## Skier triggered thin slab in Bridgers

Texas Meadow Bridger Range 2/20/2020 Code SS-AS-R1-D1 Latitude 45.84060 Longitude -110.93300 Notes

From email on 2/20/2020: "I found some localized instabilities, including some wind whales on the ridge north of Bradley's... The slide in the photo probably happened naturally this late morning, with a trigger of sun-heated snow from the cliffs above (just west of Texas Hill). It ran approximately 100 meters.

From e-mail on 2/21/2020" "I was a few hundred feet north of it when it released. It was skier-triggered by another party traversing high on that slope. It carried the skier for most of the slide path."

Number of slides

Number caught

Number buried

Number killed

Avalanche Type

Soft slab avalanche

Trigger

Skier

R size

D size

Slab Thickness

6.0 inches

Vertical Fall

300ft

Slab Width

10.00ft

**Images** 

Wet snow triggered wind slab

Slab Thickness units

inches

Single / Multiple / Red Flag

Single Avalanche

**Advisory Year**