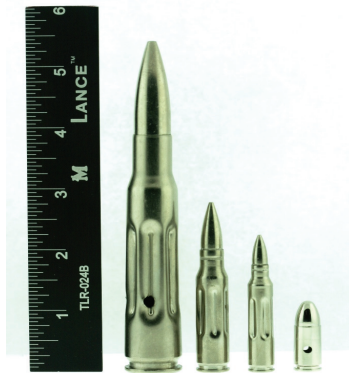


Small Caliber Dummy Ammunition, 5.56MM M199A1, 7.62MM M63A1, .50 Caliber M2A1 and 9MM M917A1

- Dummy ammunition is inert ammunition used for maintenance operations and weapons familiarity training purposes.



- Physical description – The entire cartridge is silver in color with a fluted cartridge case, no primer, and no fill. .50 Caliber Dummy Cartridges have three holes in the cartridge case. (NOTE: 9MM has holes but is not fluted)
- Prior to use, Dummy ammunition should be inspected for serviceability. Serviceability Criteria:
 - Nickel Plating Worn
 - Cartridge Case Extractor Lip Chipped or Cracked
 - Projectile Loose or out of Alignment with Cartridge Case
- Dummy rounds will not be modified by remarking or painting. All unserviceable dummy ammunition will be turned into the ammunition supply point for replacement.
- Dummy ammunition will be stored in metal ammunition containers and marked with the appropriate nomenclature. **Warning: Dummy and live rounds will not be mixed or stored in the same container.**
- At all times dummy ammunition will be kept separate from live ammunition when stored on Training Ranges.
- All personnel will be able to immediately identify a dummy or a live round even if belted.
- Do not touch, pick up, or introduce found / foreign / unknown ammunition into any training exercise. Contact area / range safety personnel for disposition on any found / foreign / unknown items of ammunition.