

Cornice Fall Avalanche in Beehive

Beehive Basin
Northern Madison
3/1/2025
Code
C-ARc-R1-D2
Elevation
9100
Aspect
E
Latitude
45.30000
Longitude
-111.39900
Notes

Kicked off a [wind slab](#) avalanche 25ft wide on the west ridge of beehive basin. The [wind slab](#) was around 8-10ft deep and the debris slid almost to the flat a few hundred feet down the slope. The [slide](#) occurred around 9100ft on the east [aspect](#). Neither me nor my partner were carried or caught in the [slide](#).

The windslab that broke off was about 8-10 feet tall. It was mostly a huge section of a [cornice](#) that broke and the slope it fell down onto seemed to propagate a few inches down as well. The majority of the debris was from the [cornice](#).

Number of slides
1
Number caught
0
Number buried
0
Avalanche Type
Cornice fall
Trigger
Snowboarder
Trigger Modifier
c-A controlled or intentional release by the indicated trigger
R size
1
D size
2
Problem Type
Cornice Fall
Slab Width
25.00ft
Snow Observation Source
[Beehive Windslab Avalanche](#)

Slab Thickness units
inches
Single / Multiple / Red Flag
Single Avalanche
Advisory Year
[24-25](#)