

THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE CONSIDERABLE

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Friday 10/03/2017

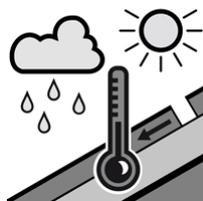
Avalanche Problems



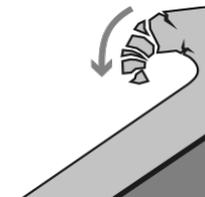
Wind Slab



Persistent Weak Layers



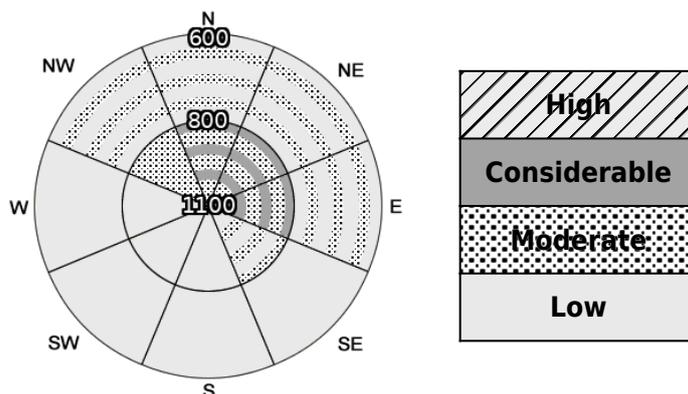
Wet Snow



Cornices

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

Fresh unstable windslab, mainly from redistribution, will be deposited on North-West and North aspects above 800 metres with older unstable windslab persisting on North-East to South-East aspects. The stability in these areas of windslab will reduce through the day as the temperature rises and cornices will be prone to collapse at this time. On other aspects and at lower elevations the snowpack is generally consolidated and stable. The avalanche hazard will be Considerable.



Forecast Weather Influences

Moderate West-North-West wind backing South-South-East and increasing slightly through the day. Dry overnight then occasional showers falling as snow on the higher summits initially but as rain to all levels by the end of the period. Freezing level rising above the summits.

Comments

Slightly warmer for the next few days.



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