



USW-A1



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Specifications USW-A1		
Model:	USW-A1	USW-A1 Compact
Item Number:	BT-430001	BT-430004
Caliber:	9 x 19 mm	9 x 19 mm
Operation:	Semi automatic	Semi automatic
Magazine:	17, 19, 30 rounds	13, 15, 26 rounds
Barrel Length:	110 mm	79 mm
Length Open:	473 mm	473 mm
Length Folded:	257 mm	257 mm
Width:	44 mm	44 mm
Height**:	170 mm	152 mm
Weight Empty**:	ca. 1170 g	ca. 1020 g
Stock Pull:	368 mm	368 mm
Trigger:	DA/SA	DA/SA

* with NANO® ** with 17/15 rounds magazine, NANO and light

All specifications are subject to change without prior notice. Data are mean values and therefore not suitable acceptance criteria.



Size matters

Compared to other popular service pistols, the USW only extends slightly in size. This is because of the folding stock and optic bridge design. This negligible length difference is hardly noticed by the operator while the stock is folded. Once the stock is unfolded it provides a secure and stable shooting platform that will enable any operator to make consistency body shots at 75 meters.



A few words on the 9 x 19 mm for Urban Police and Counter Terrorism use.

The 9 x 19 mm is by far the most widely used cartridge worldwide. There are many reasons for this advantage such as economy, universal availability and the widest choice of different loads with specific bullet performance. An example of this would be to carry standard duty service ammunition in the USW, but carrying armor piercing ammunition in a spare magazine, if the situation occurs that might require engaging a subject wearing body armor. Most Police shooting incident occurs at 7 meters or less. Most active shooter or terrorist shooting incidents occur at 25 meter or more. The USW can perform at both distances while not over-penetrating at close range but maintaining enough energy at extended ranges for effective terminal ballistics. Two other points where the 9 x 19 mm is superior to rifle cartridges are the facts that it does not over-penetrate and that it is not too far reaching beyond normal shooting distances. Both points are crucial when it comes to engagements in an urban environment with innocent bystanders around, like a terror attack.

Accessories

The USW comes fully equipped and ready to deploy straight from the case. This includes the accessories featured below, which every professional operator will appreciate. The only optional equipment available is a B&T Impuls-IIA suppressor and two discrete carry bags.



1. Aimpoint NANO® (Included) – In order to end any dangerous situation, the operator must be able to engage the subject at any distance, even beyond normal pistol ranges. Combined with the adrenaline dump, high stress conditions like this will produce, the chances of hitting the target are poor at best. This is where the new Aimpoint NANO® Red Dot Sight offers unrivaled advantages of any open sight. Just place the red dot on the target and press the trigger. It is just faster, safer and much more accurate.

2. Light (Included) – Statistics show, that the vast majority of firearms incidents occur during hours of limited visibility or in dark buildings. This is why it is crucial to clearly identify the subject before engaging. Therefore the USW comes with the proven B&T Advanced Pistol Light (APL). It is an LED light that produces 400 Lumen of output for 90 minutes.

3. Magazines (Included) – As recent terror events have proven, a sufficient supply of ammunition is essential. This is why B&T not only offers two standard magazine sizes, the 17 and the plus two (19) round magazine, but also has a 30 round magazine included in the package. The extended magazine will enable the operator to engage very dangerous subjects without reloading. (USW-A1 Sub-Compact: 13, 15, 26 rounds)



4. Holster (Included) – The user can choose from a variety of holsters (Level II or III) and carrying options (high, low belt, high belt, MOLLE). All models are of course available in a left or a right hand option. As an option two discrete carry bags are also available.

5. Accessories (Included) – In order to fit the USW perfectly to the hand of the user, the weapon comes with three interchangeable grips covers to accommodate all hand sizes. A single point sling, sling loop, cleaning kit and a polymer transportation box are also included.

6. Training (Optional) – B&T offers a full "Train the Trainer" transition course if requested. This will enable any agency, regardless of service, to get the full potential of the system as quickly as possible.



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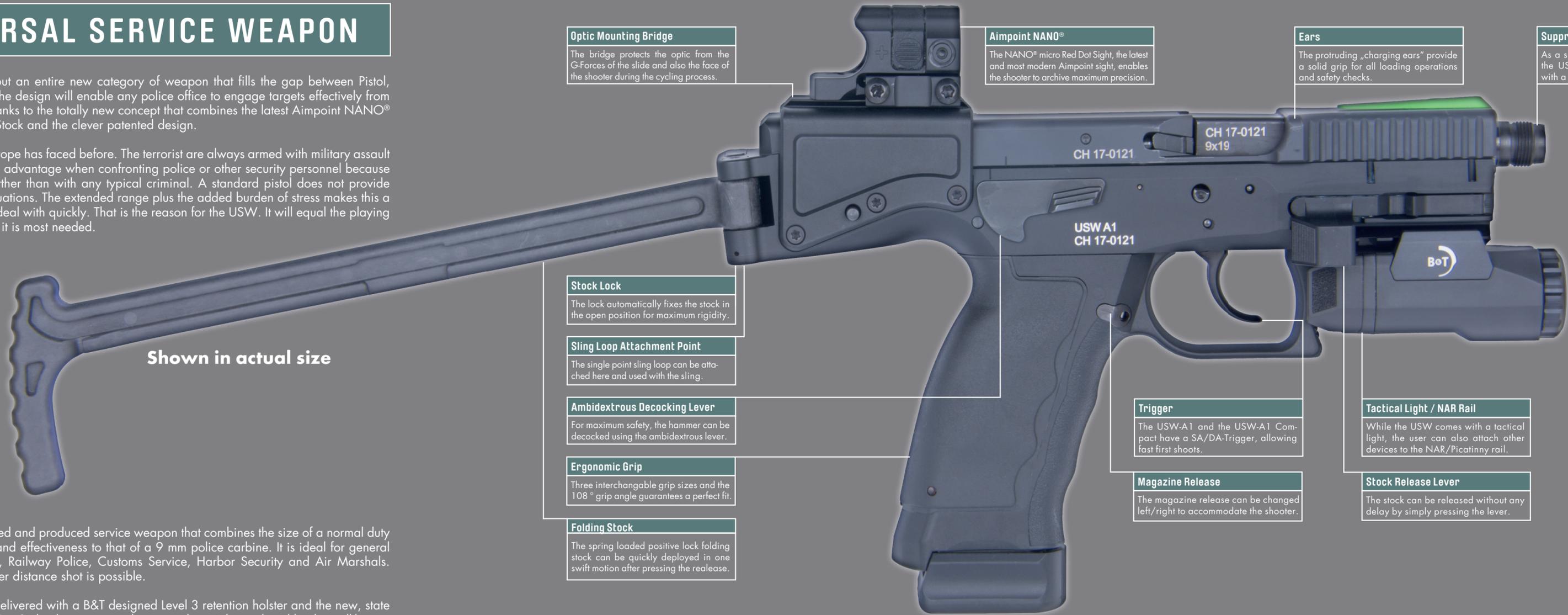
Recent terror events in the world and especially in Europe have changed the playing field for many police agencies, intelligence services and even some military units. The B&T UNIVERSAL SERVICE WEAPON® (USW®) was designed as a response to this emerging and very serious threat.



