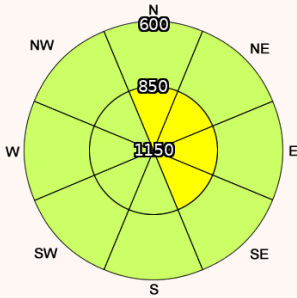


Avalanche Hazard Forecast - FOR PERIOD 18:00HRS Tue 04/02/2025 TO 18:00HRS Wed 05/02/2025



Hazard Level	Avalanche Probability
Very High	Natural and human triggered avalanches will occur. Numerous very large, often extremely large natural avalanches can be expected.
High	Natural and human triggered avalanches will occur. In some cases, numerous large, often very large sized natural avalanches can be expected.
Considerable	Natural and human triggered avalanches possible, in some cases large, in isolated cases very large sized natural avalanches are possible.
Moderate	Very large sized natural avalanches are unlikely. Human triggering possible in indicated steep places.
Low	Only small and medium sized natural avalanches are possible. Human triggering possible in steep, extreme terrain.

Forecast Weather Influences

Snow showers will affect slopes above 700 metres, winds will be fresh to strong generally West-South-Westerly, the freezing level will be around 650 metres.

Forecast Snow Stability and Avalanche Hazard

A return to colder conditions will start to re-freeze the older snowpack giving good general stability. New snow and wind transport of existing overnight snow will form localised areas of windslab in sheltered locations. Most affected will be summit gullies and steep slopes with a North through East to South-Easterly aspect mainly above 850 metres where old re-frozen snow underlies windslab. Small fragile cornices may also form in these areas. The avalanche hazard will be Moderate.

Observed Avalanche Hazard - Tue 04/02/2025

Observed Weather Influences

Mild and wet conditions overnight becoming cooler through today with light snow showers affecting slopes above 900 metres.

Observed Snow Stability and Avalanche Hazard

Mild, wet and windy conditions have reduced snow cover. The snowpack is soft, moist and generally stable. Isolated surface wet snow instabilities exist on the steepest slopes, these are generally avoidable. The avalanche hazard is Low.

Mountain Conditions

Observed Mountain Travel Conditions

Wet snowpack. Winds approx 20 mph. Cloud base was at 700 metres all day.

Comments

New snow amounts are not generally expected to be great but isolated 20 centimetres possible over higher ground. Avalanche hazard will be localised.