Glencoe

Avalanche Hazard Forecast

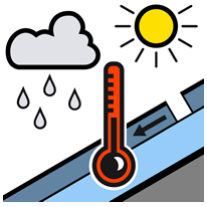
Issued 10/01/2020

FOR PERIOD 18:00HRS Fri 10/01/2020 TO 18:00HRS Sat 11/01/2020

THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE LOW

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Saturday 11/01/2020

Avalanche Problems



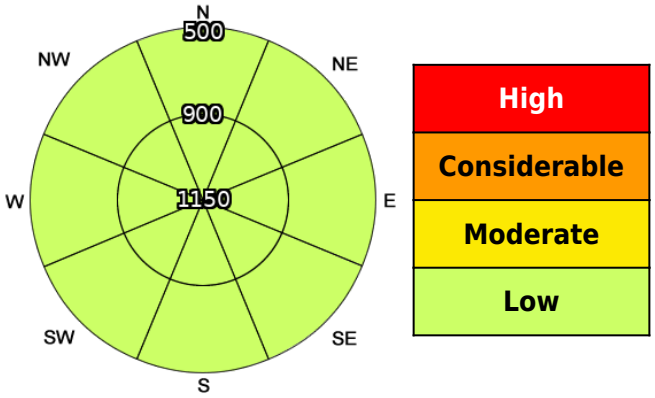
Wet Snow



Cornices

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

The snowpack will thaw at most levels and become depleted in extent particularly at lower levels. Wet snow instabilities will exist in deeper snow accumulations on steeper slopes with North to East aspects being mostly affected above 900 metres. Any new snow accumulations in the afternoon are not expected to be significant. Remaining cornices will be prone to collapse. The avalanche hazard will be Low.



Forecast Weather Influences

An active weather system on Friday night, clearing during Saturday. This will bring a pulse of milder air with freezing levels rising above the summits and heavy rain at most levels with some sleet above 1000 metres during the afternoon. Overnight, gale force Southerly winds these will ease slightly but remain strong, becoming West-South-Westerly during the day.

Comments

Becoming colder mid afternoon Saturday with wintry showers above 900 metres. Sunday freezing level falling to 400 metres with snow showers.

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