Old Man Pass Ski Trails

All ski trails are signed with blue diamonds ◆ and incorporate both roads and trails.

Groomed trails have a set of parallel tracks and a skating path. Grooming commences when the snow pack is 2-3 feet deep. Grooming re-occurs once a week, usually on Thursday.

Old Man Loop – Easiest – 1.0 Miles

This is a short loop between Old Man Pass and Koshko Sno*Parks. It is good for beginners or testing skis and conditions.

OK Loop – Most Difficult – 1.7 Miles

This is another short loop, but it is all ungroomed. Road 3055 can be skied as an alternative to Trail 151 which has a steep downgrade to Wind River. Follow Road 3055 to the right of the tubing hill. Road 3055 provides views of Wind River valley. Trail 151 has two new bridges to cross Wind River and a tributary.

Highway Loop – Easiest – 4.6 Miles

This is the most popular loop. You can start from Old Man Pass, Koshko, or McClellan Meadows Sno*Parks. Follow Trail 148 on the west side of the highway and return via Trail 150 on the east side (or vise versa). The entire loop is groomed and follows undulating forested terrain. The loop can be shortened by cutting across Wind River Highway at McClellan Meadows Sno-Park.

Scenic Loop - Most Difficult – 5.0 Miles

This loop incorporates both groomed and ungroomed trails through deep forest. In most conditions it is easier to ski the loop counter clockwise. Leave the groomed track at its low point (2800 ft elev.), cross the Outlaw Creek bridge and skirt nearby wetlands, then continue up the steep, ungroomed trail to Road 3054. This loop can be started from any of the three sno*parks.

Hard Time Loop – More Difficult – 12.7 Miles

Named after Hard Time Creek, the real hard part is the length, about 12.7 miles for a complete loop. Groomed trail can be followed for the entire length, except for walking across Wind River Highway to ski Trail 150. This loop boasts open views of Mount Adams and Mount St. Helens. Several signed shortcuts are available.

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