

# Avalancherisk assessmentbulletin

(valid outside marked and open slopes)

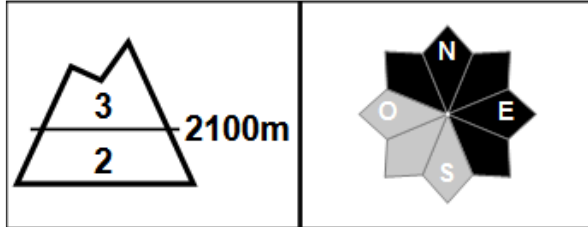
## MASSIVE:CHABLAIS

written on Saturday,February13, 2021 at 4 p.m.

Risk estimate until Sunday,February 14, 2021 in the evening



Above 2100 m: Significant risk. Below: Limited risk.



**Spontaneousdepartures:** Rare sunsets.

**Triggers skiers:** Still a few plates in altitude.

Risk indices: 5 very strong - 4 strong - 3 marked - 2 limited - 1 weak - In black: the most dangerous slopes

### Snowpack stability

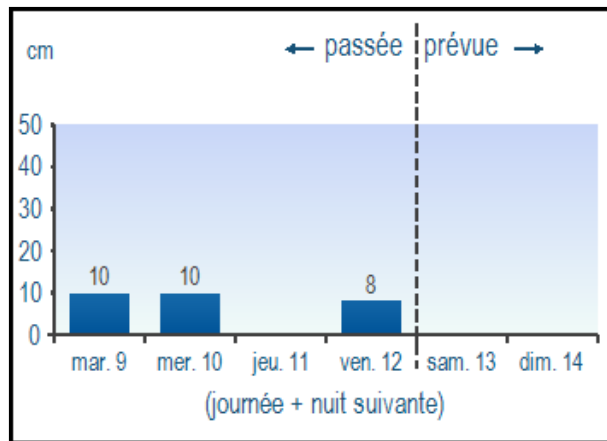
Typical avalanche situation: recent snow, windy snow.

Accidental outbreaks: plaques were recently formed by the northwesterly wind. Powdery in appearance and probably not very thick, they can still be set in motion by an isolated skier.

A thin fragile layer has sometimes formed just above the layer of snow containing the Saharan sand. When it is stressed, the breaks observed are of the order of 40/50 cm. This risk is especially present above 2100/2200 m, because at lower altitude the snowpack has consolidated well before the most recent snowfall.

Spontaneous departures: the natural avalanche activity will be weak on Sunday, being limited to rare surface flows in the steep and sunny corridors that have not yet purged.

### Fresh snow at 1800 m



### Weather preview

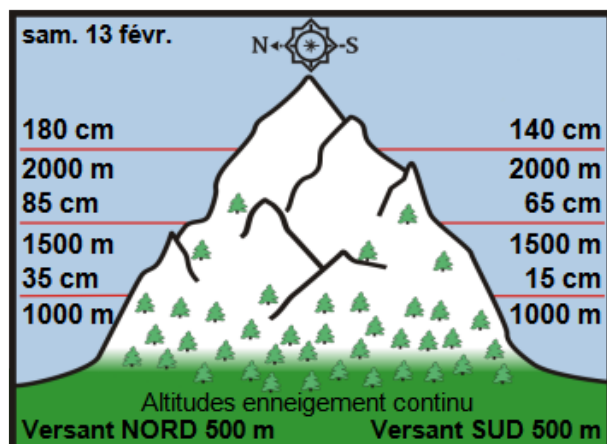
Sunday February 14



### Rain snow

ISO 0 ° C	700 m	1000 m	1200 m
Wind 2000 m	20 km / h	10 km / h	20 km / h
Wind 2500 m	20 km / h	30 km / h	20 km / h

### Off-piste snow depth



### Snow quality

The snow cover is very good for the season. You can only put on skis or snowshoes from 800/1000 m, even if the ground is whitewashed at lower altitude. The snowpack surface is made up of a small layer of powdery snow covering a very heterogeneous snow (crusty, heavy, dense powdery, compacted by the wind, avalanche deposit, etc.).

