

Accuracy Data

Following are the results of our tests broken down by individual gun performance with each brand of ammo. All averages are the results of 10 five-shot groups.

Smith & Wesson Model 686

Ammunition	Average Group Size	Best Group	Worst Group
Black Hills	2.04 in.	1.30 in.	2.53 in.
Remington	2.27 in.	1.25 in.	3.19 in.
3-D	2.50 in.	1.50 in.	3.35 in.
Federal	2.59 in.	1.72 in.	3.48 in.
Winchester	2.59 in.	1.55 in.	2.70 in.
Hornady	3.43 in.	2.17 in.	4.35 in.
CCI	3.43 in.	2.13 in.	4.59 in.
Overall Average	2.69 in.		

Colt Python Target

Ammunition	Average Group Size	Best Group	Worst Group
Winchester	1.59 in.	1.09 in.	2.49 in.
Federal	1.95 in.	1.11 in.	2.59 in.
Black Hills	2.08 in.	1.31 in.	2.81 in.
Remington	2.17 in.	1.42 in.	3.80 in.
3-D	2.32 in.	1.57 in.	3.19 in.
CCI	4.00 in.	3.09 in.	5.74 in.
Hornady	6.08 in.	4.11 in.	7.76 in.
Overall Average	2.88 in.		

Smith & Wesson Model 52

Ammunition	Average Group Size	Best Group	Worst Group
Black Hills	2.56 in.	1.19 in.	3.36 in.
Winchester	2.85 in.	1.57 in.	3.79 in.
3-D	2.87 in.	1.53 in.	3.96 in.
CCI	2.91 in.	1.02 in.	3.93 in.
Federal	2.91 in.	1.98 in.	3.88 in.
Remington	3.13 in.	2.08 in.	3.62 in.
Hornady	3.52 in.	1.49 in.	5.50 in.
Overall Average	2.96 in.		