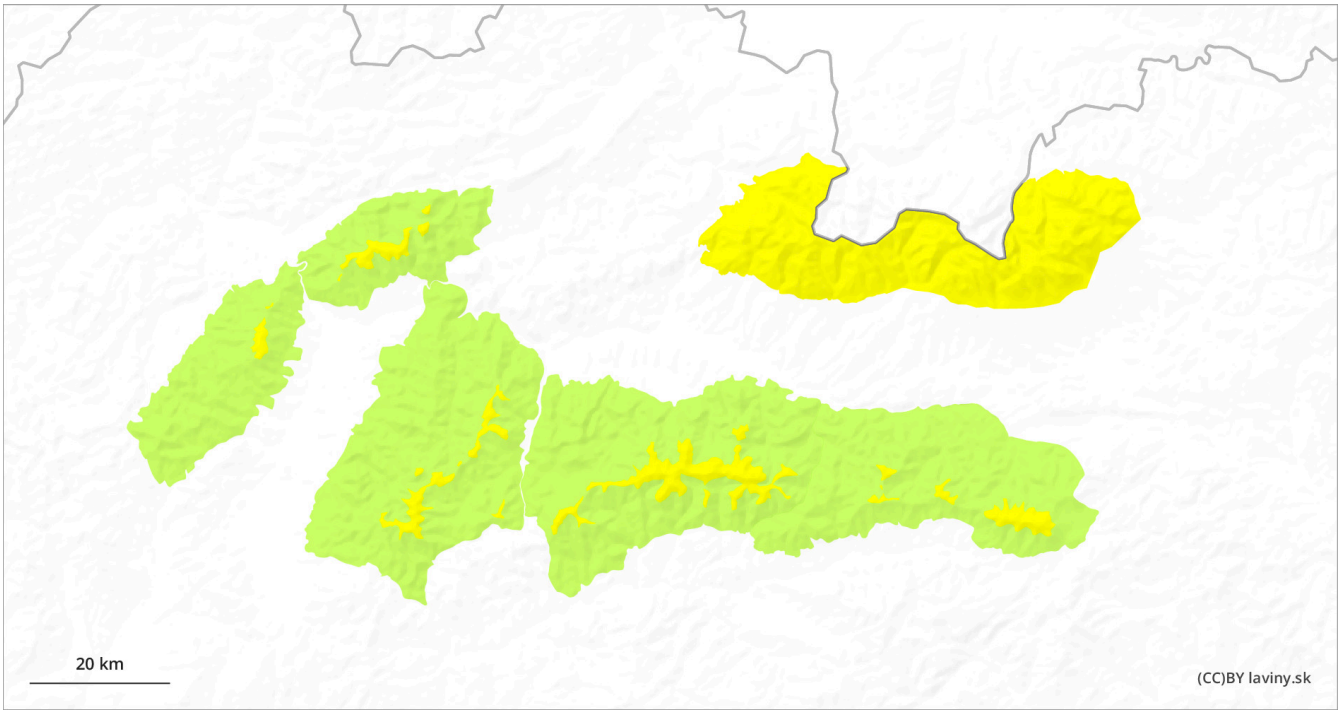

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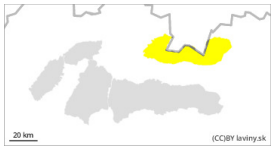
Danger Level 2 - Moderate



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Tendency: Constant avalanche danger
on Sunday 01 03 2026

Wet snow

Snowpack stability: fair
Frequency: some
Avalanche size: large

Beware of significant warming during the day - snow will become heavier, possible spontaneous avalanches

Moderate avalanche danger (2nd degree) is declared in the High and Western Tatras. During the last period of snowfall, up to 30 cm of new snow was added, which was transported by strong winds mainly to the southeastern slopes. Thursday's and Friday's warming caused significant avalanche activity. The avalanche-prone situation (level 3) stabilised slightly due to the warming of the last day and the overnight freeze. The main problem will be wet snow on S exposures, especially on steep sunny slopes. Beware, this situation will occur due to the significant warming already in the morning on the eastern slopes. The current situation on the ground requires good decisions, avoid steep places, beware of a larger layer of melted snow, but also avoid places where the blown snow from the last snowfall is evident and did not fall with the avalanche in the previous days. In the event of an avalanche release, avalanches of medium to large size, even spontaneous avalanches, are a risk.

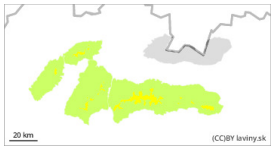
Snowpack

Saturday's weather will be influenced by an outbreak of high pressure, we expect very warm and sunny weather. Temperatures will reach positive numbers even at the highest altitudes. A crust, or ice layer, has formed on the surface of the snow cover on the S side. On the S side of the mountains, the snow still retains a powdery character. Sunny weather and warming will cause the snow cover to become wetter and the cohesion of the individual layers to decrease, especially as midday approaches. The snow cover remains well below average, especially at altitudes up to 1500 m above sea level.

Tendency

rising during the day as the day warms up, falling as the evening approaches.

Danger Level 2 - Moderate



Treeline

Tendency: Constant avalanche danger
on Sunday 01 03 2026

Wet snow

Treeline

Snowpack stability: fair
Frequency: some
Avalanche size: medium

Beware of significant warming during the day, especially on the south slopes - snow will become heavier, possible spontaneous avalanches

In the Fatras and the Low Tatras a moderate avalanche danger (2nd degree) is declared above the forest zone. During the last period of snowfall, up to 20 cm of new snow was added, which was transported by strong winds mainly to the southeastern slopes. Thursday and Friday's warming caused significant avalanche activity. The avalanche-prone situation is stabilising due to the warming of the last day and the overnight freeze. The main problem will be wet snow on S exposures, especially on steep sunny slopes. Beware, this situation will occur due to the significant warming already in the morning on the eastern slopes. The avalanche situation requires good decisions, avoid steep slopes, watch out for a larger layer of melted firn, but also avoid places where the blown snow from the last snowfall is evident and did not fall with the avalanche in the previous days. In the event of an avalanche release, even medium-sized avalanches, even spontaneous avalanches, are threatened.

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Tendency

rising with the arrival of noon, falling in the evening.

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