## Wind Slab Avalanches, Storm Castle Creek

Storm Castle Northern Gallatin 2/12/2025 Code SS-R1-D1 Latitude 45.42340 Longitude -111.12500 Notes

Sledded up storm castle. Spent the majority of the day skinning and skiing NE to NW aspects. Found debris from multiple R1-D1 wind slabs from earlier this week. Found widespread but inconsistent wind slabs (2"- 6" thick) at elevations 6700' to 8400'. Throughout the day cracking and collapsing was noticed multiple times on areas of stiffer snow. Snow quality changed dramatically from powder turns to thick wind crust with no visual surface difference.

Number caught 0 Number buried 0 Avalanche Type Soft slab avalanche R size 1 D size 1 Problem Type Wind-Drifted Snow Snow Observation Source Touchy Wind Slabs Slab Thickness units centimeters Single / Multiple / Red Flag Multiple Avalanches Advisory Year 24-25