

## Precision Rifle Shoot Rules/Penalties

There will be two classes for the competition; bolt action rifles with a semi auto handgun, the other class will be AR platform rifles with a semi auto handgun.

**Each class must have at least FIVE competitors for that class.**

### 1. General Safety Rules

- 1) The following rules are designed to provide a safe shooting environment for all involved in a PRS Competition and are not subject to discussion or debate. It is everyone's individual responsibility to read and fully understand the PRS Safety Standards; ignorance is not an excuse for a safety violation.
- 2) Keep muzzles always pointed in a safe direction regardless of the status of the weapon. Do not point any weapon at anything you do not wish to destroy. This is considered "flagging" and will not be tolerated.
- 3) Keep your finger off the trigger and outside the trigger guard until you are ready to shoot.
- 4) The PRS competition will be run on cold ranges. A cold range is defined as keeping firearms unloaded until it is the competitor's turn to shoot.
- 5) While conducting any movement with a firearm at the PRS, the participant will ensure all their weapons are always pointed in a safe direction.
- 6) All participants will ensure all their weapons are always cleared with the magazine out.
- 7) Adherence to the 180-degree rule while on the course as a competitor will be mandatory and failure will result in competitor removal.

### 2. Penalties for Safety and Course Infractions

- 1) The penalties listed below should be followed as closely as possible.
- 2) First offense flagging will result in a warning. Second offense will result in a removal of the offending shooter from the competition.
- 3) Anyone found violating the Cold Range rule will be removed from the competition.
- 4) Violating the 180-degree rule will result in a removal of the offending shooter from the competition.

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- 5) Movement or transition during a Course of Fire (COF) with a round in the chamber or a closed bolt is permitted, however the handgun must be holstered, the rifle bolt must be closed with the rifle on safe, violation of this will result in removal from the competition.
- 6) The paper pistol targets must be successfully hit 4 shots each within the C and/or A zones of the target, highlighted below, outside of either of those zones is considered a miss. ( See Figure 1.) The steel pistol targets must be successfully hit two times each. Each miss will add three seconds to the run time.
- 7) The steel rifle targets must be successfully hit three times each. Each miss will add three seconds to the run time.

### 3. Rifle and Handgun Criteria

- 1) Bolt Gun rifles will not exceed a caliber of .30.
- 2) AR Type Rifle can be a direct impingement or piston type rifle and will not exceed a caliber of .30.
- 3) No Green Tip, Steel Core or Incendiary ammo is authorized on the range.
- 4) Suppressors, Pistol Caliber Carbines, Drum Mags, rifle magazines exceeding a 10-round capacity, handgun magazines exceeding a 17 round capacity are not allowed to be used for the competition.

**NOTE: If the competitor only has handgun magazines that exceed the 17 round capacity and are not drum magazines, the Range Safety Officer (RSO) will ensure that only 17 rounds are loaded in each of the larger capacity magazines used.**

- 5) External removable magazines are recommended however, if the competitor wishes to use a bolt action rifle with an internal magazine that is permitted. However, the competitor will be required to reload the rifle while still on the timer. If removable magazines are used a minimum of two are required.

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- 6) The handgun must be of a caliber no smaller than .380ACP and no larger than 45ACP. Additionally, a minimum of two magazines are required for the handgun for the event and No Revolvers can be used for the competition.
- 7) The course will be run by each competitor twice, the lowest course time plus penalties is the recorded score.

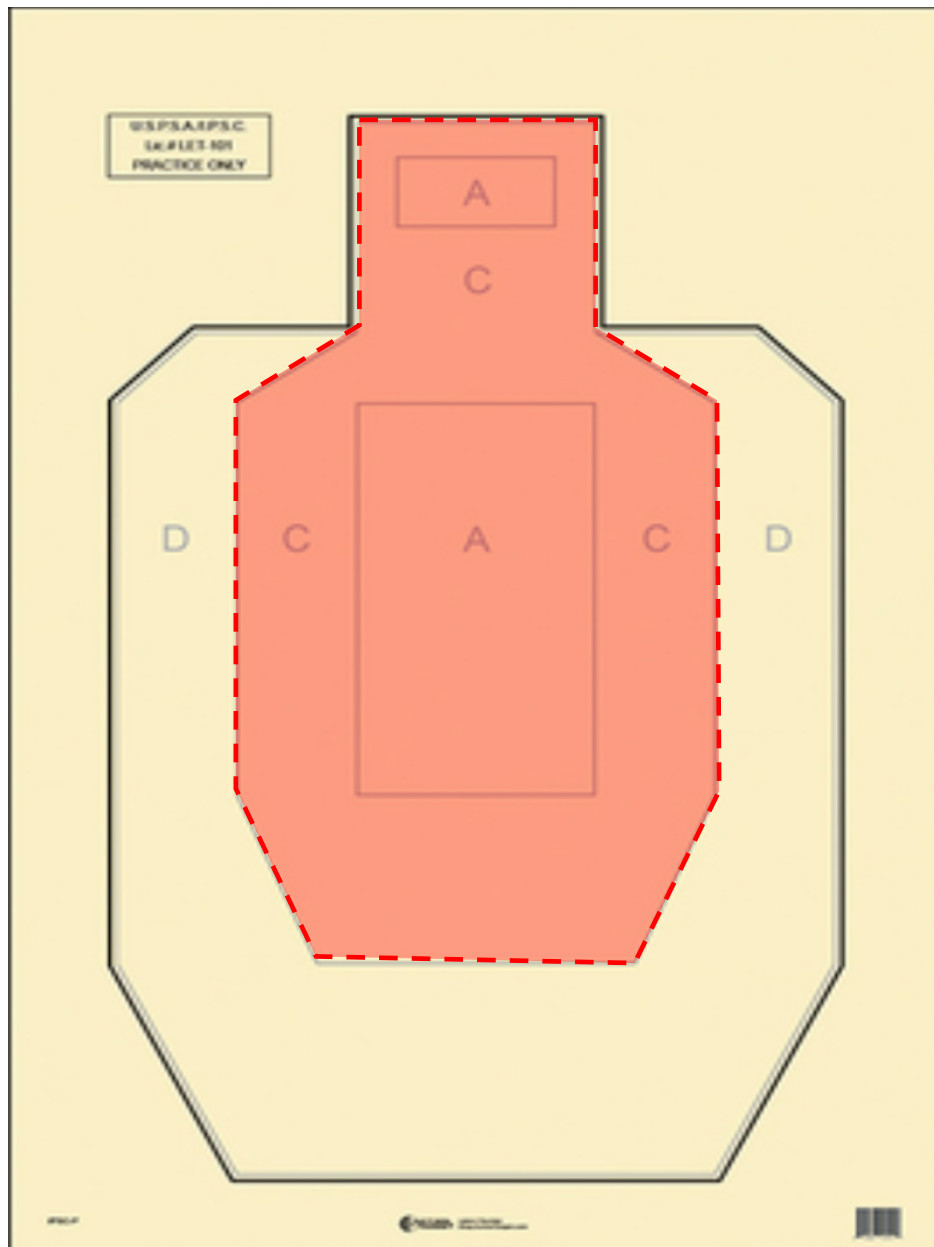


Figure 1. Paper Target Example

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PRS with a Twist COMPETITION  
 Saturday, 18 June 2022  
 Starts at 10:00 AM

**Competitor MUST:**

- Change out magazines in both pistol and rifle during the event.
- When moving between positions the firearms will be on safe and/or holstered.
- Each competitor will complete two runs of the course. Lowest time is final.

Round Count per run:  
 24 Pistol  
 30 Rifle

