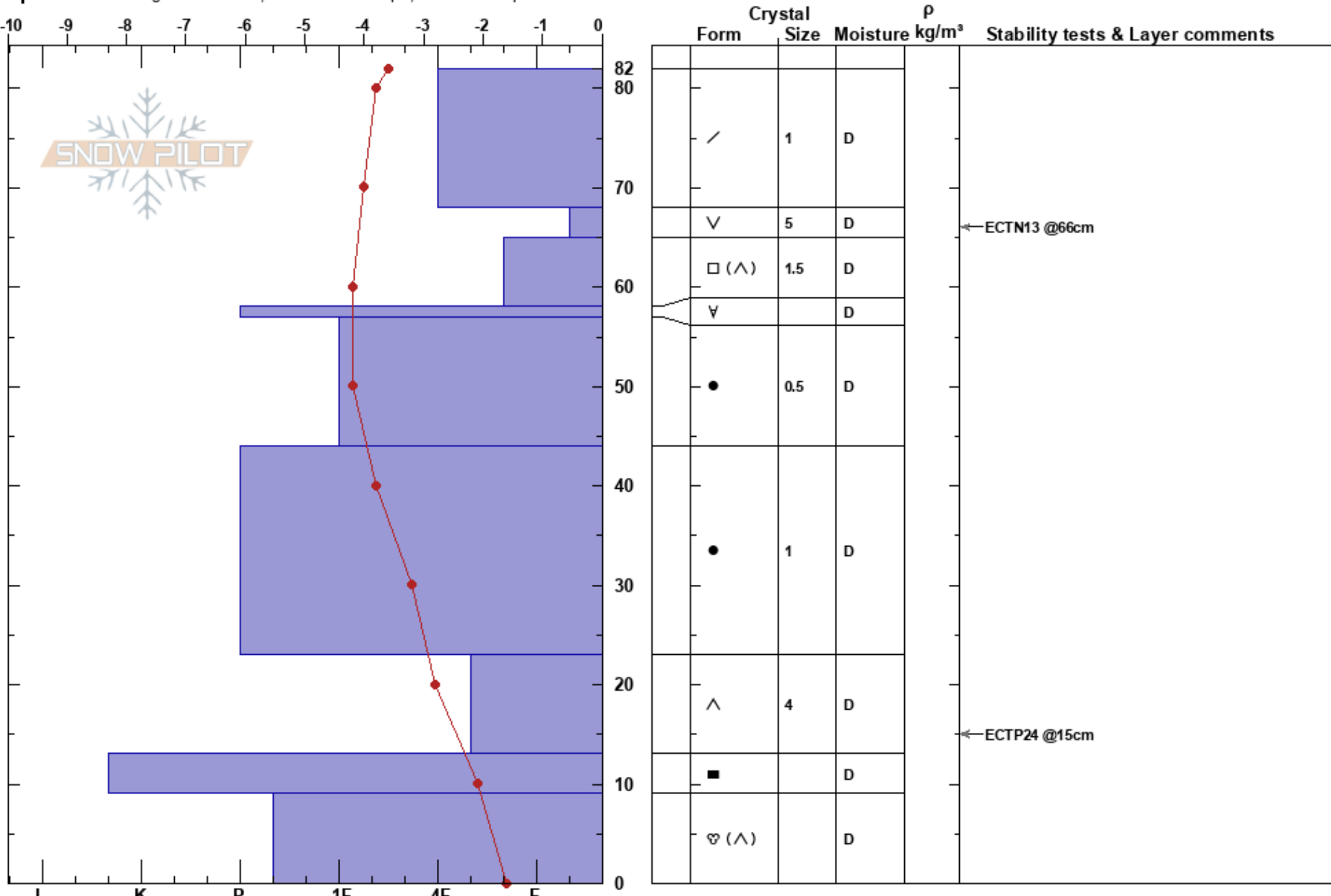


Hidden Bowl  
 Treble Cone  
 New Zealand  
**Elevation:** 2050 m  
**Aspect:** 135°  
**Specifics:** Pit dug in a Ski Area; Ski tracks on slope; We skied slope

Colas Durand  
 25/07/2017 - 13:30  
**Co-ord:** -44.63087N, 168.87416E  
**Slope Angle:** 35°  
**Wind Loading:** previous

**Stability:** Good  
**Air Temperature:** -3.1°C  
**Sky Cover:** FEW  
**Precipitation:** NO  
**Wind:** W Moderate  
**HS:**82  
**PF:**25 23-13cm:Problematic layer  
**Layer Notes:**



**Notes:** The bottom layer of depth hoar (23-13cm) is my greatest layer of concerns at the moment. It's hard to stress this deep weak layer but it can lead to high consequences. ECT failed on this layer (24) with propagation to the entire column. The surface hoar layer within the snowpack (68-65cm) isn't a big issue at the moment in this particular area as the layer above (DF) is not stiff enough to create a slab. This SH layer can be a real problem in lee to the W1/2 start zones with wind affected snow if still present.