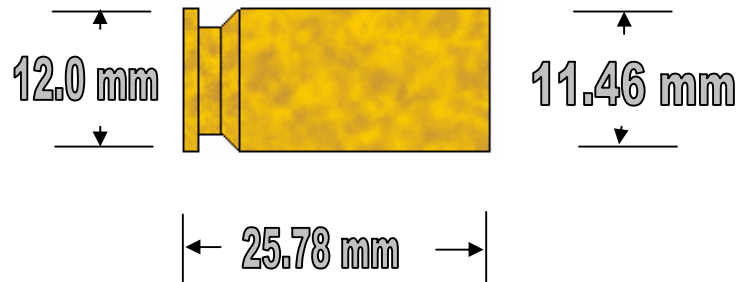


.45 Thompson M1923



The pistol origin of the .45 ACP cartridge limits the range of the projectile. In recognition of this simple fact the Auto Ordnance Corporation introduced the Military Model 1923 which was chambered for the longer cased .45 Thompson cartridge. Remington Arms Company produced this cartridge which has a greater powder capacity and a 250 gn projectile. It was claimed that greater range and penetration were available with this cartridge but the public was not convinced and the cartridge faded from the scene very quickly.



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