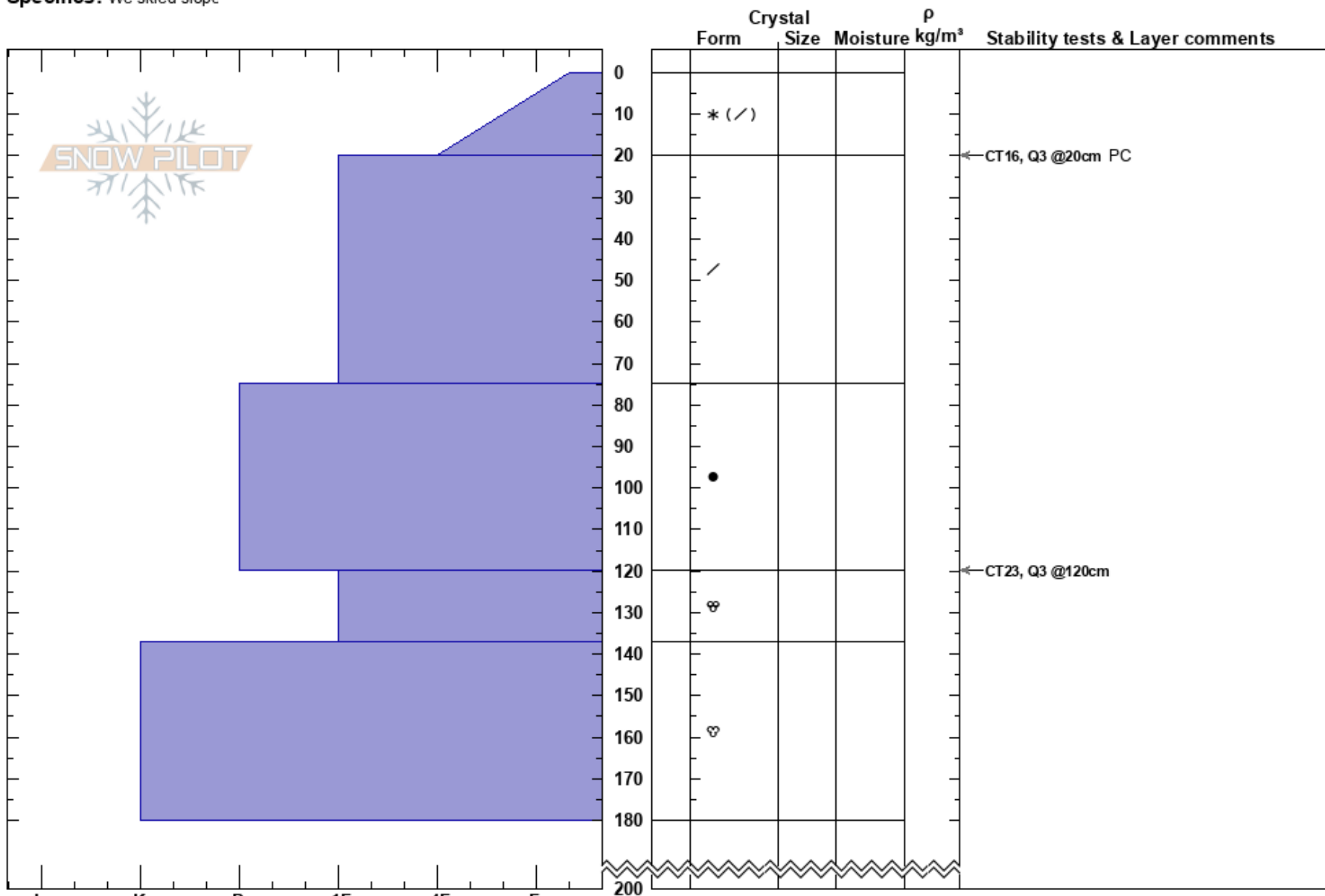


Furano Backcountry  
 Yubari Mountains  
 Japan  
**Elevation:** 1134 m  
**Aspect:** E  
**Specifics:** We skied slope

Ryan Taylor  
 22/12/2018 - 12:00  
**Co-ord:** 43.31362N, 142.30816E  
**Slope Angle:** 25°  
**Wind Loading:** no

**Stability:** Very Good **HS:**200 **Layer Notes:**  
**Air Temperature:** **PF:**85 120-137cm:Problematic layer  
**Sky Cover:** BKN  
**Precipitation:** S-1  
**Wind:** Light Breeze



**Notes:** May not be representative of sunnier slopes of the same aspect as this site was shaded by trees. i.e. could be sun crusts on more open areas. The melt form layer at the base of the snowpack does not shear cleanly so not worried. - However, will probably make a nice surface for wet slabs in the spring time.  
 We then skied the E face of Nishidake. All up, pretty stable!