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K-VAR SLR-107R

The 7.62x39mm SLR-107R is a top notch, stamped-receiver, semi-automatic modern sporting rifle manufactured in Las Vegas utilizing only the best authentic Arsenal factory components. It is built with a Bulgarian-made receiver with a side rail for attaching optics. The cold-hammer-forged, chrome-lined, 16.25-inch barrel is paired with a stainless steel heat shield and capped with left-hand 14x1mm muzzle threads, a removable muzzle nut and a bayonet lug. The U.S.-made components, such as the anti-slap double-stage trigger group, mil-spec polymer stock set and Warsaw-length polymer buttstock with a compartment for a cleaning kit, perfectly complete this rifle for unparalleled quality and accuracy. (kvar.com)



Century Arms C39v2 Series

Century Arms is offering its C39v2 in a variety of configurations. All of the C39v2 variants have similar specs with minor variations due to the barrel length and gas system differences. However, the production standards that Century strives for are consistent across all variations. All models but one come with Magpul's excellent AK furniture and mags. The weapons are 100-percent American made, with nitride-treated, chrome-moly 4150 barrels, milled receivers, standard AKM sights and Century's own side-mounted scope rails as well as RAK-1 enhanced trigger groups. (centuryarms.com)



Armageddon Gear "2-1" Convertible AK Sling

The Armageddon Gear "2-1" Convertible AK sling is designed with the same principles as the Kalashnikov rifle itself: simplicity, durability and combat-focused performance. Armageddon Gear uses only high-quality, U.S.-made materials, and every piece is designed to withstand hard use. The "2-1" Convertible AK sling is specifically designed to interface with the sling points on all Kalashnikov rifles. A steel hook secures the sling's front end, and a loop tail in the rear fastens around a fixed stock or through a sling loop. Connect the gun hook to the blackened steel ring near the sling's tail and the "2-1" is instantly converted to a single-point configuration. Like everything Armageddon Gear makes, the "2-1" Convertible AK sling is proudly made in the U.S.A., and it's available in coyote brown and black. (armageddongear.com)

Rounding up the hottest AK-style rifles and accessories currently on the market **BY ABNER MIRANDA**

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FIME Group VEPR Rifles

The FIME Group is now offering the FM-AK47-11 in 7.62x39mm and the FM-AK74-11 in 5.45x39mm. Both models come with polymer stocks and 16.5-inch barrels. These VEPRs are built to the same standards as the RPK light machine gun, meaning they are 50-percent more reinforced than a standard stamped-receiver AK. Each VEPR has been manufactured using state-of-the-art technology, effectively creating a heavier-duty piece that will last through not just one lifetime, but for many generations to come. The RPK-style barrels are hammer forged and chrome lined using techniques that make them four to five times stronger than a standard AK barrel. These VEPRs also come with removable muzzle nuts with left-hand 14x1mm threads, adjustable leaf-style rear sights, Warsaw-length buttstocks with hidden compartments for cleaning kits, a cleaning kit with a rod, and one 5-round magazine. (fimegroup.com)



Magpul Zhukov-U Handguard

The Zhukov-U Handguard weighs 1.5 inches less than Magpul's original Zhukov AK Handguard to accommodate shorter-barreled weapons, and it keeps the front end of full-length rifles a little more lively. The shorter version also accommodates military-issued cleaning rods so you don't have to give that up to get the benefits of the Zhukov anymore. The Zhukov-U shares the same type of sturdy aluminum chassis as the longer standard Zhukov for strength and heat mitigation sheathed in a comfortable, injection-molded exterior for superior ergonomics. The Zhukov-U includes M-LOK slots for attaching accessories, and it's fully compatible with the UltiMAK gas tube rail. Installation requires removing the handguard retainer. The American-made handguard counts as one U.S. part for 922(r) compliance. Also, due to extended handguard length, barrels less than 11.5 inches long are not recommended. (magpul.com)

Magpul PMAG 20 AK/AKM MOE

For those of you with 7.62x39mm AK-pattern rifles like the AK-47, AKM, AKS, SIG556R and others, Magpul's PMAG 20 AK/AKM MOE is an inexpensive, lightweight option. This magazine has an impact- and crush-resistant all-polymer body, a removable floorplate, constant-curve geometry, a long-lasting stainless steel spring, a ribbed outer gripping surface and aggressive texturing for a positive hold and an anti-tilt follower for increased reliability. Finally, the flared floorplate makes it easier to reload, and the paint pen dot-matrix panels allow for easy identification. (magpul.com)



Magpul MOE-K2 AK Grip

Similar to the MOE SL model, the MOE-K2 AK Grip is a drop-in upgrade for AK-47/AK-74 platforms that offers a more vertical grip angle, but in a full-sized grip design. The steeper vertical grip angle improves comfort and control. This design also features Magpul's aggressive TSP (Trapezoidal Surface Projections) texturing for positive weapon control, and the inside is hollow to store Magpul storage cores. Also, this grip has a unique backstrap design for proper trigger finger placement. Made in the U.S.A., this grip counts as one U.S. part for 922(r) compliance. Some custom fitting may be required. (magpul.com)



Magpul MOE SL AK Grip

The MOE SL AK Grip is a drop-in upgrade for AK-47/AK-74 weapons with a more vertical angle. This design—suitable for both milled and stamped receivers, including those with grip reinforcement plates—is optimized for these shorter-length-of-pull weapons that bring the primary hand in closer to the shooter's body. With an aggressive TSP texture for positive weapon control along with modern ergonomics, the MOE SL AK Grip provides a slightly smaller size and slimmer feel compared to Magpul's full-size grips. Made in the U.S.A., this grip counts as one U.S. part for 922(r) compliance. Note that due to the wide range of tolerances between AK receivers, some custom fitting may be necessary. (magpul.com)





Arsenal SAM7SFK SBR

This 7.62x39mm SBR is complete with a milled receiver; a short gas system; a chrome-lined, hammer-forged, 8.5-inch barrel; a front sight/gas block combination with 24x1.5mm right-hand muzzle threads; a removable cone flash suppressor; a right-side folding buttstock; black polymer furniture; ribbed polymer handguards with a stainless steel heat shield; an ambidextrous safety; a rear peep sight; and a scope rail. It comes with one 30-round magazine, a sling, a bottle of oil and a cleaning kit. (arsenalinc.com)

Magpul PMAG 30 AK74 MOE

The PMAG 30 AK74 MOE is an inexpensive, lightweight, highly reliable, 30-round polymer magazine designed for Kalashnikov-pattern 5.45x39mm rifles, including the AK-74, MPi-AKS-74N, PA md. 86 and others. It features a removable floorplate, constant curve geometry and a high-reliability/low-friction follower for the affordable performance you expect from a PMAG. Made in U.S.A., this magazine counts as three American parts for 922(r) compliance. (magpul.com)

Vltor CMRD AK Handguard

The Vltor CMRD AK Handguard is the first in many variations that the company has planned. At this time, it is offered in the "extended-length" version, but there will soon be lengths to accommodate carbine and mid-length variations. Constructed from aircraft-grade 6061-T6 aluminum and finished with black MIL-A-8625 Type III hardcoat anodizing, the CMRD—short for "comrade," a great touch—is resilient but light. In fact, it's one of the lightest on the market in this length, and it comes with all of the mounting hardware required and weighs only 14 ounces. The CMRD handguard is compatible with most Russian, Romanian and Hungarian rifles that have stamped receivers. (vltor.com)

