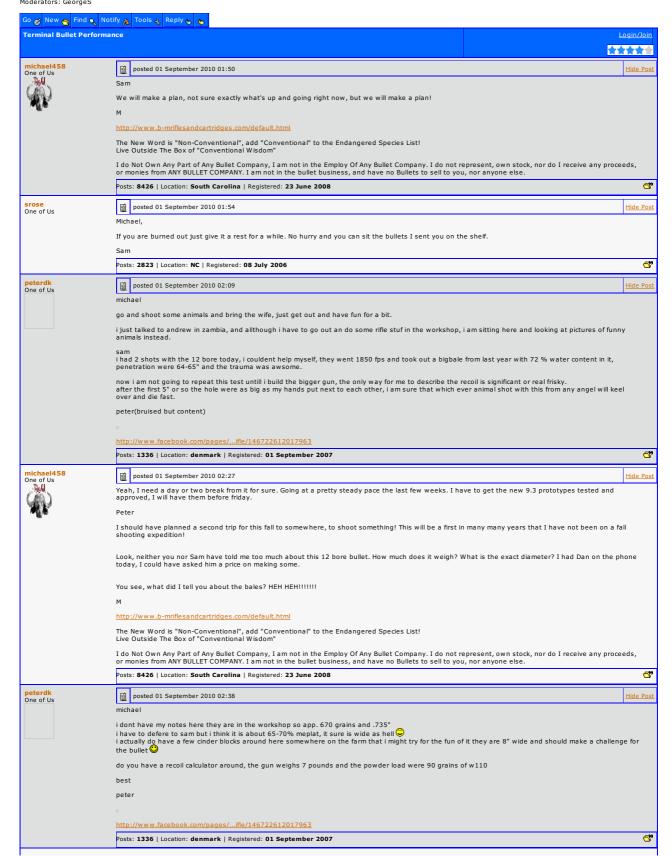
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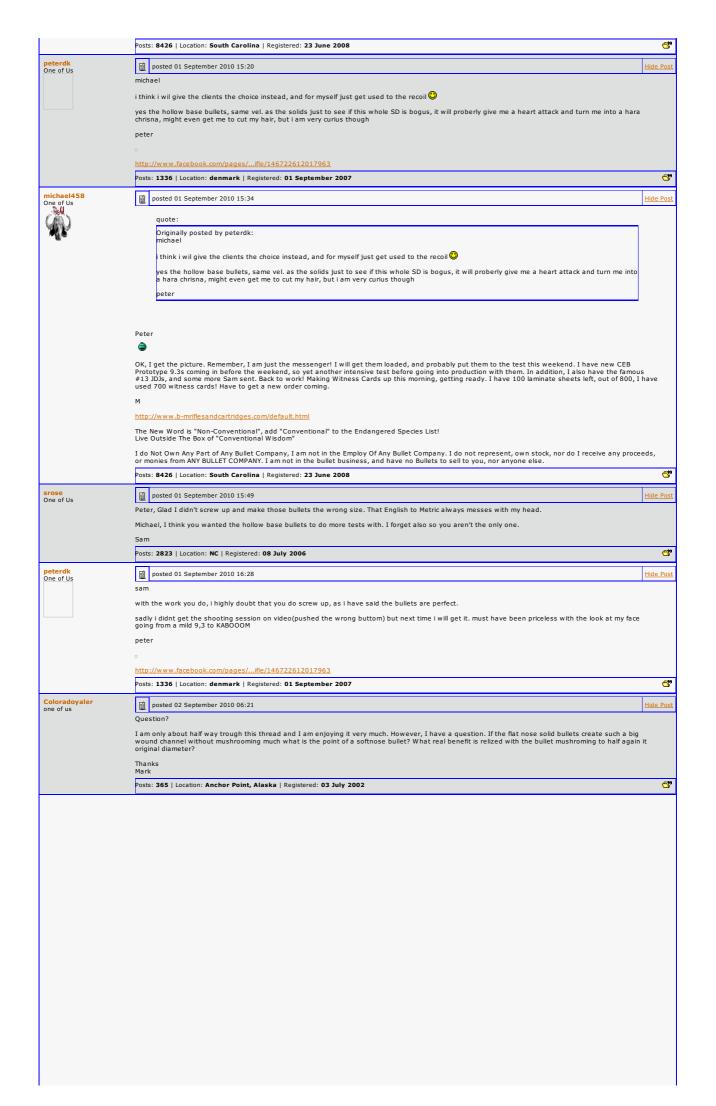
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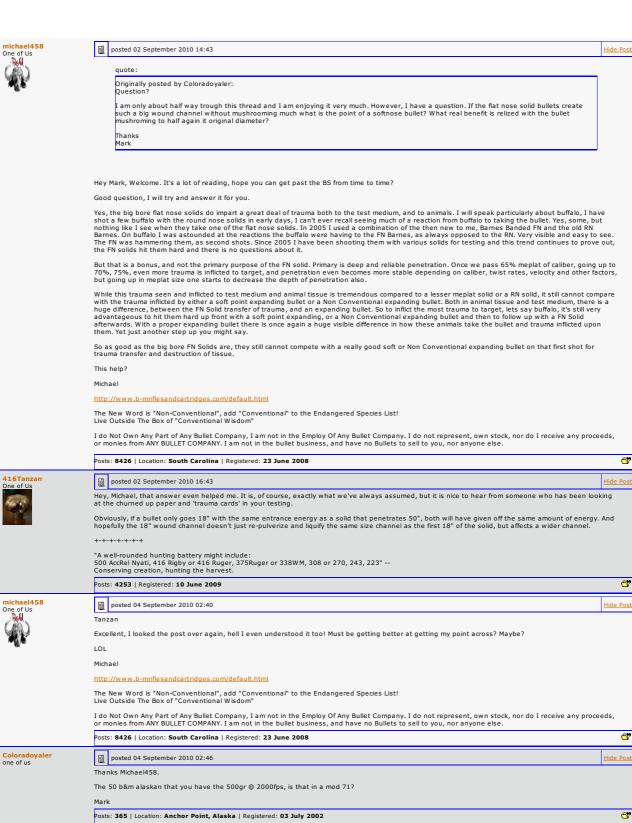






