## Shooting Reconstruction - Angle Determination Test No. 23-5620 Summary Report

Each sample set contained a wooden box that consisted of one entrance hole, one exit hole, and a "TOP" label to distinguish the orientation of the box. In addition, one "A" label and one "1" label were placed on opposing sides of the box to assist participants when reporting the entrance/exit holes and direction of travel. Participants were requested to determine the entrance hole, direction of travel, and calculate the angles. Data were returned from 110 participants and are compiled into the following tables:

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Appendix: Data Sheet

This report contains the data received from the participants in this test. Since these participants are located in many countries around the world, and it is their option how the samples are to be used (e.g., training exercise, known or blind proficiency testing, research and development of new techniques, etc.), the results compiled in the Summary Report are not intended to be an overview of the quality of work performed in the profession and cannot be interpreted as such. The Summary Comments are included for the benefit of participants to assist with maintaining or enhancing the quality of their results. These comments are not intended to reflect the general state of the art within the profession.

Participant results are reported using a randomly assigned "WebCode". This code maintains participant's anonymity, provides linking of the various report sections, and will change with every report.

## Manufacturer's Information

Each sample set contained a wooden box that consisted of one entrance hole, one exit hole, and a "TOP" label to distinguish the orientation of the box. In addition, one "A" label and one " 1 " label were placed on opposite sides of the box to assist participants when reporting the entrance/exit holes and direction of travel. Participants were requested to determine the entrance hole, the direction of travel, and calculate the angles. The label marked with "A" was associated with the entrance hole. The label marked with " 1 " was associated with the exit hole. The direction of travel was left to right, downward and the angles (as measured during production) are described below.

PRODUCTION: The sample was placed onto a fixed angle set up (iig). A PTR 9 Semi-Automatic Pistol 9 mm Luger firearm was affixed above the jig and a digital angle finder was placed on the jig to confirm the angle to be shot.

The Horizontal (Azimuth) angle was measured at $2^{\circ}$ from perpendicular, $88^{\circ}$ left to right or $92^{\circ}$ right to left. The Vertical angle was measured downward at $22^{\circ}$ or $68^{\circ}$ upward.

VERIFICATION: All predistribution laboratories reported the expected responses, with the Horizontal and Vertical angles falling within $\pm 5^{\circ}$.

## Summary Comments

This test was designed to allow participants to assess their proficiency in shooting reconstruction, with a focus on angle determination. Each sample set consisted of a wooden box (ltem 1) containing an entrance and exit hole, along with three labels. A "TOP" label was used to assist participants with the orientation of the sample. One side was labeled " $A$ " and the opposite side was labeled " 1 " to assist with reporting the direction of travel. The side labeled " $A$ " was associated with the entrance hole. (Refer to Manufacturer's Information for preparation details.)

ENTRANCE HOLE: All 108 responding participants identified the side labeled " $A$ " as containing the entrance hole. One other participant did not report a result but stated in Table 4: Conclusions that the side labeled " $A$ " contained the entrance hole.

DIRECTIONALITY: Of the 107 responding participants, 102 (93\%) reported a left-to-right direction of travel. The five remaining participants reported a right-to-left direction of travel. In addition, one other participant did not report a result but stated in Table 4: Conclusions, the directionality which is consistent with the consensus. In regard to upward/downward directionality, all 108 responding participants reported a downward direction.

## ANGLE DETERMINATION

Reported angles are reviewed using CTS' uncertainty factor of $\pm 5^{\circ}$ from the prepared values.

HORIZONTAL: Any reported horizontal angles that fell outside of the following ranges were marked as inconsistent: $\pm$ $5^{\circ}$ from perpendicular of the prepared value of $2^{\circ}\left(0\right.$ to $\left.7^{\circ}\right), \pm 5^{\circ}$ from left-to-right of the prepared value of $88^{\circ}(83$ to $\left.93^{\circ}\right)$, or $\pm 5$ from right-to-left of the prepared value of $92\left(87\right.$ to $\left.97^{\circ}\right)$. Of the 101 responding participants that reported horizontal angles, 96 ( $95 \%$ ) reported angles that fell within the ranges described above. Five participants reported angles that fell outside of these ranges.

VERTICAL: Any reported vertical angles that fell outside of the following ranges were marked as inconsistent: $\pm 5^{\circ}$ downward from the prepared value of $22^{\circ}\left(17\right.$ to $\left.27^{\circ}\right)$ or $\pm 5^{\circ}$ upward from the prepared value of $68^{\circ}\left(63\right.$ to $\left.73^{\circ}\right)$. Of the 101 responding participants that reported vertical angles, 94 ( $93 \%$ ) reported angles that fell within the ranges described above. Seven participants reported angles that fell outside of these ranges.

CTS is aware that some labs will only report directionality and will not report any angle measurements.

## Entrance Hole

Which label on the box represents the entrance hole?
TABLE 1

| WebCode | Character | WebCode | Character |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2DCH4G | A | 8PBZPR | A |
| 2LTWBT | A | 8YX822 | A |
| 2RXTUT | A | 98MDAT | A |
| 2TC6TX | A | 9HPQDZ | A |
| 3EVQWW | A | 9TRLW6 | A |
| 3UH2GY | A | A3AT6T | A |
| 3UH43W | A | AGRMEX | A |
| 3Z8LKE | A | AKV9CV | A |
| 48274L | A | AP4WLQ | A |
| 48QZA7 | A | APZCV3 | A |
| 4BK28D | A | ATZFRV | A |
| 4JYGLN | A | AVPMCR | A |
| 4MCRNB |  | B7NPAU | A |
| 62FDQ2 | A | BZCYH9 | A |
| 64V3P4 | A | C7MAE9 | A |
| 6DKUEG | A | D6J4BJ | A |
| 6GJX9A | A | D6JBBQ | A |
| 6V2WUH | A | DC7WMJ | A |
| 7BUMUK | A | DPVUNG | A |
| 7HXQL4 | A | DZDFTC | A |
| 7MTHU2 | A | E7WZFN | A |
| 7PGUT8 | A | EAFM24 | A |
| 8M92CD | A | EDWHQU | A |


| WebCode | Character | WebCode | Character |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| EKQKUQ | A | LT6CCX | A |
| ELTDTY | A | M7NNA6 | A |
| EQKJ82 | A | MEHU8D | A |
| ETLPNR | A | N8E8QW | A |
| ETMHLZ | A | NWVVEK | A |
| F4PZW3 | A | P4QC82 | A |
| F6FE3R | A | P68BKY | A |
| FRT87R | A | PG4BKH | A |
| FYPQL2 | A | PVE4Z9 | A |
| GE4EDB | A | PWUH8H | A |
| GHWFC4 | A | R2UHHW | A |
| GPJ9LH | A | RFW8GH | A |
| GPV6RM | A | RKAERG | A |
| HF64Q4 | A | RRC8HZ | A |
| J6YGCC | A | RZ73BA | A |
| J8C99Y | A | T2R946 | A |
| JJ6CVD |  | TLZ7R8 | A |
| JJP96T | A | TNPMYU | A |
| JWD9XF | A | TQCGFV | A |
| KCGCPK | A | TUVBJM | A |
| KDECXX | A | U26U3R | A |
| L47A76 | A | U7KRME | A |
| LE8MBC | A | UFPFZK | A |
| LEZJTE | A | UGLPHN | A |
| LL2T4D | A | UNFUBP | A |


| WebCode | Char |  | WebCode | Character |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| VNYXJQ |  |  |  |  |
| VTVYRC |  |  |  |  |
| W6HLDX |  |  |  |  |
| W9XAVA |  |  |  |  |
| WBP862 |  |  |  |  |
| WDTZ47 |  |  |  |  |
| XUGBQ9 |  |  |  |  |
| XXHJUJ |  |  |  |  |
| YATCZ6 |  |  |  |  |
| YGMGT7 |  |  |  |  |
| Z4FXNJ |  |  |  |  |
| ZF9CTL |  |  |  |  |
| ZFKBJP |  |  |  |  |
| ZPYZL4 |  |  |  |  |
| Response Summary |  |  |  | Participants:110 |
| Which label on the box represents the entrance hole? |  |  |  |  |
|  | Character: | A | 1 | No Response |
|  | Total: | 108 | 0 | 2 |
|  | Percent: | 98.2\% | 0.0\% | 1.8\% |

