

Widespread Avalanching in Divide Drainage

Divide Cirque

Northern Gallatin

1/26/2019

Code

SS-NCr-R3-D2.5-O

Aspect

SE

Latitude

45.39030

Longitude

-110.96900

Notes

A skier in Hyalite reported widespread avalanche activity in the Divide drainage. From the email: "Saw this set of crowns just to the looker's left of Divide Peak proper. Appear to be [cornice](#) triggered, I suspect they all released sympathetically, maybe sometime yesterday. Impressively connected, definite PWL issue. SE [aspect](#). Crowns spanned nearly 1/2 mile of terrain." Photo: B. VandenBos

Multiple Avalanches

Number caught

0

Number buried

0

Number killed

0

Avalanche Type

Soft slab avalanche

Trigger

Cornice fall

Trigger Modifier

r-A remote avalanche released by the indicated trigger

R size

3

D size

2.5

Bed Surface

O - Old snow

Problem Type

Persistent Weak Layer

Images

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Slab Thickness units

centimeters

Single / Multiple / Red Flag

Multiple Avalanches

Advisory Year

[18-19](#)