

Information Data Sheet

Category Projectiles (British)

Type 40mm Shell

Variants -

Body Dimensions 40mm x 310mm (1.6" x 12.2")

Weight 4.57lb (1.96lb for projectile)

Fuze Point-detonating fuze

Composition Steel casing

Description Steel-cased cartridge and projectile with copper expansion ring around base of projectile to allow release on firing.

Function Used as a rapid-fire defence against enemy aircraft, fired from fixed batteries and mobile mountings.

