

THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE CONSIDERABLE

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Monday 29/02/2016

Avalanche Problems



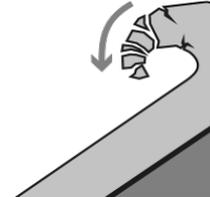
Wind Slab



Persistent Weak Layers



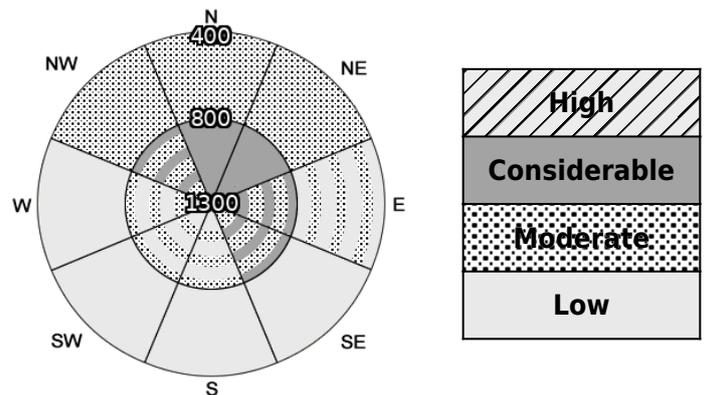
New Snow



Cornices

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

There will be a redistribution of snow with poorly bonded windslab developing on North-West to North-East aspects above 800 metres. Corrie rims gully tops and scarp slopes will be especially affected. Unstable windslab will form in other areas due to cross loading. Old instabilities will remain at depth on steep convex North-East to South-East aspects above 950 metres. New cornices will be unstable. The avalanche hazard will be Considerable



Forecast Weather Influences

Light snow showers during the day, winds will be strong to gale force South to South-South-Westerly. The freezing level will rise and reach summit levels by the afternoon

Comments

Heavy drifting expected tomorrow.



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