

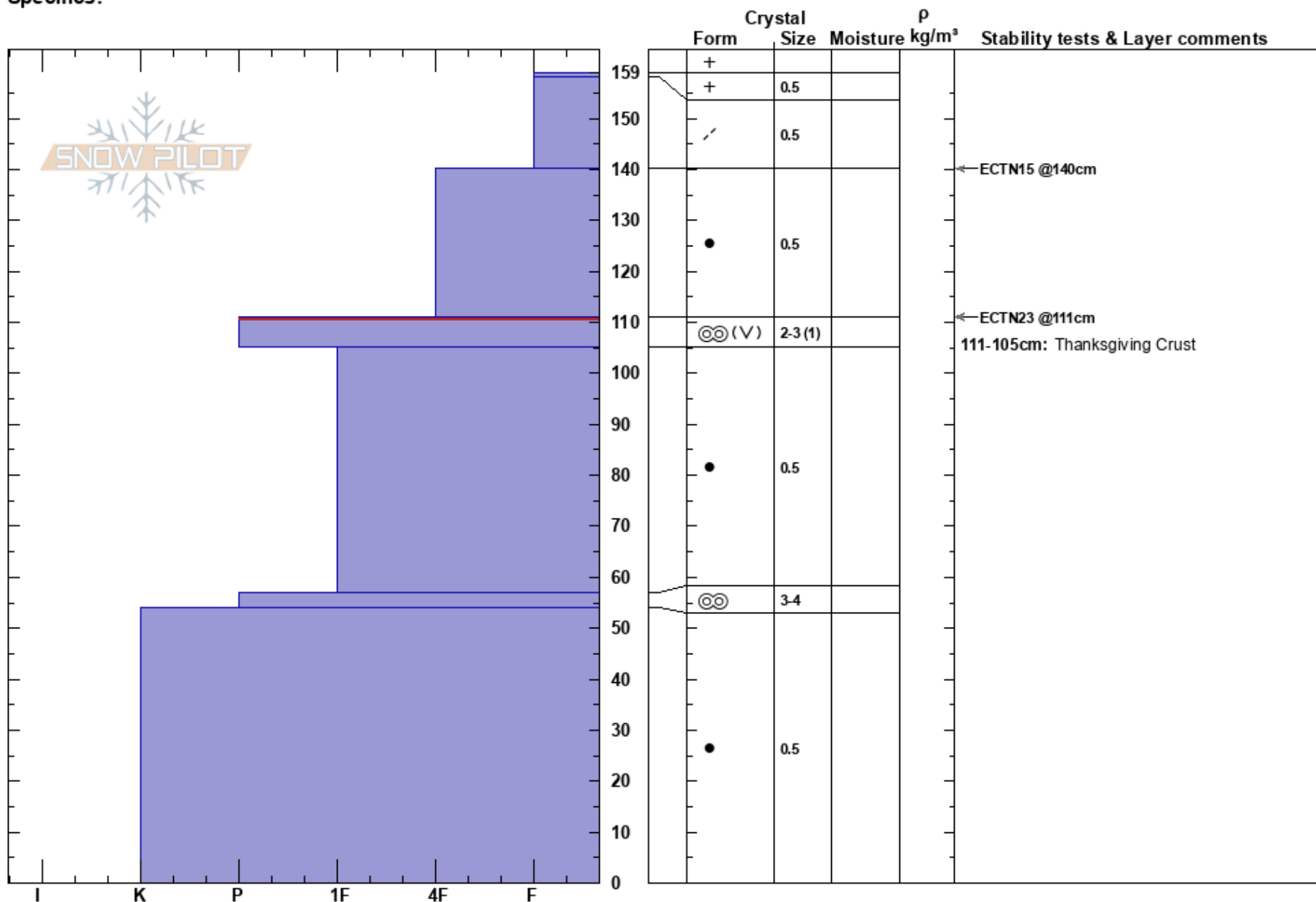
Low Max's SW Face  
Chugach Range  
AK

Elevation: 2476 ft  
Aspect: SW  
Specifics:

Grant Slesser  
12/06/2023 - 12:00pm  
Co-ord: 60.95208N, -149.09203W  
Slope Angle: 24°  
Wind Loading: yes

Stability:  
Air Temperature: -9°C  
Sky Cover: OVC  
Precipitation: S-1  
Wind: SW Light Breeze

HS: 159  
PF: 40  
PS: 30  
Layer Notes:  
111-105cm: Thanksgiving Crust  
111-105cm: Problematic layer



**Notes:** Light winds gusting moderately with visibility to ridge tops. Most previous tracks were smoothed over making for a creamy skiing surface of 30-40 cm of settled powder with some with minor wind stiffening. I witnessed some flagging during gusts and noticed a surface cm wind skin as well as a few isolated rolls on steeper terrain that were loading. The Thanksgiving crust was 48 cm down from the surface with rounding BSH where I dug. The quality of skiing and snow pack stability seemed ideal. Skied from below the steep face due to winds and I was skiing alone.