Northern Cairngorms

Avalanche Hazard Forecast

Issued 08/03/2022

FOR PERIOD 18:00HRS Tue 08/03/2022 TO 18:00HRS Wed 09/03/2022

THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE CONSIDERABLE

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Wednesday 09/03/2022

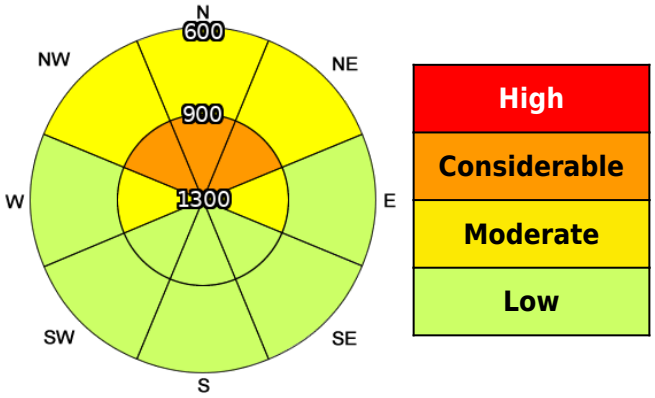
Avalanche Problems



Wind Slab

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

Windslab will develop overnight and through the afternoon in wind sheltered locations above 900 metres. Most affected will be North-West to North-East aspects. Exposed windward aspects will be scoured and stable. Below 900 metres the snowpack will be moist and stability will be better. The avalanche hazard will be Considerable



Forecast Weather Influences

There will be precipitation overnight and then again during the afternoon. This will fall as snow above about 800 metres. The freezing level will around 900 metres overnight, creeping up to 1000 metres during the day. Gales force winds will be from the South.

Comments

Expected to remain windy for the rest of the week.

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