

Taylor Fork

Date

Fri, 12/02/2022 - 16:00

Activity

Snowmobiling

We observed no natural avalanches or overt signs of instability, although one group in the parking lot mentioned seeing a small [slide](#) south in Sage Basin past the Otter [Slide](#). The foot of new snow was wind affected. Human-triggered avalanches in the new snow and wind slabs were possible. These will stabilize in the next few days unless there *is continued loading*.

We dug in Carrot Basin and on the slope up to the weather station. We did not find the weak layers of [surface hoar](#) or near-surface faceting like at Lionhead Ridge. I am not convinced it doesn't exist anywhere, but it does not appear to be widespread. Test results were ECTN 11-15 under the foot of new snow.

Region

Southern Madison

Location (from list)

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Observer Name

Dave Zinn