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We know that Barnes Banded Solids are normally an excellent performer here and in the field. Even the 250 gr 338 caliber version is superb. But all that we have worked with here have a different nose profile and bigger meplats than the 9.3s have. On average all other Barnes Banded that we have worked with are 65% meplat of caliber, or slightly better depending on the measurement. The 9.3 versions come in at 47% meplat of caliber, which is not enough to stabilize. Even Round Nose solids do as well, or better. As far as I am concerned, the 9.3 Barnes Banded is a poor design. All the rest are superb. Why? Don't have a clue why Barnes would change the nose profile and make such a tiny meplat for the 9.3s.

Michae

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To further prove this point, lets look at the bullets that Sam turned out for the test work.

First, the Lineup once again for review





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The 270 gr Sam 9.3 had anomaly as you can see. One penetrated 59 inches, while the other was 48 inches. The bullet going 59 inches veered off course some and found a void along the sides. I believe 48-50 inches would be normal for this bullet. Also, this nose profile is somewhat different than the rest of the bullets tested???



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Both the 318 and 270 versions were far too long for the 9.3 B&Ms magazine. Chamber and shooting no issues. Sams 265 gr version was my favorite of the group, fit well in the magazine of the WSM rifle and feed and function was no issue.



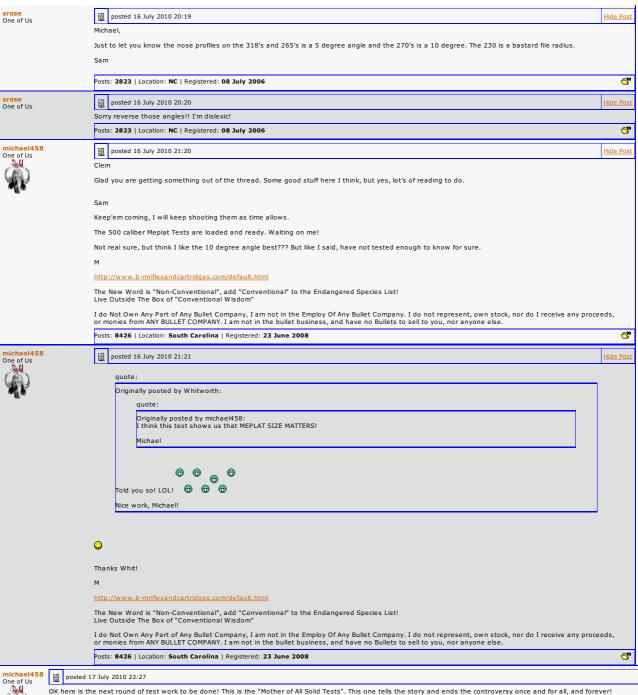
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Anyone care to speculate on outcome? Not depth of penetration, behavior of bullets??? Will use a 50 B&M with 1:12 Twist Rate! Come on now, what's going to happen???? A prize for the one who is closest to the overall outcome??? Speak up! This is it, THE TEST OF ALL TESTS!







