

## Elbit Systems, Land Comprehensive Advanced Artillery Solutions (ID 22047)

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## Business AREAS

#### Maneuverability

Artillery

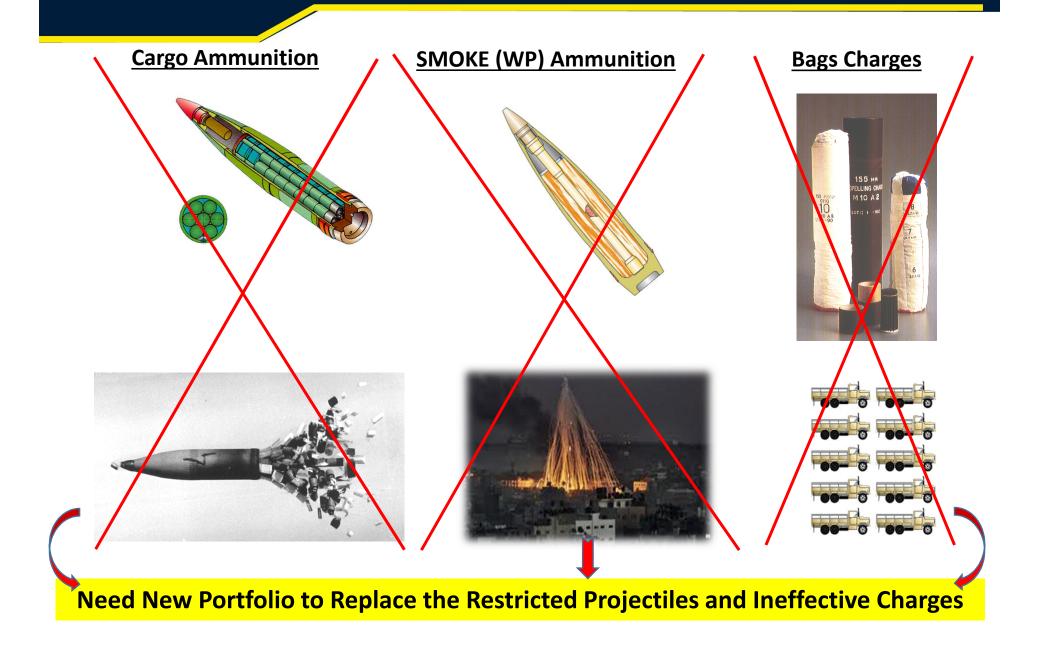
**AMMUNITION** Survivability

Naval Solutions



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### The Evolution of Artillery ammunition **Elbit Systems**





- Improve efficiency over any conventional HE projectile and increase lethality capability.
- Incapacitate and defeat infantry troops.
- Improve the performance against variety of targets in the battle field (tracks, LAV's, Infrastructures etc.).
- Low collateral damage by using self-destruct mechanism.
- Shoot & scoot ability in order to prevent counter artillery fire.

