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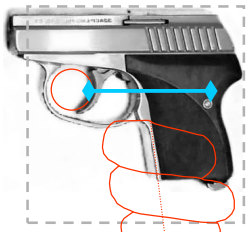
.32 ACP



Seecamp LWS32 .32
Frame: Stainless Steel
MSRP: $446
Operation: DAO
Capacity: 6 +1
Overall Length: 4.25"
Height: 3.25"
Width: 0.86"
Weight Empty: 11.5 oz.
Weight Fully Loaded 13 oz.
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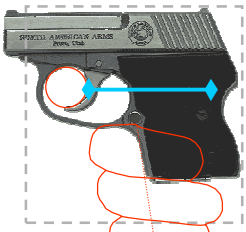
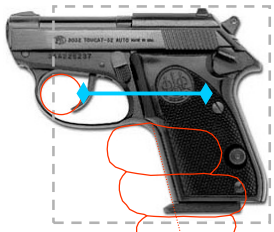
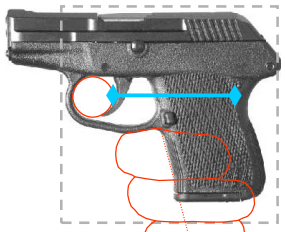


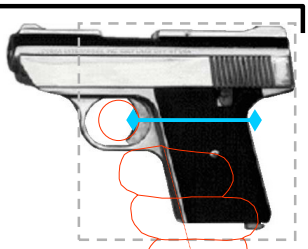
NAA Guardian .32 ACP
Frame: Stainless Steel
MSRP: $402
Operation: DAO
Capacity: 6 +1
Overall Length: 4.4"
Height: 3.3"
Width: 0.85"
Weight Empty: 13.6 oz.
Weight Fully Loaded 16 oz.



Beretta 3032 Tomcat .32 ACP
Frame: Aluminum Alloy
MSRP: Matte Slide $380 (?)
MSRP: Blued Slide $400 (?)
MSRP: Inox Slide $470 (?)
Operation: DA/SA; Tilt Barrel; Safety
Capacity: 7 +1
Overall Length: 4.9"
Height: 3.7"
Width: 1.1"
Weight Empty: 14.5 oz. (Inox 16.5 oz.)
Weight Fully Loaded 17 oz. (Inox 19 oz.)



Kel-Tec P-32 .32 ACP
Frame: Aluminum/Polymer
MSRP: Blued Slide $318
MSRP: Park. Slide $361
MSRP: Chrm Slide $377
Operation : DAO; Slide Lock
Capacity: 7 +1
Overall Length: 5.1"
Height: 3.5"
Width: 0.75"
Weight Empty: 7.8 oz.
Weight Fully Loaded 10 oz.



Cobra CA32 .32 ACP
Frame: ????
MSRP: $134 (?)
Operation : SA; Safety
Capacity: 6 +1
Overall Length: 5.4"
Height: 4.0"
Width: ???"
Weight Empty: 22.0 oz.
Weight Fully Loaded 24 oz.

.32 NAA



NAA Guardian .32 NAA
Frame: Stainless Steel
MSRP: $449
Operation: DAO
Capacity: 6 +1
Overall Length: 4.75"
Height: 3.53"
Width: 0.93"
Weight Empty: 18.7 oz.
Weight Fully Loaded 21 0z.
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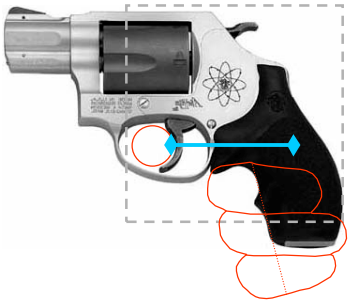
J-Frame Revolver Shown for Size Comparison



S&W 360 J-Frame, .357 Magnum / .38 S&W Special +P
Frame: ScandiumAlloy, Titanium Cylinder
MSRP $998
Operation: SA/DA
Capacity: 5
Overall Length: 6.31"
Height: 4.49" (estimated)
Width: 1.25"
Weight Empty: 12.0 oz
Weight Fully Loaded ??? oz.
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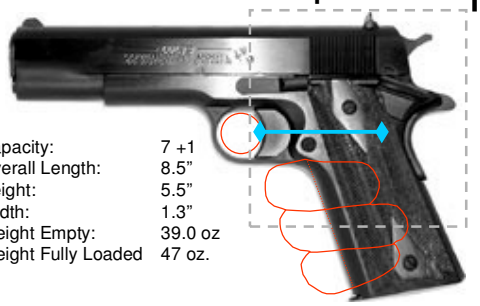
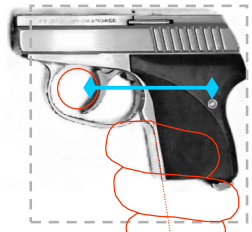
Full Size 1911 .45 ACP Shown for Size Comparison



Capacity: 7 +1
Overall Length: 8.5"
Height: 5.5"
Width: 1.3"
Weight Empty: 39.0 oz
Weight Fully Loaded 47 oz.