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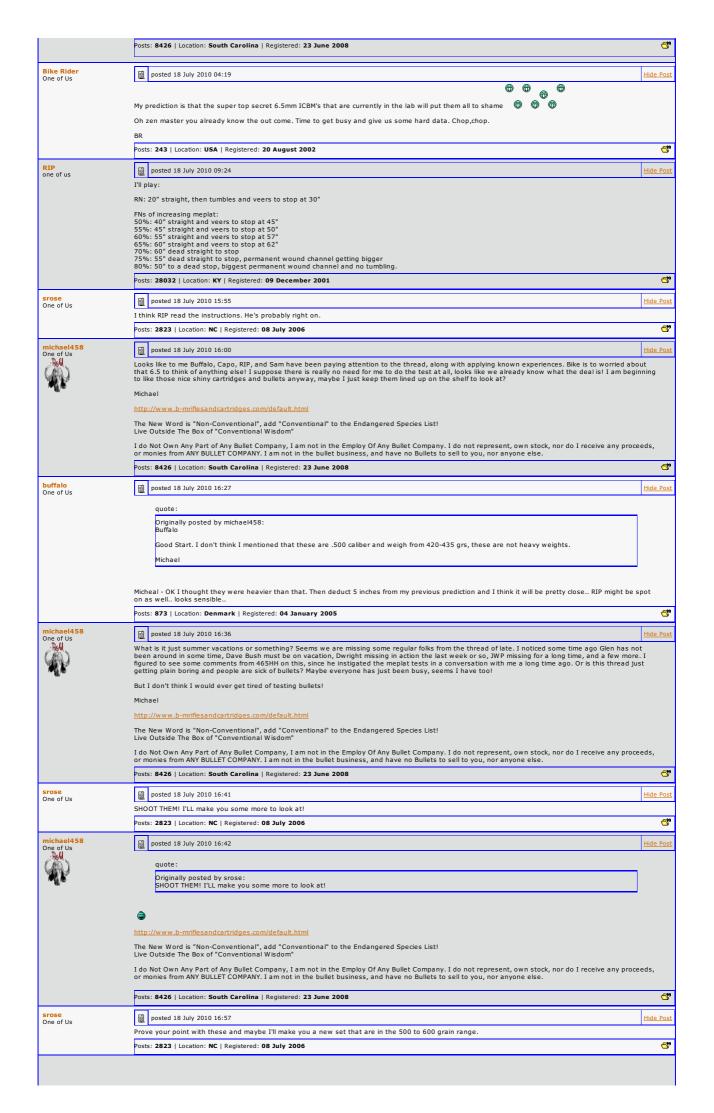
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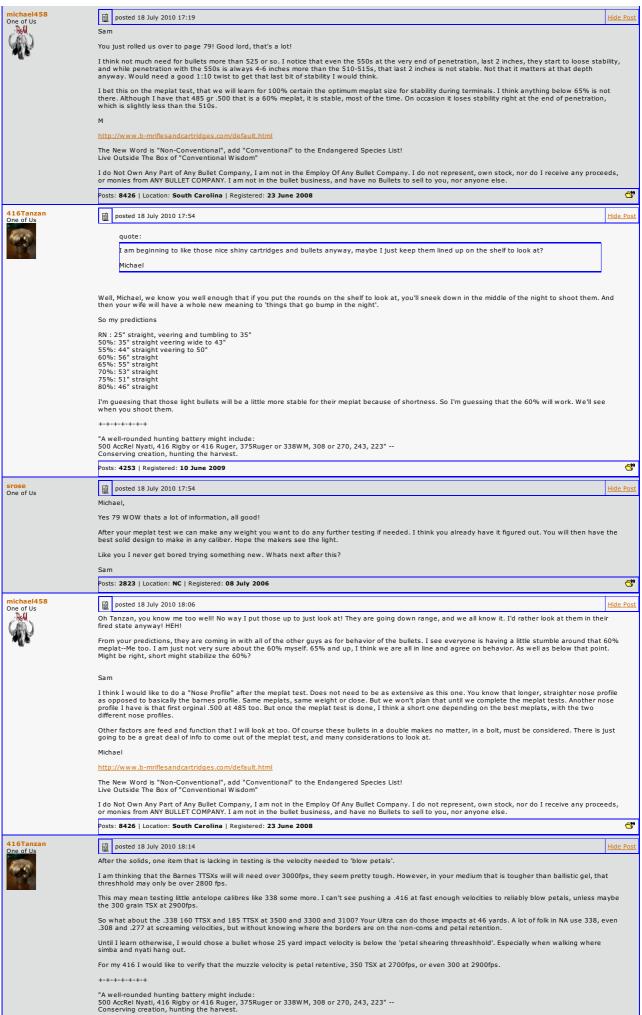
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Posts: 8426 | Location: South Carolina | Registered: 23 June 2008 buffalo One of Us posted 17 July 2010 23:48 Hide Pos well. RN and FN <60% meplat will tumble and veer off course. 60%meplat will be stable with 1-12" twist - probably. Guess 60-62" penetration. 65% - 62-64 inch penetration and straight. More than 65% will penetrate straight but less. probably in the 50-60" rannge depending on meplat size - largest meplat penetrate less. Posts: 873 | Location: Denmark | Registered: 04 January 2005 €" michael458 One of Us posted 18 July 2010 00:08 Hide Pos Buffalo Good Start. I don't think I mentioned that these are .500 caliber and weigh from 420-435 grs, these are not heavy weights. I asked Sam to make them in this weight range so I could reach a little higher velocity in the 50 B&M. So I doubt very seriously they will make the 60 inch depth. I would think 50s would be high end depth, maybe a little less. But depth does not matter in this test, it's bullet behavior we are after anyway. Which of course you know, and addressed proper too. Excellent start I think, ok, who else? Michael http://www.b-mriflesandcartridges.com/default.html The New Word is "Non-Conventional", add "Conventional" to the Endangered Species List! Live Outside The Box of "Conventional Wisdom" I do Not Own Any Part of Any Bullet Company, I am not in the Employ Of Any Bullet Company. I do not represent, own stock, nor do I receive any proceeds, or monies from ANY BULLET COMPANY. I am not in the bullet business, and have no Bullets to sell to you, nor anyone else. Posts: 8426 | Location: South Carolina | Registered: 23 June 2008 **63°** srose One of Us posted 18 July 2010 00:11 They all look great loaded up. I'm going to say the 65% will go 66 inches and the 80% 58 inches. Both dead straight. The RN will go 14 to 15 inches and then turn sideways and stop at around 36 inches. This is what the master has taught me! Posts: 2823 | Location: NC | Registered: 08 July 2006 €" powa ne of Us posted 18 July 2010 00:14 Hide Pos Originally posted by buffalo: well. RN and FN <60% meplat will tumble and veer off course. 60%meplat will be stable with 1-12" twist - probably. Guess 60-62" penetration 65% - 62-64 inch penetration and straight. More than 65% will penetrate straight but less. probably in the 50-60" rannge depending on meplat size - largest meplat penetrate less.. The 60% meplat will also veer off course...otherwise I agree with your predictions. Jim "Life's hard; it's harder if you're stupid" John Wayne Posts: 4954 | Location: Central Texas | Registered: 15 September 2007 €" posted 18 July 2010 02:58 Good Start guys, keep it up, let's hear from some more, quick lurking and jump in! Now is your chance to show what you "Think You Know". Or, how about what we have learned right here?

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