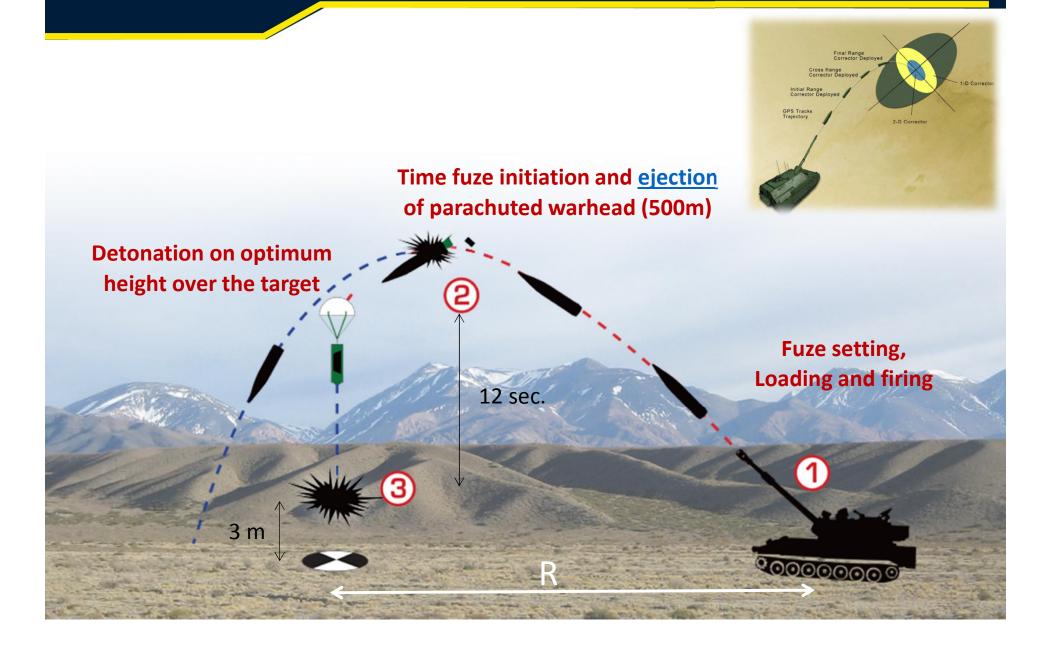
#### **155mm Super HE – M454**



- Advanced 155mm Super HE projectile designed
- Neutralize infantry and "soft" targets (LAV's) with greater effectiveness by utilizing an <u>advanced</u> warhead
- Compatible with all 155mm guns

### 155mm Super HE – M454





## **155mm Super HE – Technical characteristics**

- Weight in flight:
- Length (w/o fuze):
- Explosive & control fragmentation weight:

Proximity fuze operation height:

Accuracy with time fuze :

- Time fuze type:
- Ranges: (\*)

3 Kg CLX663 + 个7,000 steel balls

IMI M910/M762 or similar

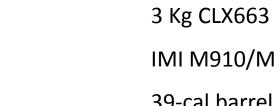
39-cal barrel - 22 Km

45-cal barrel - 24 Km

52-cal barrel - 26 Km

3 m Approx.

60m CEP



48 Kg

804 mm



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(\*) – For HB type

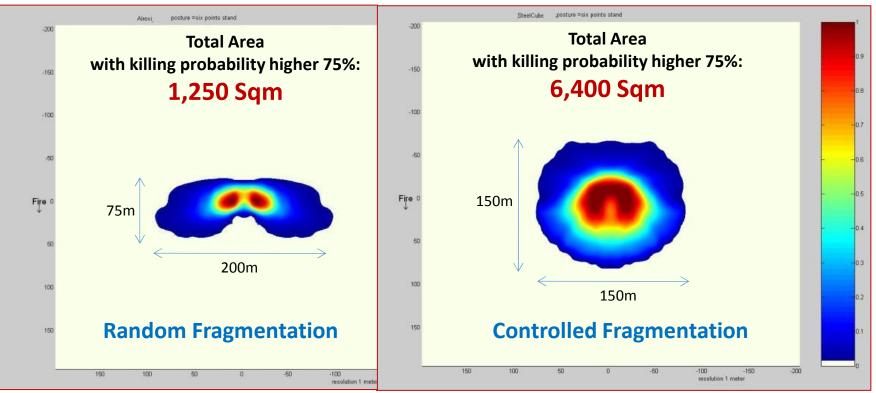
#### **155mm Super HE – M454**



#### **Operations Research Results** Kill Probability Chart – Infantry in open terrain

#### **Standard HE Cover Area**

#### **Super HE Cover Area**



#### Up to **<u>5 times more effective!</u>** than the standard HE

#### **155mm Super HE – M454**



#### 155mm Super HE - Logistics Advantages Minimal Logistic Footprint



S-HE



#### ADVANTAGES USING S-HE over HE PROJECTILES



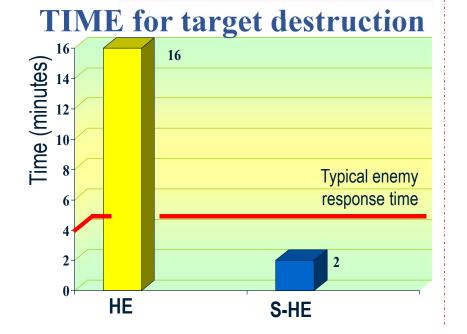
#### **Greater Effect on target &** Shoot & Scoot capability



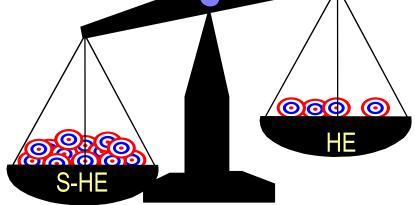
LOGISTICS Benefits & More projectiles per barrel





