



# M136 AT4 Anti-Armor Rifle

## **Mission**

Engagement and defeat of light armor.

## **Entered Army Service**

1970

## **Description and Specifications**

The M136 AT4 is a recoilless rifle used primarily by Infantry Forces for engagement and defeat of light armor. The recoilless rifle design permits accurate delivery of an 84mm High Explosive Anti-Armor warhead, with negligible recoil.



This is a lightweight, self-contained, anti-armor weapon consisting of a free-flight, fin-stabilized, rocket-type cartridge packed in an expendable, one-piece, fiberglass-wrapped tube. The M136 AT4 is man-portable and is fired from the right shoulder only.

The launcher is watertight for ease of transportation and storage. Unlike the M72-series LAW, the M136 AT4 launcher need not be extended before firing. Though the M136 AT4 can be employed in limited visibility, the firer must be able to see and identify the target and estimate the range to it. The round of ammunition is self-contained in a disposable launch tube. The system weighs 15 pounds and can be utilized effectively with minimal training.

	<b>M136 AT4</b>
<b>Launcher weight:</b>	14.8 lb
<b>Launcher length :</b>	40 in
<b>Maximum range:</b>	2,100 m
<b>Minimum range:</b>	10 m
<b>Muzzle Velocity:</b>	285 meters/second
<b>Ammunition:</b>	84 mm Caliber

## **Manufacturer**

FFV Ordnance, Sweden and Alliant Techsystems

Information about this equipment provided by: <http://www.fas.org/man/dod-101/sys/land/at4.htm>

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