.380 ACP



Seecamp LWS38 .380
Frame: Stainless Steel
MSRP: $795
Operation: DAO
Capacity: 6 +1
Overall Length: 4.25"
Height: 3.25"
Width: 0.91"
Weight Empty: 11.5 oz.
Weight Fully Loaded 14 oz.
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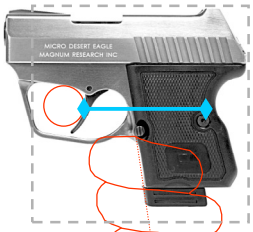

Magnum Research ME380 .380 ACP
Frame: Aluminum
MSRP: $535
Operation : DAO
Capacity: 6 +1
Overall Length: 4.52"
Height: 3.71"
Width: 0.90"
Weight Empty: 15.4 oz.
Weight Fully Loaded 18 oz.



NAA Guardian .380 ACP
Frame: Stainless Steel
MSRP: $449
Operation: DAO
Capacity: 6 +1
Overall Length: 4.75"
Height: 3.53"
Width: 0.93"
Weight Empty: 18.7 oz.
Weight Fully Loaded 21 oz.
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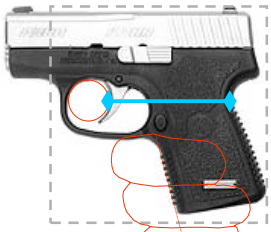
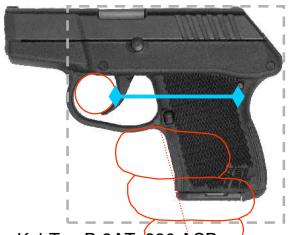


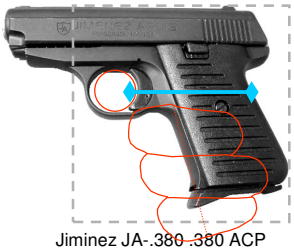
Kahr KP3833 .380 ACP
Frame: Stainless
MSRP: $649
Operation : DAO; Slide Lock
Capacity: 6 +1
Overall Length: 4.9"
Height: 3.9"
Width: 0.75"
Weight Empty: 11 oz. (?)
Weight Fully Loaded 13 oz. (?)



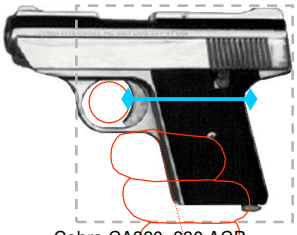
Ruger LCP .380 ACP
Frame: Aluminum/Polymer
MSRP: $330
Operation : DAO; Slide Hold Open
Capacity: 6 +1
Overall Length: 5.16"
Height: 3.6"
Width: .82"
Weight Empty: 9.6 oz.
Weight Fully Loaded 12 oz.



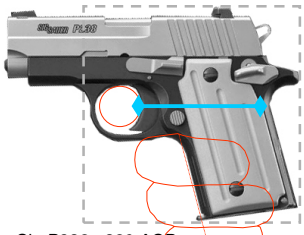
Kel-Tec P-3AT .380 ACP
Frame: Aluminum/Polymer
MSRP: Blued Slide $324
MSRP: Park. Slide $366
MSRP: Chrm Slide $382
Operation: DAO
Capacity: 6 +1
Overall Length: 5.2"
Height: 3.5"
Width: 0.77"
Weight Empty: 8.3 oz.
Weight Fully Loaded 11 oz.



Jiminez JA-.380 .380 ACP
Frame: Zinc Alloy
MSRP: $159
Operation : SA; Safety
Capacity: 6 +1
Overall Length: 5.3"
Height: 3.75"
Width: .96"
Weight Empty: 19.0 oz.
Weight Fully Loaded 21 oz.



Cobra CA380 .380 ACP
Frame: ????
MSRP: $134 (?)
Operation : SA; Safety
Capacity: 5 +1
Overall Length: 5.4"
Height: 4.0"
Width: ???"
Weight Empty: 22.0 oz.
Weight Fully Loaded 24 oz.



Sig P238 .380 ACP
Frame: Polymer
MSRP: $515 +
Operation : SAO; Slide Lock, Safety
Capacity: 6 +1
Overall Length: 5.5"
Height: 3.9"
Width: 1.1"
Weight Empty: 16.4 oz (?).
Weight Fully Loaded 19 oz. (?)

