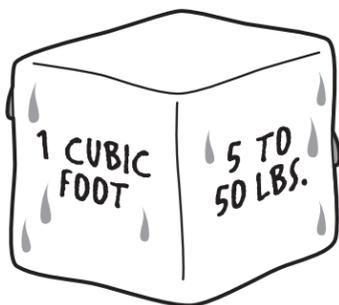


How Heavy is the Snow?



The weight of snow varies greatly. Fresh fallen snow weighs 5 to 12 pounds per cubic foot, while compacted snow (like a snowball) or wet snow weighs from 5 to 50 pounds per cubic foot.



One inch of water or ice weighs approximately five pounds per square foot.

It is estimated that 10 inches of snow melts into 1 inch of water

10 INCHES = 1 INCH

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