

Kick Wax Choices



XC Yellow

+5..-1°C

When snow is coarse, warm and/or wet. Try before going to klister wax.



XC Orange

+3..-2°C

For variable conditions around freezing. A favorite with racers and active skiers. A must for every wax kit. (prev. Yellow Special)



XC Red

0..-2°C

For difficult conditions just below freezing. Good for improving grip with Purple or Blue.



XC Violet

-1..-8°C

For all snow types this is a very flexible kick wax. Used very often by recreational skiers because this is the temperature range most often skied. A must have!



XC Blue

-3..-10°C

Works very well in coarse snow. Is another favorite with active skiers for the temperature range it covers. Applies & corks easily.



XC Green

-7..-20°C

For the colder conditions and with penetrating snow. A good overlayer for warmer kick waxes.



Kick Basewax

All°C

Applied to the kick zone to improve durability of the kick wax of the day for longer ski trips.

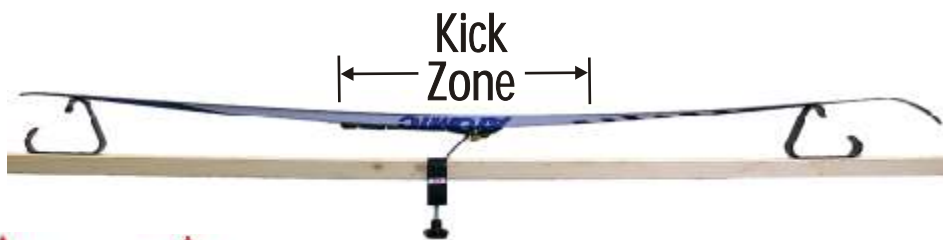
* Kick wax is applied to the bottom of a cross country ski to provide grip on the snow. The correct kick wax selection is initially based on the outside temperature that matches the temperature on the wax tin.

* When the ski track is icy or warm/wet then you may have to use klister wax instead of kick wax. Klister is much stickier and provides solid grip in difficult conditions. We suggest Ski*go Universal klister around freezing and Ski*go Orange klister when warm and wet for recreational skiers. Try XC Yellow before going to use klister.



- 1) Select the kick wax to match the temperature.
- 2) Crayon the kick wax in a herringbone manner, as shown to the left, to the kick zone of the ski (as indicated in the picture of the ski below).
- 3) Using a ski cork (shown at left) rub the kick wax across the kick zone so it is distributed evenly in a thin layer.
- 4) Repeat steps 2 & 3 to build several thin layers of wax. 4 to 6 layers are recommended.
- 5) Polish the kick wax with the cork so it is smooth. Smooth wax grips and glides better!
- 6) Let skis rest outside for 10 minutes to adjust to the outside temperature and cool from the corking.
- 7) Go enjoy your ski

- if grip is too little add 1 or 2 layers of the next warmest wax
- if grip is too much add 1 or 2 layers of the next coolest wax
- if very icy or very warm you may need to use klister wax instead



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