Natural and remotely triggered slides in Taylor Fork

Taylor Fork
Southern Madison
12/15/2021
Code
SS-AMr-R2-D1.5-I
Aspect
NE
Latitude
45.06070
Longitude

-111.27200 Notes

A small avalanche (15ft wide, 1-2ft deep) was triggered from 100 ft away on 12/15 at the divide between Sage and Carrot Basins in the Taylor Fork. It broke beneath the recent storm snow.

6 other slides broke naturally during the storm along the Sage Basin ridge line. These slides broke 2-3 ft deep beneath the storm snow and ran 50-100 ft.

Number of slides

7

Number caught

0

Number buried

0

Avalanche Type

Soft slab avalanche

Trigger

Snowmobile

Trigger Modifier

r-A remote avalanche released by the indicated trigger

R size

2

D size

1.5

Bed Surface

I - Interface between new and old snow

Problem Type

New Snow

Slab Thickness

30.0 inches

Images

Natural avalanche in Taylor Fork

Small remote trigger in Taylor Fork

Attached Videos

Fresh Avalanches in Taylor Fork - 15 Dec 2021

Slab Thickness units

inches Single / Multiple / Red Flag Multiple Avalanches Advisory Year 21-22