

U.S. to sell missile upgrades to Ukraine

The U.S. will sell Ukraine up to \$138 million worth of equipment to maintain and upgrade its HAWK air defence systems to counter Russian drone and missile attacks

RAYTHEON MIM-23 HAWK*: Medium range surface-to-air missile

Warhead: High explosive blast/fragmentation

Propulsion: Dual thrust motor with boost phase and sustain phase

Antennas

Electronics and autopilot

Battery

Igniter

Guidance: Antennas receive radar signal reflected from target and autopilot adjusts course as required

Transportation/launch
Towed launcher fitted with three HAWK missiles

Specifications (MIM-23B)

Missile speed **Mach 2.7**

Launch weight **627kg**

Warhead **75kg**

Minimum range **1.5km**

Maximum range **35km**

Length **5.08m**

