Small Wind Slab Avalanche On Middle Peak

Middle Basin Northern Madison 2/17/2025 Code SS-ASc-R1-D1-S Aspect E Latitude 45.33740 Longitude -111.38100

Cohesive wind slabs roughly 1 foot deep were triggered between middle peak and the going home chute on the northeast <u>aspect</u>. Upon skiers weight shooting cracks traveled roughly 100 feet to <u>trigger</u> a small avalanche. The size was small as only the top 50 feet of the slope slid but the snow from the avalanche carried down the entire face.

Number of slides

1

Notes

Number caught

0

Number buried

0

Avalanche Type

Soft slab avalanche

Trigger

Skier

Trigger Modifier

c-A controlled or intentional release by the indicated trigger

R size

1

D size

1

Bed Surface

S - Avalanche released within new snow

Problem Type

Storm Slab

Images

Shooting cracks Middle Basin

Snow Observation Source

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Slab Thickness units

centimeters

Single / Multiple / Red Flag

Single Avalanche

Advisory Year