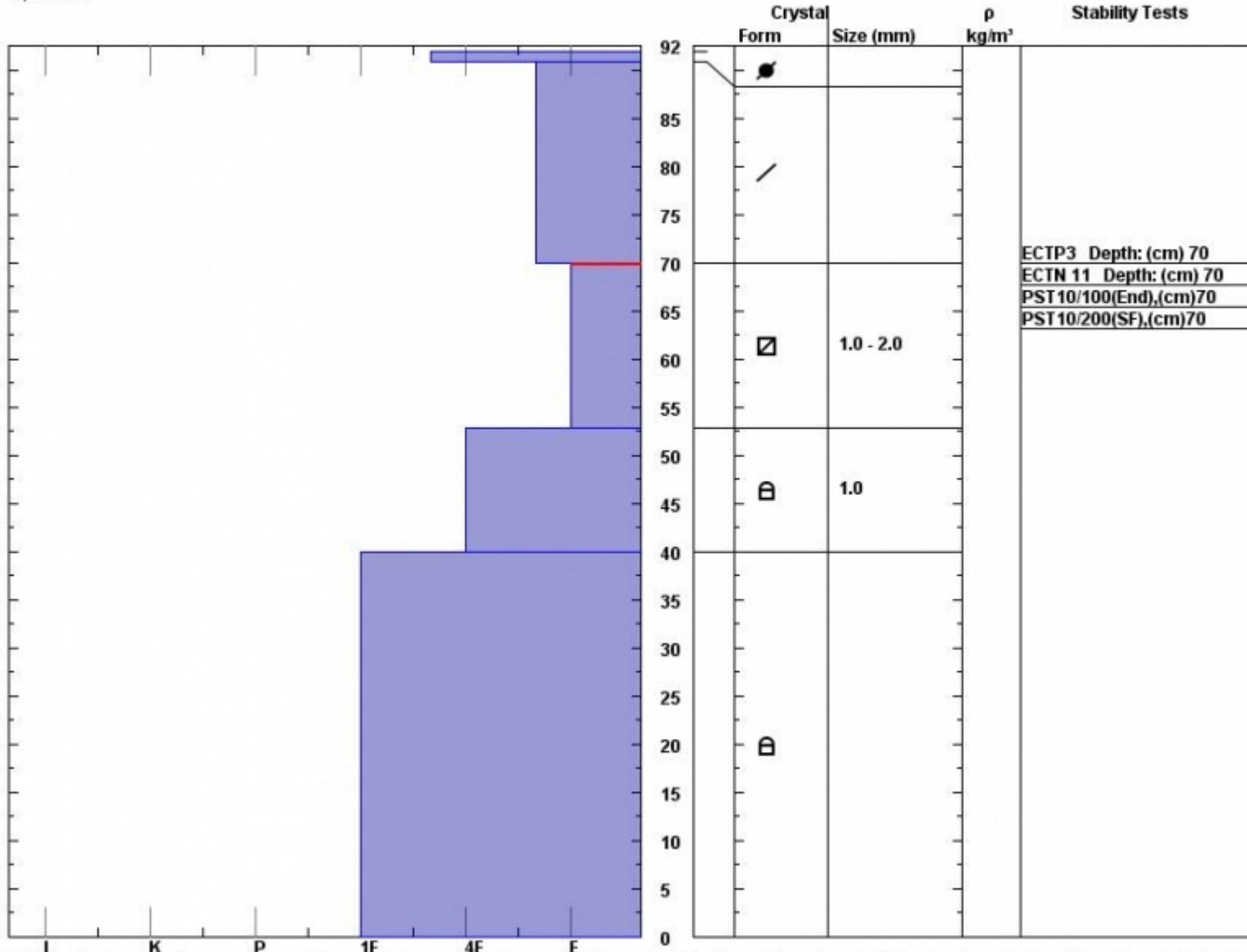


Snow Pit Profile
Next to Hourglass
Bridger, MT
 Elevation (ft) **8276**
 Aspect: **120**
 Specifics:

Observer: **Mark Staples**
Fri Jan 18 11:10:00 MST 2013
 Co-ord: **45.83374 N 110.93783 W**
 Slope: **26**
 Wind loading: **yes**

Stability on similar slopes: **Poor**
 Air Temperature: **C**
 Sky Cover: **sky 3/8 to 4/8 covered**
 Precipitation:
 Wind: **W Strong**

Stability Test Notes: Layer note
53-70: Pro



Notes: http://www.mtavalanche.com/images/13/snowpit-bridger-range?size=_original for pit from Jan 4 at this location. On Jan 4th, nsf's existed but no wind load. Now, just enough wind loading to build a slab, but the HS of 92 shows that this site rarely gets a wind load even though it is next to the ridge. Video at: <http://youtu.be/cAwDfj6huYw> Several ECTN's but mostly ECTP.

Advisory Region
 Bridger Range

Forecast link: [GNFAC Avalanche Advisory for Sat Jan 19, 2013](#)
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