

THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE CONSIDERABLE

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Sunday 04/03/2018

Avalanche Problems



Wind Slab



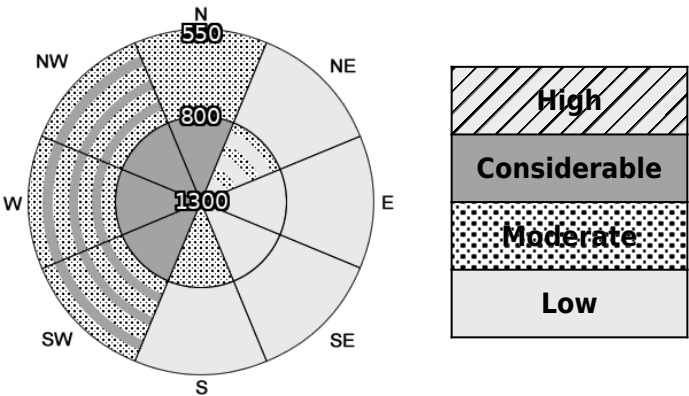
Persistent Weak Layers



Cornices

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

Poorly bonded windslab will continue to develop on South-West through West to Northerly aspects above 800 metres, here avalanches are likely. Steep wind sheltered coire rims, crag aprons, gully exits and convex terrain mostly affected. Below this level and mostly above 550 metres instabilities will persist especially where accumulations of windslab overlie the old snowpack on steep banks and confines. Elsewhere the snowpack will be firm and stable. The avalanche hazard will be Considerable.



Forecast Weather Influences

The cold airflow will continue with light snow showers at all levels on moderate to strong East-South-East winds. The freezing level will rise to 400 metres through the day. Drifting will continue at higher levels.

Comments

Weakness in the snowpack persisting due to the very cold temperatures.



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