



RP A2 Buckler® Shield

WHY AN ULTRA-LIGHT BALLISTIC SHIELD IS CRITICALLY NEEDED?

History continuously demonstrates the emerging (and now present) need for rifle-rated ballistic shields that can be quickly and effectively utilized by patrol officers, school resource officers and first responders to protect themselves and others from today's high-powered threats.



Conventional rifle rated shields are typically heavy, cumbersome, and routinely relegated to utilization by the SIC or SWAT. Their use by first responders was impractical and hindered maneuverability while generating fatigue from carriage. In many cases, shields are placed in strategic locations with the 'plan' to get to the shield if the situation regresses to requiring its use.

RPAMS recognized that weight, protection, and comfort were critical factors in the development of the next generation A2 Buckler shield.

Operator ease of use and comfort was addressed through the ballistic nylon sleeve which incorporates a reinforced 'soft' handle and dual hook and loop forearm fasteners. This configuration allows for hands free use. A dense thin aft layer reactive foam insert provides forearm comfort and impact mitigation. The addition of four-point outer perimeter d-rings permits the use of a sling or mounted accessories for continued protection while taking actions such as changing magazines.

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The standard A2 Buckler weighs **ONLY 6 POUNDS** while affording 14x20 inches of coverage. This is accomplished through a multi-layer system of armor that meets UL-752 (armor barrier) standards for defeating multiple 5.56, .223, .308 and 12GA shotgun rounds. And here's a bonus, the shield is neutral buoyant. Meaning it FLOATS! This aspect was designed to allow for shield use even in water environments without becoming a hazard itself. It comes available with an integral 12x12 inch drop down extension for additional coverage.



RPAMS A2 BUCKLER® SHIELD BENEFITS

- Easier to deploy during linear assaults with tight confines such as buses, trains, light rail, airplanes, and narrow hallways.
- Small size allows for non-intrusive appearance while maintaining access for immediate deployment for court security, school resource officers, airport police, and security checkpoints
- Small, lightweight, and mobile will result in officers being more likely to deploy compared to large, heavy, and awkward shields
- Portable cover for deploying any time while other forms of cover is limited
- Easily slung for immediate

• ULTRA LIGHT • ULTRA THIN • WARRANTED PERFORMANCE • RIFLE RATED PROTECTION • PROVIDES 4X THE COVERAGE OF SAPI AND CAN DEFEAT MULTIPLE HITS

RPAMS A2 BUCKLER® SHIELD TRAINING

With advanced benefits comes the need for enhanced shield usage training. Patrol officers, detectives, resource officers, first responders, and others that would benefit from the A2 Buckler are cognoscente for the need to develop multi-modal training to best incorporate the advantages of the A2 Buckler. Training should cover the types of calls for service and the various situations where the A2 Buckler shield would be useful.

RPAMS can assist in the connectivity of agencies that have already developed tactics using the A2. Transparency is key in our mutual objectives to protect our officers.

- Clearing cars during high risk stops
- Clearing small spaces such as attics and basements
- Rapid takedowns of potentially armed suspects
- Lightweight allows routine carry during search warrant service
- Immediate response to armed suspects such as active shooters and barricaded subjects
- Cover for perimeter containment
- Immediate cover for down officer rescues
- Immediate deployment during breach and hold tactics



RPAMS A2 BUCKLER® SPECS

Configuration	Standard or Extended Models
Material	Duritium® Composite/ Polyethylene
Carrier Cover	1000D Ballistic Nylon
Weight	Standard: 6.4 lbs Extended: 10.2 lbs
Protection Level	UL 752 Levels 1-8 & Shotgun
Other Features	Buoyancy Neutral and Defeats Multiple Strikes



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