

Would I benefit from automatic tire chains?

For the school bus driver safety and timekeeping are crucial. When winter strikes, snowy and icy roads affect both safety and timekeeping. In poor driving conditions it can be difficult to remain on schedule while being attentive and cautious. Obviously, for you as a driver this is a cause for stress, and this added stress can lead to unintended consequences.



Tire chains could be a solution to the problem – but only partly. Tire chains increase traction and provide a road grip that mostly is sufficient for safe driving. With tire chains you don't have to worry about skidding or getting stuck with spinning wheels. However, there is a major flaw: Conventional tire chains must be manually mounted and dismounted. It is a tedious job. First, you have to get out there in the cold and safety clamp the wheels. Then you must mount the heavy chains and rush back to your driver's seat – and try to keep to the schedule. When dismounting the chains, you have to do it all over again.

Apparently, conventional tire chains improve driving safety, but the mounting time affects timekeeping. Not to mention the inconvenience from the heavy and dirty manual work. Once mounted, it's natural to let them stay on even if the road is dry, to save dismounting time and inconvenience. However, this actually decreases safety since braking distance increases with tire chains on dry roads.



The Onspot Automatic Tire Chain system may be the optimal traction control for school buses. You get the traction and safety of conventional tire chains – but not the flaws! By the flip of a switch the chains are engaged, providing instant traction. Once the road is dry you just disengage by the switch. In this way you get optimal road grip even if road conditions vary: Tires on dry road sections and chains on icy sections – just flip the switch.

With Onspot Automatic Tire Chains you get traction when you need it. You get the confidence in always having a tool that improves safety and helps you keep up with the schedule – in adverse driving conditions.

With automatic tire chains:

- You get traction when you need it
- Increased safety – for the students and for you
- No tiresome mounting and dismounting
- Conveniently operated by the flip of a switch
- Helps you keep up with the schedule

