

Small wind slab wheeler

Wheeler Mountain

Northern Gallatin

2/10/2023

Code

SS-ASr-R1-D1-S

Elevation

8400

Aspect

SE

Latitude

45.50970

Longitude

-111.08200

Notes

We also observed a most likely remote triggered small [wind slab](#) (not our tracks next to it). Solar aspects were hot. Top of snowpack was relatively stable in our 4 foot pit, some [collapse](#) but no [propagation](#) (E [aspect](#), 8400 feet).

Number of slides

1

Number caught

0

Number buried

0

Avalanche Type

Soft slab avalanche

Trigger

Skier

Trigger Modifier

r-A remote avalanche released by the indicated trigger

R size

1

D size

1

Bed Surface

S - Avalanche released within new snow

Problem Type

Wind-Drifted Snow

Slab Thickness

6.0 inches

Vertical Fall

100ft

Slab Width

30.00ft

Images

[Small wind slab near Wheeler](#)

Snow Observation Source

[Old Crowns near Wheeler](#)

Slab Thickness units

inches

Single / Multiple / Red Flag

Single Avalanche

Advisory Year

[22-23](#)