Low Max's SW Face Chugach Range

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Elevation: 2476 ft Aspect: SW Grant Slesser 12/06/2023 - 12:00pm

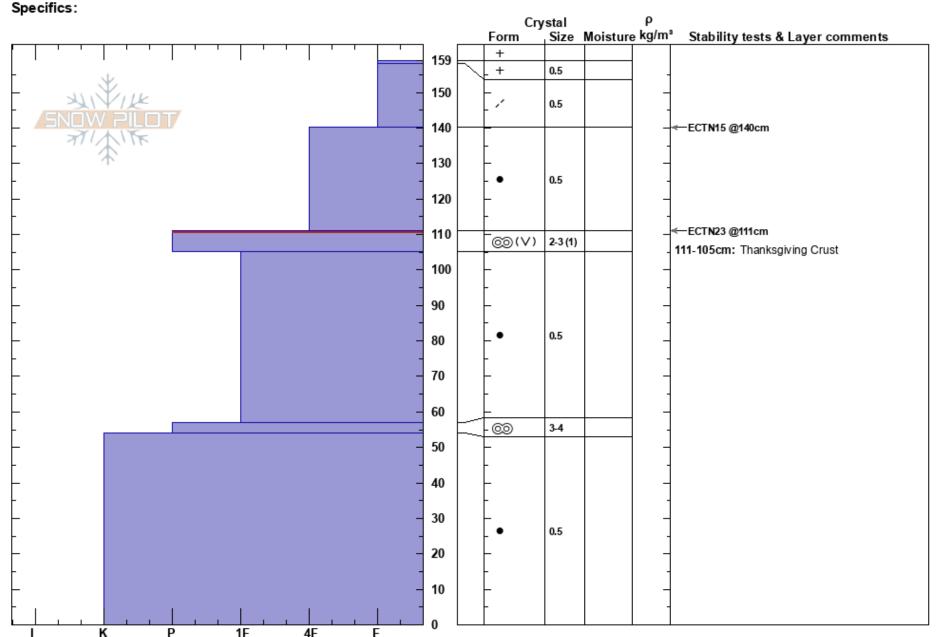
Co-ord: 60.95208N, -149.09203W **Slope Angle**: 24°

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Air Temperature: -9°C Sky Cover: OVC HS: 159 Layer Notes: PF: 40 111-105cm: Thanks

PF: 40 111-105cm: Thanksgiving Crust PS: 30 111-105cm: Problematic layer

Precipitation: S-1 Wind: SW Light Breeze



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.