

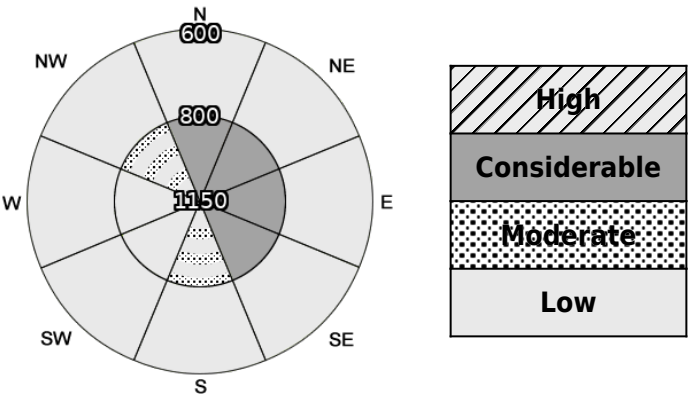
THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE CONSIDERABLE

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Wednesday 02/02/2011

Avalanche Problems

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

Overnight the existing snowpack will become wet, and instabilities will be present until the freezing level lowers and the snowpack starts to re-freeze. Fresh unstable windslab will then be deposited in sheltered gullies and hollows, and on slopes with mainly North through East to South-East aspects above 800 metres where avalanches are likely. The avalanche hazard will be Considerable.



Forecast Weather Influences

After heavy overnight rain at all levels the freezing level is expected to drop during the morning to around 750 metres. Snow showers are expected during the day with strong West-South-Westerly winds.

Comments

Considerable spindrift during the day. Snow showers contained graupel which formed very weak layers.



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