

# Many large, destructive slides on Emigrant Peak

Emigrant Peak  
Out of Advisory Area  
2/16/2020  
Code  
HS-N-R4-D3-O  
Elevation  
9800  
Aspect Range  
All  
Latitude  
45.26300  
Longitude  
-110.70700  
Notes

[date of activity roughly estimated] From email on 2/22/2020: "The mountains around Emigrant Peak have certainly reached their tipping point. Skinning up in the morning we witnessed the debris of more than a dozen avalanches on all aspects, more than I have ever seen in a single day. Many of these avalanches were extremely large and powerful deep slabs that broke towards the ground, likely to have released within the past week. Slides were running to the end of their runout zones and carried with them many trees that were torn to shreds."

Number of slides  
7  
Number caught  
0  
Number buried  
0  
Avalanche Type  
Hard slab avalanche  
Trigger  
Natural trigger  
R size  
4  
D size  
3  
Bed Surface  
O - Old snow  
Problem Type  
Persistent Weak Layer  
Slab Thickness  
60.0 inches  
Vertical Fall  
1000ft  
Slab Width  
1000.00ft  
Images  
[Avalanche debris on road to Emigrant](#)

[Another Deep Slab on Emigrant 2](#)

[Another deep slab on Emigrant](#)

[Big Deep Slab on Emigrant close-up](#)

[Big Deep Slab on Emigrant](#)

Slab Thickness units

inches

Single / Multiple / Red Flag

Multiple Avalanches

Advisory Year

[19-20](#)