

SKI BOOTS

FALL 2013

Born from the backcountry and powered by downhill performance, Black Diamond's innovative freeride, alpine touring and telemark boots continue to change the way you ski.

In 2013 we introduce our Mx Direct Connect™ technology, setting a new bar for lateral stiffness (Mx) in boots with swappable sole blocks. This unique and innovative system increases lateral stiffness between boot and DIN bindings by 70 percent (40 percent in tech bindings) over our previous Factor models. In fact, the lateral stiffness in the all-new Factor Mx is 20 percent stiffer than some of our competitors' traditional all-mountain boots without swappable sole blocks or walk modes. New Triax Pro frame technology allows for an impressive 40 degrees of resistance-free touring motion in our new Freeride Series boots.

SERIES FEATURES

Black Diamond's freeride, alpine touring and telemark boots are divided into the downhill-oriented Freeride Series and the lightweight Touring Series.

FREERIDE

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- > Powerful alpine-style boots with touring mode
- > FMx and SMx Power Liners offer a performance fit with all-day comfort
- > True-lasted 100 mm V-shaped last with snug butterfly heel cup, and 100% thermoformable for precise customization
- > Mx Direct Connect technology with integrated shock for smooth, precise power transfer to the binding and ski
- > New Triax Pro frames for not only maximum lateral stiffness and alpine overlap response, but also 40 degrees of resistance-free touring range
- > DIN certified Alpine and AT Tech sole blocks for a boot that can be used in any type of binding

TELEMARK

- > Our full spectrum of freeheel boots, with flexes from forgiving to freeride
- > Freeride-focused boots use Power Fit and Power Fit Light liners with 3:1 Boa closure system; Touring-focused boots use Efficient Fit Tele liners with 1:1 Boa closure system
- > True-lasted 102 mm V-shaped last with snug heel cup
- > Freeride-focused boots use Triax Pro and Triax Performance frames for maximum lateral stiffness and response; Touring-focused boots use Triax Tour frames with locking QuickWire buckles for touring efficiency
- > Ski/walk mode
- > Increased ankle articulation for improved balance and smooth flex

TOURING

ALPINE TOUR

- > Lightweight touring boots with precision downhill performance
- > Efficient Fit and Efficient Fit Light AT liners with 1:1 Boa or single-pull closure systems—warmth and comfort for all-day missions
- > True-lasted 103 mm V-shaped last with snug heel cup
- > Triax Pivot frames with Pivoting Cuff Technology for 40° range of motion and minimal weight
- > Alpine overlap construction for progressive alpine Flex 100 to 120

BOOT SELECTOR

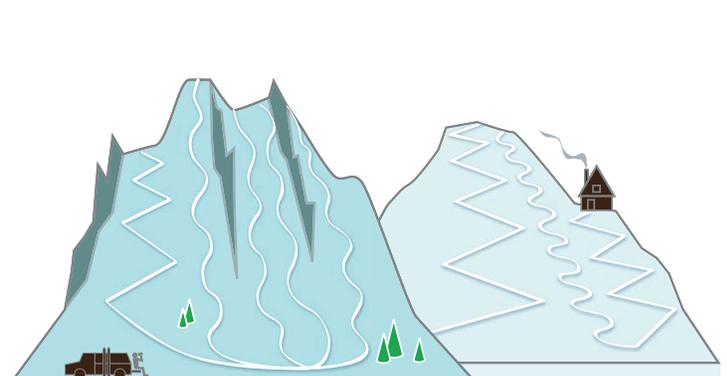
Do you spend your backcountry days hot-lapping powder stashes, or do you focus on all-day tours to remote alpine descents? Ride the lift just to duck out the backcountry gate, or spend the day sessioning your favorite lift-line airs? We've made choosing the right boots easier than ever—simply find your preferred terrain and skiing style below, and match it up to your new Black Diamond boots.

FREERIDE



Steep mountains • Lift accessed or shorter tours • Big, high-speed turns • Airs

TOURING



Long approaches • Big ascents • Technical terrain • Medium turns

- Factor Mx
- Shiva MX ♀
- Custom
- Push
- Stiletto ♀

- Quadrant
- Prime
- Swift ♀
- Seeker
- Trance ♀