

.470 Nitro Express

Overview

The **.470 Nitro Express** is a rifle cartridge developed by Joseph Lang in England for dangerous game hunting in Africa and India. This cartridge is used almost exclusively in double barrel rifles. It is in wide use in the Southern and Central-East African region, favoured by hunting guides, primarily while out for hunting buffalo and elephant.

Stats

Ammunition Type	Damage	Bullet Velocity (m/s)	Barrier Penetration	Armor Piercing
500gr Soft Point	186	660	3.8	3
585gr FMJ	113	503	8	3
550gr Lead Solid	122.7	450	6.5	10
660gr API	122.7	400	30.5	330
700gr Hollowpoint	199	391	0.5	1

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

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