



**CROSS COUNTRY MOVEMENT  
ANALYSIS TECHNICAL  
UNDERSTANDING  
ASSESSMENT FORM**

Candidate:  
Date:  
Region:  
Assessors:

*Rocky Mtn Trainer*

Location:

- Assessment Scale for Certified Level III:
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Instructor Decisions & Behavior		Attained	Did not Attain	Score	Technical Understanding		Attained	Did not Attain	Score
<b>Professionalism and Self Management: Promotes a professional environment by adapting behaviors to positively affect others. (Continual Assessment)</b>					Utilizes current PSIA-AASI resources to evaluate a skier's performance, considering terrain, tactics, equipment, and wax choices at all skill levels.				
<b>Needs/Safety</b> Address group and individual needs for esteem.					<b>Describe Personal Skiing</b> Accurately describe personal and an observed skier performance using the XC Technical Model, accounting for terrain and tactical considerations.				
<b>Behavior Management</b> Adapts behaviors for positive group and individual interaction.					<b>Describe Ideal Skiing</b> Compare and analyze personal performance with desired skier performance, describing tactics and the XC Technical Model.				
<b>Section Average:</b> Must be 5 or above to meet Learning Outcome					<b>Change Personal Performance</b> Convey understanding by changing personal skiing performance based on comparison to desired performance and feedback in the advanced level.				
<b>Comments</b> (This box may be resized vertically.)					<b>Utilize Information</b> Identify and reference information from current PSIA resources relative to skier performance and desired outcome.				
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<b>Movement Analysis</b>		Attained	Did not Attain	Score	<b>Comments</b> (This box may be resized vertically.)				
Accurately describes cause-and-effect relationships and provides relevant prescription for change for skiers at all skill levels.									
<b>Describe Performance</b> Objectively describe a skier's performance, referencing any skill and all aspects of the XC Technical Model.									
<b>Cause and Effect</b> Describe cause and effect relationship between the skier's performance and ski performance, referencing any and all aspects of the XC Technical Model.									
<b>Prescription</b> Provide relevant prescription for change, referencing the XC Technical Model to create a change in desired outcome.									
<b>Equipment &amp; Wax</b> Evaluate equipment-based cause-and-effect relationships relative to the student and their objectives in all skier ability levels.									
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**Professionalism and Self Management: Promotes a professional environment by adapting behaviors to positively affect others. (Continual Assessment)**

**Needs/Safety**  
Address group and individual needs for esteem.

**Behavior Management**  
Adapts behaviors for positive group and individual interaction.

**Section Average:** Must be 5 or above to meet Learning Outcome

**Comments**

<b>Skiing Performance</b>	Attained	Did not Attain	<b>Score</b>
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Demonstrates mastery of the XC Fundamentals in both classic and skate technique to demonstrate specific outcomes through the advanced skill level in a wide variety of terrain.

**Downhill**  
Optimize speed and change of direction on downhills.  
(must pass 5 or above)

**Continuously Ski**  
30 minutes in a wide variety of terrain **Classic or Skate**  
(must pass 5 or above)

Downhill Assessment Activities

**Comments**

**Classic**

**Pushoff**  
Control the power of the ski and pole push to optimize speed.

**Weight Transfer**  
Optimize the center of mass (CM) in relation to the base of support (fore/aft and side to side).

**Glide**  
Control optimal duration of glide.

**Versatility**  
Demonstrate versatility in a wide variety of terrain.

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Classic Assessment Activities

**Comments**

**Skate**

**Pushoff**  
Control the power of the ski and pole push to optimize speed.

**Weight Transfer**  
Optimize the center of mass (CM) in relation to the base of support (fore/aft and side to side).


**Glide**  
Control optimal duration of glide.

**Versatility**  
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Skate Assessment Activities

**Comments**

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<b>Instructor Decisions &amp; Behavior</b>		Attained	Did not Attain	<b>Score</b>	<b>Teaching Skills</b>		Attained Level	Did not Attain	<b>Score</b>		
<b>Professionalism and Self Management: Promotes a professional environment by adapting behaviors to positively affect others. (Continual Assessment)</b>					<b>Assess &amp; Plan: Plans learning outcomes and creates individualized experiences around a common theme for advanced students.</b>						
<b>Needs/Safety</b> Address group and individual needs for esteem.					<b>Assess</b> Continually assess student motivations, performance, and understanding.						
<b>Behavior Management</b> Adapts behaviors for positive group and individual interaction.					<b>Collaborate</b> Collaborate with students to establish and adapt a lesson plan with a common theme, a clear direction, and individualized focus throughout the lesson.						
<b>Section Average:</b> Must be 5 or above to meet Learning Outcome					<b>Plan Lesson</b> Plan creative, playful, and exploratory learning experiences in which movement, practice time, and terrain are optimized for individuals.						
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					<b>Implement: Individualizes learning experiences to guide students toward agreed-upon outcomes and optimizes student engagement in the process.</b>						
<b>People Skills</b>		Attained Level	Did not Attain	<b>Score</b>	<b>Pacing</b> Customize and pace learning activities to allow students to explore and/or play toward desired outcomes.						
<b>Communication: Engages in and adapts verbal and non-verbal, two-way communication with all individuals. (Assessed when teaching)</b>					<b>Organize</b> Tailor the learning environment to align with the needs of individuals.						
<b>Communication</b> Customize verbal and non-verbal communication to match or influence individuals.					<b>Descriptions, Demonstrations, Feedback</b> Provide clear and relevant information (descriptions, demonstrations, and feedback) that encourages individualized learning.						
<b>Active Listening</b> Use varied, active-listening tactics to personalize the experience.					<b>Physical Risk</b> Proactively manage physical risk to promote engagement in the learning environment.						
<b>Actionable Feedback</b> Deliver actionable feedback that supports the emotions of the individuals in the group.					<b>Emotional Risk</b> Manage levels of emotional risk to optimize individual engagement in the learning environment.						
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<b>Relationships with Others: Manages the unique motivations and emotions of each individual and to the interpersonal dynamics of a group, to develop trust. (Assessed when teaching)</b>					<b>Reflect/Review: Fosters the ability to recognize, reflect upon, and assess experiences to enhance understanding and apply what was learned.</b>						
<b>Interaction</b> Foster interpersonal relationships to support positive group dynamics.					<b>Describe Change</b> Encourage the students to communicate change in performance and/or understanding.						
<b>Motivations/Emotions</b> Adapt to the motivations and emotions of individuals and subsets of the group.					<b>Relate Change</b> Collaborate with students to apply gained skills to skiing situations.						
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