








5 Stars: Best Available



	<h3>Riddell SpeedFlex</h3>	<p>STAR Value: 0.193</p>
	<h3>Schutt AiR XP Pro VTD</h3>	<p>STAR Value: 0.207</p>
	<h3>Schutt Vengeance VTD</h3>	<p>STAR Value: 0.213</p>
	<h3>Riddell 360</h3>	<p>STAR Value: 0.239</p>
	<h3>Rawlings Quantum Plus</h3>	<p>STAR Value: 0.245</p>
	<h3>Rawlings Tachyon</h3>	<p>STAR Value: 0.262</p>
	<h3>SG Version 2.0</h3>	<p>STAR Value: 0.264</p>
<p> *Note 1: Permanent cracks were observed in the helmet padding for all tested SG helmets. We advise consumers to monitor the padding throughout the season and to discontinue use if any padding becomes disconnected. *Note 2: Consumers should be aware that the lifespan of these helmets is stated as 2 years, which differs from the more common 10 year lifespan of most other helmets. *Note 3: Sizing of this helmet is unique. Be careful to measure your head size and reference the correct sizing chart. </p>		



Xenith EPIC

STAR Value: 0.281

Cost: \$299.95



Xenith X2

STAR Value: 0.284

Cost: \$235.00

*Note: Helmets dated before 2013 rated as 3 Stars



Xenith X2E

STAR Value: 0.285

Cost: \$235.00



SG Version 2.5

STAR Value: 0.292

Cost: \$414.00

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Riddell Revolution Speed

STAR Value: 0.297

Cost: \$264.99

4 Stars: Very Good



SG Version 1.0

STAR Value: 0.309

Cost: \$398.00

*Note: Retrospective analysis found similar cracking in the padding of previously tested SG Version 1.0 helmets. Please refer to the notes on SG Version 2.0 and SG Version 2.5 ratings.



Schutt ION 4D

STAR Value: 0.327

Cost: \$244.95



Rawlings Impulse

STAR Value: 0.355

Cost: \$149.00



Xenith X1

STAR Value: 0.356

Cost: \$299.99



Riddell Revolution

STAR Value: 0.362

Cost: \$239.99



Rawlings Quantum

STAR Value: 0.364

Cost: \$179.99



Schutt Vengeance DCT

STAR Value: 0.365

Cost: \$254.95



Riddell Revolution IQ

STAR Value: 0.369

Cost: \$222.99

3 Stars: Good



Schutt Air XP

STAR Value: 0.420

Cost: \$174.95



Schutt DNA Pro +

STAR Value: 0.450

Cost: \$194.99

*Note: Helmets dated before 2013 rated as 4 Stars



Schutt Air XP Ultralite

STAR Value: 0.482

Cost: \$254.95

2 Stars: Adequate



Schutt Air Advantage

STAR Value: 0.678

Cost: \$159.99

1 Star: Marginal



Riddell VSR4

STAR Value: 0.791

Cost: Not Applicable

Used helmets were tested to provide a reference

NR: Not Recommended



Adams A2000 Pro Elite

STAR Value: 1.700

Cost: \$199.95

Note: Any player in any sport can sustain a head injury with even the very best head protection. This analysis is based on data trends and probabilities, and therefore a specific person's risk may vary. This variation is likely dominated by genetic differences, health history, and impact factors such as muscle activation.



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