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SAKO INTRODUCES A SWITCH-CALIBER HUNTING RIFLE FOR EXPLORERS

Sako, the leading Finnish manufacturer of world-renowned rifles and cartridges is introducing a premium switch-caliber hunting rifle family: Sako 100. The new product family is built on Sako's acclaimed switch-caliber expertise from the iconic Sako TRG family and Sako Quad rimfire line. Designed and crafted to celebrate the 100th anniversary of famed rifle manufacturer, the Sako 100 is the culmination of a century of Sako rifle development: a true premium hunting rifle with features to satisfy the needs of passionate hunters and outdoorsmen.

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The release of the flagship rifle marks the end of the year of Sako's anniversary year. Mr. Raimo Karjalainen, General Manager of Sako Ltd., describes the moment: *"The historic 100th anniversary comes to an end at the end of March, when it is time to move on to a new 100-year period and what's more wonderful than releasing a new hunting rifle family, SAKO 100, to promote the transition to the next 100-year term. The new Sako 100 rifle family contains new and unprecedented features that Sako firearms have not previously had. I would like to wish all our customers great experiences with the new rifle family in their hunting hobby".*

The key feature of multipurpose design of the Sako 100 is the option to switch between the calibers, making the rifle a versatile tool for different game and conditions.

The design of Sako 100 pays homage to the traditional characteristics of the classic Sako hunting rifles, but also gives hints of what's to come in the future. The Sako 100 comes in two distinct looks: the classic Sako 100 Explorer Wood honors the 100 years of traditional craftsmanship with a modern twist, and dynamic Sako 100 Explorer Carbon is a rifle of choice for those looking for light-weight solution. To make the rifle truly their own, the owners of Sako 100 can customize their experience with full line of premium rifle accessories.

All the materials and coatings of the Sako 100 are carefully chosen to reflect the premium nature of the rifle. The frame and the barrel of the Sako 100 are coated with the Cerakote Elite, extremely thin, technical ceramic coating giving ultimate protection against the elements. With the Sako 100 the world-renowned Sako bolts are taken to the next level



with a new diamond-like coating resulting in extremely durable and smooth surfaces that significantly increase the resistance against wear and weather. A notable detail of the Sako

100 rifle is the barrel mounted scope, that enables fast out-of-the-case accuracy, a feature appreciated by a travelling hunter.

The Sako 100 has been designed to be as adaptable as the hunter carrying it: the rifle can be adjusted to fit different body shapes, shooting positions, and hunting styles. The Sako 100 sports an adjustable trigger position with easy-to-use interface and the weight of pull can be adjusted from 1 to 6, 750 g – 1750 g. The range for weight of pull allows most users to find their preference in each situation and re-adjustment can be done easily without any disassembly. The Sako 100 comes equipped with manual cocking.

At launch, Sako 100 comes in 243 Win, 308 Win, 6.5 CM, 6.5x55 SE, 270 Win, 30-06 Sprg, 8x57IS, 9.3x62, 7mm Rem Mag, 300Win Mag, 375 H&H calibers. Sako 100 products will be available at local dealers globally during Q4 2022.

As a whole, Sako 100 is a future-proof solution for a hunter with a passion for the lifestyle and exploring their limits. The switch-caliber option, the robust all-metal structure and the adjustable high-quality trigger mechanism with advanced safety features ensure the Sako 100 is suitable for different game, seasons, and situations near and far.

In short, the Sako 100 is the ultimate rifle for explorers.

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About Sako

Established in 1921, Sako has an eventful history. Sako was first created to refurbish and service firearms for the Civil Guard in Finland. The workshop was initially called Suojeluskuntain Ase-ja Konepaja Osakeyhtiö (Civil Guard Firearm and Engineering Co Ltd) and in 1927 became a limited company with its name abbreviated to the acronym, Sako.

For 100 years Sako has developed world-class hunting, target and military rifles, as well as cartridges. Our reputation, high-quality products and credibility are rooted in the unique



skills of our employees and in their professional pride. Over a period of 100 years, the company has grown by focusing on internationalisation, the excellence of its products, honoring its dedicated craftsmen and personnel, and providing innovative solutions for the needs of its customers.

In 2000, Sako joined Beretta Group, a company with unique firearms traditions reaching all the way back to 1526. This cooperation provides Sako with the unique capability to offer comprehensive, all-encompassing solutions and systems for our customers. Sako looks ahead more confidently than ever. We proudly carry on the rifle manufacturing knowledge and skills, with the utmost respect towards the surrounding nature.