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Yes, it is in a M71. Can't get that much in a Marlin. In fact, I am beginning to back up on the 2000 a little bit. I hit 2000 with an 18 inch M71. It seemed fine, measured out well, did not seem to be any issues. I backed it down just a bit to 1950 and have been shooting that in the 71 regular. The first Marlin could handle the same load at 1950 as the M71. So I figured that was cool. I had to get a couple of Marlins shot in a few weeks ago, and the 1950 fps load was way too heavy in both of them, so I had to back the Marlins down to 1875 fps to be safe. The M71 handles the 1950 just fine, still shooting them, but might be a little reluctant now to go back to 2000.

If one took a 71 with 20 inches of barrel 2000 would not be a hard mark. 18 Inches is pushing it.

That's why the new North Fork 450 Bonded Core bullet is going to be so good in the lever guns, it's designed for the lever guns, even the Marlin! Easy 2000 with it in 18 inches.

Michae

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Had to get something done today, trying to catch up with Sam, and now have some more to do from EZrider, more on those later. Plus some other things I have had no the hark hurser, but priority thems first

One priority I had was some new 9.3 Solids from CEB. As we know, we have been coming up a bit short on decent stable solids in 9.3. We have our 320 Woodleigh, big deep diver, but does not always shoot the same POI as lighter 286s and 250s in 9.3. The 286 Woodleigh FMJ is not the 320 FMJ, it's out, both Barnes 286 and 250s are about as bad as it gets, worse than most RN solids. So they are out. The only 9.3 that is stable during terminals is the North Fork 286. This has prompted me to look for a lighter solid in which to match up with my 250 gr loads.

CEB--Cutting Edge Bullets! Got prototypes in a couple of days ago, come in a little heavy at 270 grs. Well, this is why you do prototypes so that the production run is 100% good to go. I am pretty sure I am going to cut 10 grs weight off these for 260 gr solids. I think that will be close to the 250 gr loads and will work to same POI with most of them.



As for looks, the bullets look great, so far so good.



They tested good, very consistent. I did 5 of them all in the same box, none crossed. Had two of them that was slightly off course some, but both of those meplats had been damaged along the way. I figure that might have knocked them slightly off course? All 5 were right there together.



Like I said, unless there is something else I find then I am dropping the weight to 260 grs and making a run of 1000 of them. Penetration will drop a few inches, I figure to about 56-58 inches at 260, but behavior will be the same, straight line penetration.

