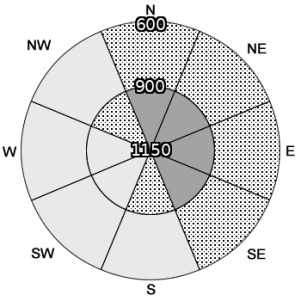


Avalanche Hazard Forecast - FOR PERIOD 18:00HRS Wed 09/02/2022 TO 18:00HRS Thu 10/02/2022



Hazard Level	Avalanche Probability
Very High	Natural and human triggered avalanches will occur. Numerous very large, often extremely large natural avalanches can be expected.
High	Natural and human triggered avalanches will occur. In some cases, numerous large, often very large sized natural avalanches can be expected.
Considerable	Natural and human triggered avalanches possible, in some cases large, in isolated cases very large sized natural avalanches are possible.
Moderate	Very large sized natural avalanches are unlikely. Human triggering possible in indicated steep places.
Low	Only small and medium sized natural avalanches are possible. Human triggering possible in steep, extreme terrain.

Forecast Weather Influences

Snow showers throughout the period with strong South-West veering and becoming West-North-West winds. Remaining cold with the freezing level rising to around 500 metres in the morning before dropping again in the afternoon.

Forecast Snow Stability and Avalanche Hazard

Fresh unstable windslab will add to existing accumulations mainly on North through East to South-East aspects above 900 metres with shallower and more localised accumulations at lower elevations. Gullies, corrie rims and ridge flanks will be particularly affected and recently formed cornices will be fragile. The older snowpack will be frozen and stable. The avalanche hazard will be Considerable.

Observed Avalanche Hazard - Wed 09/02/2022

Observed Weather Influences

There were strong West-South-Westerly winds and occasional snow showers. The freezing level was around 600 metres.

Observed Snow Stability and Avalanche Hazard

Localised accumulations of moderately bonded windslab are developing on North through East to South-East aspects above 800 metres with gullies, corrie rims and ridge flanks particularly affected. The older snowpack has become firm in the colder temperatures and is stable. The avalanche hazard is Moderate.

Mountain Conditions

Observed Mountain Travel Conditions	Snow to low levels with drifting at higher altitudes. Clear at times with poor visibility in showers. Winds 30 - 40 mph, progress difficult in gusts.
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