

Snowmobile Triggered Avalanche in Taylor Fork

Taylor Fork

Southern Madison

1/14/2020

Code

SS-AMu-R1-D1-G

Aspect

E

Latitude

45.06070

Longitude

-111.27200

Notes

A small but relatively deep avalanche triggered by a snowmobiler on Tuesday, 1/14/2020. 30 ft wide. Ran 20 vertical feet. This avalanche broke to 2-3 ft deep, to the ground. This is the second time this year this slope has [slide](#), it also avalanched in mid-December.

Number of slides

1

Number caught

0

Number buried

0

Avalanche Type

Soft slab avalanche

Trigger

Snowmobile

Trigger Modifier

u-An unintentional release

R size

1

D size

1

Bed Surface

G - Ground

Problem Type

Persistent Weak Layer

Slab Thickness

24.0 inches

Vertical Fall

20ft

Slab Width

30.00ft

Images

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Slab Thickness units

inches

Single / Multiple / Red Flag
Single Avalanche
Advisory Year
[19-20](#)