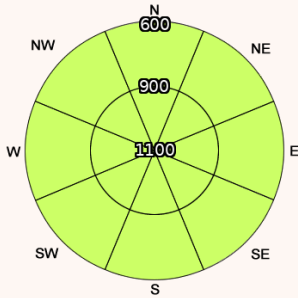


Avalanche Hazard Forecast - FOR PERIOD 18:00HRS Fri 03/01/2020 TO 18:00HRS Sat 04/01/2020



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

Some snow and rain in slowly rising temperatures overnight; mostly dry during the day. The Freezing level will be above summits again by the end of the period. The strong West winds will ease overnight becoming moderate West-South-Westerly.

Forecast Snow Stability and Avalanche Hazard

Small accumulations of new moderately bonded windslab will exist, with localised instabilities on steep, sheltered mainly North-East to East facing aspects above 900 metres. Gully tops and coire rims will be the most affected areas. Good stability in all other locations. The avalanche hazard will be Low.

Observed Avalanche Hazard - Fri 03/01/2020

Observed Weather Influences

It has been a cool day with some sleet and snow at coire levels. The winds have been moderate to strong Westerly.

Observed Snow Stability and Avalanche Hazard

There has been a light dusting of fresh snow on the tops; this has not brought any significant change to the avalanche hazard. The snowpack is very patchy and limited to North to East aspects above 850 metre. The old remaining snow patches are re-frozen and well stabilised. The avalanche hazard is Low.

Mountain Conditions

Observed Mountain Travel Conditions

A dusting of fresh with some icy paths and hillsides. Clearing at times poor visibility in showers Winds 20-30 mph progress difficult at times with stronger gusts

Comments