

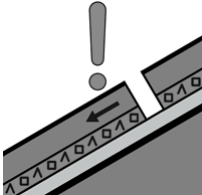
THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE MODERATE

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Saturday 03/03/2018

Avalanche Problems



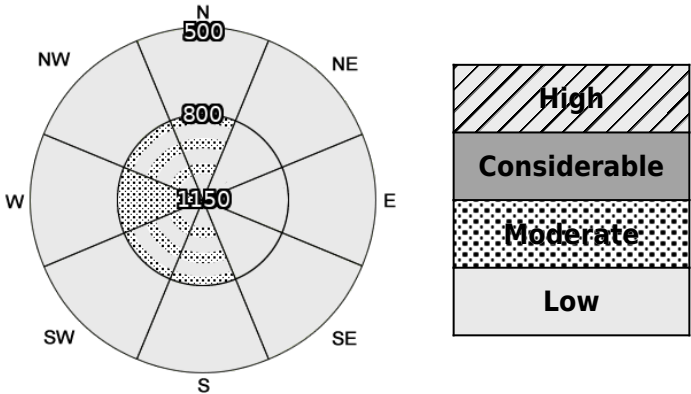
Wind Slab



Persistent Weak Layers

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

The old snowpack will remain hard, icy and will generally be stable. Areas of weakly bonded windslab will be present in deep and sheltered gullies and on slopes with a South-West through West to Northerly aspect mainly above 800 metres. Gully exits and steep scarp slopes will be particularly affected. Other aspects may be affected by cross loading. The avalanche hazard will be Moderate.



Forecast Weather Influences

A strong Easterly airflow will continue to affect the area. It will remain very cold at all elevations. Only a trace of new snow likely.

Comments

Remaining cold but becoming less windy. Widespread ice in watercourses and on many paths. The old snowpack is very firm and slick, serious run out potential exists with dire consequences.



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