

Recommended Minimum Light Levels – Outdoors



AIRPORTS

Hanger Aprons	1
Terminal Apron-Parking	0.5
Terminal Apron-Loading	2

BUILDING CONSTRUCTION

General Construction	10
Excavation	2

BUILDING/MONUMENTS

(Surroundings)	Dark/Bright
Light Surfaces	5/15
Medium Surfaces	10/20
Medium-Dark Surfaces	15/30
Dark Surfaces	20/50

BULLETIN BOARDS

Light Surfaces	20/50
Dark Surfaces	50/100

LOADING PLATFORMS

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PARKING AREAS

Vehicular Traffic	
Low Activity	0.5
Medium Activity	1
High Activity	2
Pedestrian Traffic	
Low Activity	0.2
Medium Activity	0.6
High Activity	0.9
Pedestrian Security	
Low Activity	0.8
Medium Activity	2
High Activity	4

RAILROAD YARDS

Switch Points	2
Hump Area	20

SHIPYARDS

General	5
Ways	10
Fabrication	30

STORAGE YARDS

Active	20
Inactive	1

ARCHERY

Target, Tournament	10
Target, Recreational	5

BADMITON

Tournament	30
Club	20
Recreational	10

BASEBALL

Infield/Outfield	
Major Leagues	150/100
AA/AAA Leagues	70/50
A and B Leagues	50/30
C and D Leagues	30/20
Semi-Pro/Municipal	20/15
Recreational	15/10
Junior Leagues	
Class I and II	30/20
Combination	
Football/Baseball	20/15

BASKETBALL

College/Professional	50
College Intramural	30
High School	30
Recreational	10

CASTING, BAIT, DRY OR WET FLY

Pier or Dock	10
Target	5

FOOTBALL (Distance from nearest sideline to farthest row of spectators)

Class I, over 100 ft. (30m)	100
Class II, 50-100 ft. (15-30 m)	50
Class III, 30-50 ft. (9-15 m)	30
Class IV, under 30 ft. (9m)	20
Class V, no fixed seating	10

GOLF

Tee	5
Fairway	1 H/3
Green	5
Driving Range at	
200 yds. (180m)	5
Driving Range Tee	10
Miniature Course	10
Practice Putting Green	10

HANDBALL

Club, 2 court	20
Recreational, 2 court	10

HOCKEY, FIELD

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HOCKEY, ICE (Outdoor)

College/Professional	50
Amateur	20
Recreational	10

LACROSSE

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PLAYGROUND

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RACING

Auto	20
Bicycle	
Tournament	30
Competitive	20
Recreational	10
Dragstrip, Staging	
Acceleration	
1320 ft (400m)	20
Deceleration,	
1st 600 ft (200m)	15
Deceleration,	
2nd 600 ft (200m)	10
Shutdown, 820 ft (250m)	5
Horse	20

RIFLE RANGE

On Targets	50
Firing Point	10
Range	5

SHUFFLEBOARD

Tournament	10
Recreational	5

SKEET OR TRAP SHOOTING

Targets	30
Firing Point	5

SOFTBALL INFIELD/OUTFIELD

Professional	50/30
Semi-Pro	30/20
Industrial	20/15
Recreational	10/7

SWIMMING (Outdoor)

Exhibitions	20
Recreational	10

TENNIS

Tournament	30
Club	20
Recreational	10