MULTI-DAY SKI TOURS

CHECKLIST



GEAR AND SAFETY EQUIPMENT

- **Touring/freeride skis** with ski touring bindings
- **Touring skins** compatible with the skis
- Suitable crampons
- Ski touring boots (compatible with the binding model)
- □ Ski touring poles with powder basket
- Avalanche transceiver (check the batteries!)
- Avalanche shovel
- □ Avalanche probe
- Sunglasses / ski goggles
- **Sun cream** and cap
- Headtorch (the days are short and even a minor mishap can be all it takes to be very glad of a headtorch)
- **First aid kit** (one for every <u>three</u> people)
- Bivouac bag (one for every <u>three</u> people)
- □ Mobile phone
- Area map (scale 1:25000)
- Tour description
- 🗌 Helmet
- Backpack
- □ **Multitool** (for Marker bindings, all the important screws can be adjusted using a POZI 3 screwdriver)
- **Small repair kit** with cable ties, wire, tape, spare pole basket and skin wax
- **Drinks bottle** with a drink
- **Power bars** or **nuts** as snacks
- **Sandwich**

FOR THE MOUNTAIN HUT

- **Money** (many huts only accept cash)
- Hut sleeping bag / sleeping bag (winter room)
- □ Valid Alpine Association (AV) card (where applicable)
- **Toothbrush**, toothpaste
- **Charging cable** and/or **power bank**
- **Earplugs**
- Any **necessary personal items** or medication

<u>CLOTHING</u>

- **Base layer** merino or synthetic fibre
- **Change of t-shirt** for the descent
- Ski socks
- **Mid layer** (fleece jacket or Power Stretch)
- **Insulated jacket** (down or synthetic fibre)
- Insulated skirt or shorts
- Ski touring trousers (softshell or with a breathable membrane)
- Hardshell
- **Thin gloves** for the ascent
- **Thick gloves** for the descent
- Hat/ buff

GLACIER EQUIPMENT

- □ Lightweight **harness** for high-altitude tours (ideally a model with leg loops that can be opened fully so that you can put the harness on and take it off while wearing touring ski boots)
- **Rope** (suitable for the group size and tour type)
- □ Suitable **rope clamps** (T-bloc, Micro Traxion, Nano Traxion, Spoc etc.) and/or suitable accessory cords
- At least one **sewn webbing sling with a length of 120 cm** and one with a length of **60 cm**
- 2 to 4 locking carabiners
- □ Ice screw
- 🗌 Ice axe
- **Boot crampons** (optional)

NICE TO HAVE

- Thermos flask with tea
- Blister plasters
- 🗌 Ski wax