## Direction of Travel

What is the direction of travel of the bullet through the box? (check all that apply)
TABLE 2

| WebCode | Left / Right | Upward / Downward |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2DCH4G | Left to Right | Downward |
| 2LTWBT | Left to Right | Downward |
| 2RXTUT | Left to Right | Downward |
| 2TC6TX | Left to Right | Downward |
| 3EVQWW | Left to Right | Downward |
| 3UH2GY | Right to Left | Downward |
| 3UH43W | Left to Right | Downward |
| 3Z8LKE | Left to Right | Downward |
| 48274L | Left to Right | Downward |
| 48QZA7 | Left to Right | Downward |
| 4BK28D | Leff to Right | Downward |
| 4JYGLN | Leff to Right | Downward |
| 4MCRNB | Left to Right | Downward |
| 62FDQ2 | Left to Right | Downward |
| 64 V 3 P 4 | Left to Right | Downward |
| 6DKUEG | Left to Right | Downward |
| 6GJX9A | Left to Right | Downward |
| 6V2WUH | Left to Right | Downward |
| 7BUMUK | Left to Right | Downward |
| 7HXQL4 | Left to Right | Downward |
| 7MTHU2 | Left to Right | Downward |
| 7PGUT8 | Left to Right | Downward |
| 8M92CD | Left to Right | Downward |
| 8PBZPR | Left to Right | Downward |
| 8 YX 822 | Left to Right | Downward |
| 98MDAT | Left to Right | Downward |
| 9HPQDZ | Left to Right | Downward |
| 9TRLW6 | Left to Right | Downward |
| A3AT6T | Left to Right | Downward |

TABLE 2

| WebCode | Left / Right | Upward / Downward |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| AGRMEX | Right to Left | Downward |
| AKV9CV | Left to Right | Downward |
| AP4WLQ | Right to Left | Downward |
| APZCV3 | Left to Right | Downward |
| ATZFRV | Left to Right | Downward |
| AVPMCR | Left to Right | Downward |
| B7NPAU | Left to Right | Downward |
| BZCYH9 | Left to Right | Downward |
| C7MAE9 | Left to Right | Downward |
| D6J4BJ | Left to Right | Downward |
| D6JBBQ | Left to Right | Downward |
| DC7WMJ | Left to Right | Downward |
| DPVUNG | Left to Right | Downward |
| DZDFTC | Left to Right | Downward |
| E7WZFN | Left to Right | Downward |
| EAFM24 | Left to Right | Downward |
| EDWHQU | Left to Right | Downward |
| EKQKUQ | Left to Right | Downward |
| ELTDTY | Left to Right | Downward |
| EQKJ82 | Left to Right | Downward |
| ETLPNR | Left to Right | Downward |
| ETMHLZ | Left to Right | Downward |
| F4PZW3 | Left to Right | Downward |
| F6FE3R | Left to Right | Downward |
| FRT87R | Left to Right | Downward |
| FYPQL2 | Right to Left | Downward |
| GE4EDB | Left to Right | Downward |
| GHWFC4 | Left to Right | Downward |
| GPJ9LH | Left to Right | Downward |
| GPV6RM | Left to Right | Downward |
| HF64Q4 | Left to Right | Downward |

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| WebCode | Left / Right | Upward / Downward |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| J6YGCC | Left to Right | Downward |
| J8C99Y | Left to Right | Downward |
| JJ6CVD |  |  |
| JJP96T | Left to Right | Downward |
| JWD9XF | Left to Right | Downward |
| KCGCPK | Left to Right | Downward |
| KDECXX | Left to Right | Downward |
| L47A76 | Left to Right | Downward |
| LE8MBC | Left to Right | Downward |
| LEZJTE | Left to Right | Downward |
| LL2T4D | Left to Right | Downward |
| LT6CCX | Left to Right | Downward |
| M7NNA6 | Left to Right | Downward |
| MEHU8D | Left to Right | Downward |
| N8E8QW | Left to Right | Downward |
| NWVVEK | Left to Right | Downward |
| P4QC82 | Left to Right | Downward |
| P68BKY | Left to Right | Downward |
| PG4BKH | Left to Right | Downward |
| PVE4Z9 |  | Downward |
| PWUH8H | Left to Right | Downward |
| R2UHHW |  | Downward |
| RFW8GH | Left to Right | Downward |
| RKAERG | Left to Right | Downward |
| RRC8HZ | Left to Right | Downward |
| RZ73BA | Left to Right | Downward |
| T2R946 | Left to Right | Downward |
| TLZ7R8 | Left to Right | Downward |
| TNPMYU | Left to Right | Downward |
| TQCGFV | Left to Right | Downward |
| TUVBJM | Left to Right | Downward |

TABLE 2

| WebCode |  | Left / Right |  | Upward / Downward |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| U26U3R |  | Left to Right |  | Downward |  |  |
| U7KRME |  | Left to Right |  | Downward |  |  |
| UFPFZK |  | Left to Right |  | Downward |  |  |
| UGLPHN |  | Left to Right |  | Downward |  |  |
| UNFUBP |  | Left to Right |  | Downward |  |  |
| VNYXJQ |  | Left to Right |  | Downward |  |  |
| VTVYRC |  | Right to Left |  |  |  |  |
| W6HLDX |  | Left to Right |  | Downward |  |  |
| W9XAVA |  | Left to Right |  | Downward |  |  |
| WBP862 |  | Left to Right |  | Downward |  |  |
| WDTZ47 |  | Left to Right |  | Downward |  |  |
| XUGBQ9 |  | Left to Right |  | Downward |  |  |
| XXHJUJ |  | Left to Right |  | Downward |  |  |
| YATCZ6 |  | Left to Right |  | Downward |  |  |
| YGMGT7 |  | Left to Right |  | Downward |  |  |
| Z4FXNJ |  | Left to Right |  | Downward |  |  |
| ZF9CTL |  | Left to Right |  | Downward |  |  |
| ZFKBJP |  | Left to Right |  | Downward |  |  |
| ZPYZL4 |  | Leff to Right |  | Downward |  |  |
| Response Summary |  |  |  | Participants: 110 |  |  |
| What is the direction of travel of the bullet through the box? |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Direction: | Right to Left | Left to Right | No Response | Upward | Downward | No Response |
| Total: | 5 | 102 | 3 | 0 | 108 | 2 |
| Percent: | 4.5\% | 92.7\% | 2.7\% | 0.0\% | 98.2\% | 1.8\% |

## Angles

TABLE 3 - Horizontal (Azimuth)

| WebCode | Angle Measurement | Uncertainty (in degrees) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2DCH4G | 87 |  |
| 2LTWBT | 92 |  |
| 2RXTUT | 84 | 5 |
| 2TC6TX | 88 | 5 |
| 3EVQWW | 86 | 5 |
| 3UH2GY | 92 | 5 |
| 3UH43W | 87 | 5 |
| 3Z8LKE | 89 | 5 |
| 48274L | 88 (2 from orthogonal) | 5 |
| 48QZA7 | 87 | 5 |
| 4BK28D | 88 | 5 |
| 4JYGLN | 4 | 2 |
| 4MCRNB | 87 | 2 |
| 62FDQ2 | 7 |  |
| 64V3P4 | 86 | 5 |
| 6DKUEG | 87 | 5 |
| 6GJX9A |  |  |
| 6V2WUH | 2 | 5 |
| 7BUMUK | 87 |  |
| 7HXQL4 |  |  |
| 7MTHU2 | 2 | 5 |
| 7PGUT8 |  |  |
| 8M92CD | 87 |  |
| 8PBZPR | 87.7 | 2.6 |
| 8YX822 | 89 | 5 |
| 98MDAT | 3 | 5 |
| 9HPQDZ | 23 | 5 |
| 9TRLW6 | 1 | 5 |

