

## THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE MODERATE

### Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Thursday 05/01/2023

#### Avalanche Problems



Wind Slab



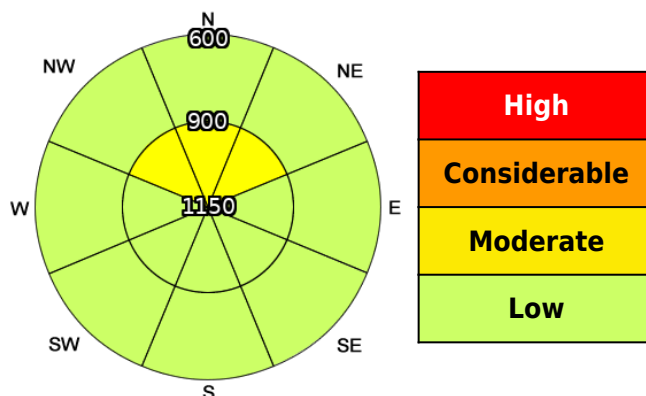
Wet Snow



Cornices

#### Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

Wet snow instabilities will develop during the morning at all levels. Stability will be at its poorest during the afternoon and evening. Areas most affected will be where deeper accumulations remain on steeper terrain, especially on North-West to North East aspects above 900 metres. Elsewhere, localised moderately bonded deposits will also be found in steep lee locations. The avalanche hazard will be Moderate.



#### Forecast Weather Influences

It will be dry overnight before precipitation, falling initially as snow will become rain at all levels by the afternoon. Winds will be fresh North-Westerlies backing and increasing Strong Southerlies by the end of the forecast period. The freezing level will be around 1000 metres overnight rising to above the highest summits by mid morning.

#### Comments

Another thaw cycle with rainfall at all levels by the afternoon. Water levels in burns will rise during the day and snow bridges will be weak.



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