

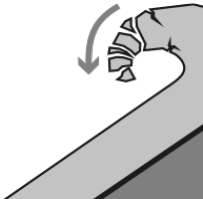
THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE CONSIDERABLE

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Wednesday 27/03/2024

Avalanche Problems



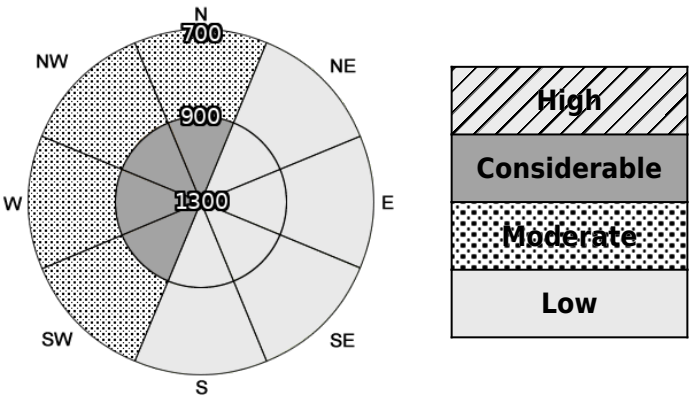
Wind Slab



Cornices

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

Unstable windslab will develop on South-West through West to North aspects above 900 metres, where avalanches are likely. Below this altitude, localised instabilities will be present on steep banks. Areas most affected will be steep wind sheltered locations such as coire rims, gully tops, crag aprons, stream beds and convex terrain. Cornices will start to built on these same aspects. Wind exposed areas will be firm and icy. The avalanche hazard will be Considerable.



Forecast Weather Influences

Initially dry, persistent snow fall above 400 metres will gradually become lighter during the day before becoming confined to above 800 metres by the early afternoon. Mainly Easterly winds will increase to gale force overnight before easing and veering South-East. The freezing level will be around 500 metres before rising gradually through the day.

Comments

There is a substantial amount of loose, unconsolidated snow which will be redistributed as the wind increases.



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