

Thin Wind Slab Avalanche Hardscrabble

Date

Wed, 04/09/2025 - 17:30

Activity

Snowmobiling

I rode into Fairy Lake. There was 2-3" of new snow above the elevation of Fairy Lake, a trace below. Winds were cranking at ridge top elevation, transporting what soft snow there was. Minimal hazard formation. I spotted one fresh [wind slab](#) avalanche near Hardscrabble. The [slide](#) ran several hundred feet in steep terrain but was very thin (R1,D1).

There was a mostly supportable crust below the new snow about 1" thick. The snow below the crust was moist.

Region

Bridger Range

Location (from list)

Fairy Lake

Observer Name

Dave Zinn