

# U.S. close to JASSM deal with Ukraine

The U.S. is close to an agreement to give Ukraine JASSM long-range cruise missiles that could alter the strategic landscape of the war by putting more of Russia in range of powerful, precision-guided bombs

## JOINT AIR-TO-SURFACE STANDOFF MISSILES (JASSM)



F-16

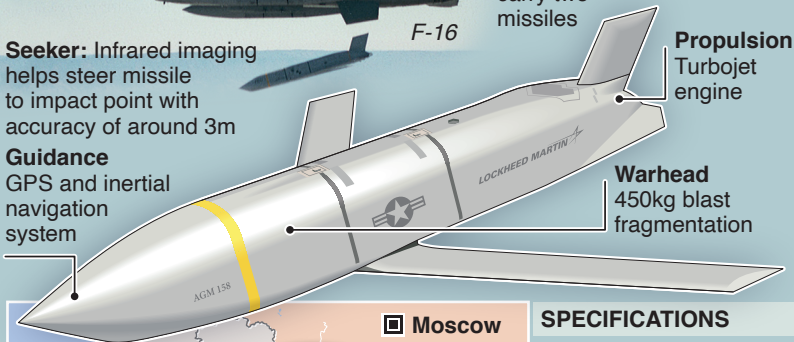
JASSM only integrated into U.S.-designed aircraft. Each **F-16** ultimately operated by Ukraine would carry two missiles

**Seeker:** Infrared imaging helps steer missile to impact point with accuracy of around 3m

**Guidance**  
GPS and inertial navigation system

**Propulsion**  
Turbojet engine

**Warhead**  
450kg blast fragmentation



■ Moscow  
**RUSSIA**

■ Kyiv

**UKRAINE**

Area held  
by Russia

**Missile  
range**

## SPECIFICATIONS

Stealthy, air-launched ground attack cruise missile

Length **4.26m**

Width **63.5cm**

Launch weight **1,021kg**

Range **300-926km**

Cost **~\$1 million**

**JASSM missile could enable Ukraine to hit targets about 300km inside Russia, including at least 30 airbases**