Northern Cairngorms

Avalanche Hazard Forecast

Issued 22/12/2015

FOR PERIOD 18:00HRS Tue 22/12/2015 TO 18:00HRS Wed 23/12/2015

THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE MODERATE

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Wednesday 23/12/2015

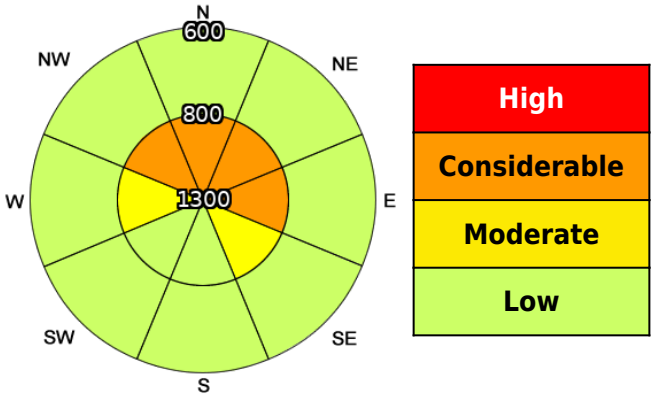
Avalanche Problems



Wind Slab

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

The old snowpack with become firm and more stable in the cooler temperatures. New accumulations of unstable windslab will develop on Northerly to Easterly aspects above 950 metres. Steep terrain, corrie rims and gully tops will be most affected. The avalanche hazard will be Moderate



Forecast Weather Influences

Throughout the forecast period frequent snow showers are expected above 500 metres on strong to gale force South-Westerly winds. The freezing level will fall to 700 metres.

Comments

Looking much cooler for Wednesday with frequent snow showers.

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