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Avalanche Hazard Forecast

Issued 20/01/2024

FOR PERIOD 18:00HRS Sat 20/01/2024 TO 18:00HRS Sun 21/01/2024

THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE LOW

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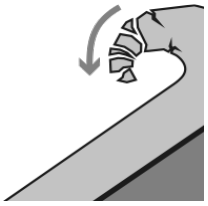
Avalanche Problems



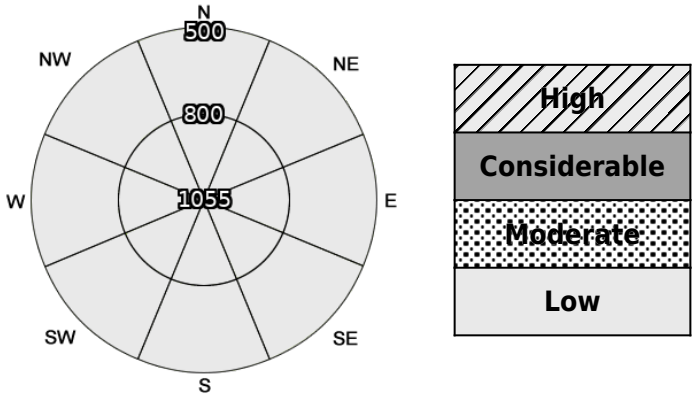
Wind Slab



Cornices

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

The existing snowpack will continue to consolidate and become generally stable, as the freezing level lowers through the night. Isolated windslab deposits will develop through the morning on North and North-East aspects above 800 metres. These are not expected to be extensive and will be confined to wind sheltered locations such as gully tops and coire rims. All remaining cornices will be prone to collapse during the warmer spell in the afternoon. The avalanche hazard will be Low.



Forecast Weather Influences

Mild wet conditions will ease during the early part of the night. Showers will turn to snow above 500 metres, and continue till early afternoon when the freezing level rises above the summits. Precipitation will then become heavier and turn to rain at all levels. Strong predominately Southerly winds will gradually increase reaching gale by the end of the day.

Comments

Stormy weather with fluctuating freezing levels over the next few days.

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