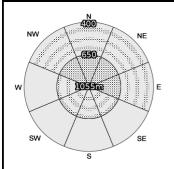
Avalanche Hazard Forecast - FOR PERIOD 18:00HRS Sat 06/02/2016 TO 18:00HRS Sun 07/02/2016



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

There will be a colder South-West airflow tonight, gale force at times, veering Westerly and easing during the morning. The wind then becomes variable, backing Easterly before returning South-South-East. Prolonged showers are expected through out the day falling as snow on higher ground. At first the freezing level will rise, then lower to hover around 650 metres.

Forecast Snow Stability and Avalanche Hazard

The old snow pack will stabilise with the lower temperatures. New windslab instabilities will build on West through North to East aspects above 650 metres, especially on corrie rims, gully tops and scarp slopes. Due to cross loading localised windslab instabilities will affect all other aspects. The avalanche hazard will be Moderate

Observed Avalanche Hazard - Sat 06/02/2016

Observed Weather Influences

A dry and bright day with fresh South winds. The freezing level was around 650 metres.

Observed Snow Stability and Avalanche Hazard

In general the snow pack is moderately well bonded with pockets of wind slab instabilities on all aspects above 650 metres. The avalanche hazard is Moderate.

Mountain Conditions

Observed Mountain Travel Conditions	Some breakable crust above 600 m, firm snow. Good visibility with winds of 20 -30 mph.
Comments	Nice dry travel conditions, cold in the shade.