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For almost a hundred years, Vihtavuori powders have formed the heart of many of the world's most renowned cartridges. Reloaders know they can trust in Vihtavuori powder's performance and uniform high quality – cartridge after cartridge – to create a perfect product for successful shooting. When choosing Vihtavuori powders you know your ammo is up to the task, even in the toughest conditions.

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Clean burning

Our use of only the finest of raw materials is a renowned characteristic of all Vihtavuori powders. We take great pride in producing a very pure and clean burning powder which allows longer shooting sessions between cleanings. The clean-burning characteristics of our powders result in greatly reduced carbon build-up and powder fouling, ultimately giving longer barrel life.

Decoppering agent

After extensive testing and development, we've begun adding a decoppering agent to all of our powders. This additive deters the adhesion and build-up of copper fouling in the bore. Excessive jacket material fouling is a well-known and established cause of accuracy loss. This fouling must be removed from time to time to keep a rifle performing at its peak potential. Our new decoppering agent prevents much of this fouling from building up in the first place, greatly prolonging your shooting sessions, and extending barrel life.

Temperature stable

Temperature stability in powders has always been a consideration, but with the recent improvements in Long Range shooting, it has become a factor of major concern to shooters. Firing at long ranges places greater demands on ammo, equipment and the shooter himself. Enabling a shooter to meet these demands means refining the process, and eliminating those variables which reduce hit probability. The production of increasingly temperature insensitive propellants allows for greatly reduced Extreme Spreads and Standard Deviation, which translates directly to less vertical dispersion on target.

Lot-to-lot consistency

Smokeless propellants are an organic compound of many closely monitored base materials. Every production run must be closely matched to very specific standards regarding grain geometry, chemistry and performance as compared to previous runs of that propellant. This demanding process requires constant testing, verification and adjustment to ensure that each run is perfectly compatible with those before and after. This is a guiding principle of our production philosophy. We require extreme accuracy and quality at every step of our production process.



PREMIUM N100 POWDERS

N110

Our fastest burning powder suitable for small rifle cartridges such as the .22 Hornet and .30 Carbine, but also well suited to many of the more powerful Magnum handgun rounds. It is particularly applicable for the .44 Rem Magnum, .454 Casull, .500 S&W Mag and similar high-performance revolver cartridges.

N120

A well-balanced powder specifically for some of the intermediate cases such as the .300 Blackout and 7.62x39. It operates best at a somewhat higher pressure than the faster N110, and gives good results in a variety of the small to mid-capacity cases such as the .221 Rem. Fireball and .30-30 Win.

N130

A fast-burning rifle powder well suited to both small cases like the .22 calibers and 6 mm PPCs, and large straight-walled cases such as the .45-70 Govt and .458 Win Mag. N130 is also an excellent choice for lighter bullets in such cartridges as the .222 and .223 Rems. Exceptional accuracy combined with the benefits of our anti-coppering technology.

N133

The preferred choice of most leading benchrest competitors and standard rifle shooters, and the powder used to set an incredible number of the current benchrest rifle records. Ideally suited to the 6mm PPC, but it's also versatile enough to serve in a wide variety of cartridges. Especially where a relatively fast-burning powder is called for, ranging from the .222 Rem to the .45-70 Govt.

N135

N135 is a relatively fast powder that delivers outstanding accuracy, velocity and consistent performance. An excellent choice for .308 Win loads with bullet weight less than 155 grains. Well suited to cartridges like the 6 mm BR Norma, .222 and .223 Rem, as well as large straight-walled cases such as the .458 Win. Mag.

N140

An incredibly versatile powder, well suited to a wide range of cartridges and bullet weights. From the .223 Rem with heavy bullets, to full sized powerhouses like the .375 H&H Magnum, our N140 is an ideal choice. Giving good velocities, clean performance and exceptional stability, this is the standard go-to powder for a wide variety of cases.

The N100 series powders are primarily rifle powders with different burning rates to optimize your loads.

N165

N165 is a very slow burning powder, making it a superior choice for the same range of cartridges as our N160 when using heavier bullets. Delivering slightly higher velocities with these projectiles makes N165 a wise choice when long-range performance is the goal. It delivers superb accuracy with heavy bullets in calibers ranging from 6,5x55 SE all the way to .416 Rigby, and is a top choice for the .338 Lapua Magnum.

N170

Our slowest burning N100 series powder, recommended for the very large capacity cases such as the .300 Weatherby Mag. and the .300 Rem Ultra Mag. Good performances in most of the belted Magnum cartridges. N170 is one of the slowest canister-grade powders readily available from any manufacturer.

24N41 / 20N29

Vihtavuori offers two powders specifically for the .50 BMG case; 24N41 and 20N29. These are single-based treated powders, having very large grain size and extremely slow burning rates ideally suited to the .50 BMG. They also have some application in a few other very large capacity cases, such as the .338 Lapua Magnum and the .30-378 Weatherby Magnums. Of the two, 24N41 is slightly faster than 20N29, with renewed relative burning rates 39 for the 24N41 and 36 for the 20N29, when N110 is given the index 100.

Strict quality acceptance limits have helped reloaders and cartridge manufacturers to achieve similar loads regardless of the production lot for almost 100 years.



PREMIUM N300 HANDGUN POWDERS



N310

N310 is an extremely fast-burning pistol powder, ideally suited to light, target type loads. It gives outstanding accuracy in a wide range of cartridges from the .32 S&W Long to the .45 ACP wadcutter loadings. Clean burning, consistent and easy to load, N310 is the top choice for the competitive Bullseye pistol shooter.

N320

A fast-burning powder for use in light to mid-range target loads, in cartridges ranging from the 9 mm and .38 Special, up to the .44 Special and .45 ACP. Capable of producing higher velocities at acceptable pressures than our N310, N320 provides the handloader a bit more versatility at the loading bench.

N32C (TIN STAR)

This is a specialized powder intended to provide low bulk density for cartridges that were originally designed for Cowboy Action Shooters shooting lead bullets with single-action revolvers and lever-action rifles. The use of more conventional powder results in poor load density, and fails to adequately fill the case. Our N32C corrects this problem, and is ideally suited to many of the older cartridges used in Cowboy Action shooting, such as the .38 Special, .44 Special and .45 Colt.

N330

N330 provides a wide range of latitude for the handgun shooter, serving well for everything from light target to heavier high-velocity loadings. This is a versatile powder suitable for an exceptionally broad range of applications, especially designed for 9 mm Luger but also suitable for .38 Special, .40 S&W, .44 S&W Special and .45 Colt.

The N300 series powders are ideal for handgun and shotgun loads.

N105 SUPER MAGNUM

N105 Super Magnum is our slowest burning pistol powder, intended for the most powerful handgun cartridges in use today, particularly with heavy bullets and/or large case volume. Many of these specialized rounds operate at rifle pressures. Delivering this type of performance is precisely what prompted the development of N105. For such powerhouses as the .454 Casull or .500 S&W, N105 is an excellent powder choice.

N340

A flexible powder that serves well in medium to heavy high-velocity loadings. N340 is a good performer in high intensity rounds like the .357 and .44 Magnums, the 40 S&W and the .357 SIG cartridges.

N350

Our N350 is the slowest in the N300 series of handgun powders, and is ideal for very heavy loadings, and top end velocities and energies from a broad range of pistol and revolver cartridges. It is very well suited to loading powerful rounds for example in calibers 9 mm Luger, 10 mm AUTO and .45 ACP.

3N37

Originally developed as a powder for loading .22 rimfire cartridges, 3N37 has a burn rate very similar to N350, and can be used for many of the same applications. As handgun shooters began to experiment with 3N37, they found that this fine-grained powder loaded evenly through a measure and gave excellent results from a range of competitive cartridges used for USPSA and IPSC shooting.

3N38

The 3N38 is a specialized powder designed specifically for competitive handgun shooting with high-velocity loads in the 9mm and .40 S&W cartridges. A relatively slow-burning powder, 3N38 is a perfect choice for making Major with good accuracy and the clean-burning characteristics for which Vihtavuori is renowned.

PREMIUM N500 HIGH ENERGY POWDERS



N530

The fastest of our N500 High Energy series, N530 is an ideal for many of the smaller bottlenecked cases like the .223/5.56, or large straight-walled cases such as the .45-70 Springfield. It is also a useful powder for medium capacity cases like the .308 Win, when using lighter weight bullets of 155 grains or less.

N540

N540 is a mid-range powder in the N500 series, and an excellent choice for cartridges running from the .223/5.56mm, .308 Win and .30-06 Springfield with appropriate bullet weights. This is also a great powder for 6,5x47 Lapua and 6,5 Creedmoor as well as the .223 when using heavy bullets from 69 to 82 grains. It is exceptionally clean-burning and delivers outstanding accuracy.

N550

A slower burning powder very well suited to a wide range of medium to large cartridges, especially with heavier bullet weights. An ideal fit for many of the 30 caliber magnums with lighter bullets, but useful across a wide range of bore sizes. Particularly well matched to heavy bullet loadings in the 6.5x55 and .30-06 Springfield cartridges.

N560

A very slow-burning powder for large, magnum style cases, particularly when heavy bullets and high velocities are required. A perfect selection for the .270 Win, 7 mm Remington or Weatherby Magnums, .300 Winchester, RUM or Weatherby Magnums. A very good choice for the .338 Lapua Magnum when using lighter bullets of 250 grains or less.

N565

A new N500 series powder developed specially for the 250 gr bullet weight loads in .338 Lapua Magnum. N565 roughly splits the difference in burn-rate between N560 and N570, but is a bit closer to N570. It will cover many of the same cartridges and bullets as the first two, but allows the loader another option in fine tuning a load to the perfect combination. While N565 was tailored specifically for military sniping applications, it also has a wide range of sporting uses, particularly within long range shooting. The N565 will prove to be an ideal choice for calibers such as the 7mm Rem Magnum, the .30-06, .300 Win Mag, .300 Norma Mag as well as the .338 Norma Mag.

N570

The slowest burning member of the N500 line, N570 is the perfect choice for those tasks requiring heavy bullets and the largest capacity cases. Its burn rate is very close to that of our N170, but will generally provide a bit more velocity in the same cartridges, and using the same bullet weights. The burn-rate characteristics of N570 allow it to deliver the very best possible performance from such cartridges as the 6.5x284, .300 Rem Ultra Mag, and .338 Lapua Magnum.



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PREFACE

Dear Vihtavuori customer,

The new Vihtavuori Reloading Guide 2019 is an updated version of the previous Vihtavuori Reloading Guides.

The contents of this updated issue has been revised with loading data for the following calibres:

Centerfire rifle

Updated data: .222 Rem. .22-250 Rem., .223 Rem., 6.5 Creedmoor, .260 Rem., 6.5 x 55 SE, .308 Win., .30-06 Sprg., .300 Win Mag., 7.62 x 39, 8 x 68S, 9.3 x 62

Centerfire handgun

New calibers: 9 mm Browning Court (.380 Auto)

Updated data: 9 mm Luger, .38 Special, .357 Magnum, .45 Auto

The now published new rifle and pistol reloading data is expanding and revising the powder selection for existing bullets.

As a courtesy to the reloader the load tables contain notes of compressed loads and loads to fill the case up. For flexible usage this guide features data in metric and imperial dimension systems i.e. charge weight in grams and grains as well as muzzle velocity in meters and feet per second. This reloading guide also includes the accuracy loads noted in the load tables. These loads utilize worldwide well-known Lapua cartridge components and are factory tested either for even pressure / muzzle velocity and accuracy. These loads are highlighted in the load tables with dark grey shadowing.

All the loads in this guide are pressure tested according to the C.I.P. method. The maximum loads given in the tables are determined according to the C.I.P. and SAAMI maximum pressure specifications. The listed maximum loads should never be exceeded. Due to the differences in the cartridge components, individual weapons, shooting temperatures etc., always start developing your load by using the starting load according to the loading data. If there is no indication of the starting load, use 15 % lower charge than the listed maximum load as your starting load.

The Vihtavuori powders are manufactured by Nammo Vihtavuori Oy at the Vihtavuori plants. Sales and marketing of the reloading powders is carried out by Nammo Lapua Oy and Nammo Vihtavuori Oy. The contact details of Vihtavuori customer service and a listing of Vihtavuori Distributors can be found at the end of this guide. For latest updates of data and distributors check also **vihtavuori.com**, where this guide can also be downloaded in PDF format. Check also Apple App Store and Google Play store for the **Vihtavuori RELOAD mobile app**. Latest reloading information and the possibility to save your own reloading recipes, at hand everywhere you go.

We wish you successful reloading with Vihtavuori powders.



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ABOUT THE DATA

Disclaimer

As Nammo Vihtavuori Oy has no control over improper storage, handling, loading or use of our powders after they have left the factory, we make no warranty of any kind, either expressed or implied, limited or full. We specifically disclaim all warranties of fitness for a particular purpose and merchantability. We specifically disclaim all liability for consequential damages of any kind whatsoever, whether or not due to seller's negligence or based on strict product liability or principle of indemnity or contribution, Nammo Vihtavuori Oy neither assumes nor authorizes any person to assume for it any liability in connection with the use of this product.

How to Use the Data

Our rifle and handgun data listings generally contain maximum charges which are not to be exceeded. In some instances starting loads are also listed. Currently this booklet contains all of the data we can supply. Be certain you use the correct data and the specific bullet weight shown.

By staying 5 % below the maximum powder charge weight, pressures will be reduced by about 10 % while velocities will be only about 3 % lower than listed.

Caution: When loading handgun cartridges it is vital to maintain the minimum cartridge overall length (C.O.L.) listed in the tables. Shorter overall lengths may double chamber pressures. Longer lengths are permissible so long as the functioning of the handgun will not be impaired.

The data in the loading tables were obtained at an ambient temperature of 68 degrees Fahrenheit and relative humidity of 55 %. The values obtained were under carefully controlled conditions and may vary from those obtained with your firearm, specific component lots, loading dimensions, and loading procedures. The maximum charges must NEVER be exceeded. **Start loading with the starting load according to the loading data. If there is no indication of the starting load, use 15 % lower charge than the listed maximum.** When loading cartridges for which the listed charge is 10 grains or less, after firing 10 rounds at the minimum weight (15 % below maximum), increase charge weights by 0.2 grains and fire another 10 rounds. Repeat this procedure, if necessary, until you reach, but do not exceed,

the maximum listed charge. The same process is followed for heavier charges except that charge weights from 11 to 25 grains use increments of 0.5 grains. For charges over 25 grains increments of 1.0 grains will be correct.

If even a single test round shows signs of excessive pressure discontinue the use of the load. Do not fire even a single additional cartridge. Seek qualified help before proceeding! The traditional sign of overpressure is a flattened primer. When flattened primers start to occur, it is a definite warning that the charge should be reduced, quickly. Brass getting into the ejector and extractor cavities is a worse case. Blown out primers are worse still. If a case ruptures it may be a sign of a defective case or a truly lethal chamber pressure.

In case of overpressure signs it is wiser to back off, to be safe rather than sorry. Why risk potentially fatal injury? Better to stop shooting and immediately discard all such reloads.

Read also the Reloading Safety Rules on pages 16 and 17.

Pressure

There are numerous factors which can change the ballistic performance of a load even when the data is followed exactly. For example: The internal dimensions of a firearm can vary greatly even between two of the same make and model. Pressures can vary to extremes as different firearms are used. Each change in brand and even within different lots of a specific brand component can cause notable ballistic changes. Too, changes in ambient temperature can also cause ballistic altering pressures. Not every bullet of a given diameter and weight will produce alike pressure. Changes in case brand can also effect ballistics. There are numerous other causes of varying pressure levels.

Therefore it is essential that the reloader be well versed in the methods of carefully working up a reload powder charge in small increments as outlined in the various reloading handbooks that are available from reliable sources. The data in this book is not intended for use by persons not thoroughly versed in such procedures.

This guide should be supplemented by a good recognized reloading handbook that offers all appropriate information.

PROPERTIES AND STORAGE OF SMOKELESS POWDER

Properties of Smokeless Powder

Smokeless powders, or propellants, are essentially mixtures of chemicals designed to burn under controlled conditions at the proper rate to propel a projectile from a gun.

Smokeless powders are made in three forms:

1. Thin, circular flakes or wafers
2. Small cylinders
3. Small spheres

Single-base smokeless powders derive their main source of energy from nitrocellulose.

The energy released from double-base smokeless powders is derived from both nitrocellulose and nitroglycerine.

All smokeless powders are extremely flammable by design, they are intended to burn rapidly and vigorously when ignited.

Oxygen from the air is not necessary for the combustion of smokeless powders since they contain sufficient built-in oxygen to burn completely, even in an enclosed space such as the chamber of a firearm.

In effect, ignition occurs when the powder granules are heated above their ignition temperature. This can occur by exposing powder to:

1. A flame such as a match or primer flash.
2. An electrical spark or the sparks from welding, grinding, etc..
3. Heat from an electric hot plate or a fire directed or near a closed container even if the powder itself is not exposed to the flame.

When smokeless powder burns, a great deal of gas at high temperature is formed. If the powder is confined, this gas will create pressure in the surrounding structure. The rate of gas generation is such, however, that the pressure can be kept at a low level if sufficient space is available or if the gas can escape.

In this respect smokeless powder differs from blasting agents or high explosives such as dynamite or blasting gelatin,

although smokeless powder may contain chemical ingredients common to some of these products.

High explosives such as dynamite are made to detonate, that is, to change from solid state to gaseous state with evolution of intense heat at such a rapid rate that shock waves are propagated through any medium in contact with them. Such shock waves exert pressure on anything they contact, and, as a matter of practical consideration, it is almost impossible to satisfactorily vent away the effects of a detonation involving any appreciable quantity of dynamite.

Smokeless powder differs considerably in its burning characteristics from common "black powder".

Black powder burns essentially at the same rate out in the open (unconfined) as when in a gun.

When ignited in an unconfined state, smokeless powder burns inefficiently with an orange-colored flame. It produces a considerable amount of light brown noxious smelling smoke. It leaves a residue of ash and partially burned powder. The flame is hot enough to cause severe burns.

The opposite is true when it burns under pressure as in a cartridge fired in a gun. Then it produces very little smoke, a small glow, and leaves very little or no residue. The burning rate of smokeless powder increases with increased pressure.

If burning smokeless powder is confined, gas pressure will rise and eventually can cause the container to burst. Under such circumstances, the bursting of a strong container creates effects similar to an explosion.

For this reason, the Department of Transportation (formerly Interstate Commerce Commission) sets specifications for shipping containers for propellants and requires tests for loaded containers - under actual fire conditions - before approving them for use.

When smokeless powder in D.O.T. approved containers is ignited during such tests, container seams split open or lids pop off - to release gases and powder from confinement at low pressure.

PROPERTIES AND STORAGE OF SMOKELESS POWDER

How to Check Smokeless Powder for Deterioration

Although modern smokeless powders are basically free from deterioration under proper storage conditions, safe practices require a recognition of the signs of deterioration and its possible effects.

Powder deterioration can be checked by opening the cap on the container and smelling the contents.

Powder undergoing deterioration has an irritating acidic odor. (Don't confuse this with common solvent odors such as alcohol, ether and acetone).

Check to make certain that powder is not exposed to extreme heat as this may cause deterioration. Such exposure produces an acidity which accelerates further reaction and has been known, because of the heat generated by the reaction, to cause spontaneous combustion.

Never salvage powder from old cartridges and do not attempt to blend salvaged powder with new powder. Don't accumulate old powder stocks. The best way to dispose of deteriorated smokeless powder is to burn it out in the open at an isolated location in small shallow piles (not over 1" deep). The quantity burned in any one pile should never exceed one pound. Use an ignition train of slow burning combustible material so that the person may retreat to a safe distance before powder is ignited.

Considerations for Storage of Smokeless Powder

Smokeless powder is intended to function by burning, so it must be protected against accidental exposure to flame, sparks or high temperatures.

For these reasons, it is desirable that storage enclosures be made of insulating materials to protect the powder from external heat sources.

Once smokeless powder begins to burn, it will normally continue to burn (and generate gas pressure) until it is consumed.

D.O.T. approved containers are constructed to open up at low internal pressures to avoid the effects normally produced by the rupture or bursting of a strong container.

Storage enclosures for smokeless powder should be constructed in a similar manner:

1. Of fire-resistant and heat-insulating materials to protect contents from external heat.
2. Sufficiently large to satisfactorily vent the gaseous products of combustion which would result if the quantity of smokeless powder within the enclosure accidentally ignited.

If a small, tightly enclosed storage enclosure is loaded to capacity with containers of smokeless powder, the walls of the enclosure will expand or move outwards to release the gas pressure - if the powder in storage is accidentally ignited.

Under such conditions, the effects of the release of gas pressure are similar or identical to the effects produced by an explosion.

Hence only the smallest practical quantities of smokeless powder should be kept in storage, and then in strict compliance with all applicable regulations and recommendations of the National Fire Protection Association.

PROPERTIES AND STORAGE OF SMOKELESS POWDER

Recommendations for Storage of Smokeless Powder

DO NOT SMOKE IN AREAS WHERE POWDER IS STORED OR USED. Place appropriate "NO SMOKING" signs in these areas. THE STORAGE CABINETS SHOULD BE CONSTRUCTED OF INSULATING MATERIALS AND WITH A WEAK WALL, SEAMS OR JOINTS TO PROVIDE AN EASY MEANS OF SELFVENTING.

DO NOT KEEP OLD OR SALVAGED POWDERS. Check old powders for deterioration regularly. Destroy deteriorated powders immediately.

OBEY ALL REGULATIONS REGARDING QUANTITY AND METHODS OF STORING. Do not store all your powders in one place. If you can, maintain separate storage locations. Many small containers are safer than one or more large containers.

KEEP YOUR STORAGE AND USE AREA CLEAN. Clean up spilled powder promptly. Make sure the surrounding area is free of trash or other readily combustible materials.

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RELOADING SAFETY

Reloading is an enjoyable and rewarding hobby that is easily conducted with safety. But like many other human endeavours, carelessness or negligence can make reloading hazardous. The essence of reloading safety is proper handling and storage of primers and powder. As important is strict following of the instructions given by the manufacturers of the reloading equipment as well as the reloading components.

Before you get started, read the safety rules below and keep them in mind whenever reloading. Attention paid to detail and patience ensures safety and quality!

■ Reload only when you can give it your undivided attention. **Do not reload**, when fatigued or ill. Develop your own reloading routine to avoid mistakes. Avoid haste, load at a leisurely place and keep in mind that **absolutely no reloading under the influence of alcohol or drugs!**

■ Always wear proper eye protection. It is an unnecessary risk to reload without safety glasses.

■ Store powder and primers out of reach of children and away from heat and open fire. **Follow the manufacturer's instructions on your powder canister. Never smoke during a reloading session!**

■ Keep no more powder than needed available. Immediately return the unused powder to its original factory container to preserve its identity and usable life time.

■ Do not use any powder unless its identity is positively known. Scrap all unidentified powders according to the manufacturer's instructions on your powder canister. **Keep in mind that the trial-and-error method may lead to serious injury!**

■ **Do not store primers in bulk! Doing so will create a bomb!** Bulk primers will very likely mass detonate. The blast of a few hundred primers corresponds to a hand grenade in a room! Do not force primers in any circumstances. Take special care when filling and handling auto primer feed tubes. Keep primers in their original factory packing until used. Return unused primers to their original packing.

■ Do not use primers if their identity is lost. Discard them according to the manufacturer's instructions.

■ Start loading with the starting load according to the loading data. If there is no indication of the starting load, use 15 % lower charge than the listed maximum load. Increase the charge using small steps watching for overpressure signs from the primer and the case head at each step. **If you detect overpressures immediately stop shooting and reduce the charge.** Immediately disassemble the defective cartridges. **NEVER EXCEED THE MAXIMUM LOADS!**

■ Check visually the powder level in the cases so you are absolutely sure that you have no double powder charge. When a double powder charge is fired it may result in a gun damage, personal injury, even death.

■ If you change the lot of any component or if you change any of the components of your reload, you must develop your load from the starting load again. A different component as well as a component from a different manufacturing lot may cause changes in cartridge pressure.

■ You must absolutely follow the given cartridge overall lengths (C.O.L.) according to the reloading tables. The change in the bullet seating depth has a significant influence on the cartridge pressure.

■ Never reduce loads under the listed starting load.

■ Keep your reloading bench in good order. Clean up spilled powder and primers promptly and completely. Remember that the reloading bench is not a temporary store for other tools, used car spare parts etc.

■ Use your reloading equipment according to the manufacturer's recommendations. Study the instructions carefully and don't hesitate to ask, if you don't understand everything.

■ Be safe, be conscientious!

RELOADING SAFETY

Lead Exposure

A continuous lead exposure has been found out to create lead accumulation to living bodies, specially to the nervous system causing little by little serious physical impairment. Some unused reloading components as well as fired cases can contain lead or lead compounds, it is possible to a reloader to get exposed during reloading. Primers and bullets contain lead and it may be present as a residue in fired cartridge cases, too.

There are different ways lead may enter the body. However, the two most common are considered to be the mouth and the breathing. Therefore with simple precautions described underneath the possible lead exposure and its dangerous consequences can be avoided.

■ **WASH YOUR HANDS** thoroughly with warm water and soap after shooting or reloading.

■ **DO NOT EAT OR DRINK** during a reloading session. When handling fired cartridge cases the residual containing lead most likely gets to your hands. Therefore eating something requiring a straight hand contact during a reloading session hazards the reloader to lead exposure. Keep your hands away from your nose or your mouth during a reloading session.

■ **KEEP GOOD HOUSEHOLD AT YOUR RELOADING SITE.** Regular cleaning prevents the accumulation of residuals. Use a damp cloth or mop to clean up the reloading bench as well as the floor underneath. **DO NOT USE A VACUUM CLEANER!** The use of it poses a potential risk of exposure due to the spilled powder it collects up. Furthermore, an ordinary vacuum cleaner more spreads than collects the dust containing residuals.. Do not use any carpet at your reloading site. Carpet is hard to keep dust-free and it can create static electricity that can accidentally fire a primer.

