

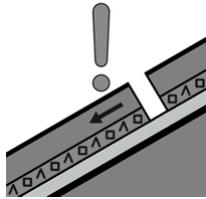
## THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE CONSIDERABLE

### Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Friday 16/02/2018

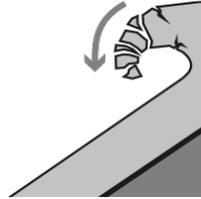
#### Avalanche Problems



Wind Slab



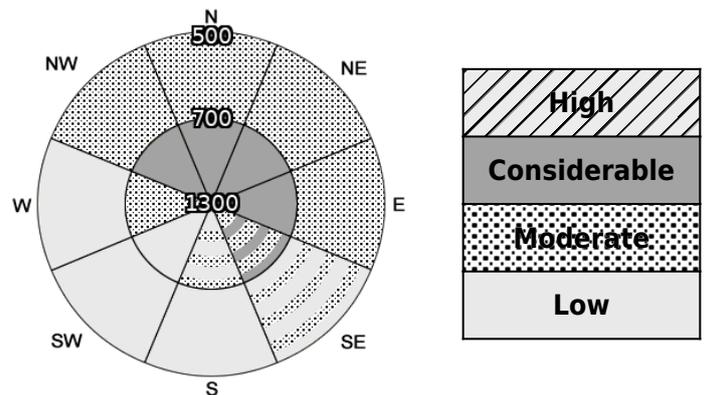
Persistent Weak Layers



Cornices

#### Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

Deep and widespread unstable windslab will continue to develop on North-West through North to Easterly aspects above 700 metres where avalanches are likely, other aspects will also be affected due to cross loading. Prone to collapse cornices will also form above these aspects. Below this level and mostly above 500 metres localised unstable windslab will be present on many wind sheltered steep banks and gullies. The avalanche hazard will be Considerable



#### Forecast Weather Influences

Snow showers are expected to die out during the afternoon. Strong West-South-Westerly winds will back to the South-South-West towards the end of the day. The freezing level will rise from 500 to 700 metres.

#### Comments

Another stormy day with a lot of drifting, 82mph gust recorded at 600m today!



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