Glencoe

Avalanche Hazard Forecast

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FOR PERIOD 18:00HRS Fri 07/01/2022 TO 18:00HRS Sat 08/01/2022

THE AVALANCHE HAZARD WILL BE CONSIDERABLE

Avalanche Hazard Forecast for Saturday 08/01/2022

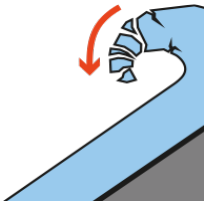
Avalanche Problems



Wind Slab



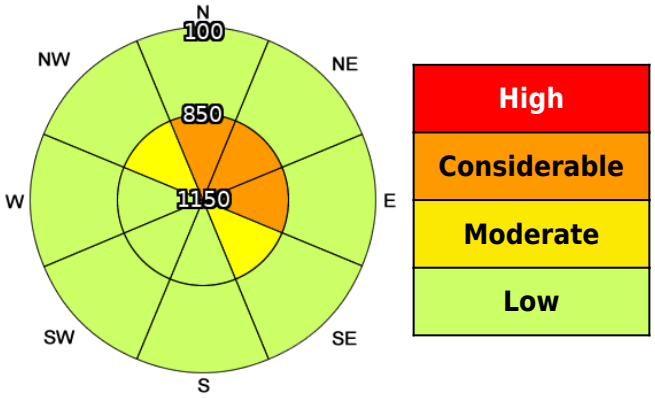
Wet Snow



Cornices

Forecast Snow Stability & Avalanche Hazard

Slopes exposed to the recent strong South-West to Westerly winds will remain scoured in many locations. Unstable windslab will exist in sheltered summit gullies and on slopes with a North-Westerly through North to Easterly aspect mainly above 850 metres, Gully exits and corrie headwalls will be particularly affected. The avalanche hazard will be Considerable. Cornices will be fragile.



Forecast Weather Influences

It will be dry for much of the night with a return to snow showers on Saturday. Daytime winds will be mainly fresh West-South-Westerly. The freezing level will briefly rise above the summits early in the morning then lowering to 500 metres by the end of the day.

Comments

Deep drifts and unstable windslab on lee slopes. Fresh cornices are fragile.

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