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Bullet				Izod Notch Impact				cont.				Powder		Starting load				Maximum load			
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]								
						N120	1,25	19.3	933	3061	1,48	22.8	1072	3517							
2,9	45	Spitzer	Speer	54,0	2.126	N130	1,44	22.2	991	3251	1,62	25.0	1092	3583							
						N133	1,51	23.3	987	3238	1,68F	25.9F	1091	3579							
						N135	1,64	25.3	1010	3314	1,68F	25.9F	1034	3392							
						N130	1,17	18.1	861	2825	1,40	21.6	987	3238							
						N133	1,34	20.7	892	2927	1,56	24.1	1017	3337							
3,2	49	Naturalis	Lapua	56,0	2.205	N530	1,36	21.0	888	2913	1,54	23.8	1006	3301							
						N135	1,42	21.9	906	2972	1,66	25.6	1026	3366							
						N120	1,25	19.3	911	2989	1,47	22.7	1036	3399							
						N130	1,43	22.1	947	3107	1,59	24.5	1046	3432							
3,3	51	HPCE	Lapua	57,0	2.244	N133	1,56	24.1	990	3248	1,68F	25.9F	1077	3533							
						N135	1,65	25.5	999	3278	1,68F	25.9F	1018	3340							
						N120	1,23	19.0	909	2982	1,37	21.1	991	3251							
						N130	1,35	20.8	930	3051	1,51	23.3	1018	3340							
						N530	1,53	23.6	963	3159	1,66	25.6	1052	3451							
3,4	52	HPBT	Sierra	57,0	2.244	N133	1,45	22.4	943	3094	1,61A	24.8A	1033	3389							
						N135	1,54	23.8	957	3140	1,68F	25.9	1034	3392							
						N130	1,37	21.1	936	3071	1,54	23.8	1028	3373							
						N135	1,54	23.8	808	2651	1,66F	25.6F	1039	3409							
						N140	1,62	25.0	909	2982	1,70	26.2	959	3146							
3,6	55	Soft Point	Lapua	56,5	2.224	N530	1,53	23.6	935	3068	1,67	25.8	1027	3369							
						N120	1,09	16.8	820	2690	1,31	20.2	939	3081							
						N130	1,21	18.7	857	2812	1,42	21.9	959	3146							
						N133	1,36	21.0	876	2874	1,56	24.1	980	3215							
						N135	1,44	22.2	891	2923	1,61	24.8	995	3264							
3,6	55	FB Varmint	Berger	57,4	2.260	N140	1,43	22.1	899	2949	1,64F	25.3F	1004	3294							
						N530	1,57	24.2	915	3002	1,74F	26.9F	1014	3327							
						N130	1,34	20.7	877	2877	1,49	23.0	974	3196							
						N133	1,45	22.4	894	2933	1,60	24.7	991	3251							
						N135	1,54	23.8	901	2956	1,70	26.2	997	3271							
3,6	55	FMJBT	Hornady	57,0	2.244	N140	1,60	24.7	889	2917	1,72	26.5	965	3166							
						N530	1,50	23,1	905	2969	1,63	25.2	996	3268							
						N120	1,21	18.7	889	2917	1,34	20.7	960	3150							
						N130	1,41	21.8	956	3136	1,52	23.5	1013	3323							
						N530	1,50	23.1	941	3087	1,62	25.0	1022	3353							
3,6	55	FMJ	Lapua	57,0	2.244	N133	1,43	22.1	928	3045	1,59	24.5	1006	3301							
						N135	1,51	23.3	938	3077	1,66	25.6	1017	3337							
						N140	1,60	24.7	930	3051	1,74	26.8	1019	3343							
						N120	1,21	18.7	889	2917	1,34	20.7	960	3150							
						N130	1,41	21.8	956	3136	1,52	23.5	1013	3323							
3,6	55	FB Varmint	Berger	57,4	2.260	N133	1,43	22.1	911	2989	1,59	24.5	999	3278							
						N135	1,51	23.3	927	3041	1,68F	25.9F	999	3278							
						N140	1,61	24.8	917	3009	1,77F	27.3F	1004	3294							
						N530	1,39	21.5	848	2782	1,57	24.2	947	3107							
						N135	1,49	23.0	860	2822	1,67	25.8	957	3140							
3,9	60	FB Varmint	Berger	57,4	2.260	N140	1,55	23.9	859	2818	1,70	26.2	935	3068							
						N530	1,45	22.4	860	2822	1,58	24.4	962	3156							
						N135	1,61	24.8	883	2897	1,76	27.2	981	3219							
						N133	1,43	22.1	888	2913	1,60	24.7	978	3209							
						N135	1,50	23.1	893	2930	1,67	25.8	976	3202							
3,9	60	HP	Hornady	57,0	2.244	N140	1,62	25.0	895	2936	1,74F	26.8F	965	3166							
						N530	1,40	21.6	821	2694	1,50	23.1	904	2966							
						N120	1,34	20.7	832	2730	1,63	25.2	931	3054							
						N130	1,36	21.0	798	2618	1,63	25.2	931	3054							
						N135	1,52	23.5	821	2694	1,70	26.2	924	3031							
4,0	62	TAC-X BT	Barnes	57,4	2.260	N133	1,40	21.5	848	2782	1,57	24.2	947	3107							
						N135	1,49	23.0	860	2822	1,67	25.8	957	3140							
						N140	1,55	23.9	859	2818	1,70	26.2	935	3068							
						N530	1,45	22.4	860	2822	1,58	24.4	962	3156							
						N135	1,61	24.8	883	2897	1,76	27.2	981	3219							
3,9	60	HP	Hornady	57,0	2.244	N133	1,33	20.5	874	2867	1,50	23.1	967	3173							
						N135	1,43	22.1	888	2913	1,60	24.7	978	3209							
						N135	1,50	23.1	893	2930	1,67	25.8	976	3202							
						N140	1,62	25.0	895	2936	1,74F	26.8F	965	3166							
						N530	1,40	21.6	821	2694	1,58	24.4	945	3100							

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Bullet				Powder				Starting load				Maximum load			
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]	Weight [g]	Weight [grs]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]				
			[in.]												
4,0	62	FMJBT	Speer	N540	1,55	23.9	840	2756	1,76	27.2	963	3159			
				N530	1,43	22.1	861	2825	1,56	24.1	953	3127			
				N135	1,43	22.1	852	2795	1,60	24.7	942	3091			
				N140	1,62	25.0	901	2956	1,70F	26.2F	943	3094			
4,0	62	Scirocco II	Swift	N135	1,36	21.0	784	2572	1,58	24.4	906	2972			
				N140	1,52	23.5	804	2638	1,73	26.7	919	3015			
				N530	1,37	21.1	811	2661	1,54	23.8	909	2982			
				N540	1,54	23.8	829	2720	1,72	26.5	941	3087			
4,5	69	HPBT ¹⁾	Sierra	N133	1,34	20.7	792	2598	1,48	22.8	867	2844			
				N135	1,40	21.6	804	2638	1,54	23.8	875	2871			
				N140	1,53	23.6	820	2690	1,68	25.9	897	2943			
				N540	1,56	24.1	824	2703	1,71	26.4	910	2986			
4,5	69	Scenar ¹⁾	Lapua	N530	1,37	21.1	809	2654	1,47	22.7	869	2851			
				N133	1,31	20.2	789	2589	1,42	21.9	849	2785			
				N135	1,37	21.1	796	2612	1,49	23.0	862	2828			
				N140	1,48	22.8	823	2700	1,60	24.7	879	2884			
4,8	73	BT Target	Berger	N540	1,50	23.1	807	2648	1,65	25.5	895	2936			
				N133	1,20	18.5	747	2451	1,41	21.8	822	2697			
				N135	1,31	20.2	743	2438	1,51	23.3	855	2805			
				N140	1,42	21.9	763	2503	1,64	25.3	875	2871			
4,9	75	VLD Target	Berger	N530	1,33	20.5	772	2533	1,50	23.1	887	2910			
				N540	1,47	22.7	787	2582	1,65	25.5	899	2949			
				N133	1,21	18.7	732	2402	1,42	21.9	837	2746			
				N135	1,35	20.8	763	2503	1,54	23.8	864	2835			
4,9	75	ELD Match	Hornady	N140	1,44	22.2	771	2530	1,65	25.5	877	2877			
				N530	1,35	20.8	776	2546	1,50	23.1	882	2894			
				N540	1,47	22.7	786	2579	1,68	25.9	903	2963			
				N540	1,47	22.7	791	2595	1,67	25.8	901	2956			
4,9	75	Scirocco II	Swift	N135	1,23	19.0	698	2290	1,45	22.4	795	2608			
				N140	1,41	21.8	718	2356	1,62	25.0	815	2674			
				N530	1,28	19.8	708	2323	1,45	22.4	814	2671			
				N540	1,43	22.1	743	2438	1,64	25.3	846	2776			
4,9	75	BTHP ²⁾	Hornady	N135	1,34	20.7	752	2467	1,51	23.3	830	2723			
				N140	1,43	22.1	754	2474	1,62	25.0	843	2766			
				N540	1,50	23.1	773	2536	1,67	25.8	863	2831			
				N135	1,25	19.3	712	2336	1,44	22.2	812	2664			
5,0	77	Scenar	Lapua	N135	1,22	18.8	701	2300	1,39	21.5	803	2635			
				N140	1,35	20.8	704	2310	1,57	24.2	801	2628			
				N540	1,41	21.8	720	2362	1,59	24.5	814	2671			
				N135	1,29	19.9	724	2375	1,49	23.0	825	2707			
5,0	77	TMK	Sierra	N140	1,44	22.2	744	2441	1,65	25.5	852	2795			
				N530	1,31	20.2	744	2441	1,47	22.7	850	2789			
				N540	1,46	22.5	755	2477	1,63	25.2	870	2854			
				N530	1,28	19.8	712	2336	1,43	22.1	795	2608			
5,0	77	HPBT ²⁾	Sierra	N135	1,27	19.6	706	2316	1,46	22.5	791	2595			
				N140	1,36	21.0	712	2336	1,60	24.7	810	2657			
				N540	1,47	22.7	740	2428	1,64	25.3	828	2717			
				N530	1,28	19.8	712	2336	1,43	22.1	795	2608			
5,2	80	HPBT ³⁾	Sierra	N135	1,22	18.8	711	2333	1,40	21.6	788	2587			
				N140	1,34	20.7	730	2395	1,49	23.0	807	2646			
				N540	1,39	21.4	730	2395	1,53	23.7	808	2652			
				N530	1,30	20.0	713	2339	1,50	23.1	801	2630			
5,8	90	HPBT	Sierra	N135	1,25	19.3	640	2100	1,44	22.2	742	2434			
				N150	1,24	19.1	648	2126	1,48	22.8	748	2454			
				N540	1,34	20.7	678	2224	1,52	23.5	762	2500			
				N140	1,25	19.3	646	2119	1,41	21.8	735	2411			
5,8	90	HPBT	Berger	N150	1,26	19.4	651	2136	1,46	22.5	741	2431			
				N540	1,34	20.7	682	2238	1,49	23.0	759	2490			

A = Accuracy load F = Case full

¹⁾ 1 in 10" twist ²⁾ 1 in 7" twist ³⁾ Test barrel with a long throat to accept the C.O.L. of 65 mm (2.559")

.223 WSSM

Test barrel: 640 mm (25"), 1 in 8" twist
 Primers: Large Rifle
 Cases: Winchester, trim-to length 42,20 mm (1.661")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load		
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]
3,3	51	HPCE	Lapua	54,6 2.150	N135	2,10	32.4	1011	3317	2,61 40.3
				N530	2,22	34.3	1055	3461	2,59 40.0	1205 3953
				N140	2,49	38.4	1074	3524	2,83 43.7	1183 3881
3,6	55	Soft Point	Lapua	54,5 2.146	N135	2,09	32.3	1001	3284	2,49 38.4
				N530	2,14	33.0	1009	3310	2,48 38.3	1147 3763
				N140	2,24	34.6	996	3268	2,68 41.4	1140 3740
4,5	69	Scenar	Lapua	56,7 2.232	N140	2,29	35.3	933	3061	2,61 40.3
				N540	2,35	36.3	960	3150	2,68 41.4	1030 3379
				N150	2,33	36.0	947	3107	2,61 40.3	1048 3438
				N550	2,48	38.3	972	3189	2,84 43.8	1078 3537

.22 PPC-USA

Test barrel: 610 mm (24"), 1 in 14" twist
 Primers: Small Rifle
 Cases: Winchester, trim-to length 42,20 mm (1.661")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load		
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]
3,4	52	HPBT	Sierra	51,4 2.024	N120	1,33	20.5	919	3016	1,56 24.1
				N130	1,43	22.1	934	3063	1,66 25.6	1069 3507
				N133	1,51	23.3	947	3107	1,77 27.3	1087 3565
				N135	1,65	25.5	971	3185	1,90 29.2	1099 3607
3,6	55	Spitzer	Speer	51,8 2.039	N130	1,41	21.8	898	2946	1,69 26.1
				N133	1,45	22.4	901	2956	1,78 27.4	1039 3409
				N135	1,68	25.9	961	3151	1,93 29.7	1103 3617

.22-250 Remington

Test barrel: 580 mm (22"), 1 in 14" twist
 Primers: Large Rifle
 Cases: Lapua .22-250 Remington, trim-to length 48,30mm (1.902")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load		
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]
2,6	40	Blitz King	Sierra	58,9 2.319	N130	1,79	27.6	1097	3599	1,98 30.6
				N133	1,97	30.4	1099	3606	2,15 33.2	1205 3953
				N135	2,03	31.3	1097	3599	2,18 33.6	1207 3960
				N140	2,19	33.8	1111	3645	2,39 36.9	1211 3973
2,9	45	SP	Sierra	58,9 2.319	N130	1,66	25.6	1023	3356	1,99 30.7
				N133	1,87	28.9	1033	3389	2,10 32.4	1126 3694
				N135	1,87	28.9	1023	3356	2,18 33.6	1154 3786
				N150	2,06	31.8	1033	3389	2,32 35.8	1137 3730
3,2	49	Naturalis	Lapua	59,0 2.323	N135	1,62	25.0	913	2995	1,71 26.4
				N140	1,81	27.9	936	3071	2,04 31.5	1036 3399
				N540	2,00	30.9	978	3209	2,21 34.1	1070 3510
				N150	1,82	28.1	944	3097	2,06 31.8	1043 3422
3,3	51	HPCE	Lapua	59,6 2.346	N133	1,75	27.0	969	3179	1,99 30.7
				N135	1,72	26.5	959	3146	1,96 30.2	1055 3461
				N140	1,99	30.7	988	3241	2,19 33.8	1087 3566
				N540	2,08	32.1	1001	3284	2,32 35.8	1105 3625
3,6	55	FMJ	Lapua	59,6 2.346	N135	1,75	27.0	936	3071	1,98 30.6
				N140	1,94	29.9	959	3146	2,17 33.5	1050 3445
				N540	2,03	31.3	972	3189	2,29 35.3	1085 3560
				N150	1,98	30.6	968	3176	2,25 34.7	1057 3468
3,6	55	Soft Point	Lapua	59,5 2.343	N135	1,62	25.0	902	2959	1,82 28.1
				N140	1,81	27.9	932	3058	2,04 31.5	1017 3337
				N540	2,09	32.3	981	3219	2,29 35.3	1075 3527
				N150	1,83	28.2	903	2963	2,08 32.1	1019 3343

LIGHT GREY TEXT BOX INDICATES MAXIMUM LOAD - USE WITH CAUTION!
 LOADS LESS THAN MINIMUM CHARGES SHOWN ARE NOT RECOMMENDED

.22-250 Remington

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Bullet	Powder	Starting load	Maximum load				
Weight [g]	Type	Weight [grs]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]
3,9	60	HP	Hornady	59,6	2.346	N135	1,62 25.0
						N140	1,81 27.9
						N540	2,06 31.8
						N150	1,91 29.5
4,0	62	TSX	Barnes	59,7	2.350	N140	1,67 25.8
						N540	1,82 28.1
						N150	1,72 26.5
4,5	69	HPBT ¹⁾	Lapua	59,6	2.346	N140	1,71 26.4
						N540	1,85 28.5
						N150	1,77 27.3
						N550	1,98 30.6

¹⁾ 1 in 10" twist

6 mm PPC-USA

Test barrel: 580 mm (23"), 1 in 14" twist

Primers: Small Rifle
 Cases: Sako, trim-to length 38,30 mm (1.508")

Bullet	Powder	Starting load	Maximum load				
Weight [g]	Type	Weight [grs]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]
4,4	68	HPFB	Euber	53,6	2.110	N130	1,52 23.4
						N133	1,63 25.2
4,5	70	HPBT	Sierra	53,6	2.110	N120	1,39 21.5
						N130	1,47 22.7
						N133	1,59 24.6

C = Compressed load

6 mm BR Norma

Test barrel: 650 mm (25½"), 1 in 8" twist

Primers: Small Rifle
 Cases: Lapua, trim-to length 39,40 mm (1.551")

Bullet	Powder	Starting load	Maximum load				
Weight [g]	Type	Weight [grs]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]
4,5	70	HPBT	Sierra	57,0	2.244	N133	1,64 25.3
						N135	1,88 29.0
5,0	77	HP	Lapua	57,0	2.244	N135	1,81 27.9
						N140	1,94 29.9
						N540	2,00 30.9
5,0	77	HP SJ	Lapua	60,0	2.362	N133	1,85 28.5
						N140	2,05 31.6
						N540	2,14 33.0
5,5	85	TSX	Barnes	58,5</td			

.243 WSSM

Test barrel: 690 mm (27"), 1 in 10" twist
 Primers: Small Rifle
 Cases: Winchester, trim-to length 42,20 mm (1.660")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]				
5,0	77	HP	Lapua	59,4	2,339	N140	2,46	38,0	973	3192	2,74	42,3	1071	3514
						N540	2,52	38,9	988	3241	2,80	43,2	1096	3596
						N150	2,48	38,3	978	3209	2,84	43,8	1081	3547
5,8	90	Naturalis	Lapua	58,0	2,283	N540	2,34	36,1	896	2940	2,68	41,4	1001	3284
						N150	2,32	35,8	877	2877	2,66	41,1	979	3212
						N550	2,56	39,5	909	2982	2,84	43,8	1019	3343
6,5	100	SP	Lapua	57,0	2,244	N140	2,20	34,0	832	2730	2,46	38,0	914	2999
						N540	2,18	33,6	843	2766	2,55	39,4	946	3104
						N550	2,41	37,2	868	2848	2,75	42,4	968	3176

.243 Winchester

Test barrel: 580 mm (23"), 1 in 10" twist
 Primers: Large Rifle
 Cases: Lapua, trim-to length 51,80 mm (2.039")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]				
3,7	58	V-Max	Hornady	65,5	2,579	N135	2,31	35,6	1037	3402	2,55	39,3	1127	3698
						N140	2,53	39,0	1043	3422	2,80	43,2	1137	3730
						N540	2,45	37,8	1051	3448	2,87	44,3	1151	3776
5,0	77	HP	Lapua	67,0	2,638	N135	1,99	30,7	855	2805	2,32	35,8	968	3176
						N140	2,23	34,4	883	2897	2,54	39,2	992	3255
						N150	2,24	34,6	881	2890	2,58	39,8	995	3264
5,2	80	FMJ	Hornady	67,0	2,638	N140	2,04	31,5	831	2726	2,41	37,2	949	3114
						N150	2,06	31,8	840	2756	2,43	37,5	947	3107
						N550	2,42	37,3	895	2936	2,79	43,1	1002	3287
5,5	85	TSX	Barnes	67,0	2,638	N150	2,15	33,2	828	2717	2,55	39,4	949	3114
						N540	2,19	33,8	857	2812	2,56	39,5	981	3219
						N550	2,56	39,5	934	3064	2,72	42,0	992	3255
5,5	85	Partition	Nosler	68,0	2,677	N540	2,17	33,5	860	2822	2,50	38,6	971	3186
						N150	1,90	29,3	801	2628	2,28	35,2	922	3025
						N550	2,36	36,4	866	2841	2,71	41,8	977	3205
5,8	90	Naturalis	Lapua	67,0	2,638	N540	2,26	34,9	840	2756	2,53	39,0	945	3100
						N150	2,02	31,2	799	2621	2,39	36,9	903	2963
						N550	2,44	37,7	846	2776	2,72	42,0	952	3123
5,8	90	FMJ	Sierra	68,3	2,689	N540	2,17	33,5	842	2762	2,49	38,4	946	3104
						N150	1,98	30,6	805	2641	2,30	35,5	902	2959
						N550	2,31	35,6	848	2782	2,63	40,6	952	3123
5,8	90	Scenar	Lapua	68,3	2,689	N540	2,27	35,0	860	2822	2,54	39,2	962	3156
						N150	2,08	32,1	817	2680	2,44	37,7	914	2999
						N550	2,46	38,0	865	2838	2,68	41,4	967	3173
6,2	96	TOG	Brenneke	67,0	2,638	N540	2,15	33,2	820	2690	2,50	38,6	928	3045
						N550	2,46	38,0	843	2766	2,68	41,4	939	3081
						N160	2,60	40,1	824	2703	2,93	45,2	929	3048
6,5	100	Grand Slam	Speer	68,3	2,689	N540	1,97	30,4	770	2526	2,33	36,0	878	2881
						N150	1,86	28,7	722	2369	2,23	34,4	839	2753
						N550	2,21	34,1	787	2582	2,48	38,3	885	2904
						N160	2,23	34,4	769	2523	2,58	39,8	873	2864

.243 Winchester

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Bullet	Powder	Starting load	Maximum load
Weight [g]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]
6,8	105	Scenar ¹⁾	Lapua
		68,3	2,689
		N150	1,95
		N550	2,34
		N160	2,43
		N165	2,62

¹⁾ The test barrel rifle twist 1 in 8"

6 XC

Test barrel: 620 mm (24"), 1 in 8" twist

Primers: Large Rifle

Cases: Norma, trim-to length 48,20 mm (1.898")

Bullet	Powder	Starting load	Maximum load
Weight [g]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]
3,4	V-Max	Hornady	62,0
			2,441
			N135
4,5	Match King	Sierra	63,0
			2,480
			N150
5,0	77	HP	64,0
			2,520
			N540
5,8	90	Naturalis	63,8
			2,512
			N150
5,8	90	Scenar	69,0
			2,717
			N540
6,8	105	Scenar	69,0
			2,717
			N540

6 mm Remington

Test barrel: 660 mm (26"), 1 in 10" twist

Primers: Large Rifle

Cases: Remington, trim-to length 56,60 mm (2.228")

Bullet	Powder	Starting load	Maximum load
Weight [g]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]

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.240 Weatherby Magnum

Test barrel: 600 mm (23½"), 1 in 10" twist
 Primers: Large Rifle Magnum
 Cases: Norma, trim-to length 63,20 mm (2.488")

CAUTION: Loads less than the listed starting loads may cause excessive chamber pressure and must not be used!

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]
4,9	75	HP	Hornady	78,1	3.075	N150	2,94	45.4	995	3266	3,17	48.9	1076	3532
						N550	3,20	49.4	1028	3371	3,38	52.2	1111	3645
						N160	3,34	51.6	1010	3314	3,52	54.2	1094	3589
5,0	77	HP	Lapua	78,1	3.075	N150	2,97	45.8	990	3248	3,15	48.7	1055	3460
						N550	3,20	49.3	1014	3327	3,37	51.9	1095	3591
						N160	3,34	51.5	1005	3297	3,51	54.1	1084	3556
5,8	90	Scenar	Lapua	78,1	3.075	N550	2,98	46.0	939	3081	3,22	49.6	1013	3325
						N160	3,20	49.3	938	3077	3,41	52.6	1014	3327
						N165	3,47	53.6	949	3114	3,71	57.2	1031	3383
6,5	100	Mega	Lapua	78,1	3.075	N550	2,94	45.4	891	2923	3,16	48.7	966	3170
						N160	3,06	47.2	895	2936	3,26	50.3	956	3137
						N165	3,47	53.6	949	3114	3,62	55.8	989	3246
6,8	105	Spitzer	Speer	77,8	3.063	N160	2,83	43.6	852	2795	3,15	48.7	935	3068
						N560	3,23	49.8	887	2910	3,47	53.5	962	3157
						N165	3,33	51.3	895	2936	3,57	55.2	969	3180

.25-06 Remington

Test barrel: 580 mm (23"), 1 in 10" twist
 Primers: Large Rifle
 Cases: Remington, trim-to length 63,10 mm (2.484")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]
5,6	87	SPBT	Speer	79,3	3.122	N140	2,35	36.2	876	2873	2,74	42.3	961	3153
						N150	2,51	38.7	892	2925	2,91	44.9	980	3215
						N160	3,15	48.6	935	3069	3,55	54.8	1020	3346
						N165	3,52	54.3	960	3149	3,95	60.9	1049	3442
6,5	100	SPBT	Speer	81,2	3.197	N140	2,60	40.0	873	2864	2,78	42.9	924	3031
						N150	2,66	41.0	878	2881	2,86	44.1	930	3051
						N160	3,24	50.0	911	2990	3,38	52.2	966	3169
						N560	3,16	48.8	900	2954	3,59	55.4	990	3248
7,8	120	Spitzer	Speer	80,2	3.157	N150	1,95	30.1	692	2270	2,32	35.8	776	2546
						N160	2,50	38.6	759	2491	2,94	45.4	844	2769
						N560	2,81	43.3	798	2619	3,24	50.0	890	2920
						N165	2,69	41.5	777	2548	3,13	48.3	853	2799
7,8	120	HPBT	Sierra	80,0	3.155	N170	3,17	48.9	802	2630	3,59	55.4	873	2864
						N160	2,75	42.4	791	2597	3,09	47.7	871	2858
						N560	2,95	45.6	818	2685	3,33	51.4	903	2963
						N165	3,03	46.8	817	2681	3,38	52.2	889	2917
7,8	120	HPBT	Sierra	80,0	3.155	N170	3,35	51.7	817	2682	3,81	58.8	904	2966

6.5 mm Grendel

Test barrel: 610 mm (24"), 1 in 10" twist
 Primers: Small Rifle
 Cases: Lapua, trim-to length 38,50 mm (1.516")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]
6,5	100	FMJ	Lapua	53,0	2.087	N130	1,32	20,4	705	2313	1,54	23,8	784	2572
						N133	1,51	23,3	728	2388	1,72	26,5	811	2661
						N530	1,56	24,1	729	2392	1,79	27,6	829	2720
6,5	100	Scenar	Lapua	57,1	2.248	N130	1,40	21,6	674	2211	1,76	27,2	840	2756
						N530	1,60	24,7	729	2392	1,90	29,3	858	2815
						N133	1,57	24,2	728	2388	1,90	29,3	854	2802

6.5 mm Grendel

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Bullet	Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Starting load		Maximum load
											Weight [g]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]
7,0	108	Scenar	Lapua	57,1	2.248	N130	1,40	21,6	671	2201	1,69	26,1	791
						N530	1,44	22,2	690	2264	1,73	26,7	821
						N133	1,51	23,3	689	2260	1,80	27,8	804
7,8	120	TSX	Barnes	53,0	2.087	N530	1,34	20,7	592	1942	1,62	25,0	707
						N133	1,17	18,1	578	1896	1,58	24,4	678
						N540	1,58	24,4	631	2070	1,88		

