

# KEW / KEWA1 / KEWA2

American Ordnance LLC, operator of the Iowa and Milan Army Ammunition Plants, produces the Cartridge 120mm KEW, KEW-A1 and KEW-A2 Tank ammunition for the U.S. Army, Marines and other State Department approved customers.

**USE:** These cartridges are Armor Piercing, Fin Stabilized, Discarding Sabot Tracer (APFSDS-T) kinetic energy, armor-piercing rounds for use in the 120mm smooth bore M256 cannon.

**DESCRIPTION:** The complete round contains a propulsion system consisting of a metal case base with a combustible cartridge case, stick or granular propellant within a containment device to prevent spillage, and a primer. The projectile consists of the sub-projectile, sabot and one piece design tungsten-alloy long rod penetrator. There is an aluminum fin with tracer assembly fitted to the rear of the sub-projectile and a windshield fitted to the front.

#### SPECIFICATIONS:

	KEW	KEWA1	KEWA2
Penetrator	Tungsten	Tungsten	Tungsten
Propellant	JA2	L1M	JA2
Muzzle Velocity	1585m/s	1740m/s	1700m/s



Tank, 120mm Ammunition

Tungsten Armor-Piercing Fin-Stabilized Discarding Sabot-Tracer (APFSDS-T)



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