Natural Avalanches West of Beehive Peak

Beehive Peak
Northern Madison
2/8/2020
Code
SS-N-R3-D2-I
Elevation
9200
Aspect
SW
Latitude
45.35390
Longitude
-111.40500
Notes

From an obs.: "Large crown in lower meadows west side of beehive basin above jack creek. Both meadows in lower fight of photo went. Southwest aspect. Far right meadow crown is visible and entire face went. Left meadow is hard to see but 1/3 of face slid. I would guess 3-6 foot crown from how visible it was from moonlight."

Another report: "Observed good size crowns from Beehive Basin Road. They were on the west side of the ridge dividing Beehive Basin and Jack Creek. They were not down to the ground but big and wide looked like probably all the recent snow from the storm."

Number of slides
2
Number caught
0
Number buried
0
Number killed
0
Avalanche Type
Soft slab avalanche
Trigger
Natural trigger
R size
3
D size
2
Bed Surface
I - Interface between new and old snow
Problem Type
New Snow
Slab Thickness
36.0 inches
Slab Width

300.00ft
Images
Natural Avalanche West Side of Beehive Peak 2
Natural Avalanche West Side of Beehive Peak
Large natural slide in Spanish Peaks near Beehive Basin
Slab Thickness units
inches
Single / Multiple / Red Flag
Multiple Avalanches
Advisory Year
19-20