6.5 x 47 Lapua				cont.		Maximum load										
Bullet				Powder		Starting load				Weight		Velocity				
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	[g]	[grs]	[m/s]	[fps]		
8,1	125	Partition	Nosler	65,0	2.559	N140	1,95	30.1	715	2346	2,35	36.3	820	2690		
						N150	2,01	31.0	727	2385	2,40	37.0	829	2720		
						N540	2,18	33.6	760	2493	2,44	37.7	858	2815		
8,4	130	TSX	Barnes	64,5	2.539	N150	1,81	27.9	597	1959	2,31	35.6	765	2510		
						N540	2,08	32.1	691	2267	2,42	37.3	819	2687		
						N550	2,23	34.4	694	2277	2,60	40.1	821	2694		
8,8	136	Scenar-L	Lapua	69,5	2.736	N140	1,80	27.8	731	2398	2,30	35.5	792	2598		
						N540	2,12	32.7	732	2402	2,39	36.9	829	2720		
						N150	2,03	31.3	699	2293	2,35	36.3	796	2612		
9,0	139	Scenar	Lapua	69,5	2.736	N140	2,00	30.9	702	2302	2,25	34.7	773	2536		
						N540	2,17	33.5	752	2468	2,42	37.4	836	2744		
						N150	2,10	32.4	727	2384	2,33	36.0	787	2582		
9,1	140	Naturalis	Lapua	66,0	2.598	N140	1,80	27.8	628	2060	2,11	32.6	738	2421		
						N150	1,77	27.3	625	2051	2,11	32.6	738	2421		
						N540	1,91	29.5	662	2172	2,21	34.1	774	2539		
10,1	156	Mega	Lapua	63,2	2.488	N150	1,78	27.5	598	1962	2,12	32.7	710	2329		
						N540	2,01	31.0	650	2133	2,26	34.9	753	2470		
						N550	2,12	32.7	696	2283	2,43	37.5	769	2523		

6.5 Creedmoor

Test barrel: 650 mm (25 1/2"), 1 in 9"

Primers: Small

Cases: Lapua, trim-to length 48.50 mm (1.909")

Bullet				Powder		Starting load				Maximum load				
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Weight [grs]	Velocity [fps]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Weight [grs]	Velocity [fps]		
					[in.]	[fps]								
6,5	100	Scenar	Lapua	68,0	2.677	N140	2,41	37,2	869	2851	2,74	42,3	906	2973
						N150	2,39	36,9	862	2828	2,73	42,1	892	2926
						N540	2,42	37,3	881	2890	2,74	42,3	912	2992
7,0	108	Scenar	Lapua	68,0	2.677	N150	2,18	33,6	816	2677	2,63	40,6	904	2966
						N540	2,31	35,6	843	2766	2,64	40,7	931	3054
						N550	2,48	38,3	845	2772	2,83	43,7	904	2966
7,8	120	Scenar-L	Lapua	68,0	2.677	N150	2,03	31,3	756	2480	2,47	38,1	865	2837
						N540	2,18	33,6	790	2592	2,52	38,9	877	2876
						N550	2,38	36,7	804	2638	2,73	42,1	898	2947
8,0	123	Scenar	Lapua	68,0	2.677	N150	2,22	34,3	769	2523	2,58	39,8	834	2736
						N540	2,31	35,6	799	2621	2,62	40,4	855	2805
						N550	2,46	38,0	802	2631	2,78	42,9	859	2818
8,4	130	Scirocco II	Swift	67,3	2.650	N160	2,50	38,6	790	2592	2,71	41,8	822	2697
						N550	2,32	35,8	753	2470	2,55	39,4	830	2723
						N150	1,70	26,2	616	2021	2,22	34,3	825	2706
8,4	130	TSX	Barnes	69,0	2.717	N150	1,94	29,9	679	2228	2,33	36,0	835	2741
						N540	2,03	31,3	695	2280	2,50	38,6	838	2750
						N550	2,08	32,1	724	2375	2,48	38,3	816	2677
8,8	136	Scenar-L	Lapua	68,0	2.677	N150	2,10	32,4	739	2425	2,44	37,7	837	2746
						N540	2,32	35,8	756	2480	2,66	41,1	841	2759
						N160	2,59	40,0	770	2526	2,98	46,0	810	2657
9,0	139	Scenar	Lapua	69,0	2.717	N150	1,90	29,3	690	2264	2,30	35,5	793	2602
						N540	2,00	30,9	713	2339	2,38	36,7	817	2680
						N550	2,20	34,0	735	2411	2,57	39,7	841	2759
						N160	2,14	33,0	700	2297	2,73	42,1	833	2733
9,1	140	Naturalis	Lapua	69,2	2.724	N150	1,67	25,8	605	1985	2,05	31,6	713	2339
						N540	1,88	29,0	671	2201	2,20	34,0	769	2523
						N550	1,98	30,6	678	2224	2,33	36,0	776	2546
9,1	140	Hybrid Target	Berger	69,0	2.717	N150	2,03	31,3	710	2329	2,29	35,3	778	2552
						N160	2,41	37,2	744	2441	2,71	41,8	813	2667
						N550	2,29	35,3	745	2444	2,53	39,0	816	2677

6.5 Creedmoor

Bullet					Powder	Starting load			Maximum load		
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]
9,1	140	AccuBond	Nosler	71,0	N560	2,66	41.1	758	2487	2,94	45.4
					N565	2,77	42.7	767	2516	3,05	47.1
					N150	1,87	28.9	664	2178	2,27	35.0
					N540	1,96	30.2	685	2247	2,30	35.5
					N550	2,08	32.1	697	2287	2,48	38.3
9,3	144	FMJBT	Lapua	69,0	N150	1,79	27.6	662	2172	2,29	35.3
					N540	1,85	28.5	674	2211	2,26	34.9
					N550	2,03	31.3	695	2280	2,44	37.7
10,1	156	Mega	Lapua	68,5	N150	1,71	26.4	603	1978	2,17	33.5
					N540	1,83	28.2	635	2083	2,20	34.0
					N550	1,99	30.7	656	2152	2,37	36.6
					N160	1,93	29.8	625	2051	2,48	38.3

.260 Remington

Test barrel: 475 mm (18¾"), 1 in 9" twist *Test barrel 600 mm (23½")

Primers: Large Rifle

Cases: Lapua .260 Remington, trim-to length 51,50mm (2.028")

Bullet					Powder		Starting load				Maximum load			
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]			
6,5	100	FMJ	Lapua	66,0	2.598	N140	2,08	32.1	765	2510	2,44	37.7	862	2828
						N540	2,32	35.8	797	2615	2,63	40.6	891	2923
						N150	2,12	32.7	769	2523	2,51	38.7	861	2825
6,5	100	HPFB	Sierra	67,5	2.657	N140	2,30	35.5	825	2708	2,59	39.9	906	2973
						N150	2,31	35.7	813	2669	2,61	40.3	892	2926
						N540	2,39	36.9	831	2725	2,67	41.2	912	2992
6,5	100	Scenar	Lapua	69,0	2.717	N140	2,33	36.0	816	2677	2,62	40.4	904	2966
						N540	2,49	38.4	823	2700	2,78	42.9	931	3054
						N150	2,43	37.5	819	2687	2,70	41.7	904	2966
7,0	108	Scenar	Lapua	71,0	2.795	N150	2,28	35.1	791	2594	2,54	39.1	865	2837
						N540	2,35	36.2	802	2631	2,58	39.9	877	2876
						N160	2,66	41.0	814	2670	2,92	45.0	898	2947
7,8*	120	Scenar-L	Lapua	71,0	2.795	N150	2,32	35.8	761	2497	2,55	39.4	834	2736
						N540	2,29	35.3	739	2425	2,58	39.8	855	2805
						N550	2,54	39.2	788	2585	2,73	42.1	859	2818
7,8	120	TTSX BT	Barnes	70,4	2.772	N160	2,71	41.8	771	2530	2,94	45.4	851	2792
						N140	2,13	32.9	710	2329	2,45	37.8	805	2641
						N540	2,21	34.1	749	2457	2,51	38.7	848	2782
7,8	120	BT Target	Berger	71,0	2.795	N150	1,91	29.5	672	2205	2,40	37.0	800	2625
						N150	2,19	33.8	765	2510	2,49	38.4	847	2779
						N540	2,29	35.3	792	2598	2,57	39.7	876	2874
7,8	120	SP	Speer	71,0	2.795	N550	2,52	38.9	801	2628	2,76	42.6	886	2907
						N160	2,73	42.1	810	2657	2,97	45.8	885	2904
						N540	2,22	34.2	749	2456	2,48	38.2	825	2706
7,8	120	TSX	Barnes	70,8	2.787	N550	2,36	36.5	765	2511	2,64	40.7	835	2741
						N160	2,47	38.2	755	2478	2,80	43.2	838	2750
						N150	2,15	33.2	733	2405	2,50	38.6	816	2677
8,0	123	Scenar	Lapua	71,0	2.795	N550	2,43	37.5	697	2287	2,69	41.5	837	2746
						N160	2,67	41.2	767	2516	2,89	44.6	841	2759
						N540	2,17	33.5	720	2362	2,44	37.7	810	2657
8,4*	130	Scirocco II	Swift	71,0	2.795	N550	2,26	34.9	717	2352	2,59	40.0	816	2677
						N160	2,32	35.8	702	2303	2,75	42.4	808	2651
						N140	2,06	31.8	719	2359	2,32	35.8	785	2575
8,5	130	VLD Target	Berger	71,0	2.795	N150	2,02	31.2	722	2369	2,34	36.1	795	2608
						N540	2,12	32.7	734	2408	2,45	37.8	819	2687
						N550	2,30	35.5	742	2434	2,60	40.1	828	2717
8,5	130	VLD Target	Berger	71,0	2.795	N560	2,74	42.3	762	2500	3,00	46.3	846	2776
						N140	2,11	32.6	739	2425	2,38	36.7	814	2671
						N150	2,09	32.3	741	2431	2,42	37.3	815	2674
8,5	130	VLD Target	Berger	71,0	2.795	N540	2,19	33.8	761	2497	2,48	38.3	843	2766
						N550	2,46	38.0	778	2552	2,69	41.5	856	2808

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Bullet				Powder	Starting load		Maximum load							
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]
8,5	130	Hybrid OTM	Berger	71,0	2.795	N150	2,17	33.5	746	2448	2,46	38.0	821	2694
		Tactical				N540	2,22	34.3	762	2500	2,51	38.7	844	2769
						N550	2,45	37.8	777	2549	2,70	41.7	855	2805
						N160	2,71	41.8	786	2579	2,97	45.8	862	2828
8,8	135	Classic Hunter	Berger	71,0	2.795	N150	2,09	32.3	721	2365	2,37	36.6	799	2621
						N540	2,13	32.9	736	2415	2,42	37.3	819	2687
						N550	2,42	37.3	758	2487	2,65	40.9	833	2733
						N160	2,59	40.0	757	2484	2,85	44.0	830	2723
						N560	2,79	43.1	768	2520	3,02	46.6	846	2776
8,8*	136	Scenar-L	Lapua	71,0	2.795	N550	2,47	38.1	755	2477	2,70	41.7	835	2740
						N160	2,71	41.8	758	2487	2,99	46.1	841	2759
						N560	2,82	43.5	762	2500	3,10	47.8	843	2766
9,0*	139	Scenar	Lapua	71,0	2.795	N550	2,40	37.0	756	2480	2,56	39.5	810	2657
						N160	2,60	40.1	756	2480	2,81	43.4	815	2674
						N560	2,72	42.0	750	2461	2,99	46.1	830	2723
9,1*	140	Accubond	Nosler	70,0	2.756	N550	2,34	36.1	720	2362	2,65	40.9	811	2661
						N160	2,43	37.5	714	2343	2,85C	44.0C	796	2612
						N560	2,56	39.5	736	2415	2,90C	44.8C	823	2700
9,1	140	Naturalis	Lapua	70,0	2.756	N150	1,90	29.3	667	2188	2,20	34.0	747	2451
		N563				N550	2,17	33.5	704	2310	2,49	38.4	793	2602
						N160	2,20	34.0	689	2260	2,62	40.4	787	2582
						N560	2,57	39.7	720	2362	2,92	45.1	817	2680
9,1	140	Elite Hunter	Berger	71,0	2.795	N150	2,05	31.6	702	2303	2,34	36.1	781	2562
						N160	2,53	39.0	736	2415	2,79	43.1	811	2661
						N550	2,35	36.3	738	2421	2,57	39.7	811	2661
						N560	2,75	42.4	753	2470	2,99	46.1	834	2736
						N565	2,81	43.4	757	2484	3,17	48.9	838	2749
9,1	140	A-Frame	Swift	71,0	2.795	N550	2,04	31.5	670	2198	2,42	37.3	764	2507
						N160	1,85	28.5	627	2057	2,48	38.3	752	2467
						N560	2,40	37.0	700	2297	2,84	43.8	799	2621
						N565	2,59	40.0	724	2375	2,92	45.1	801	2628
9,1	140	VLD Target	Berger	71,0	2.795	N150	2,11	32.6	712	2336	2,37	36.6	783	2569
						N540	2,12	32.7	724	2375	2,44	37.7	806	2644
						N550	2,39	36.9	744	2441	2,60	40.1	814	2671
						N160	2,61	40.3	751	2464	2,87	44.3	824	2703
						N560	2,72	42.0	750	2461	2,99	46.1	833	2733
						N565	2,82	43.5	756	2480	3,13	48.3	833	2733
9,3	144	FMJBT	Lapua	71,0	2.795	N550	2,15	33.2	677	2221	2,49	38.4	768	2520
						N160	2,33	36.0	680	2231	2,66	41.1	762	2500
						N560	2,56	39.5	786	2579	2,90	44.8	780	2559
						N565	2,70	41.7	736	2415	2,99	46.1	812	2664
10,1	155	Mega	Lapua	69,5	2.736	N160	2,14	33.0	651	2134	2,41	37.1	711	2332
						N560	2,37	36.6	651	2137	2,72	42.0	735	2412
						N165	2,52	38.8	673	2208	2,83	43.7	755	2478

C = Compressed load *Test barrel 600 mm (23½"), 1 in 9" twist

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Test barrel: 670 mm (26½"), 1 in 8½" twist

Primers: Large Rifle

Cases: Lapua, trim-to length 54,80 mm (2.157")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load		Maximum load							
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]
5,5	85	HP	Sierra	71,1	2.799	N150	2,88	44.5	937	3073	3,03	46.8	1013	3323
6,5	100	HP	Sierra	72,4	2.850	N140	2,62	40.4	860	2822	2,78	42.8	911	2990
						N540	2,65	40.9	858	2815	2,88	44.4	938	3078
						N150	2,69	41.5	860	2822	2,86	44.1	915	3003
						N550	2,82	43.5	884	2900	3,03	46.8	960	3150
						N160	3,13	48.3	878	2881	3,33	51.4	942	3090

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Bullet				Powder	Starting load		Maximum load							
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]
6,5	100	FMJ	Lapua	70,0	2.756	N530	2,34	36.1	880	2887	2,53	39.0	938	3077
						N135	2,21	34.1	802	2631	2,55A	39.3A	894	2933
						N140	2,38	36.7	810	2657	2,75	42.4	910	2986
						N540	2,71	41.8	910	2986	2,90	44.8	973	3192
						N150	2,45	37.8	823	2700	2,79	43.0	920	2690
						N160	3,08	47.5	862	2828	3,39	52.3	946	3104
6,5	100	Scenar	Lapua	75,0	2.953	N530	2,35	36.3	899	2949	2,54	39.2	951	3120
						N135	2,15	33.2	790	2592	2,44	37.6	889	2917
						N140	2,32	35.8	790	2592	2,64	40.7	915	3002
						N540	2,35	36.3	790	2592	2,70	41.7	924	3031
						N150	2,37	36.6	793	2602	2,69A	41.5A	870	2853
						N550	2,58	39.8	790	2592</				

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Bullet			Powder		Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]			
8,4	130	HPBT	Norma	80,0	3.150	N140	2,29	35.3	730	2395	2,64	40.7	812	2663
						N540	2,32	35.8	749	2457	2,57	39.6	820	2690
						N150	2,32	35.8	710	2329	2,60	40.1	808	2651
						N550	2,54	39.2	768	2520	2,84	43.8	852	2795
						N160	2,79	43.0	764	2507	3,06	47.3	840	2757
						N560	3,01	46.4	803	2635	3,25	50.2	878	2882
						N165	3,02	46.6	813	2667	3,20	49.4	861	2825
8,8	136	Scenar-L	Lapua	78,0	3.071	N540	2,39	36.9	785	2575	2,59	40.0	836	2743
						N150	2,29	35.3	753	2470	2,46	38.0	803	2635
						N550	2,57	39.7	800	2625	2,73	42.1	841	2759
						N160	2,73	42.1	778	2552	2,93	45.2	840	2756
						N560	2,90	44.8	802	2631	3,07	47.4	857	2812
						N165	3,02	46.6	813	2667	3,20	49.4	861	2825
						N150	2,28	35.2	704	2310	2,55	39.4	779	2555
9,0	139	HPBT	Norma	78,0	3.071	N550	2,50	38.6	743	2438	2,71	41.8	813	2667
						N160	2,73	42.1	738	2421	2,98	46.0	810	2656
						N560	2,88	44.4	753	2470	3,20	49.4	846	2777
						N165	3,00	46.3	765	2510	3,23	49.9	833	2732
						N150	2,12	32.7	706	2316	2,28	35.2	761	2497
						N550	2,37	36.6	737	2418	2,59	40.0	805	2641
						N160	2,40	37.0	732	2402	2,67	41.2	790	2592
9,0	139	Scenar SJ	Lapua	78,0	3.071	N560	2,73	42.1	736	2415	3,06	47.2	826	2710
						N165	2,86	44.1	766	2513	3,10	47.8	833	2733
						N150	2,25	34.7	729	2392	2,48	38.3	785	2575
						N550	2,37	36.6	712	2336	2,61A	40.3A	799	2622
						N160	2,54	39.2	748	2454	2,80	43.3	795	2610
						N560	2,73	42.1	736	2415	3,06	47.3	826	2711
						N165	2,94	45.4	788	2585	3,12	48.1	841	2759
9,1	140	Naturalis	Lapua	75,0	2.953	N540	2,25	34.7	742	2434	2,47	38.1	796	2612
						N150	2,03	31.3	695	2280	2,25	34.7	752	2467
						N550	2,34	36.1	741	2431	2,59	40.0	803	2635
						N160	2,32	35.8	723	2372	2,66	41.1	790	2592
						N560	2,71	41.8	763	2503	2,96	45.7	824	2703
						N165	2,55	39.4	751	2464	3,00	46.3	813	2667
						N150	2,35	36.3	703	2306	2,54	39.1	765	2511
9,1	140	HPBT	Sierra	79,0	3.110	N550	2,58	39.8	749	2457	2,73	42.1	806	2644
						N160	2,81	43.4	759	2490	3,03	46.7	819	2687
						N560	2,93	45.2	779	2556	3,13	48.3	844	2770
						N165	3,00	46.3	766	2513	3,24	50.0	834	2735
						N150	2,10	32.4	692	2270	2,33	36.0	752	2467
						N160	2,44	37.7	715	2346	2,69	41.5	772	2533
						N165	2,85	44.0	754	2474	3,06	47.2	810	2657
9,1	140	Hybrid Target	Berger	80,0	3.150	N550	2,40	37.0	729	2392	2,64	40.7	796	2612
						N160	2,84	43.8	761	2497	3,07	47.4	826	2710
						N560	2,93	45.2	773	2536	3,14	48.5	830	2723
						N165	1,65	25.5	585	1919	1,96	30.2	663	2175
						N160	1,57	24.2	560	1837	2,02	31.2	659	2162
						N560	2,25	34.7	668	2192	2,79	43.1	769	2523
						N165	2,58	39.8	716	2349	2,87	44.3	775	2543
9,3	144	FMJBT	Lapua	79,0	3.110	N150	2,04	31.5	659	2163	2,40	37.0	768	2520
						N160	2,64	40.7	717	2352	2,85	44.0	816	2677
						N560	2,91	44.8	756	2479	3,15	48.6	850	2789
						N165	2,70	41.7	720	2362	3,18	49.1	837	2746
						N170	3,08	47.5	715	2346	3,41C	52.6C	815	2674
						N570	3,11	48.0	750	2461	3,22F	49.7F	785	2575
						N160	2,64	40.7	698	2290	2,97	45.9	769	2522

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Bullet			Powder		Starting load			Maximum load			
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]
10,1	156	Mega	Lapua	73,0	2.874	N560	2,66	41.0	702</		

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Bullet	8,0 g / 123 gr		Lapua GB489 Scenar				C.O.L. 78 mm / 3.071 inch									
Powder	Starting load								Maximum load							
Type	Weight [g]	Velocity, barrel length [mm] 670 [m/s]	700 [m/s]	740 [m/s]	Weight [g]	Velocity, barrel length [mm] 670 [m/s]	700 [m/s]	740 [m/s]	Weight [g]	Velocity, barrel length [mm] 670 [m/s]	700 [m/s]	740 [m/s]				
N140	2,20	34,0	750	2462	755	2477	761	2497	2,55	39,4	833	2734	838	2750	845	2772
N540	2,47	38,1	788	2586	795	2607	803	2635	2,79	43,1	881	2892	889	2915	898	2946
N150	2,24	34,6	741	2432	748	2454	757	2484	2,60	40,1	830	2724	838	2749	848	2782
N550	2,67	41,2	805	2641	816	2676	830	2723	2,94	45,4	883	2895	894	2934	910	2986
N160	2,71	41,8	763	2502	779	2557	802	2631	3,02	46,6	845	2773	864	2835	889	2917
N560	3,04	46,9	801	2628	814	2669	830	2723	3,27	50,5	888	2913	902	2958	920	3018

Bullet	8,8 g / 136 gr		Lapua GB546 Scenar-L				C.O.L. 78 mm / 3.071 inch									
Powder	Starting load								Maximum load							
Type	Weight [g]	Velocity, barrel length [mm] 670 [m/s]	700 [m/s]	740 [m/s]	Weight [g]	Velocity, barrel length [mm] 670 [m/s]	700 [m/s]	740 [m/s]	Weight [g]	Velocity, barrel length [mm] 670 [m/s]	700 [m/s]	740 [m/s]				
N540	2,39	36,9	736	2415	742	2434	749	2457	2,72	42,0	841	2759	846	2776	852	2795
N150	2,29	35,3	711	2333	718	2356	726	2382	2,58	39,8	821	2694	824	2703	830	2723
N550	2,57	39,7	757	2484	763	2503	769	2523	2,80	43,2	856	2808	862	2828	870	2854
N160	2,73	42,1	741	2431	748	2454	755	2477	3,05	47,1	852	2795	857	2812	865	2838
N560	2,9	44,8	786	2579	794	2605	801	2628	3,20	49,4	884	2900	892	2927	901	2956
N165	3,02	46,6	779	2556	787	2582	795	2608	3,30C	50,9C	868	2848	876	2874	885	2904

Bullet	9,0 g / 139 gr		Lapua GB458 Scenar				C.O.L. 78 mm / 3.071 inch									
Powder	Starting load								Maximum load							
Type	Weight [g]	Velocity, barrel length [mm] 670 [m/s]	700 [m/s]	740 [m/s]	Weight [g]	Velocity, barrel length [mm] 670 [m/s]	700 [m/s]	740 [m/s]	Weight [g]	Velocity, barrel length [mm] 670 [m/s]	700 [m/s]	740 [m/s]				
N150	2,12	32,7	696	2284	699	2295	704	2310	2,40	37,0	781	2563	785	2575	790	2592
N550	2,37	36,6	738	2421	743	2438	750	2461	2,72	42,0	825	2705	830	2724	838	2749
N160	2,41	37,2	723	2373	730	2395	735	2411	2,84	43,8	817	2679	824	2704	830	2723
N560	2,87	44,3	771	2529	776	2546	783	2569	3,18	49,1	866	2842	872	2862	880	2887
N165	2,86	44,1	758	2488	765	2508	773	2536	3,25	50,2	847	2777	854	2801	863	2831

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Test barrel: 660 mm (26"), 1 in 9" twist

Primers: Large Rifle

Cases: Lapua, trim-to length 54,90 mm (2.161")

Bullet			Powder	Starting load				Maximum load						
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]			
6,5	100	FMJ	Lapua	70,0	2,756	N150	2,71	41,8	872	2861	3,22	49,7	973	3192
						N550	3,09	47,7	895	2936	3,48	53,7	1019	3343
						N160	3,08	47,5	855	2805	3,77	58,2	1002	3287
6,5	100	Scenar	Lapua	75,0	2,953	N150	2,79	43,1	910	2986	3,23	49,8	999	3278
						N550	3,08	47,5	892	2927	3,48	53,7	1019	3343
						N160	3,10	47,8	865	2838	3,77	58,2	1004	3294
7,0	108	Scenar	Lapua	79,0	3,110	N550	2,97	45,8	920	3018	3,39	52,3	1027	3368
						N160	3,08	47,5	906	2972	3,49	53,9	1008	3308
						N560	3,47	53,5	927	3041	3,81	58,9	1031	3384
						N165	3,52	54,3	922	3025	4,04	62,4	1042	3419
8,0	123	Scenar	Lapua	79,0	3,110	N160	2,59	40,0	795	2608	3,29	50,8	925	3035
						N165	3,03	46,8	830	2723	3,65	56,4	947	3106
						N560	3,28	50,6	867	2844	3,65	56,3	963	3158
7,8	120	Scenar-L	Lapua	79,0	3,110	N550	2,83	43,7	822	2697	3,26	50,3	940	3084
						N160	2,86	44,1	801	2628	3,53	54,5	930	3051
						N560	3,32	51,2	831	2726	3,73	57,6	956	3136
						N165	3,40	52,5	834	2736	3,80	58,6	942	3091

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Bullet			Powder	Starting load				Maximum load						
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]			
8,8	136	Scenar-L	Lapua	79,0	3,110	N550	2,75	42,4	770	2526	3,13	48,3	879	2884
						N160	2,83	43,7	754	2474	3,38	52,2	868	2848
						N560	3,22	49,7	795	2608	3,62	55,9	935	3068
9,0	139	Scenar	Lapua	79,0	3,110	N1								

.270 Winchester

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Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	
9,1	140	A-Frame	Swift	82,0	3.228	N550	2,63	40.6	758	2487	3,08	47.5	859	2818
						N560	3,12	48.1	789	2589	3,60	55.6	888	2913
						N165	3,05	47.1	790	2592	3,59	55.4	867	2844
9,1	140	TSX	Barnes	81,5	3.209	N550	2,44	37.7	737	2418	3,01	46.5	860	2822
						N560	3,12	48.1	798	2618	3,48	53.7	882	2894
						N165	2,90	44.8	772	2533	3,42	52.8	862	2828
9,7	150	Ballistic Tip	Nosler	83,5	3.287	N160	2,92	45.1	730	2395	3,39	52.3	842	2762
						N560	3,13	48.3	742	2434	3,66	56.5	870	2854
						N165	3,10	47.8	734	2408	3,74	57.7	870	2854
9,7	150	TSX	Barnes	82,0	3.228	N550	2,44	37.7	712	2336	2,93	45.2	821	2694
						N560	2,90	44.8	746	2448	3,36	51.9	847	2779
						N165	2,71	41.8	713	2339	3,27	50.5	819	2687
10,4	160	Partition	Nosler	84,6	3.331	N160	2,50	38.6	699	2293	2,89	44.6	781	2562
						N165	2,88	44.4	735	2411	3,31	51.1	811	2661
						N560	3,01	46.5	745	2444	3,42	52.8	847	2779

C = Compressed load

.270 Weatherby Magnum

Test barrel: 650 mm (25½"), 1 in 12 twist

Primers: Large Rifle Magnum

Cases: Remington, trim-to length 64,30 mm (2.531")

CAUTION: Loads less than the listed starting loads may cause excessive chamber pressure and must not be used!

