

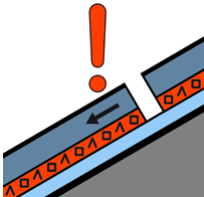
THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE CONSIDERABLE

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Thursday 12/03/2015

Avalanche Problems



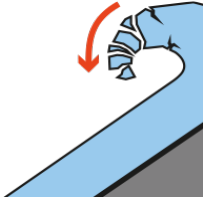
Wind Slab



Persistent Weak Layers



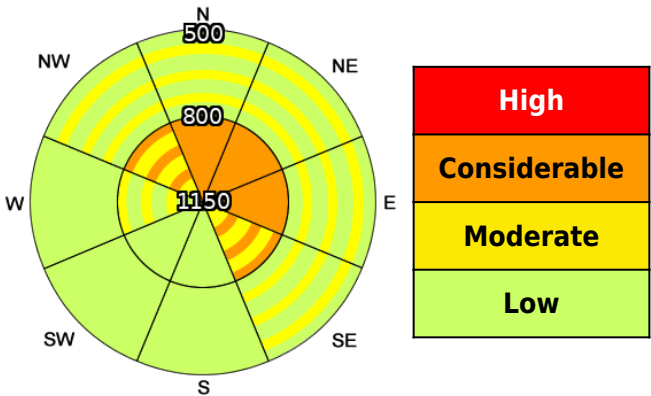
Wet Snow



Cornices

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

With the onset of rain, instabilities will increase in recently deposited windslab lying mainly on North-West through North to East and South-East aspects above 800 metres where avalanches are likely. Fresh unstable windslab will later be deposited in sheltered areas, mainly on North to East aspects. Cornices will be prone to collapse. The avalanche hazard will be Considerable.



Forecast Weather Influences

Moderate variable winds initially, then increasing to very strong South-Easterly by morning and veering Southerly and South-Westerly during the afternoon. Precipitation from mid morning onwards, turning to heavy rain at all levels before turning back to snow above 800 metres as the freezing level drops.

Comments

Distinctly changeable conditions expected tomorrow. Rock and ice fall potential during the thaw conditions.



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