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Machu Kangri (6,086m), west of Leh, is located 8km south of the Sisir La and 12km southeast of Chomotang. In mid-June, Karl Herberger (Germany), well acclimatized and approaching over the Sisir La, made a bivouac at ca 4,700m, north of the peak. Next day, June 20, he climbed to the east ridge and continued over several tops and a foresummit to the main peak (34.0295°N, 76.7941°E GPS), which he reached at 4 p.m. He descended to the west and returned to his bivouac that night.

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Images



Machu Kangri seen from near the Sisir La to the north. The main summit is the more distant rounded, rocky top, and the ascent took place via the skyline ridge to the left.

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