

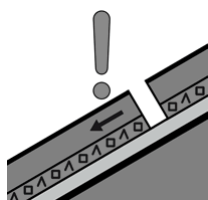
THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE CONSIDERABLE

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Saturday 15/12/2012

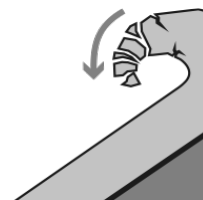
Avalanche Problems



Wind Slab



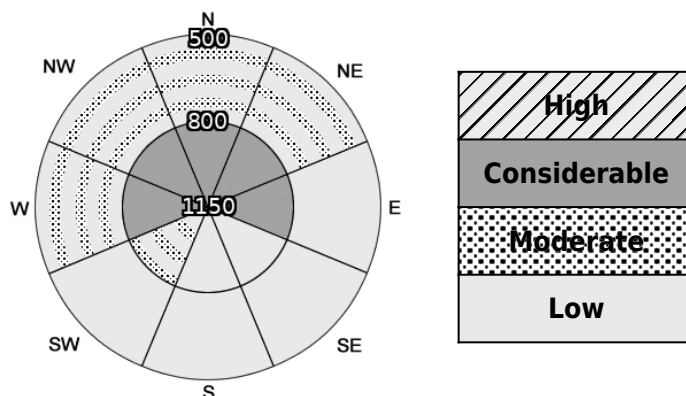
Persistent Weak Layers



Cornices

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

Accumulations of weakly bonded windslab will form in sheltered locations mainly on West through North to Easterly aspects above 800 metres where avalanches are likely. Other steep aspects will have localised instabilities due to cross loading, gully exits most affected. Cornices will also be unstable. The avalanche hazard will be Considerable.



Forecast Weather Influences

Overnight, at first, snow with strong Easterly winds which will back and decrease becoming variable, during the day strong Westerly winds will develop. Snow showers dying out during the day as the freezing level rises to above the summits.

Comments

Freezing level slowly rising to 1000 metres.



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