

# .300 Savage

## Overview

The **.300 Savage cartridge** is a rimless, .30 caliber rifle cartridge developed by Savage Arms in 1920. It was designed to replace the less powerful .303 Savage in their popular Savage Model 99 hammerless lever-action rifle. Despite having a short case and a rather stumpy neck, the cartridge is capable of propelling a 150-grain (9.7 g) bullet at over 2,600 ft/s (790 m/s) with an effective range of over 300 yd (270 m).

## Stats

Ammunition Type	Damage	Bullet Velocity (m/s)	Barrier Penetration	Armor Piercing
M2 Ball	35	760	2	7
Lapua Mega 200gr	45	730	2	15
Lapua Naturalis 170gr	50	810	5	6
Norma Big Bear 240gr	60	680	7	5
M14A1 API	6	700	6	480
T99 Explosive Round	5 +1 Explosive Damage	400	3	1
T100 HEIAP	5 +1 Explosive Damage	520	3	245
Accelerator	32	1000	3	3

Note: Barrier penetration represents the rounds ability to go through walls and barriers. Armor piercing represents the rounds ability to penetrate body armor plates.