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Avalanche Hazard Forecast

Issued 24/01/2024

FOR PERIOD 18:00HRS Wed 24/01/2024 TO 18:00HRS Thu 25/01/2024

THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE MODERATE

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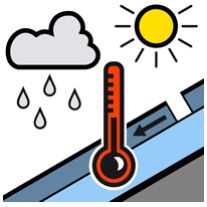
Avalanche Problems



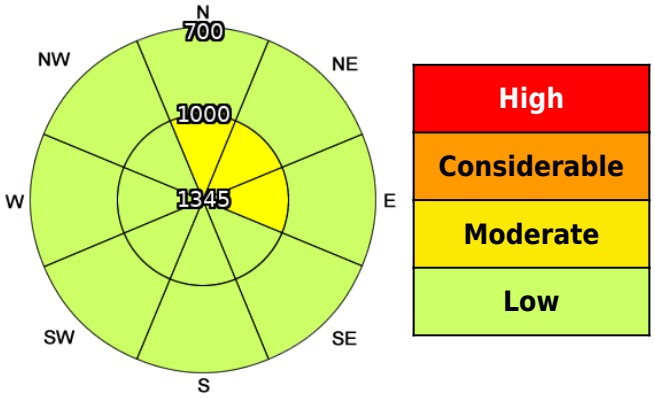
Wet Snow



Cornices

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

Wet snow instabilities are expected as recent deposits of windslab become saturated. Most affected will be steep wind-sheltered North to East aspects above 1000 metres. Below this level the snowpack will continue to thaw and stability will be better. Remaining cornices will be prone to collapse. The avalanche hazard will be Moderate.



Forecast Weather Influences

Overnight the freezing level will be around 1000 metres before rising above the summits during the morning and remaining there through the afternoon. Rain is expected at all levels through the day. Gale force winds will be from a generally Southerly direction.

Comments

Turning colder on Friday.

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