

Remote Trigger Meridian Peak

Meridian Peak

Cooke City

1/13/2020

Code

SS-ASr-R3-D2-I

Elevation

8370

Aspect

S

Latitude

45.02700

Longitude

-110.00300

Notes

We toured into Meridian today. On our approach we remote triggered a soft [slab](#) on the climber's left (west) side of the crux approach slope. It was 50' wide, ran 150', and the crown was about 12-15". It was a south [aspect](#) at 8370' with a ~40 degree start zone. The storm [slab](#) ran on a crust.

Number of slides

1

Number caught

0

Number buried

0

Avalanche Type

Soft slab avalanche

Trigger

Skier

Trigger Modifier

r-A remote avalanche released by the indicated trigger

R size

3

D size

2

Bed Surface

I - Interface between new and old snow

Problem Type

New Snow

Slab Thickness

15.0 inches

Vertical Fall

150ft

Slab Width

50.00ft

Images

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Slab Thickness units

inches

Single / Multiple / Red Flag

Single Avalanche

Advisory Year

19-20