

Weatherby® Introduces the Mark V® Backcountry™ Guide and Guide Ti

Sheridan, WY – August 28th, 2024 – Weatherby, a renowned firearms manufacturer, proudly announces the launch of the Mark V® Backcountry™ Guide and Guide Ti, the latest additions to the popular Backcountry™ line of rifles. Starting at just 5.1 lbs, the Backcountry Guide Series sets a new benchmark for lightweight mountain rifles. These rifles feature shorter BSF carbon barrels and Peak 44 carbon stocks with factory-installed Spartan Precision mounts.



Peak 44 Blacktooth Stock with Spartan Precision Technology

The Peak 44 Blacktooth stock is engineered to be the lightest and strongest carbon fiber stock on the market. Each stock features a patented carbon fiber bedding block that engages the front recoil lug, transferring recoil force directly to the exterior shell, this results in reduced felt recoil for the shooter. The Blacktooth's 3D Hex recoil pad further enhances recoil management by stretching the time component of recoil, turning a sharp kick into a gentle shove through its honeycomb structure. The forend features two factory-installed Spartan Precision Gunsmithing adapters for seamless use of their ultralight accessories.



BSF Barrels

BSF uses carbon fiber in a way that no other carbon barrel manufacturer does, leading to unmatched accuracy and heat dispersion properties. After BSF turns down a 416R stainless steel match barrel they sleeve it with carbon fiber and load it under tension. Because it's under tension, as the barrel heats up it keeps the rifling straighter, resulting in a stiffer, more rigid barrel. Most competitors use a wrapping method that has been proven to trap heat and cause delamination. With BSF's proprietary method, 95% of the carbon fiber does not touch the contoured barrel, creating air gaps that allow air to foil around the steel and cool the barrel faster. The high-quality carbon fiber is designed to move at the same expansion rate as the 416R stainless steel resulting in a vibration dampening effect. What does that mean? It means the carbon fiber absorbs the shock and vibration allowing for more consistent groups. All Weatherby rifles are guaranteed to shoot a 3-shot SUB-MOA group at 100 yards with factory-loaded ammunition. All barrels are threaded $\frac{5}{8}$ -24.

Shorter Barrel Lengths

The Backcountry Guide Series features shorter barrels on Weatherby Magnum calibers, with most barrels being 2 inches shorter than traditional offerings (excluding the 6.5-300). This design offers improved maneuverability without sacrificing performance.

Titanium Action Upgrade

The Guide is available with a titanium action, which has an incredible strength-to-weight ratio. Titanium cuts a half-pound off the weight of the rifle and is naturally corrosion-resistant, making it perfect for hunting in harsh conditions

TriggerTech Trigger

TriggerTech's trigger delivers a true zero-creep break and is externally adjustable down to 2.5 lbs. Precision-cut stainless steel components ensure consistent trigger pulls, providing a safe, reliable, and corrosion-resistant package.

Accubrake ST

The Accubrake ST is equipped with 30 symmetrically spaced ports that help harness recoil, reducing felt recoil by up to 53%. Its titanium construction helps reduce weight and brings the balance point of the rifle closer to the center.

Cerakote® Finish

All metal components are protected with a weather-resistant and durable Cerakote coating, ensuring the rifles can withstand the harshest conditions.

Made in Sheridan, WY

Every Mark V rifle is proudly built at Weatherby's headquarters in Sheridan, Wyoming, where precision craftsmanship meets the highest standards of quality.

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About Weatherby

Founded in 1945, Weatherby, Inc. is a family-owned company that continues to fuel the passion of hunters and shooters around the globe by building some of the world's finest firearms. With a legacy of setting new standards in ballistics and performance, the company is committed to redefining excellence on the range and in the field. The Weatherby line features the new Model 307, legendary Mark V rifles (production and custom), accessible and popular Vanguard® rifles as well as shotguns like the Orion®, Element® and 18i®. Weatherby's premium ammunition and shooting accessories are also the choice for discerning shooters worldwide. The company is based in Sheridan, WY and invites all hunters and shooters to follow them in social media at @weatherbyinc on Facebook and Instagram. For more information about Weatherby, please visit weatherby.com.

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