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Avalanche Hazard Forecast

Issued 21/01/2024

FOR PERIOD 18:00HRS Sun 21/01/2024 TO 18:00HRS Mon 22/01/2024

THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE CONSIDERABLE

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Monday 22/01/2024

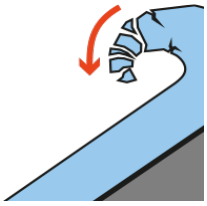
Avalanche Problems



Wind Slab



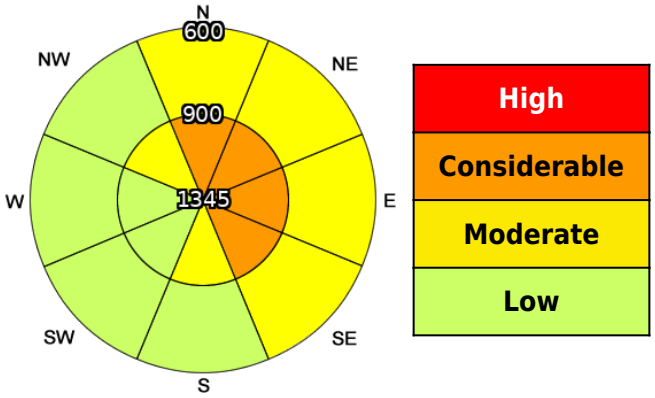
Wet Snow



Cornices

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

There will be a period of wet snow instability early in the night. The colder temperatures later in the night will consolidate the existing snowpack. However, through the day areas of fresh windslab will start building up sheltered North through East to South-East aspects above 900 metres. Cornices will be prone to collapse. The avalanche hazard will be Considerable.



Forecast Weather Influences

Mild with heavy rain early in the night. Later in the night and through the day it will be colder with the freezing level around 800 metres. Showers will fall as snow above 600 metres. Very strong West-South-West winds slowly easing through the day.

Comments

Snowpack expected to evolve rapidly over the next few days as the freezing level goes up and down, and various bands of precipitation cross the area.

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