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PIRANHA MC

MODERN INDIRECT FIRE SUPPORT MADE IN SWITZERLAND

PIRANHA "MINENWERFER" (MORTAR) - A NEW COMBAT VEHICLE VARIANT FOR THE SWISS ARMY

The GDELS-Mowag PIRANHA is a highly mobile, armored multi-role wheeled vehicle with a high payload and a large utilizable internal volume that provides highest protection against current threats. The open vehicle architecture enables easy and flexible integration of various subsystems for a broad spectrum of different missions.

Indirect fire is an essential capability required by the army to fulfill its defensive mission. With the new 120mm mortar system based on the PIRANHA carrier vehicle and the RUAG COBRA 120mm Mortar System, the Swiss Army has procured a modern, powerful and precise system.

The PIRANHA mortar variant is a highly mobile system that is both flexible in use and offers high protection for its crew. After moving into the firing position, the system is ready to fire within 30 seconds. During the shoot and scoot maneuver, the mortar fires 4 rounds under 20 seconds and 10 rounds under 60 seconds, respectively, and exits the firing position swiftly after completing its firing mission. The mortar system has a firing range of up to 9000 meters with the use of various ammunition types.



