

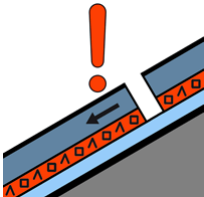
THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE CONSIDERABLE

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Thursday 21/03/2013

Avalanche Problems



Wind Slab



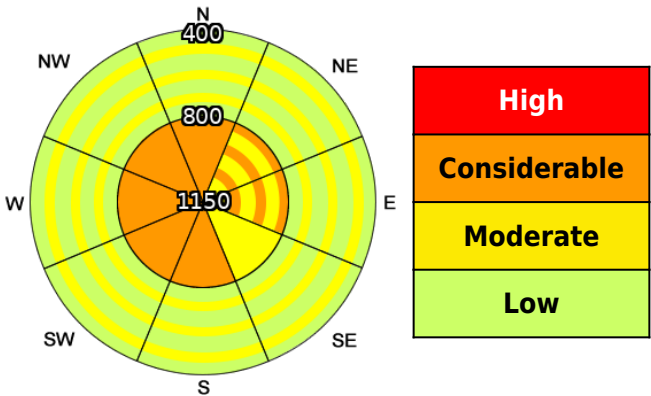
Persistent Weak Layers



Cornices

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

Drifting will continue to deposit snow onto existing poorly bonded windslab lying mainly on South-West through West to North aspects above 800 metres where avalanches are likely. Other aspects will also be affected by cross loading and the persistence of older windslab. Fresh cornices will be unstable and prone to collapse. The avalanche hazard will be Considerable.



Forecast Weather Influences

It is expected to be dry throughout the forecast period and freezing at all levels. Winds are expected to be South-Easterly; moderate overnight, strong and strengthening during the day.

Comments

Sugar like facet grains were noted in the snowpack on a variety of aspects and this is a weak layer developing within the snowpack.



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