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Avalanche Hazard Forecast

Issued 16/03/2010

FOR PERIOD 18:00HRS Tue 16/03/2010 TO 18:00HRS Wed 17/03/2010

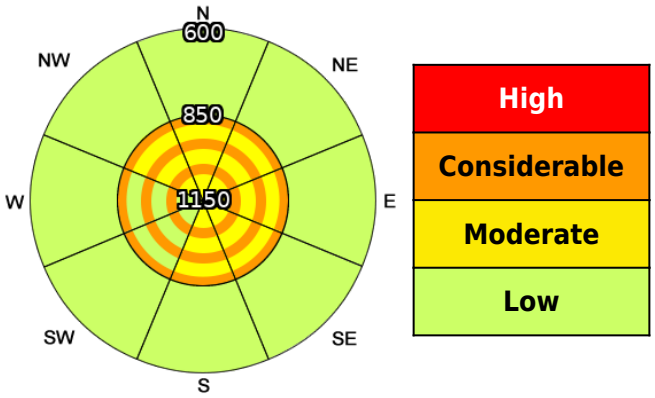
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Avalanche Problems

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

The mild conditions will lead to extensive wet snow instabilities on all steep slopes on all aspects mainly above 850 metres. Large cornices will rapidly become unstable and likely to collapse and avalanches are likely. The avalanche hazard will be Considerable.



Forecast Weather Influences

Overnight moderate rain at most levels, maybe a dusting of snow over the summits. Through the period the winds will be from the South-West and very strong even gale force with the freezing level rising to 1200 metres. The rain should dye out in the morning summit temperatures expected to be plus 2c or 3c.

Comments

The mild, windy conditions are likely to continue for a couple of days more.

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