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The knives in this catalog are the beginnings of a new generation of factory knives. The AL MAR KNIVES, the finest factory-made custom knives in the world, incorporate Japanese workmanship. There is no comparison.

The folding knives have what no other factory folder possesses—a revolutionary Front Lock for the ease of use! This was originally developed through a combination of mechanical and human engineering skills by W.T. Fuller and Harvey McAllister, custom knifemakers.

The blade is made from an exceptional, high carbon, stain-resistant steel 75 30, which was developed especially for Masamoto Cutlery Co., Ltd., located in Saki City, which has been and still is the Sword Making Center of Japan. 75 30 has been used exclusively by them for the past 25 years. This particular steel, which is much improved over 440-C, gives exceptional edge-holding qualities and combines strength and durability. 75 30 can be

brought to a Rockwell hardness of RC 58. We have lowered the Rockwell hardness to RC 57.50 for ease of sharpening in the field without any sacrifice of edge-holding ability. At present, Al Mar Knives and Masamoto Cutlery Co. are the only ones in the world using 75 30.

The bolsters of the folding knives are made of stainless steel with inner frames of brass. The knives are very similar to Paper Micas® which is a material impregnated to climate changes.

The Sheath Knives have full tapered tangs which give exceptional balance. These are made from the same high-quality materials as the folders. The guard encloses the Sheath Knives are made of brass.

Both the Folders and Sheath Knives have precision ground blades and are made from hand-fitted parts.

The knives are made in Japan in the same proven "tradition" of the Japanese Samurai Sword Makers, Mr. Nakato Tataba of Saki City, one of Japan's most prestigious swordmakers, says, "75 30 has superior edge-holding

qualities and hardness over fine top grade German Steels."

"It takes more than a well equipped shop to produce quality—it also takes dedicated craftsmen." Craftsmen of this caliber are few and far between. We have found both in Saki City (the Boluges of Japan).

When you inspect the AL MAR KNIVES, check for detailed hand-craftsmanship and precision engineering.

There is no comparison—it is a knife built with quality in mind—selectors found in factory-made products.

When you make knives this good, imitations are inevitable. All of the scabbards are made by Ten Shunzai & Sons, Inc. of San Dimas, California. They have 42 years of experience and are considered the pioneers in quality leather. Their reputation and products speak for themselves.

Remember, the Al Mar Mark is a symbol of Innovative Design and Precision Craftsmanship!

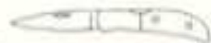
OSPREY
Front Lock
Blade Length: 41.25 mm (1 1/2")
Thickness: 2 mm
OAL: 95.5 mm (3 3/4")
Bolsters: Stainless
Scales: Micarta Paper - ivory color
1001



BULLDOG II
Front Lock
Blade Length: 58.74 mm (2 1/4")
Thickness: 2.5 mm
OAL: 148 mm (5 7/8")
Bolsters: Stainless
Scales: Micarta Paper - ivory color
1008



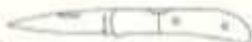
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Front Lock
Blade Length: 60.5 mm (2 1/2")
Thickness: 2 mm
OAL: 102 mm (4")
Bolsters: Stainless
Scales: Micarta Paper - ivory color
1002



FANG
Full Tapered Tang
Blade Length: 60.5 mm (2 1/2")
Thickness: 3 mm
OAL: 98 mm (3 7/8")
Guard: Brass
Scales: Micarta Paper - ivory color
Int. leather bolt scabbard
5001



FALCON
Front Lock
Blade Length: 70.2 mm (2 3/4")
Thickness: 2 mm
OAL: 116 mm (4 5/8")
Bolsters: Stainless
Scales: Micarta Paper - ivory color
1003



ROAD RUNNER
Full Tapered Tang
Blade Length: 60.5 mm (2 1/2")
Thickness: 3 mm
OAL: 104 mm (4 1/8")
Guard: Brass
Scales: Micarta Paper - ivory color
Int. leather bolt scabbard
5002



VULTURE
Front Lock
Blade Length: 76.2 mm (3")
Thickness: 2.5 mm
OAL: 116 mm (4 5/8")
Bolsters: Stainless
Scales: Micarta Paper - ivory color
1004



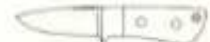
FISHER
Full Tapered Tang
Blade Length: 90.5 mm (3 5/8")
Thickness: 3 mm
OAL: 152.2 mm (6")
Guard: Brass
Scales: Micarta Paper - ivory color
Int. leather bolt scabbard
5003



EAGLE
Front Lock
Blade Length: 82.5 mm (3 1/4")
Thickness: 2.5 mm
OAL: 125 mm (5")
Bolsters: Stainless
Scales: Micarta Paper - ivory color
Int. leather bolt scabbard
1005



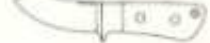
PACK RAT I
Full Tapered Tang
Blade Length: 63 mm (2 1/2")
Thickness: 3 mm
OAL: 109.7 mm (4 3/8")
Guard: Brass
Scales: Micarta Paper - ivory color
Int. leather bolt scabbard
5004



BUZZARD
Front Lock
Blade Length: 82.28 mm (3 1/4")
Thickness: 3 mm
OAL: 116 mm (4 5/8")
Bolsters: Brass
Scales: Micarta Paper - ivory color
Int. leather bolt scabbard
1006



PACK RAT II
Full Tapered Tang
Blade Length: 63 mm (2 1/2")
Thickness: 3 mm
OAL: 119.7 mm (4 3/4")
Guard: Brass
Scales: Micarta Paper - ivory color
Int. leather bolt scabbard
5005



BULLDOG I
Front Lock
Blade Length: 58.74 mm (2 1/4")
Thickness: 2.5 mm
OAL: 148 mm (5 7/8")
Bolsters: Stainless
Scales: Micarta Paper - ivory color
1007



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RETAIL PRICE LIST

CLASSIC SERIES			STANDARD	ENGRAVED
1001	Osprey	1 1/2"	\$ 35.00	\$ 75.00
1002	Hawk	2 1/2"	37.00	77.00
1003	Falcon	3"	43.00	98.00
1004	Vulture	3"	48.00	104.00
1005	Eagle	4"	w/scabbard	75.00 130.00
1006	Buzzard	2 3/4"	w/scabbard	105.00 180.00
1007	Bulldog I	2 1/4"		60.00 120.00
1008	Bulldog II	2 1/4"		60.00 120.00

UTILITY SERIES

2001	Model #1	2"	\$ 20.00	\$ 55.00
2002	Model #2	2 1/2"	24.00	60.00
2003	Model #3	3"	27.00	79.00

FEATHER LITE SERIES

5001	Fang	2 1/2"	w/scabbard	80.00 120.00
5002	Road Runner	2 1/2"	w/scabbard	88.00 108.00
5003	Fisher	4 1/2"	w/scabbard	70.00 110.00
5004	Pack Rat I	2 1/2"	w/scabbard	88.00 108.00
5005	Pack Rat II	2 1/2"	w/scabbard	88.00 108.00
5006	Pack Rat I, II Combo		w/scabbard	140.00 —

RETAIL

OPTIONAL SCABBARDS		PLAIN	HEAVY
1003-1004	Falcon / Vulture	14.50	22.50
1007-1008	Bulldog I / Bulldog II	14.50	22.50
5004-5005	Pack Rat COMBO	28.50	—
1005	Eagle	14.50	22.50
1006	Buzzard	14.50	22.50
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