

**TAURUS 709B NO. 1-709031 9MM, \$483**

**GUN TESTS GRADE: B+**

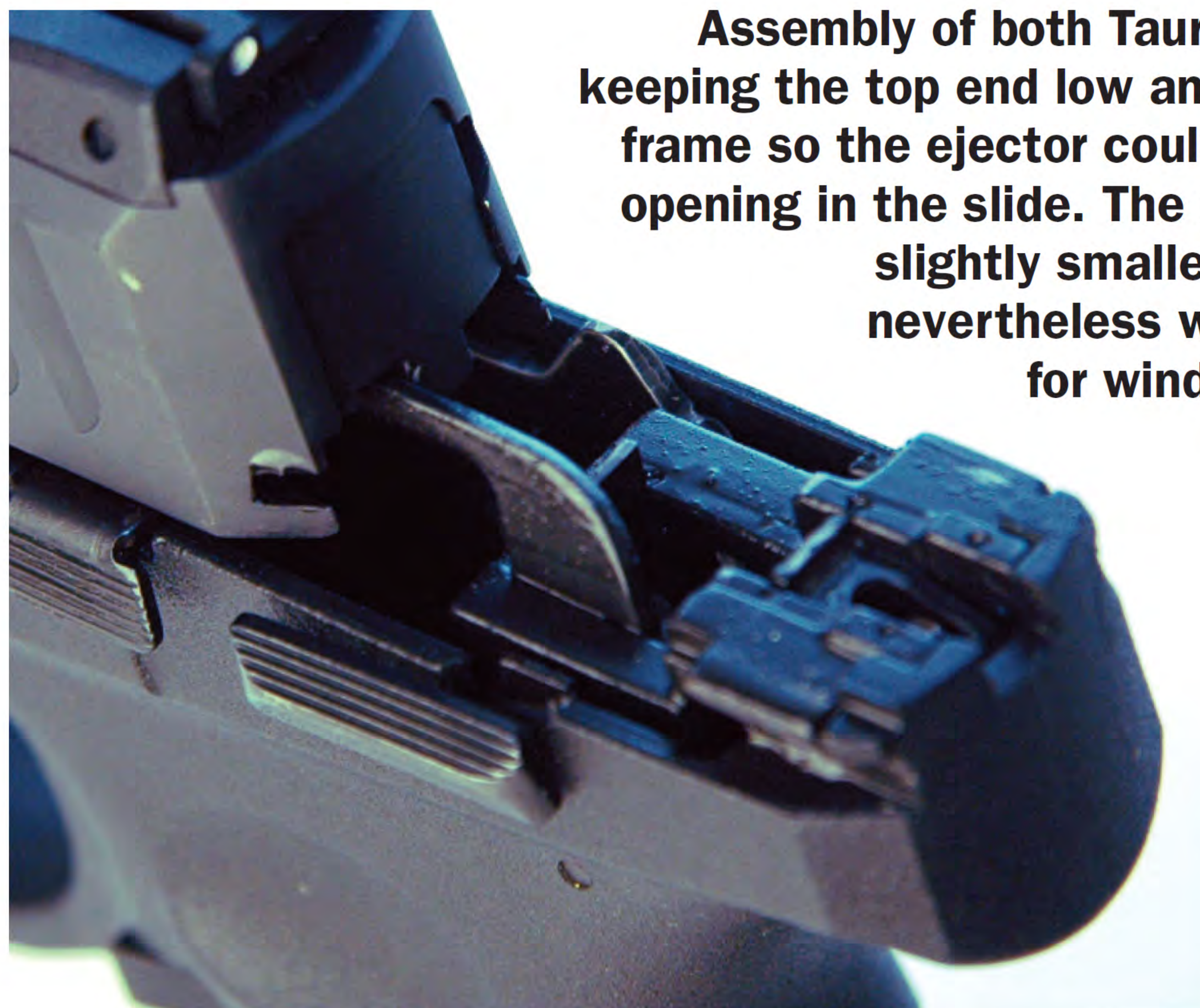
**Never tiring to shoot, the 709B was reliable and handy, if not a little too slim. The mechanical safety was well coordinated with the single-action trigger.**

**SPECIFICATIONS**

Overall Length.....	6.0 in.
Barrel Length.....	3.0 in.
Sight Radius.....	5.2 in.
Overall Height.....	4.5 in.
Front Strap Height.....	1.8 in.
Back Strap Height.....	2.8 in.
Weight Unloaded.....	16.8 oz.
Weight Loaded (95 gr).....	22.2 oz.
Capacity.....	7+1
Maximum Width.....	1.1 in.
Grip Thickness (Max).....	0.9 in.
Grip Circumference (Max).....	5.35 in.
Frame.....	Black Polymer
Barrel.....	Steel
Slide.....	Matte Steel
Grip.....	Black Polymer
Trigger Pull Weight (Double Action).....	6.0 lbs.
Trigger Pull Weight (Single Action).....	4.5 lbs.
Trigger Span (Double Action).....	2.6 in.
Trigger Span (Single Action).....	2.3 in.
Warranty.....	Lifetime
Telephone.....	(305) 624-1115
Website.....	www.TaurusUSA.com
Manufactured in/Assembled in.....	Brazil/Brazil



**Both Taurus pistols offered magazines with numbered viewing holes and a bright yellow follower. But actual content was enumerated by the rounds themselves and not the follower.**



**Assembly of both Taurus pistols required keeping the top end low and tight against the frame so the ejector could pass through the opening in the slide. The rear sight unit was slightly smaller on the 709B, but nevertheless was fully adjustable for windage and elevation. Note the absence of a cocking indicator.**

**The 24/7 G2 offered sights that were dovetailed into place front and rear, but the front sight on the 709B was secured by a slotted screw from beneath the slide.**

