

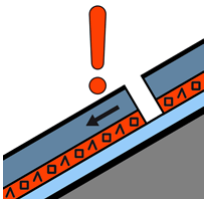
THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE CONSIDERABLE

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Thursday 12/01/2017

Avalanche Problems



Wind Slab



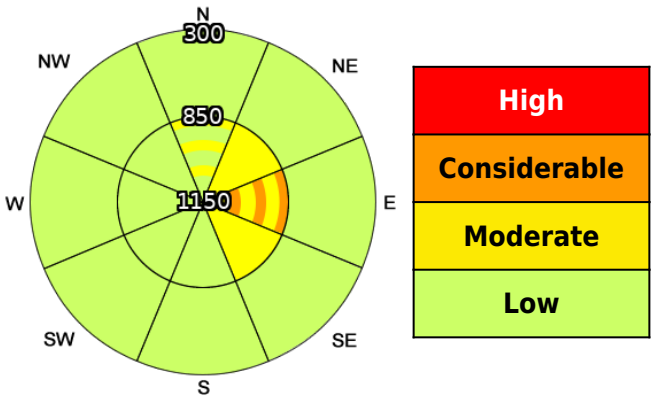
Persistent Weak Layers



Cornices

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

Snow showers will continue to develop deposits of weakly bonded windslab in many sheltered locations. The greatest accumulations will be on North through East to South-East aspects above 850 metres, other aspects could have localised instabilities due to cross loading. Where deposits gain depth particularly on steep and convex slopes, coire rims and gully exits stability will be poor and cornices fragile. Windward slopes scoured and almost snow free. The avalanche hazard will be Considerable.



Forecast Weather Influences

A cold, showery North-Westerly airflow will bring snow showers through the period accompanied by gale force Westerly winds. Freezing level lowering to 200 metres by dawn.

Comments

Low confidence on new snow amounts. Overnight gale force winds these should decrease slightly during the day.



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