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	
6,5	100	PSP	Remington	79,0	3.110	N550	4,33	66.8	1037	3401	4,64	71.7	1117	3666
						N160	4,60	71.0	1043	3421	4,85	74.9	1108	3634
						N165	5,08	78.4	1045	3428	5,38	83.0	1115	3658
8,5	130	PSPCL	Remington	82,2	3.236	N160	4,31	66.5	939	3080	4,61	71.1	1001	3284
						N165	4,62	71.3	931	3055	4,93	76.0	997	3270
						N560	4,71	72.7	947	3108	4,98	76.9	1004	3294
8,7	135	HPBT	Sierra	83,0	3.268	N160	4,21	65.0	903	2964	4,43	68.3	965	3167
						N165	4,55	70.2	923	3029	4,70	72.5	989	3244
						N560	4,61	71.2	956	3137	4,81	74.2	1013	3323
9,7	150	Partition	Nosler	82,5	3.248	N165	4,34	67.0	877	2876	4,68	72.2	936	3072
						N560	4,38	67.6	900	2954	4,60	71.0	955	3134
						N170	4,76	73.4	886	2906	5,11	78.8	955	3134

7 mm-08 Remington

Test barrel: 610 mm (24"), 1 in 9½" twist

Primers: Large Rifle

Cases: Lapua, 308 Win. necked down, trim-to length 51,5 mm (2.028")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	
7,8	120	SP	Sierra	69,5	2.736	N135	2,33	36.0	822	2697	2,66	41.1	915	3002
						N140	2,64	40.7	865	2838	2,90	44.8	934	3064
						N150	2,71	41.8	861	2825	2,97	45.8	936	3071
8,4	130	HPBT	Sierra	70,6	2.780	N135	2,30	35.5	796	2612	2,48	38.3	855	2805
						N140	2,49	38.4	812	2664	2,71	41.8	882	2894
						N150	2,62	40.4	825	2707	2,85	44.0	899	2949
9,1	140	Ballistic Tip	Nosler	69,6	2.740	N135	2,21	34.1	759	2490	2,42	37.3	826	2710
						N140	2,40	37.0	773	2536	2,66	41.1	852	2795
						N150	2,55	39.4	791	2595	2,79	43.1	861	2825
9,7	150	Scenar-L	Lapua	71,0	2.795	N140	2,22	34.3	723	2372	2,44	37.7	792	2598
						N540	2,31	35.6	750	2461	2,54	39.2	823	2700

7 mm-08 Remington

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Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	
9,7	150	TSX	Barnes	69,5	2.736	N150	2,23	34.4	731	2398	2,47	38.1	794	2605
						N540	2,44	37.7	746	2448	2,71	41.8	833	2733
						N160	2,85	44.0	755	2477	3,05	47.1	807	2648
9,7	150	MatchKing												

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Bullet				Powder	Starting load		Maximum load	
Weight [g] [grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm] [in.]	Type	Weight [g] [grs]	Velocity [m/s] [fps]	Weight [g] [grs]	Velocity [m/s] [fps]
9,1	140	Ballistic Tip	Nosler	77,5 3.051	N140 2,47 38.1 707 2320 2,74 42.2 777 2549			
				N150 2,53 39.0 718 2354 2,81 43.4 787 2581				
9,7	150	TSX	Barnes	76,5 3.012	N150 2,23 34.4 663 2175 2,51 38.7 729 2392			
				N540 2,38 36.7 696 2283 2,58 39.8 759 2490				
9,7	150	TOG	Brenneke	76,5 3.012	N150 2,32 35.8 685 2247 2,57 39.7 738 2421			
				N540 2,33 36.0 700 2297 2,67 41.2 718 2356				
				N550 2,67 41.2 718 2372 3,19 46.1 723 2356				
9,7	150	ScenarL	Lapua	76,5 3.012	N150 2,33 36.0 707 2320 2,57 39.7 768 2520			
				N540 2,40 37.0 727 2385 2,58 39.8 780 2559				
				N550 2,50 38.6 725 2379 2,70 41.7 782 2566				
				N160 2,84 43.8 741 2431 3,06 47.2 798 2618				
10,4	160	Naturalis	Lapua	75,0 2.953	N140 2,17 33.5 643 2110 2,41 37.2 701 2300			
				N150 2,08 32.1 603 1978 2,47 38.1 702 2303				
				N540 2,26 34.9 645 2116 2,53 39.0 715 2346				
10,4	160	SPBT	Sierra	77,5 3.051	N150 2,39 36.8 662 2171 2,66 41.0 731 2397			
				N160 2,93 45.2 693 2272 3,19 49.3 774 2539				
11,3	174	TSX	Barnes	76,5 3.012	N550 2,26 34.9 602 1975 2,52 38.9 676 2218			
				N160 2,47 38.1 603 1978 2,80 43.2 672 2205				
				N560 2,80 43.2 636 2087 3,14 48.5 711 2333				
11,3	175	Mag-Tip	Speer	77,0 3.031	N160 2,63 40.6 629 2065 2,95 45.4 701 2298			
				N165 2,78 42.8 631 2072 3,17 48.9 711 2333				

7 x 64

Test barrel: 600 mm (23½"), 1 in 10" twist

Primers: Large Rifle

Cases: Lapua, trim-to length 63,80 mm (2.512")

7 x 64

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Bullet				Powder	Starting load		Maximum load	
Weight [g] [grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm] [in.]	Type	Weight [g] [grs]	Velocity [m/s] [fps]	Weight [g] [grs]	Velocity [m/s] [fps]
10,4	160	Accubond	Nosler	84,0 3.307	N150 2,56 39.5 731 2398 2,99 46.1 810 2657			
				N540 2,64 40.7 746 2448 3,04 46.9 835 2740				
				N550 2,92 45.1 759 2490 3,20 49.4 839 2753				
11,3	174	TSX	Barnes	81,3 3.201	N160 3,27 50.5 767 2516 3,60C 55.6C 854 2802			
				N540 2,44 37.7 655 2149 2,95 45.5 765 2510				
				N550 2,78 42.9 675 2215 3,24 50.0 784 2572				
11,3	174	Game King	Sierra	84,0 3.307	N160 3,04 46.9 676 2218 3,47 53.6 781 2562			
				N560 3,12 48.1 737 2418 3,41 52.6 812 2664				
				N165 3,31 51.1 750 2461 3,70 57.1 837 2746				
11,5	177	TIG	Brenneke	82,3 3.240	N165 3,40 52.5 752 2467 3,75C 57.9C 823 2700			
				N550 2,53 39.0 687 2254 2,92 45.1 774 2539				
				N160 2,81 43.4 701 2300 3,11 48.0 783 2569				
				N560 3,06 47.2 703 2306 3,46 53.4 791 2595				
11,7	181	Scenar-L	Lapua	84 3.307	N165 3,43 52.9 724 2375 3,80C 58.6C 815 2674			
				N550 2,57 39.7 702 2303 2,86 44.1 781 2562				
				N160 3,04 46.9 716 2349 3,40 52.5 799 2621				
				N560 3,20 49.4 701 2300 3,66 56.5 821 2694				
				N165 3,41 52.6 743 2438 3,60 55.6 789 2589				

C = Compressed load

7 x 65R

Test barrel: 660 mm (26"), 1 in 9" twist

Primers: Large Rifle

Cases: Lapua, trim-to length 64,80 mm (2.551")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load		Maximum load	
Weight [g] [grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm] [in.]	Type	Weight [g] [grs]	Velocity [m/s] [fps]	Weight [g] [grs]	Velocity [m/s] [fps]
7,8	120	Ballistic Tip	Nosler	82,0 3.228	N150 2,94 45.4 863 2831 3,24 50.0 946 3104			
				N540 3,03 46.8 888 2913 3,34 51.5 982 3222				
				N550 3,16 48.8 884 2900 3,55 54.8 983 3225				
9,1	140	A-Frame	Swift	81,4 3.205	N160 3,52 54.3 892 2927 3,70C 57.1C 930 3051			
				N560 3,21 51.1 797 2615 3,60 55.6 889 2917				
				N160 3,31 51.1 797 2615 3,60 55.6 889 2917				
9,7	150	TSX	Barnes	83,8 3.299	N560 3,56 54.9 811 2661 3,88 59.9 909 2982			
				N160 3,19 49.2 760 2493 3,61 55.7 861 2825				
				N560 3,52 54.3 787 2582 3,91 60.3 892 2927				
9,7	150	Partition	Nosler	83,8 3.299	N160 2,66 41.1 758 2487 3,09 47.7 843 2766			
				N540 2,68 41.4 774 2539 3,14 48.5 871 2858				
				N550 3,04 46.9 795 2608 3,33 51.4 871 2858				
				N160 3,30 50.9 790 2592 3,59 55.4 874 2867				
				N560 3,43 52.9 800 2625 3,76 58.0 888 2913				
9,7	150	Scenar-L	Lapua	84,0 3.307	N160 3,32 49.7 794 2605 3,57 55.1 881 2890			
				N560 3,33 51.4 796 2612 3,65 56.3 884 2900				
10,1	156	Naturalis	Lapua	83,0 3.268	N160 2,60 40.1 736 2415 2,96 45.7 816 2677			
				N550 2,81 43.4 750 2461 3,16 48.8 840 2756				
				N160 3,19 49.2 764 2507 3,52 54.3 837 2746				
				N560 3,33 51.4 747 2451 3,71 57.3 866 2841				

Bullet				Powder	Starting load		Maximum load	
Weight [g] [grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm] [in.]	Type	Weight [g] [grs]	Velocity [m/s] [fps]	Weight [g] [grs]	Velocity [m/s] [fps]
7,8	120	Ballistic Tip	Nosler	83,5 3.287	N150 2,89 44.6 852 2795 3,15 48.6 931 3054			
				N540 3,01 46.5 886 2907 3,27 50.5 966 3169				
				N550 3,18 49.1 883 2897 3,42 52.8 964 3163				
9,1	140	A-Frame	Swift	82,3 3.240	N160 3,50 54.0 885 2904 3,72 57.4 958 3143			
				N560 2,76 42.6 787 2582 3,12 48.1 872 2861				
				N160 3,01 46.5 79				

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Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	
11,4	175	TSX	Barnes	82,3	3.240	N540	2,53	39.0	658	2159	2,80	43.2	740	2428
						N550	2,74	42.3	672	2205	3,02	46.6	751	2464
						N160	2,86	44.1	656	2152	3,28	50.6	747	2451
						N560	3,33	51.4	714	2343	3,67	56.6	800	2625
						N550	2,84	43.8	729	2392	3,07	47.4	796	2612
						N160	3,13	48.3	734	2408	3,33	51.4	796	2612
11,3	174	GameKing	Sierra	83,5	3.287	N540	2,37	36.6	682	2238	2,88	44.4	783	2569
						N550	2,84	43.8	729	2392	3,07	47.4	796	2612
						N160	3,13	48.3	734	2408	3,33	51.4	796	2612
						N560	3,33	51.4	748	2454	3,59	55.4	822	2697
						N165	3,45	53.2	762	2500	3,74	57.7	828	2717
						N165	3,44	53.1	732	2402	3,72	57.4	800	2625
11,5	177	TIG	Brenneke	83,5	3.287	N160	3,05	47.1	700	2297	3,37	52.0	773	2536
						N560	3,35	51.7	730	2395	3,66	56.5	806	2644
						N165	3,44	53.1	732	2402	3,72	57.4	800	2625
						N550	2,73	42.1	715	2346	2,97	45.8	776	2546
						N160	3,06	47.2	722	2369	3,30	50.9	786	2579
						N560	3,31	51.1	741	2431	3,58	55.2	810	2657
11,7	181	Scenar-L	Lapua	83,6	3.291	N540	2,61	40.3	711	2333	2,82	43.5	772	2533
						N550	2,73	42.1	715	2346	2,97	45.8	776	2546
						N160	3,06	47.2	722	2369	3,30	50.9	786	2579
						N560	3,31	51.1	741	2431	3,58	55.2	810	2657
						N165	3,41	52.6	752	2467	3,68	56.8	815	2674

7 mm WSM

Test barrel: 660 mm (26"), 1 in 9.5" twist

Primers: Large Rifle Magnum

Cases: Winchester, trim-to length 53,15 mm (2.093")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	
7,1	110	TNT HP	Speer	71,7	2.823	N150	3,44	53.1	965	3166	3,95	61.0	1062	3484
						N550	3,88	59.9	987	3238	4,24	65.4	1086	3563
						N160	4,19	64.7	986	3235	4,62	71.3	1069	3507
						N160	3,46	53.4	855	2805	4,00	61.7	957	3140
						N165	4,06	62.7	885	2904	4,50	69.4	970	3182
						N560	3,80	58.6	876	2874	4,34	67.0	979	3212
10,0	154	Interbond	Hornady	71,9	2.831	N160	3,39	52.3	819	2687	3,92	60.5	912	2992
						N165	3,88	59.9	842	2762	4,51	69.6	941	3087
						N560	3,70	57.1	841	2759	4,25	65.6	946	3104
						N160	3,38	52.2	796	2612	3,93	60.6	892	2927
						N165	3,91	60.3	834	2736	4,31	66.5	914	2999
						N560	3,70	57.1	827	2713	4,15	64.0	922	3025
10,4	160	Naturalis	Lapua	71,4	2.811	N160	2,93	45.2	782	2566	3,56	54.9	843	2766
						N165	3,34	51.5	763	2503	3,90	60.2	859	2818
						N560	3,38	52.2	779	2556	3,85	59.4	878	2881

7 mm Remington Magnum

Test barrel: 610 mm (24"), 1 in 9" twist

Primers: Large Rifle Magnum

Cases: Lapua, trim-to length 63,30 mm (2.492")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	
9,1	140	A-Frame	Swift	83,0	3.268	N160	3,45	53.2	828	2717	4,03	62.2	935	3068
						N165	3,88	59.9	863	2831	4,37	67.4	955	3133
						N560	3,84	59.3	852	2795	4,36	67.3	966	3169
						N160	3,27	50.5	794	2605	3,87	59.7	893	2930
						N560	3,86	59.6	847	2779	4,32	66.7	951	3120
						N165	3,72	57.4	820	2690	4,28	66.1	925	3035
9,7	150	Partition	Nosler	83,5	3.287	N160	3,53	54.5	824	2703	3,94	60.8	912	2992
						N560	3,89	60.0	851	2792	4,35	67.1	948	3110
						N165	3,82	59.0	847	2779	4,32	66.7	931	3054
						N160	2,99	46.1	716	2349	3,42	52.8	806	2644

LIGHT GREY TEXT BOX INDICATES MAXIMUM LOAD - USE WITH CAUTION!

LOADS LESS THAN MINIMUM CHARGES SHOWN ARE NOT RECOMMENDED

7 mm Remington Magnum

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Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]
10,4	160	Naturalis	Lapua	91,0	3.583	N560	3,30	50.9	751	2464	4,54	70.1	904	2966
						N170	3,64	56.2	758	2487	4,72	72.8	890	2920
						N570	3,55	54.8	792	2598	4,95	76.4	934	3064
10,9	168	Match King	Sierra	91,5	3.602	N560	5,07	78.2	897	2943	5,51	85.0	978	3209
						N170	5,61	86.6	918	3012	5,96	92.0	997	3271
						N570	5,59	86.3	912	2992	6,07	93.7	1003	3291
11,3	175	A-Frame	Swift	91,5	3.602	N560	4,82	74.4	853	2799	5,27	81.3	935	3068
						N170	5,26	81.2	880	2887	5,51	85.0	914	2999
						N570	5,31	81.9	873	2864	5,82	89.8	955	3133

.30 Carbine

Test barrel: 460 mm (18"), 1 in 10" twist

Primers: Small Rifle

Cases: Federal, trim-to length 32,60 mm (1.283")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]
6,5	100	Plinker	Speer	42,5	1.673	N110	0,88	13.6	610	2001	0,97	15.0	669	2196
7,1	110	Spire Point	Speer	42,5	1.673	N110	0,79	12.1	545	1786	0,91	14.0	605	1983

.300 AAC Blackout

Test barrel: 356 mm (14"), 1 in 8" twist

Primers: Small Rifle

Cases: Lapua 221 Rem. Fireball, trim-to length 34,60 mm (1.362")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]
6,5	100	HPCE	Lapua	46,5	1.831	N105	0,67	10.3	569	1867	0,84	13.0	643	2110
						N110	0,93	14.4	633	2077	1,10	17.0	688	2257
8,0	123	FMJ	Lapua	50,2	1.976	N105	0,67	10.3	480	1575	0,77	11.9	541	1775
						N110	0,94	14.5	566	1857	1,03	15.9	607	1991
8,1	125	Accubond	Nosler	51,4	2.024	N105	0,66	10.2	518	1699	0,77	11.9	577	1893
						N110	0,89	13.7	580	1903	0,99	15.3	617	2024
8,1	125	Match King	Sierra	56,1	2.209	N105	0,66	10.2	531	1742	0,76	11.7	552	1811
						N110	0,92	14.2	568	1864	1,02	15.7	613	2011
9,7	150	Lock Base	Lapua	57,0	2.244	N120	0,60	9.3	317	1040	1,27	19.6	615	2018
10,0	155	Scenar	Lapua	57,0	2.244	N120	0,62	9.6	316	1037	1,19	18.4	588	1929
10,9	167	Scenar	Lapua	57,0	2.244	N120	0,61	9,4	313	1027	1,17	18.1	561	1841
12,0	185	Scenar	Lapua	57,0	2.244	N120	0,66	10.2	318	1043	1,09	16.8	522	1713
13,0	200	FMJBT	Lapua	57,0	2.244	N110	0,54	8.3	319	1047	0,79	12.2	436	1430
						N120	0,66	10.2	316	1037	1,02	15.7	459	1506

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Test barrel: 510 mm (20"), 1 in 12" twist

Primers: Large Rifle

Cases: Remington, trim-to length 51,60 mm (2.031")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]
6,8	105	HP	Lapua	64,5	2.539	N120	1,48	22.8	692	2271	1,73	26.8	781	2562
						N130	1,70	26.3	710	2329	1,95	30.1	800	2623
8,5	130	FSP	Speer	64,7	2.547	N120	1,41	21.7	617	2024	1,67	25.8	705	2314
						N130	1,59	24.5	641	2103	1,84	28.4	728	2389
						N133	1,71	26.4	653	2143	1,97	30.4	741	2432
						N135	1,80	27.7	649	2129	2,08	32.0	737	2419
9,7	150	FSP	Speer	64,5	2.539	N120	1,23	19.1	519	1701	1,46	22.5	593	1946
						N130	1,43	22.1	558	1831	1,65	25.4	631	2070
						N133	1,48	22.8	560	1839	1,72	26.5	636	2086
						N135	1,71	26.4	587	1927	1,93	29.7	660	2165

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Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]
11,0	170	FSP	Speer	64,5	2.539	N140	1,85	28.5	596	1956	2,06	31.8	672	2203
						N130	1,34	20.7	516	1692	1,60	24.7	598	1962
						N133	1,42	21.9	511	1678	1,67	25.8	589	1931
						N135	1,58	24.4	536	1759	1,80	27.7	604	1981
						N140	1,66	25.5	533	1747	1,89	29.2	610	2002

.300 Savage

Test barrel: 600 mm (23½") 1 in 12" twist

Primers: Large Rifle

Cases: Remington, trim-to length 47,30 mm (1.862")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]

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Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]				
8,5	130	HP	Lapua	68,0	2.677	N135	2,58	39,7	782	2567	3,02	46,7	907	2975
						N140	2,75	42,4	786	2579	3,15	48,7	903	2963
9,1	140	Hunting Tactic	LOS	70,5	2.776	N135	2,55	39,4	812	2664	2,78	42,9	882	2894
						N140	2,70	41,7	809	2654	2,96	45,7	882	2894
						N540	2,72	42,0	816	2677	2,97	45,8	897	2943
9,7	150	GMX	Hornady	71,0	2.795	N135	2,35	36,3	719	2359	2,57	39,7	795	2608
						N140	2,53	39,0	735	2411	2,79	43,1	810	2657
						N150	2,55	39,4	736	2415	2,82	43,5	811	2661
						N540	2,60	40,1	744	2441	2,83	43,7	827	2713
9,7	150	Tactic	LOS	70,6	2.780	N135	2,46	38,0	782	2566	2,68	41,4	843	2766
						N530	2,38	36,7	773	2536	2,64	40,7	853	2799
						N140	2,64	40,7	780	2559	2,95	45,5	855	2805
						N540	2,67	41,2	789	2589	2,95	45,5	873	2864
9,7	150	Weldcore PP	Woodleigh	71,0	2.795	N135	2,42	37,3	751	2464	2,68	41,4	817	2680
						N140	2,53	39,0	745	2444	2,87	44,3	822	2697
						N540	2,63	40,6	768	2520	2,93	45,2	854	2802
9,7	150	Mega	Lapua	65,2	2.567	N135	2,35	36,3	747	2451	2,68	41,4	842	2762
						N140	2,35	36,3	715	2346	2,95	45,5	824	2703
						N540	2,64	40,7	726	2382	2,97	45,8	833	2733
9,7	150	SPBT	Sierra	70,0	2.756	N133	2,27	35,0	729	2391	2,86	44,1	863	2831
						N135	2,56	39,5	764	2505	2,96	45,7	871	2857
						N140	2,71	41,8	767	2516	3,05	47,1	858	2815
						N150	2,82	43,6	776	2545	3,23	49,9	878	2880
9,7	150	Lock Base	Lapua	70,0	2.756	N530	2,45	37,8	794	2605	2,76	42,6	892	2927
						N135	2,56	39,5	810	2657	2,83	43,7	885	2904
						N140	2,75	42,4	800	2625	2,90F	44,7F	853	2799
						N540	2,78	42,9	807	2648	3,00	46,3	901	2956
						N150	2,80	43,2	803	2635	2,93F	45,2F	835	2740
9,7	150	HPBT	Sierra	71,0	2.795	N140	2,62	40,4	752	2467	3,06	47,3	869	2851
						N540	2,71	41,8	758	2487	3,13	48,3	901	2956
						N150	2,74	42,2	776	2545	3,14C	48,4C	874	2869
						N550	2,88	44,5	772	2534	3,26F	50,3F	870	2855
10,0	154	TAG	Brenneke	69,6	2.740	N140	2,66	41,1	765	2510	2,94	45,4	845	2772
						N150	2,74	42,3	772	2533	3,00	46,3	848	2782
						N540	2,69	41,5	776	2546	2,99	46,1	871	2858
10,0	155	Hunting	LOS	69,9	2.752	N140	2,62	40,4	766	2513	2,88	44,4	836	2743
						N150	2,68	41,4	776	2546	2,94	45,4	846	2776
						N540	2,66	41,1	779	2556	2,90	44,8	855	2805
10,0	155	Hybrid Target	Berger	71,0	2.795	N135	2,41	37,2	750	2461	2,61	40,3	812	2664
						N140	2,58	39,8	754	2474	2,80	43,2	819	2687
						N150	2,61	40,3	761	2497	2,84	43,8	829	2720
						N540	2,64	40,7	768	2520	2,85	44,0	842	2762
						N550	2,76	42,6	759	2490	3,01	46,5	840	2756
10,0	155	TMK	Sierra	71,0	2.795	N135	2,42	37,3	753	2470	2,60	40,1	809	2654
						N140	2,58	39,8	751	2464	2,79	43,1	816	2677
						N150	2,63	40,6	761	2497	2,85	44,0	826	2710
						N540	2,62	40,4	766	2513	2,83	43,7	839	2753
						N550	2,78	42,9	765	2510	3,01	46,5	841	2759
10,0	155	Scenar	Lapua	71,0	2.795	N530	2,24	34,6	727	2385	2,66	41,0	844	2769
						N135	2,23	34,4	687	2254	2,64	40,7	804	2638
						N140	2,38	36,7	686	2251	2,81	43,4	807	2648
						N540	2,63	40,6	781	2562	2,91	44,9	884	2900
						N150	2,53	39,0	719	2359	3,03	46,8	818	2683
						N550	2,88	44,4	794	2605	3,25F	50,2F	901	2956
10,0	155	Scenar SJ	Lapua	71,0	2.795	N530	2,45	37,8	778	2552	2,69	41,5	867	2844
						N135	2,49	38,4	783	2569	2,72	42,0	861	2825
						N140	2,66	41,0	767	2516	2,95A	45,5A	855	2805
						N540	2,64	40,7	760	2494	3,05A	47,1A	870	2854
						N150	2,71	41,8	782	2566	3,05	47,1	867	2844
10,0	155	HPBT	Sierra	71,0	2.795	N135	2,28	35,1	712	2337	2,68	41,3	815	2674
						N140	2,40	37,0	717	2354	2,86	44,2	827	2712

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Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load			
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]	
				N540	2,46	37,9	712	2337	2,92	45,1	
				N150	2,63	40,6	752	2466	3,01	46,5	
				N550	2,76	42,5	756	2479	3,22C	49,7C	
10,7	165	GMX	Hornady	71,0	2.795	N140	2,46	38,0	682	2238	2,67
				N150	2,42	37,3	681	2234	2,70	41,7	
				N540	2,41	37,2	685	2247	2,70	41,7	
				N550	2,61	40,3	699	2293	2,93	45,2	
10,7	165	SPBT	Speer	71,0	2.795	N133	2,38	36,8	715	2345	2,72
				N135	2,48	38,3	724	2376	2,86	44,1	
				N140	2,60	40,1	729	2390	3,00	46,3	
				N150	2,66	41,0	735	2411	3,10	47,9	
				N550	2,86	44,1	760	2495	3,19	49,3	
10,7	165	TSX	Barnes</td								

