

THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE CONSIDERABLE

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Sunday 14/02/2016

Avalanche Problems



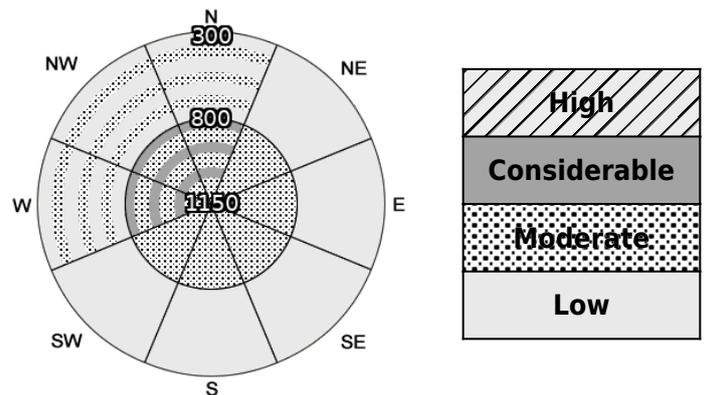
Wind Slab



Cornices

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

The strong winds will continue to scour and redistribute snow, this will lead to unstable windslab development in sheltered locations. The greatest accumulations will be mainly on South-West to North-West aspects above 800 metres. Other aspects will be affected with localised unstable accumulations due to cross loading. Localised instabilities will remain in the older snowpack mainly on steep North to East aspects above 850 metres. The avalanche hazard will be Considerable.



Forecast Weather Influences

Remaining cold and generally dry through the period, there maybe the odd isolated snow flurry, more persistent snow is forecast for the latter part of the afternoon. The strong Easterly winds will back to become North-North-East. The freezing level will fall to 200 metres then rise slightly to 500 metres in the day.

Comments

The cold conditions are forecast to continue for the next few days, getting milder on Tuesday.



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