

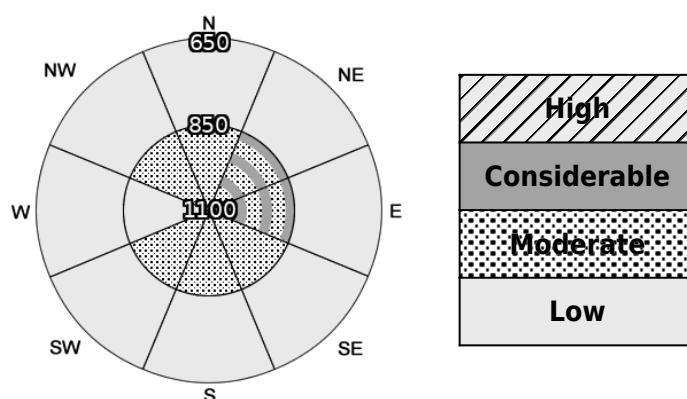
THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE CONSIDERABLE

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Thursday 22/12/2011

Avalanche Problems

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

The snowpack will become further moistened with consolidation continuing to take place in mid pack. Localised wet surface snow slides are likely on lee slopes, primarily on North-East to Easterly aspects above 850 metres. Any significant rainfall will increase the hazard of cornice collapse onto steep coire back walls and gully exits which remain overhung. Falling ice hazard from cliff faces persists. The avalanche hazard will be Considerable



Forecast Weather Influences

The steady thaw will continue with a persistent drizzly rain. Winds will be strong West-South-West with freezing levels remaining around 3000 metres throughout. Midday summit temperatures of plus 4 degrees Celsius.

Comments

Low cloud making observations difficult. Unpleasant conditions for hill work!



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