TABLE 3 - Horizontal (Azimuth)

| WebCode | Angle Measurement | Uncertainty (in degrees) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| A3AT6T | 88 ( $0=$ left/ $180=$ right) |  |
| AGRMEX | 90 |  |
| AKV9CV |  |  |
| AP4WLQ | 93 | 5 |
| APZCV3 | 1 | 5 |
| ATZFRV | 88.5 (Left-Right) | 5 |
| AVPMCR | 88 | 5 |
| B7NPAU | 3 | 1 |
| BZCYH9 | 82 |  |
| C7MAE9 | 88 |  |
| D6J4BJ | 1 | 5 |
| D6JBBQ | 2 | 2 |
| DC7WMJ | 1 | 5 |
| DPVUNG | 88 |  |
| DZDFTC | 89 (from surface of box) | 5 |
| E7WZFN | 87 | 5 |
| EAFM24 | 91 |  |
| EDWHQU | 89 |  |
| EKQKUQ | 87 L to $\mathrm{R}, 93 \mathrm{R}$ to $\mathrm{L}, 3$ perpendicular | 5 |
| ELTDTY | 88 | 5 |
| EQKJ82 | 92.5 | 3 |
| ETLPNR | 88 | 5 |
| ETMHLZ | 88 | 5 |
| F4PZW3 | 88 |  |
| F6FE3R | 89 | 5 |
| FRT87R | 87 | 5 |
| FYPQL2 | 93 | 2.5 |
| GE4EDB | 88 | 5 |

TABLE 3 - Horizontal (Azimuth)

| WebCode | Angle Measurement | Uncertainty (in degrees) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| GHWFC4 | 2 |  |
| GPJ9LH | 88 |  |
| GPV6RM | $86^{\circ}\left(4^{\circ}\right.$ from $\left.90^{\circ}\right)$ | $5^{\circ}$ |
| HF64Q4 | 88 | 5 |
| J6YGCC | 88 | 5 |
| J8C99Y | 88.6 | 5 |
| JJ6CVD | 87 | 5 |
| JJP96T |  |  |
| JWD9XF | 87.8 | 2.6 |
| KCGCPK | 85 | 5 |
| KDECXX | 88.0 |  |
| L47A76 | 89 degrees |  |
| LE8MBC | 88.7 | 2.6 |
| LEZJTE | 87 | 5 |
| LL2T4D | 88.1 | 2.6 |
| LT6CCX | 25 | 2 |
| M7NNA6 | 88 |  |
| MEHU8D | 87 | 5 |
| N8E8QW | 91 |  |
| NWVVEK | 87 | 5 |
| P4QC82 | 88 left to right | 5 |
| P68BKY | 3 | 1 |
| PG4BKH | 88 | 5 |
| PVE4Z9 | 90 | 5 |
| PWUH8H | 92 | 5 |
| R2UHHW | 90 |  |
| RFW8GH | 88 | 5 |
| RKAERG | 88 |  |
| RRC8HZ | 25 | 2 |

## TABLE 3 - Horizontal (Azimuth)

| WebCode | Angle Measurement | Uncertainty (in degrees) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| RZ73BA | 87 | 5 |
| T2R946 |  |  |
| TLZ7R8 | 88.9 | 2.6 |
| TNPMYU | 22 degrees above |  |
| TQCGFV | 2 | 5 |
| TUVBJM | 88 |  |
| U26U3R | 89 |  |
| UTKRME | 85 | 5 |
| UFPFZK | 89 |  |
| UGLPHN | 89 | 5 |
| UNFUBP | 3 |  |
| VNYXJQ | approximately 87 |  |
| VTVYRC | 87 | 3 |
| W6HLDX | 89 | 5 |
| W9XAVA | 87.5 | 2.6 |
| WBP862 |  |  |
| WDTZ47 |  |  |
| XUGBQ9 | 88 (left to right) | 5 |
| XXHJUJ | 86 |  |
| YATCZ6 |  |  |
| YGMGT7 | 88 | 10 |
| Z4FXNJ | 88 |  |
| ZF9CTL | 87 | 5 |
| ZFKBJP | 87.8 | 5.8 |
| ZPYZL4 | 88 | 5 |

TABLE 3 - Vertical

| WebCode | Angle Measurement | Uncertainty (in degrees) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2DCH4G | 25 |  |
| 2LTWBT | 64 |  |
| 2RXTUT | 29 | 5 |
| 2TC6TX | 25 | 5 |
| 3EVQWW | 28 | 5 |
| 3UH2GY | 25 | 5 |
| 3UH43W | 26.5 | 5 |
| 3Z8LKE | 24 | 5 |
| 48274L | 25 | 5 |
| 48QZA7 | 25 | 5 |
| 4BK28D | 25 | 5 |
| 4JYGLN | 27 | 2 |
| 4MCRNB | 65 | 2 |
| 62FDQ2 | 27 |  |
| 64 V 3 P 4 | 24 | 5 |
| 6DKUEG | 25 | 5 |
| 6GJX9A |  |  |
| 6V2WUH | 26 | 5 |
| 7BUMUK | (-) 25 |  |
| 7HXQL4 |  |  |
| 7MTHU2 | 25 | 5 |
| 7PGUT8 |  |  |
| 8M92CD | - 26 |  |
| 8PBZPR | 23.6 | 2.6 |
| $8 \mathrm{YX822}$ | -25 | 5 |
| 98MDAT | 25 | 5 |
| 9HPQDZ | 93 | 5 |
| 9TRLW6 | 25 | 5 |
| A3AT6T | 66 (0=up/180 = down) |  |

TABLE 3 - Vertical

| WebCode | Angle Measurement | Uncertainty (in degrees) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| AGRMEX | 65 |  |
| AKV9CV |  |  |
| AP4WLQ | 24 | 5 |
| APZCV3 | 25 | 5 |
| ATZFRV | 25.5 (Downward) | 5 |
| AVPMCR | 24 | 5 |
| B7NPAU | -27 | 1 |
| BZCYH9 | 24 |  |
| C7MAE9 | -25 |  |
| D6J4BJ | 24 | 5 |
| D6JBBQ | 23 | 2 |
| DC7WM | 24 | 5 |
| DPVUNG | 67 |  |
| DZDFTC | 25 | 5 |
| E7WZFN | -25.0 | 5 |
| EAFM24 | 65 |  |
| EDWHQU | 24 |  |
| EKQKUQ | 22 downwards | 5 |
| ELTDTY | 65 | 5 |
| EQKJ82 | 25 | 3 |
| ETLPNR | -23 | 5 |
| ETMHLZ | 27 | 5 |
| F4PZW3 | 25 |  |
| F6FE3R | 25 | 5 |
| FRT87R | 25 | 5 |
| FYPQL2 | 68 | 2.5 |
| GE4EDB | 25 | 5 |
| GHWFC4 | 24 |  |
| GPJ9LH | 24.5 |  |

TABLE 3 - Vertical

| WebCode | Angle Measurement | Uncertainty (in degrees) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| GPV6RM | $24^{\circ}$ | $3.5^{\circ}$ |
| HF64Q4 | 23 Upward from Horizontal Plane | 5 |
| J6YGCC | 26 | 5 |
| J8C99Y | 26 | 5 |
| JJ6CVD | 24 | 5 |
| JJP96T |  |  |
| JWD9XF | 24.5 | 2.6 |
| KCGCPK | 62 | 5 |
| KDECXX | 26.7 |  |
| L47A76 | -24 degrees |  |
| LE8MBC | 24.4 | 2.6 |
| LEZJTE | -24 | 5 |
| LL2T4D | 25.6 | 2.6 |
| LT6CCX | 2 | 2 |
| M7NNA6 | 25 |  |
| MEHU8D | -26 | 5 |
| N8E8QW | 23 |  |
| NWVVEK | 22 | 5 |
| P4QC82 | 24 downward | 5 |
| P68BKY | 24 | 1 |
| PG4BKH | -25.5 | 5 |
| PVE4Z9 | 22 | 5 |
| PWUH8H | -24 | 5 |
| R2UHHW | 21 |  |
| RFW8GH | 23 | 5 |
| RKAERG | 25 |  |
| RRC8HZ | 5 | 2 |
| RZ73BA | 23 | 5 |
| T2R946 |  |  |

TABLE 3 - Vertical

| WebCode | Angle Measurement | Uncertainty (in degrees) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| TLZ7R8 | 24.8 | 2.6 |
| TNPMYU | 1 degree left |  |
| TQCGFV | -23 | 5 |
| TUVBJM | 25 |  |
| U26U3R | 23 |  |
| U7KRME | 24 | 5 |
| UFPFZK | 24.55 |  |
| UGLPHN | 66 | 5 |
| UNFUBP | 26 |  |
| VNYXJQ | approximately 25 |  |
| VTVYRC | 67 | 3 |
| W6HLDX | 23 | 5 |
| W9XAVA | 25.2 | 2.6 |
| WBP862 |  |  |
| WDTZ47 |  |  |
| XUGBQ9 | 25 (downward) | 5 |
| XXHJUJ | 25 |  |
| YATCZ6 |  |  |
| YGMGT7 | 65 | 10 |
| Z4FXNJ | 25 |  |
| ZF9CTL | 25 | 5 |
| ZFKBJP | 23.8 | 1.8 |
| ZPYZL4 | 25 | 5 |

