

Kim Jong-un's weapons tests

North Korea launched two KN-23 ballistic missiles into the sea near Japan, the first such tests since U.S. President Joe Biden took office, fuelling tension ahead of the Tokyo Olympics

Missile tests* 2011 **Dec: Kim Jong-un** assumes power

1. SRBM

KN-23: Short-range ballistic missile

Range: **690km**

Status: Unclear

2012 1

2013 6  *Nuclear test*

2014 19

2015 13

2016 14   

2017 24

2018 *No missile tests*

2019 24

2. MRBM

Nodong: Medium-range ballistic missile

1,300-1,500km

Operational

2020 9

2021 2

4, 5, 6 ICBMs

KN-11/Hwasong-12: Submarine-launched ballistic missile.

Successfully tested Aug 2016

Unha-3 and

Taepodong-2: Intercontinental ballistic missiles

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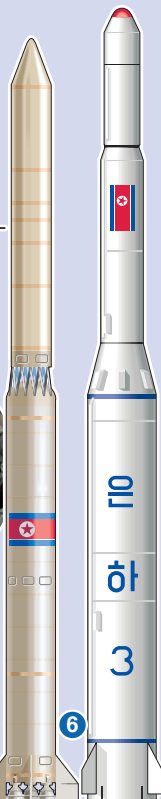
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*missiles capable of delivering payloads of at least 500kg