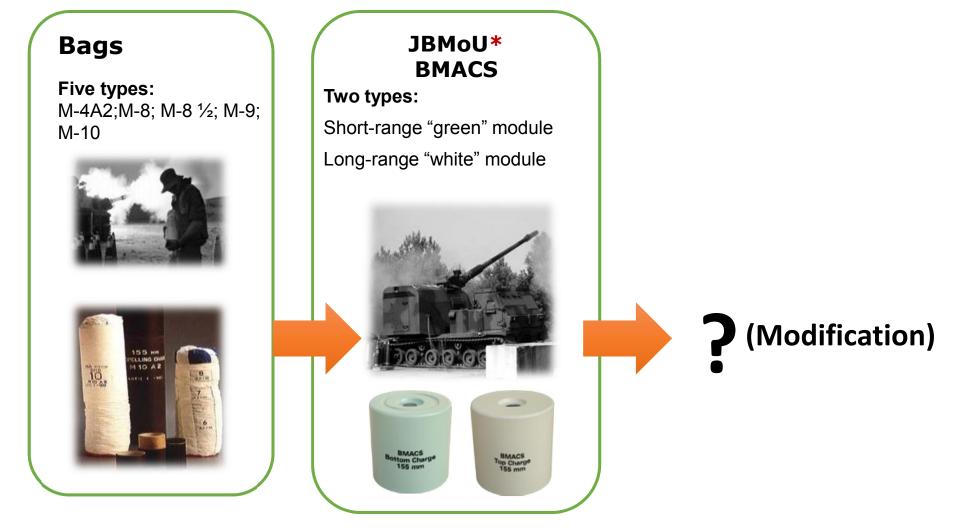


# More TARGETS per Artillery carrier stowage



# Propellant charge Market development





\*Joint Ballistic Memorandum Of Understanding

#### **BMACS - Description**



BMACS Top Charge 155 mm

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> The BMACS consists of two module types:

- TCM Top Charge Module (White colour)
- BCM Bottom Charge Module (Green colour)
- Developed by IMI according to MIL-STD and NATO standards to replace the existing old charge systems.
- Based on JBMoU principles for firing from all standard 155-mm Howitzer guns (39, 45 & 52 Cal.)

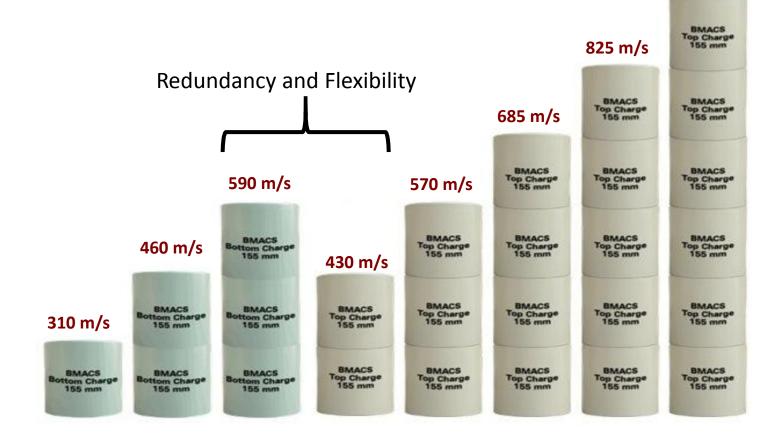
BMACS Bottom Charg

#### **Modified BMACS**



945 m/s

#### Modified BMACS Version (redesign) Based on JBMoU principles (L15)



### **JBMoU Compliance**



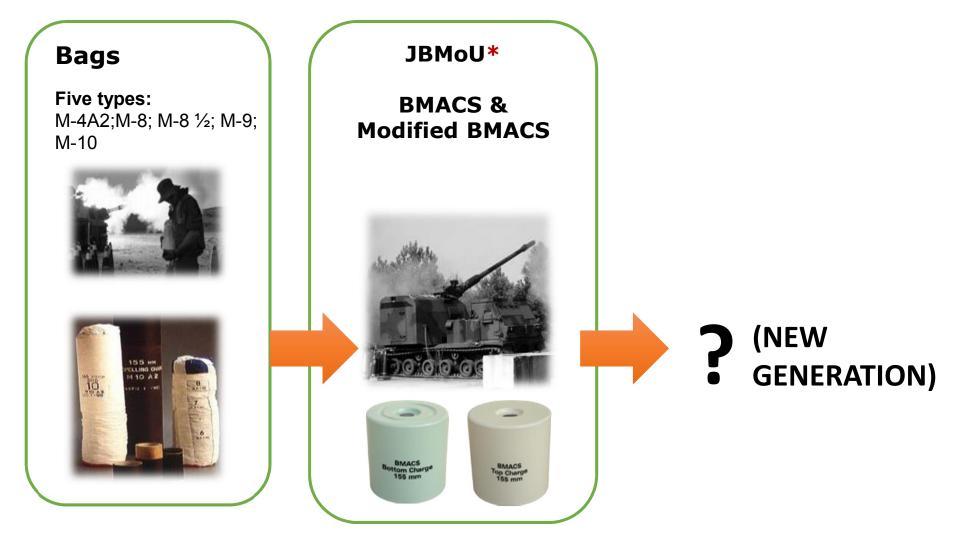
| Parameter             | Requirement                          | <u>Compliance</u>                    |
|-----------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Ignition Delay        | ≤ 300 ms                             | ≤ 100 ms                             |
| Differential Pressure | ≤ 725 Bar                            | ≤ 150 Bar                            |
| Pressure Limit        | ≤ 4158 Bar                           | ≤ 4158Bar                            |
| Upper Temp Limit      | 63°c                                 | 63°c                                 |
| Residues              | no detrimental residues to operation | no detrimental residues to operation |

