

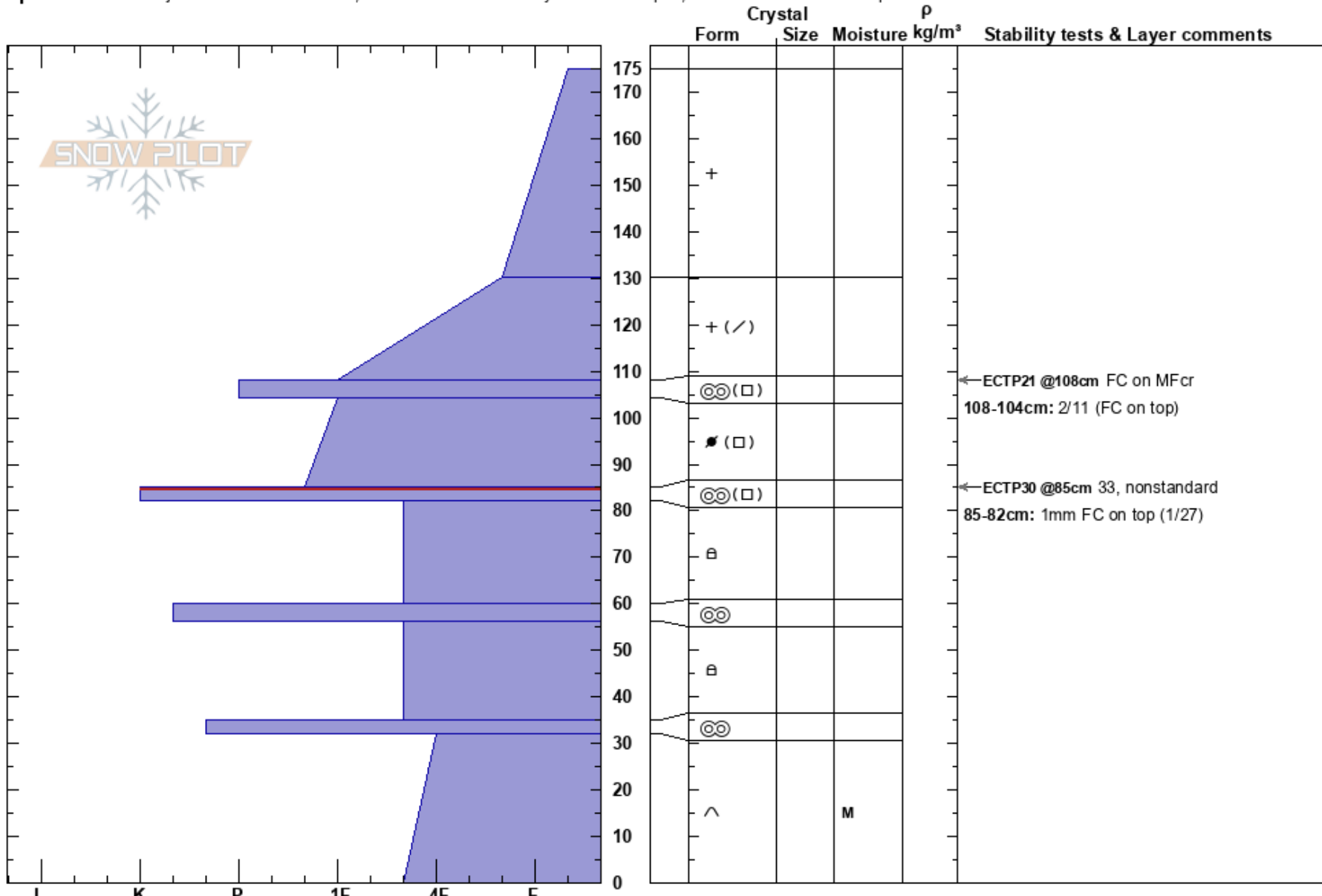
Smiley Creek Accident
 Smoky
 ID
 Elevation: 8386 ft
 Aspect: 180°

Ben VandenBos
 02/19/2021 - 3:15pm
 Co-ord: 43.81345N, -114.84453W
 Slope Angle: 33°
 Wind Loading: yes

Stability:
 Air Temperature:
 Sky Cover: BKN
 Precipitation: S-1
 Wind: NW Light Breeze

HS:175
 Layer Notes:
 108-104cm: 2/11 (FC on top)
 85-82cm: 1mm FC on top (1/27)
 85-82cm: Problematic layer

Specifics: Pit is adjacent to avalanche: flank; Recent avalanche activity on similar slopes; Snowmobile tracks on slope



Notes: Pit was dug on lower crown/flank of an avalanche that was triggered by a snowmobiler earlier in the day. The snowmobiler was caught, carried, and partially buried. He was killed by trauma sustained in the avalanche.