

# TECHNICAL DATA & USAGE SHEET 5.56mm TBR



#### Identifiers

Designation: 5.56mm TBR

Origin: United Kingdom/United States

P/N: 01-3125 NSN (NATO): TBC

Gross Package: Cardboard Carton containing 30 Boxes of 30 rounds (in boxes).

303mm (11.93in) x 184mm (7.24in) x 152mm (5.98in) (L x H x D)

Gross Weight 6.5kg (14.3lb), NEQ 0.06kg (0.13lb)

# **Cartridge Components**

Cartridge Case: Aluminium Cartridge Assembly: 6g

Cartridge Overall Length: 53mm / 2.09 in

Front Primer: Boxer Primer

Rear Primer: .22 Blank / Power Load

Projectile: See "Projectile Components" (Projectile is powered by

primer only).

# **Projectile Components**

Projectile Mass: 0.43g / 6.6gr

Projectile Assembly: An Aluminium Base Cup covered with a Red Plastic Dome.

#### **Ballistics**

Average Muzzle Energy: Avg 14.4 Joules / 10.6ft/lbs Average Muzzle Velocity: Avg 259m/sec (850fps) Accuracy: 25mm (0.98in) at 25m/27yds (mean radius)

Maximum Effective Range for Training: Approximately 75m / 82yds Optimum Effective Range for Training: Approx. 50m / 55yds & closer. Surface Danger Zone (SDZ): 324m / 354yds minimum safe distance.

# **Operational Data**

Noise Levels: Peak 134dB (Indoors).

Operational Temperature Range: -32°C to 49°C (-26°F to 120°F) Compatible Weapon Types: 5.56mm/.223 Sprung Ejection SLR's.

### Storage

Shelf Life: Minimum six years in original packaging (Following recommended storage conditions). Recommended Storage: Dry environment, max storage temperature 40°C / 104°F

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18 months in original packaging (Following recommended storage conditions).

European Patent number: 1228342 additional patents pending. US patent numbers: 6253682, 6371028, 6427600, 6095051, 6378439,6422149, 6415718, 6564719 UTM, Ultimate Training Munitions, and the "Breech" logo design are trademarks belonging to UTM Ltd.





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#### Purpose

- This round is NOT for Force-on-Force use. This is a target round
- Intended for use as a training round in shorter range situations such as shoot houses, 25-meter ranges or in MOUNT/FIBUA ranges during CQB type training.
- Specifically designed so that its impact energy is only 15 Joules (11.1) ft lbs) on average.

#### Characteristics

- Normal weapon function and recoil.
- Limited Penetrations Singular shots will not penetrate ¾" plywood. reducing damage to training facilities, target traps, etc.
- Reliable and accurate short range Lethal CQB Target Training.
- Safety the 5.56mm TBR cartridge has a recessed rim fire power load and will only function in a UTM TBR conversion.
- An accurate and reliable alternative to "Live" ammunition (SRTA, COT. Frangible, Ball) for CQB Target Based Training.
- Realistic and consistent cyclic rates in semi-automatic and automatic weapons, which match "Live" fire.
- Surpasses "Live Fire" reliability.
- Minimal environmental impact low emission and available in non-toxic option only.



#### Available Alternatives (5.56mm TBR)

- Fixed Ejector Weapon Ammunition
- Linked (LMG) Ammunition.

For more information on
product alternatives and
usage please contact UTM
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# **Usage Guidelines**

- This round is NOT for Force-on-Force use. This is a target round ONLY.
- UTM TBR converted weapons must be fired "clean and dry" in the weapon bore and barrel. NO LUBRICATION IN THE BARREL.
- Appropriate eye protection (safety glasses or goggles) is mandatory.
- Intended only for supervised training conducted in accordance with UTM safety training protocols by military, law enforcement or professional training and security organizations.
- Keep all ammunition out of the reach of children.
- UTM assumes no responsibility for injuries, loss or damage resulting from misuse of this or any of its products.
- Before using any UTM product, the end user must consult, and comply with, as applicable, all laws, rules, regulations, local ordinances, health and safety regulations, and safety practices recognized as standard in the firearms industry and for related training. The end user of any UTM product is solely responsible for any and all compliance in this regard.

#### **WARNINGS**

UTM Target Bullet Rounds are potentially lethal and should always be handled under the same guidelines as standard "live duty" ammunition.

When converting back to 'Duty' use, ensure that the chamber and bore have been cleaned, cleared of all debris, objects or projectiles and inspected before firing a live round. Failure to ensure that the barrel of the host weapon is free form obstruction could result in damage to the barrel and/or injury to the operator.