

HSM Risk Assessment

Observation Hill Cross - Observation Hill, Ross Island

 DETAILS

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Description

Cross on Observation Hill, Ross Island, erected in January 1913 by the British Antarctic Expedition of 1910-13, in memory of Captain Robert F. Scott's party which perished on the return journey from the South Pole in March 1912.

Risk Assessment Score

2.8

0 (Low)

10 (Extreme)

Risk Assessment Details

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?	No
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?	No	8	Is the HSM situated on permafrost soils?	No