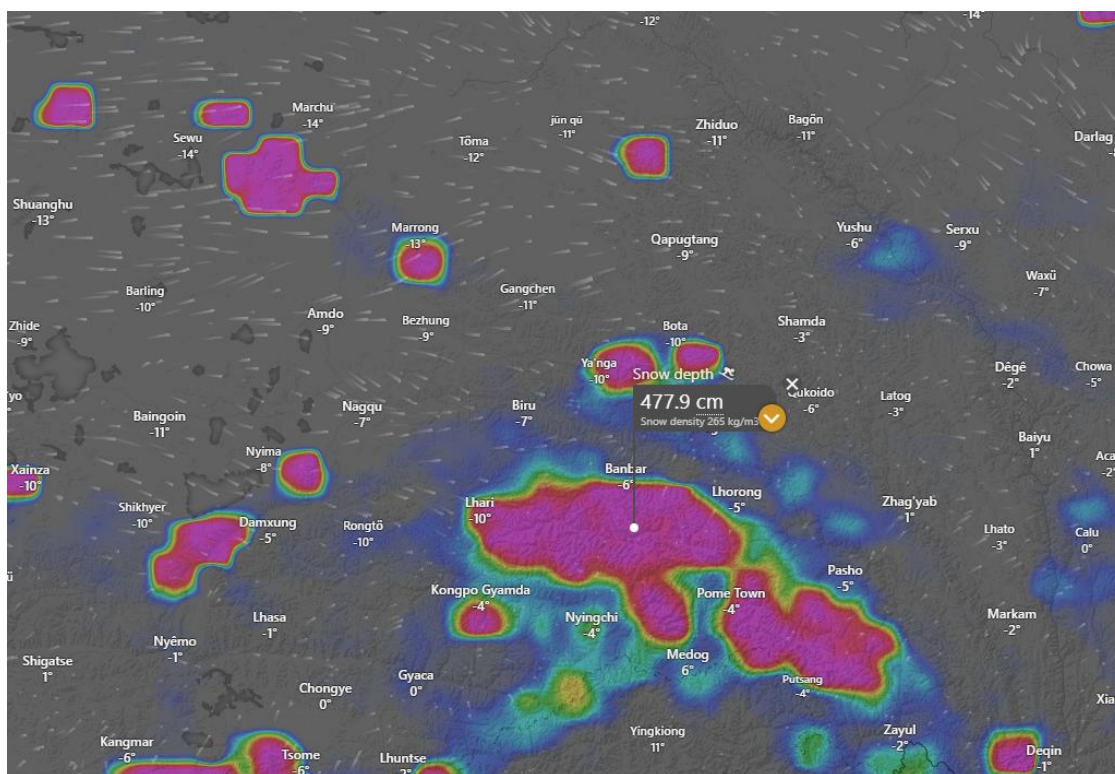# Heavy Snowfall and Cold Wave - China



## Potentially Affected Areas

Eastern & southeastern Tibet—Nyingchi, Bome, Pome Town, Medog, Banbar, Ya'nga, Kongpo Gyamda, parts of Chamdo (Qapugtang–Bota), Zayu and Pashö.

## Hazard Types

Heavy snowfall and cold wave

## Hazard Summary

An episode of extreme snowfall has resulted in exceptionally deep snow accumulation, with snow depth locally reaching around 4.8 meters. The unusually heavy snowpack is creating a very high risk of avalanches, particularly in mountainous and high-elevation terrain. Road networks are likely to be severely disrupted, with possible closures and prolonged transport delays. Remote settlements may face isolation due to blocked passes and limited access.The most impacted areas include eastern and southeastern Tibet, especially Nyingchi, Bome, Pome Town, Medog, Banbar, Ya'nga, Kongpo Gyamda, and parts of Chamdo and Zayu. Continuous monitoring and precautionary measures are strongly advised.