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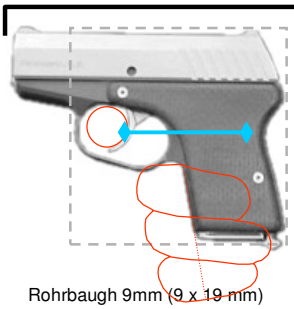
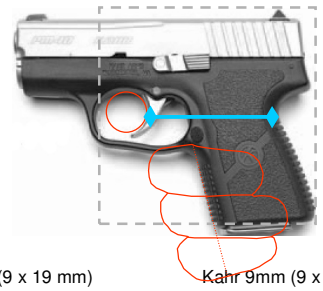


Rohrbaugh 9mm (9 x 19 mm)

Frame:	Aluminum Alloy
MSRP:	$1150
Operation:	DAO
Capacity:	6 +1
Overall Length:	5.2"
Height:	3.7"
Width:	0.91"
Weight Empty:	14.3 oz.
Weight Fully Loaded	17 oz.

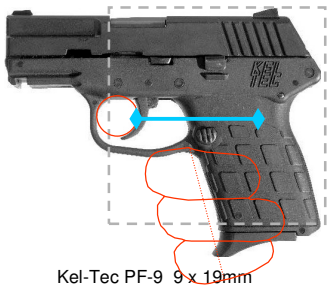


Kahr 9mm (9 x 19 mm)

Frame:	Polymer
PM9093 Matte SS Slide	$771
PM9094 Black SS Slide	$820
Operation:	DAO; Slide Lock
Capacity:	6 +1
Overall Length:	5.6"
Height:	4.3"
Width:	1.10"
Weight Empty:	16.7 oz.
Weight Fully Loaded	20 oz.

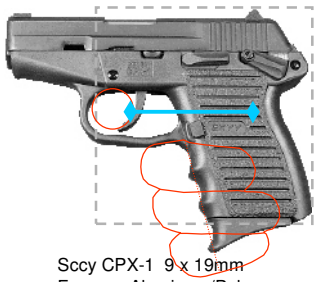
Kahr 9mm (9 x 19 mm)

Frame:	Stainless Steel
MK9093 Matte SS Slide	$855
MK9098 Polished SS	$932
Operation:	DAO; Slide Lock
Capacity:	6 +1
Overall Length:	5.6"
Height:	4.3"
Width:	1.10"
Weight Empty:	24.0 oz
Weight Fully Loaded	27 oz.



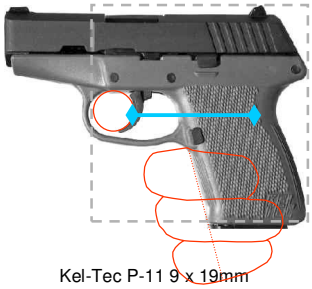
Kel-Tec PF-9 9 x 19mm

Frame:	Aluminum/Polymer
MSRP: Blued Slide	$333
Parkerized Slide	$377
Hard Chrome Slide	$390
Operation: DAO; Slide Lock	
Capacity:	7 +1
Overall Length:	5.85"
Height:	4.3"
Width:	0.88"
Weight Empty:	14.7 oz.
Weight Fully Loaded	18 oz.



Sccy CPX-1 9 x 19mm

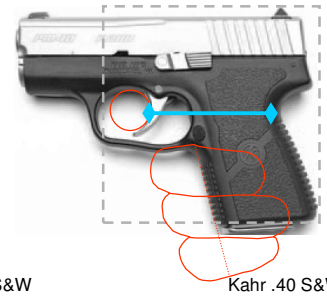
Frame:	Aluminum/Polymer
Slide:	Black or Stainless
MSRP:	$340
Operation: DAO; Slide Lock; Ambi Safety	
Capacity:	10 +1
Overall Length:	5.7"
Height:	4.0"
Width:	1.00"
Weight Empty:	17 oz.
Weight Fully Loaded	22 oz.



Kel-Tec P-11 9 x 19mm

Frame:	Aluminum/Polymer
MSRP: Blued Slide	$333
MSRP: Park. Slide	$377
MSRP: Chrm Slide	$390
Operation: DAO; Slide Lock	
Capacity:	10 +1
Overall Length:	5.6"
Height:	4.4"
Width:	1.30"
Weight Empty:	15.6 oz.
Weight Fully Loaded	20 oz.

.40 S&W



Kahr .40 S&W

Frame:	Polymer
PM4043 Matte SS Slide	$771
PM4044 Black SS Slide	$820
Operation:	DAO; Slide Lock
Capacity:	5 +1
Overall Length:	5.65"
Height:	4.3"
Width:	1.10"
Weight Empty	18.5 oz
Weight Fully Loaded	23 oz.

