

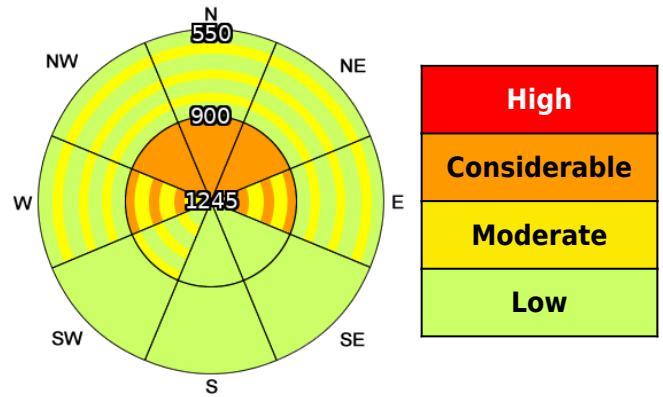
THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE CONSIDERABLE

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Tuesday 22/02/2011

Avalanche Problems

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

Some drifting will take place at higher elevations leading to further windslab development on the already weakly bonded snowpack. Avalanches are likely on steep North-West to North-East aspects above 900 metres. Due to previous cross loading localised instabilities will affect other areas. Below this level some consolidation will take place during the slight temperature rise. The avalanche hazard will be Considerable.



Forecast Weather Influences

It will be mainly dry with a few snow flurries on moderate South winds. The freezing level will rise from 650 metres overnight to 850 metres during the day.

Comments

Although windslab deposits appear firm it's worth noting that hidden weaknesses are present due to faceting and softer sub-surface layers.



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