



This fantastic Caucasian chamois was taken by Miguel Estade (Switzerland) from Karachayevo-Cherkesiya, Russia, August 2016. Miguel was hunting with ProfiHunt.

**Species:** *Caucasian chamois*

**Date taken:** August 9, 2016

**Location:** Karachayevo-Cherkesiya,  
Russia

**Outfitter:** ProfiHunt – Vladimir  
Melnikov

**Highlights:** I had a great encounter with a very good Caucasian chamois in the Aksaut area when I was heading to base camp for the Kuban (Western) tur. It will probably score in the top ten of SCI's record book. ProfiHunt is a great organization with top guides.

(EDITOR'S NOTE: Be sure to get that chamois scored and entered for our 2018 Trophy Awards!)

**Species:** *Kuban (Western) tur*

**Date taken:** August 10, 2016

**Location:** Karachayevo-Cherkesiya,  
Russia

**Outfitter:** ProfiHunt – Vladimir  
Melnikov

**Highlights:** The Caucasus Mountains are the most treacherous along with the Himalayas. Be in the best shape that you can. Come ready for hours and hours of steep climbing, but at the end, with fortitude you will enjoy one of the best mountain hunts. I took my Kuban (Western) tur with a running shot at 410 yards.

**Species:** *Mid-Caucasian tur*

**Date taken:** August 18, 2016

**Location:** Kabardino-Balkariya, Russia

**Outfitter:** ProfiHunt – Vladimir  
Melnikov

**Highlights:** This is a tough hunt! I took my mid-Caucasian tur on the last day, last hour with a 420-yard shot after seeing a group

high on the mountain as we were heading back to camp. Daniel and Nasir are top guides and very sympathetic to the hunter. Camp conditions were rough. Be ready to climb and walk in the mountains 10 to 14 hours each day.



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