72.5 Mile Chugach Range

Elevation: 2515 ft

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Aspect: 210°

Specifics: We skied slope

Matt McKee 01/08/2020 - 2:45pm

Co-ord: 60.93398N, -149.11048W

Slope Angle: 33° Wind Loading: no Stability: Good Air Temperature: -21°C

Wind: E Calm

**PF:**45 Sky Cover: CLR Precipitation: NO

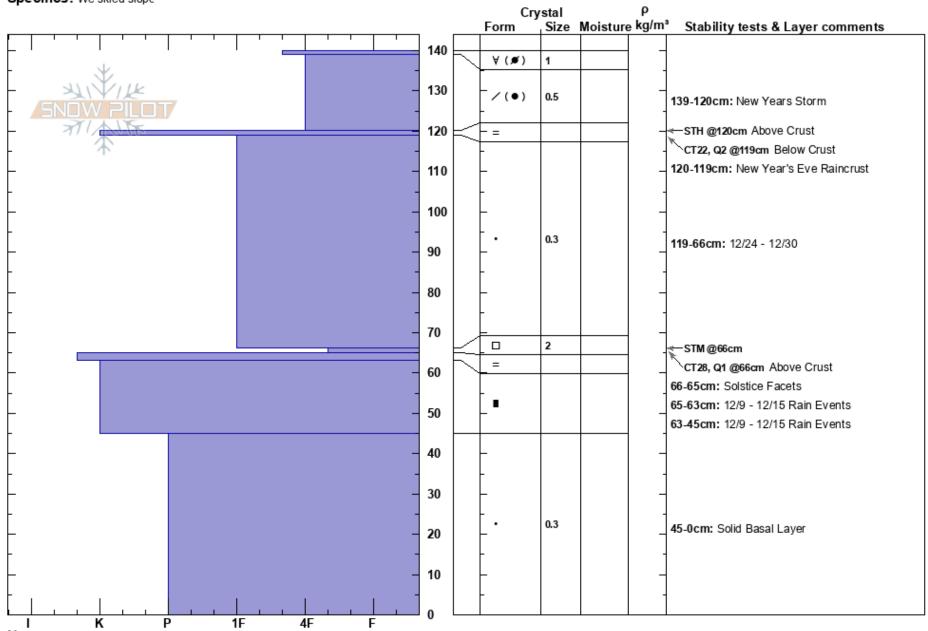
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**HS**:140

139-120cm: New Years Storm 120-119cm: New Year's Eve Raincrust

119-66cm: 12/24 - 12/30 66-65cm: Solstice Facets 66-65cm: Problematic layer [More Layer Comments below]

Layer Notes:



Notes: Fog was dipping up and down at this elevation throughout the tour. No surface weakening observed despite the consistent cold temps. Surface hoar observed under the spruces lower down where the moisture seemed to be trapped by the forest canopy. The ski surface wasn't recrystallized grains but settled boot-top powder capped by a very minor wind/rime skin. Skiing was good while in the open, conditions seemed stable. Aspects that tip west looked to be more wind effected.. Additional Layer Comments: 63-65cm: 12/9 - 12/15 Rain Events; 45-63cm: 12/9 - 12/15 Rain Events; 0-45cm: Solid Basal Layer;