## Conclusions

## TABLE 4

| WebCode | Conclusions |
| :---: | :---: |
| 2DCH4G | All trajectories are opinions. All measurements are approximate. All vertical and horizontal angles were measured from the baseline. |
| 2LTWBT | Analysis of Trajectory 1 indicated the bullet originated from in front of side A of the wall, traveling nearly perpendicular at a downward angle where it perforated the wall, exiting through the side marked 1 . |
| 2RXTUT | Trajectory for perforating defect into surface is 84 degrees left to right and 29 degrees downward. |
| 2TC6TX | Hole ila is an entrance. Hole ilb is an exit. The projectile that struck ila perforates wall " A ", and then perforates wall " 1 " with a downward trajectory of $\sim 25$ degrees ( $+/-5$ degrees) and a left to right trajectory of $\sim 88$ degrees ( $+/-5$ degrees). |
| 3EVQWW | [No Conclusions Reported.] |
| 3UH2GY | The bullet entrance hole on the wall was the strike marked A. The bullet struck the wall at about $\sim 25$ degrees downward angle and a slight right to left angle of $\sim 92$ degrees with $+/-5$ degrees of uncertainty. |
| 3UH43W | I examined the section of the partition wall. I identified two (2) holes in the partition wall. These holes were created by the passage of a single bullet. The side labelled "A" was identified as the entrance hole and the side labelled " 1 " was identified as the exit hole. The entrance hole was located approximately three (3) inches from the top edge of the partition wall and approximately one and seven eighths ( $17 / 8$ ) inches from the left hand side of the partition wall. The exit hole was located approximately four and a half ( $41 / 2$ ) inches from the top edge of the partition wall and four (4) inches from the left hand side of the partition wall. The bullet travelled downward (below the horizontal) at a vertical angle of $26.5 \pm 5$ degrees and a horizontal (azimuth) angle of $87 \pm 5$ degrees from left to right (side labelled "A" facing the examiner) through the partition wall. |
| 3Z8LKE | Item 1 had two defects that appeared consistent with damage from a projectile. The side labeled A appears to be the entrance and the side labeled 1 appears to be the exit. Trajectory rods were placed, and measurements were taken. The projectile path was left to right and downward. Vertical Angle 24 $+/-5$ degrees Horizontal Angle $89+/-5$ degrees The reported uncertainty of measurement (+/-5 degrees) is generally accepted in the field of shooting reconstruction. |
| 48274L | A bullet entered side A and exited side 1. The direction of travel was downward and in a slight left to right direction. |
| 48QZA7 | In my opinion the damage to the sample was caused by the passage of a single bullet. The bullet entered the sample on the 'A' side. The bullet path was measured as 26 degrees downwards (+/-5 degrees) and 87 degrees left to right (+/-5 degrees) |
| 4BK28D | A bullet trajectory was assessed on the provided wall partition. The projectile entered (label A) with a downward angle of 25 degrees +-5 , from left to right at 88 degrees +-5 , and exited the wall partition (label 1). |
| 4JYGLN | Upon visual inspection of a section of a partition wall, it was determined that the hole labeled as „ $\mathrm{A}{ }^{\prime \prime}$ corresponds to an entrance bullet hole, and the hole labeled as „1" corresponds to an exit bullet hole. Bullet traveled from left to right at an angle of $4^{\circ}+/-2^{\circ}$ and downwards at an angle of $27^{\circ}+/-2^{\circ}$. |
| 4MCRNB | The trajectory of the defect in the wall is $\sim 65$ degrees downward and $\sim 87$ degrees rightward. |

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62FDQ2 Test Report: This laboratory report contains the conclusions, opinions, and interpretations of the member whose initials/signature appears on the report. Results relate only to the items tested. Unless otherwise noted, all activities performed at [Laboraory] Forensic Section [Adress]. This is a supplement to the original report. On 08/07/2023 I was provided with Item 001 by [Name] (Forensic Services Section Accreditation) for trajectory analysis angle determination. On 09/19/2023 I conducted the following observations and analysis: Item 001: A white cardboard box sealed with red evidence tape containing one square wood box. The wood box measured $63 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ wide and tall, and $4^{\prime \prime}$ deep, with two large, faced square sides and four smaller rectangular sides. The box had three sides labeled with stickers. On the top rectangular side with sticker "Test No. 23-5620". Both large, faced sides had stickers, one with "Test No. 23-5620 Side A" and "Test No. 23-5260 Side 1". There were two defects on the box with one on "Side A" and one on "Side 1 ". The "Side A" defect was circular and measured $3 / 8$ " by $3 / 8$ ". It was 3 $3 / 8^{\prime \prime}$ up from the bottom and $23 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ from the left side. This defect appears to be an entry defect due to the wood bending inward. The "Side 1 " defect was circular and measured $3 / 8$ " by $3 / 8$ ". It was $13 / 4$ " up from the bottom and $3^{\prime \prime}$ from the right. This defect appears to be an exit defect due to the wood bending and splintering outward. A trajectory rod was inserted, and the two defects did correlate with each other and provided the following angle measurements. The angles were determined by inserting the rod from "Side A" to "Side 1". The vertical angle was 7 degrees left to right and the horizontal angle was 27 degrees downward. The item was repackaged and resealed in its original packaging. Case Status: [Name] (Forensic Services Section - Accreditation) Nothing further at this time.
$64 \mathrm{~V} 3 P 42$ defects were observed to the partition wall. Defect on side ' $A$ ' was determined to be the entrance with corresponding exit on side ' 1 '. A trajectory rod was utilized and to show a slightly left to right and downward trajectory. Horizontal angle - 86 degrees Vertical angle - 24 degrees Angle measurements are subjected to uncertainty of $+/-5$ degrees.

6DKUEG Damage to the submitted timber wall was caused by the passage of a fired bullet. The fired bullet entered the wall at damage area 'A' and perforated the wall, exiting the wall on the opposite side at damage area 'l.' I fitted trajectory rods to these areas of damage, recording the trajectory of the bullet as 25 degrees downwards, with a horizontal (azimuth) angle of 87 degrees Left to Right.

6GJX9A An entrance hole done by a bullet a fire gun, sited in the half side left in the wooden box. The direction of travel of the bullet through the box from right to left, from up towards down with an ascendet angle of $27^{\circ}$ : the bullet in the direction made an exit hole identified as " 1 ", sited in the down rigth side.

6V2WUH RESULTS: Projectile impact damage was located in the section of wall, Exhibit 1. A bullet entrance hole was located in side " A " with an associated exit on side "1". The projectile path was determined to have a vertical angle of 26 degrees downward and a horizontal angle of 2 degrees from perpendicular traveling slightly left to right. CONCLUSIONS: Damage to the wall, Exhibit 1, is consistent with having been caused by a projectile entering side A and exiting side 1 traveling at a downward angle in a slightly left to right direction.

7BUMUK The bullet was descending downward, and approximately 87 degrees left to right.

7HXQL4 Pathway $A$ (including impacts $A, A 1$ ) is consistent with a bullet traveling from side " A " to side " 1 ", left to right, and in a downward direction.

7MTHU2 The partition wall exhibited two defects consistent with defects produced by a fired bullet. The bullet passed through the wall producing an entrance defect on the side of the wall labeled $A$, and an exit defect on the side of the wall labeled 1 . The fired bullet perforated the wall producing a trajectory with a 2 degree left to right incident angle at a 25 degree downward angle.

7PGUT8 Pathway $T$ (including impacts $T, T 1$ ) is consistent with a bullet traveling from side $A$ to side 1, left to right, and in a downward direction.

8M92CD The direction of travel of the projectile thru Item 1 was determined to be from side $A$ to side 1, left to right and downward. As measured from entrance side (Side A), the vertical angle was determined to be -26 degrees. As measured from the left edge of Side $A$ towards the right side, the azimuth angle was determined to be 87 degrees.

