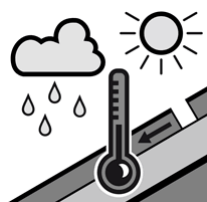


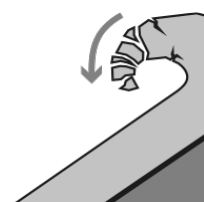
THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE CONSIDERABLE

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Avalanche Problems



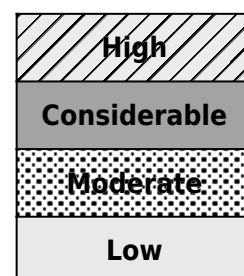
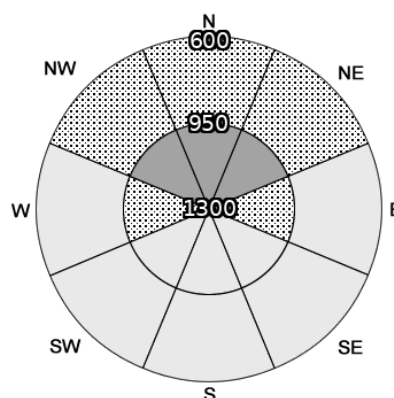
Wet Snow



Cornices

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

Due to the rain and mild temperatures the snowpack will become increasingly unstable with avalanches likely on steep and convex North-West to North-East aspects above 950 metres. Instabilities will also be present on West and East aspects. Cornices will be prone to collapse. Localised instabilities will be present on these aspects below 950 metres mainly on steep banks and gullies. Elsewhere the snowpack will be generally wind scoured and stable. The avalanche hazard will be Considerable.



Forecast Weather Influences

Gale to storm force Southerly winds with rain at all levels during the night and through the afternoon. This will occasionally turn to sleet and snow at summit levels. The freezing level will fluctuate at around summit levels for a spell during the night but will mostly be above the summits.

Comments

Generally mild over the next 24 hours, looking a little cooler towards the end of the weekend.



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