

### GUARDIA DI FINANZA SOCCORSO ALPINO





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# THE SEARCH FOR THE OLFACTORY WITNESS

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# This method offers to improve the dogs capacity to search the victims under the snow.







# What is the olfactory testimony?

Which are its components?

How to use it?









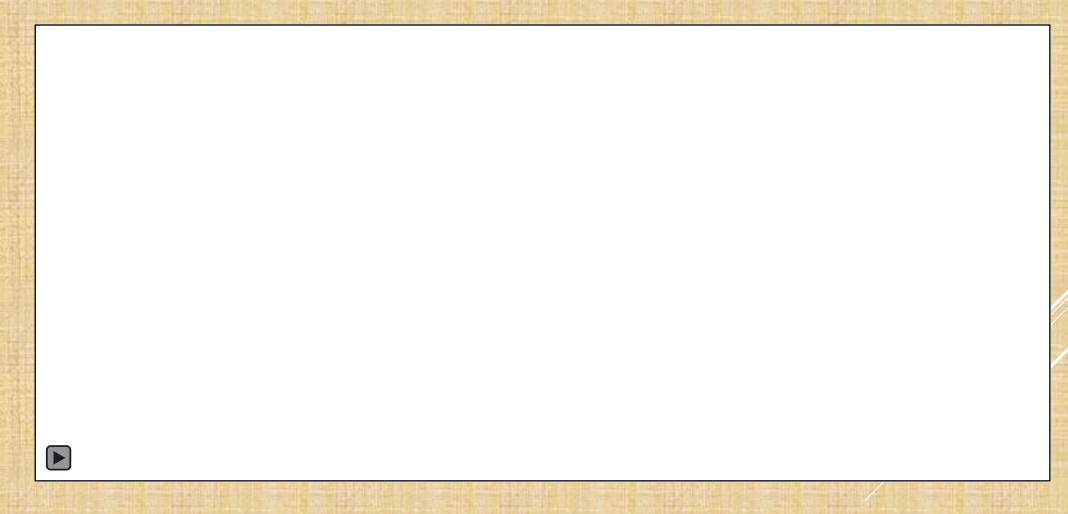






#### **OLFACTORY SHOCK**







#### First step

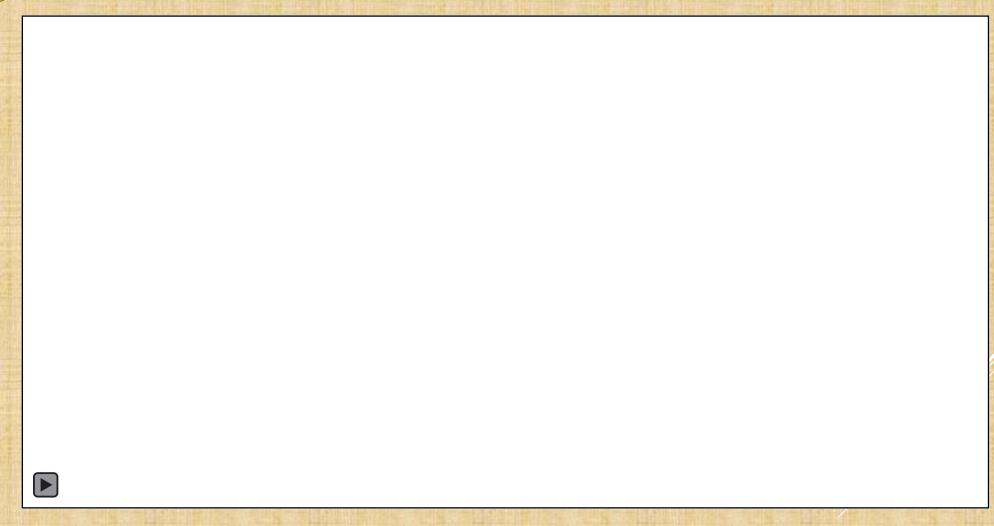






#### Second step







#### Third step







#### Forth phase







#### Fifth step







#### Sixth step









#### CONCLUSIONS

This method has proven to be very effective both in improving the precision of reporting dogs when there is a person under the snow, and in the way of searching for dogs in areas where we believe there is a victim under the snow. Furthermore, it is a method that can be used in periods of winter when there is little snow and it can also be done alone without the help of a helper.

P.s. We have not included a last slide where the olfactory witness is hidden using the snowmobile so as not to leave any traks





### ANY QUESTION?





## THANK YOU