Rock glacier

Comment:

Debris landform generated by permafrost creep, detectable in the landscape with a front (discernable talus delimiting the terminal part of the moving area perpendicularly to the principal flow direction), lateral margins in continuity of the front and often ridge-and-furrow surface topography.

An active rock glacier (as illustrated) is currently conveying debris from an upslope area (rooting zone) towards its front.

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