Small Skier Triggered Slide in Gallatin Canyon

Dudley Creek Northern Madison 3/4/2021 Code WS-AS-R1-D1 Elevation

7200

Aspect

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Latitude

45.31450

Longitude

-111.29500

Notes

From obs: "While touring above the canyon this morning, I noticed a very recent wet slide (would guess this incident occurred yesterday afternoon, March 4th). This was a skier triggered slide on a E aspect at an elevation of 7200. This slide was roughly 50 feet wide and ran about 50 feet, I estimated this crown to be 2-3 feet deep, slid all the way to the ground. This occurred below a steep roller."

Number of slides

Number caught

Number buried

Avalanche Type

Wet slab avalanche

Trigger

Skier

R size

1

D size

Problem Type

Wet Snow

Images

Gallatin Canyon Wet Slide

Slab Thickness units

centimeters

Single / Multiple / Red Flag

Single Avalanche

Advisory Year

20-21