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Rheinmetall to supply Lynx to Ukraine – Order value for the first batch in the mid double-digit million euro range

Rheinmetall is supplying Ukraine with additional systems for national defence. The country is set to receive its first Lynx KF41 infantry fighting vehicles as early as the beginning of 2026. A contract to this effect was signed in December 2025. The order value for the first five combat vehicles is in the mid double-digit million euro range, with the systems being financed by the Federal Republic of Germany.

The decision in favour of the Lynx KF41 was made after extensive testing of the next-generation infantry fighting vehicle (IFV). The IFVs will feature the two-man Lance turret and be configured specifically for the Ukraine's armed forces. The next step is to procure additional batches, including production in Ukraine.

'We are grateful for the trust that Ukraine has placed in us,' said Armin Papperger, CEO of Rheinmetall AG. 'We would also like to thank the German government for its support. This order is a fundamental success that underscores our continued efforts to support Ukraine.'

The Lynx KF41 combat vehicle family has been developed to meet current and future requirements. The Lynx KF41 stands for maximum modularity. Thanks to its open electronic architecture and the largest protected interior volume in its class, the vehicle offers exceptional growth potential for future technologies and mission profiles. With a scalable weight concept, a highly efficient drive system and state-of-the-art protection technology, it combines mobility with maximum safety. At the same time, the Lynx impresses with its high level of ergonomics for the crew, which enables efficient and comfortable operation even during long missions.



► Key facts

- Rheinmetall to supply Ukraine with first batch of Lynx KF41 IFVs
- Order value for the first batch in the mid double-digit million euro; financing by Germany
- Delivery of the first systems is scheduled for early 2026
- Decision in favor of the Lynx KF41 following extensive testing; entry into larger-scale procurement

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