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	LEVEL	CALIBER	WEIGHT (G)	RANGE (FFT/S)	SPEED (M/S)	# SHOTS
	I	.22LR	2.6	1050 ± 40	320 ± 12	
	IIA	9MM LUGER	8.0	1250 ± 50	332 ± 12	
	II	.357 MAGNUM	10.2	1395 ± 15	424 ± 15	
	IIIA	.44 MAGNUM	15.55	1400 ± 50	426 ± 15	
	III	7.62MM 308/ WINCHESTER	9.7	2750 ± 50	838 ± 15	
	IV	30.06/ ARMOR PIERCING	10.8	2850 ± 50	868 ± 15	