| Parameter         | Requirement               | <b>Compliance</b> |
|-------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|
| Module Dimensions | D ≤ 158mm                 | D ≤ 153 mm        |
|                   | L ≤ 156mm                 | L ≤ 155mm         |
|                   | Ignition hole dia. ≥ 20mm | d ≥ 28 mm         |
|                   |                           |                   |
| Muzzle Velocity   | 945m/s                    | 945m/s            |
|                   |                           | 6 Modules         |

| Parameter         | <b>Requirement</b>       | <b>Compliance</b> |
|-------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
| Trails for safety | Safety in a New Gun      | Comply            |
|                   | Safety in Worn Barrel    | Comply            |
|                   | Sequential Environmental | Comply            |
|                   | Safety of Prop. Charge   | Comply            |
|                   | 12m Safety Drop          | Comply            |
|                   | Low Charge Trial         | Comply            |
|                   | Cook-Off in Hot Gun      | Comply            |
|                   |                          |                   |

# Propellant charge Market development

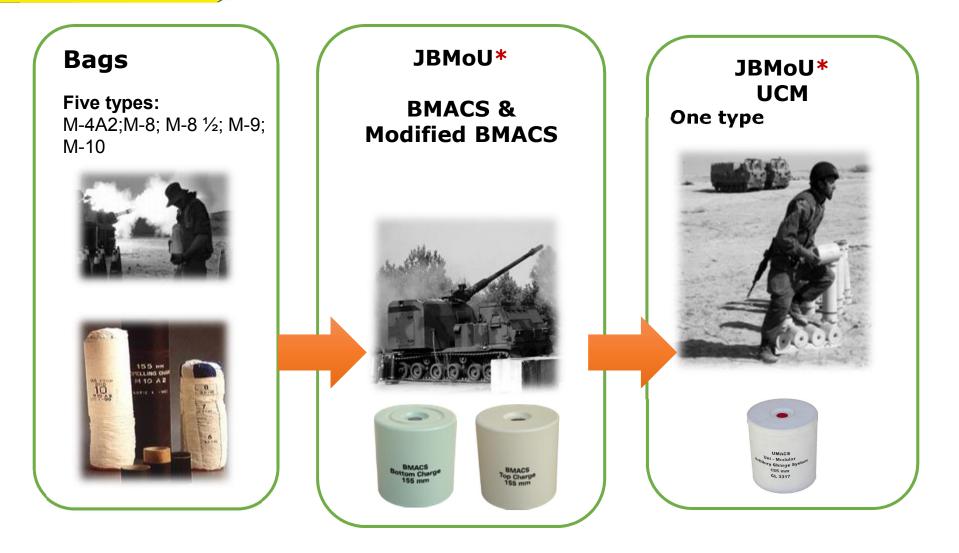




