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Mossberg® Introduces 500® Retrograde Field Pump-Action Shotgun

NORTH HAVEN, CT – Mossberg introduces a timeless classic in honor of the company’s early hunting pump actions: the **500 Retrograde Field Pump-Action** 12 Gauge with traditional walnut furniture. Rugged, durable and field-ready, the 500 platform has set the industry standard for pump-action shotguns for over 50 years.

With 12 million produced since its introduction in 1961, the Mossberg 500 pump-action design has withstood the test of time. Key features include non-binding twin action bars; dual extractors; a positive steel-to-steel lock-up; anti-jam elevator; anodized aluminum receiver; and universally recognized, ambidextrous top-mounted safety.

500 Retrograde Field 12 Gauge (50430) – This 12-gauge, 3-inch pump-action features the classic look of a walnut stock with checkered grip and vented recoil pad and matching walnut corncob-style forend. The 28-inch vent rib barrel features dual bead sights and interchangeable AccuChoke™ capability (Full, Modified, and Improved Cylinder choke tubes are included). The barrel and receiver have a blued finish. Rounding out this 500 are a drilled and tapped receiver and sling swivel studs. MSRP: \$606

A throwback to the look of early days but built to become your family’s classic for years to come. To see the complete line of Mossberg 500 pump-action shotguns, please visit our web site at www.mossberg.com.

Mossberg 500 Retrograde Field Pump-Action Shotgun Specifications:

ITEM #	TYPE	GAUGE/ CHAMBER	CAPACITY	BARREL/ FINISH	SIGHTS	CHOKES	OVERALL LENGTH	LOP	FOREND/STOCK/ FINISH	APPROX WEIGHT	MSRP
50430	500 Retrograde Field Pump Action	12 GA 3 in	5+1	28" VR Blue	Dual Bead	AccuSet (Full, Mod, IC)	47.5 in	13.87 in	Corncob Forend Classic Stock Walnut	7.5 lbs	\$606

About O.F. Mossberg & Sons, Inc.

Founded in 1919, O.F. Mossberg & Sons, Inc., is the oldest family-owned firearms manufacturer in America, and is the largest pump-action shotgun manufacturer in the world. Celebrating 100 years of innovation, Mossberg leads the industry with over 100 design and utility patents to its credit and stands as the first ISO 9001 Certified long-gun manufacturer. Complete information on commercial, special purpose, law enforcement and military shotguns, rifles, handguns and accessories are available at mossberg.com or by calling 1-800-363-3555. Mossberg can also be found on Facebook, Instagram, Twitter and YouTube.

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