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Maine guide wool parka review

Maine's guide jacket is one of the two most iconic pieces in woolrich Woolen Mills collections, the other being Upland's jacket. Although it changes slightly from one season to the next, the overall style has remained the same. The previous two are my own of the FW2008 season and are my favorite versions so far, in which the throat latch is fixed instead and my left chest pocket includes convenient pen holders. If properly layered, the right bun is suitable to wear throughout the winter here in Seattle, and the melton wool version on the left is reserved for only the coldest of days. Included in the image are a shawl-neck sweatshirt and knitted gloves from J.Crew, an Engineered Garments cotton scarf, and a wool cap from London's Christy's. If you were to have only one jacket from the Woolrich Woolen Mills collection, it should be Maine's guide jacket. Available in Context, Farinelli's, Legion, Tres Bien, The Bureau and Coggles. \$300 TYD, Money Order, Cleared Check or PayPal+3% Could consider splitting if someone just needs coat or pants Finally edited by Cruiser1; 25/11/20. have red/black and solid blue. what am I a freakin track model? You're going to look like Santa Claus. Beards aren't long enough yet. and no matter how many times I pm I'm not going to model this without pants!!! oh man..... here we go!! hahaa any xxl's in the red/black? And you're going to stop taking these pictures for me. Dan's what he wants them, not me!!!!!! better be XXL Short for Lance... I think it's going to be too long, but I'm going to check. better be XXL Short for Lance... I wish they made that size!!! Try to buy shirts with a neck of 19 and 28 arms don't make them!!!! Lance.... I have shirts in the Big & Store. Cut for my long arms. You could try your sister shop, short and deformed shop... welcome to Curt de Lance Bean & Stumpy Emporium! Why did I even get into this conversation? It's Stocky not Stumpy!!!! hehehehe these went fast. A xxl in the blue and everything else is med. Page 2 Joined in 10 Apr 2004 Messages 7732 Reaction Score 339 If someone is in the Bangor area you may want to check out the factory store there. They had a lot of them last year about this time in all sizes and colors. · It is soft, it is also lined No Itch I like it to be quiet. been in Alaska, cabelas could be better.... · When are you going? I just came back a few weeks ago and the weather wasn't bad at all. At Denali we did some backcountry scan and @ nights got pretty cold. It was colder than normal because we stayed in a valley that was coming down from a glacier. In anchorage it was sunny with a high in the 60s. In the seward was very cloudy with a fog/light that can happen at a time of notice. Most of the time I wore my light hiking pants, wool socks, boots, a poli-pro shirt and had a gore-tex shell jacket easily accessible. They say that I should prepare for any kind of time, but actually if it was cold it was because I was standing still doing nothing. I have a blanket of LLBean wool and it's great. I have pants from the Galian range of Columbia and Parka through Cabella, and I'm in love with these things. He never used the LLBean parka, however. · · Start of discussion · #8 · August 12, 2010 I will move to Fairbanks in the spring · Wait until you get to Fairbanks and buy what the locals buy. · I've had a maine wool parka guide from LL since 1986 and have had no problems with it at all. Very warm and comfortable. Well done and supported by your lifetime warranty, it's not that it looks like it will ever be necessary. You can pay a few dollars more for LL Bean items, but they are more than worth it in the long run. I had a pair of bean boots that I had solved at least 4 times. The stitching began to unravel after a year and a half with the 4th set of soles. I took them to the store hoping to get them sorted out once again. The CSR stated that the stitching should never have failed and instructed me to go and choose a new pair. He changed them at no charge for me. The original boots were at least 15 years old. · Don't buy a winter parka for Fairbanks now. Wait tying up you sit here. After April the need for heavy winter clothing is zero. Are you going to spend most of your time indoors ? What kind of work are you going to do? You can use this time site to track our time: Nice my wife is not happy with this one, thank you.....engraved: · I'm sorry about that. Cabelas has much better prices than LL Bean and a better variety of winter equipment. Your spring sale usually has free shipping, too. · you can probably save some money by going on the surplus route for filson wool pants also makes nice hunting /country jackets so does Woolrich· Start of discussion · #16 · August 13, 2010 It seems that all commercial wool coats are around the same price..... seems to be a preference thing..... I really like LI Bean from the look but I wish he had a hood.... · Start of discussion · #18 · November 13, 2010 Looking back at wool..... new recommendations? Gander Mountain stuff I tried was horrible itch! It sucks that I can't try others in though.... · I've worn a boy scout wool jack shirt for years. I bought it a big size and lined the sleeves myself. It's warm and rugged. · Johnson parkas are very nice. I wear one together with my pants and do very little in the woods. I don't wear wool much unless I'm in the woods. I think leather cuts the wind better I'm having trouble justifying the price tag on a used KOM when I can get one of those two new quality jackets for less. I'm not a luxury brand, expensive gear type, all my wool is surplus, things I did with wool blankets or bought at low prices from this site and some traditional bowhunter forums, yet I decided to get a quality wool coat. Like I said, I can't pull the trigger on the KOM and now I'm looking at the LL Bean Maine Guide wool coat and Woolrich's country coat. Wondering what you'd think is the best overall coat. warmth, breathability, adjustment..... thanks You can't go wrong with woolrich or LL Bean. I have a mackerel from each of them and I love them both. Scott I know the Woolrich line is no longer made in the U.S., Is the LL Bean made in the U.S.? Overall, I let this be the deciding factor when I'm torn between two things. I have the L.L.Bean Maine Guide wool coat. I have no comparison with Woolrich. I really like my coat. It's extremely warm and seems to be well done. The only complaint I have is that it's pretty heavy. The weather