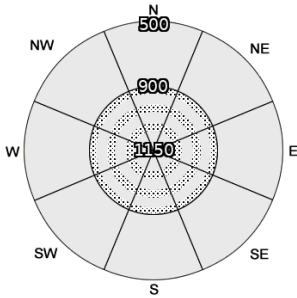


**Avalanche Hazard Forecast - FOR PERIOD 18:00HRS Fri 12/02/2010 TO 18:00HRS Sat 13/02/2010**



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

**Forecast Weather Influences**

Settled, dry and cool conditions will prevail with light Northerly winds with the freezing around 700 metres.

**Forecast Snow Stability and Avalanche Hazard**

Little change is expected to the snowpack. Isolated but moderately bonded deposits will persist on a wide range of aspects, mainly on the steepest slopes above 900 metres. Gully exits, steep scarp slopes and cornices will have the greatest hazard. The avalanche hazard will be Moderate.

**Observed Avalanche Hazard - Fri 12/02/2010**

**Observed Weather Influences**

Overnight frost at lower levels, followed by a mainly dry day with light Northerly winds. Summit temperatures around minus 1.6c with surface hoar above 900 metres.

**Observed Snow Stability and Avalanche Hazard**

Localised and isolated deposits of moderately bonded snow is present on steeper slopes on many aspects above 900 metres. Elsewhere the snowpack is generally stable. The avalanche hazard is Moderate.

**Mountain Conditions**

**Observed Mountain Travel Conditions**

General snow cover is above 700 metres.

**Comments**

Good climbing and ski conditions in the Coe.