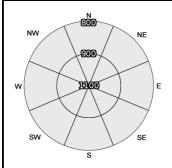
Avalanche Hazard Forecast - FOR PERIOD 18:00HRS Sat 05/03/2011 TO 18:00HRS Sun 06/03/2011



Hazard Level	Avalanche Probabilty
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

Dry with moderate South-West winds. Projected freezing level 800 metres overnight and during the day.

Forecast Snow Stability and Avalanche Hazard

Colder temperatures will maintain good stability in all locations and at all levels. The avalanche hazard will be Low.

Observed Avalanche Hazard - Sat 05/03/2011

Observed Weather Influences

Dry and cooler at some altitudes for a time but the freezing level was above the summits. Light South-West winds.

Observed Snow Stability and Avalanche Hazard

The snowpack continues to thaw gently at most levels and is generally well stabilised. Residual cornices threaten to collapse on to slopes below. The avalanche hazard is Low.

Mountain Conditions

Observed Mountain Travel Conditions	Looking very patchy with best cover now above 800m.
Comments	Creag Meagaidh quite busy on Saturday with a catholic mix of hillwalkers and climbers.