Stun Gun Buyer's Guide

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A stun gun is a small, handheld device that delivers a high-voltage, low-current electric shock on contact. It is meant to stop an attacker long enough for you to get away. This guide explains what the numbers mean, what features matter, and how to pick the right one for you.

Check your local laws first. Stun guns are restricted or banned in some states and cities. Check the rules where you live and anywhere you travel before you buy or carry one.

What the Numbers Really Mean

- **Voltage.** You will see big numbers like "10 million volts" on packaging. Treat those as marketing. There is no standard way companies measure or report voltage, so you cannot compare two brands by that number alone.
- **What actually matters.** A stun gun works through contact and the charge it delivers. What you can judge honestly is build quality, battery strength, and the feel of the device in your hand — not the number on the box.
- **Rechargeable vs. batteries.** Rechargeable models plug into a wall or USB and cost less over time. Battery models are ready whenever you put fresh batteries in. Rechargeable is the better choice for most people.
- **Size and weight.** A stun gun only helps if you carry it. Small and light beats big and powerful if the big one stays at home.

Sizes and Shapes

- **Keychain and mini models.** About the size of a lipstick or a small remote. Easiest to carry every day. Best for purses, pockets, and key rings.
- **Standard handheld.** Fits in your palm like a TV remote. A good middle ground — easy to hold, easy to carry, enough grip for a firm hold.
- **Baton style.** Longer, with more reach. Better for people who want distance between their hand and an attacker. Harder to carry discreetly.
- **Flashlight combo.** A stun gun built into a working flashlight. Two tools in one, and a flashlight is useful every single day — which means you will actually carry it.
- **Disguised models.** Some stun guns look like phones or lipstick. Check your local laws before buying one — some places ban disguised stun guns even where regular ones are legal.

Features That Matter

- **Safety switch.** Every good stun gun has one. It stops the device from firing in your bag or pocket. Make sure you can flip it off fast with one hand.

- **Built-in flashlight.** Useful for finding your keys, lighting a dark path, and blinding an attacker for a second. A bright LED is a real plus.
- **Built-in alarm.** Some models scream at 120 decibels or more when triggered. Noise draws attention, and attention is the last thing an attacker wants.
- **Grip.** Hold it before you buy if you can. It should feel solid, not slippery, and your fingers should reach the trigger naturally.
- **Charging indicator.** A light that tells you when the battery is full and when it is running low. A dead stun gun is just a paperweight.
- **Wrist strap.** A strap that disables the device if it is pulled from your hand. A good safety feature, especially on larger models.

How to Pick the Right One

1. **Start with how you will carry it.** Purse? Pocket? Car? Your carry method decides the size.
2. **Choose rechargeable.** It saves money and means the device is always ready.
3. **Get a flashlight combo if you can.** You will carry it more, and it does double duty.
4. **Buy from a name you trust.** Cheap knockoffs can fail when you need them most. Stick with established brands sold by a real store.
5. **Practice the grip.** Hold it, flip the safety on and off, find the trigger without looking. Do it ten times a day for a week.

Using It Safely

- **Aim for large muscle groups.** Shoulder, hip, thigh, or torso. Hold contact for 3 to 5 seconds for a strong effect. A quick touch startles; sustained contact stops.
- **Keep moving.** A stun gun buys you seconds, not minutes. Use it, then get away fast toward people and lights.
- **Keep it charged.** Check it every month. Plug it in on the first of the month so you never forget.
- **Keep it away from children.** Store it out of reach, with the safety on, like any self-defense tool.
- **Never test it on yourself or others for fun.** It is a self-defense tool, not a toy.

GET THE GEAR

Safecore Defense carries stun guns in every size — keychain minis, handheld models, flashlight combos, and baton styles — from brands you can trust. All backed by our **lifetime warranty on all products**.

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