

Avalanche near Lionhead Peak

Lionhead Ridge

Lionhead Range

1/4/2022

Code

SS-N-R3-D2-O

Elevation

9000

Aspect

NE

Latitude

44.73280

Longitude

-111.33200

Notes

This avalanche broke wide in a northerly facing bowl off Lionhead Ridge. It looks to have broken a foot or less deep. The propagation indicates a uniform [weak layer](#) , likely near-surface facets or [surface hoar](#) .

Number of slides

1

Number caught

0

Number buried

0

Avalanche Type

Soft slab avalanche

Trigger

Natural trigger

R size

3

D size

2

Bed Surface

O - Old snow

Problem Type

Persistent Weak Layer

Images

[Recent Avalanche in Lionhead](#)

Slab Thickness units

centimeters

Single / Multiple / Red Flag

Single Avalanche

Advisory Year

[21-22](#)