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PROGRESS REPORT

COMPETITIVE EVALUATION - SHOTGUNS

This report will summarize competitive comparison shooting to date. It includes results obtained with one each of the Browning 2000, Remington 1100 and Winchester Super X1. The best functioning of each model was selected for endurance firing.

Test Objectives

1. Full ammunition spectrum field function test -- using all 2 3/4" 12 Gauge ammunition from Federal, Remington and Winchester. Each individual load is fired in each gun by each of four different shooters.
Total: 480 rounds/gun
2. Mechanical jack held endurance shooting -- using 75% light and 25% Magnum Remington ammunition.
Intended Total: 5,000 rounds/gun overall

SummaryMalfunction Rate - Endurance Shooting, %

Browning:	0.02
Remington:	1.98
Winchester:	0.36
Average:	0.79

Rounds to First Disabling Gun Failure:

Browning:	No failure
Remington:	2400
Winchester	No failure