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The same type of minds that doubted whether a pistol made partially of plastic could work would at one time probably thought the earth was flat.

Fortunately, for demanding sport shooters the world over, Gaston Glock thought differently. And his Glock Pistol—the first safe action semi-automatic 9mm pistol made primarily from the toughest steel and space age polymers—has set a trend for a whole new generation of durable sidearms.

Ingeniously engineered with fewest parts, no screws and lowest weight, Glock pistols have set new standards of safety, performance, simplicity and cost effectiveness. Yet, it is reliably capable of using the most advanced ammunition that have made it the choice of U.S. allies and law enforcement agencies in the free world.



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THE COVER: The FBI's new service sidearm is a special version of the Smith & Wesson Model 1076. The 10 mm Auto pistol will fire a 180-gr. JHP bullet at 950 f.p.s. The gun and ammunition combination was selected after an extensive shoot-off with the 9 mm Parabellum and .45 ACP, in which the 10 mm equaled the .45's performance and clearly outclassed the 9 mm. For more, see Contributing Editor Charles E. Petty's story on p. 32. Photo by John R. Lamson.

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