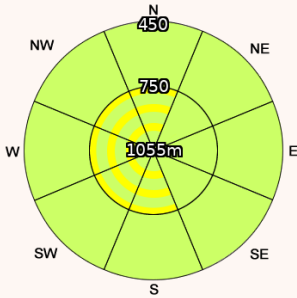


Avalanche Hazard Forecast - FOR PERIOD 18:00HRS Sat 06/01/2018 TO 18:00HRS Sun 07/01/2018



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

High pressure weather will dominate. Remaining dry and generally bright throughout. Cloud building through the afternoon. The light East wind with veer South overnight and freshen through the day. Frost in the glen with the freezing level generally around 300 metres.

Forecast Snow Stability and Avalanche Hazard

Pockets of moderately well bonded windslab will persist in localised areas, mainly steep slopes, South through West to North aspects above 750 metres, with gully exits, coire rims and ridge flanks most affected, particularly where the windslab gains depth; Otherwise, the general snowpack will have good stability. The avalanche hazard will be Moderate.

Observed Avalanche Hazard - Sat 06/01/2018

Observed Weather Influences

A generally dry and bright day, partly cloudy; cloud base above summit level. Cold, with the freezing level remaining around 250 metres and a fresh North-East wind, easing later.

Observed Snow Stability and Avalanche Hazard

Localised areas of moderately well bonded windslab exists in wind sheltered locations, mainly steep slopes, South through West to North aspects above 750 metres. Otherwise, the general snowpack has good stability. The avalanche hazard is Moderate.

Mountain Conditions

Observed Mountain Travel Conditions

Breakable crust persists at mid to upper levels, tiring conditions. Good visibility. Winds 10-20 mph fresh and cooling.

Comments

Good day to be on the hill, although hard work in the breakable crust and on icy paths, particularly at mid levels. High windchill.