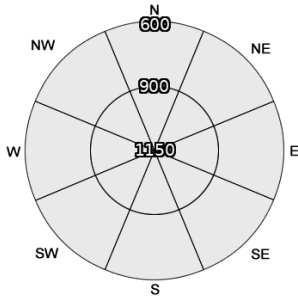


Avalanche Hazard Forecast - FOR PERIOD 18:00HRS Sun 06/03/2022 TO 18:00HRS Mon 07/03/2022



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

No precipitation. Fresh to strong generally Southerly winds. A negative air temperature will be maintained at 900 metres throughout the period.

Forecast Snow Stability and Avalanche Hazard

The vast majority of the snow will be generally well bonded and stable. Localised accumulations of mostly avoidable windslab will persist in steeper wind sheltered locations on East and South-East aspects above 1000 metres but distribution will not be widespread. Greatest snow cover will be encountered above 800 metres. The avalanche hazard will be Low.

Observed Avalanche Hazard - Sun 06/03/2022

Observed Weather Influences

A dry, bright and sunny day with light to moderate South-Westerly winds. Freezing level around 900 metres in the afternoon.

Observed Snow Stability and Avalanche Hazard

Localised areas of moderately bonded windslab are present on mainly East through South to South-West aspects above 900 metres. Direct sunlight was enabling the consolidation process today on open slopes. Worst affected areas are steeper, wind and sun sheltered locations on East and South-East aspects above 1000 metres such as gully lines and behind ridge lines. Elsewhere the snow is generally well bonded. The avalanche hazard is Moderate.

Mountain Conditions

Observed Mountain Travel Conditions

Good cover above 800m. Good visibility. Winds approx 10 - 20 mph fresh, cooling.

Comments

High pressure starting to drift East but Monday is still forecast to be dry with some sunshine....hopefully!