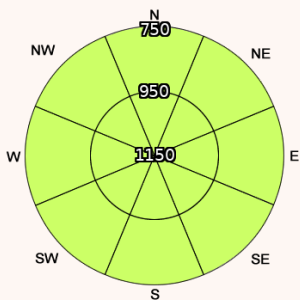


Avalanche Hazard Forecast - FOR PERIOD 18:00HRS Wed 10/04/2019 TO 18:00HRS Thu 11/04/2019



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

Dry conditions with light variable winds will affect the area. It will be cooler overnight giving a frost but becoming milder through the day particularly in areas affected by solar warming. The freezing level will be around 1150 metres rising slightly through the day. Deep shaded areas such as gullies will remain cold throughout the day.

Forecast Snow Stability and Avalanche Hazard

The snowpack will continue to slowly thaw but stability will remain generally good on all aspects and elevations. However, on very steep North-West through North to East aspects above 950 metres localised surface instabilities and wet snow sloughs are possible. Cornices above these aspects will also be unstable and prone to collapse. The avalanche hazard will be Low.

Observed Avalanche Hazard - Wed 10/04/2019

Observed Weather Influences

Cooler conditions overnight gave way to a mild, generally calm and clear Spring day.

Observed Snow Stability and Avalanche Hazard

The surface layer of the snowpack is moist particularly where affected by solar warming but stability remains generally good on all aspects and elevations. Cornices are soft and prone to collapse. The avalanche hazard is Low.

Mountain Conditions

Observed Mountain Travel Conditions	Diminishing snowpack, mainly above 750 metres, Mild conditions after an overnight frost. Calm conditions.
Comments	Another bright and sunny day in prospect. Snowpack may be firm and icy in shaded locations with possibility of some serious run outs onto exposed rocks.