Lochaber

Avalanche Hazard Forecast

Issued 03/03/2024

FOR PERIOD 18:00HRS Sun 03/03/2024 TO 18:00HRS Mon 04/03/2024

THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE MODERATE

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Monday 04/03/2024

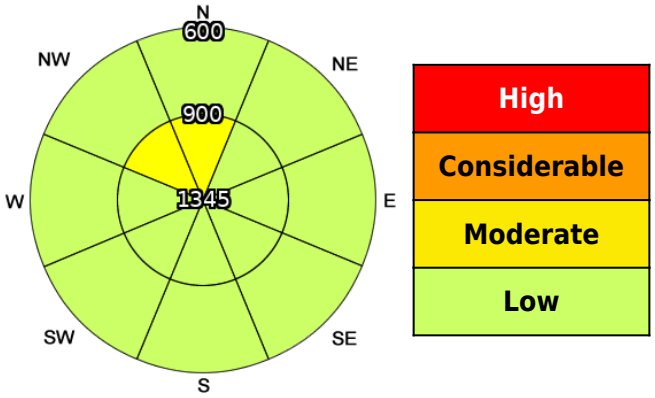
Avalanche Problems



Wind Slab

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

Generally the snow pack will be well bonded and stable. Where accumulations achieve depth in isolated areas, moderately bonded windslab will be present, mostly on North-West to Northerly aspects above 900 metres. These areas will not be extensive and will be confined to steep wind sheltered locations such as gully tops, coire rims and natural depressions. Firm and icy conditions will be found on plateaus and wind exposed locations. The avalanche hazard will be Moderate.



Forecast Weather Influences

A dry day is forecasted. The freezing level will remain constant at 800 metres overnight and at dawn before slowly rising to 1200 metres by the end of the day. Moderate winds, generally from the South-East will increase slightly during the day.

Comments

Another dry day expected in the SAIS Lochaber area. Despite the freezing level rising, air temperatures remain cold so no drastic change from today.

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