

FN 15® Maryland Heavy Barrel Carbine Owner's Manual Addendum



We are pleased that you have chosen an FN 15® Maryland Heavy Barrel Carbine. The FN 15® Carbine shares the same reliability, durability, quality and many of the operating features as other FN 15® rifles and carbines. However, it has additional special features such as a match-grade barrel heavy profile hard chrome plated and a, free-float forearm and a knurled muzzle end threaded cap. This addendum will cover the operation of those specific features where they differ from the standard FN 15®. You shall find detailed information on the common operations and the features of the FN 15® in the FN 15® Owner's Manual supplied with your FN 15® MD Carbine.

WARNING

Before inspecting or making any adjustments on the FN 15® MD Carbine, fully read and understand completely the Owner's Manual as well as this Addendum. Place the "safety" in the on safe position, remove the magazine, open the action and ensure the chamber is empty as explained in Section 15.1 of your Owner's Manual. Always keep the muzzle pointed in a safe direction. Failure to follow these warnings may result in serious injury or death

1. Contents of the Storage Case

- FN 15[®] Maryland Heavy Barrel Carbine
- Safety lock and two keys
- One 10-round Magpul® GenM3 PMAG™ magazine
- Magpul® MBUS Front and Rear, not assembled
- Owner's Manual with this Addendum

2. Special Features and Components of the FN 15® MD Carbine

The FN 15® Carbine is equipped with several special components chosen to provide an additional level of performance beyond what is standard for the FN 15® Carbine and Rifle.

In most cases, these features require no additional instruction beyond those for the standard components.

- 1. A match-grade, heavy profile, hammer forged, chrome-plated 16" barrel chambered in 5.56x45mm NATO for increased accuracy, long life and ease of cleaning.
- 2. Barrel features a Stainless Steel NAROH pinned gas block.
- 3. PWS muzzle brake for recoil mitigation and quick target acquisition.
- 4. MI-SSM M-LOK 12" Rail for increased accuracy, longer grip surface and increased area for mounting iron and optical sights.
- 5. Magpul® GenM3 PMAG™ 10 rounds for longer life and increased durability.

3. Free Float Handguard

The Midwest Industries, Inc. SSM M-LOK ™ 12″ lightweight free-float forearm/ rail assembly installed on the FN 15® MD Carbine is in place of the standard round handguards. The MI rail assembly extends over a low-profile gas block. It allows for mounting of additional grips, sights, laser devices and other accessories onto a rigid, free-float forearm. T-Slot markings on the top Mil-STD-1913 rail allow for recording of accessory locations for reference. M-LOK technology allows for additional mounting accessories and options are available from various manufacturers. Please refer to your individual accessory's instructions for correct mounting



WARNING

Before installing any sights, lasers or other devices on the rifle, place the "safety" in the on safe position, remove the magazine, open the action and ensure the chamber is empty as explained in Section 15.1 of your Owner's Manual. Always keep the muzzle pointed in a safe direction. Failure to follow these warnings may result in serious injury or death.

3.1 Disassembly: FN does not recommend removing or disassembling the Midwest® rail for normal maintenance. It should remain attached to the upper receiver for normal maintenance. When the rifle is broken down as explained in Section 18.1, use extra care when separating the upper and the lower receivers. Because of the mounting device on the rail, there is less clearance between the rail and the lower receiver. If the upper receiver is pivoted on the front take-down pin as shown in Figure 20 of the Owner's Manual, the rail could come in contact with the lower receiver causing damage to the rail, the lower receiver and potentially pinching your hand. Please use caution.



4. Magazine Notes

The FN 15's are tested with aluminum GI pattern, mil-spec magazines to drop free. Other types of magazines, polymer or otherwise, may not drop free if they do not meet mil-spec. for dimension.

The supplied Magpul® PMAG™GenM3 magazine may not initially drop completely free from the magazine well. After repeated insertions, the PMAG™ will begin to "wear-in" and may drop free when the magazine release is pressed. During this break-in period, pulling the magazine from the magazine well may be necessary.

WARNING

Do not mount any sight, laser, or other device, which interferes with normal operation of the rifle or extends beyond or in front of the muzzle.

Ensure any sight or device attached to this rail is firmly mounted.

CAUTION

Use care when disassembling the upper and lower receivers as described in Section 18.1 of your Owner's Manual with the Samson Evolution™ rail installed. Damage may occur to the rail and the lower receiver if done improperly. A pinch hazard may also be present.

5. Technical Specifications;

Specification	FN 15 [®] Maryland Heavy Barrel Carbine - 36460		
SKU/ Product Number	36460		
Caliber	5.56X45 MM NATO		
Barrel Length	16", Heavy Profile		
Twist Rate	1:7" RH		
Barrel Material	Match Grade 4140 Alloy Steel, Hammer Forger, Heavy		
	Profile, Chrome Plated		
Gas Block	.750" ID, Stainless Steel NAROH pinned		
Muzzle Device	PWS Muzzle brake		
Sights	Magpul® MBUS Front and Rear, not assembled		
Trigger	Standard 4.75 – 7.75 Lbs.		
Trigger Guard	Standard		
Stock	Collapsible, 6 position, Black		
Pistol Grip	Standard		
Forearm	MI-SSM M-LOK 12" w/ Picatinny rail at 12 o'clock position.		
	T-marked for accessory location		
Weight (w/ empty mag. no sights)	6.96Lbs.		
Length	32.5" - 35.55"		
Width	2.75"		
Height (w/o sight)	7.25"		
Length of Pull	10¼" – 13.5"		
Magazine (one each)	Magpul® PMAG™GenM3 (MAG559-BLK) 10 round		
Accuracy	3.0 MOA with factory match-grade ammunition		

^{*}All measurements are approximate, pictures are for reference only.

If you have any questions about your FN 15® Maryland Heavy Barrel Carbine or these instructions, please feel free to contact us at 1.855.536.4872 or by email at customerservice@fnamerica.com

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