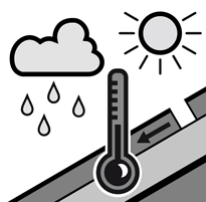
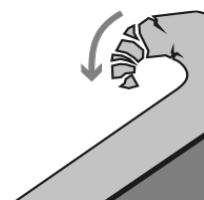
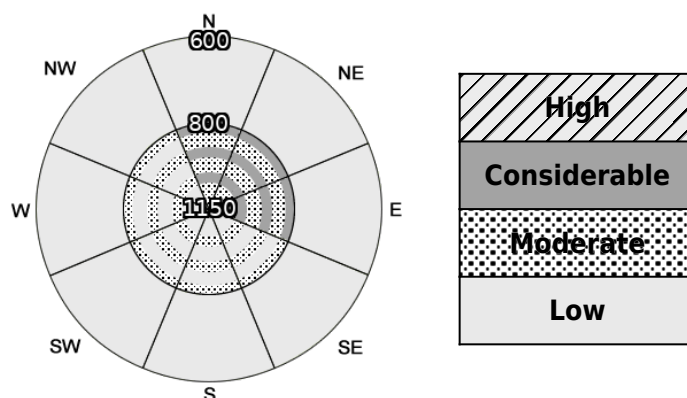


THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE CONSIDERABLE**Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Saturday 15/03/2014****Avalanche Problems****Wet Snow****Cornices****Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard**

The brief colder spell will begin to consolidate the snowpack; however as the temperature rises the snowpack will be further moistened. Wet snow instabilities will exist mainly on steep slopes and in gullies above 800 metres on North to East aspects. Cornices and loaded corrie rims will become more saturated and likely to collapse. Debris may run down to corrie floors. The avalanche hazard will be Considerable.

**Forecast Weather Influences**

The wind will be gale to severe gale force from a Westerly direction. Precipitation will initially be very light snow becoming persistent rain showers. The freezing level will drop to about 800 metres before rising to above the summits.

Comments

Thick ice layer in a block of avalanche debris seen in Coire nan Lochan suggesting that major cornice collapse may trigger avalanche of very heavy consolidated layers in gully beds.

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