Natural avalanche in wind-loaded snow near Mt Bole, Hyalite

Hyalite - main fork Northern Gallatin 1/30/2020 Code SS-N-R2-D2-I Aspect SE Latitude 45.44720 Longitude -110.96200

From an observation: "We were up on the ridge off Palace Butte and saw this recent natural released <u>slide</u>. Crown was big in spots. Must have happened sometime over night or in the morning (1/29 or 1/30) perhaps from the recent <u>wind loading</u>. East, southeast facing, on the peak north of MT Bole."

Number of slides

1

Notes

Number caught

0

Number buried

0

Avalanche Type

Soft slab avalanche

Trigger

Natural trigger

R size

2

D size

2

Bed Surface

I - Interface between new and old snow

Problem Type

Wind-Drifted Snow

Images

North of Mt Bole_1

North of Mt Bole 2

Slab Thickness units

centimeters

Single / Multiple / Red Flag

Single Avalanche

Advisory Year

19-20