

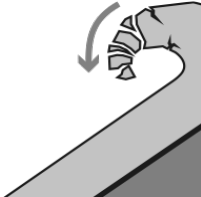
THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE CONSIDERABLE

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Tuesday 14/03/2023

Avalanche Problems



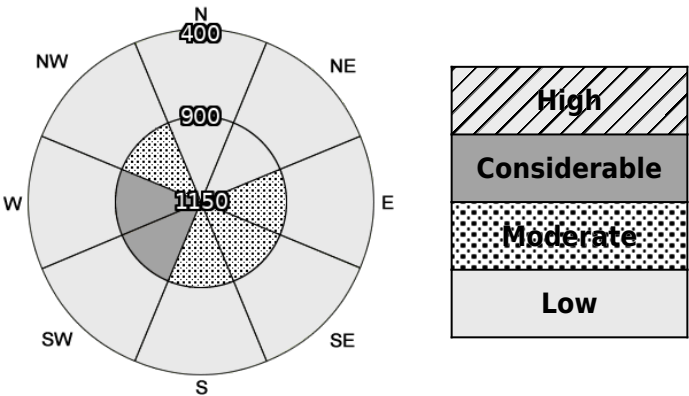
Wind Slab



Cornices

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

The old snowpack will remain firm and will be icy in exposed locations; stability of the old snow will be generally good. Strong winds overnight will form unstable windslab in wind sheltered locations, mainly above 900 metres. Steep slopes with a South through West to North-Westerly aspect and sheltered summit gullies will be particularly affected. Other areas may be affected by cross-loading. Fragile cornices may form above these locations. The avalanche hazard will be Considerable.



Forecast Weather Influences

North-Easterly gales on Monday night will decrease becoming fresh variable for a time. By morning winds will be North-Westerly to Northerly, moderate to fresh. Snow showers will affect most levels. The freezing level will be around 300 metres.

Comments

Stormy conditions expected for first half of Monday night, wind transport of existing snow deposits will occur during this period. Fresh cornices and slopes in their vicinity will be very fragile.



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