

Remotely triggered avalanche on Wheeler Mountain

Wheeler Mountain

Northern Gallatin

1/21/2019

Code

SS-ASr-D2

Latitude

45.51290

Longitude

-111.07700

Notes

From email: "As we entered the large open meadows on the east face ... we remotely triggered a sizable avalanche from 2-300 yards away. The crown was approximately 100 yards wide, running several hundred yards downhill ... the crown appeared to be about 2 feet deep."

Number of slides

1

Number caught

0

Number buried

0

Avalanche Type

Soft slab avalanche

Trigger

Skier

Trigger Modifier

r-A remote avalanche released by the indicated trigger

D size

2

Slab Thickness

24.0 inches

Slab Width

300.00ft

Images

[Wheeler Mountain avalanche](#)

Slab Thickness units

inches

Single / Multiple / Red Flag

Single Avalanche

Advisory Year

[18-19](#)