

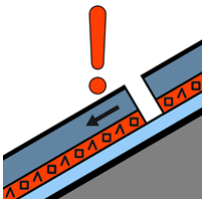
THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE CONSIDERABLE

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Tuesday 01/01/2013

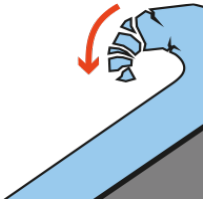
Avalanche Problems



Wind Slab



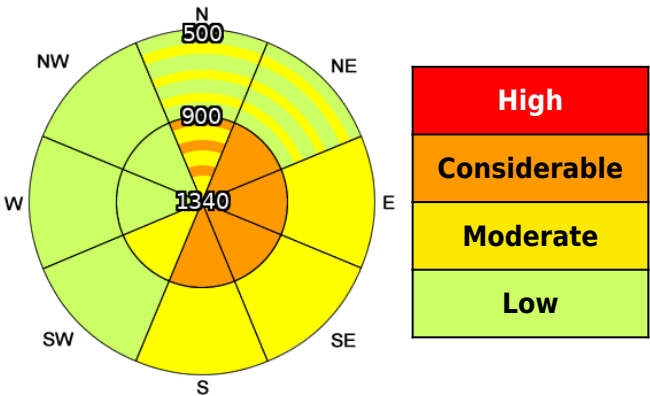
Persistent Weak Layers



Cornices

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

Fresh unstable windslab will be deposited in sheltered gullies, hollows and slopes, on mainly North-East through East to South aspects above 900 metres where avalanches are likely. Other aspects will also be affected due to cross loading. Fresh cornices will be fragile and prone to collapse. The older snowpack will start to re-freeze. The avalanche hazard will be Considerable.



Forecast Weather Influences

Prolonged and occasionally heavy snow showers are expected overnight and during the day; fewer through the afternoon. During the day the freezing level is expected to rise from 600 to 1000 metres. Winds strong North-Westerly throughout the forecast period.

Comments

A wintry start to 2013. Happy New Year.



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