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Originally posted by michael458: Well is anyone here interested in any test work that I did this morning???????

Well Michael.

Some of us have to work even on "Holiday weekends" 🌚 while others get to play



Glad to see you are making progress on the .366 front seeing that I now have one. I'd like to see something light but accurate and it seems you are on the way there.

When are you going to be done with these varmint calibers and work on a normal-size projectile like say ... a .620?



NRA Lifer; DSC Lifer; SCI member; DRSS; AR member since November 9 2003 STILL waiting for my Taksdale double or a refund

Don't Save the best for last, the smile for later or the "Thanks" for tomorow

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Yes, I think this little 260 gr 9.3 CEB is going to work dandy. For those that like 250 gr expanding, this 260 CEB should match up nice, for the 286 crowd we have the 286 North Fork, and for the 320 crowd we have the 320 Woodleigh. I think we just about have 9.3 whipped!

Did you miss the .620s and the 600 OverKill test work?????? Been there Done that!







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posted 04 September 2010 23:42 Paul

Gotta be careful, never know what I might pull out my arse????? 🔾



Funny, LOL....

OK OK. I can't remember when that was, some time ago, my buddy Corbin had one of these things and he would bring it down to play with a couple of times and then he sold it. We never run anything over about 2100 fps as I recall, and most of his loads were down in the 1800-2000 fps range. It was a hoot to shoot and lot's of fun chunking those big bullets into the mix. It's a big damn hammer for sure! I can't figure how to get one into a B&M Super Short at 6 lbs yet or I would have one! Oh god, I hope boomy is not reading this, he will drive me insane now!

We also tested some of his cast bullets in the mix too, can't find those photos. I kept data on everything

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Next!!!!!!!!

Peter, how is the weather in your part of the world today????

How about some Hollow Base Bullets to ponder over?



Little update is in order I think. Remember our meplat tests, most all those bullets weighed in close to 430 grs or so, stable penetration on 65% and up was around 42-46 inches as I recall. Well Sam had made one that had a hollow base, it weighed 360 grs, same length, nose profile, meplat size, everything except the weight from 430 to 360. Well common sense and sectional density told us that the bullet cannot possibly penetrate to the same depth as the 430s, right? Wrong? Not much difference?



This raised some questions that needed answered, how could this be, this bullet weighed only 360 grs with an SD of only .206 and the 430s with an SD of .246, how could they be that close?

 $Sam\,made\,\,a\,\,few\,\,more,\,and\,\,I\,\,just\,\,got\,\,to\,\,them\,\,today.\,\,Not\,\,sure\,\,I\,\,answered\,\,anything,\,I\,\,have\,\,more\,\,questions\,\,now\,\,than\,\,even\,\,before?$



I missed the velocity by 60-70 fps, and I am sure the extra velocity took these a tiny bit further, but we still have a question of HOW CAN THIS BE? What happened to SD? These bullets are the same physical size, length, diameter, close in meplat size, same nose profile, and now the 360s because of the velocity actually penetrate deeper? Like I said, what did we answer here?

