



This slide on a NE aspect of Fan Mountain near Big Sky is very similar to one that occurred recently in the Bridger Range. It appears to have been triggered by a falling cornice. The slide started in a steep rocky area that likely contained a thin, weak snowpack. The resulting avalanche broke further downhill but did not propagate over a much wider area. Photo: S. Reznicek

Advisory Region  
Northern Madison  
Longitude

-111.53W

Latitude

45.30N

**Forecast link:** [GNFAC Avalanche Forecast for Sat Jan 29, 2011](#)[GNFAC Avalanche Forecast for Sun Jan 30, 2011](#)[GNFAC Avalanche Advisory for Mon Jan 31, 2011](#)

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