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3.04 Firearms

# A. Parts of a Gun

1. Where do you find rifling on a gun?

2. In revolvers this strikes the bullet case when the trigger is pulled.

3. What is the long tube called that bullet travels through before exiting the firearm?

4. What part of the gun actually marks the bullet with its unique characteristic?

5. Which part of the gun initiates the firing of the bullet?

# B. Parts of a Cartridge

6. How is the size of the bullet measured?

7. What is the cartridge made of?

8. What is a “blank?”

9. What produces the spark to ignite the gunpowder?

10. What measurement is used to determine the caliber?

11. Why is the cartridge case important in forensic science investigation?

# C. Bullet Characteristics

12. What term refers to tiny, microscopic scratches on the surface of a bullet?

13. What is a rifling impression?

14. What is the rifling number?

15. What effect does the rifling direction have on a bullet?