

Winter Climbs: Ben Nevis and Glen Coe

Selected snow, ice and mixed routes in a two-volume set

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Two-volume guide to more than 500 selected winter climbs in and around Ben Nevis and Glen Coe, from straightforward Grade I snow gullies and ridges to extreme test pieces above Grade VIII. Describes in detail how the climbs form, helping you to choose the best route for the prevailing weather and climbing conditions.

- This is the first guide to categorise every climb by style, with a wide selection of snow, ice and mixed (subcategorised into general, rocky, icy and turf) routes across all the grades
- Fort William and Glen Coe are the main places to base yourself
- Includes classic routes such as Point Five Gully, Tower Ridge, SC Route and the Aonach Eagach Traverse
- Photo topos picture the lines taken by most climbs, with accompanying text describing the key route features, crux move and access/descent notes
- Approach maps show the best way to access each crag
- Area, crag and buttress descriptions detail the nature and character of the climbing venues, with grid references and notes on how to access them
- Contains a wealth of advice on different styles of climbing, weather conditions, safety and avalanche awareness

Key marketing points

This is the first guide to categorise every climb by type (snow, ice and mixed etc.) Designed to help climbers choose the best routes and areas depending on the weather conditions.

About the author

Having climbed on Ben Nevis and in Glen Coe for fifteen years, Mike Pescod has an in-depth knowledge of the climbs, the weather and the conditions you can experience here. Working full time as a mountain guide here for ten years, Mike has been on Ben Nevis over a thousand times and regularly spends up to a hundred days climbing each winter both professionally and recreationally.

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