

Recommended Minimum Ice Thickness for New Clear Hard Ice

No ice is without some risk.

Be sure to measure clear hard ice in several places.

3" (7cm)
or less
STAY OFF



4" (10cm)

ice fishing
walking
cross country skiing



5" (12cm)

one vehicle -
snowmobile or ATV



8-12"
(20-30 cm)

one vehicle -
car or
small pick-up



12-15"
(30-38cm)

one vehicle -
medium truck



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