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8PBZPR Defect A is a perforating entrance bullet defect to side A of the wooden box. A trajectory rod was placed in defect $A$ and was measured 23.6 degrees $+/-2.6$ degrees downward and 87.7 degrees $+/-2.6$ degrees left to right.

8YX822 The bullet travelled from left to right, entering the partition wall on the side labelled 'A' and exited from the side labelled ' 1 '. The trajectory of this bullet was at a downward vertical angle of approximately $-25 \pm 5$ degrees or $25 \pm 5$ degrees below the horizontal plane at point of entry and at an azimuth angle of approximately $89 \pm 5$ degrees measured from left to right (viewed facing side ' $A$ ') along the horizontal plane with left side being 0 degrees.

98MDAT The trajectory of the shot was downwards and slightly left to right. The trajectory has been measured at approximately 25 degrees below the horizontal ( $+/-5$ degrees uncertainty) and approximately 3 degrees left to right ( $+/-5$ degrees) from the perpendicular.

9HPQDZ The cut sample of wall submitted contains a single perforating bullet hole. The bullet entered on the surface marked "A" and exited on the surface marked " 1 ". The bullet traveled in a downward trajectory, slightly left to right. The bullet impact is located approximately two inches from the left and three inches up from the base of the sample wall.

9TRLW6 The trajectory is described regarding 3 references planes: horizontal plane (parallel to top and bottom faces), longitudinal plane (parallel to 1 and A faces), transversal plane (perpendicular to both other planes). The bullet progressed through the box from face A (entrance hole) to 1 (exit hole) on an axis oriented downward with an angle of $25^{\circ}$, from horizontal plane, and slighty from left to right when following the bullet path with the angle of $1^{\circ}$ from the transversal plane.

A3AT6T Trajectory Analysis: The following observations and conclusions are based upon the information provided to date. Item 1 was a section of partition wall with defects on each side that was submitted for trajectory analysis. The wall was previously marked "A" on one side and " 1 " on the other. Visual and chemical analysis of the defects were consistent with passage of a bullet. Trajectory T1 Analysis of Trajectory Tl indicated the bullet originated on side "A" of the wall and traveled in a generally perpendicular direction at a downward angle where it perforated the wall and exited on side " 1 " of the wall. Processing and Enhancement Analysis: Lead Testing. A positive result indicates the presence of lead. Performed On Impact I-1 (Side "A" of the wall) - Positive Impact I-2 (Side "1" of the wall) Negative

AGRMEX The entrance hole in the box is representative by the lefter $A$. The direction of travel of the bullet through the box is right to left and the measuring angle of the horizontal (Azimuth) is 90 degree and the vertical is 65 degree.
AKV9CV Pathway J (including impacts $\mathrm{J}, \mathrm{Jl}$ ) is consistent with a bullet traveling from side " A " to side " 1 ", left to right, and in a downward direction.

AP4WLQ The bullet entrance hole on the wall was the strike marked A. The bullet struck the wall at about a 24 degrees downward angle with a $+/-5$ degree of uncertainty and a slight right to left angle of 93 degrees with $a+/-5$ degree of uncertainty.

APZCV3 A shot had passed through the wall at a slght angle from left to right and at a downward angle of approximately 25 degrees from the horizontal.
ATZFRV Two perforating defects, consistent with defects produced by a fired projectile, were observed in the submitted wall portion. Examinations of the defects were conducted in an attempt to establish the trajectory of the fired projectile's path. The following trajectory was established: Measurements and examinations of the perforating defects in the wall indicate that a fired projectile entered the 'A' side of the wall and exited the ' 1 ' side of the wall at a 25.5 degree(+/-5 degree) downward angle and at an 88.5 degree ( $+/-5$ degree) left to right (azimuth) angle.

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AVPMCR Lab Item \# 1 (section of partition wall) was examined on 08/29/2023. I observed a perforating defect on side "A" containing apparent bullet wipe with an associated defect on side " 1 ". The vertical angle for the defect was measured at 24 degrees ( $\pm 5$ degrees) downward and the horizontal (azimuth) angle was measured at 88 degrees ( $\pm 5$ degrees) left to right. The general trajectory for the defect in Lab Item \#1 was side " A " to side " 1 ", downward and left to right.

B7NPAU According to the characteristics (shape, size, location etc) of the damages, the bullet traveled through the wooden box from left to right at an angle of 3 degrees (the azimuth is 3 degrees) and downwards at an angle of 27 degrees (the vertical angle is -27 degrees).

BZCYH9 The bullet entered on side A and exited through side 1 . The azimuth angle is approximately 82 degrees from the walls surface, traveling left to right. The elevation angle is downward approximately 24 degrees from horizontal.

C7MAE9 The direction of travel of the bullet responsible for the entrance defect $A$ and exit defect 1 was from front to back, left to right (almost orthogonal) with a downward angle.

D6J4BJ Item AA218684 is a small wood box frame with an entrance bullet hole on Side A, and an exit bullet hole on Side 1. The bullet hole was probed and measured. The projectile was determined to have traveled 1 degree from left to right and downward at an angle of 24 degrees. All trajectory measurements have a measurement uncertainty of $+/-5$ degrees.

D6JBBQ Bullet trajectory ' $A$ ' was a perforation. The path of travel of the bullet was from the box side labeled "Test No. 23-5620 A" through to box side "Test No. 23-5620 1". The entrance hole was labeled as "A". The exit hole was labeled as "A1". The entrance hole was approximately $13 / 8$ " from the left edge and approximately $31 / 8^{\prime \prime}$ from the bottom of the box and measured $6 / 16^{\prime \prime} \times 1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ in size. Bullet wipe was present. The azimuth angle was approximately $2^{\circ}$ left of perpendicular. The vertical angle was approximately $23^{\circ}$ up from perpendicular. The path of travel of the bullet was left to right and at a downward angle.

DC7WMJ An entry hole on side A was observed and a corresponding exit hole was observed on side 1 of the wall. The bullet entered side A of the wall from left to right, approximately $1^{\circ}$ from the perpendicular and at a downward angle of approximately $24^{\circ}$.

DPVUNG The bullet traveled at a downward angle and approximately perpendicular to side $A$. The bullet entered on the A side of the wood box and exited out of Side 1.

DZDFTC Impact \#1 (on side A) is a perforating entrance hole. It is roughly circular in shape and bullet wipe is present. The projectile travelled downward at a $\sim 25$ degree ( $+/-5$ degrees) angle, and left to right at $\sim 89$ degrees ( $+/-5$ degrees) from the surface of the wall/partition. Impact \#2 (on side 1 ) is the associated perforating exit hole.
E7WZFN One perforating bullet defect was located in the submitted wall section. The directionality of the bullet consisted of an entry on Side A and an exit on Side B. The bullet travelled in a left to right and downward directionality. The angle of incidence was measured to be $87^{\circ} \pm 5^{\circ}$ Horizontal and $-25.0^{\circ} \pm 5^{\circ}$ Vertical.
EAFM24 The result of trajectory analysis 1 . The size of the sample partition wall is 14.6 centimeters height 14.7 centimeters width and 7.7 centimeters depth. 2. the position of hole on label $A$ side is above from botton side by 7.3 centimeters and far from left side by 3.1 centimeters and the size of the hole is 9.0 centimeters width and 9.0 centimeters Height. 3. the position of hole on label 1 side is above from botton side by 3.7 centimeters and far from left side by 11.2 centimeters and the size of the hole is 1.0 centimeters width and 2.3 centimeters Height. 4.The trajectory is from label $A$ side to label 1 side with downward angle by 65 degrees from ground and from left to right angle by 91 degrees.

EDWHQU Bullet defect "A" is the entry defect traveling left to right and at a downward trajectory. Bullet Defect " 1 " is the exit defect. All trajectories are opinions. Vertical and horizontal angles were measured from the baseline.

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EKQKUQ The horizontal (Azimuth) angle was measured 3 degree from perpendicular, 87 degree from left to right and 93 degree from right to left. The vertical angle was measured 22 degree downwards. The uncertainty level was measured as +-5 degree.

ELTDTY A suspected bullet entered the box on Side A and exited on Side 1. The suspected bullet traveled left to right at a downward angle.
EQKJ82 The projectile entered the wall partition through Side A and exited through Side 1. A possible lead wipe was observed at the top of impact on side $A$. The direction of travel of the projectile, was from right to left at aproximately
ETLPNR The trajectory of the bullet that created these holes was from side A to side 1, slightly left to right, and downward. The trajectory was determined using a trajectory rod and the angle was determined using a protractor and inclinometer.

