

## Strong winds, but hopeful snowpit

Date

Wed, 02/28/2024 - 10:25

Activity

Skiing

We exited Bridger Bowl ski area via the gate at the top of the Alpine Lift, ascended Bradley's Meadow and The Ramp and dug in one of the Refrigerator Chutes on a NE [aspect](#) at ~8000 ft. We found a snowpack that made us pretty hopeful about the direction things are headed in the Bridger Range. Snow depth was 160 cm and we got ECTX results. At least in this location, the weak layers are starting to heal. The early January [weak layer](#) was 1Finger hardness. We are not at all confident yet about how widespread this is, but nonetheless, it is nice to see things getting better somewhere.

Winds were calm below the ridgeline, but we could see big plumes transporting in Wolverine Bowl. Yesterday's skin [track](#) was completely drifted in in some places.

Around a foot of new snow from the last couple days made for good riding conditions.

Region

Bridger Range

Location (from list)

The Ramp

Observer Name

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