Kahr .40 S&W

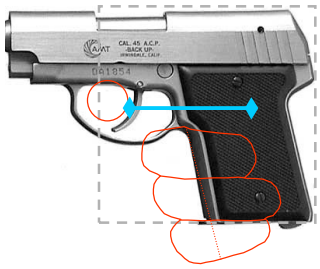
Frame:	Stainless Steel
MK4043 Matte SS Slide	$855
MK4048 Polished SS	$932
Operation:	DAO; Slide Lock
Capacity:	5 +1
Overall Length:	5.65"
Height:	4.3"
Width:	1.10"
Weight Empty:	25.0 oz
Weight Fully Loaded	29 oz.

.45 ACP



Kahr PM4543 .45 ACP

Frame:	Polymer
MSRP:	$838
Operation:	DAO; Slide Lock
Capacity:	5 +1
Overall Length:	5.97"
Height:	4.5"
Width:	1.12"
Weight Empty:	17.3 oz
Weight Fully Loaded	22 oz.



AMT Backup .45ACP

Frame:	Stainless Steel
MSRP:	$499 (?)
Operation:	DAO
Capacity:	5 +1
Overall Length:	5.8"
Height:	4.1"
Width:	1.00"
Weight Empty:	24.0 oz
Weight Fully Loaded	28 oz.

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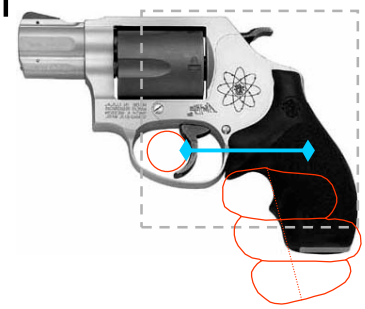

S&W 360 J-Frame, .357 Magnum / .38 S&W Special +P
Frame: ScandiumAlloy, Titanium Cylinder

MSRP	$998
Operation:	SA/DA
Capacity:	5
Overall Length:	6.31"
Height:	4.49" (estimated)
Width:	1.25"
Weight Empty:	12.0 oz
Weight Fully Loaded	??? oz.

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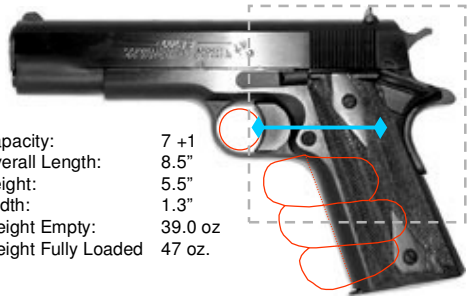
Full Size 1911 .45 ACP Shown for Size Comparison



Capacity:	7 +1
Overall Length:	8.5"
Height:	5.5"
Width:	1.3"
Weight Empty:	39.0 oz
Weight Fully Loaded	47 oz.

ANSI/SAAMI Pistol Pressure Specifications
Maximum Average Pressure in Pounds per Square Inch (PSI)

.32 ACP	20,500
.380 ACP	21,500
9 x 19 mm	35,000
9 x 19 mm +P	38,000
.40 S&W	35,000
10 mm	37,500
.45 ACP	21,000
.45 ACP +P	23,000

NOTES:

1. Specifications presented are from manufacturer and owner information.
2. Empty Weights include an empty magazine.
3. Fully Loaded weights are based on the average weight of a round of that caliber, includes a round in the chamber, a fully loaded standard magazine, and are rounded to the nearest full ounce for ease of comparison.
4. All pistol slides are stainless steel except Kel-Tec which are carbon steel and Beretta where the Matte and Blued slides are carbon steel, the Inox slide is stainless steel.
5. Many pistols may have other options and accessories available. See manufacturer's web sites for the latest information.
6. Some pistols have specific ammunition restrictions and/or limitations. See manufacturer's web sites for more information.
7. The "ghost hand" shown is a men's glove size large with the first finger segment of the index finger on the trigger.
8. (???) means unknown, (?) means unconfirmed.

Web Sites

AMT: http://www.highstandard.com
Beretta: http://www.berettausa.com
Cobra: http://www.cobrapistols.net
Jiminez: http://www.shiningstardist.com
Kahr: http://www.kahr.com
Kel-Tec: http://www.kel-tec-cnc.com/
Magnum Research: http://www.magnumresearch.com/
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Sccy: http://www.sccyindustries.com
Seacamp: http://www.seecamp.com
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Guns to add when available for purchase:

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Taurus 738 TCP - .380
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Boberg XR9 - 9mm
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