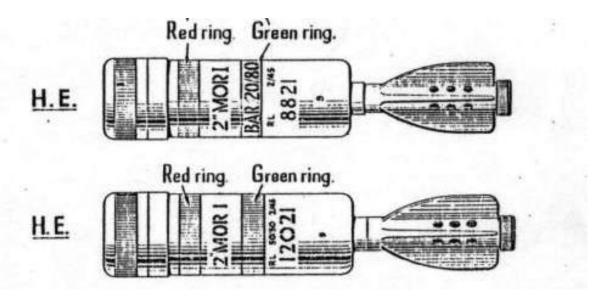


Information Data Sheet

Category Mortar (British)

Type 2-Inch Mortar Bomb



Variants 14

Length 11.4" x 2"

Weight 2.5lbs

Firing Mechanism Trip (small trigger)

Calibre 50.8mm (2.0 inches)

Rate of Fire 8 rounds per minute

Description Pear-shaped

Pear-shaped steel body with 6 or 8 vanes. Originally painted buff yellow or dark grey. Filled with cast

TNT, granular TNT or powdered Amatol. Also smoke, illumination and practice versions.

Function Small enough to be carried by one man, with a range limited to 500 yards, the 2" mortar was used in

an anti-personnel role.