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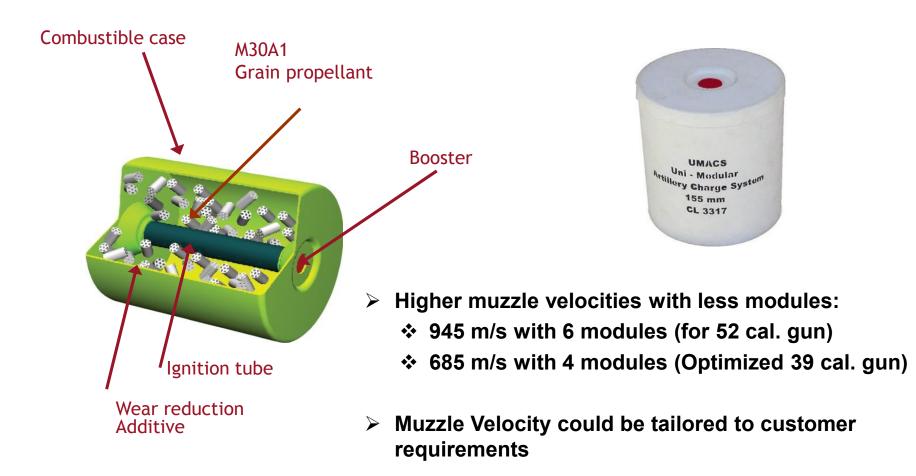


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#### Uni – Charge Module



IMI's UCM is the only Uni-Modular charge propellant system which is based on single module type - one size.



### **UCM - Product Advantages**



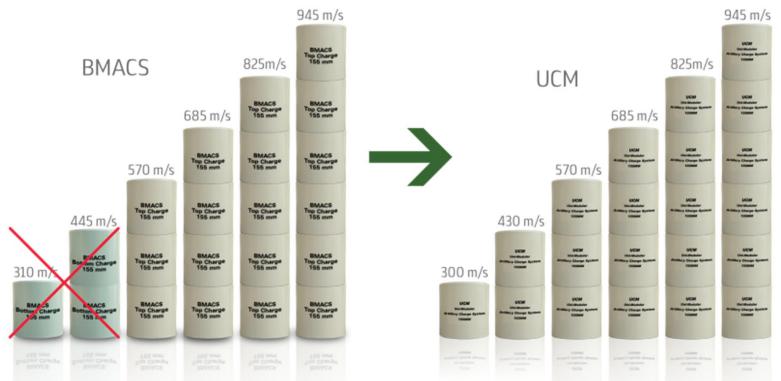
- Next generation technology for next generation of cannons.
- Only one type of modular artillery charge system in all artillery logistics chain, from the artillery gun, company, battalion and above.
- > Adjusted to FALCS (Full Automatic Load Charge System).
- Minimum ignition delay time.
- Increase fire rate.
- > Water proof protecting surface.
- > **No residue** in the barrel.
- Proper internal ballistics pressure and differential Pressure.
- > Reducing barrel's wear, **longer barrel life**.
- Identical and symmetric module design prevents

any chance of human/loading error in day or night-operation.



## Uni-Modular Artillery Charge System

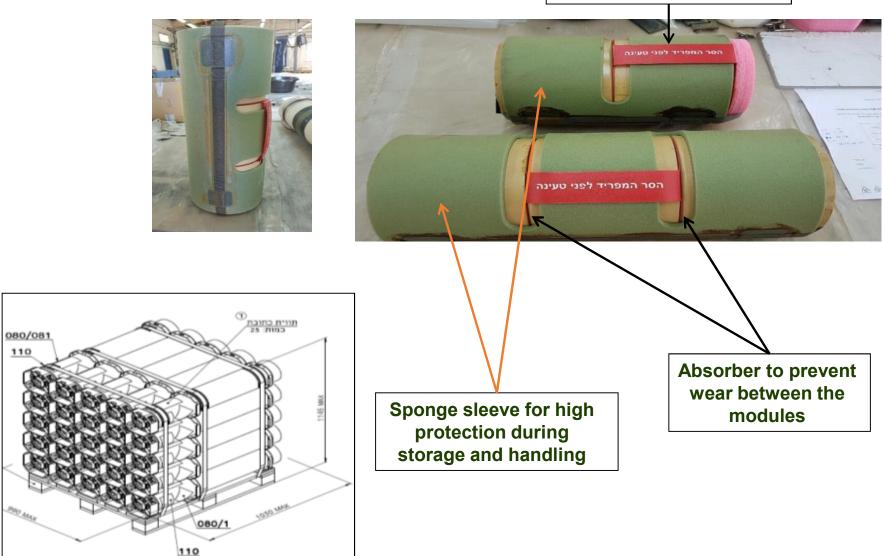
- New and STATE-OF-THE-ART solution
- Fully Comply with JBMoU
- Can be used with any 155mm gun
- The most affordable solution with logistic simplicity (FIFO)
- Qualified by the IDF
- In service by the IDF (no risk)



