

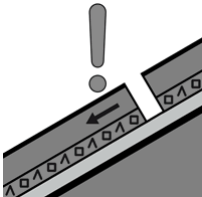
THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE CONSIDERABLE

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Wednesday 07/02/2018

Avalanche Problems



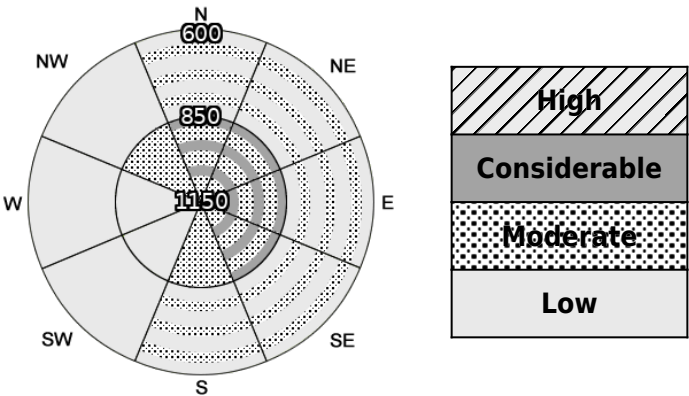
Wind Slab



Persistent Weak Layers

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

Poorly bonded windslab will initially be present in wind sheltered features on East and South-East aspects above 850 metres. Later, accumulations of poorly bonded windslab will develop on North and North-East aspects. Moderately well bonded snow will be found on North-West and South aspects. Windward slopes and exposed locations will be scoured and stable. The avalanche hazard will be Considerable.



Forecast Weather Influences

After a dry night, light snowfall will arrive during the morning becoming heavier during the afternoon. Overnight fresh Westerly winds will back and strengthen, becoming strong South-South-Westerly by midday. The freezing level will rise from 200 metres in the morning to 800 metres at the end of the forecast period.

Comments

A more complicated windslab distribution pattern developing. Might be a good day for an early start/early finish....



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