

CALIFORNIA STATE SCIENCE FAIR 2002 PROJECT SUMMARY

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Project Title

Are Expensive Paintballs More Accurate?

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Objectives/Goals

My project is to find out if the expense of a paintball matters in their accuracy. I believe that the more expensive paintballs are in fact less accurate then the non espensive paintballs.

Methods/Materials

I took one paintball gun and checked its velocity to make sure that the velocity would not change. Then I put the gun in a stationery stand and fired two types of paintballs at the target, expensive paintballs and non expensive paintballs. Then from the accuracy of the paintball I determined if the more expensive paintballs were more acurate or not.

Results

The expensive paintballs were not accurate, while the non expensive paintballs were accurate.

Conclusions/Discussion

In conclusion, I found out that expensive paintballs are not more accurate then non expensive paintballs but they are in fact less accurate.

Summary Statement

My project is about the accuracy of a paintball determined by its price.

Help Received

My science teacher helped me with my procedure and my background Information.