



SKS Detachable Magazine

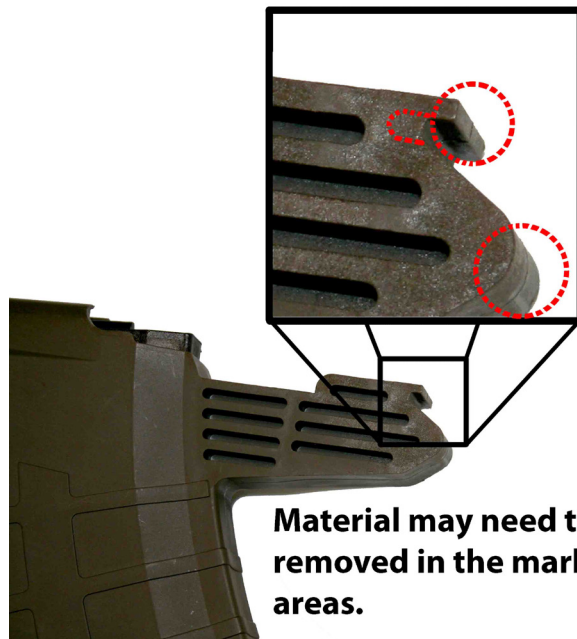
Custom Fitting

For Some Chinese and Russian SKS Variants

CHINESE SKS

In rare cases, some Chinese SKS Rifles require aftermarket magazines to be filed in order to achieve a proper fit. The cause is that the front locking grooves in the receiver are further to the rear than in most other SKS rifles.

If your TAPCO magazine seems like it's too long (front to back) and the back of the magazine has pressure on it when locking it into place, you probably need to remove some material from the magazine, as shown below. This will allow the magazine to seat further forward as it does in the majority of Chinese SKS rifles.



Material may need to be removed in the marked areas.

RUSSIAN SKS

Most Russian SKS rifles have tighter tolerances in the magazine well and require aftermarket magazines to be filed down in order for them to fit and function properly.

Since the magazine well is often narrower on the Russian receiver (front to back), some material on the TAPCO magazine may need to be removed little by little, until you achieve a perfect fit.

The areas marked in red will usually need to be filed down. You can insert the magazine with just enough force that the receiver will leave marks on the magazine. File away at these areas until the magazine has a snug fit but inserts without any pressure on it.

