Wind Slab Avalanche on Quarter Saddle

Saddle Peak Bridger Range 2/28/2024 Code HS-N-R1-D1 Latitude 45.79430 Longitude -110.93600

From obs: "I was skiing inbound at Bridger Bowl today and noticed a small wind slab avalanche that failed on quarter saddle. I estimate comparing the photo to Google Earth that the slide ran 250 vertical feet and broke 100+ feet wide. Ongoing wind-loading and obvious instability."

Number of slides

1

Notes

Number caught

0

Number buried

0

Avalanche Type

Hard slab avalanche

Trigger

Natural trigger

R size

1

D size

1

Problem Type

Wind-Drifted Snow

Images

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Snow Observation Source

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Slab Thickness units

centimeters

Single / Multiple / Red Flag

Single Avalanche

Advisory Year

23-24