wet snow avalanches near Cooke

COOKE CITY
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4/10/2023
Code
WL-N-R1-D2
Elevation
9500
Aspect Range
S-SW-NE
Latitude
45.02020
Longitude
-109.93800
Notes

There were maybe 6-10 D1.5-D2 wet loose slides scattered around the area that we could see, similar to attached picture of Crown Butte (We could see Miller Mtn. east and north, Scotch Bonnet, Henderson, Crown Butte, Abundance, Wolverine). At lower elevations where the snowpack is shallower, closer to silver gate and the northeast corner of the park, there were some deeper wet loose slides (D2) and a couple small wet slabs (photo). I would estimate most of these happened yesterday (4/10).

Number of slides
10
Number caught
0
Number buried
0
Avalanche Type
Wet loose-snow avalanche
Trigger
Natural trigger
R size
1
D size
2
Problem Type
Wet Snow
Slab Thickness
10.0 inches
Vertical Fall
600ft
Slab Width
25.00ft
Images
Wet loose slide on Crown Butte
Wet slides south of Silver Gate
Snow Observation Source

wet snow avalanches, warming snowpack near Cooke
Slab Thickness units
inches
Single / Multiple / Red Flag
Multiple Avalanches
Advisory Year
22-23