Ice Fishing Checklist

Fishing in icy conditions puts unique strains on one's equipment, but attracting that catch-of-the-day can be an even more demanding task for your terminal tackle. Accessories unique to fishing on the ice are also listed here for your essential gear checklist. Please adjust this list to fit your individual needs.

Basic Essentials

- ☐ Fishing Rod
- ☐ Rod Case
- ☐ Auger
- ☐ Tip Up
- ☐ Reel
- ☐ Fishing Line
- ☐ Leader
- ☐ Terminal Tackle and Jigs
- ☐ Lures and Baits
- ☐ Fish Attractants
- ☐ Hooks
- ☐ Line Clippers
- ☐ Lip Grip
- ☐ Landing Net/Cradle
- ☐ Sinkers
- ☐ Snaps and Swivels
- ☐ Tackle Box
- ☐ 5-Gallon Bucket
- ☐ Needlenose Pliers
- ☐ Towel
- ☐ Cooler

Basic Gear

- ☐ Hydration Pack/Water Bottle
- ☐ Life Jacket/PDF
- ☐ Sunscreen
- ☐ 2 Way Radio
- ☐ Batteries
- ☐ Portable Power/Solar Charger
- ☐ Binoculars
- ☐ Camera
- ☐ Compass
- ☐ GPS/Maps/Charts
- ☐ Flashlight/Headlamp/Lantern
- ☐ Energy Food/Snacks
- ☐ Hand/Foot Warmers
- ☐ Knife/Multi-Tool
- ☐ Lighter
- ☐ Sunglasses
- ☐ Rope
- ☐ Seat/Stool/Chair
- ☐ Depth Finder
- ☐ Ice Sled

Clothing

- ☐ Boots
- ☐ Cleats/Crampons
- ☐ Insulated Gloves
- ☐ Jacket
- ☐ Windbreaker/Pullover
- ☐ Thermal Underwear
- ☐ Waterproof Coveralls
- ☐ Rain Suit
- ☐ Technical Socks
- ☐ Balaclava
- ☐ Stocking Cap/Beanie
- ☐ Neck Gaiter

First Aid

- ☐ First Aid Kit
- ☐ Waterproof Bandages
- ☐ Survival Blanket

Personal Essentials

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