

U.S. Avalanche Accidents Reports

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2013-2014 TOTAL FATALITIES: 23

DATE	PLACE	FATALITIES	STATE	ACTIVITY	SUMMARY
2014-03-11	Cooke City, Daisy Pass / Crown Butte	1	MT	SNOWMOBILE	2 snowmobilers caught, 1 injured and 1 bur
2014-03-10	Altoona Lakes, Granite County, NE of Phillipsburg	1	MT	SKI	1 backcountry skier caught, buried and kille
2014-03-07	Uinta Mountains, Gold Hill	1	UT	SNOWMOBILE	1 snowmobiler caught, buried and killed
2014-03-05	La Plata Mountains, Sharkstooth	1	CO	SNOWMOBILE	1 snowmobiler caught, buried and killed (pre
2014-03-04	Eastern San Juans, Conejos Peak	1	CO	OTHER	1 ski patroller caught, buried and killed
2014-02-28	Missoula, Rattlesnake Valley, Mt. Jumbo	1	MT	OTHER	1 snowplayer and 2 residents caught and b
2014-02-22	Troy, West Cabinet Mountain Range	1	MT	SNOWMOBILE	2 snowmobilers caught, 1 partly (mostly) bu
2014-02-18	Togwotee Pass	1	WY	SNOWMOBILE	1 snowmobiler caught, buried and killed
2014-02-16	Smoky Mountains, Frenchman Creek, west of Galena Summit	1	ID	SNOWMOBILE	4 snowmobilers caught and buried, 1 killed
2014-02-15	Sawatch Range, Independence Pass, Star Mountain	2	CO	SKI	5 backcountry skiers caught, 3 injured, 2 bu
2014-02-11	Wallowa Mountains, near Cornucopia, Little Eagle Meadow	2	OR	SKI	5 backcountry skiers caught, 2 partly buried
2014-02-10	Keystone, North Fork Swan River	1	CO	SKI	2 out-of-area skiers caught, 1 partly buried,
2014-02-10	Crested Butte, Kebler Pass	1	CO	SNOWMOBILE	2 snowmobilers caught, 1 partly buried, 1 b
2014-02-09	Sanpete County, Hungtinton Reservoir	1	UT	SNOWMOBILE	1 snowmobiler caught, buried and killed
2014-02-08	Wasatch Mountains, American Fork Canyon	1	UT	SNOWSHOE	1 snowshoer caught, buried and killed
2014-01-18	Cascade Mountains, Barlow Pass, Lewis Peak	1	WA	CLIMB	1 climber caught and killed
2014-01-13	Logan, Providence Canyon, Fair and Rodeo Grounds		UT	SNOWMOBILE	1 snowmobiler caught, buried and injured
2014-01-11	Preston, Northern Bear Range, St Charles Canyon		ID	SNOWMOBILE	1 snowmobiler caught, buried and injured
2014-01-07	Vail, East Vail Chutes, CDC	1	CO	SKI	4 out-of-area skiers caught, 1 buried and ki
2014-01-01	Portal Creek near Big Sky	1	MT	SNOWMOBILE	1 snowmobiler caught, buried and killed
2013-12-31	Rabbit Ears Range, Willow Creek Pass, Parkview Mountain	1	CO	SNOWBOARD	1 backcountry snowboarder caught, buried
2013-12-27	Mount Washington, Tuckerman		NH	HIKE	2 hikers caught and injured
2013-12-26	Swan Valley, Palisades Peak	1	ID	SNOWMOBILE	1 snowmobiler caught, buried and killed
2013-12-26	Jackson, Pucker Face	1	WY	SKI	1 out-of-area skier caught, buried and killed

Montana has five avalanche fatalities this season, four in the last 18 days.

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Forecast link: [GNFAC Avalanche Advisory for Wed Mar 12, 2014](#)

No Region, 2014-03-12