



The avalanche failed on a thick (10cm) layer of facets that were sitting on an ice crust. The slide was a natural soft slab avalanche that broke with just a few new inches of snow and wind. Photo: D. Zinn

Advisory Region  
Lionhead Range  
Longitude  
-111.30W  
Latitude  
44.70N

**Forecast link:** [GNFAC Avalanche Forecast for Fri Dec 29, 2017](#)  
Lionhead Range, 2017-12-28