Southern Cairngorms

Avalanche Hazard Forecast

Issued 02/04/2022

FOR PERIOD 18:00HRS Sat 02/04/2022 TO 18:00HRS Sun 03/04/2022

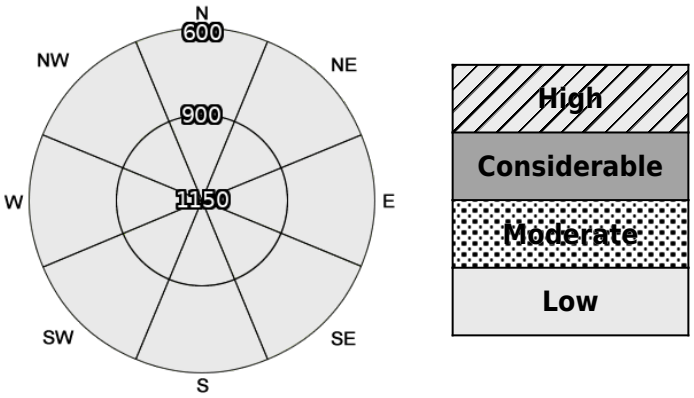
THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE LOW

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Sunday 03/04/2022

Avalanche Problems

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

As thaw conditions become established, minor surface instabilities will be demonstrated on the steepest of ground, in the recent accumulations on South-East to South-West aspects above 950 metres. Elsewhere the snow will be well bonded and stable with recent shallow, soft accumulations thawing rapidly in the mild and wet conditions. The avalanche hazard will be Low.



Forecast Weather Influences

Cloudy but dry conditions overnight and through the morning, with very light snowfall above 800 metres arriving by mid-afternoon. This will rapidly turn to sleet and then rain at all levels as the freezing level rises above the summits. Light Northerly winds overnight, backing as they increase to become gale force West-South-Westerlies by the end of the forecast period.

Comments

Weather deteriorating rapidly during Sunday afternoon. Definitely a day for an early start and early finish....

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