

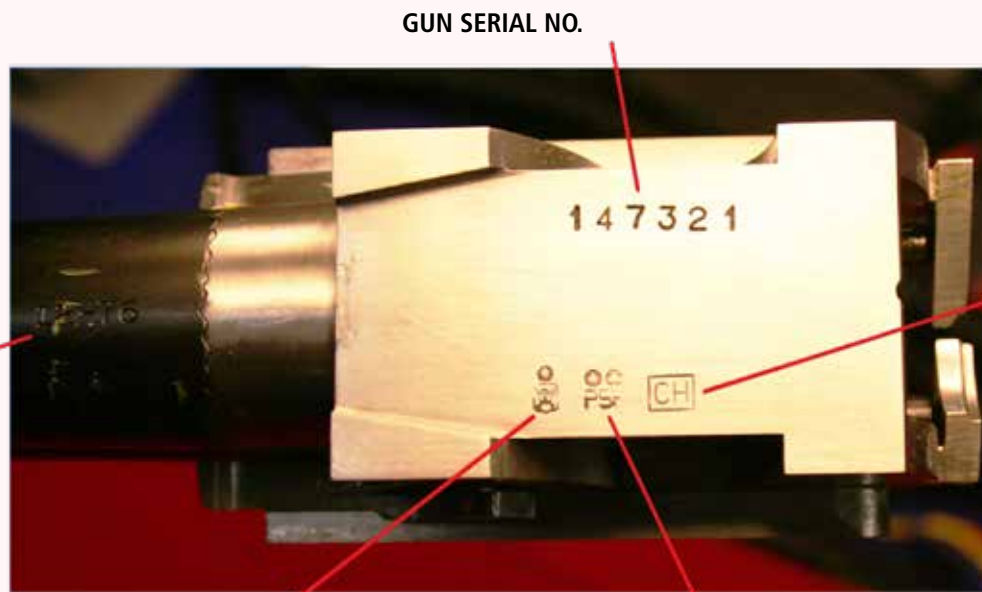
What is...

THE AGE OF MY PERAZZI

All Italian shotguns are stamped with the year of proofing by the Italian proof house.

If you take your barrels and turn them upside down you will see a number of stampings on the underside of the monobloc (see image).

This includes the serial number, Gardone Proof House mark, superior proof mark for smokeless powder and a 2 letter code in a box that denotes the year of proof.



GUN SERIAL NO.

147321

CODE FOR YEAR OF PROOF
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12 = 12G
76 = 3" CHAMBERS
(12/70 = 12G,
2 3/4" CHAMBERS)






GARDONE PROOF HOUSE SYMBOL

SUPERIOR PROOF MARK (FOR SMOKELESS POWDER)



If the fleur de lis symbol is also listed it shows that the gun is steel proofed.

ITALIAN PROOF MARKS

PROOF MARK	CIRCA	PROOF HOUSE	TYPE OF PROOF AND GUN
	since 1951	Brescia	provisional proof for all guns
	since 1951	Gardone	provisional proof for all guns
	since 1951	Gardone & Brescia	definitive proof for guns with smokeless powder
	since 1951	Gardone & Brescia	finish proof for firearms ready for sale
	since 1951	Gardone & Brescia	1st black powder proof

What is...

Year	Mark	Year	Mark	Year	Mark	Year	Mark	Year	Mark	Year	Mark	Year	Mark
1940		1953	IX	1966	XXII	1979	AE	1992	BB	2005	BZ	2018	CT
1941		1954	X	1967	XXIII	1980	AF	1993	BC	2006	CA	2019	CU
1942		1955	XI	1968	XXIV	1981	AH	1994	BD	2007	CB	2020	CZ
1943		1956	XII	1969	XXV	1982	AI	1995	BF	2008	CC	2021	DA
1944		1957	XIII	1970	XXVI	1983	AL	1996	BD	2009	CD	2022	DB
1945	I	1958	XIV	1971	XXVII	1984	AM	1997	BI	2010	CF	2023	DC
1946	II	1959	XV	1972	XXVIII	1985	AN	1998	BL	2011	CH	2024	DD
1947	III	1960	XVI	1973	XXIX	1986	AP	1999	BM	2012	CI	2025	DE
1948	IV	1961	XVII	1974	XXX	1987	AS	2000	BN	2013	CL	2026	DF
1949	V	1962	XVIII	1975	AA	1988	AT	2001	BP	2014	CM	2027	DH
1950	VI	1963	XIX	1976	AB	1989	AU	2002	BS	2015	CN	2028	DI
1951	VII	1964	XX	1977	AC	1990	AZ	2003	BT	2016	CP	2029	DL
1952	VIII	1965	XXI	1978	AD	1991	BA	2004	BU	2017	CS	2030	DM