

Advanced Ice Climbing Equipment List

Pack:

30-60L should fit all of your equipment on the inside

Optional: 16-25L to be worn while climbing multiple pitches

Technical Equipment (included if you don't have your own):

Helmet

Climbing harness w/ belay loop

Plaquette style belay device

- 3 Large pear shaped locking carabiners
- 2 D shaped locking carabiners
- 4 non-locking carabiners
- 1 Prusik loop (40 inches of 6mm)
- 1 Cordelette (20 feet of 7mm)
- 1 120cm nylon sling
- 1 120cm dyneema sling

V-threading tool

Technical ice tools

Crampons w/ vertical front point(s)

Optional: ice clippers Optional: ice screws

Optional: removable rock protection Optional: 60cm slings / quickdraws

Optional: 50-70 feet of 8+mm "setup rope" (specific to Ouray Ice Park anchoring)

Optional: additional carabiners/material for anchoring

Layers:

Synthetic upper base layer Fleece layer - a hood is nice feature Soft shell jacket - a helmet compatible hood is good Insulating layer (i.e. down puffy)

Synthetic bottom base layer Softshell climbing pant

Warm hat

Light Glove – dexterous glove for climbing

Heavy Glove - warm glove worn while belaying

Footwear (included):

Technical Mountain Boots

Food/water:

Sandwich or other solid food for lunch that isn't 100% sugar Some combination of candy bars, Clif bars, Gu, or fancy organic blocks of dried ambivalence 1 to 2 liters of water in Nalgene bottle with large opening or collapsible bladder

Misc:

Sunscreen, Lip Balm, Sunglasses Thermos w/ hot drink Camera (cell phones get the job done) Personal toiletries and medications Optional: trekking pole

Guide will bring rope, rack, extra wag bags, and first aid kit.