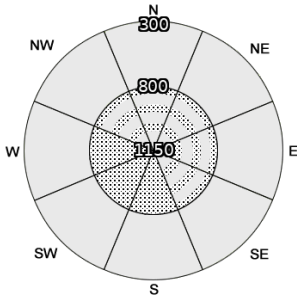


Avalanche Hazard Forecast - FOR PERIOD 18:00HRS Mon 08/03/2010 TO 18:00HRS Tue 09/03/2010



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

High pressure will maintain the dry settled conditions. The freezing level will be 700 metres and winds will be light to moderate variable.

Forecast Snow Stability and Avalanche Hazard

The general snowpack stability will continue to improve but localised instabilities will exist in the most sheltered gullies, on steep scarp slopes and around corniced areas. The avalanche hazard will be Moderate.

Observed Avalanche Hazard - Mon 08/03/2010

Observed Weather Influences

It has been calm dry and sunny all day. The freezing level was 800 metres.

Observed Snow Stability and Avalanche Hazard

Snowpack stability is generally good in most locations but localised instabilities exist in the most sheltered of gullies on steep scarp slopes and corniced areas. The avalanche hazard is Moderate

Mountain Conditions

Observed Mountain Travel Conditions

Main cover above 500 metres

Comments

Monday was the perfect day for the West Highlands, Outlook for Tuesday looking good. Cornices will be prone to collapse with rising daytime temperatures.