

Comparison of Some Recent .32 & .380 Semi Auto Pistols

Pistol Models	Weight No Magazine	Weight With Empty Magazine	Weight Fully Loaded Silvertips	Cartridge Capacity (Mag + Chamber)	Caliber	A - Height	B - Slide Width	C- Grip Width	D - Length On Axis	(A+B+C+D)	Type of Action	Frame Material	Slide Material
Seecamp LWS-380****	10.50 oz. ****	11.45 oz. ****	13.65 oz. ****	6 + 1 ****	.380 ACP	3.25" ****	0.725" ****	0.91" ****	4.25" ****	9.135" ****	DAO - Delayed Blowback	Stainless Steel	Stainless Steel
	Rank: 2	Rank: 2	Rank: 3	Rank: 2		Rank: 1	Rank: 1	Rank: 4	Rank: 1	Rank: 2			
Seecamp LWS-32	10.45 oz. (-0.05 oz.)	11.50 oz. (+0.05 oz.)	13.25 oz. (-0.40 oz.)	6 + 1 (0)	.32 ACP	3.25" (0)	0.725" (0)	0.86" (-0.05")	4.25" (0)	9.085" (-0.05")	DAO - Delayed Blowback	Stainless Steel	Stainless Steel
	Rank: 3	Rank: 3	Rank: 2	Rank: 2		Rank: 1	Rank: 1	Rank: 2	Rank: 1	Rank: 1			
Kel-Tec P-32	6.65 oz. (-3.85 oz.)	7.80 oz. (-3.65 oz.)	9.80 oz. (-3.85 oz.)	7 + 1 (+1)	.32 ACP	3.50" (+0.25")	0.745" (+0.02")	0.70" (-0.21")	5.08" (+0.83")	10.025" (+0.89")	DAO - From Pre-Cock Locked Breech	Polymer	Carbon Steel
	Rank: 1	Rank: 1	Rank: 1	Rank: 1		Rank: 5	Rank: 4	Rank: 1	Rank: 7	Rank: 5			
North American Guardian .380	17.35 oz. (+6.85 oz.)	18.70 oz. (+7.20 oz.)	20.95 oz. (+7.70 oz.)	6 + 1 (0)	.380 ACP	3.64" (+0.39")	0.908" (+0.183")	0.945" (+0.035")	4.62" (+0.37")	10.113" (+0.978")	DAO - Blowback	Stainless Steel	Stainless Steel
	Rank: 9	Rank: 9	Rank: 9	Rank: 2		Rank: 6	Rank: 7	Rank: 6	Rank: 5	Rank: 6			
North American Guardian .32	12.70 oz. (+2.20 oz.)	13.80 oz. (+2.30 oz.)	15.55 oz. (+2.30 oz.)	6 + 1 (0)	.32 ACP	3.25" (0)	0.80" (+0.075")	0.86" (-0.05")	4.34" (-0.09")	9.25" (+0.115")	DAO - Blowback	Stainless Steel	Stainless Steel
	Rank: 6	Rank: 6	Rank: 5	Rank: 2		Rank: 1	Rank: 6	Rank: 2	Rank: 3	Rank: 3			
Autauga MK II	11.30 oz. (+0.80 oz.)	12.30 oz. (+0.80 oz.)	14.05 oz. (+0.80 oz.)	6 + 1 (0)	.32 ACP	3.25" (0)	0.740" (+0.015")	0.91" (0)	4.37" (+0.12")	9.27" (+0.135")	DAO - Blowback	Stainless Steel	Stainless Steel
	Rank: 4	Rank: 4	Rank: 4	Rank: 2		Rank: 1	Rank: 3	Rank: 4	Rank: 4	Rank: 4			
Colt PocketLite	12.30 oz. (+1.85 oz.)	13.60 oz. (+2.10 oz.)	16.15 oz. (+2.90 oz.)	7 + 1 (+1)	.380 ACP	3.9" (+0.65")	0.755" (+0.03")	1.0" (+0.09")	5.57" (+1.32")	11.225" (+2.09")	DAO - Locked Breech	Aluminum	Stainless Steel
	Rank: 5	Rank: 5	Rank: 6	Rank: 1		Rank: 8	Rank: 5	Rank: 8	Rank: 8	Rank: 8			
S&W Sigma	12.75 oz. (+2.25 oz.)	14.10 oz. (+2.60 oz.)	16.30 oz. (+3.05 oz.)	6 + 1 (0)	.380 ACP	4.0" (+0.75")	0.920" (+0.195")	0.97" (+0.06")	5.75" (+1.50")	11.64" (+2.505")	DAO - From Pre-Cock Blowback	Polymer	Carbon Steel
	Rank: 7	Rank: 7	Rank: 7	Rank: 2		Rank: 9	Rank: 8	Rank: 7	Rank: 9	Rank: 9			
Beretta Tomcat	13.15 oz. (+2.65 oz.)	14.50 oz. (+3.0 oz.)	16.5 oz. (+3.25 oz.)	7 + 1 (+1)	.32 ACP	3.85" (+0.60")	0.925" (+0.20")	1.08" (+0.17")	4.87" (+0.62")	10.725" (+1.59")	D-A Blowback	Aluminum	Carbon Steel
	Rank: 8	Rank: 8	Rank: 8	Rank: 1		Rank: 7	Rank: 9	Rank: 9	Rank: 6	Rank: 7			

The LWS-32 magazine is slightly heavier than the LWS-380 magazine because of the back spacer. This accounts for the peculiar weight differences regarding the "with magazine" and "without magazine" weights of these two pistols. The "without magazine" weight is included only because that's how Kel-Tec likes to advertise the weight of the P-32. As a matter of general information, stainless steel is heavier than carbon steel. The above measurements and weights were taken from individual samples in our collection and are assumed to be representative samples.

**** The LWS-380 is used as the basis for comparison for the other pistols. Plus and minus numbers are given relative to the LWS-380.