

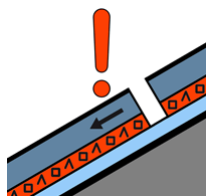
### THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE HIGH

#### Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Monday 18/03/2013

##### Avalanche Problems



Wind Slab



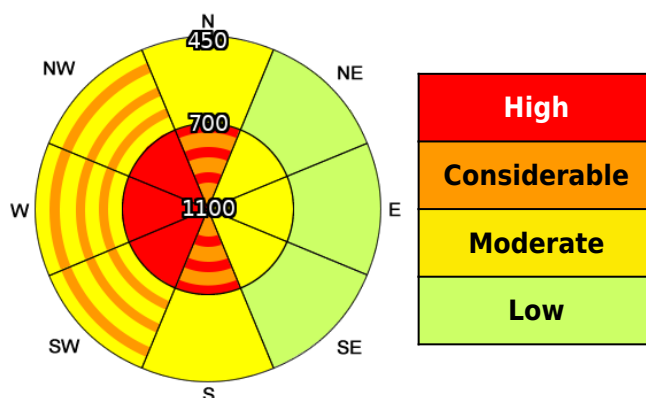
Persistent Weak Layers



Cornices

##### Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

Heavy drifting will bring about very poor stability on all sheltered lee slopes above 700m, in particular South-West to North-West aspects where avalanches will occur. Flanks of North and South-facing gullies and multi-aspect gully exits will also be affected by cross-loading. All newly formed cornices will be prone to sudden collapse. The avalanche hazard will be High.



##### Forecast Weather Influences

Very wintry. Prolonged snowfall. Cold with strong Easterly winds overnight and during the day.

##### Comments

Very poor mountain conditions in prospect for the next few days. Heavy drifting of snow expected above 600m during Monday.



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