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99% of all airsoft guns use magazines (clips) for reloading, making it the most realistic combat simulation ever O.K., so it's more realistic, the point of that is, what? People play paintball because it's fun to play paintball, and while there is certainly an element of playing Rambo for the average casual player, the relative realism of the equipment used to play doesn't seem too critical since what we are doing is not a combat simulation in the sense you mean. Hell, it it's realism you want, join the National Guard and spend your weekends tromping around in the mud, you'll find all that realism less appealing pretty fast. Oh ya, in paintball, wearing authentic military uniforms, helmets, badges, webgear, patches etc. would get you laughed at, which doesn't seem to be the situation in many airsoft games. I'm not saying there is anything wrong with that... wait, I guess I am, ya, running around in the woods dressed like Sgt. Schultz strikes me as a little weird, sorry about that. Let's also consider that airsoft play requires tremendous levels of sportsmanship on the part of the participants, since there is no splat mark to confirm that someone has been hit, so if you have people who don't like to be eliminated the fun goes out of the game real fast. Maybe that's why so many regular airsoft groups tend to stay small and isolated, they play only with people they have found they can trust. Anything else? How about the pollution caused by those tens of thousands of little plastic pellets sitting there for thousands of years? As we all know, paintballs are bio-degradeable. Hey, I'm just pointing out the other side of the coin. If you like playing airsoft, go for it, I'm sure it can be lots of fun too. Just don't take your airsoft gun to school to show your buddies like a certain kid I know did, he was damn lucky he wasn't 18 yet.

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You guys seem to be the uptight ones. I still dont understand why this wasted on apaintball NG in the first place. You might as well be going to a Christian church group and asking them all to convert to beong Catholic or something. Thats how into paintball many of us are. ----- Robert J Mitchell mitc...@gateway.net F4OG #: 0490 VWAOG#: 59 ----- Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ Before you buy.

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Have you ever considered the sport of Airsoft? Airsoft is one of the most realistic and fun sports, not to mention cheap! The automatics go for about \$200-\$300, and are battery-powered or gas-operated. Compare that to the \$600-\$1,000 automatic paintball guns. For \$600, you can get a light-machine gun M60 airsoft gun. The batteries can last a full day when fully charged. There are gas blowback handguns/submachine guns that can use PC duster or airbrush propellant as gas besides specialized airsoft gas gun propellant, and can last a few months. They are just like real guns, and the slide of the gun blows back on each shot. These gas guns cost around \$90-\$200. Then there are spring guns: these are the cheapest airsoft gun. They are single shot, and have to be cocked for each shot. Most of the sniper rifles in airsoft are spring rifle, and can fire around 80 meters when upgraded. These are usually cheap, except for the sniper rifles, which go for around \$100-\$900. The spring pistols, shotguns (yes, shotguns, which fire more than one shot with each trigger pull!!!) and rifles go for about \$20-\$150. 99% of all airsoft guns use magazines (clips) for reloading, making it the most realistic combat simulation ever. ALL airsoft guns use 6MM pellets. These are very cheap pellets, which can be bought for about \$15 per \$5,000. It is a LOT cheaper: a normal session of airsoft when you have a gun and equipment would be this: Rental of a field: \$5-\$10 BBs: 10,000 for \$25-\$30 Now, compare that to paintball: Rental of your field: \$5-\$10 Paintballs: 600 for \$25-\$30 Now, I am not asking you to convert from paintball to airsoft: just buy a good gun or two, maybe a full automatic (for \$200, you can get a good full-auto MP-5, compared to a semi-auto Tippmann for around the same price) or a good gas gun. If you are further interested in this sport, check out <http://www.airsoftguns.com> or <http://www.airsoftzone.com>. If you want to look at the prices, check out <http://www.redwolfairsoft.com> or <http://www.dentrinity.com> Please consider airsoft, as it is a cost effective solution to paintball, and just as fun, if not more so. I used to play paintball, but as soon as I was introduced to airsoft and it's realism, I was converted. Unlike in paintball, where most people are interested in getting the fastest firing gun and the main tactic is spray and pray, real tactics must be used in airsoft, as shooting full automatic can expend your magazine in a few seconds. These airsoft guns are used for training by law-enforcement, due to the realism, and they are used in movies as props! It has a much more combat themed experience, and since the pellets barely hurt you (a 300 fps paintball is equivalent to a 1000 fps 6MM airsoft pellet, but the common FPS limit for CQB airsofts is 300 fps, so it barely hurts, and sniper rifles go up to 500 fps), it can be pretty much used by all ages, although due to the realism of the guns, it is recommended that you are 18. Please consider it. Thank you. Travis Ward

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than paintball and far cheaper. The problem is that these games requires a lot of planning and coordination. Also, if one person is cheating, it can ruin the entire game. Paintball is a great rush and fun exercise, best of all, I can play whenever I want with most of my friends. My only problem with it is that it's damn expensive. Airsoft doesn't have the general appeal of Paintball, but those who do play it, love it far more than paintball. Sent via Deja.com <http://www.deja.com/> Before you buy.

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So as far as Airsoft is concerned It needs to be placed as far away from paintball as possible, I feel its a threat to paintball not as a cheap alternative but by being compared or related to it we could be hit with a guilt by association charge when the government decides to find a scape-goat to explain all this violence thats been occuring in our kids schools. Its pretty slim but once its been suggested to the public in mass, the damage has already been done, and we take a big leap backwards in the acceptance of our sport, as being a sport and not wargames. Well, some of us *like* to play wargames. Also, I see alot of paintball 'scenario' games that re-create and dramitize real world violent events; are you going to crusade to put a halt to those too? You've sure got your work cut out for ya! ;-)
