

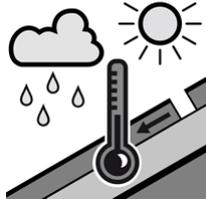
THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE CONSIDERABLE

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Saturday 21/01/2023

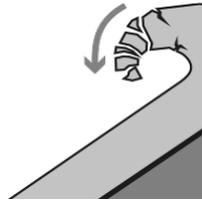
Avalanche Problems



Wind Slab



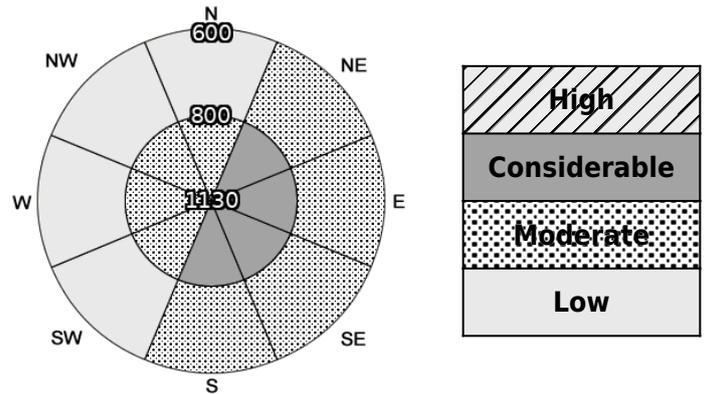
Wet Snow



Cornices

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

Fragile cornices will be prone to collapse on North-East through East to South aspects above 800 metres. Weakly bonded windslab will also persist on these aspects. Areas most affected will be where deep accumulations exist on steep terrain, such as gully tops, crag aprons and coire rims. Avalanches are likely. Below this altitude isolated areas of windslab will begin to improve in stability. The avalanche hazard will be Considerable.



Forecast Weather Influences

Southerly winds will steadily increase overnight to be very strong through the day. The freezing level will rise above the summits during the morning and remain there throughout. Small amounts of rain are expected during the day.

Comments

A slow thaw is expected as warm air mass arrives during the day.



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