

Black Bear Canyon Avalanche, W Yellowstone

Other place

Out of Advisory Area

1/14/2024

Code

SS-AM-R2-D1.5-O

Aspect

NE

Latitude

45.65530

Longitude

-110.55800

Notes

Riders in Black Bear Canyon saw a small avalanche on a wind loaded slope that recently happened, either on 01/14 or the day before on 01/13.

Number of slides

1

Number caught

0

Number buried

0

Avalanche Type

Soft slab avalanche

Trigger

Snowmobile

R size

2

D size

1.5

Bed Surface

O - Old snow

Problem Type

Persistent Weak Layer

Slab Thickness

12.0 inches

Images

[Avalanche in Black Bear Canyon](#)

Snow Observation Source

[Black bear canyon avalanche](#)

Slab Thickness units

inches

Single / Multiple / Red Flag

Single Avalanche

Advisory Year

[23-24](#)