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Avalanche Hazard Forecast

FOR PERIOD 18:00HRS Tue 05/04/2016 TO 18:00HRS Wed 06/04/2016

THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE MODERATE

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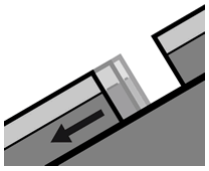
Avalanche Problems

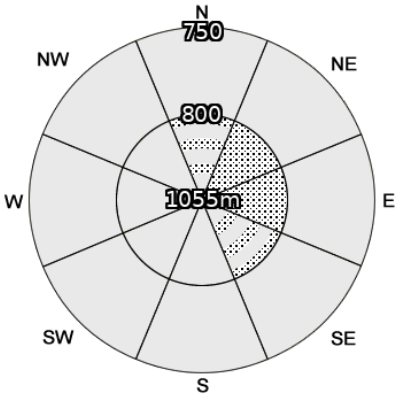
Wind Slab

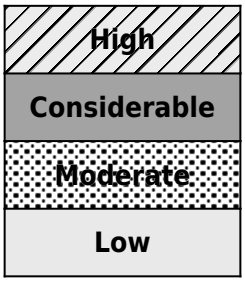


Gliding Snow

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

New windslab will develop on North through East to South-East aspects above 800 metres; however instabilities will mostly be confined to areas where the old snowpack remains on North-East and East aspects. Areas most affected will be around corrie rims and gully tops. Some surface sloughs and rock fall are possible on steep slopes. Glide cracks on East aspects will continue to widen due to snow creep. The avalanche hazard will be Moderate





Forecast Weather Influences

Snow showers are expected above 700 to 800 metres from midnight onwards. The freezing level will lower to around this level. Moderate South-Westerly winds will strengthen through the day and veer to the West.

Comments

Looking quite wintry on Wednesday

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