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## **Mossberg® Adds Vortex®-Scoped Combos to MVP® Patrol Series *AR Magazine-Compatible Bolt-Action Carbine Rifles***

**North Haven, CT** – Introduced in 2013, the Mossberg MVP Series Patrol Rifle combined the versatility of a carbine bolt-action rifle with the ingenious ability to accept and reliably-feed from AR-style magazines. Now Mossberg is pleased to introduce two Vortex-scoped versions of the MVP Patrol rifle, chambered in 5.56mm NATO/223 Rem and 7.62mm NATO/308 Win. These full-featured rifles include threaded barrels with A2-style flash suppressor; neoprene Comb-Raising Kit; Magpul® PMAG® 10-round magazines; and Vortex Crossfire® II 2-7x32mm variable riflescope with Bullet Drop Compensation (BDC) reticle.

Innovation defined the Mossberg MVP Series, when the first MVP Varmint rifle was introduced in 2011. Its patented Drop-Push™ hinged-bolt design allowed the use of AR15-style magazines in a bolt-action rifle; a modernization of this traditional platform. Followed by two additional patented designs (Dual Latching System™ and Dual Push Bolt™) that allowed MVP rifles chambered in 7.62mm NATO (308 Win) to accept both M1A/M14 and AR10-style magazines. Further defining its innovation is Mossberg's user-adjustable, patented Lightning Bolt-Action™ (LBA™) Trigger System. Designed for a crisp creep-free trigger pull, the LBA trigger pull is easily adjusted from 3 to 8 pounds. The unique lightning bolt trigger blade blocks the sear from releasing the striker unless the blade is fully depressed, even at the lightest adjustment setting.

This compact MVP rifle features a 16.25-inch medium-bull, button-rifled, threaded barrel. Equipped with an A2-style flash suppressor, standard threading (1/2"-28TPI for the 5.56mm NATO and 5/8"-24TPI for the 7.62mm NATO) allows for the addition of an aftermarket noise-moderating suppressor. Thread cap is included. A receiver-mounted Picatinny rail provides the base for the Crossfire II optic and the MVP Patrol is also equipped with front fiber optic and barrel-mounted, adjustable rear rifle sights.

MVP Patrol rifles are housed in durable, all-weather black synthetic stocks with a coarse black stippled finish on the pistol grip and forend. The neoprene Comb-Raising Kit comes with foam inserts to customize the comb height for proper eye/sight alignment. All exposed metalwork features a non-reflective matte blue finish. Completing the MVP Patrol package are oversized tactical bolt handles; distinctive spiral-fluted bolts; front and rear sling swivel studs; and 10-round Magpul PMAG magazines.

Vortex delivers premium features in its Crossfire II variable riflescope series. The MVP Patrol is topped with the Crossfire II 2-7x32mm scope with Dead-Hold™ BDC reticle, an ideal choice for hunting or shooting at varying ranges, eliminating guesswork on holdover and windage corrections. Constructed with a hard anodized, single-piece, aircraft-grade aluminum tube, the Crossfire II is water and fog-proof. Long-eye relief; fast-focus eyepiece; fully multi-coated lenses; and resettable MOA turrets are all standard features. Vortex rings are included.

***Safety and safe firearms handling is everyone's responsibility.***

The MVP Patrol is a ruggedly-built and innovatively-constructed carbine, designed for performance and controlled handling. Now this premium rifle is available with premium optics from Vortex! For more information on the MVP Patrol Vortex-Scoped Combos and the complete line of Mossberg MVP Series bolt-action rifles, please visit [www.mossberg.com](http://www.mossberg.com).

**Mossberg MVP Patrol Vortex-Scoped Combo Bolt-Action Rifles Specifications:**

ITEM	TYPE	CALIBER	TOTAL CAP	BARREL/ FINISH	TWIST RATE	SIGHTS	OVERALL LENGTH	LOP	STOCK/FINISH	APPROX WEIGHT	MSRP
27965	Bolt-Action	5.56mm NATO (223 Rem)	11	16.25 in Medium Bull Threaded w/A2 Matte Blue	1:9	Vortex Crossfire II 2-7x32mm Picatinny Rail FO Rifle Sights	36.5 in	13.25 in	Patrol Stock Black Synthetic	8 lbs	\$865
27966	Bolt-Action	7.62mm NATO (308 Win)	11	16.25 in Medium Bull Threaded w/A2 Matte Blue	1:10	Vortex Crossfire II 2-7x32mm Picatinny Rail FO Rifle Sights	37.5 in	13.25 in	Patrol Stock Black Synthetic	8.5 lbs	\$865

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