

THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE MODERATE

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Sunday 05/05/2013

Avalanche Problems



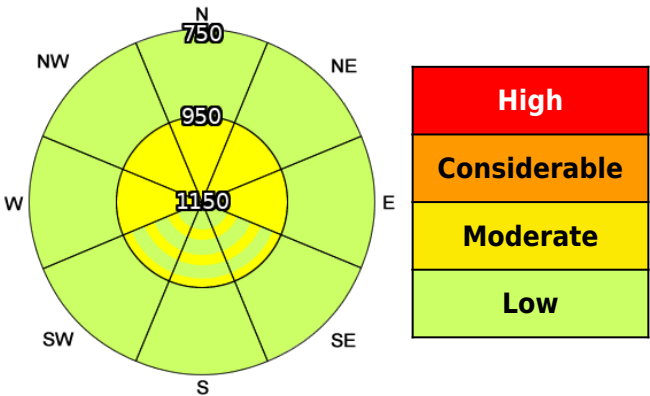
Wet Snow



Cornices

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

The moist snowpack will become progressively moderately bonded as the freezing level rises and precipitation turns to rain. Wet snow instabilities will exist, mainly on steeper slopes with a West through North to East aspect above 950 metres. Cornices will be prone to collapse. The avalanche hazard will be Moderate.



Forecast Weather Influences

Overnight, sleet over the summits will turn to rain during the day as the freezing level rises to around 1600 metres. The winds will be strong South-Westerly throughout the forecast period. Summit temperatures expected to be plus four to six degrees Celsius.

Comments

A strong, mild, moist, South-Westerly airstream will affect the area.



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