

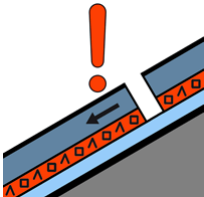
THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE CONSIDERABLE

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Wednesday 08/01/2014

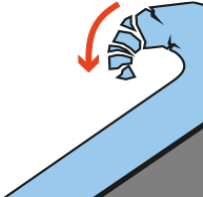
Avalanche Problems



Wind Slab



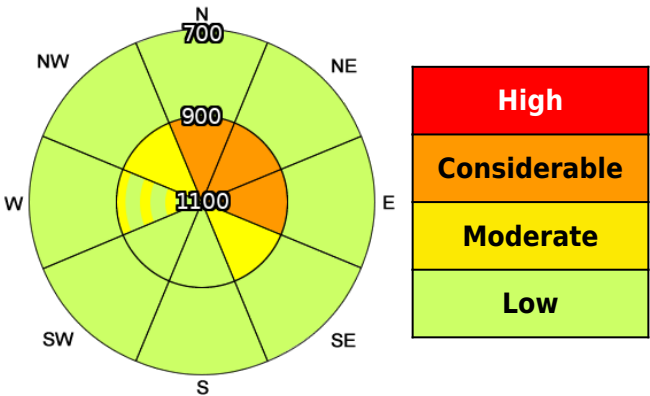
Persistent Weak Layers



Cornices

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

The cooler temperatures will help stabilise the existing snowpack in all locations. New snow instabilities will exist at highest elevations where areas of poorly stabilised windslab build primarily in sheltered locations on North to East facing slopes. Most affected locations will be the very tops of gullies and coire rims above 900m. Any new cornice development will be fragile. The avalanche hazard will be Considerable.



Forecast Weather Influences

Freezing levels initially around the summits will lower slightly to bring snow showers down to 800m overnight and during the day. Moderate South-Westerly winds will persist throughout easing slightly but remaining fresh as the day progresses.

Comments

No significant ice build up. Some improvement in underfoot travel hoped for with cooler conditions.



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