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Avalanche Hazard Forecast

Issued 16/03/2024

FOR PERIOD 18:00HRS Sat 16/03/2024 TO 18:00HRS Sun 17/03/2024

THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE LOW

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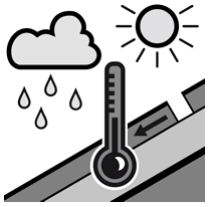
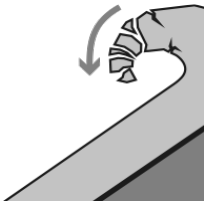
Avalanche Problems



Wind Slab



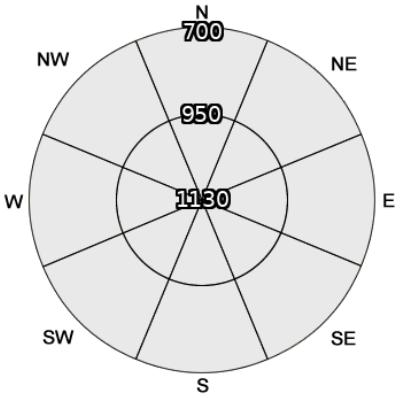
Wet Snow

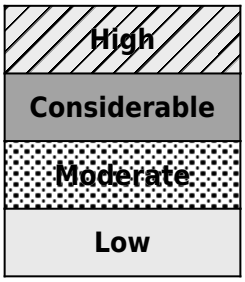


Cornices

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

Localised wet snow instabilities will be present mostly on steep slopes of a North-West to North-East aspect above 950 metres. Instability will be present in recent accumulations of windslab found in gully tops and scarp slopes particularly as these become wet. Outwith these locations the snowpack will slowly stabilise and diminish as the day progresses. There will be a limited threat of cornice collapse. The avalanche hazard will be Low.





Forecast Weather Influences

Light precipitation overnight will precede a generally dry day. This was fall as summit snow before quickly transitioning to light rain at all elevations. Winds will be gale force South-Easterlies overnight, gradually veering and decreasing in strength to become Southerly by the end of the forecast period. Despite sub zero summit temperatures overnight, the freezing level will be above the summits for the duration of the day.

Comments

Rock and ice fall are likely as thaw conditions prevail.

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