

ABM/KETF 35 MM x 228 AMMUNITION/PMD428

AIR BURST MUNITION/KINETIC ENERGY TIME FUZE

- KETF ammunition is designed to defeat a wide range of targets by the release of the subprojectiles just ahead of the target.
- Rheinmetall's NATO qualified airburst ammunition, contains an electronic timer module which is programmed inductively at the muzzle with compensation for variations in projectile muzzle velocity to ensure precise downrange payload release.
- The payload consists of a high number of cylindrical, tungsten-alloy, sub-projectiles, which are released by a small ejection charge (<1g) in front of the target.
- The individual sub-projectiles are spin-stabilised and form a lethal cone of fragments towards the target.
 This significantly increases the hit probability, especially so at extended ranges.
- In general KETF ammunition is the ideal solution for modern armament for terrestrial, air-defence and naval applications to defeat a wide range of targets. These include dismounted troops, fox-holes, jet-skis, small boats, aircraft, helicopters as well as UAVs and small aerial vehicles.
- The weight and number of sub-projectiles is optimised for each required target set. For the PMD428 the payload has been optimised for use against small airborne targets like drones.

| MAIN FEATURES | |
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| Performance | Wide range of targets |
| Firing mode | Single shot and automatic mode |
| Environment | No toxic elements |
| Transport/Storage | UN Classification 1.2E |
| Gun/System | KDC, KDG |

| TECHNICAL DATA | |
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| Total length of round | 387 mm |
| Mass of round | approx. 1,770 g |
| Mass of projectile | 750g |
| Propellant | NC type |
| Muzzle velocity | 1,050 m/s |
| Dispersion at +21°C | ≤1.0 mil |
| Cartridge case | Steel |
| Temperature range (functional) | -46°C to +63°C |
| Fuze programming at the muzzle | |
| Muzzle safety | >60 m |
| Time resolution | 2 ms |
| Self destruct | 8.2 s (approx. 5 km) |
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