Northern Cairngorms

Avalanche Hazard Forecast

Issued 24/12/2015

FOR PERIOD 18:00HRS Thu 24/12/2015 TO 18:00HRS Fri 25/12/2015

THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE MODERATE

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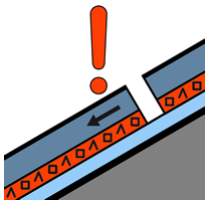
Avalanche Problems



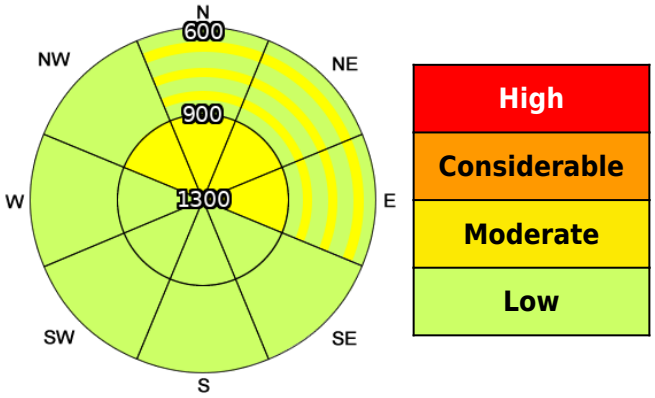
Wind Slab



Persistent Weak Layers

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

Poorly bonded windslab will continue to build in isolated wind sheltered locations mainly above 900 metres with steep convex terrain, coire rims and back walls, gully exits and other sheltered hollows most affected. Elsewhere the terrain is mostly wind scoured and bare. The avalanche hazard will be Moderate.



Forecast Weather Influences

Overnight, snowfall will continue, lying mainly above 500 metres, Winds will be strong West-South-Westerly. Snow showers will die out in the morning, winds will be light Southerly and the freezing level will be at 700 metres.

Comments

A much more wintery scene with a good prospect for a calm winter Christmas day.
Merry Christmas to you all

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