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## REMINGTON EXPANDS STEEL SHOT IN 10, 12 AND 20-GAUGE LOADS

In 1988 the Remington Arms Company will continue to expand the breadth and versatility of its steel shot line by offering hunters a selection of 12 new steel loads in 10, 12 and 20-gauge shells.

Remington now offers hunters a choice of 34 different steel-loaded shells. These latest Remington steel shot additions include:

- Four 10-gauge, 3 1/2-inch Magnum steel shot loadings with a 1 3/4-ounce shot capacity in BB, 1, 2 and 3 pellet sizes.
- The introduction of No. 3 steel shot in three 12-gauge loadings and one 20 gauge load.
- Two new "Duplex" steel shot combinations in both 2 3/4-inch and 3-inch Magnum 12-gauge shells.

Because of the need to substitute larger steel pellets as effective replacements for lead, sufficient internal shell capacity is a limiting factor in the weight of the shot charge that steel-loaded shells can accommodate. This has created renewed interest in and demand for 10-gauge Magnum shells as well as shotguns chambered for them.

Remington's introduction of 10-gauge Magnum steel shells recognizes the growing potential of this large-bore old favorite



in conjunction with the company's planned production of a 10-gauge Magnum autoloading shotgun. The new 10-gauge Magnum loads will be available in the third quarter of 1988.

In former years, No. 5 lead shot was a favorite choice of experienced duck hunters, an effective compromise between the pattern density of 6s and the greater range of 4s. Because No. 3 steel is a close ballistic replacement for No. 5 lead, its availability in steel shot loads should prove equally productive.

Remington will now offer No. 3 steel shot in 12-gauge, 2 3/4-inch, 1 1/8-ounce shells; 1 1/4-ounce short magnum and 3-inch Magnum shells and one-ounce 20-gauge 3-inch Magnum shells.

Remington's exclusive "Duplex" MultiRange steel loadings will be expanded in 1988 by the addition of two new shot combinations, BB x 1 and 1 x 3, in both 3-inch Magnum, 1 1/4-ounce and 2 3/4-inch, 1 1/8-ounce "Duplex" loads.

Since they were introduced in late 1986, Remington's proprietary "Duplex" shells have proven in extensive field performance that the layered, dual-pellet combination works with remarkable effectiveness. The smaller shot provides effective pattern density while the larger shot delivers sustained long-range energy and penetration.

REMINGTON 1988 STEEL SHOT LOADS

<u>Gauge</u>	<u>Shell Length</u>	<u>Total Ozs. Shot</u>	<u>Velocity (fps - 3 ft.)</u>	<u>Shot Size</u>
10	3 1/2"	1-3/4	1260	BB, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6
12	3"	1-1/4	1375	BB, 1, 2, 3, 4,
12	2 3/4"	1-1/4	1275	1, 2, 3, 4
12	2 3/4"	1-1/8	1365	BB, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6
12*	3"	1-1/4	1375	BBx1, BBx2, BBx4, 1x3
12*	2 3/4"	1-1/8	1365	BBx1, BBx2, BBx4,

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