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Avalanche Hazard Forecast

FOR PERIOD 18:00HRS Wed 03/02/2010 TO 18:00HRS Thu 04/02/2010

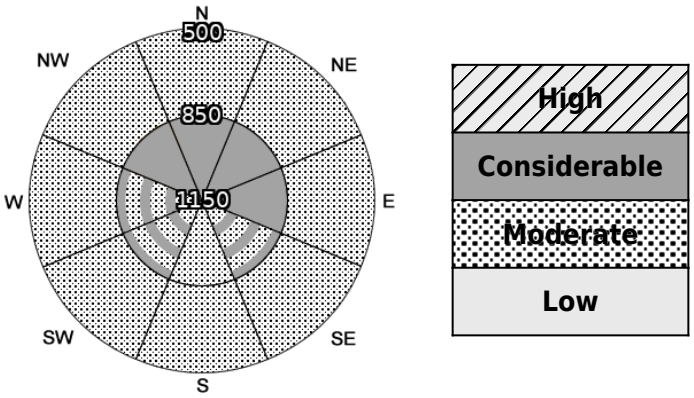
THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE CONSIDERABLE

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Thursday 04/02/2010

Avalanche Problems

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

Strong Southerly winds and new snow will form unstable windslab in the most sheltered gullies and on slopes with North-West through North to Easterly aspect mainly above 850 metres. Avalanches are likely. Steep scarp slopes and gully exits will be particularly affected. The avalanche hazard will be Considerable.



Forecast Weather Influences

There will be strong Southerly winds throughout the period. Light snow showers overnight may become heavier for a time around midnight. Freezing levels will rise from 300 metres overnight to 700 metres on Thursday.

Comments

Wind transport of existing snow and new snow will form unstable windslab in sheltered locations.

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