

Loose Snow Avalanches Mt Blackmore

Mt Blackmore
Northern Gallatin
11/27/2024
Code
L-N-R1-D1-S
Elevation
9500
Aspect
E
Latitude
45.44440
Longitude
-111.00400
Notes

Dave and I toured into Blackmore basin today and skinned up the SE shoulder to the ridge. As we entered the basin, we immediately noticed several natural loose snow avalanches (R1 D1) in steep rocky sections of the direct E face. These looked to have occurred in the last 12 hours, and though they would not have buried someone, they would have strained one through some nasty trees and cliffs.

Number caught
0
Number buried
0
Avalanche Type
Loose-snow avalanche
Trigger
Natural trigger
R size
1
D size
1
Bed Surface
S - Avalanche released within new snow
Problem Type
New Snow
Vertical Fall
200ft
Slab Width
20.00ft
Images

[Loose Snow Avalanches Mt Blackmore](#)

Attached Videos

[Wind Slabs and a Weakening Snowpack - Mt Blackmore - 27 Nov 2024](#)

Snow Observation Source

Weakening Snow on Mt Blackmore

Slab Thickness units

centimeters

Single / Multiple / Red Flag

Multiple Avalanches

Advisory Year

24-25