



This natural avalanche occurred on the north face of Mt Backmore. Heavy wind loading and weak facets near the ground was the recipe that caused this slide. The crown in the lookers left side of the photo is nearly seven feet deep. Avalanches of this nature will become more likely as more weight and stress is added to the snowpack. Photo B Bakken

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