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### Snow forecast - Thursday 21 February 2013

It will remain cold over the next few days with some sunshine, but also some snow in places. The most significant snow will be on the southern side of the Alps, especially in the Italian Dolomites on Saturday night/Sunday.

#### **Detailed forecast:**

#### Austria

Today (Thursday) will see plenty of fine bright weather, but cloud will tend to increase with a few snow flurries later in the day, especially in the south close to the Italian border. It will feel cold with temperatures below freezing at all skiing altitudes. It will remain cold and rather cloudy on Friday and Saturday with further snow flurries, heaviest in the far south. The best of any sunshine will be in the far west (e.g. Lech) where it may stay dry all day.

There will be little change on **Sunday** with further snow flurries possible almost anywhere, but again heaviest in the far south close to the Italian/Slovenian border.



Cold and cloudy today in Kitzbühel with the chance of a few snow flurries - Photo:

### France

Some resorts will be plagued by cloud today (Thursday) whilst others will have plenty of sunshine - particularly the higher resorts. More general cloud and a few snow flurries will affect the southern Alps as the day goes on, particularly close to the Italian border.

It will be cold everywhere and will remain cold on Friday with further snow flurries in the southern Alps. The northern Alps will be brighter – at least at altitude - with cloud continuing to plague some of the valleys.

On Saturday and Sunday snow flurries are possible almost anywhere, most frequent close to the Italian border regions. It will remain cold.





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Some low cloud around in Les Saisies this morning, but it should stay dry today - Photo: www.lessaisies.com

#### Italy

Today (**Thursday**) will be cold with a few bright or sunny spells but also some snow flurries, more frequent later in the day. There will be little change on **Friday** and **Saturday** with some bright spells but also further snow flurries, turning heavier in the east (Dolomites) later.

**Sunday** will see more widespread snow, heaviest in the Dolomites, where some significant falls are expected. It will remain cold throughout this period with any snow falling to low altitudes.



Cloud thickening in the Sud-Tirol this morning with snowflurries expected later. This is Kronplatz

### **Switzerland**

Today (**Thursday**) and **Friday** will see plenty of sunshine at altitude in the west. However, it will be cloudier at low altitude – and more generally in the east where some snow flurries are possible.

On **Saturday**, light snow flurries are possible almost anywhere though there will also be some brighter periods and some places will stay dry. Snow flurries are likely to become more widespread on **Sunday**. It will remain cold throughout this period with any snow falling to low altitudes.



Cloudy with snow showers in south-eastern Switzerland today. This is St Moritz.

## Outlook:

Snow is likely in the south-western Alps on **Monda**y (mostly western Italian Alps). Otherwise many places will be dry and bright early next week. It will remain on the chilly side, but temperatures should slowly start to recover.

Next detailed snow forecast will be on Monday 25 February, but see  $\underline{\text{Today}}$  in the Alps for daily updates

