Natural Avalanche near Fairy Lake

Fairy Lake Bridger Range 11/6/2024 Code SS-N-R1-D1-G Elevation

Elevation

9400

Aspect

N

Latitude

45.90430

Longitude

-110.95800

Notes

From obs: "I made it up to an old crown in a north-facing chute around Fairy Lake at around 9400 ft; it broke the night of 11/6 or the morning of 11/7. It looked like a <u>wind slab</u> that broke on a rotten layer of facets intermixed with scree. Found facets to be fairly widespread through the bottom of the snowpack on the north-facing slopes and <u>surface hoar</u> on most nonsolar slopes."

Number of slides

1

Number caught

0

Number buried

0

Avalanche Type

Soft slab avalanche

Trigger

Natural trigger

R size

1

D size

1

Bed Surface

G - Ground

Problem Type

Persistent Weak Layer

Slab Thickness

6.0 inches

Images

Old Avalanche Crown

Snow Observation Source

Old crown, facets at fairy

Slab Thickness units

inches

Single / Multiple / Red Flag

Single Avalanche Advisory Year 24-25