Popular Handgun
Ammo Comparison
Cartridge Casings for Popular Handgun Ammunition

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Cartridges for Some Popular Handgun Ammunition
Shown as Jacketed Hollowpoints (JHP)

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### Average Ballistics for Popular Semi-automatic Handgun Ammunition

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<th>Muzzle Velocity (Avg. ft/s)</th>
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Average Ballistics for Popular Revolver Handgun Ammunition

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