Northern Cairngorms

Avalanche Hazard Forecast

Issued 17/02/2016

FOR PERIOD 18:00HRS Wed 17/02/2016 TO 18:00HRS Thu 18/02/2016

THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE MODERATE

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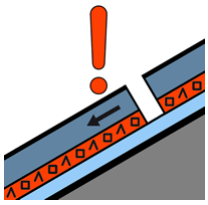
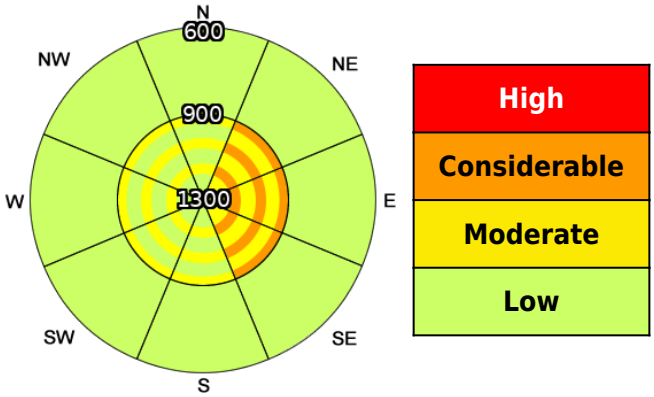
Avalanche Problems



Persistent Weak Layers

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

The snowpack will continue to stabilise and will be generally well bonded in most areas. Some deep instabilities persist in the moderately stable snowpack on mainly North-West to North-Easterly aspects above 950 metres, with steep and convex terrain most affected. Many areas are scoured with bare ground and firm snow-ice. The avalanche hazard will be Moderate



Forecast Weather Influences

Winds will be light to moderate strength South-Westerly throughout the forecast period. A mainly dry day with some light snowfall at the end of the afternoon. Freezing levels will be around 500 metres.

Comments

Good tomorrow with snowfall and unsettled conditions from friday.

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