

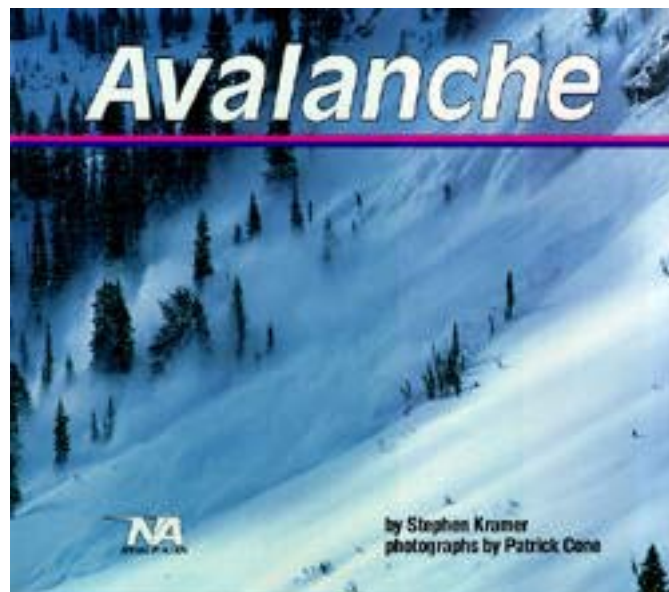
Avalanche

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Every year, as many as one million avalanches fall throughout the world. One moment, the mountainside is calm; the next, tons of packed ice and snow come thundering down, burying everything in the way.

Through fascinating facts and spectacular photography, author Stephen Kramer and photographer Patrick Cone explain the causes and effects of this awe-inspiring natural phenomenon. Young readers will also learn about rescue operations and safety rules for those who venture into avalanche country.