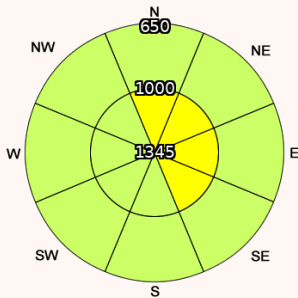


Avalanche Hazard Forecast - FOR PERIOD 18:00HRS Wed 05/02/2020 TO 18:00HRS Thu 06/02/2020



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

It is expected to be dry throughout the forecast period. Winds will be moderate South-South-Westerly. The freezing level will rise to around or just above the higher summits.

Forecast Snow Stability and Avalanche Hazard

The snowpack will continue to consolidate but instabilities will persist in windslab, mainly on North-East to South-East aspects above 1000 metres. North aspects will also be affected. Cornices will be weak and prone to collapse. The avalanche hazard will be Moderate.

Observed Avalanche Hazard - Wed 05/02/2020

Observed Weather Influences

It was a mainly dry day, though there were some periods of drizzle. The freezing level was around 1000 metres. Winds were moderate to strong South-Westerly.

Observed Snow Stability and Avalanche Hazard

Instabilities are present in windslab, mainly on steep North-East to South-East aspects above 1000 metres, though North aspects are also affected. Recently formed cornices are weak. The avalanche hazard is Moderate.

Mountain Conditions

Observed Mountain Travel Conditions

Snow mainly above 650m. Variable cloud cover and base. Winds 20-30 mph, with stronger gusts.

Comments