



FN15™ Sporting

Owner's Manual Addendum

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We are pleased that you have chosen an FNH USA FN 15™ Sporting Rifle. The FN 15™ Sporting 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 and trigger, free-float forearm, Magpul® buttstock and pistol grip and SureFire® muzzle brake. This addendum will cover the operation of those specific features where they differ from the standard FN 15™. The common operations and features are covered in the FN 15™ Autoloading Rifle Owner's Manual supplied with your FN 15™ Sporting.

WARNING

Before inspecting or making any adjustments on the FN15™ Sporting Rifle, 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

- FN15™ Sporting Rifle
- Safety lock and two keys
- One 30-round Magpul® GenM3 PMAG™ magazine
- Owner's Manual with this Addendum

2. Special Features and Components of the FN 15™ Sporting

The FN 15™ Sporting is equipped with several special components that were carefully 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, hammer forged, chrome-plated 18” barrel chambered in .223 Remington for increased accuracy, long life and ease of cleaning. It features a PRI® steel Low Profile Gas Block. The chamber and barrel profile has been optimized for 69-77 grain match bullets. It delivers 1.5 MOA accuracy with factory match-grade ammunition.
2. SureFire® ProComp 556 muzzle brake for improved recoil management and quicker follow-up shots. This muzzle brake is not suppressor compatible.
3. Samson Manufacturing Evolution™ 15” free-float forearm for increased accuracy, longer grip surface and increased area for mounting iron and optical sights.
4. MagPul® CTR™ collapsible buttstock, MOE™ pistol grip and trigger guard for increased ergonomics.
5. Timney™ Competition single stage trigger for better trigger control and improved shot placement.
6. MagPul® GenM3 PMAG™ for longer life and increased durability.

3. Buttstock Adjustment

The Magpul® CTR Carbine Stock is installed on the FN15™ Sporting Rifle in place of the standard carbine buttstock. The CTR is a six-position collapsible stock that has a special locking feature and additional sling mounting options.

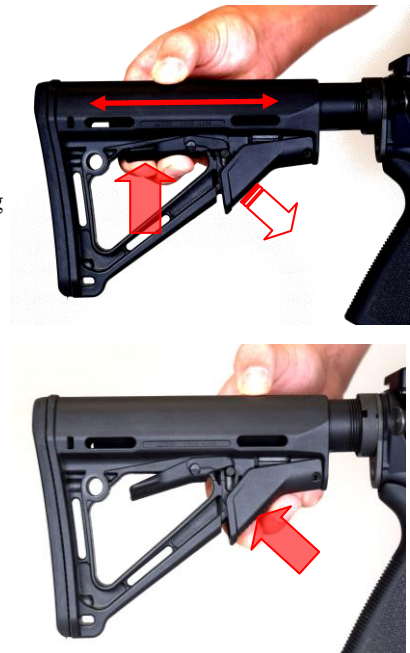
WARNING

Before manipulating or making any stock adjustments, 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 Adjusting and locking the buttstock

3.1.1 Adjusting To adjust the length of the buttstock assembly, the upper lever is used to unlock the buttstock. If the locking lever is engaged, the adjustment lever will automatically disengage the locking lever. While holding the adjustment lever depressed, move the buttstock forward or aft to the desired position. The stock should lock into one of the six positions.

3.1.2 Locking: Once the desired stock length has been selected, press the lower locking lever to lock the buttstock, minimizing the movement between the buffer tube and the buttstock. To unlock, simply press the adjustment lever as described in Section 3.1.1 above.



4. Free Float Handguard

The Samson Manufacturing 15" Evolution™ rail assembly is installed on the FN15™ Sporting Rifle in place of the standard round handguards. The Evolution™ 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 M-1913 rail allow for recording of accessory locations for reference. Other mounting accessories and options are available directly from Samson Manufacturing. (www.samson-mfg.com) Please refer to your individual accessory's instructions for correct mounting.



Samson Manufacturing 15" Evolution™ Rail Assembly

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.

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 when the Samson Evolution™ rail is installed. Damage may occur to the rail and the lower receiver if done improperly. A pinch hazard may also be present.

4.1 Disassembly: FNH USA does not recommend removing or disassembling the Samson Evolution™ Rail for normal maintenance. It should remain attached to the upper receiver for normal maintenance.

When the rifle is disassembled as explained in Section 18.1, extra care should be taken when separating the upper and 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 may come in contact with the lower receiver causing damage to the rail, the lower receiver and potentially pinching your hand. Please use caution.



5. Magazine Notes

The FN15™ is 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, the magazine may have to be pulled from the magazine well when removing it.

6. Technical Specifications

Specification	FN15 Sporting Rifle
SKU / Product Number	36301
Caliber	.223 Remington
Barrel length	18"
Twist Rate	1:8" RH
Barrel Material	Match Grade 4140 Alloy Steel, hammer forged, chrome plated
Gas Block	PRI® Low Profile Gas Block , .750" ID, steel
Muzzle device	SureFire®ProComp 556 muzzle brake, ½-28 threads
Sights	None
Trigger	Timney™ Competition Single Stage #667S (3.25-4.5 lbs)
Trigger Guard	Magpul® MOE™ (MAG417-BLK)
Stock	Magpul® CTR™(MAG310-BLK) collapsible, 6 position
Pistol Grip	Magpul® MOE™ (MAG415-BLK)
Forearm	Samson Mfg. 15" Evolution™, free-float
Weight (with empty magazine and sight)	7.7 Lbs
Length	35.6" – 38.6 "
Width	2.53"
Height (with magazine)	9.0"
Length of Pull	10.5" – 13.5"
Magazine (one each)	Magpul® PMAG™GenM3 (MAG557-BLK) 30 round
Accuracy	1.5 MOA with factory match-grade ammunition

If you have any questions about your FN15™ Sporting Rifle or these instructions, please feel free to contact us at 1.855.536.4872 or by email at: customerservice@fnhusa.com