

K-80 SPORTING

The challenge of sporting clays lies in the fact that you start with a dismounted gun and shoot at a nearly infinite variety of targets. Whether you are on an English sporting course or a FITASC parcours, the game requires a fine balance between the well-honed instincts of a good wing shot and the controlled, measured performance of a clay target veteran.



K-80 Sporting Gun with Parcours Special engraving and optional Grade III Wood.

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Dieter Krieghoff recognized the tremendous popularity of sporting early on and, continuing the Krieghoff tradition developed in trap and skeet, has worked closely with a number of top sporting shooters and enthusiasts to understand the particular demands of the game and the shooter's needs.

The result is a gun that blends the balance and responsiveness of a game gun with the soft recoil, smooth swing, and rugged reliability of a competition gun. The reaction of shooters who have just tried a K-80 for the first time is consistent: "I can't believe how hard it breaks targets. And I can't believe how soft it shoots!"

Only K-80 offers the broad range of options that allow you to create the best gun for you. Three barrel lengths and two rib configurations. Factory choke tubes from cylinder to super full. Stocks designed for and proven in sporting competition.

The "Sporters"

The K-80 Sporting gun is available with 28", 30", and 32" barrels with choke tubes and Krieghoff's tapered flat rib. The rib is ventilated, of course, and is tapered from 12mm wide at the breech end to 8mm at the muzzle. It has a central sighting channel flanked by two raised, matted surfaces and is designed to reduce glare and keep your eye on the target.

And for the sub-gauge events, Krieghoff provides a fixed choke barrel with tapered flat rib that America's top suppliers of sub-gauge tubes - Briley Manufacturing and Kolar - can lighten and tube to your specific requirements.

For the shooter who prefers a narrow rib, the K-80 Sporting gun is also available with 28" and 30" barrels with choke tubes and the classic Krieghoff 8mm rib, long the standard rib on Model 32 and K-80 skeet guns and four barrel sets.

The Sporting Wood

K-80 Sporting guns are equipped with the #3 Sporting/ International stock, the # VII Schnabel forend, and a sporting recoil pad with a hard insert that makes for a smoother gun mount. The #3 stock was specifically designed for international skeet and sporting, but some shooters find a better stock fit with one of the other K-80 stocks available. See Page 23 for diagrams and dimensions of all K-80 stocks.

All K-80 Sporting guns are supplied with a fitted aluminum case that holds two sets of barrels.



K-80 Sporting, 30", Gold Super Scroll Coin



K-80 Sporting, 30", Super Scroll Nickel



K-80 Sporting, 28", in Parcours Special Grade with optional Grade III wood

Specifications and Options

Gauge 12 Gauge; 3" chamber

Barrels • 28", CT/CT (Std:S,2xIC,M,IM), TF or 8mm rib; • 30", CT/CT (Std:S,2xIC,M,IM), TF or 8mm rib;
 • 32", CT/CT (Std:S,2xIC,M,IM), TF rib only
Rib: Standard: TF – Tapered Flat, 12-8mm (1/2" to 5/16") Special order: 8mm rib
Chokes: Choke Tubes (CT) bottom and top, 5 included. Available are Cylinder (C), Skeet (S), Improved Cylinder (IC), Modified (M), Improved Modified (IM), Full (F), and Super Full (SF).

Sights White pearl front bead and metal center bead

Action Case hardened, nickel plated steel with satin grey finish.

Trigger Single selective mechanical trigger, adjustable for finger length. Trigger pull: Approximately 3-1/2 to 4 lbs.

Safety Top tang push button safety. Can be locked in "off" position.

Stock Hand-checked select European walnut with satin epoxy finish.
 Standard: #3 Sporting Stock. For further information on stocks see page 23.

Forearm Standard: #VII Schnabel. Other forearms available, see page 23.

Grade Standard is classic K-80 scroll engraving. For optional engraving, see pages 28-45.

Weight Approximately 8 3/4 lbs.

Case All K-80 sporting guns come in a fitted aluminum case holding two sets of barrels.



Engraving: Gold Super Scroll Blue