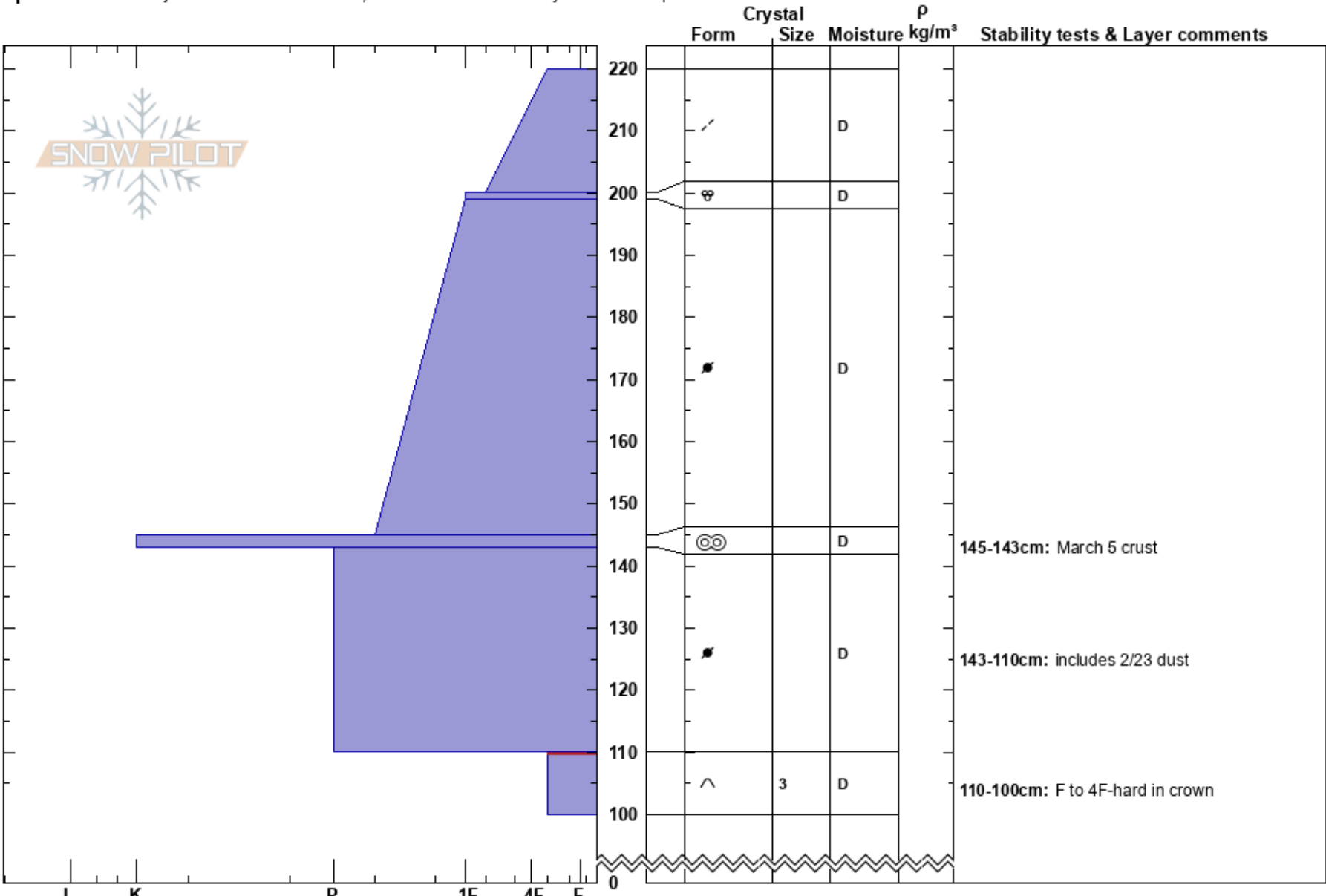


20220318 Mt Owen
West Elks
CO
Elevation: 11877 ft
Aspect: E
Specifics: Pit is adjacent to avalanche: crown; Recent avalanche activity on similar slopes

Ben Pritchett
03/18/2022 - 3:00pm
Co-ord: 13S 316420W 4308352N
Slope Angle: 41°
Wind Loading: no

Stability: Poor
Air Temperature: 25°C
Sky Cover: FEW
Precipitation: NO
Wind: W Light Breeze

HS:220
PF: 30
Layer Notes:
145-143cm: March 5 crust
143-110cm: includes 2/23 dust
110-100cm: F to 4F-hard in crown
110-100cm: Problematic layer



Notes: A group of sled-access snowboarders remote triggered this avalanche from around 600 feet away, from a wind-scoured slope south of the avalanche. Profile represents the deeper, southern end of crown.