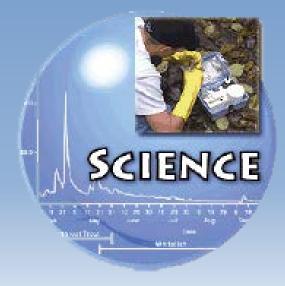
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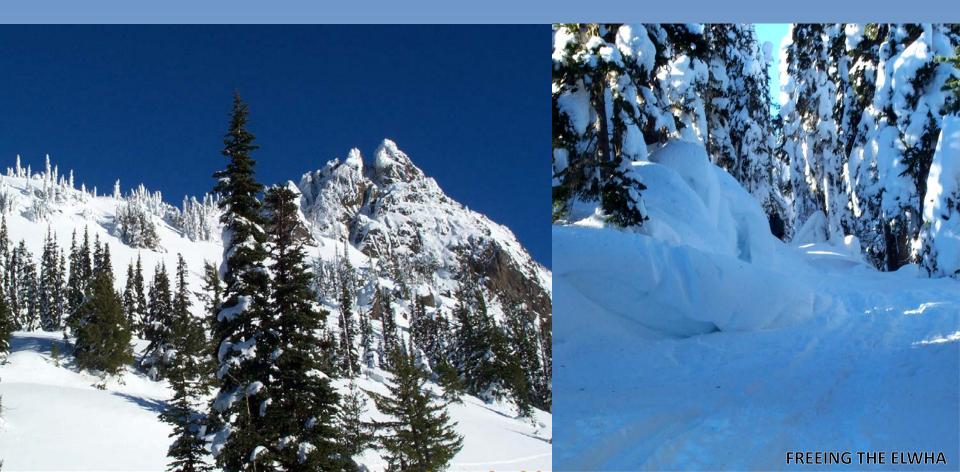
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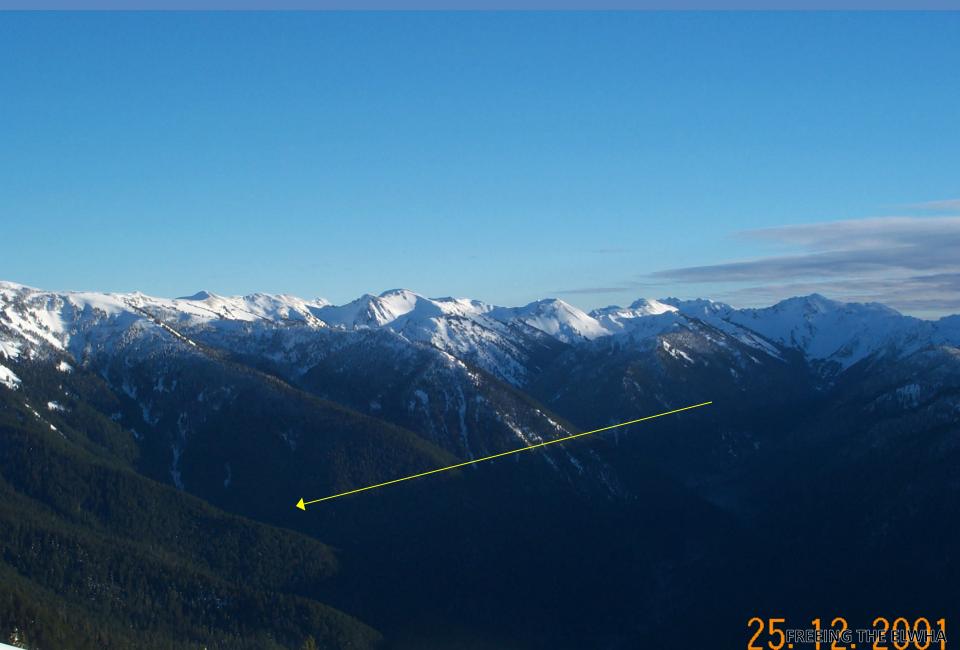
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Aspect

