

Small Avalanche on Test Slope at Lionhead

LIONHEAD AREA

Lionhead Range

1/28/2024

Code

SS-AFc-R1-D1-O

Latitude

44.72920

Longitude

-111.32300

Notes

A snowmobiler jumped and did a cannonball onto a very small slope, triggering an equally small avalanche. This was a clear sign that larger avalanches are likely on bigger slopes.

Number of slides

1

Number caught

0

Number buried

0

Avalanche Type

Soft slab avalanche

Trigger

Foot penetration

Trigger Modifier

c-A controlled or intentional release by the indicated trigger

R size

1

D size

1

Bed Surface

O - Old snow

Slab Thickness

18.0 inches

Vertical Fall

5ft

Slab Width

15.00ft

Weak Layer Grain type

Surface Hoar

Attached Videos

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Slab Thickness units

inches

Single / Multiple / Red Flag

Single Avalanche

Advisory Year