### Subsequent risk trend

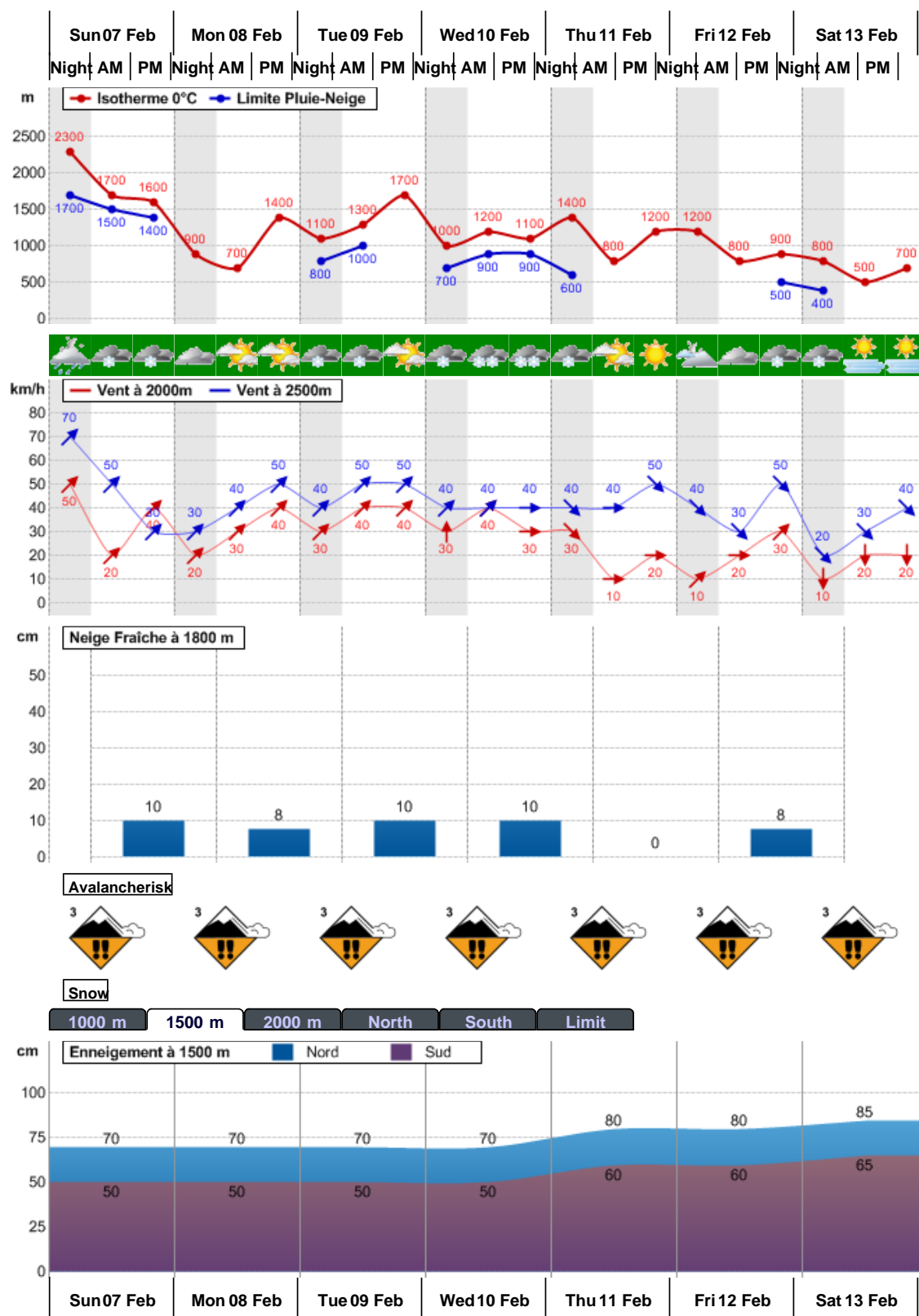
Monday 15:



Tuesday 16:



## Nivo-weather conditions of the last 7 days



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