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Avalanche Hazard Forecast

Issued 28/12/2023

FOR PERIOD 18:00HRS Thu 28/12/2023 TO 18:00HRS Fri 29/12/2023

THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE MODERATE

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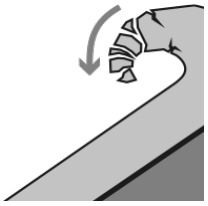
Avalanche Problems



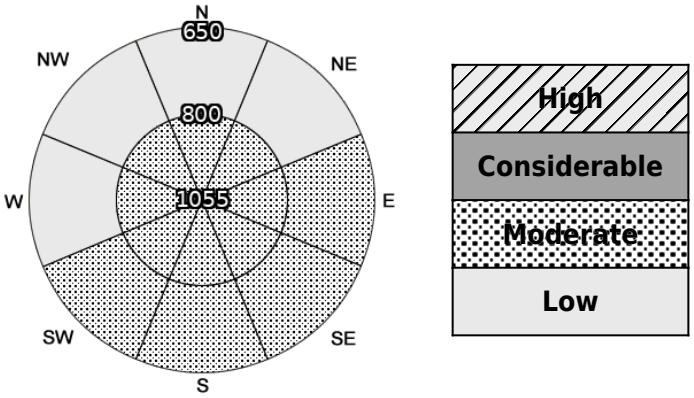
Wind Slab



Cornices

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

Fresh unstable windslab will develop through the day in localised steep wind sheltered locations, mainly E through S to SW aspects above 650 metres. Also, weaknesses will persist in accumulations of windslab that remain on W through N to NE aspects above 800 metres. Areas most affected will be coire rims and headwalls, ridge flanks and gully exits. Fragile cornices will develop. The avalanche hazard will be Moderate.



Forecast Weather Influences

Snow overnight will break into snow showers through the day, intensifying during the afternoon with snow lying above 300 metres as the freezing level lowers to around 400 metres by early morning. The Southerly wind will ease overnight, veer and freshen North by daybreak, North-Westerly by the afternoon.

Comments

It will remain relatively cold for the next few days with summit temps of around -4C.

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