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Bullet			Powder		Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]			
11,7	180	XFB	Barnes	71,0	2.795	N540	2,09	32.2	591	1938	2,55	39.3	715	2346
						N550	2,30	35.5	623	2043	2,75	42.4	734	2408
11,7	180	Naturalis	Lapua	68,1	2.681	N140	2,60	40.1	707	2320	2,84	43.8	772	2533
						N540	2,63	40.6	703	2306	2,90	44.7	769	2523
						N150	2,75	42.4	727	2385	2,95	45.5	778	2552
						N550	2,84	43.8	716	2349	3,13	48.3	791	2595
11,7	180	Elite Hunter	Berger	71,0	2.795	N135	2,36	36.4	693	2274	2,53	39.0	746	2448
						N140	2,45	37.8	694	2277	2,66	41.1	758	2487
						N150	2,48	38.3	697	2287	2,70	41.7	760	2493
						N540	2,53	39.0	713	2339	2,73	42.1	777	2549
						N550	2,67	41.2	715	2346	2,90	44.8	785	2575
11,7	180	TTSX BT	Barnes	71,0	2.795	N135	2,08	32.1	643	2110	2,38	36.7	711	2333
						N140	2,39	36.9	666	2185	2,64	40.7	736	2415
						N150	2,36	36.4	670	2198	2,63	40.6	738	2421
						N540	2,39	36.9	675	2215	2,64	40.7	748	2454
						N550	2,57	39.7	681	2234	2,81	43.4	751	2464
11,7	180	Oryx	Norma	68,8	2.709	N135	2,22	34.3	680	2231	2,40	37.0	737	2418
						N140	2,42	37.3	697	2287	2,66	41.1	760	2493
						N150	2,43	37.5	702	2303	2,68	41.4	764	2507
11,7	180	Oryx	Norma	68,8	2.709	N530	2,24	34.6	693	2274	2,38	36.7	744	2441
						N540	2,45	37.8	708	2323	2,66	41.1	770	2526
						N550	2,59	40.0	712	2336	2,81	43.4	774	2539
12,0	185	Mega	Lapua	67,5	2.657	N135	2,39	36.9	673	2208	2,57	39.7	731	2398
						N140	2,53	39.0	675	2215	2,82	43.5	756	2480
						N540	2,63	40.6	707	2320	2,92	45.1	801	2628
						N150	2,65	40.9	688	2257	2,93	45.2	756	2480
						N550	2,76	42.6	685	2247	3,07	47.4	768	2520
12,0	185	FMJBT	Lapua	71,0	2.795	N135	2,33	36.0	667	2188	2,66	41.0	761	2495
						N140	2,44	37.6	675	2215	2,83A	43.7A	778	2551
						N540	2,54	39.2	712	2335	2,84	43.8	791	2595
						N150	2,57	39.7	728	2388	2,84	43.8	805	2641
						N550	2,73	42.1	731	2398	3,03F	46.8F	822	2697
12,0	185	Scenar	Lapua	71,0	2.795	N140	2,44	37.7	706	2316	2,69	41.5	778	2552
						N540	2,38	36.7	725	2379	2,76	42.6	801	2628
						N150	2,42	37.3	664	2179	2,72	42.0	785	2575
						N550	2,62	40.5	672	2203	3,04A	46.9A	795	2608
12,0	185	Scenar SJ	Lapua	71,0	2.795	N140	2,46	38.0	689	2259	2,77	42.7	776	2546
						N540	2,64	40.7	729	2392	2,88	44.4	865	2838
						N150	2,47	38.1	696	2283	2,80	43.2	782	2566
						N550	2,72	41.9	711	2331	3,06	47.2	811	2661
12,0	185	Hybrid Target	Berger	71,0	2.795	N150	2,41	37.2	672	2205	2,63	40.6	738	2421
						N540	2,42	37.3	684	2244	2,62	40.4	757	2484
12,0	185	Juggernaut	Berger	71,0	2.795	N140	2,40	37.0	668	2192	2,61	40.3	730	2395
						N150	2,43	37.5	674	2211	2,63	40.6	734	2408
						N540	2,45	37.8	687	2254	2,66	41.1	758	2487
						N550	2,63	40.6	699	2293	2,81	43.4	764	2507
12,3	190	HPBT	Sierra	71,0	2.795	N140	2,42	37.3	677	2222	2,78	42.9	764	2508
						N540	2,44	37.6	672	2204	2,83	43.7	786	2579
						N150	2,49	38.4	676	2218	2,82	43.6	767	2516
						N550	2,63	40.6	695	2279	3,06	47.2	800	2624
13,0	200	SP	Speer	71,0	2.795	N140	2,28	35.2	609	1999	2,67	41.2	712	2335
						N150	2,24	34.5	604	1982	2,74	42.2	715	2344

A = Accuracy load C = Compressed load F = Full case

¹⁾ A muzzle velocity exceeding 1000 m/s (3300 fps) may lead to severe barrel fouling!**7.62 x 53R (7,62 Russian)**

Test barrel: 660 mm (26"), 1 in 10" twist
 Primers: Large Rifle
 Cases: Lapua, trim-to length 53,30 mm (2.098")

Bullet			Powder		Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]			
6,5	100	HPCE	Lapua	68,0	2.677	N120	2,59	40.0	933	3061	2,88	44.4	1020	3346
						N130	2,80	43.2	956	3136	3,03	46.8	1036	3399
						N133	2,98	46.0	960	3150	3,20F	49.4F	1019	3343
8,0	123	FMJ	Lapua	68,5	2.697	N130	2,81	43.3	883	2896	3,19	49.1	967	3171
						N133	3,07	47.4	900	2954	3,41	52.6	978	3209
						N135	3,19	49.2	901	2956	3,50	54.0	984	3229
9,7	150	Mega	Lapua	70,9	2.791	N133	2,43	37.5	727	2384	2,83	43.6	826	2709
						N135	2,70	41.7	761	2497	3,05	47.1	851	2790
9,7	150	FMJBT	Lapua	73,0	2.874	N133	2,71	41.8	811	2661	2,92	45.1	871	2858
						N135	2,90	44.8	825	2707	3,12	48.1	889	2917
10,0	155	Scenar	Lapua	75,5	2.972	N135	2,74	42.3	786	2579	3,02	46.7	865	2839
						N140	2,90	44.8	800	2625	3,19	49.3	884	2900
10,1	156	SPBT	Sako	70,5	2.776	N135	2,89	44.6	789	2589	3,18	49.0	866	2840
						N140	3,01	46.5	796	2612	3,19	49.2	845	2772
10,9	167	Scenar	Lapua	75,0	2.953	N140	3,00	46.3	784	2573	3,10A	47.8A	830	272

7.62 x 53R (7,62 Russian)

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Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	
14,3	220	HPBT	Sierra	77,1	3.035	N550	3,04	46.8	728	2389	3,34	51.5	807	2648
						N540	2,63	40.6	656	2151	2,87	44.3	728	2388
						N150	2,61	40.3	639	2095	2,96	45.7	728	2388
						N550	2,84	43.9	675	2215	3,12	48.1	753	2470

A = Accuracy load F = Full case

7.5 x 55 Swiss GP31

Test barrel: 600 mm (23½"), 1 in 10" twist

Primers: Large Rifle

Cases: Norma, trim-to length 55,40 mm (2.181")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	
10,0	155	Scenar	Lapua	75,5	2.972	N140	3,00	46.3	759	2490	3,18	49.1	811	2661
						N540	3,05	47.1	766	2513	3,25	50.1	842	2762
						N150	3,03	46.8	763	2503	3,22	49.7	815	2674
						N140	2,78	42.9	700	2297	2,96	45.7	760	2493
10,8	167	Scenar	Lapua	75,5	2.972	N540	2,65	40.9	700	2297	3,07	47.4	771	2530
						N150	2,78	42.9	703	2306	3,08	47.5	761	2497
						N140	2,45	37.8	694	2277	2,71	41.8	710	2329
						N540	2,74	42.3	688	2257	2,87	44.3	722	2369
12,0	185	Scenar	Lapua	75,5	2.972	N150	2,85	44.0	697	2287	2,93	45.2	723	2372

.30-06 Springfield

Test barrel: 620 mm (24½"), 1 in 10" twist

Primers: Large Rifle

Cases: Lapua, trim-to length 63,10 mm (2.484")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	
3,7	57	ALS ¹⁾	Lapua	79,0	3.110	N110	2,02	31.1	1075	3527	2,49	38.4	1217	3994
						N130	2,58	39.8	869	2851	3,15	48.6	998	3274
						N133	3,07	47.4	911	2989	3,49	53.9	1016	3333
						N135	3,25	50.1	927	3041	3,66	56.5	1033	3389
7,1	110	RN	Hornady	74,0	2.913	N140	3,50	54.0	926	3038	3,96	61.1	1044	3425
						N540	3,59	55.4	939	3081	4,08	63.0	1058	3471
						N133	3,15	48.6	873	2864	3,48	53.7	983	3225
						N135	3,14	48.5	864	2835	3,47	53.5	964	3163
8,0	123	FMJ	Lapua	79,8	3.142	N130	2,61	40.3	838	2749	3,01	46.4	934	3064
						N133	2,95	45.5	825	2707	3,31	51.1	922	3025
						N135	3,19	49.2	852	2795	3,48	53.7	937	3074
						N140	3,35	51.7	853	2799	3,73	57.6	952	3123
8,1	125	Ballistic Tip	Nosler	84,0	3.307	N150	3,49	53.9	863	2831	3,83	59.1	958	3143
						N150	3,59	55.4	880	2887	3,91	60.3	976	3202
						N135	3,10	47.8	865	2838	3,40	52.5	935	3068
						N140	3,31	51.1	878	2881	3,64	56.2	958	3143
8,5	130	HP	Lapua	84,0	3.307	N135	3,08	47.5	843	2766	3,50	54.0	952	3123
						N140	3,29	50.8	862	2828	3,79	58.4	979	3213
						N540	3,40	52.5	867	2844	3,87	59.7	994	3261
						N150	3,50	54.0	871	2858	3,89	60.0	976	3202
9,7	150	Lock Base	Lapua	84,0	3.307	N135	2,93	45.2	789	2589	3,23	49.8	851	2792
						N140	3,13	48.3	802	2631	3,45	53.2	872	2861
						N540	3,16	48.8	792	2598	3,54	54.6	882	2894
						N150	3,25	50.1	803	2635	3,58	55.2	877	2877
						N550	3,51	54.2	819	2687	3,87	59.7	917	3009

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Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	
9,7	150	Mega	Lapua	76,9	3.028	N135	2,60	40.1	711	2333	3,09	47.7	835	2740
						N140	2,83	43.7	732	2402	3,32	51.2	857	2812
						N540	2,94	45.4	742	2434	3,47	53.5	893	2930
						N150	2,86	44.1	777	2549	3,22	49.7		

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Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load				
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	Type	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]
11,7	180	Elite Hunter	Berger	N550	3,20	49.4	753	2470	3,50	54.0	830	2723
				N160	3,40	52.5	765	2510	3,62	55.9	819	2687
				N560	3,45	53.2	733	2405	3,87	59.7	829	2720
				N150	2,99	46.1	761	2497	3,26	50.3	825	2707
				N160	3,54	54.6	788	2585	3,91	60.3	862	2828
				N540	3,05	47.1	783	2569	3,31	51.1	850	2789
				N550	3,28	50.6	785	2575	3,52	54.3	859	2818
				N560	3,71	57.3	785	2575	4,08	63.0	866	2841
				N150	2,66	41.1	719	2359	2,98	46.0	779	2556
				N160	3,21	49.5	748	2454	3,61	55.7	819	2687
11,7	180	Oryx	Norma	N550	2,86	44.1	732	2402	3,14	48.5	796	2612
				N560	3,44	53.1	748	2454	3,74	57.7	816	2677
				N540	2,82	43.5	728	2388	3,17	48.9	811	2661
				N150	2,75	42.4	692	2270	3,28	50.6	791	2595
				N550	3,12	48.1	728	2388	3,46	53.4	812	2664
12,0	185	Mega	Lapua	N160	3,38	52.2	739	2425	3,71	57.2	815	2674
				N560	3,50	54.0	737	2418	3,89	60.0	826	2710
				N540	2,86	44.1	688	2257	3,16	48.8	771	2530
				N150	2,88	44.4	696	2283	3,26A	50.3A	778	2552
				N550	3,02	46.6	701	2300	3,36	51.8	792	2598
12,0	185	Scenar	Lapua	N160	3,48	53.7	724	2375	3,85	59.4	809	2654
				N560	3,52	54.3	724	2375	4,01	61.9	816	2677
				N150	3,01	46.5	750	2461	3,31	51.1	820	2690
				N160	3,57	55.1	772	2533	3,89	60.0	848	2782
				N540	3,10	47.8	776	2546	3,36	51.9	842	2762
12,0	185	Classic Hunter	Berger	N550	3,30	50.9	775	2543	3,53	54.5	846	2776
				N560	3,77	58.2	778	2552	4,11	63.4	860	2822
				N540	2,88	44.4	734	2408	3,21	49.5	806	2644
				N550	3,08	47.5	746	2448	3,30	50.9	804	2638
				N160	3,42	52.8	750	2461	3,69	56.9	812	2664
12,0	185	Hybrid Target	Berger	N550	3,19	49.2	773	2536	3,41	52.6	840	2756
				N160	3,49	53.9	767	2516	3,85	59.4	842	2762
				N560	3,64	56.2	765	2510	3,98	61.4	850	2789
				N150	2,90	44.7	695	2280	3,20	49.4	767	2516
				N550	3,07	47.4	708	2323	3,49	53.9	812	2664
12,3	190	HPBT	Sierra	N160	3,42	52.8	724	2375	3,81	58.8	795	2608
				N560	3,57	55.1	721	2365	4,04	62.3	825	2707
				N150	2,75	42.4	692	2270	3,10	47.8	747	2451
				N550	3,12	48.1	730	2395	3,28	50.6	767	2516
				N160	3,38	52.2	739	2425	3,48	53.7	763	2503
13,0	200	A-Frame	Swift	N160	3,40	52.5	708	2323	3,68	56.8	778	2552
				N165	3,85	59.4	740	2428	4,14	63.9	804	2638
				N550	3,19	49.2	720	2362	3,42	52.8	784	2572
				N150	2,79	43.0	669	2195	3,08	47.5	724	2375
				N160	3,38	52.2	704	2310	3,73	57.6	765	2510
13,0	200	Partition	Nosler	N165	3,76	58.0	727	2385	3,95	61.0	774	2539
				N550	3,04	46.9	704	2310	3,28	50.6	768	2520
				N560	3,55	54.8	719	2359	3,94	60.8	800	2625
				N160	3,29	50.8	654	2146	3,63	56.0	722	2369
				N560	3,47	53.5	672	2205	3,97	61.3	767	2516
14,3	220	RN	Hornady	N165	3,45	53.2	658	2159	3,90	60.2	729	2392
				N560	3,31	51.1	647	2123	3,67	56.6	726	2382
				N565	3,48	53.7	667	2188	3,87	59.7	732	2402

A = Accuracy load C = Compressed load

1) A muzzle velocity exceeding 1000 m/s (3300 fps) may lead to severe barrel fouling!

.300 H&H Magnum

Test barrel: 610 mm (24"), 1 in 10" twist

Primers: Large Rifle Magnum

Cases: Winchester, trim-to length 72,20 mm (2.842")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load				
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	Type	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]
10,0	155	Scenar	Lapua	N150	3,76	58.0	888	2913	3,97	61.3	935	3068
				N550	3,98	61.4	914	2999	4,26	65.8	971	3187
12,0	185	Scenar	Lapua	N160	4,28	66.0	909	2982	4,57	70.5	967	3174
				N160	3,95	60.9	820	2690	4,21	64.9	872	2862
13,0	200	HPBT	Sierra	N165	4,35	67.1	843	2766	4,62	71.4	895	2937
				N160	3,87	59.7	792	2598	4,04	62.4	829	2719
				N560	4,21	65.0	821	2694	4,42	68.1	864	2834
				N165	4,24	65.4	813	2667	4,45	68.6	853	2799

.300 WSM

Test barrel: 620 mm (24½"), 1 in 10" twist

Primers: Large Rifle Magnum

Cases: Winchester, trim-to length 53,10 mm (2.091")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load				
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	Type	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]

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.300 Winchester Magnum

Test barrel: 620 mm (24½"), 1 in 10" twist
 Primers: Large Rifle Magnum
 Cases: Lapua, trim-to length 66,30 mm (2.610")

CAUTION: Loads less than the listed starting loads may cause excessive chamber pressure and must not be used!

Bullet				Powder	Starting load		Maximum load		
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	
7,1	110	SP	Hornady	83,0	3.268	N160	5,40	83,3	1063
8,0	123	FMJ	Lapua	81,9	3.224	N150	3,99	61,6	943
				N550		4,26	65,7	948	3110
				N160		4,47	69,0	939	3081
8,5	130	HP	Lapua	84,2	3.315	N160	4,99	77,0	964
9,7	150	Mega	Lapua	79,5	3.130	N160	3,79	58,5	815
				N165		4,29	66,2	844	2769
				N560		4,76	73,5	880	2887
9,7	150	Lock Base	Lapua	84,0	3.307	N160	4,59	70,8	884
				N165		5,10	78,7	900	2953
				N560		4,90	75,6	899	2949
9,7	150	Ballistic Tip	Nosler	84,8	3.339	N160	4,79	73,9	913
				N165		5,20	80,2	940	3084
10,0	154	Scenar	Lapua	84,0	3.307	N160	4,54	70,1	862
				N165		5,04	77,8	885	2828
				N560		4,81	74,2	879	2884
10,7	165	HT	LOS	84,8	3.339	N160	4,47	69,0	886
				N165		4,84	74,7	907	2976
				N560		4,77	73,6	911	2989
10,7	165	GMX	Hornady	84,5	3.327	N160	3,74	57,7	812
				N165		4,50	69,4	878	2881
				N560		4,45	68,7	869	2851
10,9	168	TMK	Sierra	84,5	3.327	N165	4,70	72,5	876
				N560		4,54	70,1	877	2874
				N565		4,78	73,8	889	2917
10,9	167	Scenar	Lapua	84,8	3.339	N160	4,70	72,4	880
				N560		4,70	72,5	846	2776
				N165		5,02	77,5	892	2927
10,9	167	Scenar SJ	Lapua	84,8	3.339	N160	4,39	67,7	830
				N560		4,77	73,6	844	2723
				N165		4,73	73,0	846	2776
11,0	170	Lock Base	Lapua	84,8	3.339	N160	4,43	68,4	849
				N560		4,80	74,1	851	2792
				N165		4,82	74,4	866	2841
11,0	170	Naturalis	Lapua	84,0	3.307	N160	4,09	63,1	824
				N558		4,32	66,7	831	2726
				N165		4,43	68,4	848	2782
11,3	175	Scenar-L	Lapua	84,0	3.307	N160	4,38	67,6	812
				N560		4,60	71,0	831	2726
				N165		4,72	72,8	831	2726
11,7	180	Partition	Nosler	84,8	3.339	N160	4,52	69,8	843
				N165		4,86	75,0	852	2795
11,7	180	Naturalis	Lapua	85,7 ¹⁾	3.374	N160	4,05	62,5	836
				N560		4,80	74,1	873	2743
				N165		4,45	68,7	839	2753
12,0	185	Mega	Lapua	82,5	3.248	N160	3,40	52,5	720
				N165		3,90	60,2	753	2470
				N560		4,51	69,6	802	2631
12,0	185	Scenar	Lapua	84,8	3.339	N160	4,26	65,7	805
				N560		4,60	71,0	816	2641
				N165		4,72	72,8	825	2707
12,0	185	Scenar SJ	Lapua	84,8	3.339	N160	4,22	65,1	795
				N560		4,62	71,3	814	2608
				N165		4,64	71,6	819	2687

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Bullet	Powder	Starting load	Maximum load
Weight [g]	Type	Weight [g]	Weight [g]
12,3	190	HPBT	Sierra
		84,8	3.339
			N560
			4,34
			66,9
			823
			2701
			4,88
			75,3
			898
			2947
			N165
			4,49
			69,2
			816
			2676
			5,01
			77,3
			882
			2893
			N170
			4,40
			67,8
			788
			2586
			5,06
			78,0
			861
			2826
13,0	200	Weldcore	Wooldleigh
		84,0	3.307
			N560
			3,76
			58,0
			757
			2484
			4,41
			68,1
			851
			2792
			N565
			3,64
			56,2
			749
			2457
			4,64
			71,6
			860
			2822
13,0	200	LRX BT	Barnes
		84,5	3.327
			N165
			3,42
			52,8
			710
			2329
			4,05
			6,05
			751
			2464
			4,39
			67,7
			848
			2782
13,0	200	Hybrid Target	Berger
		84,8	3.339
			N565
			3,82
			59,0
			753
			2470
			4,37
			67,4
			840
			2756
13,0	200	Mega	Lapua
		84,5	3.327
			N560
			4,00
			61,7
			753
			2470
			4,55
			70,2
			834
			2736
			N165
			4,10
			63,3
			748
			2454
			4,65
			71,7
			823
			2700
			N170
			4,31
			66,5
			740
			2428
			4,95
			76,4
			824
			2703
13,0	200	Naturalis	Lapua
		84,0	3.307
			N560
			3,98
			61,4
			745
			2444
			4,40
			67,9
			819
			2687
			N165
			3,65
			56,3
			703
			2306
			4,29
			66,2
			800
			2625
			N170
			4,23
			65,3
			728
			2388
			4,70
			72,5
			810
			2657
13,0	200	HPBT	Sierra
		84,8	3.339
			N170
			4,05
			62,4
			743
			2438
			4,85
			74,8
			828
			2717
			N560
			3,95
			60,9
			770
			2526
			4,60
			70,9
			852
			2795
			N160
			4,02
			62,0
			760
			2495
			4,56
			70,3
			835

.300 Lapua Magnum

Test barrel: 690 mm (27"), 1 in 9½ twist
 Primers: Large Rifle Magnum
 Cases: Lapua, trim-to length 68,90 mm (2.713")

CAUTION: Loads less than the listed starting loads may cause excessive chamber pressure and must not be used!

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load		
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]
10,0	155	Scenar	Lapua	93,0 3.661	N160	4,89	75.5	973	3192	5,23 80.7
					N560	5,24	80.9	973	3192	5,73 88.4
					N170	6,01	92.7	993	3258	6,41 99.0
11,0	170	Lock Base	Lapua	93,0 3.661	N560	5,12	79.0	942	3091	5,49 84.7
					N170	5,66	87.3	939	3081	6,10 94.1
					24N41	6,15	94.9	945	3100	6,56 101.2
12,0	185	Scenar	Lapua	93,0 3.661	N560	4,82	74.4	879	2884	5,31 81.9
					N170	5,40	83.3	893	2930	5,89 90.9
					24N41	5,93	91.5	916	3005	6,30 97.2
13,0	200	HPBT	Sierra	93,0 3.661	N170	5,09	78.5	851	2792	5,56 85.8
					24N41	5,56	85.8	866	2841	6,01 92.8
14,3	220	HPBT	Sierra	93,0 3.661	24N41	5,10	78.7	804	2638	5,67 87.4
					20N29	6,06	93.5	856	2808	6,45 99.6

.300 Norma Magnum

Test barrel: 655 mm (25.75"), 1 in 10" twist
 Primers: Large Rifle Magnum
 Cases: Lapua, trim-to length 63 mm (2.480")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load		
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]
12,0	185	Scenar	Lapua	86,5 3.406	N560	4,72	72.8	844	2769	5,35 82.6
					N565	4,91	75.8	863	2831	5,51 85.0
					N170	4,98	76.9	825	2707	5,75 88.7
					N570	5,16	79.6	862	2828	5,75 88.7
13,9	215	Hybrid Target	Berger	86,5 3.406	N560	4,56	70.4	790	2592	5,10 78.7
					N565	4,71	72.7	799	2621	5,25 81.0
					N170	4,65	71.8	773	2536	5,50 84.9
					N570	5,05	77.9	818	2684	5,66 87.3
14,3	220	Scenar-L	Lapua	86,5 3.406	N560	4,30	66.4	762	2500	4,98 76.9
					N565	4,41	68.1	769	2523	5,17 79.8
					N170	4,30	66.4	734	2408	5,30 81.8
					N570	4,62	71.3	780	2559	5,37 82.9
14,9	230	Hybrid Target	Berger	86,5 3.406	N560	4,35	67.1	754	2474	4,92 75.9
					N565	4,53	69.9	763	2503	5,11 78.9
					N570	4,60	71.0	764	2507	5,41 83.5

.300 Remington Ultra Magnum

Test barrel: 660 mm (26"), 1 in 10" twist
 Primers: Large Rifle Magnum
 Cases: Remington, trim-to length 72,10 mm (2.839")

CAUTION: Loads less than the listed starting loads may cause excessive chamber pressure and must not be used!

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load		
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]
10,0	155	Scenar	Lapua	89,5 3.524	N160	5,29	81.6	957	3140	5,80 89.5
					N560	5,60	86.4	865	2838	6,09 94.0
					N165	5,60	86.4	952	3123	6,19 95.5
10,7	165	Partition	Nosler	89,5 3.524	N160	4,97	76.7	896	2940	5,64 87.0
					N560	5,39	83.2	902	2959	6,13 94.5
					N165	5,57	85.9	919	3015	6,12 94.4
10,85	167	Scenar	Lapua	90,0 3.543	N560	5,29	81.6	925	3035	5,95 91.8
					N165	5,05	77.9	882	2894	6,10 94.1
					N170	5,37	82.9	895	2936	6,48 100.0

.300 Remington Ultra Magnum

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Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load		
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]
11,0	170	Lock Base	Lapua	90,0 3.543	N560	4,73	73.0	899	2949	5,74 88.6
					N165	4,56	70.4	851	2792	5,73 88.4
					N170	5,02	77.5	865	2838	6,36 98.1
11,7	180	XFB	Barnes	89,5 3.524	N165	4,52	69.7	833	2733	5,40 83.3
					N560	4,65	71.7	854	2802	5,60 86.3
					N170	4,90	75.6	840	2756	6,12 94.4
12,0	185	Mega	Lapua	88,5 3.484	N560	5,18	79.9	874	2867	5,83 90.0
					N165	4,75	73.3	826	2710	5,82 89.8
	185	Scenar	Lapua	91,4 3.598	N560	5,46	84.2	888	2913	5,93 91.5
					N165	5,18	79.9	865	2838	6,09 94.0
					N170	5,98	92.3	875	2871	6,40 98.7
13,0	200	Mega	Lapua	89,3 3.516	N560	5,24	80.9	892	2927	5,85 90.3
					N165	4,95	76.4	831	2726	5,70 88.0
					N570	5,70	88.0	877	2877	6,37 98.3
13,0	200	Naturalis	Lapua	89,2 3.512	N560	4,87	75.1	842	2762	5,57 85.9
					N165	4,75	73.3	826	2710	5,62 86.7
					N170	5,16	79.6	833	2733	5,82 89.8
					N570	5,44	83.9	860	2822	6,01 92.7
					24N41	5,60	86.4	829	2720	6,11 94.3

.30-.378 Weatherby Magnum

Test barrel: 670 mm (26½"), 1 in 10" twist

Primers: Large Rifle Magnum

Cases: Weatherby, trim-to-length 73,70 mm (2.902")

CAUTION: Loads less than the listed starting loads may cause excessive chamber pressure and must not be used!

