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posted 31 July 2014 15:18

#### Field Report

This morning I got a quick field report from our very own cnm123........ Chris is still in Tanzania currently and will be home next week...

Don't have the full details, but here is what he sent...

Michael
I thought I would share some pictures I made a bad shot on a buffalo hit the liver. The bull ran 100yds and died in 5 minutes. No excuse for bad shooting but the pictures show how the 6 blade tore the liver apart. I was using 370 gr 416 raptors and every animal I lung shot basically had a fart and their lungs came out the exit hole. I am still in Tanzania





No doubt about what happened here, and one can clearly see how the blades ripped that liver apart...

Congrats Chris, and hope to hear more soon, safe travels....

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srose One of Us

posted 31 July 2014 16:12 Now that's what I call liver damage!

Posts: 2823 | Location: NC | Registered: 08 July 2006

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brent ebeling One of Us

posted 31 July 2014 20:12

Wow, just wow!!! Send this to terry wee wee! The tissue damage and expansion of the petals can not be denied. Perfect star pattern. This should end all debates and shut haters up. Awesome. CEB kool aid drinker, I am

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TrademarkTexan one of us

posted 31 July 2014 23:47

If that isn't the most definitive evidence of the blades enhancing trauma, I don't know what would be.

Use enough gun... Shoot 'till it's dead, especially if it bites.

Posts: 897 | Location: Southlake, Tx | Registered: 30 June 2003

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Capoward One of Us posted 08 August 2014 14:00

I spent some time today, actually yesterday now, perusing the Terminal Bullet Performance thread from page 1 through page 182; the remainder will await later today...

While perusing I ran into some interesting conversation back in August 2011 regarding 'tipping the BBW#13 solids', some conversation questioning why even tip the BBW#13 HP's, and shortly thereafte comment, "Tip or No Tip? Really I can't see a downside, so tips will be available. And talk about response time--I posted this and sent to Dan at CEB when, Tuesday or so?"



Excerpted from page 182...
Anyway this photograph kinda fits within our current conversation regarding "tipping the Safari Solids" – Visually, picture the tip of the pictured large caliber Talon Tip having a shank diameter similar in s shank pictured on the small caliber Talon Tip.

I reckon the question comes down to the smallest HP and tip shank diameter that would assure the tip would obliterate from the shank allowing that specific caliber Safari Solid function identical to the 'Solid" WHILE assuring the tip would not separate from the shank from any 'recoil pounding' within the magazine.

Perhaps the correct rifle/cartridge combo to determine the optimum HP/tip shank diameter to caliber ratio would be to use the 50 B&M... I believe it is the sharpest recoiling of the B&M cartridges (though 500 B&M) – at least it's the hardest of Leupold rifle scopes...

Ah well, in Michael's words - it's time to roost!

Jim "Life's hard; it's harder if you're stupid" John Wayne

Posts: 4954 | Location: Central Texas | Registered: 15 September 2007



posted 08 August 2014 15:31

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Bovs.....

I am going to pass on the tips for solids..... Why? I know how sensitive they are to anything going wrong and upsetting that first stage of impact..... While I am sure something could be done, as with the HP Tips that currently are available, something would have to be done to hold them in place, and that means moving metal... I don't like that. Glue won't work, just too much torque on the bullets..... And, if you did get something to stick I would be concerned about that initial impact not busted completely out and causing instability.....?????? The use of these type bullets are normally very short range too...... I don't think I would mess with damn near perfection as I see it currently.......

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srose One of Us

posted 08 August 2014 17:49



Seasons44 One of Us

posted 11 August 2014 20:43

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Posts: 354 | Location: New Jersey | Registered: 24 May 2011

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Seasons44 One of Us

posted 13 August 2014 02:58

Good write up about advancing your lever-gun including CEB in this months issue of Successful Hunter, with one caveat he complained about velocity in the 44 mag but used the wrong powder! gazine.com/m.../PDF/sh71partial.pdf

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michael458 One of Us posted 13 August 2014 04:26

Originally posted by Seasons44:
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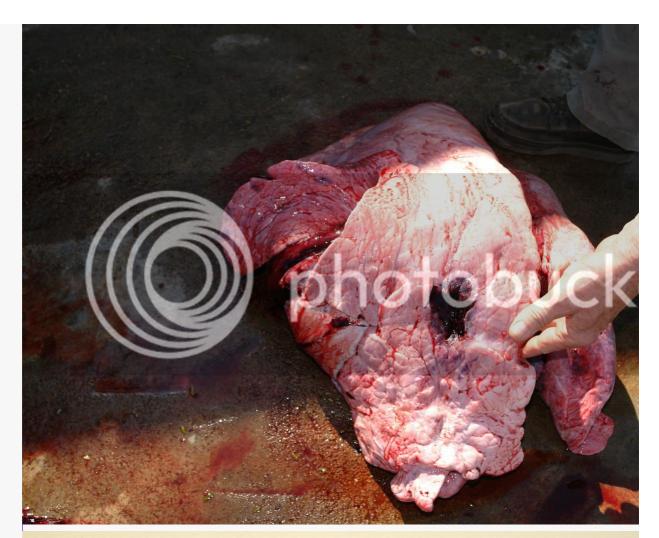


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<sup>&</sup>quot;A picture is worth a 1,000 words", in this case pictures.

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boom stick One of Us posted 15 August 2014 00:42

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Talk about a "shooting star" lol.

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Posts: 27557 | Location: Where tech companies are trying to control you and brainwash you. | Registered: 29 April 2005

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posted 15 August 2014 02:22

No doubts at all what a Raptor is capable of.......Those of us that have used them in the field and saw what they do....... Well, its UGLY, but good........

Tanz, maybe you will appreciate this, you are always talking long range, posted this on B&M, but maybe should do so here too....

450NE has a 18 inch 458 B&M, he is getting ready for a moose hunt, doing some work with his rifle.... He is using the 250 Socom, running 2900 fps........ This is todays 3 shot group....... At 300 Yards



He took 1 Shot at a Target, and one Shot at a Water Jug... Water jug exploded..... Here is his ONE SHOT AT 400 yards....



If I done that at 400 Yards, I might NEVER SHOOT AGAIN and call it a day, as I would never be able to do that again...

HEH.....

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I'll be damned, I just turned us to PAGE 300......

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