

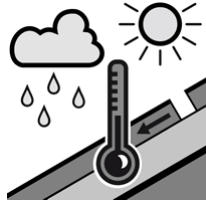
THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE CONSIDERABLE

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Sunday 12/03/2023

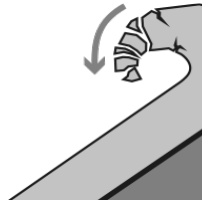
Avalanche Problems



Wind Slab



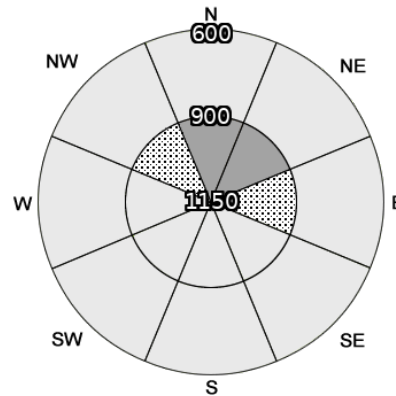
Wet Snow



Cornices

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

New snow and wind transport of existing soft snow will initially form localised unstable accumulations of windslab in sheltered gullies and on scarp slopes with a North-West through North to Easterly aspect mainly above 900 metres, Fragile cornices may form above these locations. Milder conditions through the day with sleet and rain will give a period of higher instability particularly in areas such as summit gullies where windslab has attained depth. The avalanche hazard will be Considerable.



Forecast Weather Influences

Light new snow will affect the area for much of the period. Sleet and rain later in the day will affect all levels but uncertainty exists regarding precipitation quantities. Winds will be fresh to strong South-Easterly overnight veering South-Westerly early morning. The freezing level will be around 400 metres overnight rising above the summits through the morning.

Comments

With doubt existing regarding precipitation quantities be prepared to alter your route choices.



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