



The Results Are In!

The Results of the Snow Tire FAQ's 2004 Real World Tire Test are now online at <http://www.snowtire.info>

Fairport, NY ([PRWEB](http://www.prweb.com)) November 4, 2004 -- The results are in! While Americans are going to the poles and voting for the next President of the United States, the The Snow Tire FAQ (<http://www.snowtire.info>) is announcing the results of its own special project, The 2004 Real World Snow Tire Tests.

The Real World Snow Tire Tests test tires where they are meant to be used -- mounted on real cars and driven on real roads by real drivers. This year, six tires from five manufactures were tested by six accomplished autocross and rally drivers.

The six tires that were tested are (in alphabetical order):

- Bridgestone Blizzak WS-50 (185/65 R 15)
- Green Diamond Inari (185/65 R 15)
- Kuhmo KW11 (195/60 R 15)
- Nokian Hakkapeliita-2 (195/60 R 15)
- Nokian WR (195/60 R 15)
- Toyo Observe (185/65 R 15)

In a change from previous years, the tires were split between three Rear Wheel Drive and three All Wheel Drive cars. -- By using both RWD and AWD drive cars, we got a chance not only to look at the differences between the tires, but to explore the differences between how RWD and AWD behave in the snow, -- says editor John Werner.

The highlight of this year's test was a Shoot-out in which the drivers pitted the tires against each other to see which tire really was the best at acceleration, braking, and a snow covered, closed course circuit.

The results of the test can be found on The Snow Tire FAQ (<http://www.snowtire.info>).

About The Snow Tire FAQ

The Snow Tire FAQ is an independently operated, non-commercial site providing information on Snow Tires. -- I make my living writing software for a company located near Rochester, NY. I don't sell tires. I don't even get advertising revenue from tire manufacturers, -- says editor John Werner.

During the winter months, the site will often have well over 100 visitors per day. During the months of October, November, and December of 2002, The Snow Tire FAQ (<http://www.snowtire.info>) had over 10,000 visits.

In March of 2004, the Snow Tire FAQ was written up in Tire Business, a trade magazine for tire retailers and manufactures.

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