#### UCM M662 - PACKAGE



Remove before loading



## **SMOKE Projectile - Background**



- Need Smoke projectile for screening and spotting
- 2. <u>Smoke WP has Phosphor</u>, which may cause burns when in contact with human skin.
- Israeli internal committee decided not to use of such projectiles in urban terrain involving civilians.
- Decision to use improved smoke projectile -> <u>Elbit's Smoke HC .</u>







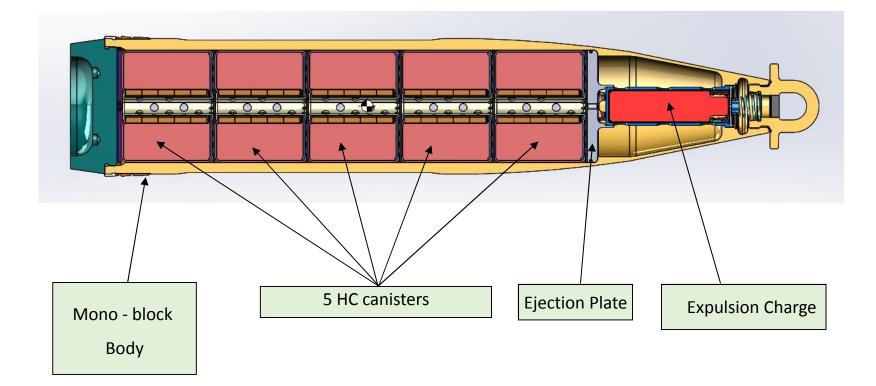
## 155mm Smoke HC M150





### **155 mm SMOKE HC – Description**





## 155 mm SMOKE HC – Comparison with M116



| Feature            | Elbit's M150 Smoke HC  | M116 (WP)            |
|--------------------|------------------------|----------------------|
| Duration           | ~ 3 Minutes            | ~ 2 Minutes          |
| Screen Size        | 120% (in L&H)          | 100%                 |
| Range (39 Caliber) | 22 km                  | 18km                 |
| Canisters          | 5                      | 3                    |
| Quantity           | HC = 13.5 kg           | WP = 8.7 kg          |
| Projectile         | Based on M483 family   | Based on M107 family |
| MV (m/sec)         | Up to 890 (52 Caliber) | 685                  |

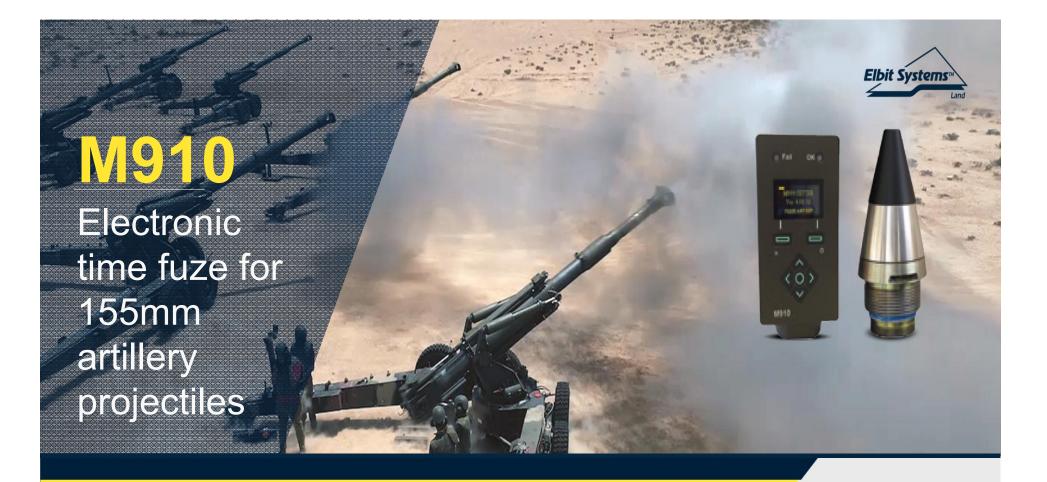
#### 155 mm SMOKE HC – Advantages

- 1. Long lasting smoke up to 3 minutes
- 2. Higher screening size
- 3. Higher density
- 4. Better spotting at long distances
- 5. No use of phosphor









- The M910 fuze is suitable for use on all projectiles in accordance with STANAG 9216 (MIL – STD - 333B) for 105mm to 203mm calibers
- The fuze initiates all types of carrier shells at airburst (smoke, illuminating and Super- HE) or Impact
- The fuze can receive the data by using Stand Alone Setter Device or by inductive during automatic projectile loading in compliance with STANAG 4369



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