

# Rules and Sport Shooting Regulations of the ISB International Shooting Association



## Regulations for Ordnance or Service Pistols

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## 1. General Information:

The specifications of each discipline are stated In the Shooting Rules of each shooting category.

The "International Shooting Regulations" "ISchO" of the ISB are to be consulted for all activities and competitions.

## 2. Firearms:

**Weapon type:** Ordnance or Service Pistols were introduced into an army in the line of duty and therefore bear an inscription or an army property stamp. All models and types are permitted for this type of shooting, which were introduced for an armed force up to 1945 and were purchased in a quantity of at least 1,000 pieces.

If there are enough starters, the discipline can also be divided into "Ordnance Pistol until 1918" and "Ordnance Pistol until 1945".

With the models introduced until 1918 it is also allowed to start in the category 'until 1945'.

Revolvers are also counted as ordnance pistols, and it is also permitted to shoot with revolvers that were introduced for official purposes in this discipline.

The year of construction of all used pistols and revolvers must in any case be before or until 1945.

**Barrel length:** according to the original

**Caliber:** only calibers originally used for these weapons, i.e. only officially used calibers.

**Trigger:** original trigger with at least 1 kg trigger weight

**Sight:** original sight which was used until 1945, rear sight and front sight as it was used as standard.

**Condition:** basically standard (out of the box), only identical spare parts may be used which do not give any advantage over the standard model.

Due to the age and decades of use of the ordnance weapons and the resulting wear and tear, it is permissible to have the barrel replaced by a new barrel which corresponds to the original barrel in shape, dimensions and caliber.

Valid proof of the weapon must be available, no technical defects.

### 3. Ammunition:

Only metal cartridges with nitro powder and commercially available bullets with the ballistic performance corresponding to the caliber are allowed to be used. Factory ammunition or hand-loaded cartridges according to the CIP standard are permitted.

Due to the older locking systems of some ordnance pistols, a slightly reduced charge is recommended.

### 4. Equipment:

According to ISChO 3.2.10. every shooter and every person present on the shooting range has to wear ear and eye protection.

**Additional equipment:** Extra magazines guns, which have less capacity than shots required for the discipline.

The shooter has to reload his weapon independently during the discipline if the magazine capacity of the used weapon has less shot than are necessary for that discipline. The time used for the reload will be added to the overall time for that discipline.

### 5. Safety regulations:

According to ISChO 3.2. till 3.2.10.

### 6. Shooting positions:

The required shooting positions must be proclaimed in the announcement of the competition for every single discipline. The organizer of the event can choose from the following shooting positions:

- “Standing Free” according ISChO 7.4.
- “Prone Free” according ISChO 7.6.
- “Kneeling Free” according ISChO 7.8.

### 7. Disciplines:

Every shooter must shoot at least 2 series in every discipline during a competition, evaluation according to deck series. Unlimited rebuy.

Every shooter must shoot 5 series in every discipline during a championship, evaluation according to deck series. No rebuy.

The organizer of the event can choose the disciplines.

All disciplines have to be proclaimed and explained in the announcement of the competition. The organizer of the event can choose one or more disciplines for that competition. The shooters don't have to participate in all disciplines.

Evaluation and award ceremony are held for each discipline itself.

All distances are in meters.

<b>Disciplines of the ISB for Ordnance or Service Pistols</b>			
<b>No.:</b>	<b>shots / program</b>	<b>distance</b>	<b>target</b>
01	10 shots in 3 minutes precision	12	T1 ISB Ring Target 550x550 mm
02		25	
03		50	
04	10 shots in 60 seconds rapid fire	12	T1 ISB Ring Target 550x550 mm
05		25	
06		50	
07	Target change 3x10 shots in 5 minutes 10 shots each bullseye	12	T4 ISB Triple Target 550x550mm
08		25	
09		50	
13	Popper 10 targets in 60 seconds	12	T15 Popper Small 20 cm
14		25	
15		50	T16 Popper Medium 55 cm
16	Popper rapid fire 10 targets in 30 seconds	12	T15 Popper Small 20 cm
17		25	
18		50	T16 Popper Medium 55 cm
19	Popper variable distance 10 targets in 60 seconds	between 12 und 25	T15 Popper Small 20 cm
20	Popper variable distance 10 targets in 30 seconds	between 12 und 25	T16 Popper Medium 55 cm