

## ROCK ISLAND ARMORY STANDARD GI

NO. 51421 45 ACP, \$410

### GUN TESTS GRADE: B

The RIA GI pistol is a handgun that gives the shooter on a budget more than he bargained for. More than a few shooters with other more expensive makes in the gun safe carry the RIA or keep it as a truck gun or beater.



Action..... Locked Breech Single Action  
Overall Length..... 8.5 in.  
Overall Height..... 5.3 in.  
Maximum Width..... 1.5 in.  
Weight Unloaded..... 39.0 oz.  
Weight Loaded..... 44.5 oz.  
Barrel Length..... 5.0 in.  
Barrel..... Steel 1:16 RH-Twist  
Magazine..... 7 Rd. Detachable Box  
Slide..... Parkerized Steel  
Frame..... Parkerized Steel  
Frame Front Strap Height..... 2.6 in.

Frame Back Strap Height..... 3.2 in.  
Grips..... Factory Hardwood  
Grip Thickness (max)..... 1.3 in.  
Grip Circumference (max)..... 5.5 in.  
Sights..... Fixed Iron  
Trigger Pull Weight Single Action..... 5.1 lbs.  
Trigger Span Single Action..... 2.5 in.  
Safety..... Slide Lock Safety, Grip Safety  
Warranty..... Lifetime  
Telephone..... (775) 537-1444  
Website..... Armscor.net  
Made In..... Philippines

**The RIA's sights were General Issue, which means small. However, they were well regulated for 230-grain ammunition. The sight picture and point of impact of the RIA were nearly ideal for personal defense because the pistol did fire a bit high at close range. This pistol shot best with the Winchester 230-gr. PDX round, which is a defense-designed hollowpoint. The RIA pistol did not need a break-in period; it came out of the box running.**

