

Natural Avalanche in Absarokas

Other place

Out of Advisory Area

2/18/2020

Code

HS-N-R3-D3-O

Elevation

9700

Aspect

NE

Latitude

45.65530

Longitude

-110.55800

Notes

From IG #gnfacobs post: "An avalanche from early Tuesday (02/18) morning caused by a natural [cornice](#) fall. Note the step down partway down the path. ENE @ 9700. Ran 1300'."

Number of slides

1

Number caught

0

Number buried

0

Avalanche Type

Hard slab avalanche

Trigger

Natural trigger

R size

3

D size

3

Bed Surface

O - Old snow

Problem Type

Wind-Drifted Snow

Slab Thickness

50.0 inches

Vertical Fall

1300ft

Slab Width

75.00ft

Images

[Natural cornice triggered deep avalanche close up](#)

[Natural cornice triggered deep avalanche](#)

Slab Thickness units

inches

Single / Multiple / Red Flag

Single Avalanche

Advisory Year

19-20