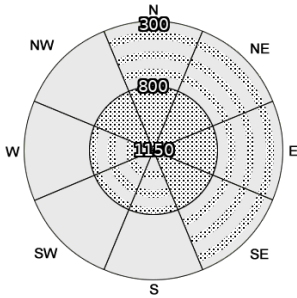


Avalanche Hazard Forecast - FOR PERIOD 18:00HRS Thu 11/02/2016 TO 18:00HRS Fri 12/02/2016



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

It should remain dry throughout the forecast period with fresh Easterly winds. The freezing level will lower to 300 metres with a frost in the glens.

Forecast Snow Stability and Avalanche Hazard

Little change is expect to the snowpack through this forecast period, localised pockets of moderately bonded windslab will persist on steep Northerly through East to South-East aspects mostly above 850 metres. Elsewhere the snowpack will be generally stable and well bonded. Cornices will be fragile. The avalanche hazard will be Moderate.

Observed Avalanche Hazard - Thu 11/02/2016

Observed Weather Influences

Above 300 metres snow showers fell during the night and continued till midday, the winds were moderate from the North-West and the freezing level was around 450 metres.

Observed Snow Stability and Avalanche Hazard

Localised pockets of moderately bonded windslab is present on steep North through East to South-East aspects mostly above 850 metres. Elsewhere the snowpack is generally stable and well bonded. The avalanche hazard is Moderate.

Mountain Conditions

Observed Mountain Travel Conditions

Snow cover mainly above 400 metres some deeper accumulations at higher elevations. Snow showers in the morning with poor visibility this improved in the afternoon. Fresh North-Westerly winds approx 10-18 mph.

Comments