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load		
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]
10,0	155	Scenar	Lapua	93,0 3.661	N160	6,10	94.1	1004	3294	6,41 98.9
					N165	6,68	103.1	1017	3337	6,94 107.1
					N170	7,23	111.6	1008	3307	7,54 116.3
11,0	170	Lock Base	Lapua	93,0 3.661	N160	5,63	86.9	933	3061	5,91 91.2
					N165	6,33	97.7	957	3140	6,67 102.9
					N170	6,94	107.1	957	3140	7,20 111.1
	185	Scenar	Lapua	93,0 3.661	24					

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Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]
9,7	150	Lockbase	Lapua	56,0	2.205	N120	1,43	22.1	605	1985	1,58	24.4	666	2185
9,7	150	Flat Point	X-treme	55,0	2.165	N110	0,90	13.9	465	1526	1,00	15.4	535	1755
		bullets				N120	1,10	17.0	424	1391	1,30	20.1	535	1755
13,0	200	B416	Lapua	56,0	2.205	N110	0,87	13.4	435	1427	0,97	15.0	481	1578
						N120	1,21	18.7	493	1617	1,33	20.5	542	1778
						N130	1,30	20.1	499	1637	1,45	22.4	553	1814

.303 British

Test barrel: 600 mm (23½"), 1 in 10" twist

Primers: Large Rifle

Cases: Remington, trim-to length 56,20 mm (2.213)

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]
3,7	57	ALS ¹⁾	Lapua	73,3	2.886	N110	1,68	25.9	981	3219	2,21	34.1	1178	3865
8,0	123	FMJ	Lapua	73,3	2.886	N120	2,18	33.6	819	2687	2,37	36.6	873	2864
						N130	2,39	36.9	840	2756	2,59	40.0	895	2936
						N133	2,58	39.8	858	2815	2,76	42.6	914	2999
9,7	150	Mega	Lapua	70,5	2.776	N130	2,38	36.7	831	2726	2,55	39.3	884	2900
						N133	2,49	38.4	839	2753	2,70	41.7	899	2949
11,3	174	HPBT	Sierra	78,0	3.071	N135	2,29	35.3	711	2333	2,49	38.4	761	2497
						N140	2,49	38.4	725	2379	2,70	41.7	782	2566
						N540	2,57	39.7	728	2388	2,78	42.9	791	2595
11,7	180	Spitzer	Sierra	78,0	3.071	N135	2,15	33.2	664	2178	2,36	36.4	714	2343
						N140	2,33	36.0	683	2241	2,57	39.7	739	2425
						N540	2,48	38.3	697	2287	2,70	41.7	758	2487

¹⁾ A muzzle velocity exceeding 1000 m/s (3300 fps) may lead to severe barrel fouling!
8 x 57 IS (8 mm Mauser)

Test barrel: 620 mm (24½"), 1 in 9½" twist

Primers: Large Rifle

Cases: Lapua, trim-to length 56,80 mm (2.236")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]
8,1	125	SP	Hornady	74,0	2.913	N130	2,80	43.2	874	2867	3,12	48.1	950	3117
						N133	3,14	48.5	883	2897	3,50	54.0	979	3212
9,7	150	Spitzer	Speer	76,0	2.992	N135	3,22	49.7	882	2894	3,57	55.1	974	3196
						N140	3,13	48.3	799	2621	3,49	53.9	892	2927
10,4	160	TSX	Barnes	77,0	3.031	N135	2,67	41.2	752	2467	3,02	46.6	834	2736
						N140	2,87	44.3	767	2516	3,14	48.5	841	2759
						N540	3,01	46.5	782	2566	3,33	51.4	870	2854
11,0	170	SP	Speer	77,0	3.031	N135	2,86	44.1	748	2454	3,18	49.1	829	2720
						N140	2,99	46.1	747	2451	3,33	51.4	838	2749
						N150	3,13	48.3	761	2497	3,48	53.7	853	2799
11,7	180	Naturalis	Lapua	81,0	3.189	N135	2,70	41.7	730	2395	2,95	45.5	803	2635
						N140	2,87	44.3	743	2438	3,11	48.0	804	2638
						N540	2,89	44.6	747	2451	3,14	48.5	814	2671
11,7	181	E-Tip	Nosler	77,0	3.031	N135	2,58	39,8	712	2336	2,96	45,7	791	2595
						N140	2,77	42,7	719	2359	3,11	48,0	795	2608
						N540	2,78	42,9	718	2356	3,18	49,1	808	2651
						N150	2,90	44,8	735	2411	3,15	48,6	801	2628
11,7	181	TOG	Brenneke	77,0	3.031	N140	2,84	43,8	705	2313	3,16	48,8	782	2566
						N150	2,93	45,2	723	2372	3,18	49,1	788	2585
						N540	2,93	45,2	746	2448	3,22	49,7	822	2697
12,8	198	TIG	Brenneke	77,0	3.031	N140	2,82	43,5	697	2287	3,12	48,1	759	2490
						N150	2,93	45,2	708	2323	3,20	49,4	768	2520
						N540	2,91	44,9	715	2346	3,19	49,2	783	2569
13,0	200	Accubond	Nosler	79,1	3.114	N150	2,79	43,1	693	2274	3,07	47,4	766	2513

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8 x 57 IS (8 mm Mauser)

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Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]
						N540	2,75	42,4	701	2300	3,00	46,3	765	2510
						N550	2,97	45,8	713	2339	3,33	51,4	784	2572
						N160	3,32	51,2	706	2316	3,50	54,0	746	2448
13,0	200	TSX	Barnes	77,2	3.039	N150	2,79	43,1	679	2228	3,08	47,5	745	2444
						N540	2,77	42,7	677	2221	3,11	48,0	760	2493
						N550	3,10	47,8	701	2300	3,40	52,5	767	2516
13,0	200	Spitzer	Speer	79,5	3.130	N140	2,77	42,7	661	2169	3,08	47,5	759	2490
						N150	2,86	44,1	680	2231	3,19	49,2	763	2503
13,0	200	Partition	Nosler	81,0	3.189	N160	3,27	50,5	681	2234	3,64	56,2	785	2575
13,0	201	MatchKing	Sierra	79,1	3.114	N150	2,74	42,3	699	2293	3,03	46,8	764	2507
						N540	2,82	43,5	715	23				

.338 Winchester Magnum

Test barrel: 620 mm (24½"), 1 in 10" twist
 Primers: Large Rifle Magnum
 Cases: Lapua, trim-to length 63,30 mm (2.492")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]				
13,0	200	SP	Hornady	85,0 ¹⁾	3.346	N540	3,90	60,2	814	2671	4,34	67,0	888	2913
						N150	3,85	59,4	801	2628	4,34	67,0	873	2864
						N550	4,15	64,0	822	2697	4,61	71,1	899	2949
						N160	4,71	72,7	720	2362	5,23F	80,7F	905	2969
						N560	4,78	73,8	820	2689	5,15	79,4	849	2785
14,6	225	SP	Hornady	84,0	3.307	N160	4,56	70,4	798	2617	4,80	74,1	856	2809
						N560	4,78	73,8	820	2689	5,15	79,4	849	2785
						N160	4,25	65,6	751	2464	4,74	73,1	843	2766
						N560	4,50	69,4	769	2523	4,85F	74,8F	832	2730
						N165	4,49	69,3	753	2470	4,83	74,5	809	2655
16,2	250	Grand Slam	Speer	83,8	3.299	N160	4,81	74,3	766	2511	5,19	80,0	823	2698
						N560	4,25	65,6	758	2488	4,58	70,7	810	2659
						N560	4,39	67,7	774	2540	4,78	73,7	831	2728
						N165	4,63	71,4	779	2555	5,02	77,4	835	2738
						N160	4,06	62,7	765	2509	4,27	65,8	810	2657
16,2	250	Scenar	Lapua	84,0	3.307	N550	4,23	65,3	760	2494	4,55	70,1	813	2669
						N560	4,72	72,9	787	2581	5,03	77,5	843	2765
						N165	3,76	58,0	651	2136	4,30	66,3	731	2398
						N560	3,79	58,5	651	2136	4,35	67,1	725	2379
						N165	3,79	58,5	651	2136	4,35	67,1	725	2379
17,8	275	SP	Speer	85,0 ¹⁾	3.346	N165	4,63	71,5	731	2398	5,01	77,3	785	2576
						N160	3,55	54,8	634	2080	4,15	64,0	717	2352
						N560	3,76	58,0	651	2136	4,30	66,3	731	2398
						N165	3,79	58,5	651	2136	4,35	67,1	725	2379
						N560	4,06	62,7	692	2270	4,43	68,3	745	2445
19,4	300	HPBT	Sierra	84,8	3.339	N160	4,20	64,7	700	2295	4,66	71,9	756	2479
						N560	3,58	55,2	626	2054	4,10	63,3	692	2270
						N160	3,92	60,5	658	2159	4,55	70,2	731	2398
						N165	3,92	60,5	637	2090	4,46	68,8	711	2333
						N560	3,76	58,0	651	2136	4,30	66,3	731	2398

F = Case full

¹⁾ The cartridge overall length exceeds the CIP maximum.

.338 Lapua Magnum

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Bullet	Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	C.O.L. [in.]	Type	Powder	Starting load		Maximum load				
	[grs]						Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]	
		Tactical						N560	5,16	79,6	803	2635	5,77	89,0
								N565	5,53	85,3	822	2697	5,97	92,1
								N170	5,59	86,3	798	2618	6,11	94,3
								N570	5,81	89,7	827	2713	6,28	96,9
16,2	250	Scenar	Lapua	93,5	3.681	N565	5,21	80,4	803	2635	5,85	90,3	878	2881
17,2	265	LRX BT	Barnes	93,2	3.669	N565	4,79	73,9	759	2490	5,39	83,2	830	2723
18,1	280	LRX BT	Barnes	93,5	3.681	N565	4,53	69,9	717	2352	5,16	79,6	792	2598
18,5	285	TSX	Barnes	93,0	3.661	N560	4,12	63,6	684	2244	4,78	73,8	772	2533
						N170	4,30	66,4	654	2146	5,20	80,2	768	2520
						N570	4,70	72,5	728	2388	5,31	81,9	806	2644
18,5	285	HPBT	Hornady	93,5	3.681	N560	4,93	76,1	759	2490	5,48	84,6	837	2746
						N165	4,81	74,2	733	2405	5,49	84,7	812	2664
						N170	5,25	81,0	741	2431	5,96	92,0	831	2726
						N570	5,44	84,0	781	2562	6,07	93,7	863	2831
19,4	300	Scenar	Lapua	93,5	3.681	N165	4,47	69,0	685	2247	5,30	81,8	785	2575
						N560	4,64	71,6	709	2326	5,33	82,3	814	2671
						N170	4,90	75,6	712	2336	5,74	88,6	811	2661
						N570	5,19	80,1	732	2402	5,99	92,4	837	2746
19,4	300	Elite Hunter	Berger	93,5	3.681	N560	4,72	72,8	720	2362	5,27	81,3	790	2592
						N565	4,89	75,5	724	2375	5,55	85,6	804	2638
						N570	5,23	80,7	744	2441	5,80	89,5	815	2674
19,4	300	HPBT	Berger	93,5	3.681	N560	4,64	71,6	744	2441	5,34	82,4	831	2726
						N170	4,62	71,3	720	2362	5,68	87,7	823	2700
						N570	4,24	65,4	711	2333	5,55	85,6	833	2733
19,4	300	HPBT	Sierra	91,5	3.602	N165	4,57	70,5	695	2281	5,20	80,2	766	2513
						N560	4,70	72,5	722	2370	5,37	82,8	800	2624
						N170	5,15	79,4	719	2360	5,86	90,4	792	2599
						N570	5,39	83,2	776	2546	5,92	91,3	826	2710
						24N41	5,52	85,2	735	2410	6,28	96,8	809	2653

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9.3 x 62

Test barrel: 580 mm (22¾"), 1 in 14" twist

Primers: Large Rifle
 Cases: Lapua, trim-to length 61,80 mm (2.433")

Bullet	Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	C.O.L. [in.]	Type	Powder	Starting load	Maximum load				
	[grs]						Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]

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Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]
17,5	270	Naturalis	Lapua	82,5	3.248	N135	2,80	43,2	642	2106	3,30	50,9	699	2293
						N140	3,39	52,3	673	2208	3,70	57,1	733	2405
						N540	3,52	54,3	679	2228	3,77	58,2	731	2398
						N150	3,50	54,0	684	2244	3,82	58,9	745	2444
						N140	3,00	46,3	614	2014	3,39	52,3	673	2208
18,5	285	Mega	Lapua	82,2	3.236	N135	2,85	44,0	605	1985	3,14	48,5	676	2218
						N140	3,00	46,3	614	2014	3,39	52,3	673	2208
						N540	3,05	47,1	607	1991	3,50	54,0	694	2277
						N150	3,17	48,9	627	2057	3,60	55,6	700	2297
						N130	2,40	37,0	556	1824	2,84	43,8	626	2054
18,5	286	Weldcore	Woodleigh	82,9	3,264	N130	2,83	43,7	559	1834	3,32	51,2	654	2146
						N150	3,12	48,1	607	1991	3,47	53,6	679	2228
						N540	2,88	44,4	534	1752	3,94	60,8	697	2287
						N150	3,20	49,4	619	2031	3,58	55,2	681	2234
						N540	3,31	51,1	635	2083	3,57	55,1	697	2287
19,0	293	TUG	Brenneke	82,0	3.228	N150	3,50	54,0	638	2093	3,89	60,0	703	2306
						N550	2,89	44,6	569	1867	3,25	50,2	622	2041
						N540	2,92	45,1	582	1909	3,29	50,8	653	2142
						N550	3,13	48,3	590	1936	3,50	54,0	658	2159
						N150	3,45	53,2	630	2067	3,72	57,4	684	2244
20,7	320	RNSP	Woodleigh	82,0	3.228	N540	3,50	54,0	627	2057	3,73	57,6	675	2215
						N550	3,70	57,1	636	2087	4,04	62,3	700	2297

9.3 x 66 Sako

Test barrel: 630 mm (24¾"), 1 in 14" twist

Primers: Large Rifle

Cases: Sako, trim-to length 65,80 mm (2.591")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]
17,5	270	Naturalis	Lapua	85,0	3.346	N140	3,40	52,5	684	2244	4,00	61,7	773	2536
						N540	3,84	59,3	736	2415	4,15	64,0	789	2589
						N550	4,13	63,7	745	2444	4,37F	67,4F	791	2595
						N150	3,06	47,2	622	2041	3,53	54,5	689	2260
						N540	3,09	47,7	599	1965	3,42	52,8	670	2198
19,4	300	A-Frame	Swift	84,0	3.307	N540	3,50	54,0	658	2159	3,75	57,9	702	2303
						N150	3,47	53,5	678	2224	3,91	60,3	713	2339
						N550	3,44	53,1	602	1975	3,80	58,6	698	2290
						N150	3,70	57,1	650	2133	4,25	65,6	733	2405
						N550	3,70	57,1	650	2133	4,25	65,6	733	2405

F = Case full

9.3 x 74R

Test barrel: 610 mm (24"), 1 in 14" twist

Primers: Large Rifle

Cases: RWS, trim-to length 74,50 mm (2.933")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]
12,5	193	JFP	S&B	88,9	3.500	N120	2,98	46,0	744	2441	3,33	51,4	810	2656
						N130	3,42	52,8	791	2595	3,66	56,5	837	2746
						N135	3,02	46,6	702	2303	3,50	54,0	780	2559
						N140	3,39	52,3	721	2365	3,88	59,9	806	2644
						N140	3,72	57,4	718	2356	4,29	66,2	810	2656
14,3	220	Naturalis	Lapua	94,4	3.717	N530	3,04	46,9	708	2323	3,40	52,5	782	2566
						N140	3,02	46,6	702	2303	3,50	54,0	780	2559
						N540	3,39	52,3	721	2365	3,88	59,9	806	2644
						N140	3,72	57,4	718	2356	4,29	66,2	810	2656
						N540	2,98	46,0	676	2218	3,30	50,9	731	2398
15,0	231	SP	Norma	92,1	3.626	N140	3,72	57,4	718	2356	4,29	66,2	810	2656
						N140	3,11	48,0	686	2251	3,46	53,4	740	2428
						N540	3,15	48,6	690	2264	3,61	55,7	759	2490
						N140	3,50	54,0	654	2146	4,00	61,8	751	2463
						N540	3,10	47,8	649	2129	3,30	50,9	706	2316
16,6	256	SP	Sako	92,2	3.630	N140	3,30	50,9	656	2152	3,75	57,9	716	2349
						N540	3,48	53,7	655	2149	3,83	59,1	723	2372
						N140	2,80	43,2	576	1890	3,43	52,9	665	2182
						N540	3,10	47,8	649	2129	3,30	50,9	706	2316
						N140	3,48	53,7	655	2149	3,83	59,1	723	2372
17,5	270	Naturalis												

.444 Marlin

Test barrel: 560 mm (22"), 1 in 38" twist
 Primers: Large Rifle
 Cases: Remington, trim-to length 56,30 mm (2.216")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load		Maximum load							
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]
13,0	200	HP/XTP	Hornady	64,4	2.535	N110	2,66	41.0	720	2362	3,05	47.1	797	2613
						N120	3,28	50.6	782	2565	3,75	57.8	869	2851
15,6	240	JTC-SIL	Hornady	64,5	2.539	N120	2,91	44.9	684	2243	3,43	53.0	780	2560
						N130	3,23	49.8	697	2286	3,68	56.8	780	2558
17,2	265	FP	Hornady	65,0	2.559	N120	2,82	43.5	649	2129	3,27	50.5	736	2415
						N130	3,09	47.7	657	2157	3,45	53.2	732	2401

.45-70 Government

Test barrel: 560 mm (22"), 1 in 20" twist
 Primers: Large Rifle
 Cases: Remington, trim-to length 53,30 mm (2.098")

WARNING: These loads are to be used only in modern rifles like Ruger #1 or .45-70's chambered on Mauser type bolt actions. They MUST NOT be used in old rifles with weaker actions like Trapdoor and old Marlin mod. 1895. The listed maximum loads do not exceed 210 MPa.

Bullet				Powder	Starting load		Maximum load				Maximum load			
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]
19,4	300	FN HP	Sierra	64,7	2.547	N120	2,95	45.5	579	1900	3,25	50.2	651	2136
						N130	3,38	52.2	609	1998	3,70	57.1	686	2251
19,4	300	TSX FN	Barnes	64,7	2.547	N120	2,45	37.8	502	1647	2,91	44.9	594	1949
						N530	3,02	46.6	460	1509	3,40	52.5	569	1867
19,4	300	XFN	Barnes	64,8	2.551	N130	3,10	47.8	547	1795	3,37	52.0	602	1975
				64,7	2.547	N130	3,11	48.0	522	1713	3,46	53.4	614	2014
22,7	350	RN	Hornady			N133	3,26	50.3	507	1663	3,72	57.4	621	2037
					N530	3,45	53.2	509	1670	3,82	58.9	606	1988	
25,9	400	FN	Speer	64,7	2.547	N130	2,90	44.7	489	1604	3,22	49.7	559	1834
						N133	3,06	47.2	485	1591	3,40	52.5	574	1883
33,1	510	LFN w/ gas	Gunhill	64,7	2.547	N120 ¹⁾	1,70	26.2	360	1181	1,90	29.3	408	1339
						N130 ¹⁾	2,00	30.9	389	1276	2,30	35.5	495	1624

¹⁾ Cowboy Action Shooting load

.458 Winchester Magnum

Test barrel: 635 mm (25"), 1 in 14" twist
 Primers: Large Rifle Magnum
 Cases: Winchester, trim-to length 63,30 mm (2.492")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load		Maximum load				Maximum load			
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]
22,7	350	RN	Hornady	74,9	2.949	N120	4,13	63.7	712	2336	4,53	69.9	748	2454
						N130	4,46	68.8	730	2395	4,80	74.1	773	2536
25,9	400	A-Frame	Swift	82,0	3.228	N130	4,30	66.3	674	2211	4,55	70.2	710	2329
						N530	4,90	75.6	691	2267	5,10F	78.7F	722	2369
25,9	400	XFB	Barnes	83,0	3.268	N130	4,00	61.7	631	2070	4,36	67.3	688	2257
						N530	4,50	69.4	645	2116	4,70F	72.5F	674	2211
32,4	500	RN	Hornady	84,0	3.307	N130	3,60	55.5	557	1827	4,11	63.4	623	2044
						N133	3,85	59.4	564	1850	4,52	69.7	645	2116
						N530	4,20	64.8	589	1932	4,76	73.4	655	2149

F = Case full

.50 Browning

Test barrel: 1140 mm (45"), 1 in 16½" twist
 Primers: CCI35
 Cases: IMI, trim-to length 99,10 mm (3.902")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load		Maximum load				Maximum load			
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]
41,9	647	FMJBT	Speer	137,5	5.413	N170	13,03	201.1	801	2629	14,76	227.8	894	2932
						24N41	13,86	213.8	819	2688	14,72	227.2	888	2915
45,4	700	Solid	Barnes	137,5	5.413	20N29	15,53	239.7	836	2744	16,61	256.3	922	3024
						24N41	13,69	211.2	808	2652	15,00	231.5	887	2910
48,6	750	A-MAX	Hornady	137,5	5.413	N170	12,31	190.0	759	2490	13,99	215.8	842	2763
						24N41	12,97	200.2	764	2508	14,13	218.0	843	2765
48,6	750	Bullex-N	Lapua	138,0	5.433	20N29	14,59	225.2	779	2556	15,97	246.4	862	2829
						24N41	13,83	213.4	798	2618	14,93	230.4	865	2838
48,6	750	Solid	Barnes	137,5	5.413	20N29	15,57	240.3	826	2710	16,58	255.9	895	2936
						24N41	13,26	204.6	768	2520	14,54	224.4	858	2815
51,8	800	Bullex-N	Lapua	137,5	5.413	24N41	12,93	199.5	756	2480	14,23	219.6	826	2710
						20N29	14,95	230.7	796	2612	15,79	243.7	857	2812
51,8	800	Solid	Barnes	137,5	5.413	24N41	1							

HANDGUN RELOADING DATA

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These test methods have been deemed to be safe throughout the world. Pressure is measured at the case mouth or from inside the case according to the CIP.

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7 mm TCU

Test barrel: 360 mm (14"), 1 in 10" twist
Primers: Small Rifle
Cases: Necked-up Lapua .223 Rem., trim-to length 44,50 mm (1.752")

Bullet			Powder		Starting load		Maximum load							
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]						
6,5	100	HP	Hornady	62,5	2.461	N120	1,48	22.8	667	2188	1,64	25.3	744	2441
						N130	1,62	25.0	672	2205	1,79	27.6	753	2470
						N133	1,77	27.3	695	2280	1,96	30.2	774	2539
7,8	120	SSSP	Hornady	63,5	2.500	N120	1,32	20.4	606	1988	1,45	22.4	655	2149
						N130	1,45	22.4	610	2001	1,61	24.8	673	2208
						N133	1,62	25.0	630	2067	1,81	27.9	701	2300
8,4	130	Spitzer	Speer	65,0	2.559	N120	1,24	19.1	542	1778	1,38	21.3	596	1955
						N130	1,40	21.6	573	1880	1,55	23.9	626	2054
						N133	1,46	22.5	576	1890	1,62	25.0	633	2077
9,7	150	SBT	Sierra	65,0	2.559	N120	1,17	18.1	513	1683	1,30	20.1	562	1844
						N130	1,31	20.2	535	1755	1,45	22.4	586	1923
						N133	1,38	21.3	542	1778	1,53	23.6	599	1965
10,4	160	SBT	Sierra	66,0	2.598	N120	1,12	17.3	480	1575	1,25	19.3	531	1742
						N130	1,26	19.4	505	1657	1,41	21.8	558	1831
						N133	1,31	20.2	511	1677	1,45	22.4	559	1834
10,4	160	SBT	Sierra	66,0	2.598	N120	1,45	22.4	531	1742	1,61	24.8	582	1909
						N135	1,48	22.8	544	1785	1,63	25.2	598	1962
						N540								

NOTE: This cartridge is not supported by CIP or SAAMI. The maximum loads do not exceed 300 MPa.

