



**Application**

The Bangalore Torpedo is a purpose made charge that is designed for breaching wire obstacles.

**Description**

The set consists of four sections of iron tube 40mm in diameter by 1.8 metre long filled with an HE composition. The sections are issued complete with accessories.

**Operation**

Each section is screw threaded at both ends. Using the internally threaded connecting socket the sections can be joined together to make up any required length. A detachable bullet shaped nose is supplied with the torpedo; this is designed to screw onto the end of the leading section to assist the movement of the torpedo along the ground. The trailing section is fitted with the special primer adaptor for use in conjunction with detonating cord and an initiating detonator. Normally four sections are used to make one torpedo (short) but a further two sections can be added to make a (long) torpedo.

**Specifications**

Tube Diameter: 40mm nominal  
 Socket Diameter: 52mm nominal  
 Tube Length: 1800mm nominal  
 Overall Length: 7200mm nominal  
 Explosive Load: 900g/m  
 Tubing: Malleable cast iron  
 Connectors: Malleable cast iron threaded pipe fittings

**Waterproofing**

At the time of manufacture, the ends of the torpedo tubes are sealed with aluminium closures.

**References**

**Product Codes:** D251  
**NATO Stock Number:** 1375-99-666-7507

**UN Number:** 0048  
**Proper Shipping Name:** Charges Demolition

Qty per box	Box Type	Hazard Class	NEQ	GR Wgt	Vol
4 (1 Set)	Plywood	1.1D	6.40 kg	50.00 kg	0.055 m <sup>3</sup>

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