



HUNTING HANGUN (BUSH: 10 tot 30m) SHOOTING EXERCISE

1. Introduction

The purpose of this exercise is to simulate handgun hunting in dense bush or forest habitat on game such as bushbuck, bushpig and warthog at distances of 10 to 30m.

2. Target

The Warthog target of the SAHGCA will be used. Warthog targets where the Warthog is standing in a different position and approved by the Shooting Committee, may be used when available.

3. Universal rules for shooting exercises

See separate document "Universal Rules for Shooting Exercises" – document: J006.34.06E – for description of general (universal) items.

4. Shooting Range Safety Rules and Standard Commands

See "Shooting Range Safety Rules for Participants" and Standard Commands on the Shooting Range" - document: J006.35.03E – for loading, unloading and safety procedures.

5. Handguns

This shooting exercise is exclusively meant for double and single action revolvers with a minimum barrel length of 101.4mm (4 inches). Semi-automatic handguns will not be permitted.

6. Caliber

The minimum caliber is .357 Magnum.

7. Sights and telescopes

Only factory mounted iron open sights are allowed. The use of telescopes are not permitted.

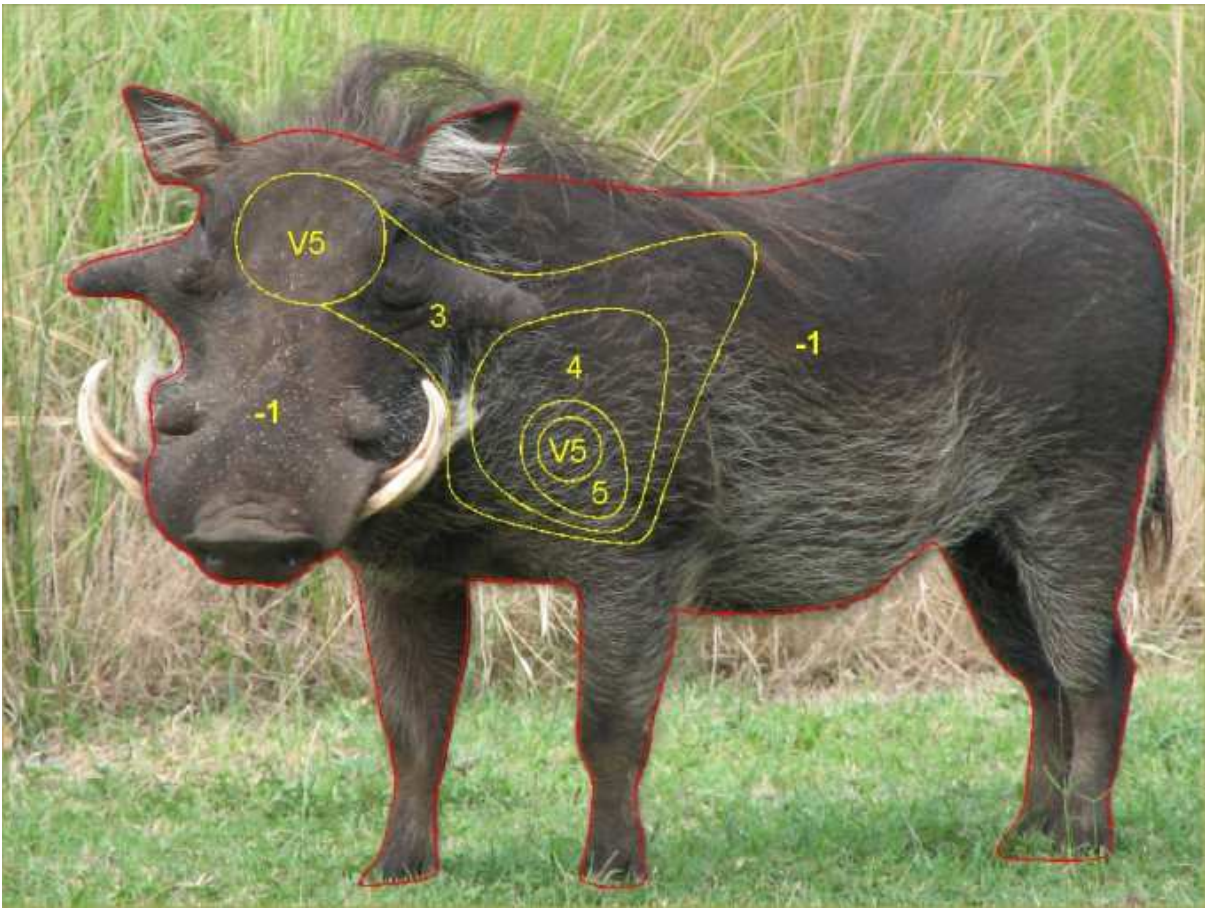
8. Exercise (item references refer to the document "Universal Rules for Shooting Exercises")

Time limit: **3 minutes per exercise (distance)**

- a. From **30m** five shots are fired from the **sitting position** with any support;
- b. From **20m** five shots are fired from the **sitting or kneeling position** without any artificial support;
- c. From **10m** five shots are fired from the **offhand standing position**.

9. Recognition

Shooting badges are available with cut-off points for bronze, silver and gold at **45, 52 and 60** respectively with a maximum score of **75**.



Actual size of target: WxH = 1000 x 750mm

Target areas	W x H mm	Area cm ²	vs Heart
Brain	120 x 108	108	160%
Heart	87 x 96	66	--
V-heart	53 dia	22	33 %
Central lung area	150 x 170	240	350%
Larger lung area	200 x 220	560	850%

Scores are printed on the target.

The actual lines on the target are thin red lines which are not visible from a distance.