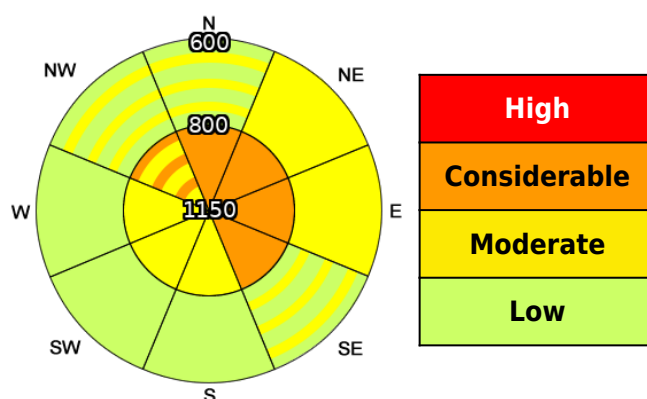


**THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE CONSIDERABLE****Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Thursday 03/02/2011****Avalanche Problems****Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard**

The existing snowpack will re-freeze as the freezing level drops. New accumulations of unstable windslab will develop in very sheltered locations mostly on Northerly through East to South- Easterly aspects above 800 metres where avalanches are likely. Most affected will be gully exits and steeper scarp slopes where deeper deposits develop over older snow ice. Wind exposed areas will generally be well bonded. The avalanche hazard will be Considerable.

**Forecast Weather Influences**

It will remain unsettled but become cooler with strong West and South-South-West winds and snow showers, mostly during the night. Freezing level 600 metres overnight then 700 metres in the day.

**Comments**

Heavy snow showers due overnight and some further snow showers due on Thursday Evening. Probably worth checking up to date forecasts for timings and quantities.

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