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Avalanche Hazard Forecast

FOR PERIOD 18:00HRS Sun 10/01/2010 TO 18:00HRS Mon 11/01/2010

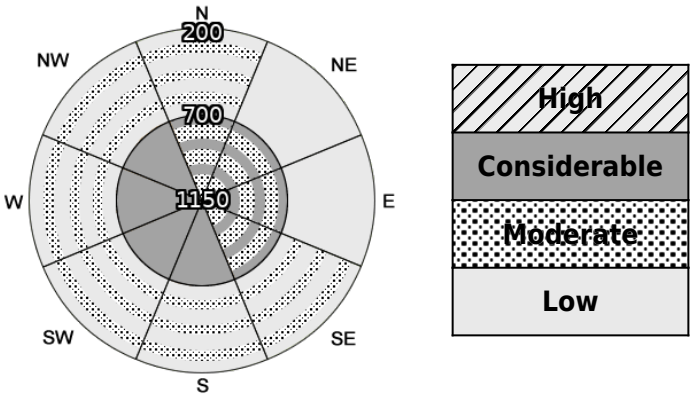
THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE CONSIDERABLE

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Monday 11/01/2010

Avalanche Problems

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

The strong Easterly winds will redistribute existing snow forming unstable accumulations of windslab in sheltered areas. Most affected will be sheltered gullies of all aspects and slopes with a South through West to Northerly aspect mainly above 700 metres. Steep scarp slopes and gully exits will be particularly affected. Avalanches are likely. The avalanche hazard will be Considerable.



Forecast Weather Influences

It will remain cold with occasional or very light snow later on Monday afternoon. Winds will be strong to gale force from the East.

Comments

New snow will be insignificant but wind transport of existing deposits will form unstable accumulations of windslab in many sheltered locations. These areas will require great caution and careful route planning. Ice continuing to form on a good number of routes.

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