

THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE CONSIDERABLE

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Monday 12/01/2015

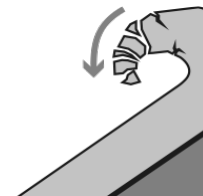
Avalanche Problems



Wind Slab



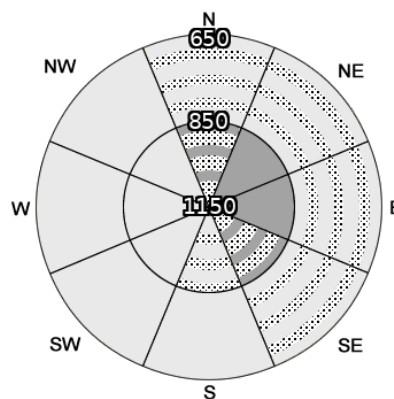
Persistent Weak Layers



Cornices

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

After thaw conditions overnight existing snow will start to consolidate as the freezing level drops during the day. Stability of newly developed windslab, which will be mainly on North through East to South-East aspects above 850 metres will be poor, and avalanches are likely. Most affected will be sheltered locations such as gully exits and corrie rims. Remaining cornices will be prone to collapse. West facing aspects will remain scoured. The avalanche hazard will be Considerable.



Forecast Weather Influences

A mix of snow and rain overnight as the freezing level lifts to around the highest summits before falling during the day with further snow showers. Severe gale force winds with stronger gusts will be from the West-South-West.

Comments

Another contrasting period: thaw overnight, wintry during the day.



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