

# Inensitive Munitions European Manufacturers Group

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The European major  
manufacturers join to contribute to  
the promotion of safer in-service  
munitions through  
**IM development**

14 member companies

4 European countries

other companies are about to join

## 12 founding members

CEA, Giat Industries, MBDA F, Protac,  
ROXEL, SNECMA PS, SNPE Group  
TDA Armements

➔ from France

BAE Systems – Land Systems, MBDA (UK)

➔ from UK

Rheinmetall, TDW

➔ from Germany

joined by

AWE Plc

➔ from UK

SEI SpA

➔ from Italy

- A point of contact for national authorities

- A manufacturers' forum

- ➔ to adopt common positions

- ➔ to develop and improve own expertise through working together in

Expert Working Groups

# Expert Working Groups

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## ● IM Policies of the OCCAR countries and in the US

- To review and compare the IM policies in the above countries paying special attention to munition assessment procedures;
- To undertake a technical analysis of the testing procedures, practices and assessment methodologies adopted by each country and propose ways in which national requirements can be harmonised.

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## ● Quantity Distances and Benefits for Forces

- To assess the feasibility of HD reduction for IM by using documents on national/international Q/Ds applications.
- To propose specific benefits to accrue with the use of IM in the reduction of Q/Ds to national authorities.

Both groups are presenting a paper

# and.... Expert Working Groups

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*Pilot group created as of Jan 2006*

## ● Cost & Benefit Analysis

- To review and compare cost and benefit analysis methodologies amongst IMEMG members.
- To elaborate a state of the art for the cost and benefit existing software worldwide.
- To work on operational cases taking into account realistic life cycle and IM signature.

*Modelling tools are meant to assist the decision process for Users as well as Stakeholders*



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