

Product Test Results

TRU-SPEC® T.R.U. Combat Shirt **TRU-SPEC®** by ATLANCO

Overall Score: 4.59

TESTER 1:

Tested by a police officer from New Jersey

Design: 5

Performance: 4 Ease of Use: 5

Size: 4
Quality: 5
Durability: 5
Storage:
Versatility: 5
Convenience:
Application: 5
Comfort: 4
Accuracy:

Cleaning & Maintenance: 4

Individual Score: 4.6

The ACU shirt is designed to be worn underneath tactical body armor. The chest and back areas of the shirt are made of material which wicked away the sweat. The long sleeves of the shirt were made of durable material, which gave very good protection against tree branches, rough walls, and hot spent shell casings while on the range. When I removed my body armor, the sweat on the chest and back area dried very quickly. This shirt was tested in the summer time of the Northeast. The shirt cleaned up well, even after being struck with Simunitions. After being washed several times, the shirt displayed no signs of wear. I would recommend this product to other tactical operators.



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TESTER 2:

Tested by a police officer from Montana

Design: 4.5

Performance: 4.5 Ease of Use: 4.5

Size: 4.5 Quality: 4.5 Durability: Storage: Versatility: 4 Convenience: Application: 4.5 Comfort: 4.5 Accuracy:

Cleaning & Maintenance: 5

Individual Score: 4.5

The T.R.U. combat shirt is a nice blend of comfort and functionality. The elbow pads are a nice feature. A little padding helps in the elbow area and these are not too bulky and don't affect comfort or mobility.

The pocket, located at the shoulder of each sleeve, is a nice touch. One can never have too many pockets in my opinion. I wouldn't even mind if there were front pockets on the shirt, but since this area is usually covered with a ballistic vest during operations this really isn't much of an issue. The zipper closures to the pockets keeps things in place and are easy to access.

The sleeves are made of durable material with adjustable Velcro wrist straps. Time will tell, but it looks like this shirt is constructed to last a long time. The combat shirt I was sent to test is your basic green that will work fine for summer outdoor applications in this area. Other colors and camouflage designs will further this products marketability.

The body of the shirt feels just like a comfortable cotton T-shirt. All things considered this is an excellent addition to anyone's tactical duty gear. Comfortable and functional pretty much says it all for this item.



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TESTER 3:

Tested by a police officer from Michigan

Design: 5

Performance: 5 Ease of Use: 5

Size: 4
Quality: 5
Durability: 5
Storage: 4
Versatility: 4
Convenience: 4
Application: 5
Comfort: 5
Accuracy:

Cleaning & Maintenance: 5
Individual Score: 4.67

I tested the Tru-Spec combat shirt in OD Green. The main part of the shirt is a loose fitting knit fabric with the arms being much like BDU's with extra padding sewn into the elbows. The shirt was extremely comfortable to wear and the mock turtleneck design fought off the shell casings that wanted to wander down my back. The temperature was in the 80's with moderate humidity and sunny. I was in full kit for the training day and the shirt performed as advertised. The fabric wicked the moisture away from my skin and kept me comfortable, it never felt bunched up under my armor like cotton can get. The material will not drip or melt like polyester so the hot casings were not an issue and it helps to reduce the severity of instances where one inadvertently gets between your back and your vest (personal knowledge!). The reinforced elbow pads worked great and the positioning of the arm pockets is great. At the end of the day, I removed my vest and the shirt was completely dry within 15 minutes. This is a great product and I am very impressed with it.