7 mm BR Remington

Test barrel: 375 mm (14½"), 1 in 10" twist
Primers: Small Rifle
Cases: Remington, trim-to length 38,40 mm (1.512")

Bullet			Powder		Starting load		Maximum load							
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]						
6,5	100	HP	Hornady	56,0	2.205	N120	1,82	28.0	774	2539	1,93	29.8	829	2720
						N130	1,97	30.5	783	2568	2,10	32.4	838	2749
						N133	1,81	27.9	707	2318	1,94	29.9	784	2572
7,8	120	SSSP	Hornady	56,6	2.228	N120	1,67	25.8	687	2255	1,80	27.8	738	2421
						N130	1,94	30.0	714	2343	2,11	32.6	771	2530
						N133								

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7 mm BR Remington

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Bullet			Powder		Starting load		Maximum load							
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]						
9,1	140	Ballistic Tip	Nosler	60,3	2.374	N120	1,45	22.4	595	1954	1,58	24.4	640	2100
						N130	1,62	25.0	612	2006	1,73	26.7	661	2169
						N133	1,71	26.3	623	2044	1,84	28.4	671	2201
9,7	150	Ballistic Tip	Nosler	60,3	2.374	N120	1,42	21.9	576	1890	1,54	23.8	619	2031
						N130	1,54	23.8	589	1931	1,67	25.8	635	2083
						N133	1,62	25.1	595	1952	1,77	27.3	642	2106
10,4	160	HPBT	Sierra	59,7	2.350	N120	1,30	20.1	539	1770	1,42	21.9	580	1903
						N130	1,42	21.9	559	1834	1,55	23.9	602	1975
						N133	1,56	24.1	575	1886	1,69	26.1	619	2031
						N135	1,67	25.8	588	1929	1,79	27.6	630	2067

7 mm GJW

Test barrel: 380 mm (15"), 1 in 8" twist

Primers: Small Rifle

Cases: Munitionsfabrik Thun, trim-to length 48,80 mm (1.920")

Bullet			Powder		Starting load		Maximum load							
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]						
9,7	150	Ballistic Tip	Nosler	75,0	2.953	N130	1,58	24.4	613	2013	1,67	25.8	642	2106
						N133	1,65	25.5	614	2013	1,74	26.8	644	2113
						N135	1,78	27.5	629	2065	1,86	28.7	658	2159
10,9	168	HPBT	Sierra	75,0	2.953	N130	1,54	23.7	583	1913	1,63	25.2	611	2005
						N133	1,62	25.1	587	1927	1,71	26.4	617	2024
						N135	1,76	27.1	605	1984	1,83	28.2	631	2070
						N140	1,83	28.2	607	1991	1,9			

.32 S&W Long Wadcutter

Test barrel: 150 mm (6"), 1 in 18³/₄" twist
 Primers: Small Pistol
 Cases: Lapua, trim-to length 23,20 mm (0.913")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load		
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]
5,4	83	LWC	Lapua	N310	0,11	1,7	246	807	0,13	2,0
6,4	98	LWC	Lapua	N310	0,09	1,4	233	764	0,12	1,9

9 mm Browning Court (.380 Auto)

Test barrel: 82 mm (3.2"), 1 in 10" twist
 Primers: Small Pistol
 Cases: X-Treme Bullets, trim-to length 17,15 mm (0.680")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load		
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]
5,9	90	HP / XTP	Hornady	24,9	0,980	N310	0,14	2,1	246	807
				N320	0,20	3,1	266	873	0,23	3,6
				N32C	0,22	3,4	270	886	0,23	3,5
6,5	100	FMJ	Hornady	25,0	0,984	N310	0,13	2,0	232	761
				N320	0,18	2,7	243	797	0,21	3,2
				N330	0,21	3,2	243	797	0,25	3,9
6,5	100	RNFP	X-treme	24,3	0,957	N310	0,14	2,2	247	810
				N320	0,18	2,8	248	814	0,22	3,3
				N32C	0,18	2,7	239	784	0,22	3,4

9 mm Luger

Test barrel: 100 mm (4"), 1 in 10" twist
 Primers: Small Pistol
 Cases: Lapua, trim-to length 19,00 mm (0.748")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load		
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]
5,8	90	HP-XTP	Hornady	27,0	1,063	N310	0,26	3,9	369	1212
				N320	0,31	4,8	401	1316	0,34	5,3
				N330	0,36	5,6	420	1379	0,39	6,1
				N340	0,36	5,5	423	1387	0,40	6,2
				N350	0,42	6,4	424	1391	0,47	7,2
				3N37	0,42	6,4	437	1434	0,47	7,2
6,5	100	HP HS	H&N	28,0	1,102	N310	0,21	3,2	325	1066
				N320	0,27	4,2	355	1165	0,31	4,8
				N330	0,32	4,9	370	1214	0,37	5,6
				N340	0,31	4,8	372	1220	0,37	5,7
6,5	100	HP	Speer	27,5	1,083	N320	0,30	4,7	373	1222
				N330	0,35	5,4	393	1290	0,38	5,9
				N340	0,37	5,7	393	1290	0,42	6,4
				3N37	0,42	6,4	398	1306	0,47	7,3
7,5	115	HP-XTP	Hornady	29,0	1,142	N320	0,26	4,0	341	1118
				N330	0,31	4,8	356	1166	0,35	5,4
				N340	0,34	5,2	365	1198	0,38	5,9
				3N37	0,39	6,0	370	1214	0,44	6,7
				N350	0,38	5,9	373	1225	0,42	6,4
7,5	115	FMJ-RN	Lapua	29,0	1,142	N320	0,25	3,9	304	997
				N330	0,29	4,5	328	1076	0,35	5,4
				N340	0,31	4,8	344	1129	0,35	5,4
				N350	0,35	5,4	344	1129	0,42	6,5
				3N37	0,36	5,6	344	1129	0,42	6,5
7,5	115	RN	Rainier	29,0	1,142	N320	0,25	3,9	326	1068
				N330	0,30	4,7	342	1123	0,33	5,1
				N340	0,32	5,0	353	1157	0,35	5,4
				N350	0,37	5,7	364	1195	0,41	6,4
				3N37	0,39	6,1	364	1195	0,42	6,5
7,8	120	CEPP	Lapua	28,7	1,130	N320	0,24	3,7	298	978
				N330	0,29	4,5	326	1070	0,33	5,1
				N340	0,29	4,5	326	1070	0,34	5,2
				3N37	0,39	6,1	364	1195	0,42	6,5
				N350	0,29	4,5	326	1070	0,34	5,2

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9 mm Luger

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Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load			
Weight [grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [grs]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]	Weight [grs]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]
					N350	0,34	5,2	340	1115	0,38	5,9
					3N37	0,37	5,7	346	1135	0,42	6,5
8,0	124	FMJ/FP	Hornady	29,0	1,142	N320	0,25	3,9	310	1017	0,28
					N330	0,31	4,8	338	1108	0,34	5,2
					N340	0,34	5,3	347	1139	0,37	5,7
					3N37	0,39	6,1	357	1172	0,42	6,5
					N350	0,35	5,4	349	1144	0,39	6,0
8,0	124	RN	Rainier	29,0	1,142	N320	0,24	3,8	305	1000	0,27
					N330	0,27	4,2	324	1063	0,30	4,7
					N340	0,30	4,7	328	1077	0,33	5,1
					N350	0,34	5,2	340	1115	0,38	5,9
					3N37	0,35	5,4	346	1136	0,39	6,0
8,1	124	FMJ-RN	Lapua	29,0	1,142	N320	0,22	3,4	290	951	0,26
					N330	0,28	4,3	315	1033	0,32	4,9
					N340	0,29	4,5	331	1086	0,33	5,1
					N350	0,32	4,9	341	1119	0,37	5,7
					3N37	0,34	5,2	336	1102	0,40	6,2
8,0	124	Megashock	Lapua	28,7	1,130	N320	0,23	3,5	273	896	0,27
					N330	0,27	4,2	299	981	0,32	4,9
					N340	0,28	4,3	299	981	0,32	4,9
					N350	0,33	5,1	321	1053	0,37	5,7
					3N37	0,34	5,2	334	1096	0,39	6,0
8,4	130	FMJ	Sierra	29,0	1,142	N320	0,23	3,6	299	981	0,26
					N330	0,26	4,0	314	1031	0,29	4,5
					N340	0,28	4,4	325	1066	0,31	4,8
					N350	0,33	5,2	330	1083	0,36	5,5
					3N37	0,32	4,9	325	1067	0,36	5,5
					N105	0,45	7,0	351	1151	0,48	7,4
8,8	135	RNFP copper plated	X-treme Bullets	28,5	1,122	N320	0,19	3,0	246	807	0,24
					N330	0,23	3,5	270	886	0,28	4,3
					N340	0,24	3,7	277	909	0,29	4

9 mm Luger

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Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]
10,7	165	RN copper plated	X-treme Bullets	28,7	1.130	N320	0,17	2,6	211	692	0,20	3,1	250	820
						N330	0,19	3,0	224	735	0,23	3,5	264	866
						N340	0,20	3,0	227	745	0,23	3,6	265	869
						N350	0,22	3,4	233	764	0,26	4,0	275	902
						3N37	0,23	3,5	234	768	0,28	4,3	277	909
						3N38	0,28	4,4	246	807	0,35	5,4	299	981
						N105	0,33	5,1	272	892	0,39	6,0	311	1020

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Test barrel: 140 mm (5½"), 1 in 10" twist

Primers: Small Pistol

Cases: Tanfoglio, trim-to length 21,00 mm (0.826")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]
6,5	100	HP	Speer	29,0	1.142	N340	0,39	5,9	416	1363	0,43	6,6	444	1455
						3N37	0,43	6,7	427	1400	0,48	7,4	453	1485
						N350	0,46	7,0	433	1420	0,50	7,6	459	1505
						3N37	0,39	5,3	381	1248	0,38	5,9	401	1314
						N350	0,39	5,9	375	1229	0,43	6,6	402	1319
						3N37	0,39	5,9	388	1274	0,43	6,6	410	1346
						N105	0,53	8,1	410	1344	0,57	8,7	438	1435
7,5	115	FMJ	Sierra	29,5	1.161	N340	0,35	5,3	313	1027	0,40	6,2	409	1342
						3N37	0,40	6,2	324	1063	0,46	7,1	372	1220
						3N38	0,49	7,6	383	1257	0,61	9,4	452	1483
						N340	0,31	4,7	348	1142	0,34	5,2	364	1194
						3N37	0,35	5,3	354	1160	0,39	5,9	372	1222
						N350	0,35	5,3	348	1143	0,38	5,9	370	1213
						N105	0,45	6,9	372	1220	0,48	7,4	397	1301
8,0	123	FMJ	Lapua	29,5	1.161	N340	0,32	4,9	330	1083	0,37	5,7	398	1306
						3N37	0,38	5,9	345	1132	0,43	6,6	384	1260
						3N38	0,46	7,1	353	1158	0,53	8,2	406	1332
						N340	0,31	4,7	348	1142	0,34	5,2	364	1194
						3N37	0,35	5,3	354	1160	0,39	5,9	372	1222
						N350	0,35	5,3	348	1143	0,38	5,9	370	1213
						N105	0,45	6,9	372	1220	0,48	7,4	397	1301
8,0	123	FMJTC	Fiocchi	29,5	1.161	N340	0,32	4,9	330	1083	0,37	5,7	398	1306
						3N37	0,38	5,9	345	1132	0,43	6,6	384	1260
						3N38	0,46	7,1	353	1158	0,53	8,2	406	1332
						N340	0,31	4,7	348	1142	0,34	5,2	364	1194
						3N37	0,35	5,3	354	1160	0,39	5,9	372	1222
						N350	0,35	5,3	348	1143	0,38	5,9	370	1213
						N105	0,38	5,8	326	1071	0,41	6,3	347	1139

9 x 23 Winchester

Test barrel: 130 mm (5"), 1 in 16" twist

Primers: Small Pistol

Cases: Winchester, trim-to length 22,75 mm (0.896")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]
7,5	115	FMJ	Sierra	32,5	1.280	N340	0,41	6,3	425	1395	0,46	7,2	449	1474
						3N37	0,47	7,3	424	1392	0,54	8,3	462	1517
						N350	0,48	7,4	419	1374	0,57	8,8	456	1496
						3N37	0,43	6,6	397	1302	0,48	7,5	427	1400
						N350	0,45	6,9	388	1272	0,50	7,8	425	1394
						N350	0,44	6,8	391	1282	0,48	7,3	423	1386
						3N37	0,41	6,4	391	1281	0,50	7,7	432	1416
8,0	123	Megashock	Lapua	30,2	1.189	N340	0,37	5,7	382	1254	0,42	6,5	419	1373
						N350	0,44	6,8	391	1282	0,48	7,3	423	1386
						3N37	0,41	6,4	391	1281	0,50	7,7	432	1416
						N350	0,40	6,1	361	1184	0,47	7,3	405	1328
						N350	0,40	6,1	361	1184	0,47	7,3	405	1328
						N350	0,40	6,1	361	1184	0,47	7,3	405	1328
						N350	0,40	6,1	361	1184	0,47	7,3	405	1328
NOTE: This cartridge is not supported by CIP or SAAMI. The maximum loads do not exceed 300 MPa.														

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Test barrel: 130 mm (5"), 1 in 16" twist

Primers: Small Pistol

Cases: Starline, trim-to length 21,80 mm (0.858")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]

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Test barrel: 170 mm (6½"), 1 in 18" twist
 Primers: Small Pistol
 Cases: Lapua, trim-to length 29,10 mm (1.146")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load				
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]		
5,5	85	WC H-HB	H&N	N310	0,22	3,4	277	909	0,30	4,6	351	1152
				N320	0,30	4,6	283	928	0,36	5,6	357	1171
				N32C	0,29	4,5	281	922	0,38	5,9	324	1063
7,1	110	HP/XTP	Hornady	N320	0,35	5,4	342	1120	0,40	6,1	388	1272
				N340	0,40	6,2	345	1130	0,45	6,9	386	1267
				3N37	0,48	7,3	353	1156	0,53	8,2	399	1308
				N350	0,43	6,6	355	1165	0,50	7,7	398	1305
8,1	125	FP/XTP	Hornady	N320	0,32	4,9	299	981	0,37	5,6	342	1121
				N340	0,38	5,8	318	1042	0,43	6,7	359	1178
				3N37	0,44	6,8	319	1045	0,49	7,5	367	1204
				N350	0,42	6,5	323	1058	0,49	7,5	373	1224
8,1	125	FP	Rainier	N320	0,29	4,5	293	960	0,34	5,2	332	1089
				N340	0,34	5,2	306	1002	0,41	6,3	349	1146
				N350	0,38	5,9	304	997	0,45	6,9	354	1160
				3N37	0,40	6,2	310	1017	0,47	7,2	362	1187
8,1	125	Flat Point	Berry's	N310	0,31	4,7	283	928	0,36	5,5	345	1132
				N320	0,35	5,4	317	1040	0,41	6,3	375	1230
				N340	0,42	6,5	344	1129	0,47	7,2	393	1289
				N32C	0,51	7,8	333	1093	0,53	8,2	343	1125
9,1	140	HP	Speer	N320	0,30	4,6	268	878	0,35	5,3	320	1051
				N340	0,36	5,6	275	902	0,41	6,2	329	1079
				3N37	0,41	6,2	282	925	0,46	7,1	341	1117
				N350	0,40	6,2	282	925	0,45	6,9	336	1102
9,5	146	JHP	Speer	N340	0,30	4,6	261	856	0,35	5,4	306	1004
				3N37	0,35	5,4	263	863	0,40	6,1	310	1018
				N350	0,34	5,2	265	869	0,39	5,9	308	1010
9,6	148	LWC	Sako	N320	0,20	3,0	237	776	0,23	3,5	267	876
				N330	0,22	3,3	239	784	0,25	3,8	277	910
				N340	0,24	3,6	248	812	0,27	4,1	282	926
				N350	0,27	4,1	255	835	0,30	4,6	294	964
9,6	148	Double End WC	Berry's	N310	0,19	2,9	172	564	0,22	3,4	233	764
				N320	0,24	3,7	230	755	0,27	4,2	284	932
				N340	0,29	4,5	258	846	0,32	4,9	305	1001
				N32C	0,28	4,3	242	794	0,31	4,7	274	899
10,2	158	SWC copper plated	H&N	N310	0,22	3,3	239	784	0,25	3,8	269	883
				N320	0,30	4,6	270	886	0,33	5,0	309	1014
				N340	0,34	5,3	289	948	0,39	6,0	333	1093
10,2	158	Flat Point	LOS	N310	0,28	4,4	187	614	0,32	4,9	254	833
				N320	0,34	5,2	264	866	0,39	6,0	313	1027
				N330	0,38	5,8	279	915	0,42	6,5	325	1066
				N340	0,39	6,0	282	925	0,43	6,7	329	1079
				3N37	0,47	7,2	275	902	0,50	7,8	340	1115
10,2	158	SWC copper plated	X-treme Bullets	N310	0,22	3,4	206	676	0,25	3,9	265	869
				N320	0,29	4,4	263	863	0,33	5,2	304	997
				N340	0,36	5,6	287	942	0,39	6,0	325	1066
				3N37	0,42	6,5	302	991	0,45	6,9	334	1096
				N32C	0,35	5,4	266	873	0,39	6,0	303	994
10,2	158	Flat Point	Berry's	N310	0,25	3,9	213	699	0,29	4,4	272	892
				N320	0,35	5,4	273	896	0,38	5,8	317	1040
				N340	0,39	6,0	289	948	0,44	6,8	332	1089
10,2	158	HP	Speer	N320	0,25	3,9	218	715	0,30	4,6	272	892
				N340	0,32	4,9	241	791	0,37	5,6	300	983
				3N37	0,38	5,9	259	848	0,43	6,6	305	999
				N350	0,36	5,5	261	855	0,41	6,3	309	1013
10,2	158	FNCM	Gunhill	N32C	0,27	4,2	261	856	0,36	5,6	306	1004
10,2	157		H&N	N320	0,28	4,3	264	866	0,32	4,9	296	971
				N330	0,34	5,2	290	951	0,38	5,9	322	1056
				N340	0,35	5,4	291	955	0,39	6,0	329	1079

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Bullet		Powder	Starting load			Maximum load									
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]							
10,3	158	LSWC/HP			36,5	1,437	N320 ^{*)}	0,21	3,3	230	755	0,25	3,8	256	840
							N330 ^{*)}	0,23	3,6	240	787	0,27	4,1	269	883
10,2	158	FP	Rainier	37,5	1,476	N320	0,26	3,9	237	776	0,31	4,8	283	927	
							N340	0,32	4,9	247	809	0,37	5,7	295	967
							N350	0,36	5,5	261	856	0,41	6,3	306	1004
							3N37	0,37	5,6	260	853	0,42	6,5	310	1015
11,7	180	Flat Point	LOS	39,3	1,547	N310	0,24	3,8	125	410	0,27	4,2	203	666	
							N320	0,29	4,5	222	728	0,33	5,1	265	869
							N340	0,33	5,2	231	758	0,38	5,8	285	935
							3N37	0,38	5,9	240	787	0,43	6,7	293	961
							N350	0,36	5,6	246	807	0,40	6,2	298	978
11,7	180	HS HP	H&N	39,3	1,547	N310	0,24	3,7	221	725	0,27	4,2	247	810	
							N320	0,30	4,6	251	823	0,34	5,2	284	932
							N340	0,34	5,3	261	856	0,38	5,9	301	988
							3N37	0,38	5,9	268	879	0,41	6,3	308	1010
							N350	0,37	5,7	269	883	0,42	6,4	310	1017

^{*)} Cowboy Action Shooting load

.357 Magnum

Test barrel: 175 mm (7"), 1 in 18½" twist
 Primers: Small Pistol
 Cases: Remington, trim-to length 32,60 mm (1.283")

Bullet		Powder	Starting load			Maximum load		
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]

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.357 Magnum

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Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]
11,7	180	TMJ	Speer	42,6 ¹⁾	1.677	N340	0,45	6.9	321	1053	0,48	7.4	341	1118
				3N37		0,50	7.7	336	1102	0,54	8.3	358	1174	
				N350		0,47	7.3	325	1066	0,51	7.9	351	1150	
				N105		0,65	10.0	379	1243	0,71	10.9	401	1315	
				N110		0,82	12.7	382	1253	0,91F	14.0F	425	1394	
				N110		0,79	12.2	362	1188	0,83	12.8	382	1252	

F = Case full

¹⁾ The cartridge overall length exceeds the CIP maximum.

*) Cowboy Action Shooting load

.357 Remington Maximum

Test barrel: 300 mm (12"), 1 in 18½" twist

Primers: Small Rifle

Cases: Remington, trim-to length 40,60 mm (1.598")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]
10,2	158	FP/XTP	Hornady	48,0	1.890	3N37	0,70	10.8	461	1512	0,74	11.3	478	1568
				N350		0,64	9.9	443	1453	0,71	10.9	470	1541	
				N105		0,85	13.1	485	1591	0,92	14.3	513	1683	
				N110		1,21	18.7	557	1827	1,27	19.5	578	1898	
				N350		0,71	11.0	440	1444	0,78	12.0	472	1548	
				3N37		0,69	10.6	445	1460	0,75	11.5	473	1552	
10,2	158	FP	Rainier	48,0	1.890	N105	0,86	13.3	490	1608	0,94	14.5	517	1695
				N110		1,27	19.6	559	1834	1,32	20.3	581	1907	
				N105		0,79	12.2	443	1453	0,85	13.1	468	1534	
				N110		1,07	16.5	500	1640	1,12	17.3	519	1704	
				N120		1,40	21.6	516	1693	1,46	22.5	537	1762	
				N110		0,99	15.3	440	1444	1,04	16.1	460	1508	
11,7	180	Silhouette	Nosler	48,1	1.894	N120	1,30	20.1	458	1503	1,36	20.9	483	1584
				N120										

¹⁾ The cartridge overall length exceeds the CIP maximum.**.40 S&W**

Test barrel: 140 mm (5½"), 1 in 16" twist

Primers: Small Pistol

Cases: Remington, trim-to length 21,40 mm (0.843")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]
8,7	135	HP-XTP	Hornady	28,6	1.126	N320	0,34	5.2	337	1106	0,35	5.5	346	1134
				N330		0,39	6.0	348	1142	0,40	6.2	357	1172	
				N340		0,39	6.0	345	1132	0,41	6.3	357	1171	
				3N37		0,47	7.3	357	1171	0,49	7.6	369	1210	
				N350		0,43	6.6	351	1152	0,45	7.0	362	1189	
				N320		0,39	6.0	373	1224	0,40	6.2	384	1259	
8,7	135	HP	Nosler	28,6	1.126	N340	0,48	7.4	403	1322	0,50	7.8	416	1364
				3N37		0,54	8.3	403	1322	0,56	8.6	417	1367	
				N320		0,34	5.2	331	1086	0,35	5.5	340	1114	
				N330		0,39	6.0	344	1129	0,40	6.2	354	1160	
				N340		0,41	6.3	352	1155	0,43	6.6	364	1195	
				N350		0,46	7.1	357	1171	0,48	7.4	370	1213	
10,0	155	FP	Rainier	28,6	1.126	3N37	0,49	7.6	359	1178	0,51	7.9	371	1216
				N320		0,34	5.2	331	1086	0,35	5.5	340	1114	
				N330		0,39	6.0	344	1129	0,40	6.2	354	1160	
				N340		0,41	6.3	352	1155	0,43	6.6	364	1195	
				N350		0,46	7.1	357	1171	0,48	7.4	370	1213	
				N320		0,34	5.2	331	1086	0,35	5.5	340	1114	
10,7	165	TC-FMJ	PMC	28,6	1.126	N330	0,32	4.9	303	994	0,34	5.2	316	1038
				N340		0,41	6.3	334	1096	0,43	6.6	347	1137	
				3N37		0,47	7.3	343	1125	0,49	7.5	355	1166	
				N350		0,62	9.6	369	1211	0,64	9.8	382	1252	
				N320		0,34	5.2	313	1027	0,36	5.6	324	1063	
				N330		0,39	6.0	322	1056	0,41	6.3	333	1093	
11,0	170	HP	Hornady	28,6	1.126	N340	0,34	5.2	313	1027	0,36	5.6	324	1063
				3N37		0,39	6.0	322	1056	0,41	6.3	333	1093	
				N350		0,38	5.9	322	1056	0,40	6.2	333	1091	

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Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]
11,7	180	HP	Speer	28,6	1.126	N340	0,35	5.4	305					

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Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]
13,0	200	HP-XTP	Hornady	37,3	1.469	N320	0,41	6,3	270	886	0,45	6,9	294	965
						N330	0,50	7,7	287	942	0,55	8,5	315	1033
						N340	0,54	8,3	293	961	0,59	9,1	325	1066
						N350	0,59	9,1	296	971	0,64	9,9	329	1079
						N320	0,34	5,2	221	725	0,39	6,0	255	837
14,3	220	FPJ-Match	Sierra	37,3	1.469	N330	0,40	6,2	232	761	0,46	7,1	271	889
						N340	0,43	6,6	248	814	0,48	7,4	278	912
						N350	0,50	7,7	254	833	0,56	8,6	289	948
						N320	0,31	4,8	193	633	0,36	5,6	223	732
						N330	0,35	5,4	206	676	0,40	6,2	234	768
15,6	240	JTC-Sil	Hornady	37,6	1.480	N340	0,41	6,3	222	728	0,46	7,1	252	827
						N350	0,49	7,6	239	784	0,53	8,2	271	889
						N320 ¹⁾	0,30	4,7	214	702	0,38	5,9	260	853
						N330 ¹⁾	0,36	5,5	229	751	0,41	6,3	270	886
						N32C ¹⁾	0,38	5,9	238	781	0,41	6,3	255	837
16,1	248	LRNFP	Gunhill	37,2	1.465	N320	0,31	4,8	193	633	0,36	5,6	226	741
						N330	0,32	4,9	191	627	0,39	6,0	228	748
						N340	0,36	5,6	197	646	0,42	6,5	237	778
						N350	0,44	6,8	229	751	0,49	7,6	260	853
						*) Cowboy Action Shooting load								

.44 Remington Magnum

Test barrel: 175 mm (7"), 1 in 20" twist
 Primers: Large Pistol
 Cases: Remington, trim-to length 32,40 mm (1.275")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]
11,7	180	HP-XTP	Hornady	40,7	1.602	N320	0,69	10,6	407	1335	0,77	11,8	437	1432
						N340	0,84	13,0	439	1440	0,92	14,1	472	1549
						N350	0,89	13,7	448	1470	0,99	15,3	481	1578
						N105	1,23	19,0	498	1634	1,40	21,6	543	1781
						N110	1,63	25,2	492	1614	1,76	27,1	534	1751
13,0	200	HP-XTP	Hornady	40,7	1.602	N320	0,65	10,0	381	1250	0,73	11,3	408	1339
						N340	0,76	11,7	410	1345	0,84	13,0	437	1434
						3N37	0,89	13,7	433	1421	0,98	15,2	462	1515
						N350	0,83	12,8	416	1365	0,95	14,6	453	1487
						N105	1,09	16,8	459	1506	1,26	19,4	500	1642
14,3	220	FPJ-Match	Sierra	40,7	1.602	N320	0,59	9,1	350	1148	0,67	10,4	375	1232
						N340	0,72	11,1	381	1250	0,80	12,3	405	1328
						N350	0,83	12,8	402	1319	0,96	14,8	439	1441
						N105	1,08	16,7	432	1417	1,22	18,8	470	1542
						3N37	0,78	12,0	372	1220	0,86	13,3	402	1318
15,6	240	JTC-Sil	Hornady	40,7	1.602	N320	0,58	8,9	331	1086	0,63	9,7	354	1161
						N340	0,67	10,3	358	1175	0,75	11,5	380	1247
						N350	0,77	11,9	375	1230	0,83	12,8	399	1308
						N105	0,95	14,7	404	1325	1,08	16,6	437	1434
						N110	1,32	20,4	435	1427	1,43	22,1	470	1541
16,1	248	LRNFP	Gunhill	40,5	1.594	N32C ¹⁾	0,49	7,6	272	892	0,62	9,6	309	1014
						N340	0,55	8,5	314	1030	0,63	9,7	344	1130
						N350	0,65	10,0	341	1119	0,73	11,2	370	1213
						N105	0,75	11,6	366	1201	0,85	13,1	395	1295
						N105	0,87	13,4	382	1253	1,08	16,7	429	1406
17,3	267	LSWC	Hornady	40,5	1.681	N32C ¹⁾	0,50	7,7	271	889	0,60	9,3	301	988
						3N37	0,67	10,3	308	1010	0,74	11,4	336	1102
						N350	0,68	10,5	315	1033	0,76	11,7	344	1128
						N105	0,85	13,1	349	1145	0,94	14,6	375	1231
						N110	1,21	18,7	384	1260	1,31	20,2	419	1374

