Prolateriate Andy Anderson Stability: Fair Unstable HS:267 03/20/2018 - 12:00pm Carson Range Air Temperature:

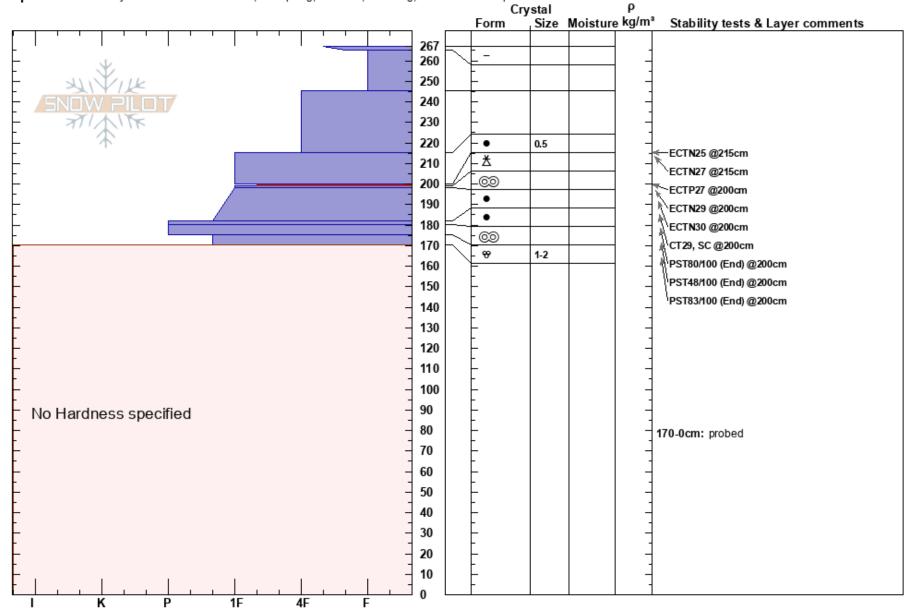
Co-ord: 39.31634N, -119.91802W Sky Cover: OVC

Elevation: 9760 ft Slope Angle: 38° Precipitation: S1 Aspect: 80° Wind Loading: yes Wind: SW Moderate Specifics: Pit is adjacent to avalanche: crown; Collapsing, localized; Cracking; Ski tracks on slope

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Layer Notes: 200-199cm: Problematic layer

170-0cm: probed



Notes: Pit is at the crown of a skier triggered avalanche that occurred on March 17. The weak layer was the graupel on top of the melt-freeze crust at 200 cm. It varied in depth today from 60 to 90 cm below the surface. As I was climbing back out of the crown, I triggered a large whumpf that caused the slope ablye the crown to collapse but it did not slide. I was on belay.