



Perisher Valley, NSW – Perisher Ski Resort, one of Australia's largest and most sought-after winter destinations, offers a wide array of activities for snow enthusiasts. In addition to skiing and snowboarding, visitors can enjoy cross-country skiing, tobogganing, and night skiing. During the warmer months, the resort transforms into a haven for bushwalking, mountain biking, and trout fishing.

Treadwell was engaged to supply the decking for a set of stairs frequently utilised by skiers and snowboarders.

Project Challenges

- Corrosion resistance was essential, particularly given the exposure to snow, ice, and moisture throughout the skiing season.
- Material needed to have anti-slip properties to combat a variety of weather conditions, including snow, sleet, and ice, was a priority for maintaining visitor safety.
- The material needed to withstand extreme temperature fluctuations, withstanding the intense thermal contraction and expansion caused by harsh winter conditions



PROJECT INFORMATION Project Category: Recreational Public Infrastructure Scope of Work: Supply FRP grating Treadwell Products: EX-Series® GratEX® FRP Mini Mesh Grating



Treadwell Solution:



High performance GratEX® FRP Mini Mesh grating was specified in building the structure as a preferred solution over traditional materials.



Constructed with anti-slip surface and corrosion resistant characteristics, GratEX® FRP grating is durable and meets the relevant compliance codes.



Treadwell's FRP are constructed from premium resins that maintain structural integrity even when exposed to extreme weather conditions.



FRP is simply fabricated and modified on site. This means there is no need for any hot works permit.



Given the nature of FRP, any system utilising it is virtually maintenance free, keeping maintenance costs to a minimum.