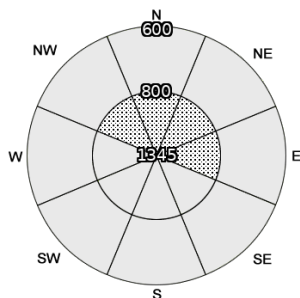


**Avalanche Hazard Forecast - FOR PERIOD 18:00HRS Fri 20/03/2020 TO 18:00HRS Sat 21/03/2020**



Hazard Level	Avalanche Probability
<b>Very High</b>	Natural and human triggered avalanches will occur. Numerous very large, often extremely large natural avalanches can be expected.
<b>High</b>	Natural and human triggered avalanches will occur. In some cases, numerous large, often very large sized natural avalanches can be expected.
<b>Considerable</b>	Natural and human triggered avalanches possible, in some cases large, in isolated cases very large sized natural avalanches are possible.
<b>Moderate</b>	Very large sized natural avalanches are unlikely. Human triggering possible in indicated steep places.
<b>Low</b>	Only small and medium sized natural avalanches are possible. Human triggering possible in steep, extreme terrain.

**Forecast Weather Influences**

It will be another dry day with strengthening South-Easterly winds. After a cool night the freezing level will rise to around 800 metres through the day.

**Forecast Snow Stability and Avalanche Hazard**

Little change is expected in the snowpack. Some dry snow instabilities will remain on steep shady North-West through North to East aspects above 800 metres. Large potentially unstable cornices overhang these areas. The avalanche hazard will be Moderate.

**Observed Avalanche Hazard - Fri 20/03/2020**

**Observed Weather Influences**

It was dry with some strong sunshine and generally light winds. After a frosty night the freezing level rose to around 900 metres through the day.

**Observed Snow Stability and Avalanche Hazard**

The snowpack is consolidating in the settled conditions. Some dry snow instabilities exist in steep shady North-West through North to East aspects above 900 metres. During the day some shallow wet snow instabilities developed on steep South-East to South-Westerly aspects exposed to the strong solar radiation. The avalanche hazard is Moderate.

**Mountain Conditions**

**Observed Mountain Travel Conditions**

Snow cover very variable in consistency. Good visibility. Winds approx 10mph or less.

**Comments**

Weather over the next few days expected to remain dry but for the wind to strengthen. Little change expected in snowpack conditions.