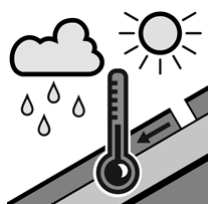


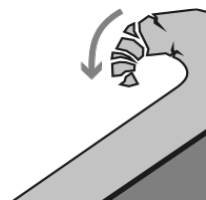
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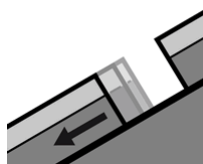
Avalanche Problems



Wet Snow



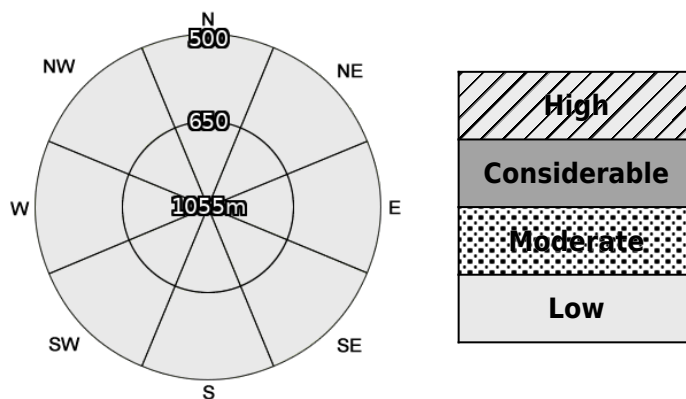
Cornices



Gliding Snow

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

The thawing and wet snowpack will remain generally well consolidated and stable on all aspects and elevations. Some minor surface wet snow instabilities are possible, particularly steep slopes above 700 metres. Above 900 metres, the snowpack will begin to refreeze during the day. Any remaining weak cornices will be prone to collapse. The avalanche hazard will be Low.



Forecast Weather Influences

It will remain mild throughout the period except for a colder spell in the day with the freezing level dropping briefly below the summits. Persistent rain at all levels overnight will ease by daybreak to give a dry morning before a dusting of summit snow later. The strong Westerly wind will ease for a time before strengthening through the day, backing to a strong South-South-Westerly.

Comments

Diminishing snowpack, with large bare areas appearing, but the main snowpack will survive the thaw. Colder again through Friday.



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