CMID Tool User Guide

Introduction

The Cluster Munition Identification Tool has been developed by Geneva International Centre Humanitarian Demining to assist those responsible for stockpiles to establish whether they hold material that falls under the definitions and scope of the Convention on Cluster Munitions (CCM). The tool is also designed to provide additional technical and identification information for all those working in the field with cluster munitions and submunitions.

How to Use

Browse by bomb or submunition:
- Use the browse options to identify an unknown bomb or submunition on the basis of its characteristics
- Filter results by:
  1. Bomb or submunition
  2. Bomb/submunition type/shape
  3. Dimensions, country of manufacture
- The tool automatically updates to show a list of possible munitions or submunitions

Search:
- Use the search bar to look up a known munition or submunition designation. Partial designations can be used if the full designation is not known.
- Cyrillic or other alphabetic designations need to be entered using Roman script. Later versions of the tool may offer the option of entering designations in other scripts.
- The search tool only takes into account letters and numbers. It does not matter whether spaces, hyphens or other symbols are, or are not, included when entering the designation.

Munition Records:
- Select a record (or multiple records by holding control) and click search.
- The tool will show the munition record, including the specifications, associated munitions/submunitions and images.
- The record also states whether the munition is prohibited by Article 2 of the Convention on Cluster Munitions (CCM).
CLUSTER MUNITIONS IDENTIFICATION TOOL

BLU-26/B > CBU-24/B

2400 (mm)

406 (mm)

USA

376 (kg)

Contained in SUU-30

CCM Prohibited
M93 120 mm Mortar Cluster Bomb

- 23 x KB-2
- 817 (mm)
- HRV
- 15.2 (kg)
- CCM Prohibited
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