

# STRAFE AND GUNNERY TARGET TYPE 590

## Instant, Accurate Shot Scoring







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The Strafe and Gunnery Target is an advanced acoustic shot scoring system. Designed for the training and evaluation of fixed wing and rotary aircraft gunnery, the real-time reporting of shot pattern and hits greatly enhances the gunner's training cycle.

The non-contact electronic shot detection technology ensures a low-cost system, with a greatly reduced frequency of target replacement. The rugged quality of the target adds a further assurance of product longevity, an essential requirement of any modern military equipment.

Since 1996, this has been a choice target used in UK RAF ranges. The latest target utilises cutting-edge technology to enhance accuracy and usability. The simplicity of the software, when added to the rapidity of the target's operational feedback, provides an unparalleled training experience. Pilots and gunners are made immediately aware of their score, greatly accelerating the improvement curve.

The Strafe Scoring target delivers instant, accurate shot scoring, with a support network at MS Instruments that guarantees the system is consistently the best.

### **CUTTING-EDGE TECHNOLOGY ENHANCES ACCURACY AND USABILITY**

#### Versatile:

- All supersonic projectile types detected.
- Wide range of attack angles.
- Modular structure.



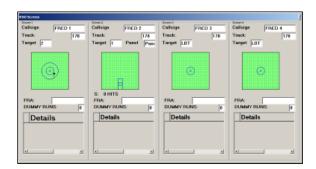
## Simple and Effective:

- Instant Feedback.
- Capacity for system expansion.
- Comprehensive report generation.



## **Tough and Convenient:**

- Robust folding design.
- Easy transportation.
- Reliable operation.





Acoustic Sensor



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Shot Pattern Display

#### **HARDWARE**

- Two acoustic sensor pods measure the shock-cone generated by supersonic projectiles passing over the target. The projectile's location is then calculated.
- The Radio Transceiver sends this information to the Range Processor Type 663(n), where the shot pattern and score are clearly displayed. Wiring is available on request.
- New Folding Frame gives maximum pod separation, and hence detection area, whilst ensuring portability. The folding cover protects the target during transport and storage.
- Modularity ensures easy component replacement, minimising down-time in the event of shot damage. Combined with power-up tests, this ensures incomparable reliability.

#### **SOFTWARE**

- Shot Pattern and Score displayed on operator and remote screen.
- Communication with the system allows performance analysis at any base location.
- System Expansions include multiple targets and bomb-scoring, with seamless software integration.
- Comprehensive Report Generation and summary statistics capability.

#### **SPECIFICATION**

MEASUREMENT	
Active Target Area	7m x 7m [7.62mm cal]; 20m x 20m [30mm cal]
<b>Shot Position Accuracy</b>	500mm rms or better
Azimuth Range [typical]	±25°
Elevation Range [typical]	0-45°
PROJECTILES	
Projectile Velocity [at target]	Mach 1.3 to Mach 5
Projectile Calibre	All supersonic calibres
Rate of Fire	≤6000 rpm
POWER/COMMS	
Power	12V DC provided by sealed, lead, acid battery
Charging	110-240V AC (50-60 Hz)
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Communications	900 MHz band UHF [Radio Transceiver Type 573]	
Standard Radio	3.0km [ <i>1.8mi</i> ]	
Distance	3.06111 [1.87111]	
Wired	Available on request	
ENVIRONMENT		
IP Rating	IP67	
Rain	Operates in light rain	
Wind	Gusts affect nominal accuracy	
Operating	-10°C to 50°C	
Temperature	[14 °F to 122 °F]	
DIMENSIONS		
LxWxH	2.69m x 0.42m x 0.64m (1.59m x 0.42m x 0.68m)	
(Folded)	[106in x 17in x 26in (63in x 17in x 27in)]	
Weight		
[excl. battery	39.0kg [ <i>86.0lbs</i> ]	
and cover]		

## USED WITH



Battle Effects Simulator (BATES) Type 220-221



Moving Armour Target (MAT) Type 250-253



Bomb Scoring System Type 650

## MS INSTRUMENTS Range Consultancy

Precision, Expertise, Quality

- Professional Bespoke Range Designs
- State-of-the-Art Product Rendering
- Only the Latest Standards







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