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On May 13th 2012, this sambar stag appeared at the wallow which he is drinking from. At this time some food was still accessible through the snow. However by the end of the following week all of it was covered. I have never seen them dig through snow to reach forage and I haven't found beds on snow. The ground doesn't lie so these facts caused me to conclude that sambar do not remain on the plateau once it is covered by deep snow.

a trail cam study

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