

**THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE CONSIDERABLE**

**Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Saturday 26/12/2015**

**Avalanche Problems**



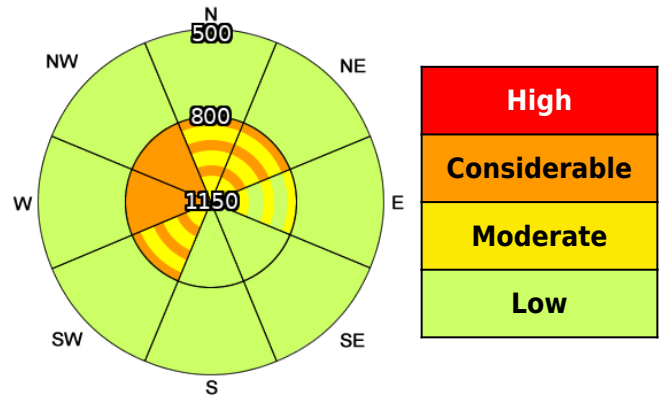
**Wind Slab**



**Persistent Weak Layers**

**Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard**

Areas of unstable windslab will exist on slopes mainly above 800 metres, greatest accumulations will be in all sheltered summit gullies and on South-West through North to North-Easterly aspects. Avalanches are likely where accumulations of windslab attain significant depth or where old re-frozen snow underlies. Windward slopes will become scoured and icy. The avalanche hazard will be Considerable.



**Forecast Weather Influences**

Persistent new snow overnight and through the course of the day will affect slopes above 600 metres. Easterly winds will become strong through the morning before easing slightly later. The freezing level will be around 800 meters.

**Comments**

Widespread new snow forecast for much of the period, accumulations of windslab particularly in gullies and on steeper slopes will be unstable.



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