

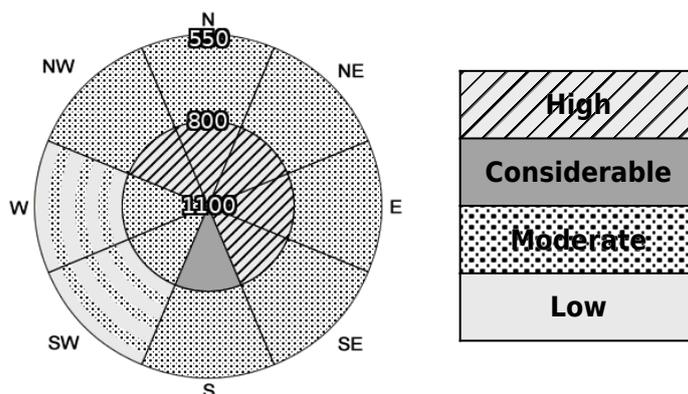
THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE HIGH

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Wednesday 09/02/2011

Avalanche Problems

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

Poor stability expected on North-West through North to South-East aspects as snow turns increasingly to rain and the freezing level rises to above the summits during the day. Most affected locations will be steep gullies and corrie backwalls above 800m and here avalanches will occur. All cornices will become unstable and prone to spontaneous collapse and runouts will be long. The avalanche hazard will be High.



Forecast Weather Influences

Periods of snow, sleet and then rain during the day. Winds will be Southerly, later South-Westerly. The freezing level will fluctuate but rise some way above summits during the day.

Comments

Very large fresh cornices in place. Continuous cornice from across the top of Centre Post, The Pipes and all the way above the Inner Corrie to The Window. Special care required below these places during the rapid thaw.



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