

**Shooting Tests on Backstopp Netting ( 4 Base Types)**

Date: **11th June 2010**

Location: Rossach, Fa. Bearpaw; 3D - Parcours, Warmup Shooting range  
 Tests conducted: from 14:30 PM to 21:30 PM  
 Weather: Sunny, Temperature approx. 25 °C  
 Wind at shooting range: Zero to 1;

Bow 1: Field Star Recurve Take Down: **30 lbs** at 29.5 inch draw length  
 Bow 2: Quick Stick Langbogen: **50 lbs** at 29.5 inch draw length

	Arrow#:	Weigth		Speed*)	
		in grain	in gramm	in ft/sec.	in m/sec.
<b>Arrows for Bow 1: **)</b>	1	232	15,0	173,8	53,0
Carbon Impact	2	231	15,4	171,8	52,4
Traditional Hunter Extra Light	3	232	15,5	177,0	53,9
Plastic Fletches 3 "	4	230	15,3	170,3	51,9
Shaft / Tip Dia.: 5,66 mm	5	231	15,4	175,5	53,5
Tip Bullet Form					
Av. Value		231,2	<b>15,3</b>	173,7	<b>52,9</b>

**Average Kinetic Energy:** =  $1/2 m * v^2$  **21,5** Joule (Ws)

<b>Arrows for Bow 2:</b>	1	350	22,7	190,6	58,1
Gold Tip, Expedition Hunter	2	347	23,1	186,4	56,8
Hardwood Green 500 28"	3	353	23,5	194,6	59,3
4"5 Saubuckel	4	353	23,5	194,0	59,1
Bearpaw Natural Feathers	5	358	23,9	188,2	57,4
Shaft / Tip Dia.: 7,92 / 4,38 mm					
Tip 3D - Combo / Step Tip	Av. Value	352,2	<b>23,3</b>	190,8	<b>58,1</b>

**Average Kinetic Energy:** =  $1/2 m * v^2$  **39,5** Joule (Ws)

\*) Arrow Speed measured with **Easton Easton Bow Force Mapper** - Speed measurement device; Measurements conducted before shooting on test objects!

\*\*) Some **arrows were replaced** during the shooting event because of destroyed fletches

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Shooting Distances: 10 m  
 15 m not all nets were tested in that range  
 18 m  
 30 m  
 50 m

Shooting Frequence: each bow: 15 shoots on net at each distance; making total 30 shots per distance; total each net has seen at least 120 hits!

Target area: eye hight (1.7 m from Ground)  
 middle of net from both sides apart

Shooting: Shooters always pulled the full draw length acc. speed measurement base settings!  
 Shooting breaks were built in to maintain these critical base parameters!  
 Always shooting run of 5 shoots (3 times totally) were done and the results were documented each time;  
 totally 15 shoots on each net at each distance with each bow were done!

Test Evaluation 3 Categories were determined:

Pass 1: (P1) Arrow was stopped by the net, did not penetrate it and dropped before the net to the ground  
 Pass 2: (P2) Arrow did penetrate the net; but still stucked into it  
 Failure: (F) Arrow was shot through net

## Shooting Tests Backstopp Netting

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### Parameter of Tested Nets

item #	Backstopp Net Types		Net Dimensions in m		Distance bottom edge from ground in m	Sewing structure holes	Hole Diameter in mm
			High	Width			
1	Bearpaw Products Net	green	3,00	3,00	0,30	slightly oval	2.0 / 2.5
1a	Bearpaw Products Net - treated	white	3,35	4,00	0 *)	slightly oval	2.0 / 2.5
2	German Producer	light green	2,80	3,15	0,50	tight net	na
3	American Supplier	white	3,20	3,00	0,10	oval	1.9 / 2.9
4	European Supplier	green	3,15	5,00	0,15	oval	2.2 / 2.5

Mounting of Nets: Nets were hooked up with standard plastic hocks; on coated steel wire; standard item in industry  
Nets were generally not stretched in length, hanging with natural folds