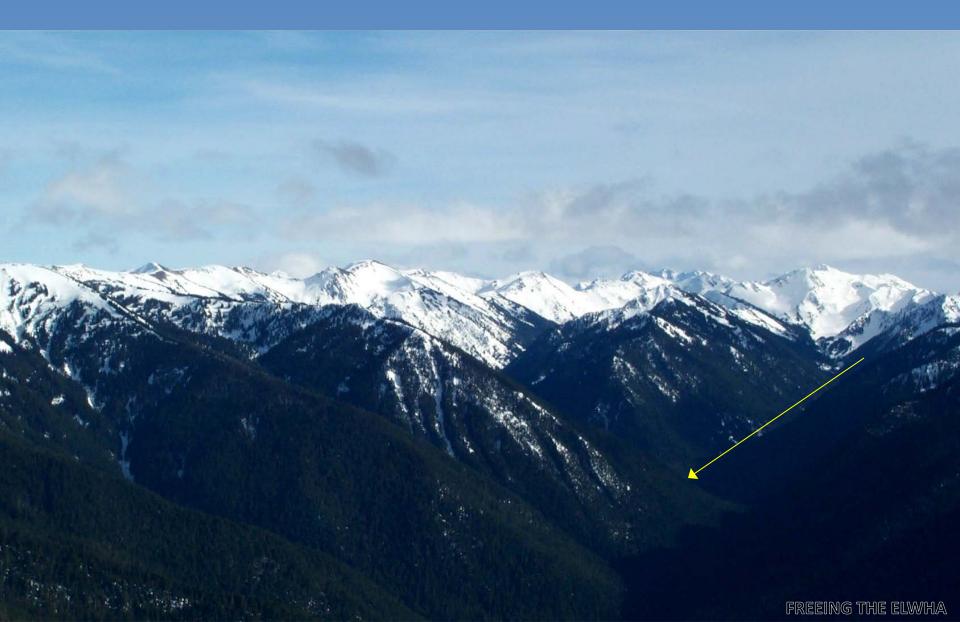
- The direction a slope faces.
- North aspects are in the shadows all winter and thus stay colder than south aspects.



