

# VIPER A5 HELMET SYSTEM

# TACTICAL PERFORMANCE HELMET





# **KEY FEATURES**

- Monolithic Aramid material in modified ACH shape
- Available in four (4) sizes, one (1) cut with two (2) suspension/retention options
- Additional modular accessories (Front Mount, Interlocking Rails, Velcro) take from Clean to Mission-Ready Plus configuration
- Compatible with Face Shields, NVGs, Chem/Bio Masks and Communication Devices
- 5-year warranty\*

# **DESIGNED TO THE FOLLOWING PERFORMANCE STANDARDS**

- Modified and abbreviated NIJ 0106.01 / NIJ 0101.06 IIIA THREATS
- Modified and abbreviated NIJ 0106.01 / NIJ 0108.01 IIIA THREATS
- Modified and abbreviated US MIL-STD 662F using 17gr Fragmentation Simulated Projectile (FSP)
- Modified and abbreviated US Army CO/PD-05-04 dated October 30<sup>th</sup>, 2007

## **PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS**

• **AREAL DENSITY:** 2.33 lbs/ft² (11.35 kg/m²)

THICKNESS: 0.35 in (8.9 mm)
CUT STYLES: Full Cut, High Cut





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	SMALL	MEDIUM	LARGE	X-LARGE
CIRCUMFERENCE	20 % - 22 ½ in (525 - 570mm)	21 ½ - 23 ¼ in (545 - 590 mm)	22 ½ - 24 ¼ in (570 - 615 mm)	22 % - 24 ¾ in (580 - 620 mm)
COVERAGE (FULL CUT)	167 in <sup>2</sup> (1076 cm <sup>2</sup> )	180 in <sup>2</sup> (1163 cm <sup>2</sup> )	187 in <sup>2</sup> (1205 cm <sup>2</sup> )	193 in <sup>2</sup> (1242 cm <sup>2</sup> )
WEIGHT (SHELL)	2.65 lbs (1.2 kg)	2.87 lbs (1.3 kg)	3.00 lbs (1.36 kg)	3.22 lbs (1.46 kg)
WEIGHT (SYSTEM)	3.19 lbs (1.45 kg)	3.42 lbs (1.55 kg)	3.57 lbs (1.62 kg)	3.80 lbs (1.72 kg)

System = Clean configuration: painted shell with MSS retention system.

	DESIGNED TO	PERFORMED TO	
THREAT	NIJ 0106.01 / NIJ 0101.06 IIIA THREATS		
.357 SIG	1440 - 1500 ft/s (439 - 457 m/s)	Pass	
.44 MAG SJHP	1400 - 1460 ft/s (427 - 445 m/s)	Pass	
THREAT	NIJ 0106.01 / NIJ 0108.01 IIIA THREATS		
9mm	1350 - 1450 ft/s (411 - 442 m/s)	Pass	
.44 MAG SWCGC	1350 - 1450 ft/s (411 - 442 m/s)	Pass	
PROJECTILE	V <sub>50</sub> BL(P)		
17-grain FSP	2200 ft/s (671 m/s)	2380 ft/s (725 m/s)	
SHOT LOCATION	9 mm RTP/BTD AT VELOCITY OF 1400 ft/s (427 m/s)		
Crown	16.0 mm (0.63 in)	3.9 mm (0.15 in)	
Left	16.0 mm (0.63 in)	9.4 mm (0.37 in)	
Right	16.0 mm (0.63 in)	8.3 mm (0.33 in)	
Front	25.4 mm (1.0 in)	11.2 mm (0.44 in)	
Rear	25.4 mm (1.0 in)	8.3 mm (0.33 in)	

#### **BLUNT IMPACT**

- Designed to < 150G in all locations for 10 ft/s (3 m/s) impact
- Performed to average 81G

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS**

 Designed to Ambient 70°F (21°C), Immersion in seawater at 70°F (21°C) IAW ASTM D1141-98 (Applicable to BTD - 9mm, 124gr, FMJ RN, post conditioning)

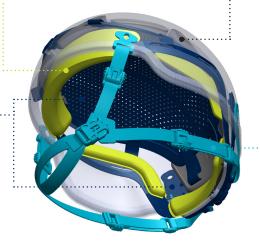
# **MODULAR SUSPENSION SYSTEM (MSS)**

#### COMFORT PADS •······

- Low water absorption and vapor transmission
- Holds it shape over repeated compressions
- · Offers excellent breathability

## NET & FITBAND ●·····

- Breathable, sweat-wicking netting provides a free flow of air to regulate internal temperature
- Adjustable net straps offer customizable crown height fit
- Dial ratchet mechanism adjusts fitband circumference for secure fit
- Dog legs to adjust height of nape pad for stability and comfort





- Low profile impact material does not contact head in normal operation
- Additional comfort layer available for no net option





Net Option

Comfort Layer Option

# RETENTION SYSTEM

- 4-point integrated harness with unique buckle system (no loose straps)
- Tensioners enable easy adjustment
- Low profile ballistic bolts

Viper A5 also available with 7-pad liner and 4-point harness.







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