Southern Cairngorms

Avalanche Hazard Forecast

Issued 08/04/2022

FOR PERIOD 18:00HRS Fri 08/04/2022 TO 18:00HRS Sat 09/04/2022

THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE MODERATE

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Avalanche Problems



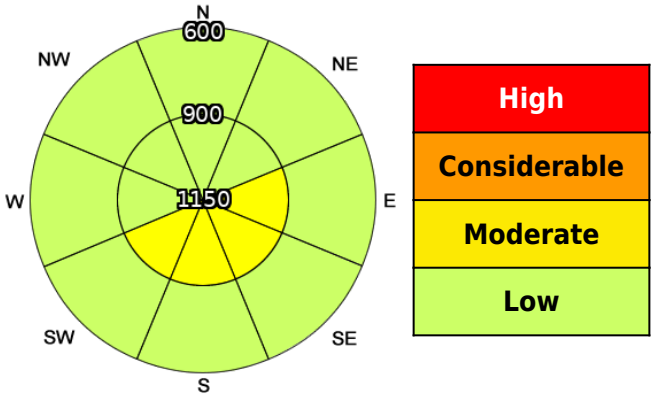
Wind Slab



Cornices

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

Drifting and new snowfall will see new unstable deposits developing on East aspects with deeper areas of windslab persisting on South-East to South-West aspects above 900 metres. Greatest amounts will be found in wind sheltered terrain with stability poorest particularly around gully tops, scarp slopes and on steep convex features. Elsewhere, there will be drifts to low levels with older snow very firm and icy. The avalanche hazard will be Moderate.



Forecast Weather Influences

Remaining cold with snow showers, mainly in the afternoon above 500 metres. Strong winds throughout, mostly North-West during the day.

Comments

The cold wintry conditions continue.

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