Southern Cairngorms

Avalanche Hazard Forecast

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FOR PERIOD 18:00HRS Mon 01/04/2024 TO 18:00HRS Tue 02/04/2024

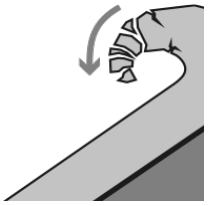
THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE MODERATE

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Avalanche Problems



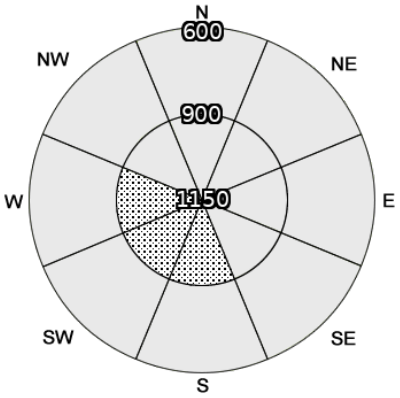
Wind Slab



Cornices

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

New unstable windslab will develop on South to West aspects above 900 metres. Stability will be poor where accumulations achieve depth over existing old hard snow around gully tops, scarp slopes and on steep convex features. Elsewhere, older snow will be very firm and icy with a dusting elsewhere. The avalanche hazard will be Moderate.



Forecast Weather Influences

Overnight will see snowfall above 900 metres but this level will lift closer to 1000 metres during the day with rain at lower levels. Winds initially strong from the North-East but easing progressively during the day and veering East North-East.

Comments

Likely to be a poor day on the tops with rain and snowfall forecast. Old snow will become very firm, often icy.

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