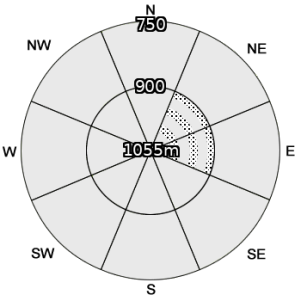


Avalanche Hazard Forecast - FOR PERIOD 18:00HRS Mon 04/04/2016 TO 18:00HRS Tue 05/04/2016



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

Light precipitation throughout the forecast period falling as sleet and snow over the highest summits. Light North-East winds will back to the West and increase to moderate by the end of the day. The freezing level will gradually fall from around 1200 metres to 900 metres by the end of the day.

Forecast Snow Stability and Avalanche Hazard

The soft thawing snowpack which remains of North-East to East aspects above 750 metres will remain generally well bonded throughout. New windslab will develop on these aspects above 900 metres. Accumulations are expected to be very localised and mostly confined to corrie rims and gully tops. Some surface sloughs and rock fall are possible on steep slopes. Glide cracks on East slopes will continue to widen due to snow creep. The avalanche hazard will be Moderate

Observed Avalanche Hazard - Mon 04/04/2016

Observed Weather Influences

A dry morning with heavy rain at all levels during the afternoon. Mild temperatures, with light to moderate Easterly winds.

Observed Snow Stability and Avalanche Hazard

The snowpack is soft and thawing at all levels with greatest accumulations remaining on North-East to East aspects above 750 metres. In general the snowpack is well bonded and stable in all locations. The avalanche hazard is Low.

Mountain Conditions

Observed Mountain Travel Conditions	Diminishing snowpack, good above 800 metres on N to E aspects. Clear in the morning with poor visibility over the summits during the rain in the afternoon. Winds approx 10mph or less
Comments	Cooler conditions expected later in the week.