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Hornady Lock-N-Load Bullet Comparator Basic Set with 7 Inserts

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Product Overview

The Hornady Lock-N-Load Bullet Comparator is perfect for the reloader looking to quickly and precisely measure seating depth of loaded ammunition from the bullet ogive to the base of the loaded round, to eliminate variation in seating depth. The comparator attaches to any caliper and measures cartridges from 17 to 45 caliber. When used in conjunction with the Hornady Lock-N-Load Overall Length Gauge (Sold Separately) you will able to determine the exact bullet seating depth for the ultimate precision.

Kit Includes:

- Comparator body
- 7 Comparator inserts for the following diameter bullets: 224, 243, 257, 264, 277, 284 and 308. Other inserts sold separately.
- Allen wrench

Notes:

- Slot on comparator body is cut off-center
- To position the comparator with the Hornady Lock-N-Load Overall Length Gauge, install comparator body to the caliper with the screw through the thicker leg of the body. This allows the proper off center alignment of the Length Gauge.

Additional Information

Instructions

Made In United States of America

⚠ **WARNING:** This product can expose you to Lead, which is known to the State of California to cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm. For more information go to - www.P65Warnings.ca.gov.

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Specifications

Product Information

Material	Aluminum/Brass
Country of Origin	United States of America

Delivery Information

Shipping Weight	0.213 Pounds

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will this work for 458 winchester mag as shipped?
Asked by Mike 1 year ago

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Product Owner - aceofspain
No, not with just the 7 piece set. You would need to buy the .458 comparator which is sold separately.

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Will this see work for 6.5 PRC (6.5 creedmore, .264), or do I need something to make it work?
Asked by Bullseye 3 years ago

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Product Owner - rbarker8x10
"7 Comparator inserts for the following diameter bullets: 224, 243, 257, *264*, 277, 284 and 308."

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COMPARATOR INSERT # 22 GOOD FOR 223!
Asked by BILL 3 years ago

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Product Owner - ambush12
Yes, since the 223 is a 22 cal. Bullet I actually check this since I don't load 223 and it worked fine

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Does Hornady make/offer a foam-filled storage box for these?
Asked by Buddy 4 years ago

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Hornady's website says that this set (#B234) should contain the .264" insert. But Midway's website says otherwise. Does Midway have a typo? Does this set contain the .264" (6.5mm) insert?
Asked by Jonathan 4 years ago

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Open Reply - Charles
The basic kit I received does have a 5-26 insert. It has 7 inserts total. Wish I knew because I ordered a extra insert for nothing.

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I have Hornadys lock-n-load bullet comparator basic insert set, my question is, the 6 inserts are stamped 2-22, 3-24, 4-25, 6-27, 7-28, and 8-30. Could someone give me the calipers of these numbers I listed? Thank you.
Asked by thomasfl 4 years ago

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Product Owner - noslow1

22 is for any .224 bullet say .233 remington or a 22-250-or a 220 swift or 5.56 nato # 24 say anything with .243 say a 243remington # 25 any 257 caliber say 25-06 or 257 weatherby # 27 say a 270 Winchester # 28-any .284 say 7 mm Remington Mag # 30 any.308 cal bullet say 308 win or 30-06 or even a 30-30

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Q Does the insert have a chamfer on it where it touches the ogive, or is it just the 90 deg corner at the face of (and hole in) the insert?

Asked by Kirk 5 years ago

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Open Reply - Ralph

There is a very, very slight chamfer on the inserts that came with my set. It is so slight that it is hard to see. My set also came with 7 inserts rather than the 6 as advertised. It included a 26 (6.5mm) that is not listed. I ordered an extra 26 and now I have 2.

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I never knew what I was ...

I never knew what I was missing until I bought this comparator set. This teamed up with the Stoney Point OAL Guage is the perfect combination. Now I can tell exactly how far away the ogive is from the lands. Also, the 6 insert set gives you some of the most commonly used sizes. I load for 3 diff...

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weak instructions/poor product lablelng

I purchased this to help improve my hand loads and get a better OAL on my hunting rounds in my .243 and .257 Weatherby Mag. I'll figure it out which insert is for my .243,.257 and 7mm , but the two issues that I have are: 1: The instructions on use are not very clear 2: The insert markings of 2-22 ...

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Easy to use

Submitted 1 year ago
By Mickyd
From Al

Verified Buyer

Very good accuracy. Easy to use.

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Great product

Submitted 1 year ago
By Dude
From Lewisville,oh

Verified Buyer

If you reload you need this

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Just buy it you won't regret it.

Submitted 1 year ago
By Dale
From North Carolina

Verified Reviewer

If your are like I used to be and tired of measuring overall length, and it varying up to 10 thousandths and driving yourself crazy buy this. Bullet tips vary so much its pathetic especially with generic lead tipped bullets. Measuring using this will give you a exact repeatable measurement instead of trying to guess and pull your hair out. Buy far one of the best reloading investments you can make.

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This bullet comparator does what I need

Submitted 1 year ago
By Ab
From Hickory, NC

Verified Buyer

Very satisfied with the product. It enables me to easily determine my length to ogive with the different bullet that I reload. I am now easily able to determine my appropriate seating depth.

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Works great

Submitted 2 years ago

By MM
From Northwest Ks

Verified Buyer

Works great. I would be lost without it

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Awesome!

Submitted 2 years ago
By No
From Ga

Verified Buyer

Great, must have tool. Most consistent way to measure your oal

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Should have for bump the head space

Submitted 2 years ago
By Bob
From Upstate NY

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dose what its suppose to

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I would buy this comparator set every chance I could

Submitted 2 years ago
By long range shooter
From Texas

Verified Buyer

It makes getting the seating of the bullets to the correct depth so much more accurate based on the ogive of the bullets in lieu of measuring the overall length. Great product.

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Every detail matters.

Submitted 2 years ago
By Bull
From San Antonio, TX

Verified Buyer

The longer you reload the more you realize that you do not know everything. Measuring overall cartridge length is frustrating. Small differences in the tips of the bullet can cause variance in cartridge length of several thousandths of an inch sometimes. The shape of the ogive, or the curve of the bullet, is much more consistent. That is what this tool allows you to measure. this becomes important when you find that perfect load that shoots tiny groups in your rifle and you want to repeat it precisely in the next hundred rounds.

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These tools are just what I needed.

Submitted 2 years ago
By Daniel
From North Las Vegas, NV

Verified Buyer

I was having trouble with seating the soft nosed bullets the same length. It wasn't consistent at all. A friend suggested I use the bullet comparator for more consistent seating in the cases. Very easy to use and takes the guess work out of inconsistent COAL. Some bullets with soft tips are longer, shorter that others, but because the comparator sets on the ogive you don't have to measure from the tip of the bullet.

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