



5.56 MM F3 BLANK AMMUNITION

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CHARACTERISTICS

Length of complete round	55.5 mm (Max)
Cartridge weight	7.5 g
Propellant Type	Single base solvent propellant

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IN THE BATTLE SINCE 1888

Australian Munitions' 5.56 mm F3 blank ammunition conforms to the design parameters of the Australian Defence Force (ADF). It can be used in all 5.56 mm calibre NATO weapons employing long nose blank ammunition fitted with the appropriate blank firing attachment.

Our 5.56 mm F3 blank ammunition is manufactured at our Benalla munitions facility and its performance is optimised for use by the ADF in the EF88 individual weapon and the F89 Minimi light support weapon.

SPECIAL FEATURES

Australian Munitions' 5.56 mm F3 blank ammunition employs a specially designed single base propellant. The propellant is primarily nitrocellulose with added stabiliser and ballistic moderants. The propellant has extremely clean burning characteristics and is an excellent replacement for those propellants that exhibit weapon fouling. The propellant maintains excellent repeatability over the working temperature range. Our 5.56 mm F3 blank ammunition can be tailored to meet customer-specific requirements by modification of the propellant.

Australian Munitions' long nose blank offers superior reliability and performance in EF88.



PACKAGING

Our 5.56 mm F3 blank ammunition can be supplied in the following standard packaging configurations:

- Loose pack (1,080 rounds per M2A1)
- Linked (200 rounds per belt)
- Plastic film pack (900 rounds per M2A1 container).

These configurations are packed in standard military package containers, details of which can be supplied upon request. Our 5.56 mm F3 blank ammunition will be shipped in packages conforming to the UN recommendations for packaging of dangerous goods. The packages are classified as Hazard Division 1.4S, UN Number 0014, Proper Shipping Name – Cartridges, Small Arms, Blank.



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