

A few natural new snow/wind-slabs

Sheep Creek

Cooke City

1/8/2022

Code

SS-N

Elevation

9700

Aspect

NE

Latitude

45.03440

Longitude

-109.98400

Notes

From skiers in Cooke 1/9/21:

"Observed a couple of recent, new snow, [wind slab](#) avalanches that appeared to occur during the storm. Upper elevation, N-E aspects, all very steep, wind loaded terrain. Most appeared to be triggered by [cornice](#) falls, and nothing propagated very wide from what I could tell."

"[Wind slab](#) on East face of Sheep mountain today. D1.5, mid slope".

Number of slides

3

Number caught

0

Number buried

0

Avalanche Type

Soft slab avalanche

Trigger

Natural trigger

Problem Type

New Snow

Slab Thickness units

centimeters

Single / Multiple / Red Flag

Multiple Avalanches

Advisory Year

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