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Streamlight, Inc
TLR 4G Rail Mounted LED Flashlight with Green Laser
Overall Score: 4.31
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Tester 1 of 2
Tested by a member from Wisconsin

Design 4.5
Performance 4.5
Ease of Use 4
Size 4
Quality 4
Durability 4
Versatility 5
Convenience 5
Application 5

Individual Score 4.5

I conducted a T&E on the TLR-4G rail mounted LED flashlight with the green laser. The TLR-4 has a toggle switch that allows you to select either laser only/light only/laser & light combo. The lever is easy to use and snaps firmly into place when toggling between the different modes. The separate rocker lever allows you to select between constant on with the flashlight and a temporary/momentary on (blipping) mode. The 110 lumens for the flashlight are bright and satisfactory for most searching operations. The main housing of the light is polymer vs. other manufacturers that produce an aluminum housing. The weight of 2.8 ounces is minimal compared to the flashlight and laser features on this product. Mounting the light/laser is easy and can be secured with the twist of the screw. My only hesitation with this product is the fact that it is a polymer housing along with the toggle switch that allows you to switch between the laser and light. Only time will tell, but my concern is these features may wear out with time and use. Overall, this is an excellent choice for someone who doesn't want to break the bank who is looking for a light with decent lumens with laser capability from a reputable company. I would not hesitate to buy this product.

Tester 2 of 2
Tested by a member from North Carolina

Design 4
Performance 4

Ease of Use 4
Size 5
Quality 5
Durability 5
Storage 3
Versatility 3
Convenience 4
Application 4
Comfort 4
Accuracy 4
Cleaning & Maintenance 4

Individual Score 4.12

When I first received the TLR-4G for review, my first impressions were that it appeared much smaller than the TLR-1 and TLR-2. I have had experience with both the TLR-1 and 2 over the years and have been a big fan of both of them. I then mounted the TLR-4G on a Glock 35. It attached very easily and it felt like it was on there rock solid. I then began to check the reach and functions of the light switches. The toggle switch was easily reached while holding the weapon and I could toggle the on/off function very easily without breaking my master grip. I then went into a dark room and checked the LED light; the light gives out enough white light to more than adequately light up any room and to my pleasant surprise, there were no hot spots like you find on many lights. Testing out the green laser was next. I have used red lasers for years on such things as Tasers and also the TLR-2. I knew that green lasers were more visible than red but when you actually test them side by side, like I did, the green laser is without a question brighter. I then took the TLR-4G outside and purposely put the sun against my back in an attempt to diminish the visibility of the green laser. Even in full sun, the green laser stood out and my eyes could easily pick it up. I had the opportunity to go to the range and fire approximately 200 rounds with the TLR-4G mounted on my Glock 35. Throughout the entire testing process, the light did not malfunction once. It was reliable and put out a consistent white light and laser each and every time. The accuracy of the laser was above average and easy to adjust and zero. After completing some range drills and testing, the light on the range my focus switched to utilizing the light at work on a daily basis. My first search of holsters for the light turned up empty on the Safariland website. I was able to modify an older holster I had from a TLR-2 to utilize on the range for testing but thus far have not located any holster to accommodate the TLR-4G for duty use. I also checked Streamlight's website for accessories to the TLR-4G and was unable to locate any type of pressure switch to activate the light. I hope that in the future more options are available for the light to include duty holsters and a pressure switch to activate for both the handgun and also if the light was mounted on a long gun. My overall opinion of the light is that if you're looking for a weapon mounted light with a laser, there is no question that a green laser is the way to go and the Streamlight TLR-4G now offers that.