Southern Cairngorms

Avalanche Hazard Forecast

Issued 02/01/2024

FOR PERIOD 18:00HRS Tue 02/01/2024 TO 18:00HRS Wed 03/01/2024

THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE MODERATE

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Wednesday 03/01/2024

Avalanche Problems



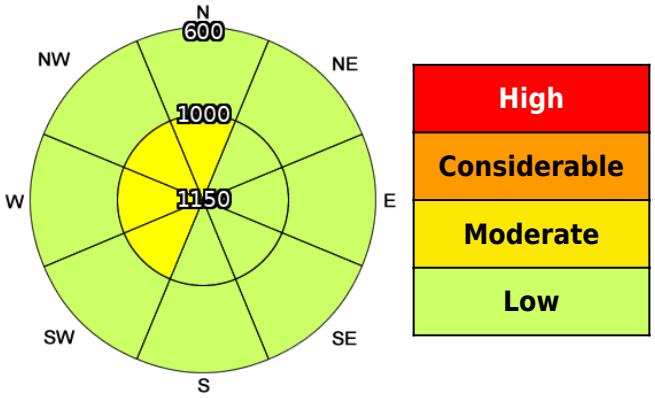
Wind Slab



Cornices

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

The vast majority of the snow will be wet but generally stable, with some minor surface instability on the steepest of terrain. Localised pockets of moderately bonded snow may persist in wind sheltered locations on steep South-West through West to North aspects above 1000 metres. Any remaining cornices will be unstable and prone to collapse, threatening the slopes beneath. The avalanche hazard will be Moderate.



Forecast Weather Influences

Very light intermittent precipitation, falling as snow, initially only above 1100 metres, then from mid-morning above 1050 metres. Light South-Easterly winds throughout. 1150 metre freezing level overnight, 1050 metres during the day.

Comments

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