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Avalanche Hazard Forecast

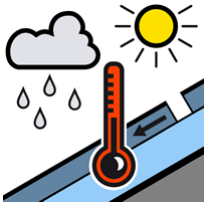
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THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE CONSIDERABLE

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Tuesday 23/01/2024

Avalanche Problems



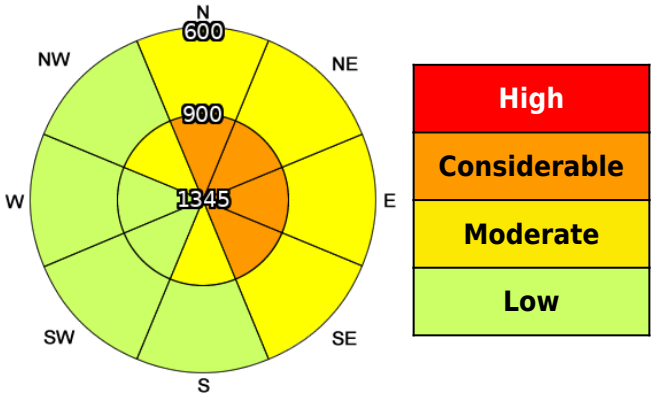
Wet Snow



Cornices

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

Overnight fresh areas of windslab will continue to accumulate in wind sheltered locations on mainly North through East to South-East aspects above 900 metres. These deposits will then go through a period of instability during the day, as they becomes saturated in the mild, wet conditions. Cornices will be prone to collapse. On other aspects stability will be better. The avalanche hazard will be Considerable.



Forecast Weather Influences

Snow showers will continue overnight. The freezing level will remain around 700 metres. During the morning the freezing level will rise well above the summits, and heavy rain is expected at all levels. Gale to storm force Westerly winds will back to the South.

Comments

Another wet and windy day expected on Tuesday.

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