

BSSP Trigger Avalanche - Cold Springs

Big Sky Resort
Northern Madison
11/27/2022
Code
AE-O
Aspect
N
Latitude
45.27600
Longitude
-111.43600
Notes

From BSSP Observations: "A [wind slab](#) triggered near the top of Cold Springs ran down and triggered a persistent [slab](#) around constriction level (see pics). This deeper failure occurred about 20cm off the ground at the Oct/Nov interface in a snowpack that was only about 1m deep."

Number of slides

1

Number caught

0

Number buried

0

Trigger

An explosive thrown or placed on or under the snow surface by hand

Bed Surface

O - Old snow

Problem Type

Persistent Weak Layer

Images

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Slab Thickness units

centimeters

Single / Multiple / Red Flag

Single Avalanche

Advisory Year

[22-23](#)