

MEASUREMENT OF STABILISER IN BH, BL AND BU

SHOOTING STYLES

The question has again been raised how the length of the stabiliser is measured, critical especially in the IFAA shooting styles: Bowhunter, Bowhunter Limited and Bowhunter Unlimited.

The IFAA rule on these styles reads as follows:

“One straight stabiliser, coupling device included, if used, not exceeding twelve inch as measured from the back of the bow may be used. No forked stabiliser or any counter balance will be legal. The plunger (where the stabiliser is screwed in) is part of the stabiliser.”



Two samples of modern compound bows are shown above. Both have an extended plunger, which in terms of the IFAA shooting rule must be included when the stabiliser is measured.

Measurement of the length of the stabiliser is made from the position indicated by the red line.

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