Material, Ammunition and Weapon Testing



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Indoor range and large workshop and target area.



Reloading and instrumentation suites.

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Radnor offers a unique combination of facilities enabling the testing of materials, ammunition and weapon system products, all with the assurance that services are being provided to a high standard against the BS EN ISO 9001:2008 quality management and BS EN 14001:2004 environmental management frameworks.

Facilities include:

- Registered Firearms Dealer, Home Office Section 5 Authority and a complete range of barrels, universal mounts, weapon rests and ammunition including Armour Piercing and Armour Piercing Incendiary (BZ and B32).
- HSE Licenced facility permitting manufacture, storage, breakdown and assembly of munitions.
- 75 kilo maximum NEQ for any one blast.
- 2.5km long range, testing up to 40mm projectiles and aerial countermeasures.
- 20m indoor range equipped with a universal receiver capable of accepting all barrels up to and including 30mm cannon.
- Velocity measuring instrumentation, including Doppler radar, ballistic sky screens, acoustic velocity capture equipment and high speed video.
- Temperature conditioning of munitions and armour products between -54°C and +71°C.
- Blast modelling capability (LS-DYNA).

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Services offered:

- Testing and evaluation of weapons, munitions, armour and Ordnance.
- Endurance trials and endurance failure.
- Data analysis and purpose configured test reports suitable for direct submission to sentencing authority.
- Depression firing.

Examples of test protocols:

- BS EN1522 and BS EN1523: Test and classification of bullet resistance for windows, doors, shutters and blinds.
- BS EN 1063.
- NIJ 0108.01: Ballistic resistance protective materials.

Examples of test materials:

- Armour, ceramics and composite panels.
- Shields.

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- Doors and glass panels.
- · Vehicle components.

For further information or to book a test, please use the contact details below.

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