

North Korea's new "Monster" missile

Dubbed the Hwasong-16, the world's largest road-mobile ICBM could potentially pack multiple weapons in a single rocket to increase the chances of striking a U.S. city with a thermonuclear device

HWASONG-16: Two-stage, liquid-fuelled intercontinental ballistic missile (ICBM), appears to be enlarged version of **Hwasong-15**

SPECIFICATIONS (est.)	Hwasong-15	Hwasong-16
Length / Diameter:	22.5m / 2.4m	25-26m / 2.5-2.9m
Weight:	72,000kg	100,000-150,000kg
Range:	13,000km	13,000km

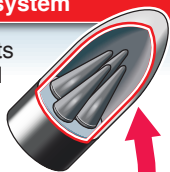


Hwasong-15

Hwasong-16: Can reach entire U.S. mainland, like Hwasong-15, but with multiple warheads – better able to overcome missile-defence system

Engines: First stage appears large enough to accommodate four Soviet-era **RD-250s**. Hwasong-15 uses two

Payload: Weapons experts believe Hwasong-16 could hold as many as four warheads, or **MIRVs (Multiple Independent Reentry Vehicles)**



Transporter erector launcher (TEL): 11-axle modified version of Chinese **WS51200** 8-axle chassis vehicle