

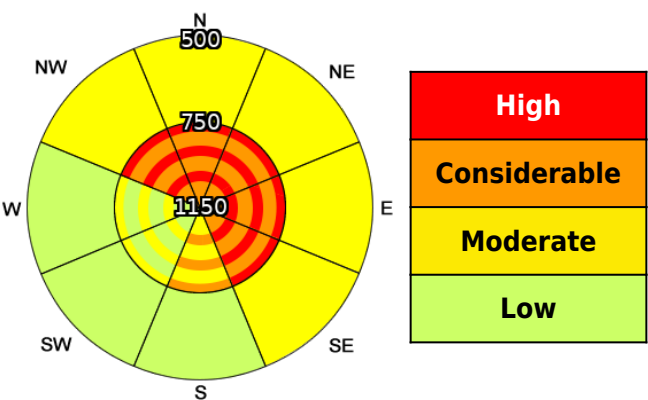
THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE HIGH

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Friday 04/02/2011

Avalanche Problems

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

Further accumulations of unstable windslab will be deposited in sheltered gullies, hollows and slopes. The rise in temperature during the afternoon will create additional instabilities. Avalanches will occur on North-West through North and East to South-East aspects above 700 metres. Unstable windslab will also be present on other aspects due by cross-loading. Cornices will be prone to collapse. The avalanche hazard will be High.



Forecast Weather Influences

Snow showers are expected overnight with very strong Westerly winds. Heavy snowfall is expected during the day with strong South-South-East winds becoming South-Westerly and strengthening. During the afternoon the freezing level is expected to rise from around 500 metres to above the summits.

Comments

A wintry day today, with further snowfall expected and another rise in freezing level tomorrow.



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