ETMHLZ The submitted partition wall was found to have a pair of defects. A single bullet likely perforated the partition wall on surface "A" and exited from surface " 1 ". The trajectory, viewed facing surface "A", was determined to be approximately 88 degree ( $+/-5$ degree) from left to right, and 27 degree ( $+/-5$ degree) downwards.

F4PZW3 The portion of the wall examined consisted of a wooden box with four of its sides labeled as follows: "Top", " 1 ", "A", and one side labeled with an arrow pointed up. One hole (AW-A) was observed in the side of the box labeled as " A " and one hole (AW-A exit) was in the side labeled as " 1 ". The bullet traveled from side " A " to side " 1 " in a downward and slight left-to-right direction and passed through the box; this trajectory was determined relative to someone facing side " A ".

F6FE3R The projectile trajectory was from A to 1, left to right at $\sim 89$ deg and downward $\sim-25$ deg.

FRT87R The fired bullet that impacted the substrate at area of damage 'A' had a left to right angle of approximately 87 degrees and a downward trajectory of approximately 25 degrees.

FYPQL2 The bullet generated the following trajectory in the piece of wood: from outside to inside, from right to left, from front to back and downward.

GE4EDB The side of the box with the label that read, "Test No. 22-5620 A" had an oval hole that had gray material around the top margins of the defect and most of the wood fibers/particles were pushing inward. This hole was determined to be the entrance hole. The side of the box with the label that read, "Test No. 22-5620 1" had an oval hole with most of the wood fibers/particles pushing outward. This hole was determined to be the exit hole. The location of the damage was measured. A trajectory probe was placed through the two holes to determine the bullet path. Facing the "A" side of the box with the "TOP" side up, the projectile had travelled slightly left to right, and downward through the wall.

GHWFC4 Item AD is a wooden box with perforating bullet damage that entered on side A and exited on side 1 . The bullet trajectory was two degrees from left to right and twenty-four degrees downward from horizontal. Degree measurements in this report are included for descriptive purposes only and are not quantitative forensic results.

GPJ9LH As requested by Detective $x x x x x x$, Item $x x x x x x 1$ was processed for shooting reconstruction evidence. The following defects were located and documented: A: A perforation located on "Side A" of the box. Defect "A" is an entrance hole exhibiting wood material pushed inward and possible lead wipe on the upper edge. "A" is located $23 / 4$ inches up from the bottom and $13 / 4$ inches right of the left edge. The defect exhibited a downward and slightly left to right directionality measuring at approximately 88 degrees horizontal (azimuth) and approximately 24.5 degrees vertical. A1 : An exit hold related to "A" located 1 $1 / 4$ inches up from the bottom edge and 2 inches left of the right edge of "Side 1 ".

GPV6RM The box has sustained perforating damage caused by a bullet entering side A and exiting side 1 . The track is left-right, and downwards.

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HF64Q4 When viewed from side "A of the submitted partition wall section: One semi-circular, perforating entrance defect with a smooth margin around the outside edge, in the side labeled " $A$ " of the submitted partition wall section. A gray in color shoulder is visible around the periphery of the upper portion of the defect. The defect at the outer margin measures approximately $8 \mathrm{~mm} \times 9 \mathrm{~mm}$. The defect's center is approximately 4.6 cm from the left side and approximately 7.6 cm upward from the bottom. When viewed from the opposite side, labeled " 1 ", of the submitted partition wall section: One generally oval, perforating exit defect. The perimeter of the defect has wood broken away from the surface at the periphery, with a rough margin, and wood protruding outward at the upper margin. The hole in the defect at the outer surface measures approximately $5 \mathrm{~mm} \times 3 \mathrm{~mm}$. Damaged wood at the defect's periphery measures approximately $2.2 \mathrm{~cm} \times 1.1 \mathrm{~cm}$. The center of the hole is approximately 698 cm from the left side and approximately 4 cm upward from the bottom. Trajectory is side " $A$ " to side " 1 ", left to right and downward: Horizontal angle approximately 88 degrees left to right, $+/-5$ degrees; vertical angle approximately 23 degrees upward from the horizontal plane, $+/-5$ degrees. Angles were determined using a trajectory rod centered via centering cones through the corresponding entrance and exit defects. An angle finder was utilized to determine the vertical angle and a 180 degree protractor and plumb bob were used to determine the horizontal angle.
J6YGCC Impacts had a possible projectile path beginning with a perforating impact (Side A) before perforating (Side 1). Projectile path angle was determined to be in the left to right direction at 88 degrees and in a downward direction at 26 degrees.

J8C99Y From the shooter's perspective, the shot was fired in a left to right, and downward direction.

JJ6CVD The path of the bullet indicates entry on side "A" \& exit on side "1", traveling left to right at an approximate 24 degree downward angle and an approximate 87 degree horizontal angle.

JJP96T Pathway A (including impacts A, A1) is consistent with a bullet traveling from side "A" to side "1", left to right, and in a downward direction.

JWD9XF A perforating entrance bullet defect was in "Side A" of the wood block. The bullet associated with this defect traveled slightly left to right and downward with an elevation angle of $24.5^{\circ} \pm 2.6^{\circ}$ and an azimuth angle of $87.8^{\circ} \pm 2.6^{\circ}$. All reported azimuth and vertical angles were measured from fitted trajectory rods scanned using a Trimble X7 3D laser scanner. The reported uncertainty for azimuth and vertical angles measured from the trajectory rods is expanded using a coverage factor $\mathrm{k}=2$ for a level of confidence of approximately $95 \%$, assuming a normal distribution. The expanded uncertainty represents the uncertainty of the 3D laser scanning method of measuring azimuth and vertical angles from trajectory rods only. Bullet trajectories were assumed to have traveled in a straight line and were not considered to have been significantly affected by any intervening object.
KCGCPK A perforating defect into a wall approximately 6.5 cm down from the top edge (A side) and approximately 5 cm in from the left edge ( A side). Bullet wipe is observed. The entrance defect measured approximately 9 mm in width and 8 mm in length. The trajectory travels from left to right and downward.
The vertical angle is approximately 62 degrees and the azimuth is approximately 85 degrees using a trajectory rod. The trig method produced an approximate angle of 62 degrees.

KDECXX Bullet path A entered the wall at a downward angle moving slightly from left to right as you face the A side of the wall.

L47A76 Using a trajectory rod, I probed the apparent trajectory path of the bullet. I determined that the direction of travel of the bullet through the section of the wall was downward with a slight left to right angle.

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LE8MBC A perforating entrance bullet defect was to Side A of the wooden box. The bullet exited Side 1 of the box. The direction of travel of the bullet associated with this defect was slightly left to right and downward. The trajectory was measured with an elevation angle of 24.4 degrees ( $+/-2.6$ degrees) downward and an azimuth angle of 88.7 degrees ( $+/-2.6$ degrees) from the left side of the box. All reported azimuth and vertical angles were measured from fitted trajectory rods scanned using a Trimble X7 3D laser scanner. The reported uncertainty for azimuth and vertical angles measured from the trajectory rods is expanded using a coverage factor $\mathrm{k}=2$ for a level of confidence of approximately $95 \%$, assuming a normal distribution. The expanded uncertainty represents the uncertainty of the 3D laser scanning method of measuring azimuth and vertical angles from trajectory rods only.

LEZJTE Note: Positive vertical angles represent an upward trajectory while negative vertical angles represent a downward trajectory. In addition, horizontal angles were measured left to right (at defect A). Defect A: Partition wall This bullet perforated the wooden wall at defect A (primary impact) and traveled downward perforating the wooden wall at defect 1 (secondary impact). The bullet path had a vertical angle of -24 degrees and a horizontal angle of 87 degrees.
LL2T4D An entrance bullet defect was to side A of the wall section with a corresponding exit defect to side 1 . The bullet's direction of travel was downward and left to right. The trajectory was measured with a vertical angle of $25.6+/-2.6$ degrees (downward) and an azimuth angle of $88.1+/-2.6$ degrees (from left). All reported azimuth and vertical angles were measured from fitted trajectory rods scanned using a Trimble X7 3D laser scanner. The reported uncertainty for azimuth and vertical angles measured from the trajectory rods is expanded using a coverage factor $\mathrm{k}=2$ for a level of confidence of approximately $95 \%$, assuming a normal distribution. The expanded uncertainty represents the uncertainty of the 3D laser scanning method of measuring azimuth and vertical angles from trajectory rods only.

