

Mt Ellis

Date

Tue, 01/03/2023 - 13:30

Activity

Skiing

The snowpack structure has deteriorated on Ellis since the last time I was there a couple of weeks ago, but without [loading](#), it remains generally stable. I am less optimistic about future [stability](#). All slopes were covered by a layer of [surface hoar](#) and near-surface facets. Light winds will do little today to disrupt the surface snow. Hopefully we get some wind that beats this layer up a bit before it gets buried.

We felt that finding instability was unlikely today with ECTXs and ECTNs in the 20s in both our pits.

Region

Northern Gallatin

Location (from list)

Mt Ellis

Observer Name

Dave Zinn