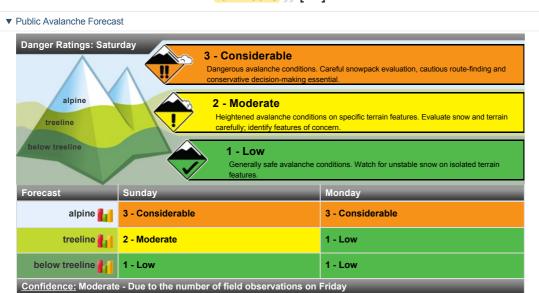
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More new snow has arrived than expected in most areas with touchy new slabs observed in the alpine. Expect conditions to have changed significantly from the last few weeks. 33 [TH]



Past 24 hour weather						
Station	Maximum (°C)	Minimum (°C)	Snowfall (cm)	Snow Pack (cm)	Wind speed	Ridgetop wind direction
Simpson 2115/2320m	-8	-13	15	165	Light (1-25 km/h)	SW
Bow Summit 2040m	-5	-12	0	128	Moderate (26-40 km/h)	W
Sunshine 2200m	-9	-13	15	159	Moderate (26-40 km/h)	W



Travel and Terrain Advice

Use caution above cliffs and terrain traps where small avalanches may have severe consequences. Good group management is essential to manage current conditions safely.

Problem 2: Wind Slabs Touchy new slabs can be found in wind loaded areas up to 40cm thick. These slabs will be found sitting on the weak,

faceted snow that was previously on the surface and we expect the bond to this snow to be poor.

Travel and Terrain Advice

Watch for surface cracking and stiffer surface layers of snow.

The new snow will require several days to settle and stabilize.