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 LOADS LESS THAN MINIMUM CHARGES SHOWN ARE NOT RECOMMENDED

.44 Remington Magnum

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Bullet	Powder	Starting load	Maximum load
Weight [g]	Type	Weight [g]	Weight [g]
[grs]		[grs]	[grs]
19,4	300	JSP	319
			1046
			1089
			1071
			1208
			1305

¹⁾ The cartridge overall length exceeds the CIP maximum. ^{*)} Cowboy Action Shooting load

.45 ACP

Test barrel: 127mm (5"), 1 in 16" twist

Primers: Large Pistol

Cases: Remington, trim-to length 22,70 mm (0.893")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load				
Weight [g]	Type	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]		Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]

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.45 ACP

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Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load				
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]		
13,0 200 RN copper plated	H&N X-treme Bullets	31,0 1.220	3N38 N105 N310 N320 N32C N330 N340 3N37 N350 3N38	3N38	0,60	9,2	280	919	0,70	10,8	347	1138
				N105	0,68	10,4	285	935	0,78	12,0	359	1178
				N310	0,27	4,2	254	833	0,32	4,9	285	935
				N320	0,37	5,8	274	899	0,43	6,6	315	1033
				N32C	0,40	6,1	272	892	0,47F	7,3F	309	1014
				N330	0,43	6,7	282	925	0,50F	7,7F	328	1076
				N340	0,45	6,9	286	938	0,52F	8,0F	334	1096
				3N37	0,51	7,9	282	925	0,60F	9,3F	339	1112
				N350	0,49	7,6	288	945	0,56F	8,7F	340	1115
				3N38	0,62	9,5	286	938	0,73F	11,3F	353	1158
14,6 225 FP copper plated	X-treme Bullets	29,9 1.177	N310 N320 N32C N330 N340 3N37 N350 3N38 N105	N310	0,22	3,4	191	627	0,27	4,1	231	758
				N320	0,31	4,7	225	738	0,36	5,5	269	883
				N32C	0,29	4,5	220	722	0,34	5,3	254	833
				N330	0,37	5,7	246	807	0,42	6,5	286	938
				N340	0,37	5,7	246	807	0,43	6,6	287	942
				3N37	0,43	6,6	239	784	0,50	7,8	293	961
				N350	0,40	6,2	244	801	0,47	7,3	294	965
				3N38	0,53	8,1	245	804	0,61	9,4	300	984
				N105	0,58	9,0	249	817	0,68	10,5	317	1040
				N310	0,23	3,5	217	712	0,27	4,2	248	814
14,9 230 RN copper plated	LOS	31,0 1.220	N310 N320 N330 N340 3N37 N350 3N38	N320	0,32	4,9	243	797	0,37	5,7	282	925
				N330	0,37	5,6	249	817	0,43	6,6	294	965
				N340	0,38	5,8	250	820	0,43	6,6	293	961
				3N37	0,42	6,5	243	797	0,50	7,8	295	968
				N350	0,42	6,5	253	830	0,48	7,3	297	974
				3N38	0,51	7,9	247	810	0,60	9,2	304	997

.45 Colt

Test barrel: 150 mm (6"), 1 in 16" twist

Primers: Large Pistol

Cases: Remington, trim-to length 32,50 mm (1.279")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load						
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]				
12,0 185 HP/XTP	Hornady	40,5 1.594	N320 N340 N350	N320	0,57	8,7	334	1096	0,62	9,6	360	1181		
				N340	0,71	10,9	342	1122	0,76	11,8	377	1237		
				N350	0,80	12,3	346	1135	0,86	13,2	382	1253		
				12,0 185 FN	40,5 1.594	N320	0,57	8,9	328	1076	0,62	9,6	358	1175
				N330	0,67	10,4	333	1093	0,73	11,2	367	1204		
				N340	0,72	11,1	343	1125	0,78	12,1	383	1257		
				N350	0,80	12,3	346	1135	0,88	13,6	389	1276		
				13,0 200 FMJ-CT	40,5 1.594	N320	0,52	8,1	317	1040	0,58	8,9	342	1122
				N320	0,56	8,7	326	1070	0,61	9,4	347	1138		
				N340	0,70	10,9	341	1119	0,75	11,6	364	1194		
13,0 200 LSWC	Hornady	40,5 1.594	N320 N330 N340 N350	N320	0,44	6,8	259	850	0,56	8,7	318	1043		
				N330	0,52	8,0	267	876	0,56	8,6	298	978		
				N340	0,63	9,7	301	988	0,68	10,4	330	1083		
				N350	0,69	10,7	297	974	0,72	11,2	321	1053		
				N105	0,91	14,1	296	971	0,97	15,0	344	1129		
				16,2 250 LRN	40,5 1.594	N320	0,36	5,6	229	751	0,45	6,9	279	915
				N330	0,41	6,3	238	781	0,49	7,5	293	961		
16,3 251 LRNFP	Gunhill	40,3 1.587	N32C ^{*)}	0,54	8,3	271	889	0,62	9,6	305	1001			

*) Cowboy Action Shooting load

.45 Winchester Magnum

Test barrel: 300 mm (12"), 1 in 16" twist

Primers: Large Pistol

Cases: Winchester, trim-to length 30,30 mm (1.192")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load				
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]		
12,0 185 HP/XTP	Hornady	38,5 1.516	N350 3N37 N105 N110 N110 N105 N110 N105 N110	N350	0,81	12,5	451	1478	0,99	15,3	512	1678
				3N37	0,91	14,0	507	1662	1,03	15,9	534	1750
				N105	1,13	17,4	523	1714	1,33	20,5	576	1888
				N110	1,41	21,8	495	1622	1,55	23,9	532	1744
				N110	1,41	21,8	495	1622	1,55	23,9	532	1744
				N105	0,65	10,0	309	1014	0,78	12,0	373	1224
				3N37	0,75	11,6	354	1160	0,83	12,8	401	1314
				N105	0,90	13,8	393	1289	1,03	15,8	431	1414
				N110	1,20	18,4	442	1448	1,37	21,1	481	1576

.454 Casull

Test barrel: 240 mm (9½"), 1 in 24" twist

Primers: Small Rifle

Cases: Freedom Arms, trim-to length 33,30 mm (1.311")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load		
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]

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.500 S&W Magnum

Test barrel: 280 mm (11"), 1 in 18" twist
Primers: Large Rifle
Cases: Starline, trim-to length 41,00 mm (1.614")

Bullet					Powder	Starting load				Maximum load				
Weight [g]	[grs]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm]	[in.]	Type	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]	Weight [g]	[grs]	Velocity [m/s]	[fps]
19,4	300	TMJ	Speer	51,0	2.008	3N38	1,90	29.3	535	1755	2,20	33.9	583	1913
						N105	1,98	30.6	536	1759	2,33	36.0	599	1965
						N110	2,59	40.0	570	1870	2,95	45.5	652	2139
22,7	350	HP/XTP	Hornady	50,4	1.984	3N38	1,64	25.3	468	1535	2,00	30.9	537	1762
						N105	1,75	27.0	487	1598	2,02	31.2	522	1713
						N110	2,19	33.8	521	1709	2,51	38.7	574	1883
						N120	2,76	42.6	503	1650	2,90F	44.7F	539	1768
25,9	400	JSP	Sierra	52,1	2.051	3N38	1,63	25.2	441	1447	1,85	28.5	486	1594
						N105	1,62	25.0	440	1444	2,01	31.0	505	1657
						N110	2,11	32.6	485	1591	2,42	37.3	536	1759

F = Full case

PERSONAL LOADS

VIHTAVUORI SMOKELESS LOADS FOR COWBOY ACTION SHOOTING

About the Data

These loads are developed to give the velocities required for the cowboy action shooting using revolvers with lead bullets. The maximum load is determined by the velocity limit about 300 m/s, or by the maximum pressure limit according to the CIP October 1, 1992 rules. The bold text in the tables indicate the maximum load according to CIP pressure level. The maximum loads must never be exceeded.

All the listed loads are intended to be used in modern firearms, which are according to the SAAMI requirements. Please use a competent gunsmith to evaluate that the condition of your gun is adequate to be used with the pressures indicated in the tables. The starting loads are the lowest charges which appeared to give clean burning, i.e. no unburned residues in the barrel or in the case, in our test shooting. This limit may, however vary according to the revolver used.

There are some special features, which must be considered, when using reduced loads like the ones presented in the tables below. The same facts are equally valid always when using any smokeless powder in such loads.

1) Double charges

Some of these loads are so small that throwing the load twice in the same case is possible because of the large case volume. Doubling the charge accidentally causes most probably truly lethal chamber pressures. Therefore, it is a must for everyone using this data to check visually every single load for the double charge before seating the bullet.

2) Free space in the case

When using charges which leave large amount of free space in the case, the shooting characteristics may vary largely depending on where the powder is located in the case. If the powder lies totally in the bottom of the case (i.e. in the end where primer is), the muzzle velocity and especially the maximum pressure become much higher. The maximum pressure may even be doubled when same powder charge is moved from the bullet end to the primer end of the case. This can simply be demonstrated by shaking the revolver barrel upwards or barrel downwards just before turning it smoothly in horizontal position, aiming and shooting. Also the recoil may transfer the

Warnings

Smokeless powder differs considerably in its burning characteristics from common "black powder". Black powder burns essentially at the same rate in the open (unconfined) as when in a gun. The burning rate of smokeless powder increases with increasing pressure. If burning smokeless powder is confined, gas pressure will rise and eventually can cause the container or chamber to burst. A slight increase in smokeless powder charge after maximum load causes sharp increase in maximum pressure in the chamber. **Never exceed the maximum loads.**

.38 Special

Test barrel: 125 mm (5"), 1 in 18" twist
Primers: Small Pistol
Cases: Remington, trim-to length 29,10 mm (1.146")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load				
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm] [in.]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]		
9,4	145	LSWC	37,5 1.476	N32C	0,32	4.9	307	1007	0,37	5.7	314	1030
10,2	158	FNCM	36,7 1.445	N32C	0,27	4.2	261	856	0,36	5.6	306	1004
10,3	158	LSWC/HP	36,5 1.437	N320	0,21	3.3	230	755	0,25	3.8	256	840
				N330	0,23	3.6	240	787	0,27	4.1	269	883

.357 Magnum

Test barrel: 150 mm (6"), 1 in 18½" twist
Primers: Small Rifle
Cases: Remington, trim-to length 32,60 mm (1.283")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load				
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm] [in.]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]		
10,2	158	FNCM	40,2 1.583	N32C	0,29	4.5	265	869	0,37	5.7	309	1014
10,3	158	LSWC/HP	40,0 1.575	N330	0,25	3.9	241	791	0,32	5.0	304	997
				N340	0,29	4.5	245	804	0,38	5.9	320	1050

.44 S&W Special

Test barrel: 165 mm (6½"), 1 in 18" twist
Primers: Large Pistol
Cases: Remington, trim-to length 29,30 mm (1.153")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load				
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm] [in.]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]		
15,6	240	SWC/HP	39,1 1.539	N320	0,30	4.7	214	702	0,38	5.9	260	853
				N330	0,36	5.5	229	751	0,41	6.3	270	886
16,1	248	LRNFP	37,2 1.465	N32C	0,38	5.9	238	781	0,41	6.3	255	837
17,3	267	LFN	39,1 1.539	N320	0,25	3.8	193	633	0,34	5.3	242	794
				N330	0,32	4.9	216	709	0,38	5.9	254	833
				N340	0,43	6.6	261	856	0,47	7.3	282	925

.44 Remington Magnum

Test barrel: 175 mm (7"), 1 in 20" twist
Primers: Large Pistol
Cases: Remington, trim-to length 32,40 mm (1.276")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load				
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm] [in.]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]		
16,1	248	LRNFP	40,5 1.594	N32C	0,49	7.6	272	892	0,62	9.6	309	1014
17,3	267	LFN	40,0 1.575	N340	0,38	5.9	224	735	0,49	7.5	288	945
17,3	267	LSWC	40,5 1.681	N32C	0,50	7.7	271	889	0,60	9.3	301	988

.45 Colt

Test barrel: 150 mm (6"), 1 in 16" twist
Primers: Large Pistol
Cases: Remington, trim-to length 32,50 mm (1.280")

Bullet				Powder	Starting load			Maximum load				
Weight [g]	Type/Name	Mfg	C.O.L. [mm] [in.]	Type	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]	Weight [g]	Velocity [m/s]	Velocity [fps]		
13,0	200	LRN	40,5 1.594	N320	0,44	6.8	259	850	0,56	8.7	318	1043
				N330	0,52	8.0	267	876	0,56	8.6	298	978
16,2	250	LRN	40,5 1.594	N320	0,36	5.6	229	751	0,45	6.9	279	915
16,3	251	LRNFP	40,3 1.587	N32C	0,41	6.3	238	781	0,49	7.5	293	961
				N330	0,54	8.3	271	889	0,62	9.6	305	1001

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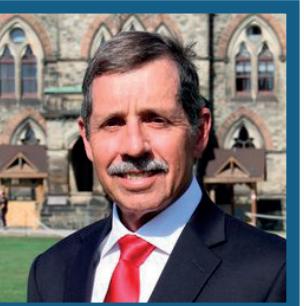
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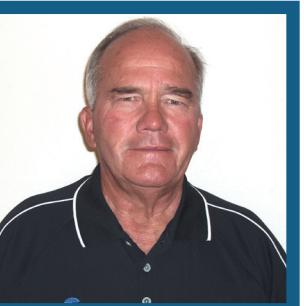
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TONY TELLO (USA) is an accomplished high power and smallbore silhouette rifle as well as Cowboy lever action shooter. He loves all Vihtavuori powders, N130, N133, N135, N140 and N150.

WAYNE CAMPBELL (USA) is a Hall of Fame and multiple World Team benchrest shooter. He uses, naturally, the Vihtavuori N133 powder.

DAN POHLABEL (USA) competes in F/TR at mid range and long range, and ELR matches like the King of 2 Miles, the NRA mile challenge, and others out to a distance of 2 miles.

GABRIELLE PITRE (USA) shoots Long-Range, Mid-Range, Across the Course Match Rifle and High Power Rifle. She has been shooting rifles competitively for four years now with great success.

IAN KLEMM (USA) started shooting F-class in 2010 and has since then excelled in the sport, with top ten results in nearly all F-class US National Championships.

JOHAN ERIKSSON (SWE) is a long range and PRS shooter. Of Vihtavuori products, Johan prefers the N100 series because it gives good barrel life and gives him the results he anticipates.

STEVE REITER (USA) is a legend of his own within bullseye pistol shooting. Through the years, he has competed in free pistol, standard pistol, air pistol and centerfire events as well as rifle.

TONY BOYER (USA) is widely regarded as the best American short-range benchrest shooter in history. He's been shooting for 40 years, has won several World Championship titles and has been named Shooter of the Year over ten times. Tony relies on his N133 to do the job.



EXPERIENCED CRAFTMANSHIP FOR THE PERFECT AMMO

For almost 100 years, Vihtavuori has been known for producing high quality propellants with reliable ballistic performance, long shelf-life and wide variety selection. All of our powders meet the strict requirements of both civilian and military needs.

Vihtavuori powders come in three different series: N100 offers traditional single base propellants for rifle calibers, N300/3N offers porous single base powders and precise measuring capability for pistol cartridges, rimfire ammunition and shotgun shells, and N500 series powders are special high energy rifle propellants enhanced with nitroglycerin for extra ballistic performance.

N100 Reloading Powders for Rifles

	N110	N120	N130	N133	N135	N140	N150	N160	N165	N170	24N41	20N29
Bulk density (g/l)	800	860	870	870	870	910	910	920	920	960	970	960
Energy content (J/g)	3950	3700	3750	3600	3550	3700	3750	3650	3500	3700	3700	3600

N300 Reloading Powders for Handguns

	N310	N320	N32C	N330	N340	N350	3N37	3N38	N105
Bulk density (g/l)	560	550	420	620	620	660	720	730	730
Energy content (J/g)	4100	4100	3050	4100	4100	4100	4100	4000	3950

N500 High Energy Reloading Powders for Rifles

	N530	N540	N550	N560	N565	N570
Bulk density (g/l)	930	940	940	960	960	960
Energy content (J/g)	3950	4000	3900	4000	4000	4000

Relative burning rate of powder types mentioned above decreases from left to right.

CONSUMER PACKAGE INFORMATION

Consumer package, bottle 0,6 ltr (36,6 in ³) Measures: sides & height 95 x 75 x 140 mm	net weight	gross weight
N110, N120, N130, N133, N135, N140, N150, N160, N165, N170	1.0 lbs	1.1 lbs
N530, N540, N550, N560, N565, N570	1.0 lbs	1.1 lbs

Consumer package, bottle 1,2 ltr (73,2 in ³) Measures: sides & height 95 x 75 x 226 mm	net weight	gross weight
N110, N120, N130, N133, N135, N140, N150, N160, N165, N170	1,0 kg	1,1 kg
24N41, 20N29, N530, N540, N550, N560, N565, N570	1,0 kg	1,1 kg
N310, N320, N32C, N330, N340, N350, 3N37, 3N38, N105	0,5 kg	0,6 kg
N310, N320, N32C, N330, N340, N350, 3N37, 3N38, N105	1.0 lbs	1.2 lbs

Consumer package, canister 4,5 ltr (274,6 in ³) Measures: sides & height 135 x 189 x 260 mm	net weight	gross weight
N110, N140, N150, N160	3,5 kg	3,7 kg
N310, N320, N340, 3N37, 3N38	2,0 kg	2,2 kg
N110, N120, N130, N133, N135, N140, N150, N160, N165, 24N41, 20N29	8.0 lbs	8.4 lbs
N310, N320, N330, N340, N350, 3N37, 3N38	4.0 lbs	4.4 lbs

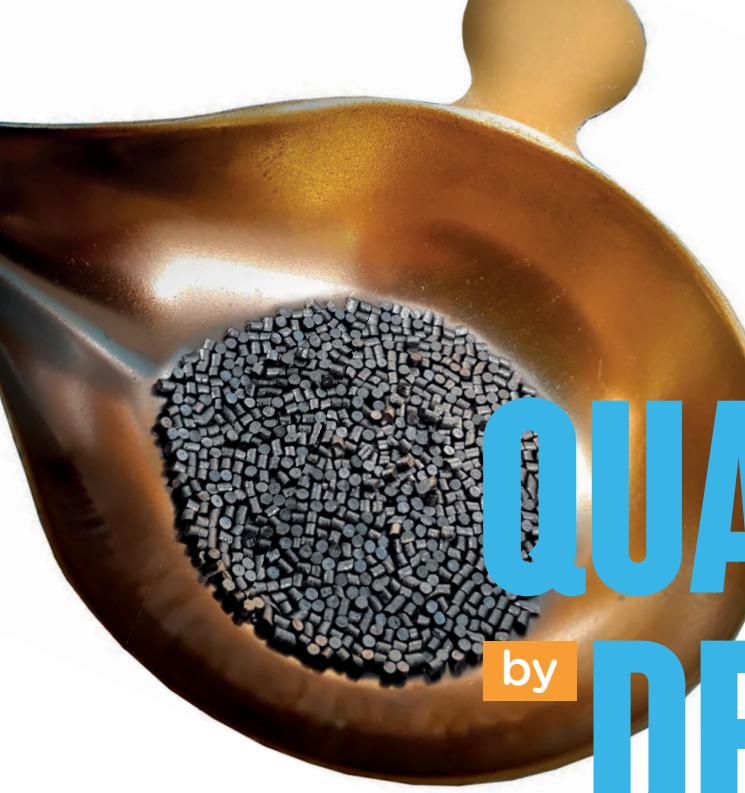
All Vihtavuori reloading powders are packed into bottles and canisters and further in cardboard boxes.

LOT NUMBER

All Vihtavuori powder bottle labels have a white area with specific information shown in number sequences. The lot information is shown after item number (10). For instance, the lot number in the example picture is 150080.

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(11)160125(240)T10128(10)	
150080	
(3100)000001(3303)001113	
(3203)002205(3403)002498	





QUALITY by DESIGN

Manufacturing propellants entirely in-house ensures their high quality. All Vihtavuori powders are made using nitro-cellulose produced by cotton linters at our own plant. Premium quality Vihtavuori powders deliver consistently flawless firing performance – for you this means reliable reloading and ammunition you demand.

Each stage of the production process is subject to stringent quality control by the Vihtavuori experts to ensure that each production lot has the exact ballistic performance required. Each and every batch produced is inspected by comparing them to selected reference batches.

All Vihtavuori powders for small arms are extruded propellants. Propellant grains are perforated cylinders of various sizes, flat ribbon flakes or other shapes extruded for special applications. The grain geometry of different powder types provides the wanted combustion characteristics for the chosen cartridge application.

The estimated shelf-life of Vihtavuori powders is a minimum of 10 years, if stored and sealed in its original containers at a temperature circa 68°F and relative humidity of 55 -65%.

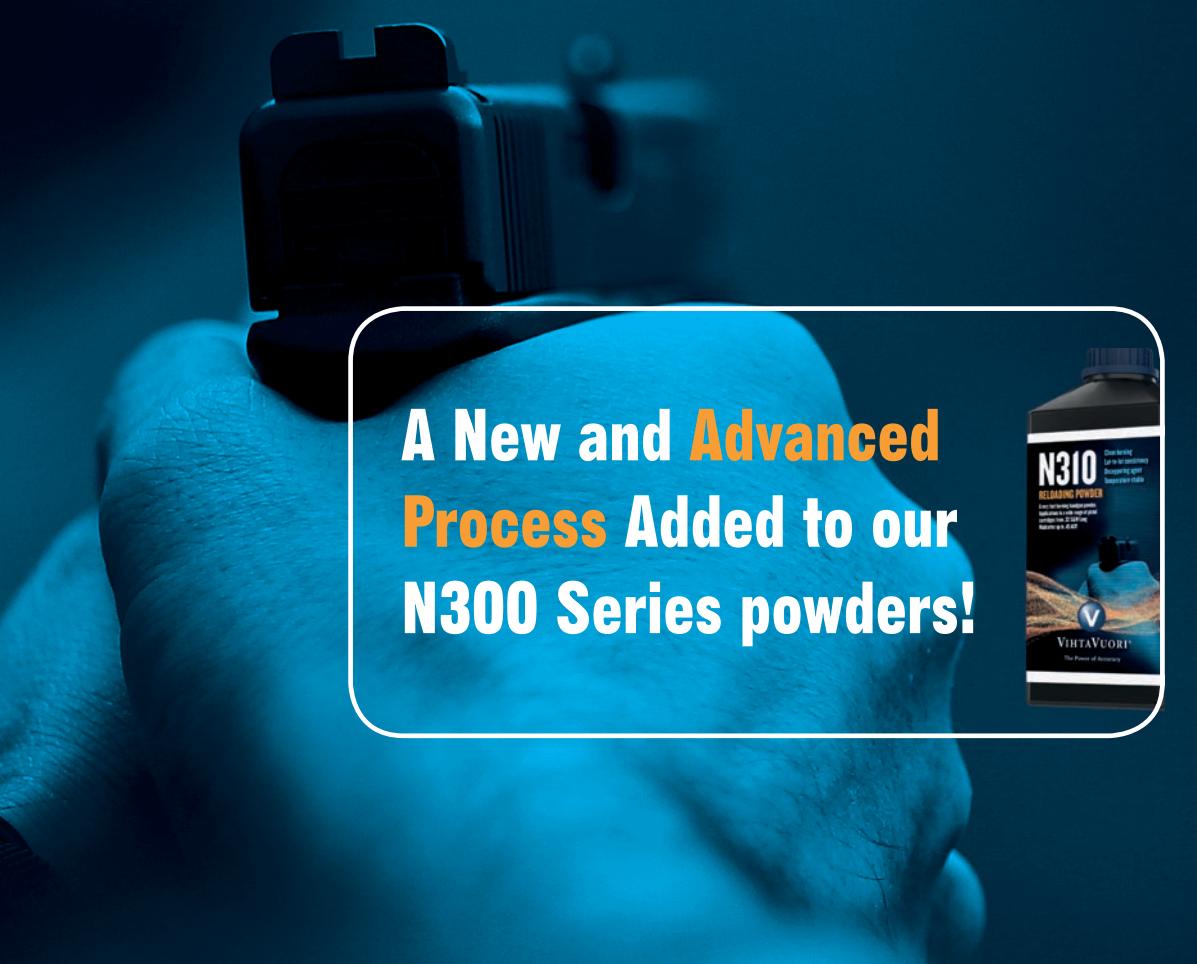
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Major improvements

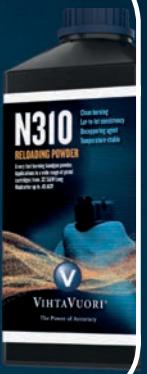
Vihtavuori is pleased to announce that we have recently undertaken some major improvements in the production of our high-quality N300 series powders.

This newest change involves the application of graphite as a finishing step in production. As always, our powders undergo a stringent series of quality control checks throughout the manufacturing process. Before it ever ends up in a reloading bottle, we've checked and rechecked it at every step of the way. Our goal is to continuously improve our powders to give our customers every possible competitive advantage.

In this latest improvement, we have changed the manner in which the nearly completed powder is given its final coating. Graphite is added to the surface of these powders during the vacuum drying stage. The graphite serves to eliminate static electricity, and makes the finished powder flow smoothly and evenly through loading machines and powder measures.



A New and Advanced Process Added to our N300 Series powders!





The Vihtavuori 8-pound powder container has been redesigned for better stability and endurance.

NEW PACKAGE!
Better
Harder
Stronger!

We want to know where our Guides go!

If you're on Instagram, join our contest for the chance to win a **Vihtavuori t-shirt and hat** at the end of 2019! **To enter, simply:**

- Take a selfie with the 2019 Vihtavuori Reloading Guide
- Post on your Instagram account with the hashtags **#vihtavuori** and **#vvguideishere**
- Tag our Instagram account **@vihtavuori_powders**
- In your post, tell us where you and your Reloading Guide are at!

At the end of the year 2019, we'll be drawing one lucky winner from all entries. Contest only applicable for printed Reloading Guide. See other rules on our website at vihtavuori.com/resources/contests/



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