\*) touching ground

**Test Results**

	Net 1			Net 1a			Net 2			Net 3			Net 4		
<b>10 m</b>	P1	P2	F	P1	P2	F	P1	P2	F	P1	P2	F	P1	P2	F
<b>Bow 30 lbs</b>	2	1	2	na	na	na	4	0	1	0	2	3	3	2	0
	2	1	2	na	na	na	5	0	0	0	0	5	1	2	2
	1	2	2	na	na	na	2	1	2	1	3	1	1	3	1
<b>Bow 50 lbs</b>	4	0	1	na	na	na	1	2	2	2	0	3	3	0	2
	4	0	1	na	na	na	0	0	5	2	0	3	4	0	1
	4	0	1	na	na	na	2	1	2	1	0	4	3	0	2
<b>Summery</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>

	Net 1			Net 1a			Net 2			Net 3			Net 4		
<b>15 m</b>	P1	P2	F	P1	P2	F	P1	P2	F	P1	P2	F	P1	P2	F
<b>Bow 30 lbs</b>	2	3	0	2	1	2	2	0	3	1	4	0	2	2	1
	3	2	0	0	5	0	2	2	1	0	3	2	1	3	1
	2	3	0	3	2	0	3	0	2	0	4	1	2	3	0
<b>Bow 50 lbs</b>	1	0	4	3	0	2	0	1	4	1	0	4	3	0	2
	3	0	2	3	0	2	0	1	4	1	0	4	3	0	2
	4	1	0	3	0	2	0	0	5	4	0	1	2	0	3
<b>Summery</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>

	Net 1			Net 1a			Net 2			Net 3			Net 4		
<b>18 m</b>	P1	P2	F	P1	P2	F	P1	P2	F	P1	P2	F	P1	P2	F
<b>Bow 30 lbs</b>	3	1	1	2	2	1	4	0	1	2	3	0	0	3	2
	4	0	1	1	4	0	4	1	0	1	3	1	0	2	3
	2	3	0	3	2	0	5	0	0	1	3	1	3	0	2
<b>Bow 50 lbs</b>	5	0	0	3	1	1	1	0	4	4	0	1	2	0	3
	5	0	0	4	0	1	1	0	4	3	0	2	2	0	3
	4	1	0	4	0	1	1	2	2	2	0	3	5	0	0
<b>Summery</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>13</b>

	Net 1			Net 1a			Net 2			Net 3			Net 4		
<b>30 m</b>	P1	P2	F	P1	P2	F	P1	P2	F	P1	P2	F	P1	P2	F
<b>Bow 30 lbs</b>	2	3	0	na	na	na	4	0	1	1	4	0	2	3	0
	1	4	0	na	na	na	2	0	3	1	4	0	1	3	1
	3	2	0	na	na	na	4	0	1	2	3	0	2	1	2
<b>Bow 50 lbs</b>	5	0	0	4	0	1	2	0	3	2	1	2	1	0	4
	4	0	1	4	0	1	1	2	2	3	2	0	4	0	1
	5	0	0	4	0	1	0	1	4	1	0	4	4	0	1
<b>Summery</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>9</b>

	Net 1			Net 1a			Net 2			Net 3			Net 4		
<b>50 m</b>	P1	P2	F	P1	P2	F	P1	P2	F	P1	P2	F	P1	P2	F
<b>Bow 30 lbs</b>	3	2	0	na	na	na	3	0	2	2	3	0	1	3	1
	2	3	0	na	na	na	5	0	0	0	5	0	1	4	0
	2	3	0	na	na	na	4	0	1	0	5	0	3	2	0
<b>Bow 50 lbs</b>	5	0	0	na	na	na	1	0	4	4	0	1	4	0	1
	5	0	0	na	na	na	2	0	3	3	0	2	4	0	1
	3	1	1	na	na	na	2	0	3	4	0	1	4	0	1
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TOTAL: 80 27 13 29 9 7 60 10 50 42 41 37 58 28 34

total failure rate: 11% NA 42% 31% 28%