LT6CCX The perforating defect entered the wall at an angle of approximately 25 degrees $+/-2$ downward and 2 degrees $+/-2$ from left to right.
M7NNA6 The vertical angle is 25 degrees above the horizontal plane with a downward trajectory. The horizontal angle is 88 degrees out of the struck plane with a left to right track.

MEHU8D Defect A: This bullet perforated the box from defect A (primary impact) through defect 1. The bullet path has a horizontal angle of 87 degrees and a vertical angle of -26 degrees. Note: Horizontal (azimuth) angles were measured from left to right in relation to side labeled A. Positive vertical angles represent an upward trajectory while negative angles represent a downward trajectory.
N8E8QW I examined item AD, a wooden rectangular box (the "section of a partition wall"). Item AD was labeled " $A$ " and " 1 " on opposite sides. Side $A$ has a hole in it that is characteristic of bullet entrance holes: bullet wipe around the hole margins and wood fibers pushed into the "wall". Side 1 has a hole in it that is characteristic of a bullet exit hole: wood fibers appear pushed out of the hole, and other wood damage in the outward direction from the hole. I photo-documented the holes and measured their placement on the "wall" section. I gently inserted a trajectory rod through holes A and 1 . I measured the vertical angle and the horizontal/azimuth angles of the trajectory rod. Based on these measurements the bullet passed through the "wall" from side A to side 1, with a downward angle of approximately 23 degrees and a slight left to right horizontal angle of 91 degree (measured right to left from the plane of the wall). The angles reported are used as a description and are not meant to be interpreted as a qualitative forensic result.

NWVVEK Trajectory was established by using a probe inserted through two sequential holes made by the same projectile. Once the probe was inserted, I measured the vertical ancle (upward or downward) in relation to the horizontal plane, and the azimuth (horizontal angle). The azimuth angle is reported as left to right or right to left, based on the shooter's perspective. Projectile Trajectory A: Projectile entered the surface marked ' $A$ ' downward at $22^{\circ}\left( \pm 5^{\circ}\right)$ and from left to right at $87^{\circ}\left( \pm 5^{\circ}\right)$, based on the shooter's perspective.
P4QC82 One shot, entering side A and exiting side 1. The source of the shot was facing side A, from left to right at a downward angle.

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P68BKY The entrance hole is located at A. The shot was fired from right to left with a horizontal angle of $3^{\circ}$ and from top to bottom with a vertical angle of $24^{\circ}$.
PG4BKH The projectile perforating the wall has entered the side marked $A$ and has exited through the side marked 1. The projectile was traveling from left to right and downwards.

PVE4Z9 BS A is a perforating entrance hole on side A of partition. BS A has a vertical angle of approximately 22 degrees downward and an azimuth angle of approximately 90 degrees travelling from side $A$ to side 1 .

PWUH8H A wooden box on a table in the Crime Scene area had one apparent bullet impact (Label A) that perforated the box. The trajectory of the bullet that created the hole was from left to right when facing Side A and downward. The trajectory was determined using a trajectory rod and the angle was determined using a protractor and inclinometer.
R2UHHW The cube had a hole that appeared to move from the side previously labeled A to the opposite side. The hole on side A appeared to move perpendicularly at a slightly downward angle.

RFW8GH Horizontal angle: 88 degrees; uncertainy -5 degrees and +2 degrees Vertical angle: 23 degrees $+/-5$ degrees

RKAERG Side A of section of wall has what appears to be an entrance bullet hole, and side 1 has what appears to be an exit bullet hole. The bullet path is downward and slightly left to right. The vertical angle is approximately 25 degrees (downward) and the horizontal angle is approximately 88 degrees left to right from the perspective of the shooter.
RRC8HZ The box is damaged by one bullet, approx. diameter - 7-8 millimeters. The direction of the bullet is from "A" to " 1 ". The lesion is directed from the top to bottom with 25 degrees and from the left to right with 5 degrees.
RZ73BA On 8/24/2023, Lab ltem \# 1 was examined and measured for trajectory analysis. A circular defect with apparent bullet wipe was observed on the "A" side of the wall, indicating an "A" side to " 1 " side trajectory. A downward trajectory of 23 degrees (+/-5 degrees) was measured. The Horizontal (Azimuth) angle was measured at 87 degrees ( $+/-5$ degrees) left to right. The general trajectory of the defect in Lab Item \# 1 was downward, left to right, and "A" side to " 1 " side.

T2R946 A sealed, cardboard box labeled "Test No. 23-5620: Shooting Reconstruction: Angle Determination, Sample Pack AD", contained a constructed wooden box. This was reportedly "a section of a partition wall in which a shooting took place." The wooden box had one (1) suspected bullet hole in each of the wooden squares that were labeled as "A" and " 1 ". One edge of the wooden box was labeled "Top" for orientation purposes and the narrower side had what looked like a black marker arrow drawn on it. When looking at the wooden box from side " A " with "Top" positioned accordingly, the trajectory appeared to be from side " A " to side " 1 ," left to right, and at a downward angle. Photographs of the entire wooden box were taken with/without scales and the trajectory rod.
TLZ7R8 A perforating bullet defect was in the wooden box. The bullet entered on side A and exited on side 1. The directionality of the bullet was downwards and very slightly left to right. The azimuth angle measured $88.9^{\circ}$ in the left to right direction, and the vertical angle measured $24.8^{\circ}$ in the downward direction. Both of these measurements contain uncertainty of $\pm 2.6^{\circ}$ ( $k=2,95 \%$ confidence level).
TNPMYU 22 degrees above the horizontal plane and 1 degree left of the vertical plane. The path of the projectile appeared to have originated slightly from the left at a downward angle. All measurements are approximate and descriptive in nature and do not describe a test result. All holes located exhibited the appearance, behavior, and context consistent with bullet holes.
TQCGFV Item AA218682 consisted of a section of partition wall that had a hole on each side. A bullet entry hole was located on the side of the wall labeled A. A bullet exit hole was located on the side of the wall labeled 1. The bullet that struck the wall entered the front side at a downward angle of 23 degrees, traveling from left to right at an angle of 2 degrees from the perpendicular, and exited out the back of the wall. All trajectory measurements have an inherent $+/-5^{\circ}$ variance.

## Conclusions

TUVBJM Two corresponding bullet holes, labeled as A (A1) \& 1 (A2) were on the wall section. The bullet entered the wall section on side A (A1), traveled in a downward direction from left to right, and exited the wall section on side 1 (A2).

U26U3R The bullet struck the wall 7 cm below the top edge and 5 cm to the right of the left edge of the wall. The bullet was traveling downward at an approximately 23 degree angle from horizontal and from left to right, at an approximately 89 degree angle from the wall surface.

UTKRME The bulet entry hole is loacated at the "A" face of the box and the exit hole is locate at the " 1 " face of the box. the angle of enterence is from left to right in an angle of $85(+/-5)$ degrees (zero degrees defined as the box plane from left to right) and downward in an angle of $24(+/-5)$ degrees (zero degrees defined as the horizontal plane).
UFPFZK A trajectory rod was inserted in the bullet path labeled A. The bullet entered at a downward angle and traveled slightly from left to right.

UGLPHN The bullet entered side labeled (A) of the box and exited the side labeled (1). The horizontal angle measurement is $(89 \pm 5)$ degree from Left to Right and the vertical angle downward measurement is $(66 \pm 5)$ degree.

UNFUBP The bullet traveled through the partition wall from side $A$ to side 1 at a downward angle of approximately 26 degrees from the horizontal and at a left to right angle of approximately 3 degrees from the perpendicular of the wall surface.
VNYXJQ The holes in sides A and 1 are consistent with the passage of a single bullet. The bullet entered the wooden box/partition on side A and exited through side 1 . When the bullet struck side A, it was traveling downward (up to down) and from left to right (as facing side A). I measured the horizontal angle to be approximately 87 degrees (from the left side of the box as facing side A) and the downward angle to be approximately 25 degrees. Any reported measurements are approximate and for descriptive purposes only. The measurements are not to be considered quantitative forensic test results.
VTVYRC After a visual inspection, a perforation with an exit was identified. The trajectory of the hole its from right to left and downwards. Its vertical angle si 67 and its horizontal angle is 87 .

