

HSM Risk Assessment

Scott's 'Discovery' Hut - Hut Point, Ross Island

 DETAILS

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Description

Hut at Hut Point, Ross Island, built in February 1902 by the British Antarctic Expedition of 1901-04, led by Captain Robert F. Scott. Partially restored in January 1964 by the New Zealand Antarctic Society, with assistance from the United States Government. Site incorporated within ASPA 158

Risk Assessment Score

7.7

0 (Low)

10 (Extreme)

Risk Assessment Details

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| 1 | Is the HSM comprised of durable materials? | No | 5 | Is the HSM located 3m or less above sea level? | No |
| 2 | Is the HSM located in the Western Antarctic (i.e., west of the Transantarctic Mountains)? | Yes | 6 | Is the HSM located within 100m of shoreline? | Yes |
| 3 | Is the HSM located on the Antarctic Peninsula, South Orkney Islands, or South Shetland Islands? | No | 7 | Does the HSM site have steep slopes (i.e., greater than 20%)? | Yes |
| 4 | Is the HSM located at a coastal site? | Yes | 8 | Is the HSM situated on permafrost soils? | Yes |