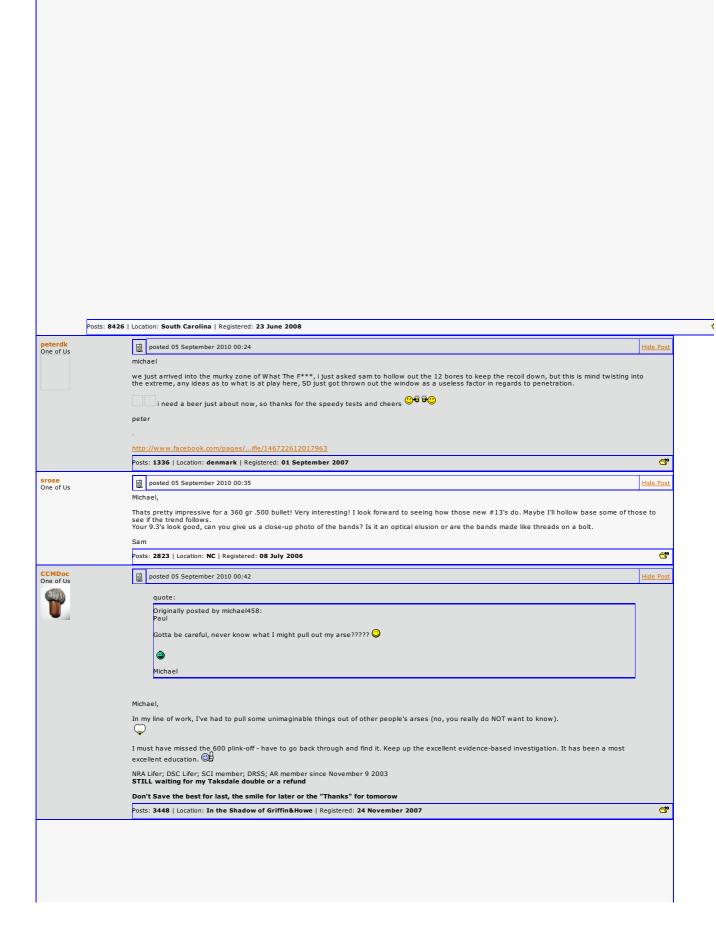


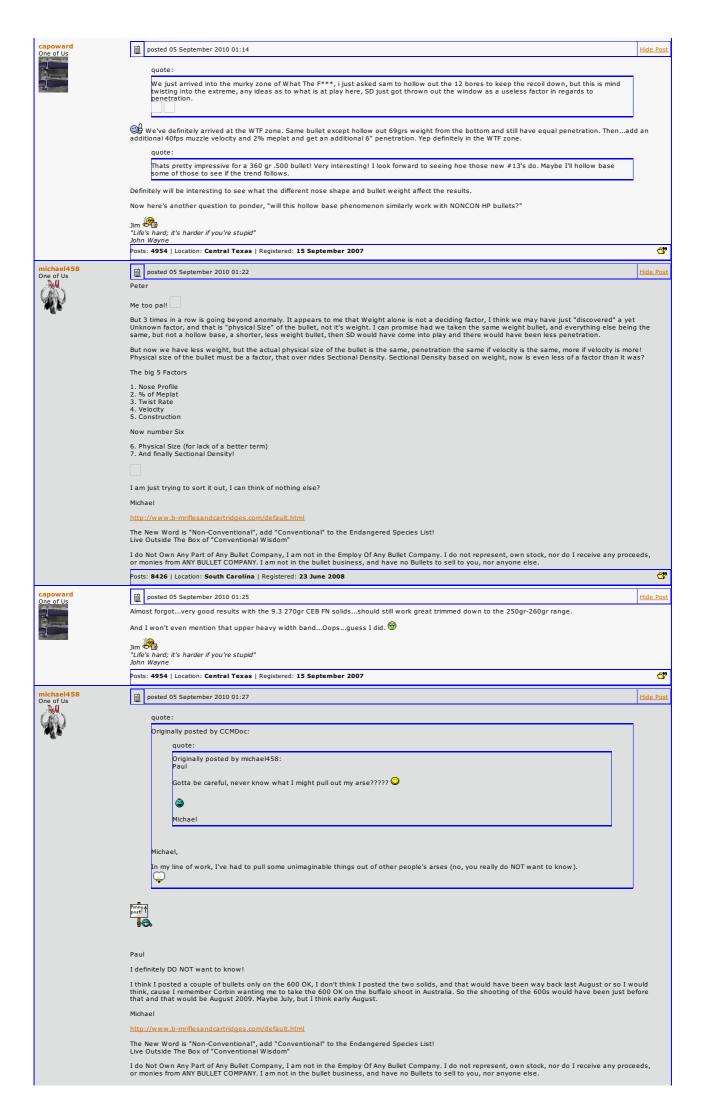


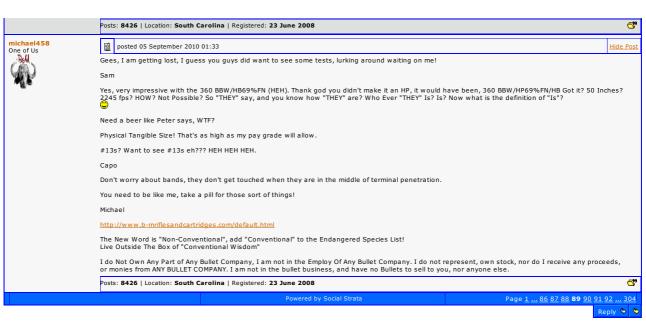
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