

**THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE MODERATE**

**Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Saturday 18/03/2017**

**Avalanche Problems**



**Wind Slab**



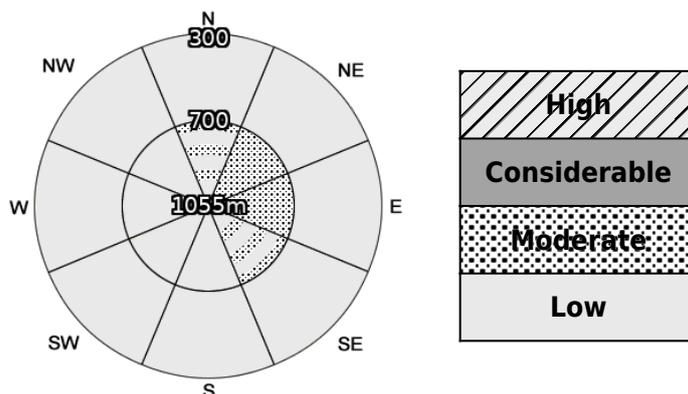
**Persistent Weak Layers**



**Cornices**

**Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard**

A covering of fresh snow will exist on all aspects above 300m and some snow redistribution will occur at higher levels early morning. Weaknesses will exist in the accumulations of windslab on steep slopes, North through East to South-East aspects mainly above 700 metres. A period of greater instability will occur during the afternoon. Most affected will be convexities, scarp slopes, gully exits and cornices. The avalanche hazard will be Moderate.



**Forecast Weather Influences**

Light snowfall above 300 metres will continue overnight, easing for a time early morning, before rain at all levels later as the freezing level rises above the summits by the afternoon. A light and variable wind overnight will strengthen by daybreak, becoming a gusty and fresh South-Westerly by midday. Remaining cloudy through the day.

**Comments**

The snow level will rise through the day with a slow thaw as milder weather arrives.



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