

THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE MODERATE

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Friday 23/12/2016

Avalanche Problems



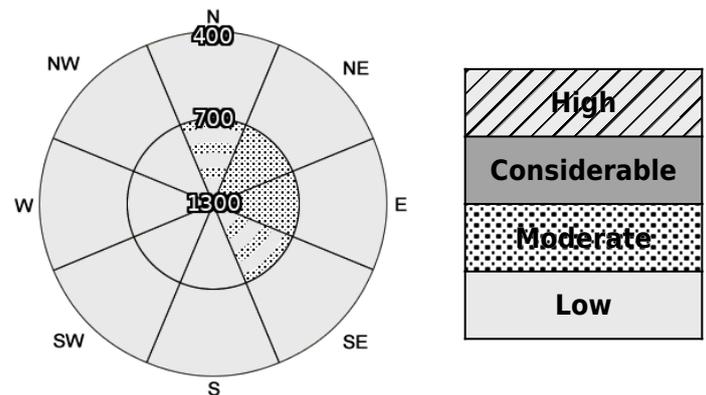
Wind Slab



Wet Snow

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

During the middle of the day the snowpack in all areas will deplete during the period of warmer temperatures and rain. Some localised instabilities will be likely in the isolated snowpack that will be present on steep North-East to Easterly aspects above 700 metres. Elsewhere the ground will be bare with limited snow. The avalanche hazard will be Moderate



Forecast Weather Influences

Winds will be strong West-South-Westerly, backing Southerly in the early morning before veering West-South-Westerly later in the day. Freezing levels at 500 metres overnight will rise to well over 2000 metres during the middle of the day, then lowering to 1000 metres at the end of the period. Some snow showers overnight before sleet then heavy rain at all levels arrives from late morning. Snowfall on summits later in the day.

Comments

Remaining changeable and stormy.



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