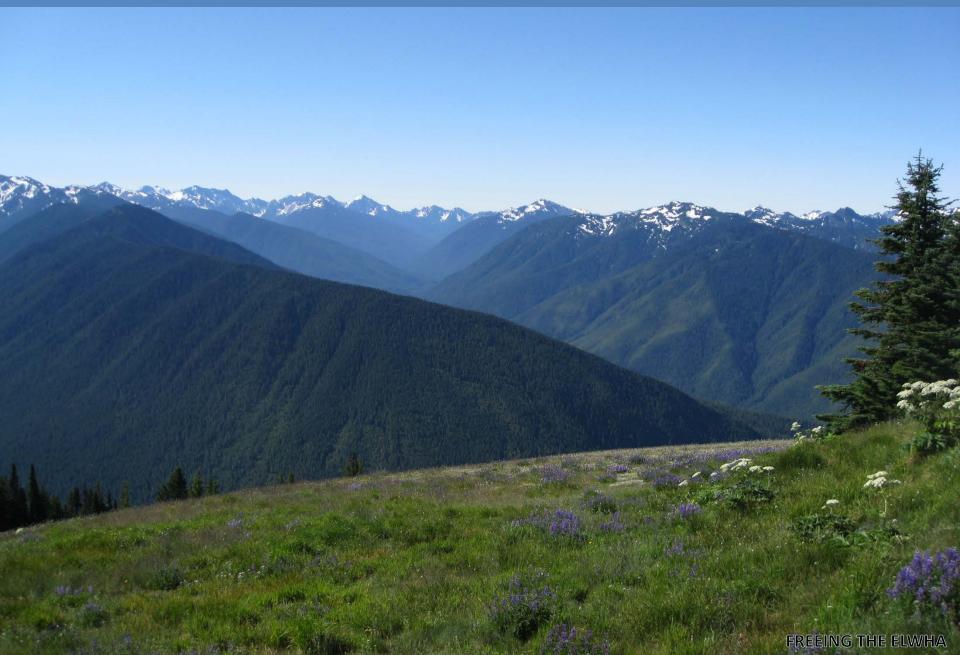
Winter Solstice



Spring Equinox



Summer Solstice



An Autumn Day



The Effects of Aspect



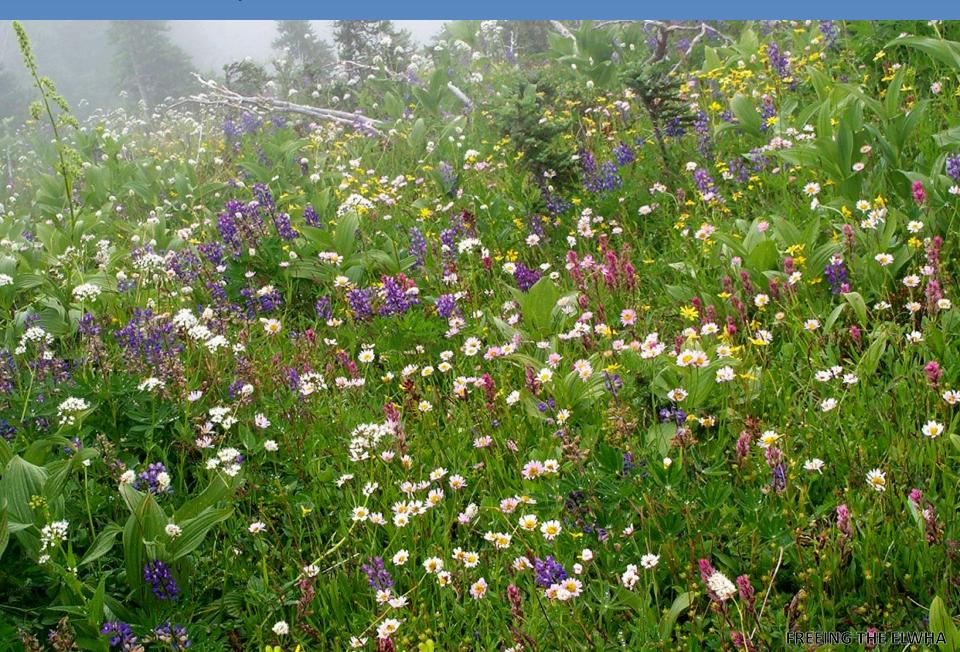
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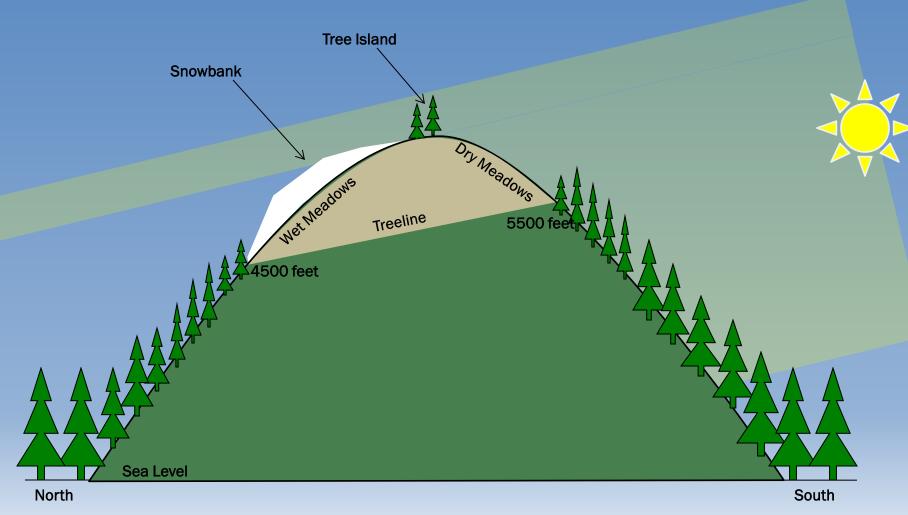
Another View of North Versus South



Dry Meadows and Wet Meadows



The Effect of Aspect on Treeline



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