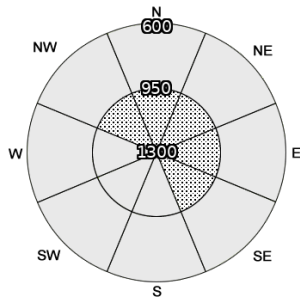


## Avalanche Hazard Forecast - FOR PERIOD 18:00HRS Mon 14/02/2022 TO 18:00HRS Tue 15/02/2022



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

### Forecast Weather Influences

During the night Southerly winds will increase in strength to Gale force, then veer to the West during daylight hours. Dry overnight followed by snow showers during the day. The freezing level will rise to 700 meters in the early morning and then fall to approximately 500 meters by the end of the forecast period.

### Forecast Snow Stability and Avalanche Hazard

Initially, shallow deposits of windslab will be present on South-East to South-West aspects above 900 meters. Overnight and during the day snow will be redistributed to form unstable windslab on North-West through East to South-East aspects above 950 meters. Steep wind sheltered terrain will be most affected especially the tops of gullies and coire rims. Elsewhere the snowpack will be firm and stable. The avalanche hazard will be Moderate.

## Observed Avalanche Hazard - Mon 14/02/2022

### Observed Weather Influences

Strong winds from the North. The Freezing Level was around 950 meters. Light snow above 900 metres, this was heavier during the afternoon.

### Observed Snow Stability and Avalanche Hazard

Stability was generally good. A widespread friable rain crust has developed above 900 metres. Snowpack weaknesses are present above 1000 metres mainly on South-East to South-West aspects. The avalanche hazard is Low.

### Mountain Conditions

#### Observed Mountain Travel Conditions

Diminishing snowpack, good above 800 metres. No visibility throughout the day above 500 metres. Winds 20 -30 mph progress difficult at times with stronger gust

#### Comments

Variable winds will redistribute recent snowfall.