Southern Cairngorms

Avalanche Hazard Forecast

Issued 14/02/2024

FOR PERIOD 18:00HRS Wed 14/02/2024 TO 18:00HRS Thu 15/02/2024

THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE MODERATE

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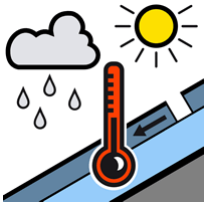
Avalanche Problems

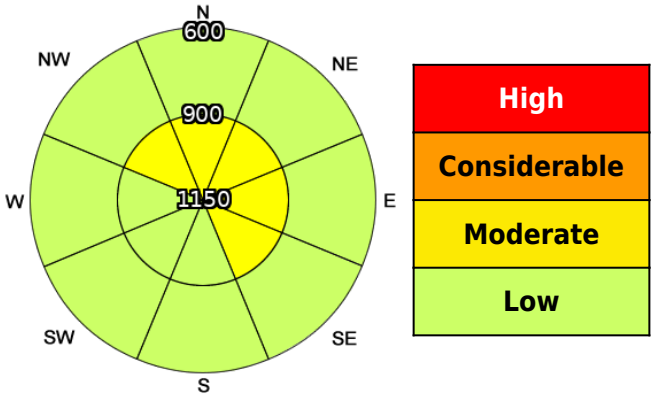


Wet Snow

Cornices

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

The snowpack will thaw at all levels with many areas starting to consolidate. Localised instabilities will develop with greatest hazard being found around corrie rims, gully tops and scarp slopes on North-West through North-East to South-East aspects above 900 metres. Isolated wet snow surface instabilities will also be possible on other steep slopes. Any cornices will be prone to collapse. The avalanche hazard will be Moderate.



Forecast Weather Influences

Turning mild with the freezing level lifting above the summits. Rain at all levels, heaviest overnight and South of the Dee. Winds will be moderate East-South-East veering to the South-South-West during the day.

Comments

There will be a period of instability before the snow pack starts to consolidate later in the day.

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