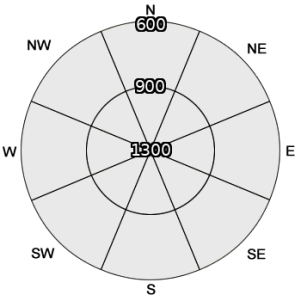


Avalanche Hazard Forecast - FOR PERIOD 18:00HRS Fri 05/12/2025 TO 18:00HRS Sat 06/12/2025



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 fall above 700 metres, confined to elevations above 1100 metres later. Winds will remain very strong to gale force and predominately from the South-East. The freezing level will be around 1000 metres overnight rising to 1200 metres during daylight hours.

Forecast Snow Stability and Avalanche Hazard

Accumulations of fresh soft windslab will be deposited on North-West to North-East aspects above 1100 metres. Accumulations will be mostly found in steep wind sheltered locations, such as coire rims and gully tops. Outwith these areas the snowpack will be subject to slow consolidation in the fluctuating temperatures. Small cornices are expected to develop overnight. The avalanche hazard will be Low.

Observed Avalanche Hazard - Fri 05/12/2025

Observed Weather Influences

A mainly dry day with some very light showers falling as snow at summit levels. Winds were strong in the morning increasing to gale force later. The freezing level was around 1100 metres.

Observed Snow Stability and Avalanche Hazard

Accumulations of fresh soft windslab are present on North-West to North-East aspects above 1100 metres. Areas such as coire rims and gully tops are particularly affected. Below this level the snowpack is generally moist and subject to a slow thaw, with the greatest snow cover present above 900 metres. The avalanche hazard is Low.

Mountain Conditions

Observed Mountain Travel Conditions	Deep snow in sheltered locations at plateau level. Hard going on foot in soft snow at lower elevations. Cloud base was at 900 metres most of the day. Winds approx 40-50 mph in the afternoon making progress very difficult and strenuous at summit levels.
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