

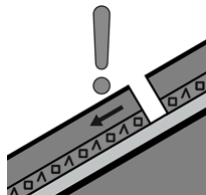
THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE CONSIDERABLE

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Saturday 29/12/2012

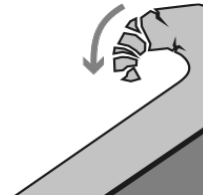
Avalanche Problems



Wind Slab



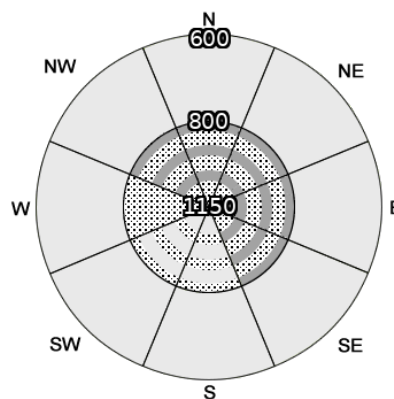
Persistent Weak Layers



Cornices

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

Localised accumulations of poor to weakly bonded windslab will form in steeper, sheltered locations on mainly North-West through North-East to South-East aspects from 800 metres. New cornices will form, with gully exits and scarp slopes most likely to be worst affected. Elsewhere above 900 metres, the old snow will begin to refreeze and stability will improve. The avalanche hazard will be Considerable.



Forecast Weather Influences

The freezing level will lower to 1100 metres overnight, and will reach 900 metres by morning. A few heavy snow showers on very strong West-South-Westerly winds have been forecast for Saturday.

Comments

Very strong winds and heavy snow showers will produce poor visibility at times on Saturday.



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