USW - UNIVERSAL SERVICE WEAPON

The USW® is not just a new weapon but an entire new category of weapon that fills the gap between Pistol, Submachine Gun and Police Carbine. The design will enable any police office to engage targets effectively from 0 out to 75 meters (82 yards). This is thanks to the totally new concept that combines the latest Aimpoint NANO® Red Dot Sight, integrated Side Folding Stock and the clever patented design.

The current threat is not anything that Europe has faced before. The terrorist are always armed with military assault weapons. This fact gives the terrorist the advantage when confronting police or other security personnel because the engagement distances are much further than with any typical criminal. A standard pistol does not provide enough accuracy and range in these situations. The extended range plus the added burden of stress makes this a very difficult situation for any service to deal with quickly. That is the reason for the USW. It will equal the playing field for law enforcement at the moment it is most needed.



Optic Mounting Bridge
The bridge protects the optic from the G-Forces of the slide and also the face of the shooter during the cycling process.

Aimpoint NANO®
The NANO® micro Red Dot Sight, the latest and most modern Aimpoint sight, enables the shooter to archive maximum precision.

Ears
The protruding „charging ears“ provide a solid grip for all loading operations and safety checks.

Suppressor ready
As a suppressor is a valuable add on, the USW-A1 and the USW-SF comes with a suppressor ready barrel.

Stock Lock
The lock automatically fixes the stock in the open position for maximum rigidity.

Sling Loop Attachment Point
The single point sling loop can be attached here and used with the sling.

Ambidextrous Decocking Lever
For maximum safety, the hammer can be decocked using the ambidextrous lever.

Ergonomic Grip
Three interchangeable grip sizes and the 108 ° grip angle guarantees a perfect fit.

Folding Stock
The spring loaded positive lock folding stock can be quickly deployed in one swift motion after pressing the release.

Trigger
The USW-A1 and the USW-A1 Compact have a SA/DA-Trigger, allowing fast first shoots.

Magazine Release
The magazine release can be changed left/right to accommodate the shooter.

Tactical Light / NAR Rail
While the USW comes with a tactical light, the user can also attach other devices to the NAR/Picatinny rail.

Stock Release Lever
The stock can be released without any delay by simply pressing the lever.

The USW is a Swiss designed, engineered and produced service weapon that combines the size of a normal duty pistol but extends the range, accuracy and effectiveness to that of a 9 mm police carbine. It is ideal for general Police work but also for Airport Police, Railway Police, Customs Service, Harbor Security and Air Marshals. Anywhere, where the chance for a longer distance shot is possible.

The weapon is a complete system. It is delivered with a B&T designed Level 3 retention holster and the new, state of the art, Aimpoint NANO® micro Red Dot Sight, the newest and most modern sight produced by the well-known Swedish company. The kit also includes the B&T Advanced Pistol Light (APL), 3 magazines (17, 19, 30 rounds), a single point sling with sling loop, a cleaning kit and a polymer transportation box. The various types of attachments for the holster (belt/thigh/MOLLE) will provide safe and reliable portage of the weapon during all missions. The user does not require any further investment to put the weapon into service.

The USW-A1 has a DA/SA trigger and a ambidextrous decocking lever. The folding stock is integrated into the polymer-aluminum hybrid receiver of the weapon. It is not an add-on part. The top slide has unique flared ears to facilitate racking the slide and normal manipulation. The bridge of the receiver which mounts the Aimpoint is fixed. The Aimpoint does not move and stays stationary during the cycling process. The frame is also machined with a Picatinny/NAR (NATO Accessory Rail) to accept any type of light or laser pointer on the market.

The features of the USW will enable the shooter to produce very tight groups at 25 meters / 27 yards and to place first round incapacitating hits at distances up to 75 meters / 82 yards, even under the stress of a life-threatening confrontation. The purpose designed holster will enable the operator to draw and fire the weapon in less than 1.0 seconds at a target without the stock extended. Unfolding the stock during the draw process adds less than 0.4 seconds.



USW-A1 with B&T Impuls-IIA suppressor and 30 rounds magazine



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