

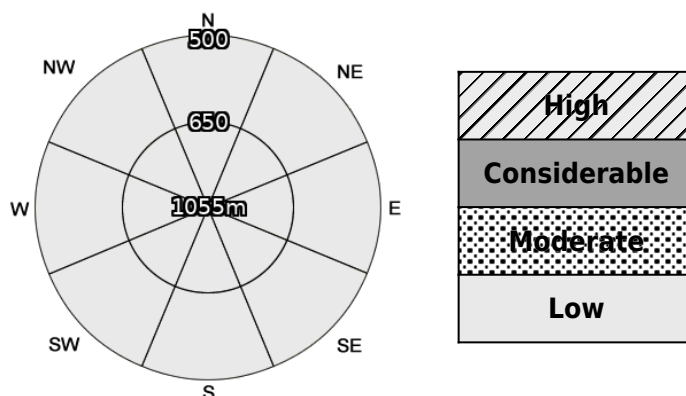
**THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE LOW**

**Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Friday 16/03/2018**

**Avalanche Problems**

**Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard**

The snowpack will remain well consolidated and stable throughout. It will continue to become patchy, particularly at lower elevations, with significant bare areas on previously windward slopes. The slow thaw will continue on lower slopes but some firming up of the snow will occur above 700 metres. The avalanche hazard will be Low.



**Forecast Weather Influences**

Easterly gales will persist throughout the period. A largely dry day is expected with cloud becoming more broken through the day allowing some bright spells to develop. Freezing around 700 metres.

**Comments**

The gales will continue into the weekend. Becoming colder but little to no precipitation is forecast. Expect significant windchill at summit levels.



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