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Avalanche Hazard Forecast

FOR PERIOD 18:00HRS Thu 25/02/2010 TO 18:00HRS Fri 26/02/2010

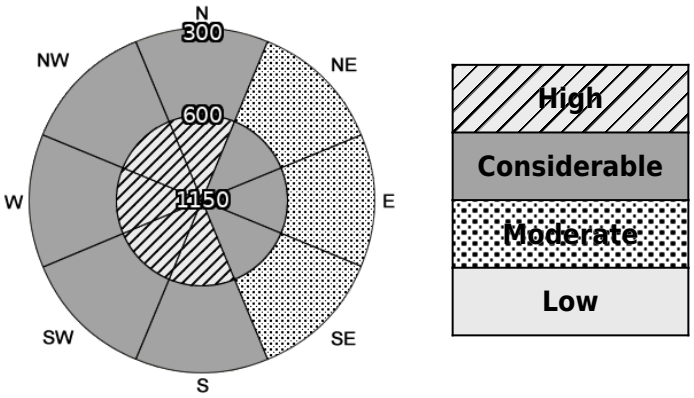
THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE HIGH

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Avalanche Problems

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

More windslab will be deposited on the already extensive accumulations on mainly South through West to North aspects above 600 metres. In many locations this windslab will be particularly unstable due to a layer of buried surface hoar crystals. Avalanches will occur where the windslab accumulates, even on quite modestly angled terrain. The avalanche hazard will be High.



Forecast Weather Influences

Snow showers will continue overnight and through the day. Strong winds will be from the East with a freezing level of around 300 metres.

Comments

The most hazardous avalanche conditions for some time. Care required until the snowpack consolidates. There is no sign of this happening for a good few days yet.

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