Small Avalanches on Test Slopes, Buck Ridge

Buck Ridge Northern Madison 3/24/2024 Code SS-ACc Latitude 45.17190 Longitude -111.38000

From obs: "On a small test slope near Muddy Creek we intentionally triggered several small avalanches in wind loaded terrain."

Number of slides

1

Notes

Number caught

0

Number buried

0

Avalanche Type

Soft slab avalanche

Trigger

Cornice fall triggered by human or explosive action

Trigger Modifier

c-A controlled or intentional release by the indicated trigger

Problem Type

Wind-Drifted Snow

Images

Human-triggered cornice and wind slab, Buck Ridge

Snow Observation Source

New Snow and Wind at Buck Ridge

Slab Thickness units

centimeters

Single / Multiple / Red Flag

Single Avalanche

Advisory Year

23-24