W6HLDX The item had what appeared to be a perforating bullet defect. "A" appeared to be the entrance defect on the section of the partition wall. " 1 " appeared to be the exit defect on the section of the partition wall. The direction of travel of the projectile appeared to be slightly from left to right in a downward angle. The horizontal angle of impact was approximately 89 degrees ( $+/-5$ ) and the vertical angle of impact was approximately 23 degrees ( $+/-5$ ).
W9XAVA The bullet perforated the box 70 mm above the lower edge and 60 mm to the right of the left edge of the box. The vertical angle (elevation angle) of the bullet's trajectory was 25.2 degrees ( $\pm 2.6$ degrees) downward, and the azimuth angle was 87.5 degrees ( $\pm 2.6$ degrees) as one views the box. The bullet's direction of travel was from side " $A$ " to side " 1 ", left to right, and downward.
WBP862 The [Laboratory], staffed by Scientist [Name], responded to the Vehicle Processing Room of the [Name] building, located at [Address] at approximately 10:51 on September 18,2023, to process the partition wall (Laboratory Item \#1). The wall was labeled with "top", " $A$ " side and " 1 " side. A suspected bullet hole was observed to enter on the " A " side of the wall and exit the " 1 " side in a downward and slightly left to right direction. These two (2) suspected bullet holes were documented with overall photographs and scaled photographs, and then again with a trajectory rod in place. No additional evidence was discovered and the [Laboratory] departed the scene at approximately 11:26.

WDTZ47 Pathway A (including impacts A1, A2) is consistent with a bullet traveling from side A to side 1, left to right, and in a downward direction.

XUGBQ9 As we don't have reporting criteria, trajectory would be reported as "Approximate trajectory measurements recorded with directionality from left to right, downward".

## TABLE 4

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## Conclusions

XXHJUJ Bullet path A, entered the front of the wooden box and traveled at a downward angle from left to right.
YATCZ6 Pathway MG (including impacts MG, MG1) is consistent with a bullet traveling from side A to side 1 , left to right, and in a downward direction.

YGMGT7 [No Conclusions Reported.]
Z4FXNJ The bullet path is consistent with a bullet that entered side A of the wall section and exited side 1 with a downward angle of approximately 25 degrees from horizontal and traveling from left to right at an angle of approximately 88 degrees from the wall surface.
ZF9CTL The direction of travel of the fired bullet originated from the side labelled, "A", exiting the side labelled, " 1 ". The fired bullet travelled at a downward angle of 25 degrees, with a horizontal (azimuth) angle of 87 degrees, left to right.

ZFKBJP Letter A is an apparent bullet hole entrance with an angle on 23.8 degrees downward and 87.8 degrees left to right direction of travel.

ZPYZL4 A perforating hole type defect was observed in the wall which is consistent with the passage of a projectile. The projectile entered the "A Side" of the wall and exited the " 1 Side" of the wall. The projectile penetrated the wall at a downward angle of approximately 25 degrees and at a slightly left to right direction of approximately 88 degrees.

## Additional Comments

TABLE 5

| WebCode | Additional Comments |
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| 2RXTUT | $\begin{array}{l}\text { Measurement uncertainty values have been calculated by the [Laboratory] as an expanded uncertainty } \\ \text { at the } 95.45 \% \text { confidence level (k=2). Those values are less than the industry standard accepted } \\ \text { variance of } \pm 5 \text { degrees, therefore the [Laboratory] utilizes } \pm 5 \text { degrees of variance. Measurement } \\ \text { uncertainty values are available upon request. }\end{array}$ |
| 48QZA7 | $\begin{array}{l}\text { Bullet wipe noted on A side. }\end{array}$ |
| 4BK28D |  |
| Bullet wipe present at the entrance hole (label A) |  |$]$| Test conducted with timber box on work bench. Level status of box on bench checked with spirit level. |
| :--- |
| Angles recorded using BU TRK 2 Trajectory Rod Set with EVI-PAQ angle finder fitted to rod, and |
| protractor / plumb bob used for azimuth angle |

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## Additional Comments

PVE4Z9 An option of right to left was not selected as my azimuth angle was 90 degrees, orthogonal to the wall partition on side A .

T2R946 This laboratory does not determine or report angle measurements.
TLZ7R8 All reported azimuth and vertical angles were measured from fitted trajectory rods scanned using a Trimble X7 3D laser scanner. The reported uncertainty for azimuth and vertical angles measured from the trajectory rods is expanded using a coverage factor $\mathrm{k}=2$ for a level of confidence of approximately $95 \%$, assuming a normal distribution. The expanded uncertainty represents the uncertainty of the 3D laser scanning method of measuring azimuth and vertical angles from trajectory rods only.

TNPMYU I would use directionality when reporting my answers by using North, South, East, and West rather than left/right for on scene bullet holes.

TUVBJM No response provided for horizontal/vertical angles in degrees of uncertainty. Crime Scene does not calculate measurements of uncertainty for angle determination; thus these fields are left blank.
U26U3R The distances and angles reported are used as a description and are not meant to be interpreted as a quantitative forensic test result.
UFPFZK Angles are not reported per our standard operating procedures and our unit does not calculate the uncertainty of measurement for angle determination; therefore the uncertainty of measurement fields are left blank.

VNYXJQ 1. We do not report uncertainty with these measurements, so I wrote " $n / a$ " in the box. 2. The box was not level due the bottom being uneven or warped (confirmed with a bubble level). The box had a slight wobble even on a level surface. It did not seem to have a significant effect on the vertical angle measurement, but it causes concern since it is a quality issue with a proficiency test. 3. The hole in side A of Item 1 is too small for a centering cone. An $\sim 0.20$ diameter rod fit easily through the entrance and exit holes, but it is too small to be at the center of the hole. The next size up rod has a diameter of $\sim 0.25$ " and it is able to be placed through the entrance hole, but it is too large to travel completely through the exit hole without causing damage. I measured the vertical angle with each of these rods and had a difference of 2-3 degrees. This reinforces that the reported angle measurements should be reported as estimates and not absolute values.
W9XAVA The reported uncertainty of trajectory angles is expanded using a coverage factor of $\mathrm{k}=2$ for a level of confidence of $95 \%$, assuming normal distribution.
XXHJUJ Angles are not reported per our operating procedures. We do not report on uncertainty of measurements per our standard operating procedures.
Z4FXNJ The angles reported are used as descriptors and are not meant to be interpreted as quantitative forensic test results. For this reason, the Laboratory does not report an angle measurement uncertainty.
ZF9CTL Examination took place on level ground. EVI-PAQ level and angle finder and trajectory rods utilised. Examination also recorded photographically.

## Test No. 23-5620: Shooting Reconstruction - Angle Determination

data must be submitted by Oct. 10, 2023, 11:59 p.m. EDT to be included in the report

Participant Code: U1234A WebCode: HPKKVK

## Scenario:

Investigators have submitted a section of a partition wall in which a shooting took place. They are asking you to conduct your analysis using your laboratory's procedures.

Please note:
-For this exercise, the sample contains a TOP label for orientation purposes.
-The sample has been labeled with two different characters (A and 1) in which participants can use as reference in reporting. -Make sure to place the sample on a flat surface when measuring angles.

Items Submitted (Sample Pack AD):
Item 1: A section of the partition wall which contains one entrance hole and one exit hole
1.) Which label on the box represents the entrance hole?
A
1
2.) What is the direction of travel of the bullet through the box? (Select one from each column)

| Left to Right | Upward |
| :--- | :--- |
| Right to Left | Downward |

3.) Please record your angles below. (If the angle type below differs from your normal terminology, you may use your preferred terminology in the conclusions section of the data sheet.)
Angle Type
(i.e. Azimuth, Vertical, Horizontal)
Horizontal (Azimuth)
Vertical

| Angle Measurement <br> (in degrees) | Uncertainty <br> (in degrees) |
| :---: | :---: |
|  | $\pm$ |
|  | $\pm$ |

Please note: Any additional formatting applied in the free form space below will not transfer to the Summary Report and may cause your information to be illegible. This includes additional spacing and returns that present your responses in lists and tabular formats.
4.) What would be the wording of the Conclusions in your report?

## 5.) Additional Comments

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