

Natural Loose Snow Avalanches - Beehive Basin

Beehive Basin
Northern Madison
12/13/2020
Code
L-N-R1-D1-I
Elevation
9000
Aspect
SW
Latitude
45.32500
Longitude
-111.38300
Notes

We observed a cluster of relatively small, loose snow avalanches in the Tyler's [Slide](#) area of Beehive Basin. We don't have the recipe for [slab](#) avalanches... yet. Wind-[loading](#) and/ or new snow could tip the scales. Both are coming this week and next, so stay heads-up!

Number of slides
1
Number caught
0
Number buried
0
Avalanche Type
Loose-snow avalanche
Trigger
Natural trigger
R size
1
D size
1
Bed Surface
I - Interface between new and old snow
Problem Type
New Snow
Slab Thickness
20.0 centimeters
Vertical Fall
100ft
Slab Width
50.00ft
Weak Layer Grain type
Precipitation Particles
Weak Layer Hardness
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Images

[Small, Loose Snow Avalanches in Beehive](#)

Attached Videos

[Weak Snowpack in Beehive/ Middle Basins - 14 December 2020](#)

Slab Thickness units

centimeters

Single / Multiple / Red Flag

Single Avalanche

Advisory Year

[20-21](#)