in Tennessee this year have minimized its use this winter, but last year I was very impressed. I don't know about the L.L. bead, but I was at Woolrich's flagship factory store this past summer and was completely disgusted. Every piece of wool I collected was made in some Asian country. I got a good deal on a 100% virgin-interrupted wool blanket made in the US. If I had to get a new wool product I would save against and go with Filson-American made in all the pieces. KOM is not a luxury brand. It's simply the best wool clothes out there and it's expensive. Not to say that Bean and Woolrich are witches. It's just a step up from them. Greetings, ezra Hey Guys, What is the weight of the fabric on the L.L.Bean Maine Guide wool coat compared to the Wollrich. Also, how does KOM compare to filson in quality? Thank you, Geoff Massa KOM is not a luxury brand. It's simply the best wool clothes out there and it's expensive. Not to say that Bean and Woolrich are witches. It's just a step up from them. Greetings, ezra I hear what you're saying! I wasn't referring to KOM when I was talking about not being a luxury branded team! just stating that this is the first time I will spend more than \$50 on a piece of wool. My only experience is with Filson products. Your wool has no additives or some other wonder material as a coating or support. It's not the cheapest, but not the most expensive either. The few products of his I can afford the last and the last. Its construction lasts and carries well. I'm sure I like my wool! I can't say anything bad about this coat. my father passed it to me! Thank you! scout4 I found 2 Woolrich Mackinaws in Flea Bay for very cheap-both were like new, although bought in different I saw the bay for several weeks and bingo approached me with the original red and black check and a (rairy) Grey with red pin stripes. I paid less than \$25 for anyone. YMMV but it worked for me. PS: both were made in the US. Last edit: February 23, 2012 I sure like my wool! I can't say anything bad about this coat. My father passed it to me! Thank you! Scout4 Scout, I saw your thread and that's what's looking at them. This is a great looking layer one I love this monster tail, this monster must be nice whe the wind starts blowing. I'm being transferred to northern Alberta this summer, so I want a nice thick wool coat that breathes well. I got the anorak. If I had to get a new wool product I would save against and go with Filson-American made in all the pieces. Not all Philson clothing is made in the US. They have recently started manufacturing some items abroad. It's best to check on an article by article if you're looking made in America. That said, many of his classic articles are still made in the US. Just check first if that's what you want. I have LI Bean and I'm happy with him. It's a wool blend and imported, but it has the bean guarantee. It's nice and warm, not too bulky, and best of all for me comes in high sizes so it fits well. about 'buy Americans'... it is harder and harder to do. I have an old Filson jacket that I like, but now it's pretty beaten up. Ralph Lauren bought Filson a while ago and many of his stuff is 'imported'... that is, China. Many of Bean's things are also imported, as is Woolrich. It's about fashion now. I want a good wool coat, and I can't afford what's out there, so I'm in the process of making my own. It's going to be a 'Quinn coat'. But, none of this was your original question, was it? If I was going to buy a new coat, I'd probably go with Bean. just because... (I don't know why, 'just why'...) You may also want to consider Stormy Kromer's Mackinaw coat - 26oz 100% virgin wool, and it's made in the US. It's a little more expensive at \$229 than the other two, but if you're looking for high quality hot wool this is the good stuff. L.L. Bean and Woolrich's offerings are 80/20 or 85/15 wool mixes, and are likely to be recycled/recovered wool. I don't have the coat, but I have his matching mackerel hat which is the same material and is up to it or nicer than any wool item I have. If I eventually decide to spend that kind of cash on a wool coat, the stormy Kromer is at the top of my list. It's a wool blend and imported, but it has the bean guarantee. If you're torn between LI Bean and Woolrich, that would tilt me towards LL Bean. They have a great policy of return. It is not if Woolrich provides the same, but you can't mistake customer service and Bean's warranty. I buy high sizes. That's my complaint with Woolrich. I end up catalog and I like things but I can't stand sleeves sleeves to my elbows. I have a light heavyweight LL Bean on a high that I like. shirt-jac I guess. I have a ll Bean guide coat in the camo version. I also have the heavy wool guide shirt made by Columbia. Both items are well made, warm and durable. I don't have a Woolrich coat, but several friends do and these are durable too. For the \$\$ they are terrible purchases and will last a long time. Greetings, ezra Thank you all for the great comments!! I ordered Woolrich's country coat and for the simple fact of \$\$! Thanks to the econnofotk link provided to a sale that Sierra Trading Post is having I can get the wool coat below for \$116 CDN at my door. That's less than half of what he would have paid for the LI Bean and thirdly what he would have paid for a filson or used king of the mountain. In the end, the Woolrich country coat, Filson cruise and the ll bean guide coat are similar in quality and price. One person might like one better and another can find another fits better.... So I chose the woolrich for sale. As I said before I'm not one to spend a lot of new team money as I always seem to find deals on things used, but I decided to sink into this one. I'm glad I found him in a robbery like he made choosing one of the three a lot easier! thanks again, With all the big pockets usable in these machinaw coats, which would be nice usable small stuff items carried in your pockets for a day walk?... I'm thinking of a Swiss army knife, attack anywhere silk parties, a small LED light, a rain poncho carried in your back pocket,Do you have any idea? Thank you! Scout4 I've had a Woolrich Alaskan shirt for many years of very hard use, and the fists are starting to scare. I really like the 85/15 wool/nylon plus 100% wool. My friend has a Filson Double Mac. Cruiser, and it's got too small for him, as the wool has slowly shrunk (his comment is that his jacket is slowly feeling) from exposure to rain and snow. I'll take Woolrich... good choice! Choice!