

## **Information Data Sheet**

Category Projectiles (British)

**Type** 4.5" Shell (Mark II – Anti-Aircraft)

Variants -

Body Dimensions

114mm x 566mm (4.5" x 21.9")

Weight 24.9kg (55lb)

Fuze Mechanical time fuze

**Composition** Cast steel

**Description** Square-based, tapered-nosed shell filled

with TNT or Amatol. Steel casing, rotating band of either copper or gilding metal located 3.5" in front of the base end with

single groove.

Function Used as field artillery and adapted for use

in anti-aircraft defence from fixed batteries. Rate of fire of 8 rounds per minute, maximum ceiling of 44,000ft and horizontal

range of 22,800 yards.







