

Skier Triggered Wind Slab - Ice Cream Scoop

Woody Ridge

Cooke City

4/2/2025

Code

SS-ASu-R1-D1-S

Elevation

9280

Aspect

N

Latitude

45.00270

Longitude

-109.91700

Notes

Ice Cream Scoop on Skiers Left Side in Gully, North [Aspect](#), 9280'

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One of the few spots on the gully where there are no trees as a wind block on the skiers left (south) side. Noticed a few cornices on south side of gully where it is exposed to W/SW/S winds. Skier took a left turn under cornices to scrub speed and released a 6-10" windslab 40' wide which ran 10' at most. Super soft and easy to ski through.

Number of slides

1

Number caught

0

Number buried

0

Avalanche Type

Soft slab avalanche

Trigger

Skier

Trigger Modifier

u-An unintentional release

R size

1

D size

1

Bed Surface

S - Avalanche released within new snow

Problem Type

Wind Slab

Slab Thickness

10.0 inches

Slab Width

40.00ft

Images

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Snow Observation Source

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Slab Thickness units

inches

Single / Multiple / Red Flag

Single Avalanche

Advisory Year

[24-25](#)