

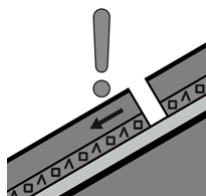
THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE HIGH

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Wednesday 29/01/2014

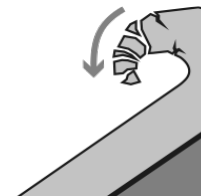
Avalanche Problems



Wind Slab



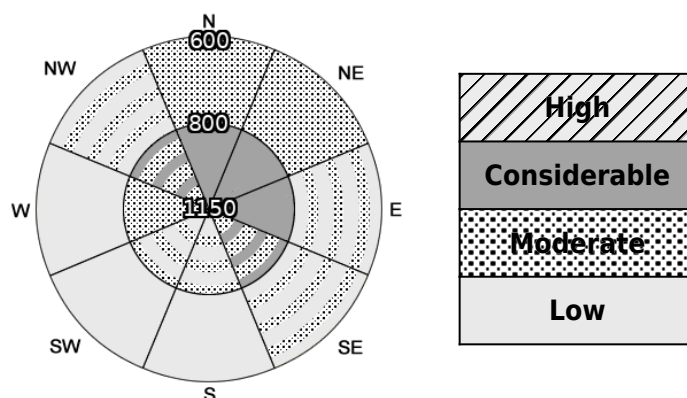
Persistent Weak Layers



Cornices

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

Weakly bonded windslab will continue to develop mostly on West to North aspects above 800 metres and here avalanches will occur. Cross-loading will lead to some unstable windslab developing in sheltered locations on other aspects. Terrain features and slopes exposed to the winds will be scoured and icy. Cornices will be prone to collapse. The avalanche hazard will be High.



Forecast Weather Influences

The freezing level will lift slightly overnight before dropping to valley level during the day. There will be significant snowfall, heaviest overnight and into the morning before easing during the afternoon. Winds will be strong from the East-South-East.

Comments

Snowfall continuing this week. A mix of hard and soft windslab exists on many aspects, not always easy to see in the current poor visibility.



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