

## Sled triggered large avalanche, McAtee Basin

Buck Ridge  
Northern Madison  
3/27/2021  
Code  
AMu-R2-D2-O  
Elevation  
9200  
Aspect  
N  
Latitude  
45.17230  
Longitude  
-111.44300  
Notes

From obs: "Saw this slope which frequently slides had been triggered on our way out last night. Slid to the ground but I expect it was mostly new snow was there is a larger old crown visible further uphill.... I did see two other small pocket slides yesterday also in new snow on bed surfaces of older slides.... General snowpack is getting very deep now but a thick junk layer remains at the ground everywhere I dug sleds out."

Number of slides  
1  
Number caught  
0  
Number buried  
0  
Trigger  
Snowmobile  
Trigger Modifier  
u-An unintentional release  
R size  
2  
D size  
2  
Bed Surface  
O - Old snow  
Problem Type  
Persistent Weak Layer  
Images

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Slab Thickness units  
centimeters  
Single / Multiple / Red Flag  
Single Avalanche  
Advisory Year  
[20-21](#)