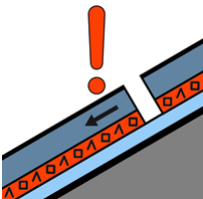


THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE CONSIDERABLE

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Monday 24/12/2012

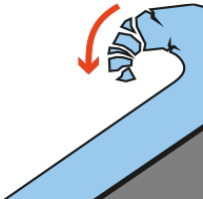
Avalanche Problems



Persistent Weak Layers



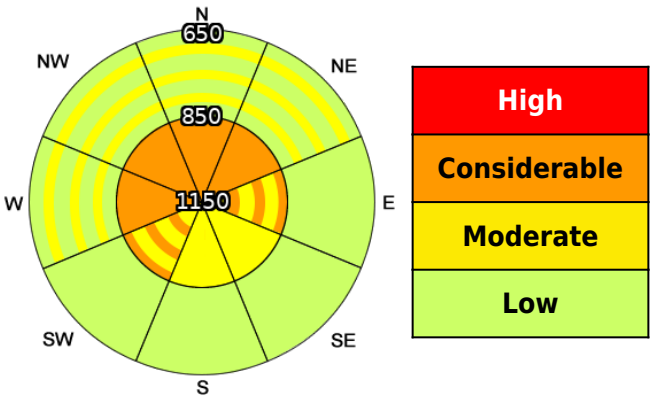
Wet Snow



Cornices

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

The snowpack will consolidate in the mild conditions and will remain generally moist with mainly wet snow instabilities. Avalanches are likely on steep West through North to North-East aspects mostly above 900 metres. Other aspects will also have localised wet snow instabilities and cornices will be prone to collapse, affecting slopes below. Later in the day fresh snow instabilities developing on North-West to North-East aspects above 950 metres. The avalanche hazard will be Considerable.



Forecast Weather Influences

Freezing level at around 1000 metres with strong Westerly winds backing to South and decreasing. Precipitation falling mainly as rain but as snow above 950 metres during the afternoon.

Comments

Fluctuating temperatures may bring more snow in the cooler showers. But otherwise the freezing levels will remain above the summits.



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