

Natural Point release triggered a deep slab, Emigrant (outside fx area)

Emigrant Peak
Out of Advisory Area
3/19/2023
Code
HS-NL-R2-D2-O
Elevation
9900
Aspect
E
Latitude
45.26300
Longitude
-110.70700
Notes

From obs 3/20/23: "Yesterday we toured up into Emigrant gulch. At around 2pm we observed a small point release on the East face of Emigrant, either a small [cornice](#) break or wet loose, that ran for about 200ft before [stepping down](#) to a deep [slab](#) that appeared to be about 3ft deep and 100ft across."

Number of slides
1
Number caught
0
Number buried
0
Avalanche Type
Hard slab avalanche
Trigger
Avalanche triggered by loose snow avalanche
R size
2
D size
2
Bed Surface
O - Old snow
Problem Type
Persistent Weak Layer
Slab Thickness
36.0 inches
Vertical Fall
600ft
Slab Width
100.00ft
Images
[Point release stepped down to deep slab on Emigrant](#)
[Slab avalanche on Emigrant Peak](#)
Snow Observation Source

[Point release stepped down to deep slab on Emigrant](#)

Slab Thickness units

inches

Single / Multiple / Red Flag

Single Avalanche

Advisory Year

[22-23](#)