

Large avalanches in Absaroka - Outside Advisory area

Out of Advisory Area

11/22/2019

Code

HS-N-R2-D2.5-U

Elevation

10000

Aspect

NE

Notes

Sometime last week (11/20-11/22) these large avalanches occurred on heavily wind loaded northeast facing slopes in the Absaroka. The snowpack there is thin and faceted, similar to the southern ranges and mountains near West Yellowstone. Photo: B. VandenBos

Number of slides

3

Number caught

0

Number buried

0

Avalanche Type

Hard slab avalanche

Trigger

Natural trigger

R size

2

D size

2.5

Bed Surface

U - Unknown

Problem Type

Persistent Weak Layer

Images

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[Natural avalanches in Absaroka](#)

Slab Thickness units

centimeters

Single / Multiple / Red Flag

Multiple Avalanches

Advisory Year

[19-20](#)