



7.62×54 mm (PKM)



The PKM is a gas-operated light machine gun and is intended for use in regular and guerrilla warfare. The reasons of extensive usage of this rifle in most armed forces are simple operation, light weight, high accuracy and efficiency. This machine gun is infantry support gun normally fired from its bipod mount; however it can be installed on tripod and is used in the classic role of a heavy machine gun to provide long-range area fire and cover final protective lines at range of 1000 meters.



TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Caliber	7.62 x 54 mm
Muzzle Velocity	830 m/s
Rate of Fire	650 rds. /min
Effective Range	1200 m
Weight	8 kg
Ammunition	7.62 x 54mm (special coating)
Length	1192 mm
Length of Barrel	604mm
Feed Device	Cartridge Belt
Capacity of Magazine	100 & 200 rds.
Barrel length	772 mm
Weight of weapon	Total 12.7 kg