

THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE CONSIDERABLE

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Friday 05/02/2016

Avalanche Problems



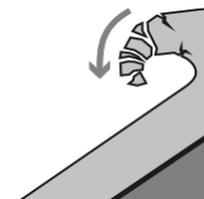
Wind Slab



Persistent Weak Layers



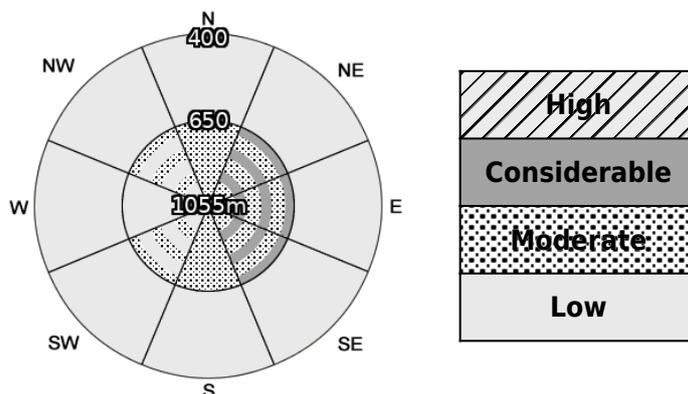
Wet Snow



Cornices

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

The snow pack on North-East to South-East aspects will become moist at first and become less stable but will begin to refreeze late afternoon. Later, new snow accumulations will form on North through East to South - East aspects above 650 metres where unstable windslab will build. Westerly aspects will be generally scoured. The avalanche hazard will be Considerable.



Forecast Weather Influences

A South - Westerly airflow will become established overnight. Gale force at first and weakening to fresh West- South - West then backing South - West by the end of the period. Rain overnight will turn to sleet by the morning turning to heavy snow later. At first the freezing level will remain at summit levels, then lowering to around 500 metres during tomorrow morning.

Comments

Rather wet and unpleasant today but colder temperatures returning tomorrow!



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