Taurus Judge (Revolver)

Country: Brazil

Cartridge: .45 Colt* or .410 shotgun

Feed: 5 chamber cylinder
Weight: 1.81 lbs. (.8 kg)
Barrel Length: 3 in. (7.6 cm)
Effective Range: 75 ft. (23 m)
Damage: .45 Long Colt does 3D6,

.410 shotshell does 2D6.

Cost: \$420-\$500

Note: .45 Long Colt is not the same

caliber as .45 ACP (see below)



"More than a decade since it was first introduced, the legendary Taurus Judge® still rules.

Today, it's available in more than a dozen models. Capable of chambering both 45 Colt and 410 shotshell, it's the original five-shot game changer."

Growing in popularity due to its versatility in ammunition while maintaining good handling and accuracy, the Judge is a favorite for home defense and self-protection as well as both target and recreational shooting. Its compact size and 410 shotshell capacity are also gaining popularity for small game hunting and pest-control. Due to its popularity, a variety of models, accessories, grips and sights are available.

Thoughts on modifying the Judge to fire .45 ACP ammo

There's a lot of talk amongst fans that you can modify a Taurus Judge to fire .45 ACP ammunition. There's lots of videos online explaining and even showing you how to do this. However, in the words of Detective Bill Schoen, "You CAN modify it to fire .45 ACP, but that's so ill-advised, I don't even know how to verbalize it."

Coincidentally, all the instruction videos we've seen come front-loaded with disclaimers and assume NO liability, admitting that modifying the Judge in this way is NOT recommended and should only be performed by experts.

However, characters with the **Munitions Expert** skill can attempt to modify a Judge without penalty, while those who do not suffer a -30% when using other Mechanical related skill (even *Weapons Engineer* as its related to military weaponry). If the roll is failed, the barrel is ruined and must be replaced. Every Shot fired from a ruined barrel has a 01-25% chance of causing the gun to explode in your hands! Damage of exploding handgun is ammunition being used +3 (due to shrapnel), more than enough damage to remove the fingers, or even the entire hand that was holding it.



Bonus Model: Public Defender

"Check out the revolutionary new Public Defender Polymer. This scaled-down model of everyone's favorite combo gun, the Taurus Judge, still gives you the ability to fire your choice of ammunition—now in a size that fits in most pockets—also in a lighter, polymer body frame with new updates for improved handling and accuracy. Truly amazing! Just like its big brother, this little gun delivers amazing versatility and devastating firepower for self-protection."

Note: This model adds +5% to Concealment rolls.

