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MARINE CORPS FREE RIFLES

Confirming our telephone conversation of April 13th it is suggested that we quote the Marine Corps at San Diego \$215.00 each for nine (9) International Free Rifles. This would include the action, barrel, and stock only; no "set" trigger, no fore-end hardware, no butt hardware, and no sights. The M/40X trigger would be included.

Attached is a breakdown of the cost with recommended quotations.

  
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|                                   | <u>N 243 - 828</u> | <u>our R&amp;D</u><br><u>Cost</u> | <u>Quote</u>     |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------|
| Action including<br>M/40X Trigger |                    | \$30.00                           | \$65.00          |
| Barrel (Hart)                     |                    | \$85.00                           | \$90.00          |
| Stock (\$15 Material)             |                    | \$45.00                           | \$60.00          |
|                                   |                    | <u>\$ 160.00</u>                  | <u>\$ 215.00</u> |

We are attempting to be competitive with these prices. To make a complete rifle, sights at \$32, hardware at \$70, and a set trigger at \$130, are needed; total price, \$447 without assembly and testing.

Hammerli's rifles are about \$400 delivered.

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3 Rifles @ \$160 = 480  
 3 " " " " = 480  
 2 " " " " = 480  
 10 Action @ 30 = 300  
 10 Stock @ 25 = 250  
 \$ 190 1990  
 Say \$ 220 2000