Torridon

Avalanche Hazard Forecast

Issued 04/04/2024

FOR PERIOD 18:00HRS Thu 04/04/2024 TO 18:00HRS Fri 05/04/2024

THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE LOW

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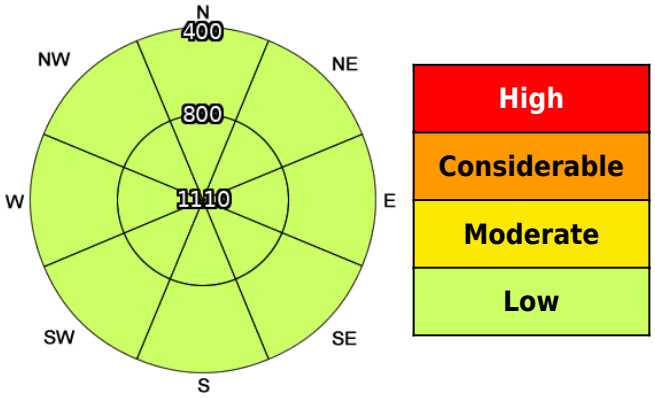
Avalanche Problems



Wind Slab

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

Where accumulations gain depth, fresh windslab will build on South-West to North-West aspects above 800 metres. Areas most affected will be steep wind sheltered locations such as coire rims and gully tops. These will be isolated in nature, easily avoidable and will begin to stabilise during the day. The existing old snowpack will be well bonded and stable in all locations. The avalanche hazard will be Low.



Forecast Weather Influences

Fresh snowfall expected overnight, initially to as low as 400 metres before rising to 800 metres during the afternoon. Easterly winds will increase to gale force overnight before easing slightly through the day. The freezing level will be around 500 metres before rising above the summits in the afternoon.

Comments

More snow can be found on inland hills. Storm Kathleen will bring challenging hill conditions by the weekend.

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