

5 DAY ARMOURERS (BASIC)

Introduction

The course is designed to cover all aspects that are essential for armourers involved in weapons maintenance, to help them run an efficient armoury.

Agenda

- Health & safety
- Armourers responsibility
- Weapon systems (methods of operation)
- Internal ballistics
- External ballistics
- Stripping & assembly (generic)
- Inspection & gauging (generic)
- Methods of cleaning
- Testing for functioning and accuracy
- Sighting systems
- Working to manufacturer's instructions
- Ammunition
- Quality control
- Quality assurance
- Calibration
- Record keeping
- The Gun Barrel Proof Acts (basic)
- Firearms law (basic)

Prerequisite

The student will be expected to have basic knowledge of safe firearms handling.

Notes

1. Live firing of firearms will not be conducted during the armourer's course.
2. All safety equipment required will be supplied.
3. The course duration will be 0900 Monday -14.30 Friday.
4. Refreshments and lunch to be provided.
5. Assistance with hotel bookings will be available from our office staff.
6. A maximum of seven students per course.
7. The course is available to serving police and military personnel and forensic practitioners who have the authority to handle section 5 weaponry only.



Special tools are available to the armorer



Methods of operation, how does the weapon function?



Calibration, is your measuring equipment fit for purpose?



Knowing how to use gauges is essential



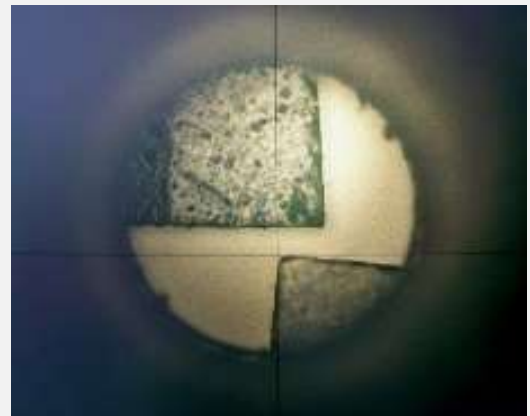
Stripping and assembly



Are you issuing CIP approved ammunition?



Armourers repairs can use tools from the manufacturer, or homemade tools



Setting the trigger pull on a sniper rifle, there is no room for error!

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