Small skier triggered windslab in Hyalite

Maid of the Mist
Northern Gallatin
1/12/2023
Code
SS-ASu-R2-D1
Elevation
10000
Aspect
N
Latitude
45.41640
Longitude
-110.97000
Notes

From obs:

While skiing down 'Fat Maid' I triggered a shallow wind slab, after I was about 3/4ths of the way down the couloir. The slide broke to my left as I entered a wider section of the run, that holds a small perched bowl feature (which is what ripped out). The slide didn't propagate out into the main couloir, so the debris never impacted me. Even if it had, I don't think it would've been big enough to knock myself or any other skier off their feet. The slide was about 1/2 the width of the couloir and ran out to about 3/4ths of the apron's length (R2 D1?). The crown was 1-3" deep and maybe 30-40' wide.

Number of slides
1
Number caught
0
Number buried
0
Avalanche Type
Soft slab avalanche
Trigger
Skier
Trigger Modifier
u-An unintentional release
R size
2
D size
1
Problem Type
Wind-Drifted Snow
Slab Thickness
2.0 inches
Vertical Fall
100ft
Slab Width

30.00ft
Images
Skier Triggered Windslab Avalanche in Maid Basin
Snow Observation Source
Skier Triggered Windslab Avalanche in Maid Basin
Slab Thickness units
inches
Single / Multiple / Red Flag
Single Avalanche
Advisory Year
22-23