Collapse, cracking, and avalanche in distance at Bacon Rind

Bacon Rind Southern Madison 2/5/2019 Code SS-N-R2-D2 Elevation 9600 Aspect

NE

Latitude

44.94280

Longitude

-111.13600

Notes

From an email, "My partner and I skied up bacon rind with plans on skiing the <30 degree run on the east face of Ernest miller ridge. On our way out there we had a large <u>collapse</u>, and saw shooting cracks. We dug a pit at 9,150 ft on a E facing slope and got a ECT P16Q1 about 90 cm down. Before this off in the distance (photo) we saw a massive avalanche in a 35 degree wind loaded NE slope at 9,600. It appeared to be about 1 - 1.5 m deep and 100 ft across."

Number of slides

1

Number caught

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Number buried

0

Avalanche Type

Soft slab avalanche

Trigger

Natural trigger

R size

2

D size

2

Images

Natural avalanche near Bacon Rind

Slab Thickness units

centimeters

Single / Multiple / Red Flag

Single Avalanche

Advisory Year

18-19