

Skier triggered thin slab in Bridgers

Texas Meadow

Bridger Range

2/20/2020

Code

SS-AS-R1-D1

Latitude

45.84060

Longitude

-110.93300

Notes

From email on 2/20/2020: "I found some localized instabilities, including some wind whales on the ridge north of Bradley's... The [slide](#) in the photo probably happened naturally this late morning, with a [trigger](#) of sun-heated snow from the cliffs above (just west of Texas Hill). It ran approximately 100 meters.

From e-mail on 2/21/2020" "I was a few hundred feet north of it when it released. It was skier-triggered by another party traversing high on that slope. It carried the skier for most of the [slide](#) path."

Number of slides

1

Number caught

1

Number buried

0

Number killed

0

Avalanche Type

Soft slab avalanche

Trigger

Skier

R size

1

D size

1

Slab Thickness

6.0 inches

Vertical Fall

300ft

Slab Width

10.00ft

Images

[Wet snow triggered wind slab](#)

Slab Thickness units

inches

Single / Multiple / Red Flag

Single Avalanche

Advisory Year
[19-20](#)