

THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE CONSIDERABLE

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Monday 22/02/2016

Avalanche Problems



Wind Slab



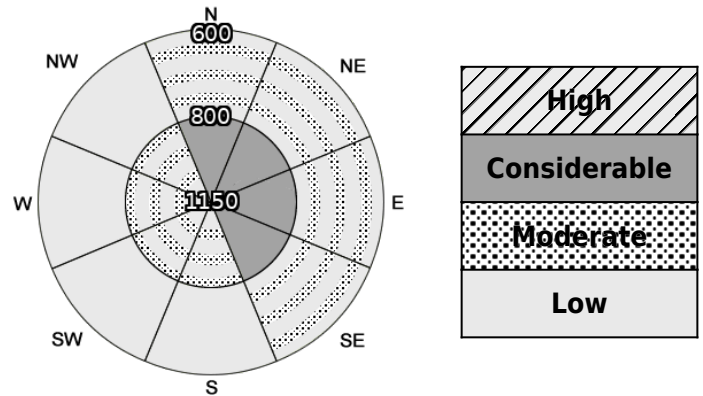
Persistent Weak Layers



Cornices

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

Deep unstable windslab will exist in many sheltered gullies and on slopes with a North through East to Southerly aspect mainly above 800 metres where avalanches are likely. Other aspects may well be affected by cross loading. Cornices will be weak and prone to collapse. The avalanche hazard will be Considerable.



Forecast Weather Influences

There will be strong Westerly winds overnight and frequent snow showers above 400 metres. It will become mainly dry and less windy through the day. The freezing level will be around 500 metres.

Comments

Fresh cornices will be weak and prone to collapse. Extensive areas of deep unstable windslab will exist in sheltered locations such as gullies.



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