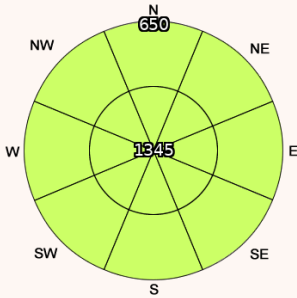


Avalanche Hazard Forecast - FOR PERIOD 18:00HRS Fri 24/01/2020 TO 18:00HRS Sat 25/01/2020



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

Mainly dry with strong South-South-Westerly winds. The freezing level will rise above the summits overnight, drop to around 1000 metres in the morning, and rise to around 1200 metres in the afternoon.

Forecast Snow Stability and Avalanche Hazard

The snowpack will remain generally well bonded and stable with main accumulations on North to East aspects above 900 metres. The avalanche hazard will be Low.

Observed Avalanche Hazard - Fri 24/01/2020

Observed Weather Influences

It was a dry day with moderate South-Westerly winds. The freezing level was around 1000 metres.

Observed Snow Stability and Avalanche Hazard

The snowpack is generally well bonded and stable. Above around 1000 metres the surface is starting to freeze and below this it is slowly thawing. Main accumulations are on North to East aspects above 900m. The avalanche hazard is Low.

Mountain Conditions

Observed Mountain Travel Conditions

Wet snowpack below 1000m with surface frozen above. Variable visibility. Winds 20-30 mph.

Comments

Getting colder with snow from Sunday onwards.