

# Natural wind slab avalanche in northern bridger Range

Flathead Pass  
Bridger Range  
12/17/2022  
Code  
SS-N-R2-D2  
Latitude  
45.98370  
Longitude  
-111.02400  
Notes

From obs: "Natural [wind slab](#), likely triggered by [cornice](#) fall in the last day or two, on a NE [aspect](#) at 8500'. Propagated ~150' wide and ran probably 300'. [Slab](#) thickness seemed to be 18-24" at the thickest. No sign of [stepping down](#) deeper into facets in the snowpack, although adjacent to this [slide](#) there was evidence of an older [slide](#) (previous to recent storm cycle) that failed deeper in the snowpack."

Number of slides  
1  
Number caught  
0  
Number buried  
0  
Avalanche Type  
Soft slab avalanche  
Trigger  
Natural trigger  
R size  
2  
D size  
2  
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  
[22-23](#)