

THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE CONSIDERABLE

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Thursday 23/03/2017

Avalanche Problems



Wind Slab



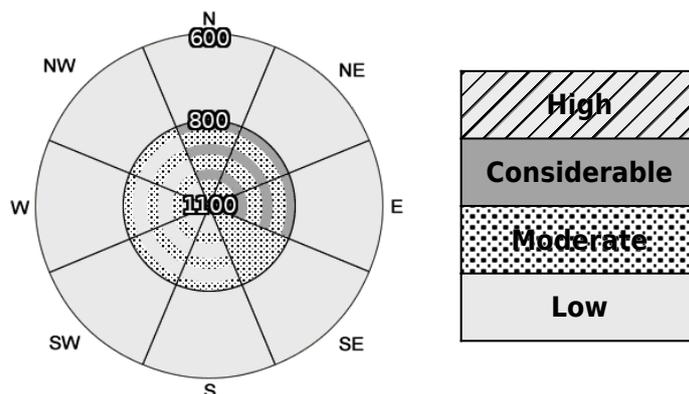
Persistent Weak Layers



Cornices

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

Unstable windslab will be present on many aspects. Greatest accumulations will be on North through East to South-East aspects above 800 metres. Cornices above these aspects will be fragile. Localised windslab will also be present on other aspects. Redistribution of snow will deposit new windslab in sheltered areas at higher levels, mainly on South-West and West aspects. The avalanche hazard will be Considerable.



Forecast Weather Influences

The freezing level will be at or below 400 metres overnight, then rising during the day to around 800 metres. After some isolated snow showers during the evening the period will be dry. Winds will be moderate to strong East-North-Easterly overnight, easing and veering South-Easterly through the day.

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