

AMERICAN .303

American manufactured .303, apart from items destined for the civilian market; result from the dire straits that England gets in almost every time she becomes involved in a major war. Usually because she is not ready for the demands placed on her industries. In both WWI and WWII the Americans made .303 ammunition for the British armed forces and, incidentally for other allies at the time.

The cartridge shown below are .303s made for the British and Commonwealth countries during WWI and WWII. The dates shown are possible dates only. Any information on this aspect of USA .303 cartridges would be most appreciated.



Mk. 6 Ball. 2 cartridges
one sectionised.



Mk. 7 Ball.



Drill cartridge nickled case
empty primer pocket.

1915	1916	1917	1918



Winchester Repeating Arms Ball Mk. 7 with four
very heavy stabs around the primer and a powder
blue annulus and one without the colour?



Variations in the headstamp and primer
material. The primer annulus colour is wrong
as these are ball rounds.

1940	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945



Mk. 7 Ball. Ni. projectile

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Mk. 7 Ball. Cu/Ni projectile and tinned primer.



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